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 cosmic rays and antimatter
 balloon measurements (CAPRICE)
 space measurements (PAMELA, AMS)

# I. Search for primordial antimatter

late annihilation:

# CMB

- annihilation e<sup>+</sup>/e<sup>-</sup> → Compton scattering → CMB structures at domain boundaries
- annihilation photons → contribute to cosmic diffuse gamma-rays

"Thus, we have ruled out a B=0 universe with domains smaller than a size comparable to that of the visible universe. It follows that the detection of Z>1 antinuclei among cosmic rays would shatter our current understanding of cosmology or reveal something unforeseen in the realm of astrophysical objects."

## BBN

- early annihilation: tiny domains: annihilation before nucleosynthesis
- late annnihilation (during or after nucleosynthesis)
  - $\overline{p}p$ ,  $\overline{p}^4$ He  $\rightarrow$  <sup>3</sup>He; don't escape from annihilation zone
  - hadrodestruction:  $\overline{p}X \rightarrow X'n$ ; n + <sup>4</sup>He  $\rightarrow$  <sup>3</sup>He, D
  - annihilation photons (pi<sup>0</sup>'s) are rescattered to below the pair-production threshold → photodisintegration of D, <sup>3</sup>He, <sup>3</sup>H at successively lower temperatures, and finally photodisintegration of <sup>4</sup>He (always into lighter isotopes) → large <sup>3</sup>He, D / <sup>4</sup>He ratio

http://prl.aps.org/pdf/PRL/v84/i17/p3756\_1 (Phys. Rev. Lett. 84, 3756-3759 (2000))

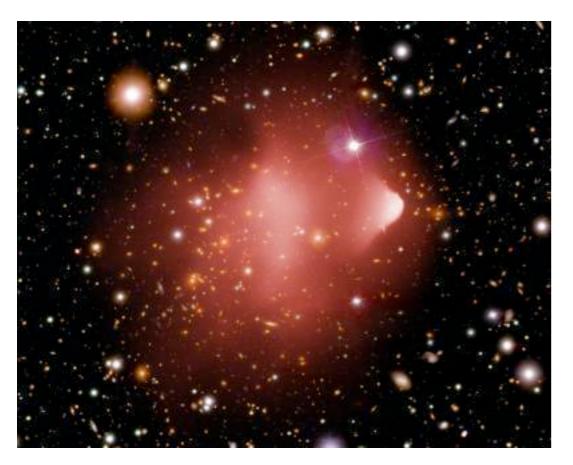
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## 2. Search for local antimatter

Inflation separates nearby matter-antimatter domains to beyond the scale of the observable Universe.

Very close matter-antimatter domains might only be separated to smaller scales, such as that of superclusters.

Search for annihilation (gamma-rays in addition to the normally produced X-rays) at supercluster boundaries.



Bullet Cluster in combination of X-rays from Chandra (red) and optical data from the Hubble and Magellan telescopes (yellow).

Absence of gamma-rays  $\rightarrow$  antimatter is less than 3 ppm in this system. <u>http://arxiv.org/abs/0808.1122</u>

X-ray: NASA/CXC/CfA/M.Markevitch et al. Optical: NASA/STScl; Magellan/U.Arizona/D.Clowe et al.)



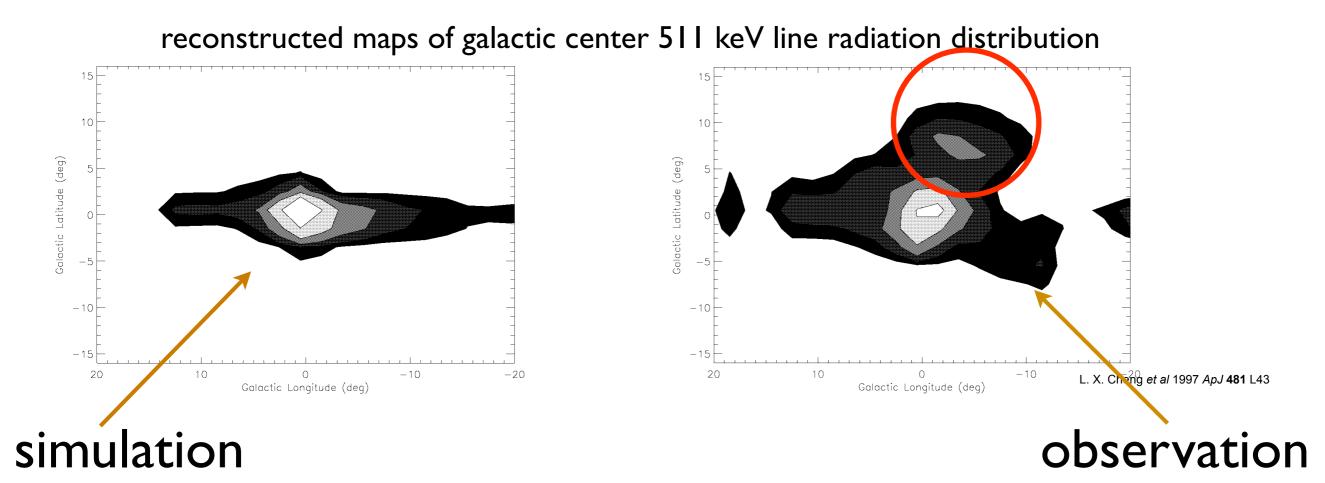
(dark matter distribution in same cluster through gravitational lensing)

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## Searches in our own backyard

Observation by OSSE/Compton Gamma Ray Observatory in 1997 (known since 1970): strong & continuous production of positrons at the center of the galaxy

http://iopscience.iop.org/1538-4357/481/1/L43?ejredirect=migration



extended, diffuse 511 keV emission cloud of annihilation radiation, probably about 4000 light years across, extending nearly 3500 light years above galactic plane : Causes? 10<sup>43</sup> annihilations/s ~ 3 solar masses in 1 Gyr

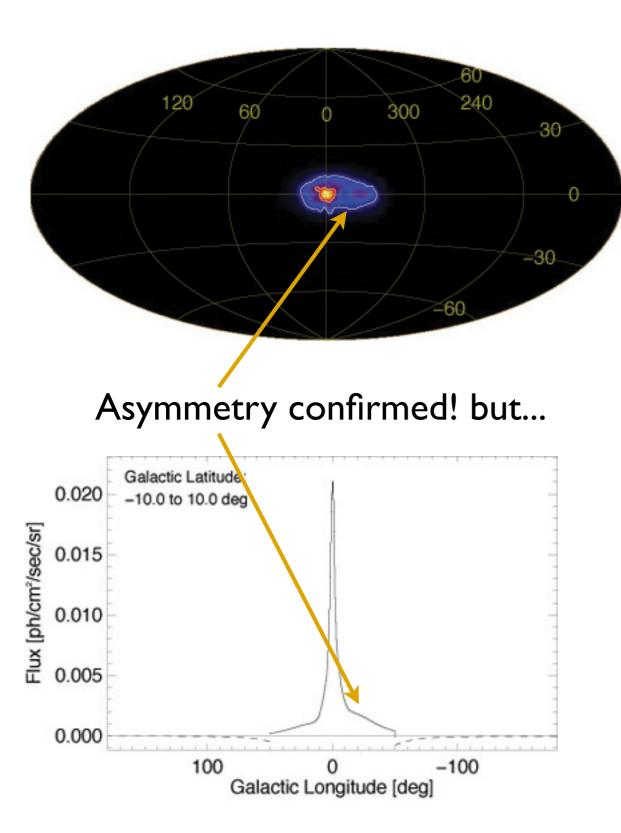
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## INTEGRAL space telescope

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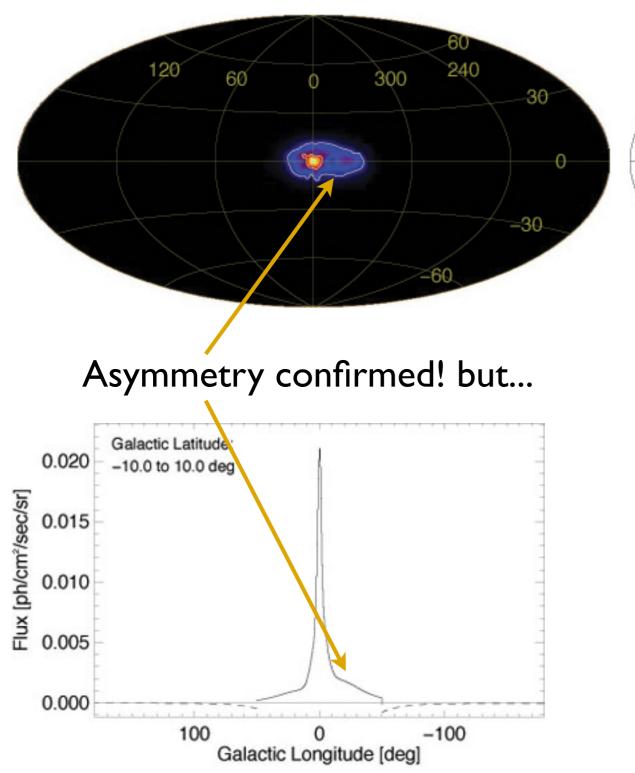
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Asymmetry matches distribution of hard low-mass X-ray binary stars

gas in GC generally symmetrical, except for these stars

signal not caused by dark matter ;(

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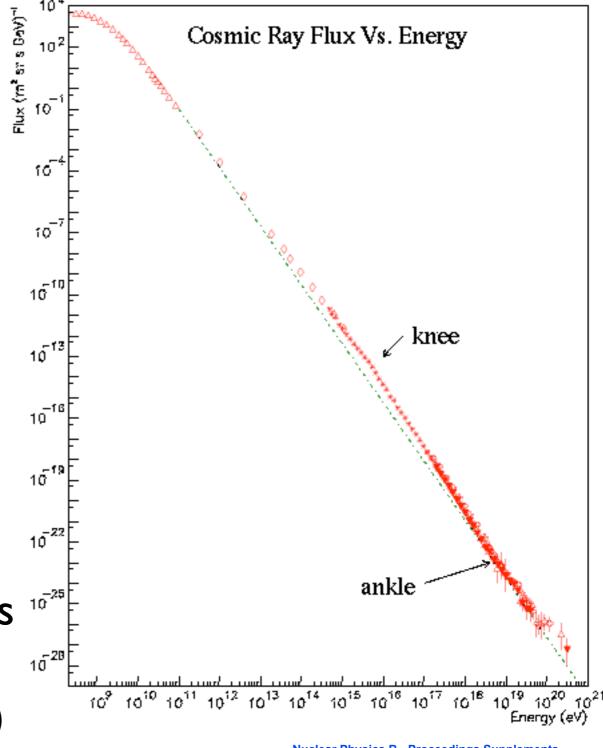
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## 3. Cosmic rays and antimatter

A large part of positrons and antiprotons impinging on Earth are produced in high-energy interactions between cosmic rays nuclei with the interstellar medium. Their spectra can provide an insight on the origin, production and propagation of cosmic rays in our galaxy. Any observed flux larger than that predicted by the Leaky Box Model (LBM), the "standard" model of cosmic ray propagation, could indicate exotic sources of antimatter. The predictions of the propagation models are different above 10 GeV where more refined measurements are needed.

# Specific interests:

- Formation models for cosmic rays
- Propagation models for cosmic rays
- WIMPS/dark matter
- search for primordial antimatter (!)

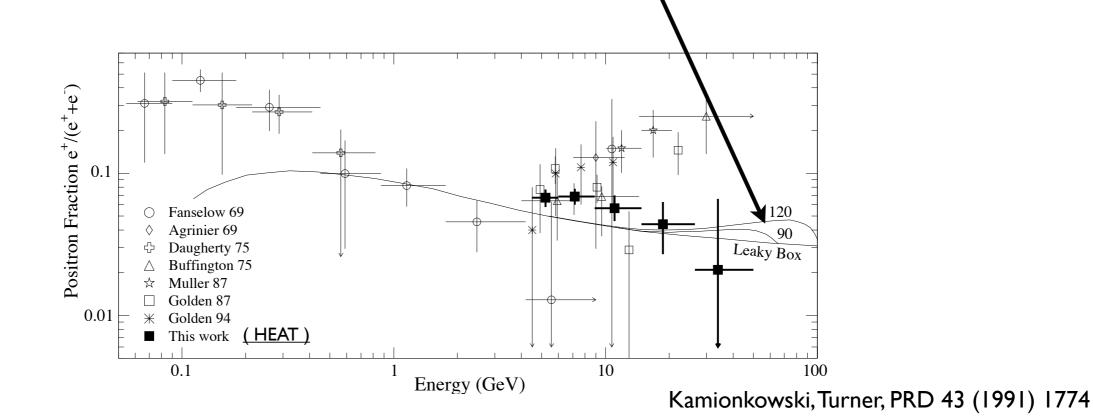


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## ... antimatter in cosmic rays ...

positrons and antiprotons in cosmic rays:

- produced in inelastic collisions in interstellar medium
- flux determined by propagation, energy distribution of primaries

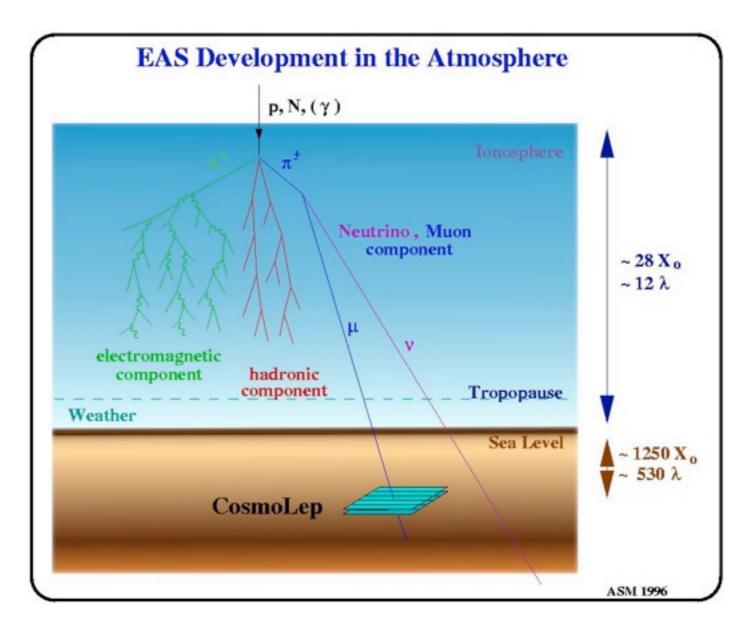


positrons are difficult to measure/interpret:

- radiative losses close to sources
- possibility of primary positron cosmic rays

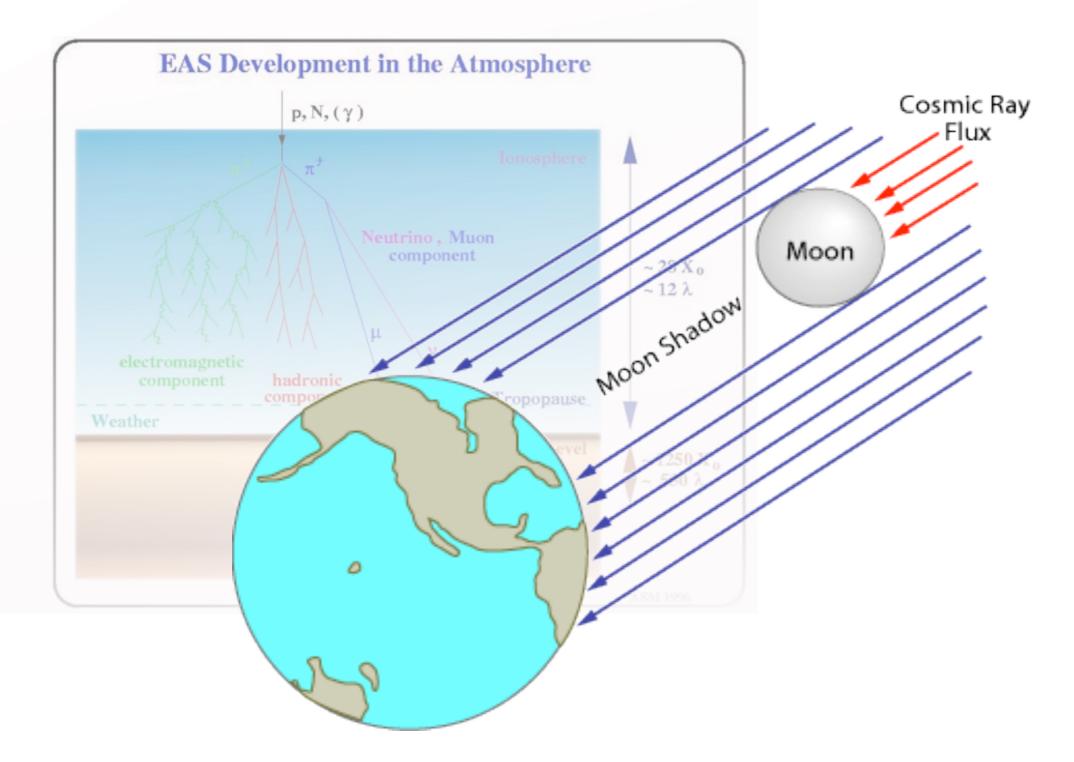
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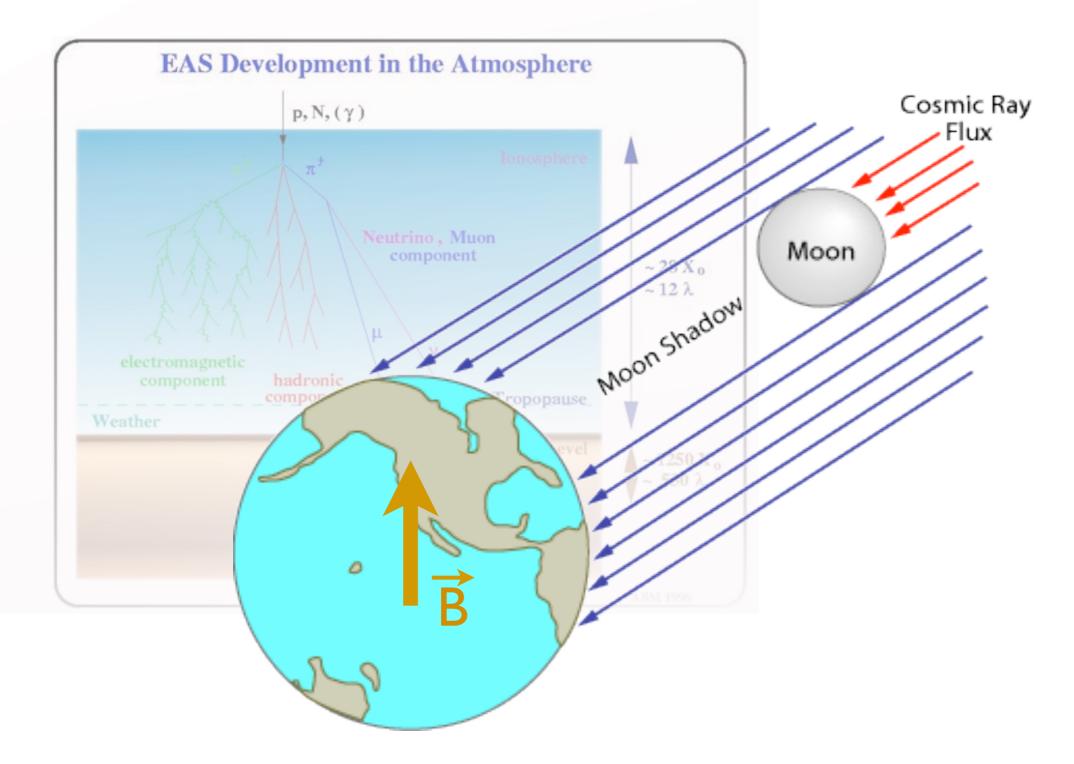
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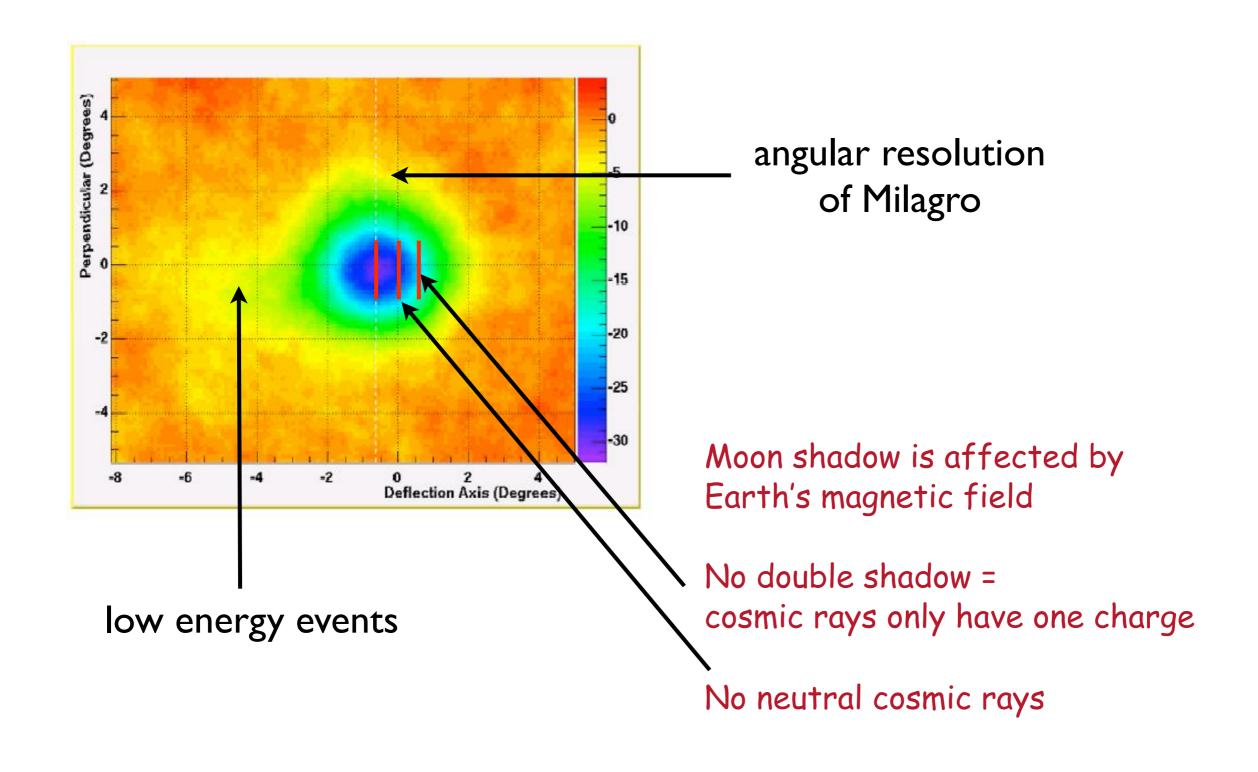
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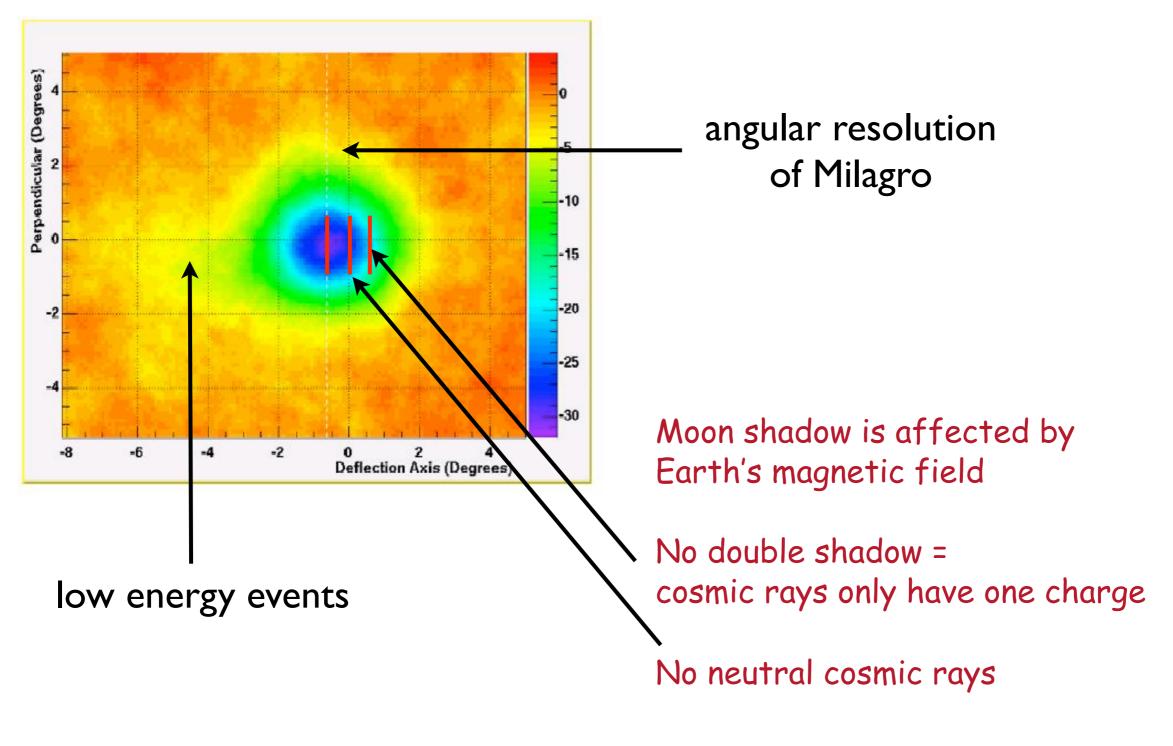
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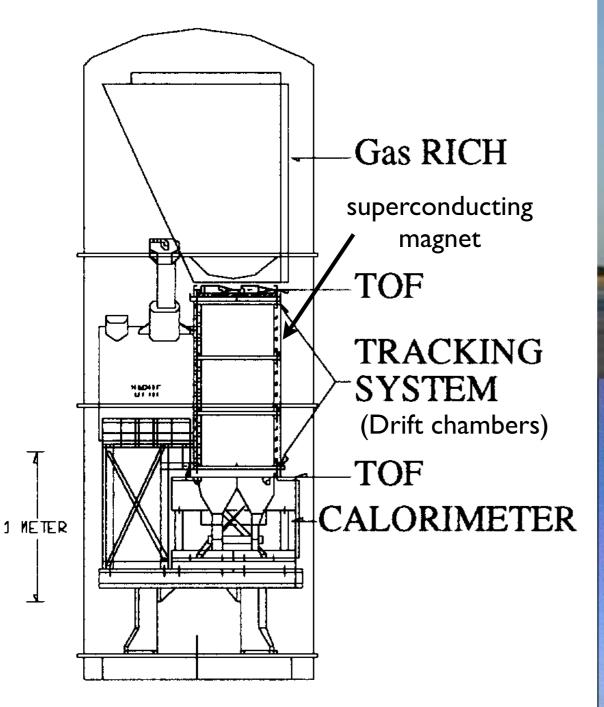
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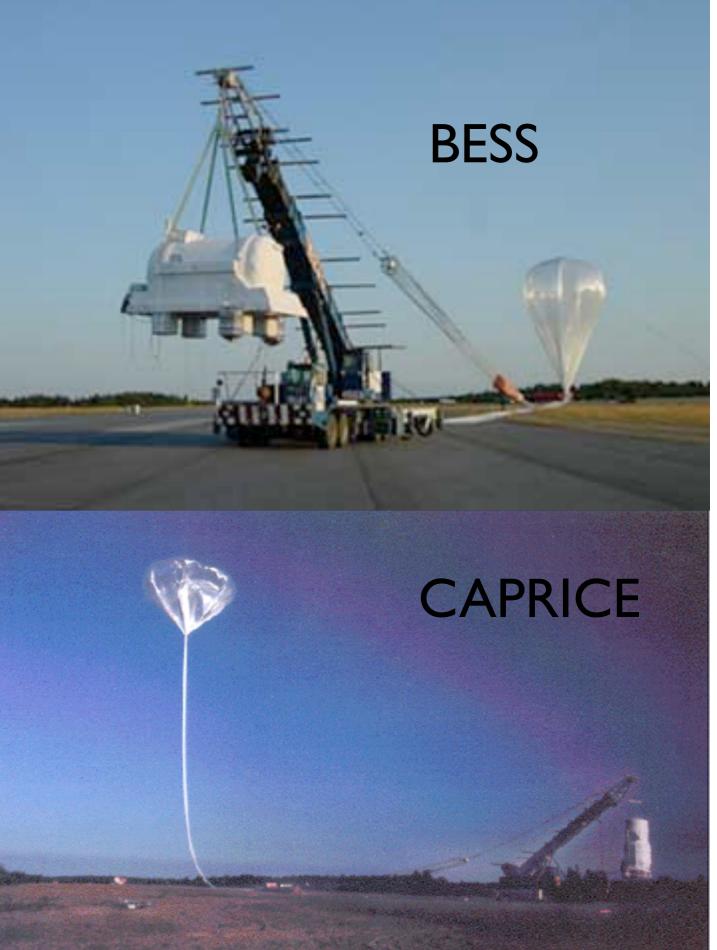


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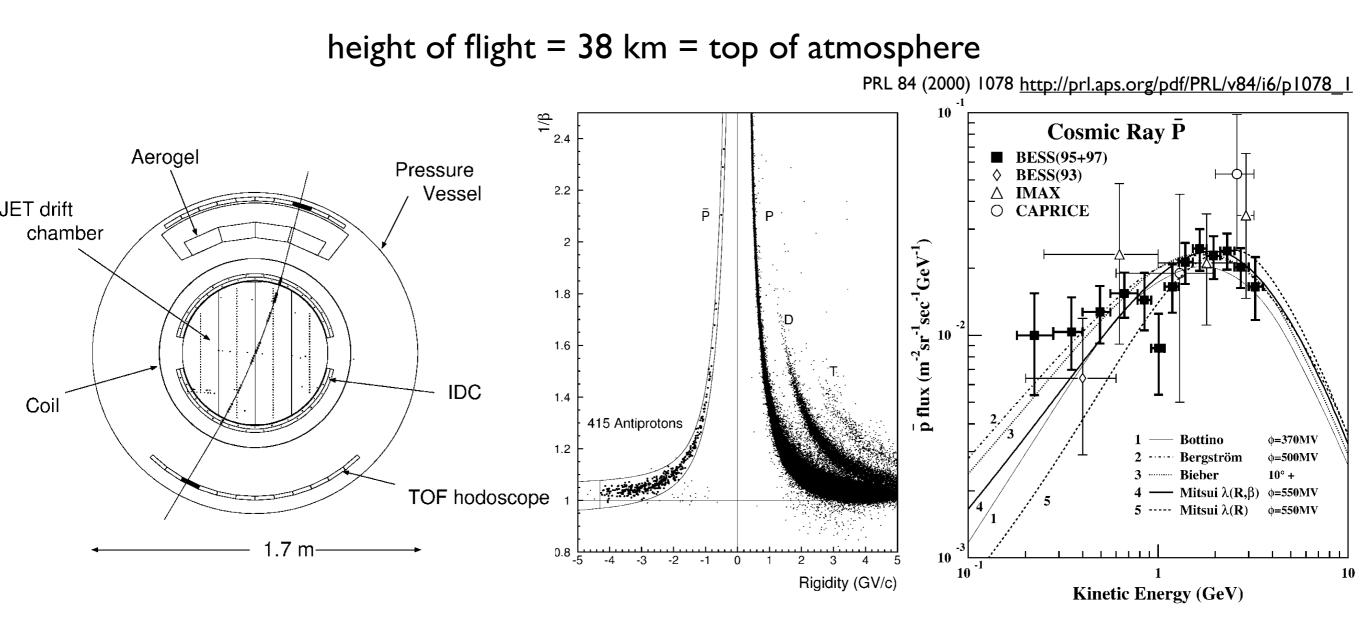
Cosmic Antiproton Ring-Imaging Cerenkov Experiment





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## Results from CAPRICE/BESS



subsidiary result (data+propagation model) =  $tau(\overline{p}) > 1.7$  Myr <u>http://arxiv.org/abs/astro-ph/9809101</u>

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## Space-based detectors

benefits:

- above atmosphere (primary, rather than secondary spectrum)
- WYSIWYG

disadvantages:

- above atmosphere (= satellite = cost! & reliability!)
- much more limited solid angle / detector size
- technology is fixed (and usually not cutting edge)

## PAMELA

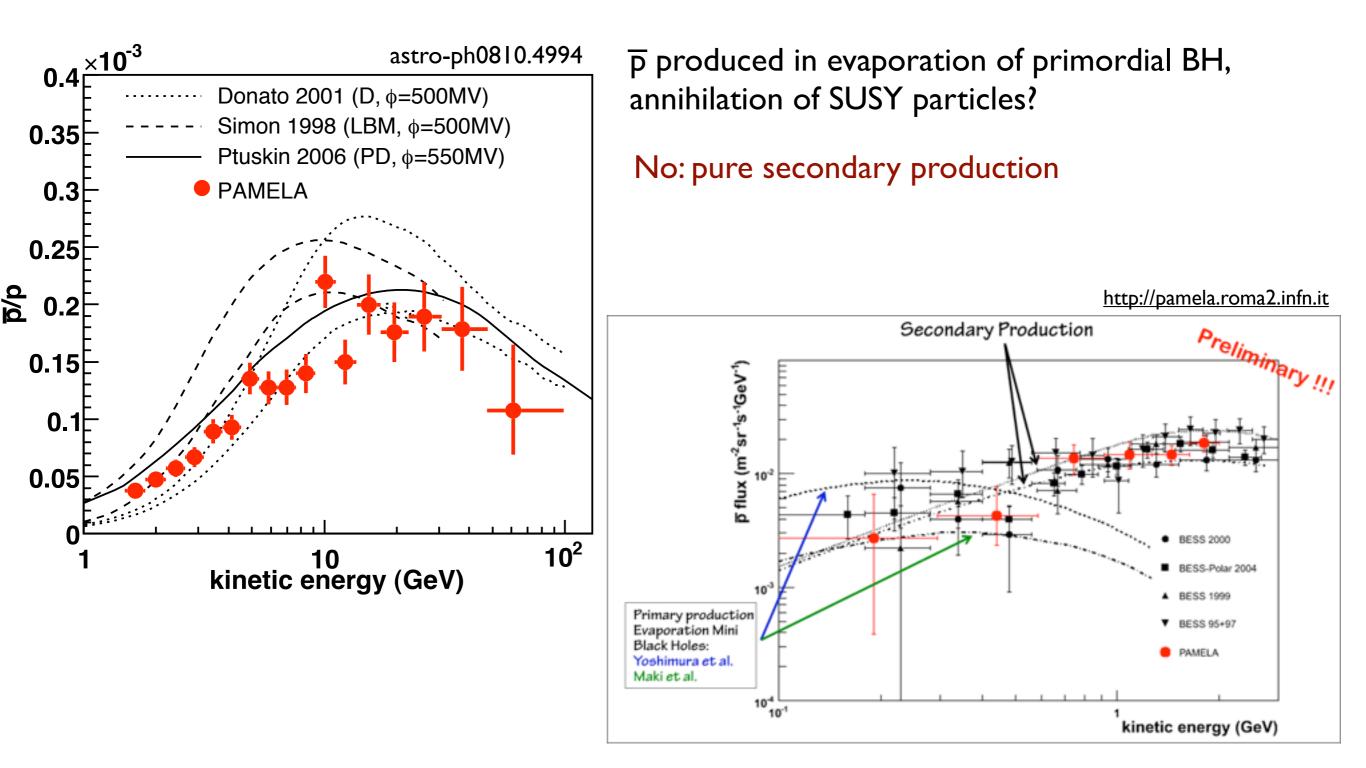
### was launched in June 2006 part of the Resurs-DK1 satellite

AMS

### installed on ISS (2011)

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## Results from PAMELA:



so: all appears well with antiprotons. What about positrons?

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# Positron excess? What positron excess? (INTEGRAL) Galactic core signal well explained by 'standard' causes

http://www.physto.se/~edsjo/talks/pdf/Positron-excess-020903.pdf

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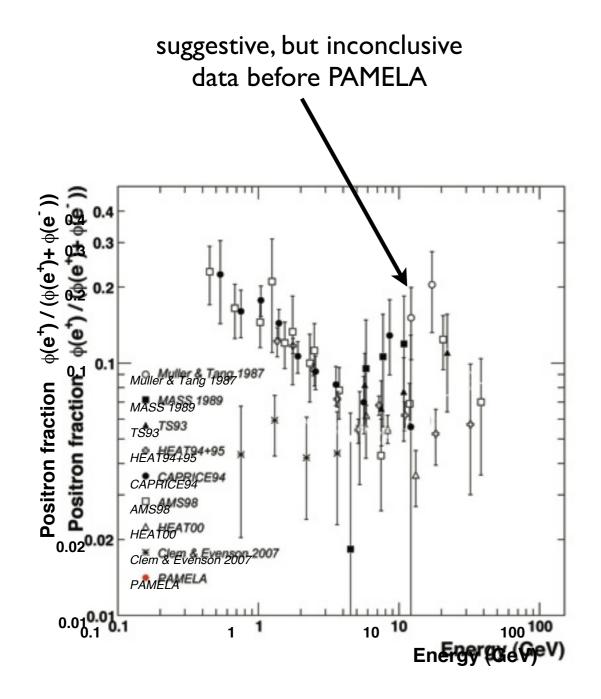


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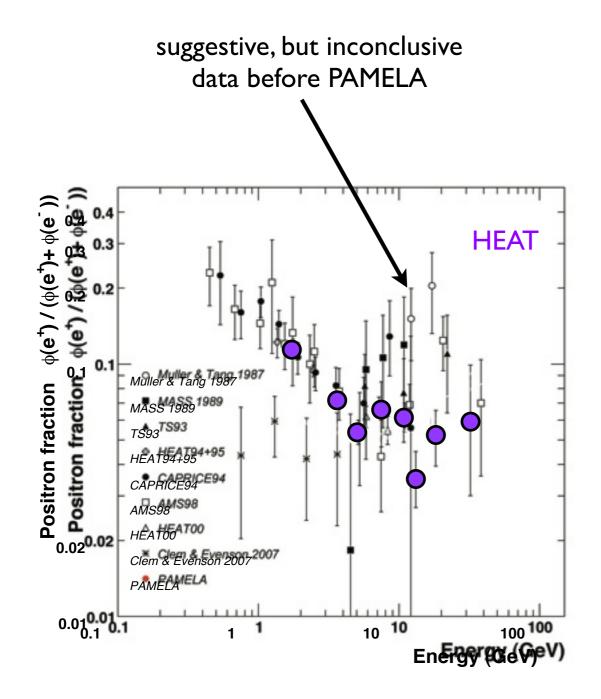


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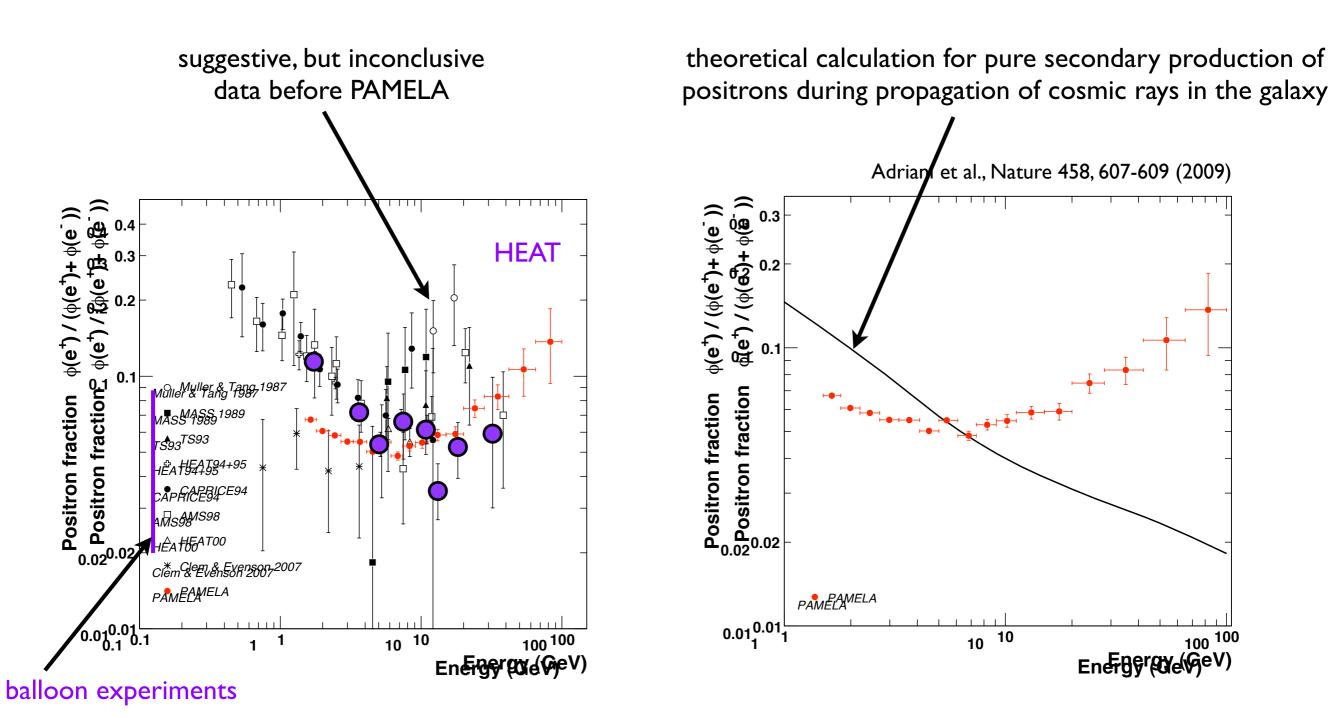


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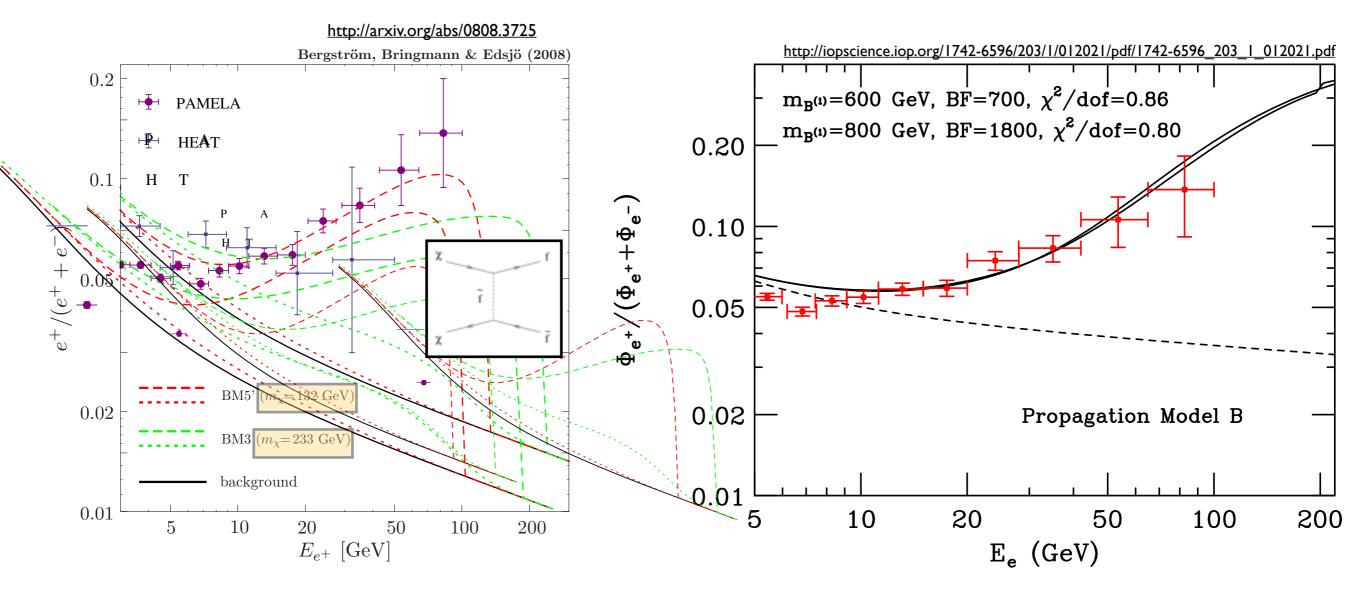


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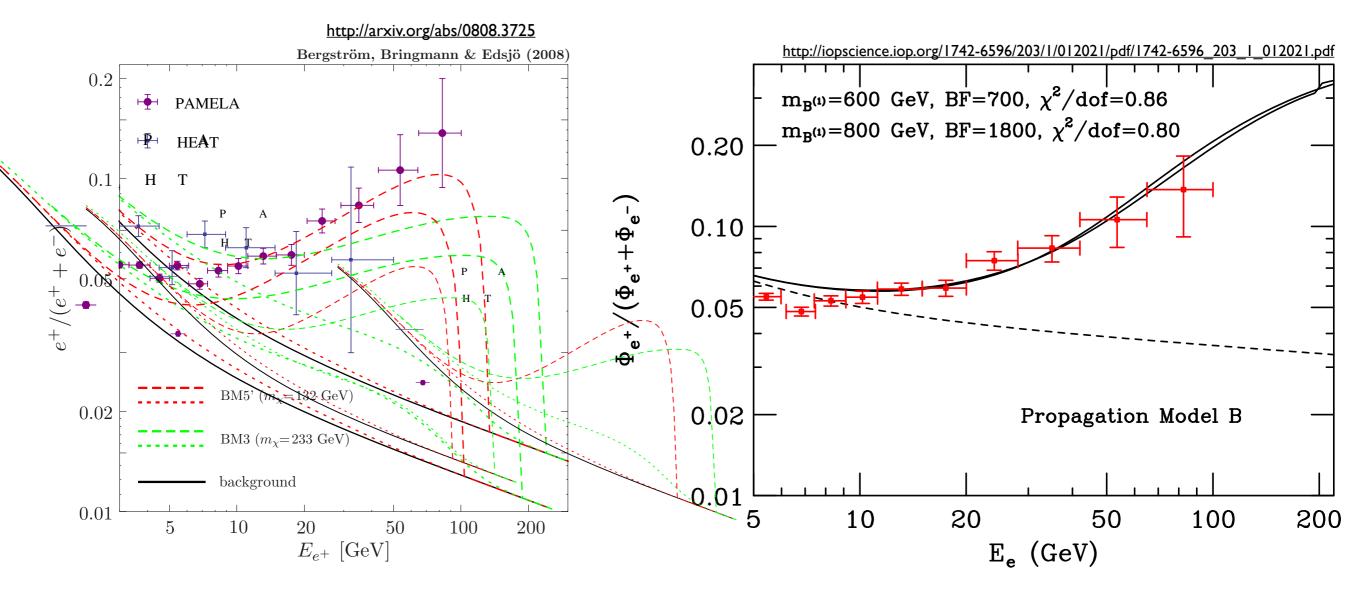


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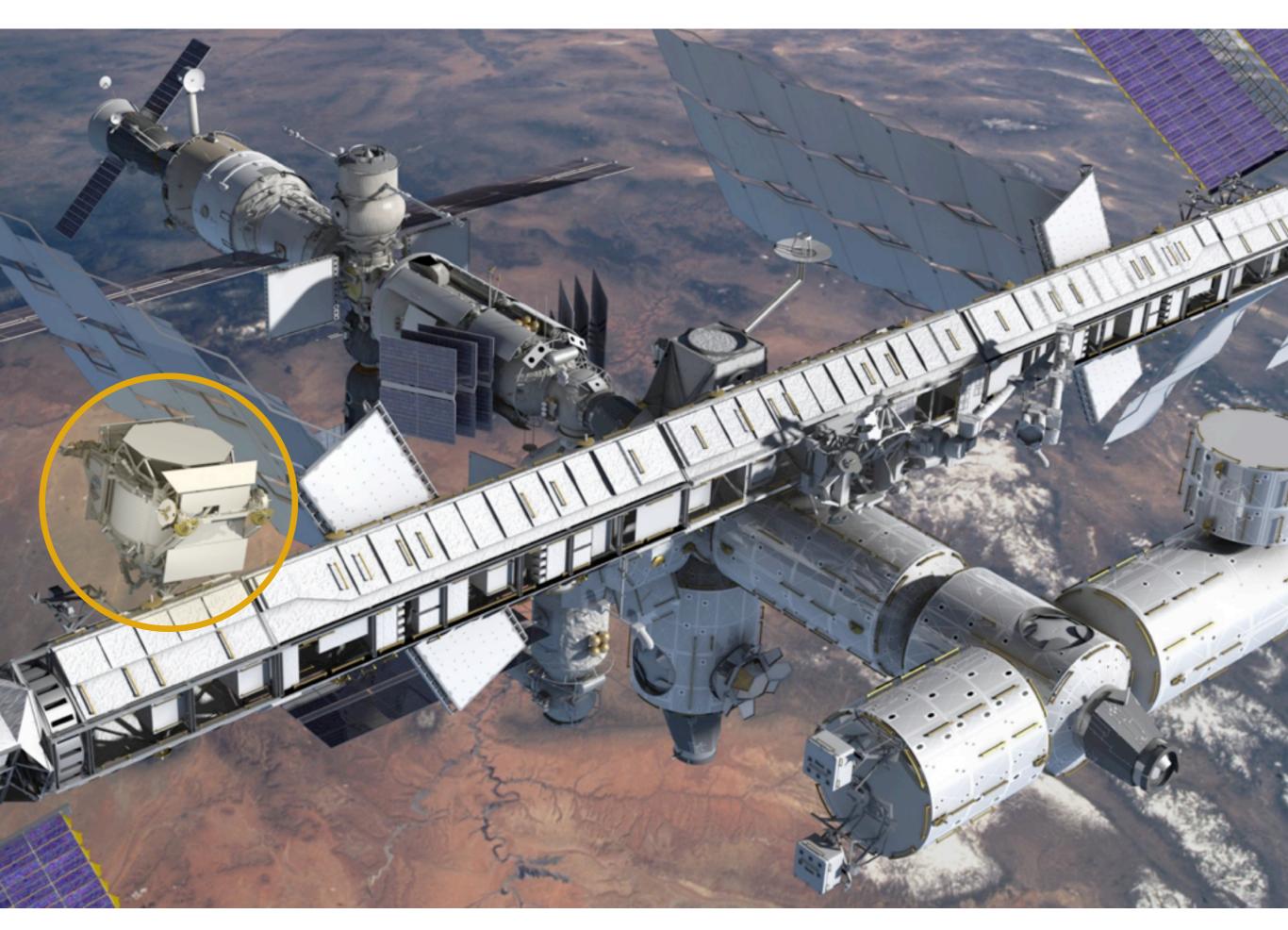
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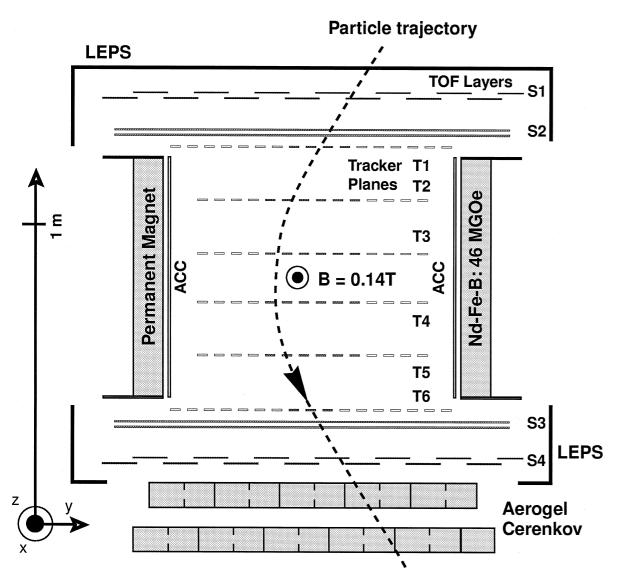
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# next step:AMS

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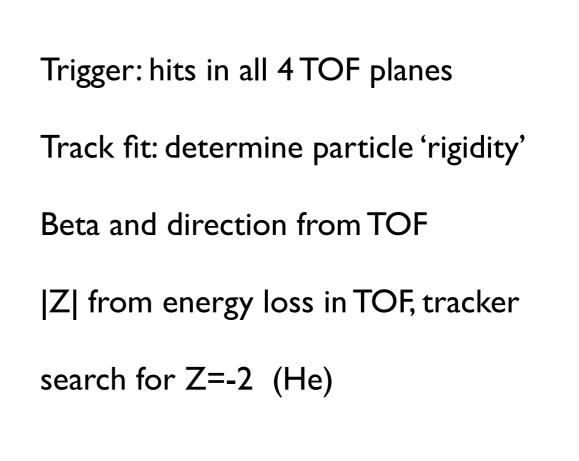
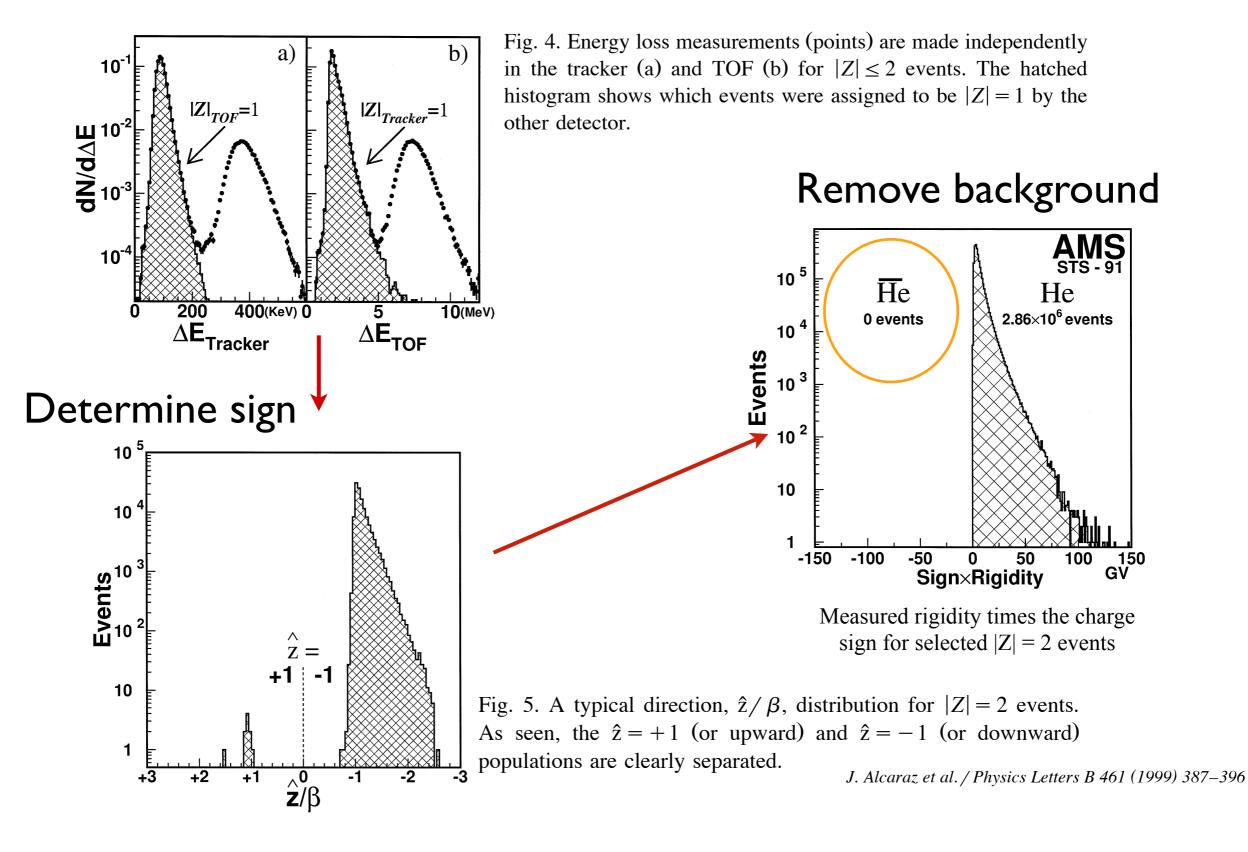


Fig. 1. Schematic view of AMS as flown on STS-91 showing the cylindrical permanent magnet, the silicon microstrip tracker planes T1 to T6, the time of flight (TOF) hodoscope layers S1 to S4, the aerogel cerenkov counter, the anticoincidence counters (ACC) and low energy particle shields (LEPS).

Main background: the huge numbers of p; e (|Z|=1) & He (Z=2) that can be multiple-scattered

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Select |Z|=2 (p' of error ~ 10<sup>-7</sup>)



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## Outlook

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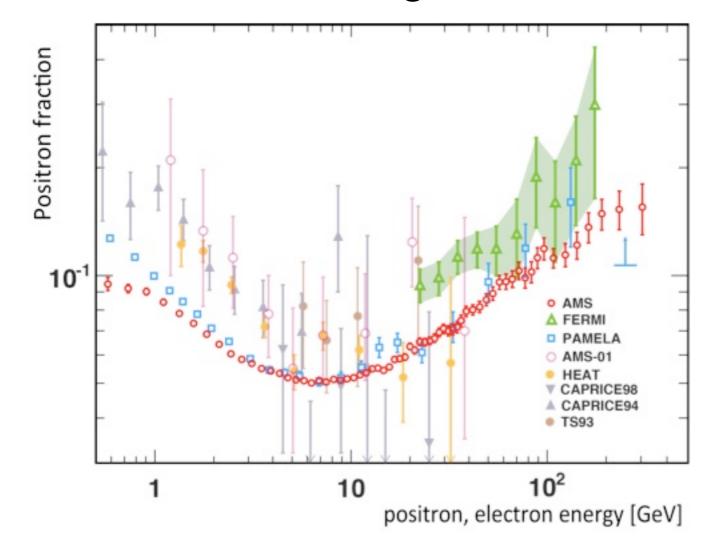
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UPDATE:
first data from AMS on ISS shown July 2012: positrons identified up to
several 100 GeV!
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#### PAMELA/Fermi signal confirmed



standard ("boring") astrophysical sources sufficient to explain a rise:

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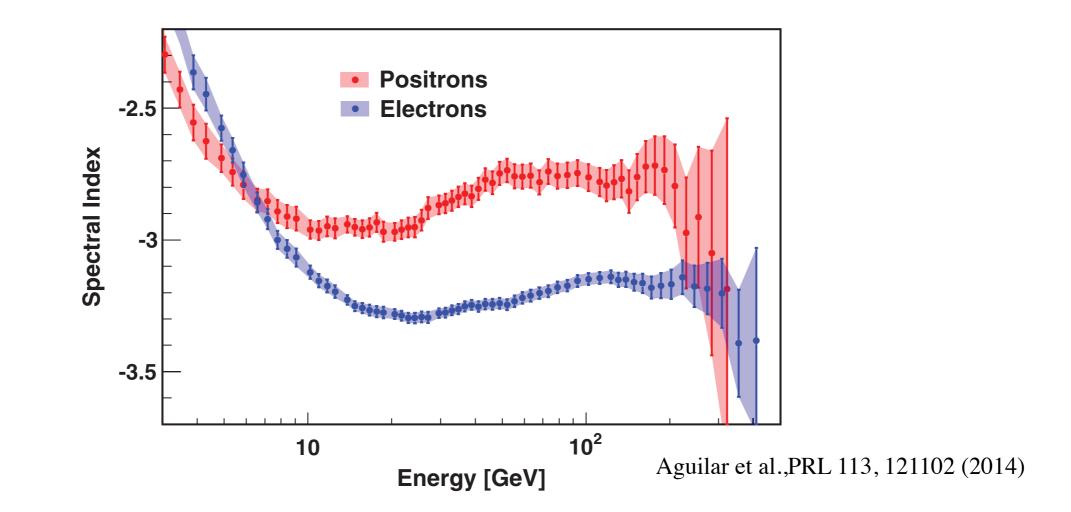
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#### Spectral index: electron/positron spectra

 $\gamma_{e^{\pm}} = d[\log(\Phi_{e^{\pm}})]/d[\log(E)]$  (over an energy-dependent E window)



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# Back to Earth: antimatter in the lab



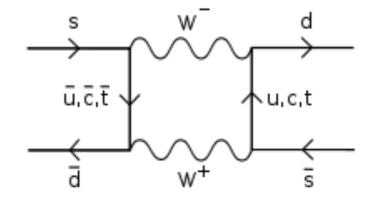
# Search for some form of asymmetry between matter and antimatter : *QP* and *QPT*

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# Plan A: CP violation

P violation known since 1955,

CP violation since 1964 in  $K^0$ 





CP violation in B<sup>0</sup> mesons (BaBar, Belle) since 2001

CP violation in D<sup>0</sup>mesons (LHCb) since 2011

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# Plan B: CPT violation

## Two ways to violate CPT

#### • CPTV through decoherence

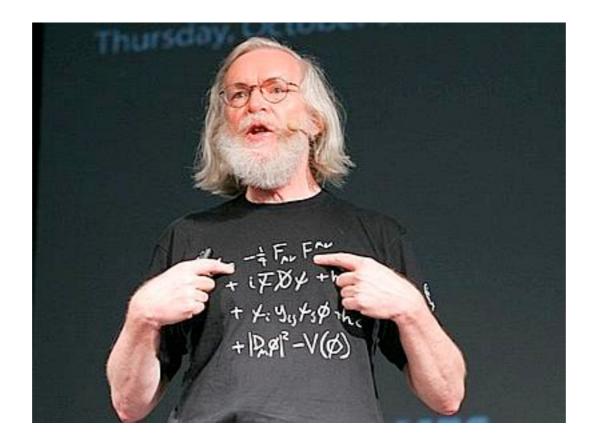
• (non-unitarity; entanglement with quantum-gravity environment) - Ellis, et al.

#### • CPTV within quantum mechanics

(e.g., spontaneous Lorentz violation)
 Standard Model Extension (Kostelecky)

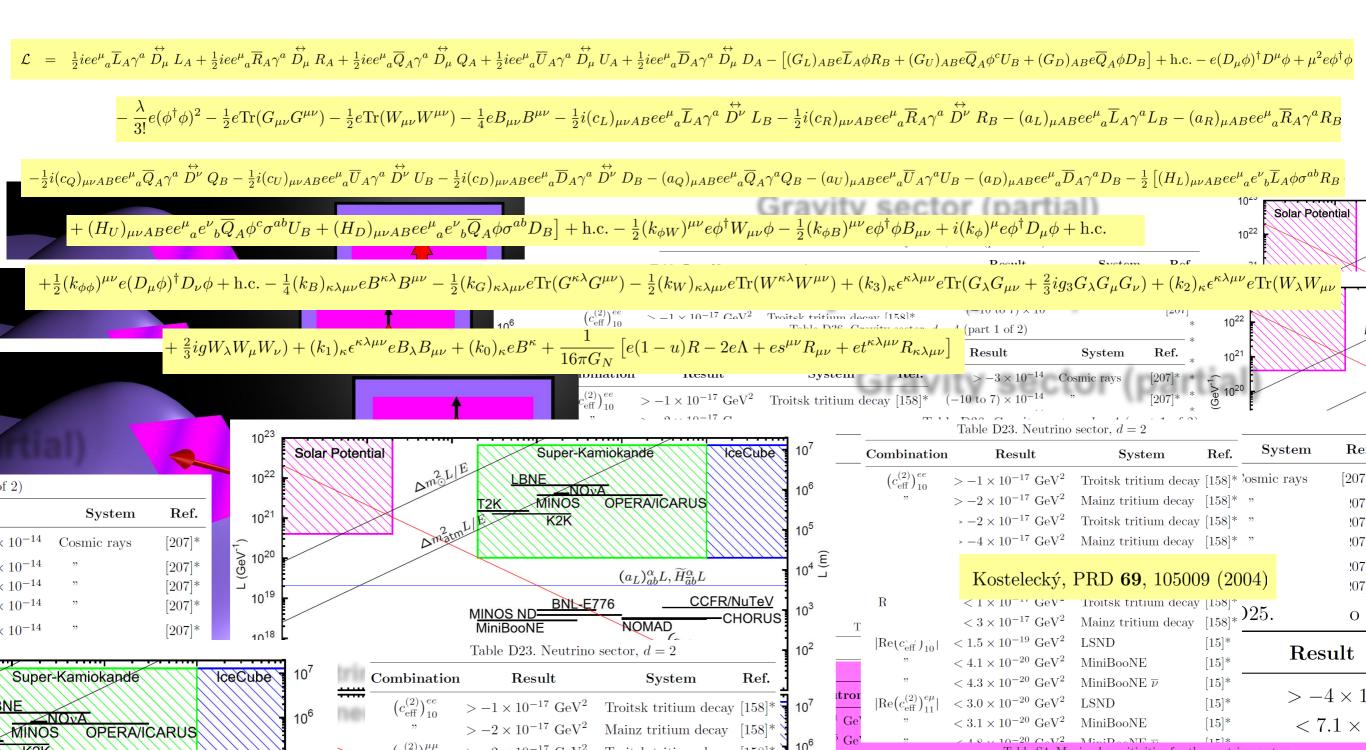


# SM Lagrangian:



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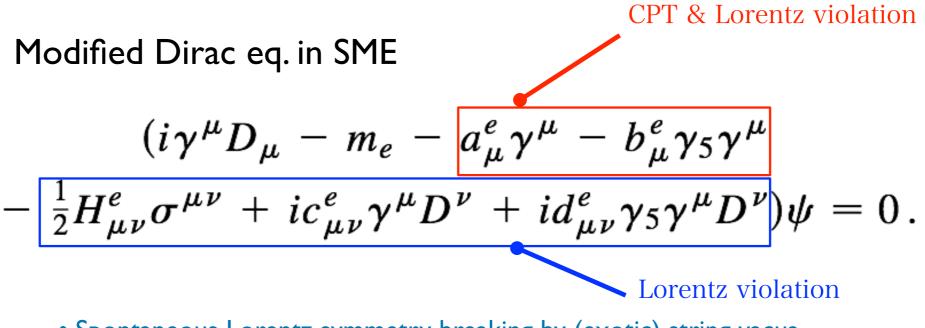
# SME Lagrangian:



# Type II: "Model" for CPTV: standard model extention SME

CPT violation and the standard model

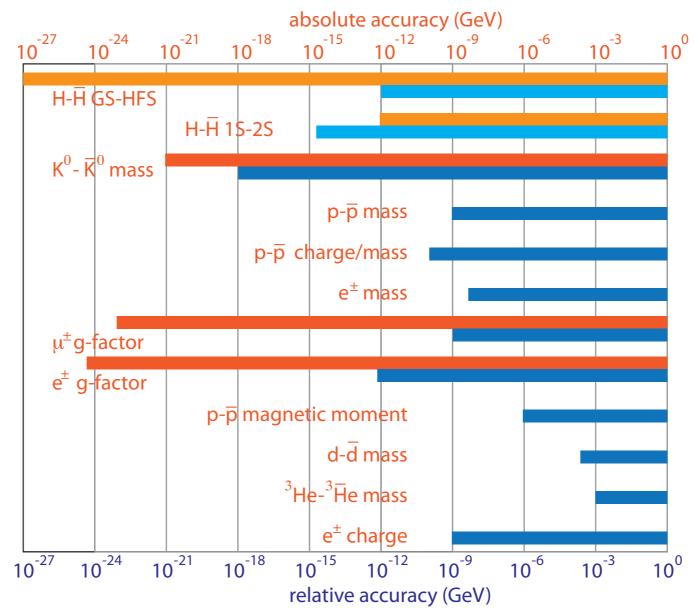
Don Colladay and V. Alan Kostelecký Department of Physics, Indiana University, Bloomington, Indiana 47405 (Received 22 January 1997)



- Spontaneous Lorentz symmetry breaking by (exotic) string vacua
- Note: there is a preferred frame, sidereal variation due to earth rotation may be detectable

# Verifications of CPT symmetry

Tests of particle/antiparticle symmetry (PDG)

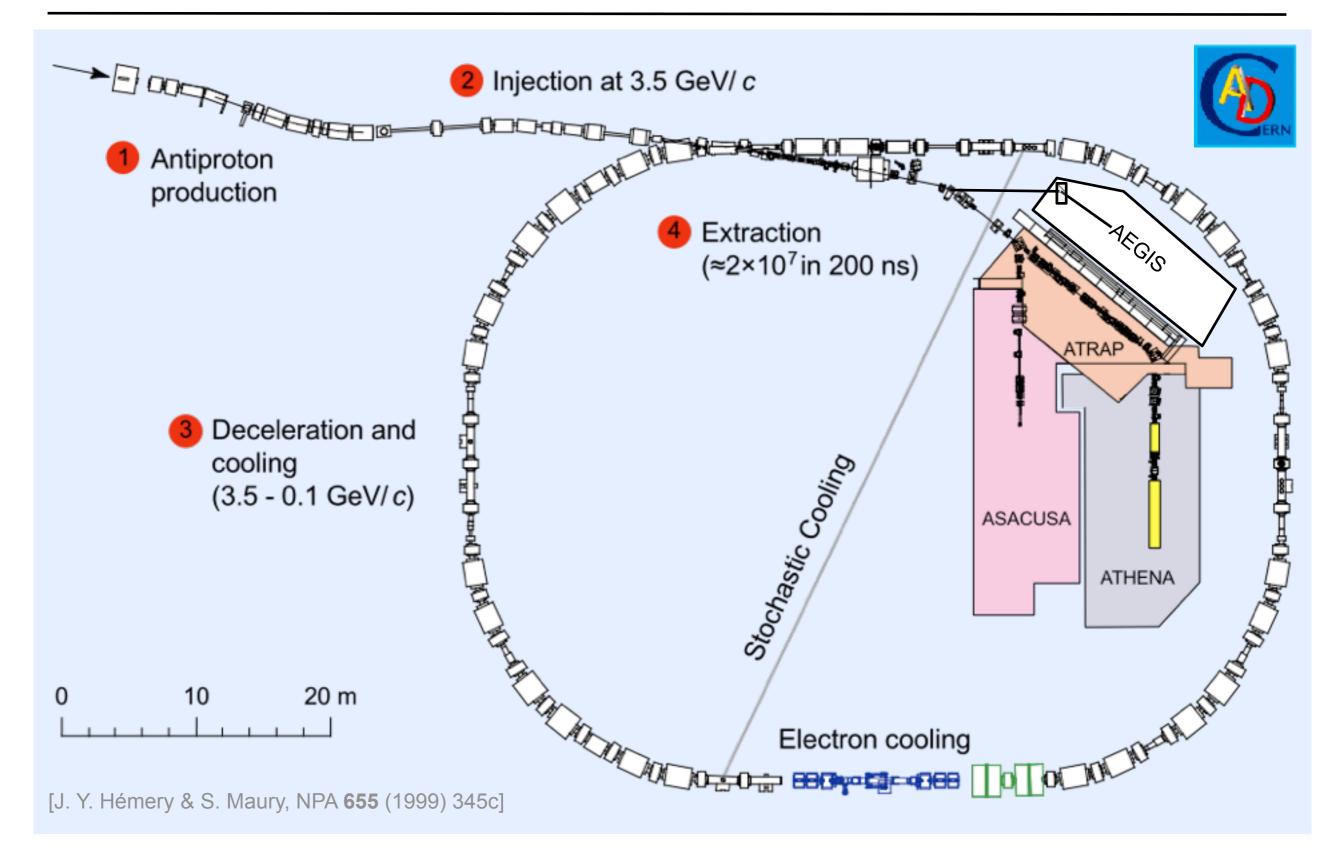


Inconsistent definition of figure of merit: comparison difficult Pattern of CPT violation unknown (P: weak interaction; CP: mesons) Absolute energy scale: standard model extension (Kostelecky)

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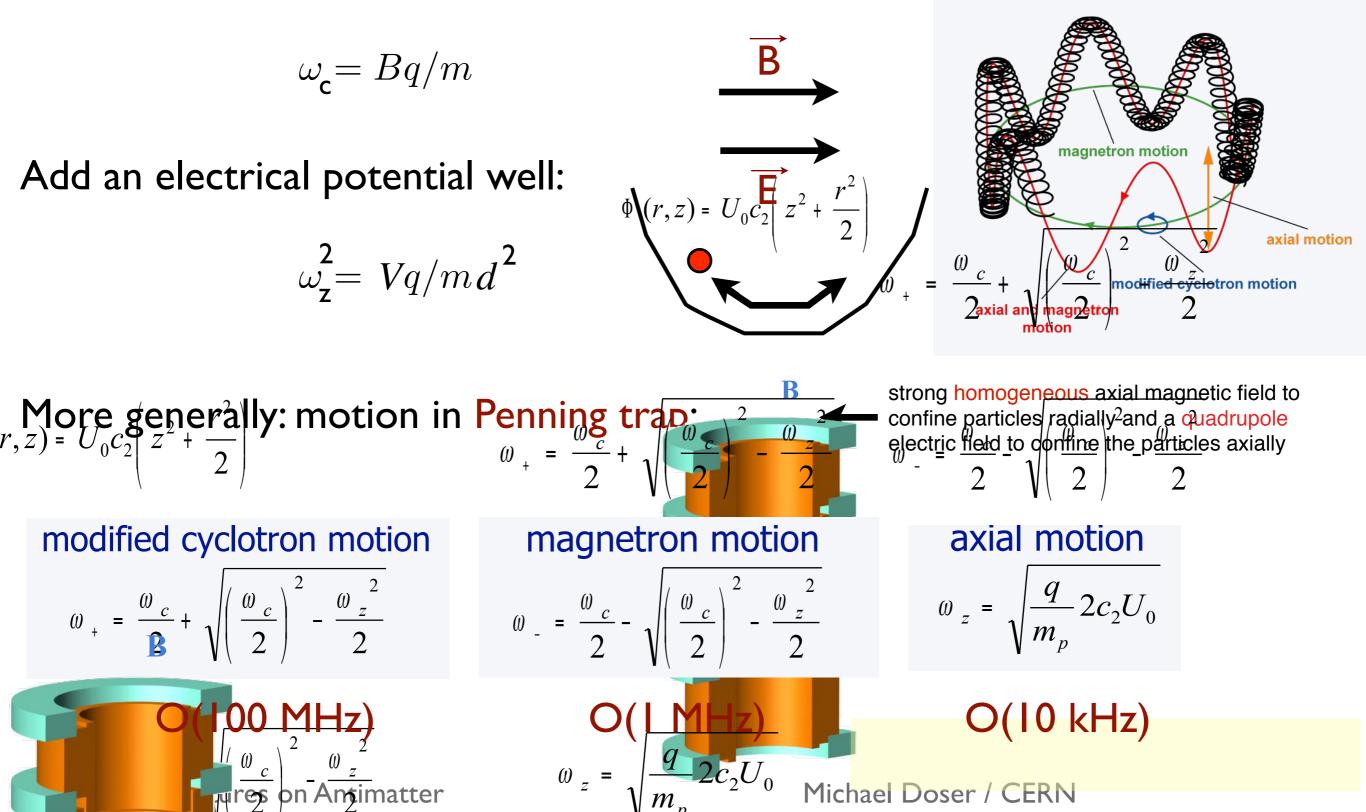
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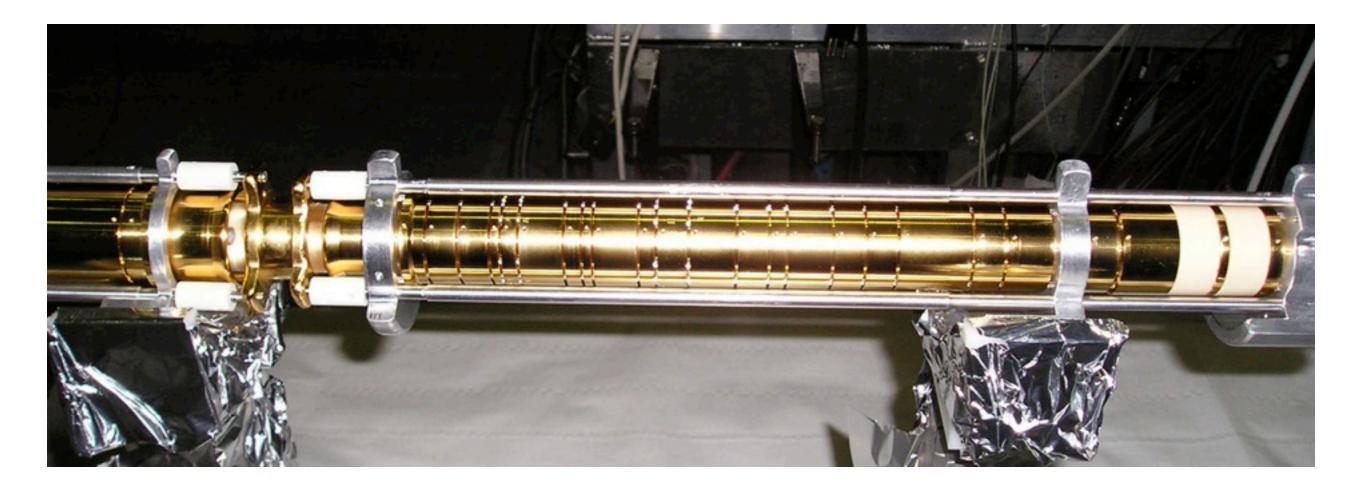
# **AD: Antimatter Factory**



## I) q/m measurement of the (anti)proton

In a magnetic field, charged particles follow cyclotron orbits:





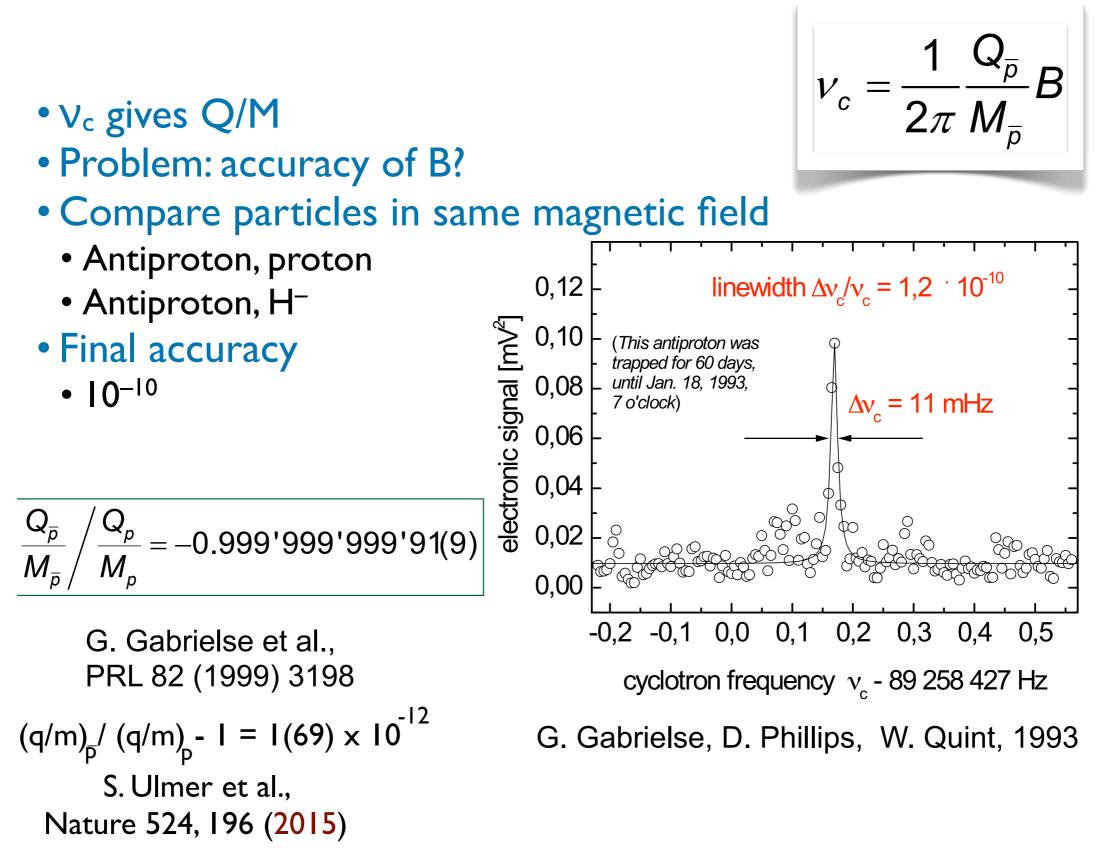
Antiproton and proton in Penning trap:

- first scheme: alternate proton and antiproton (systematics!)
- advanced measurement: compare antiproton with H<sup>-</sup> held simultaneously in Penning trap

requires advanced particle manipulation schemes ("parking", high-sensitivity and high-selectivity tuned circuit)

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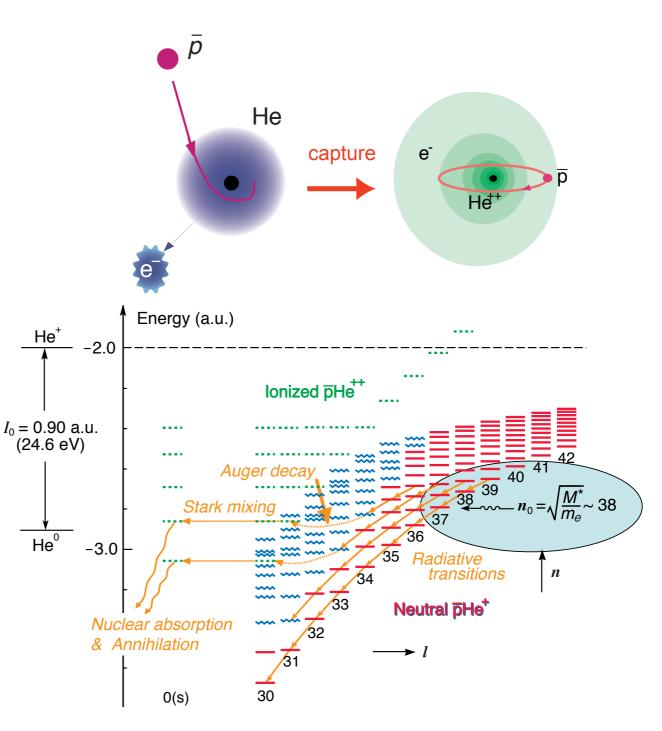
# Cyclotron frequency of the antiproton



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## 2) measurement of the magnetic moment of the (anti)proton via antiprotonic helium

- stopping of negatively charged particles in matter
  - slowing down by ionization (normal energy loss)
  - end when kinetic energy < ionization energy
  - capture in high-lying orbits with n~√(M\*/me)

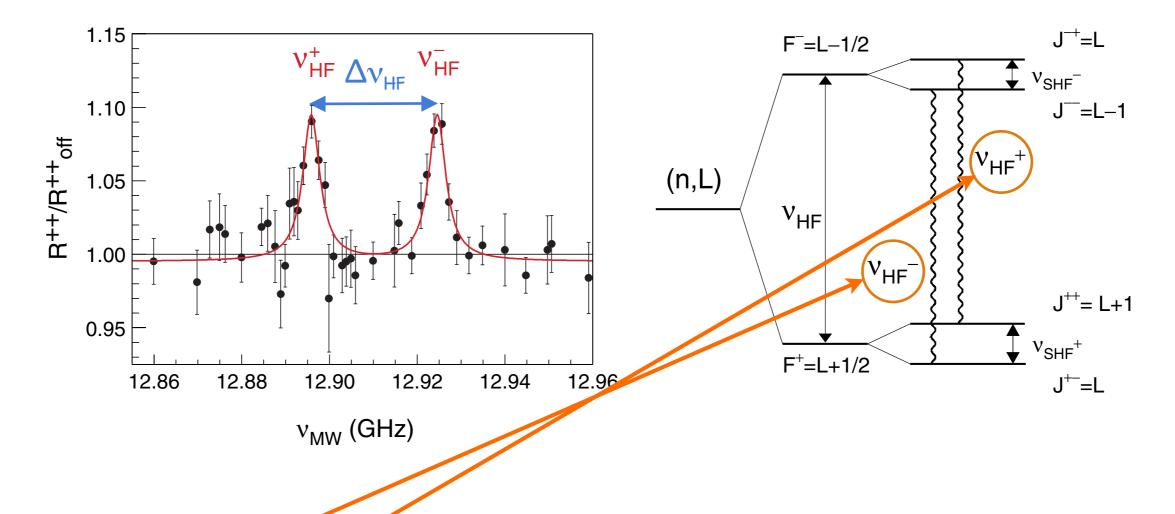


example: antiprotonic helium



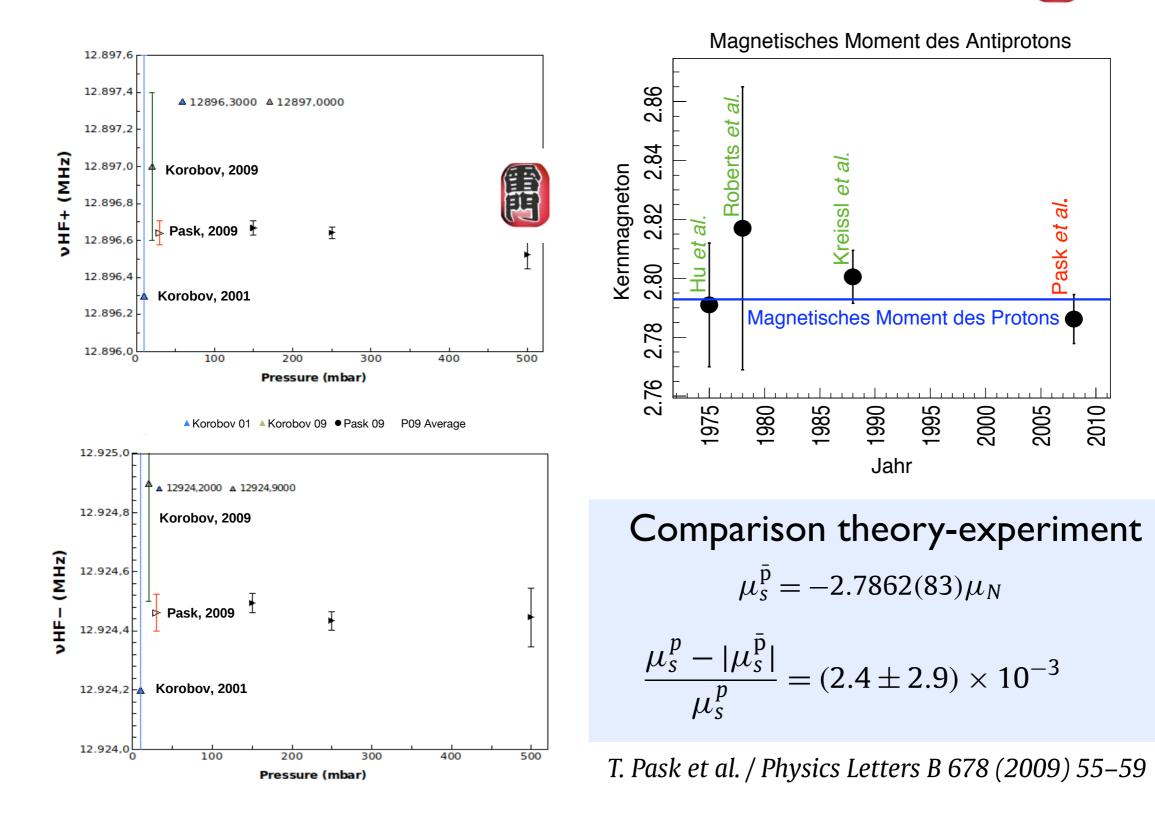
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determination of  $\mu_{\overline{D}}$ 



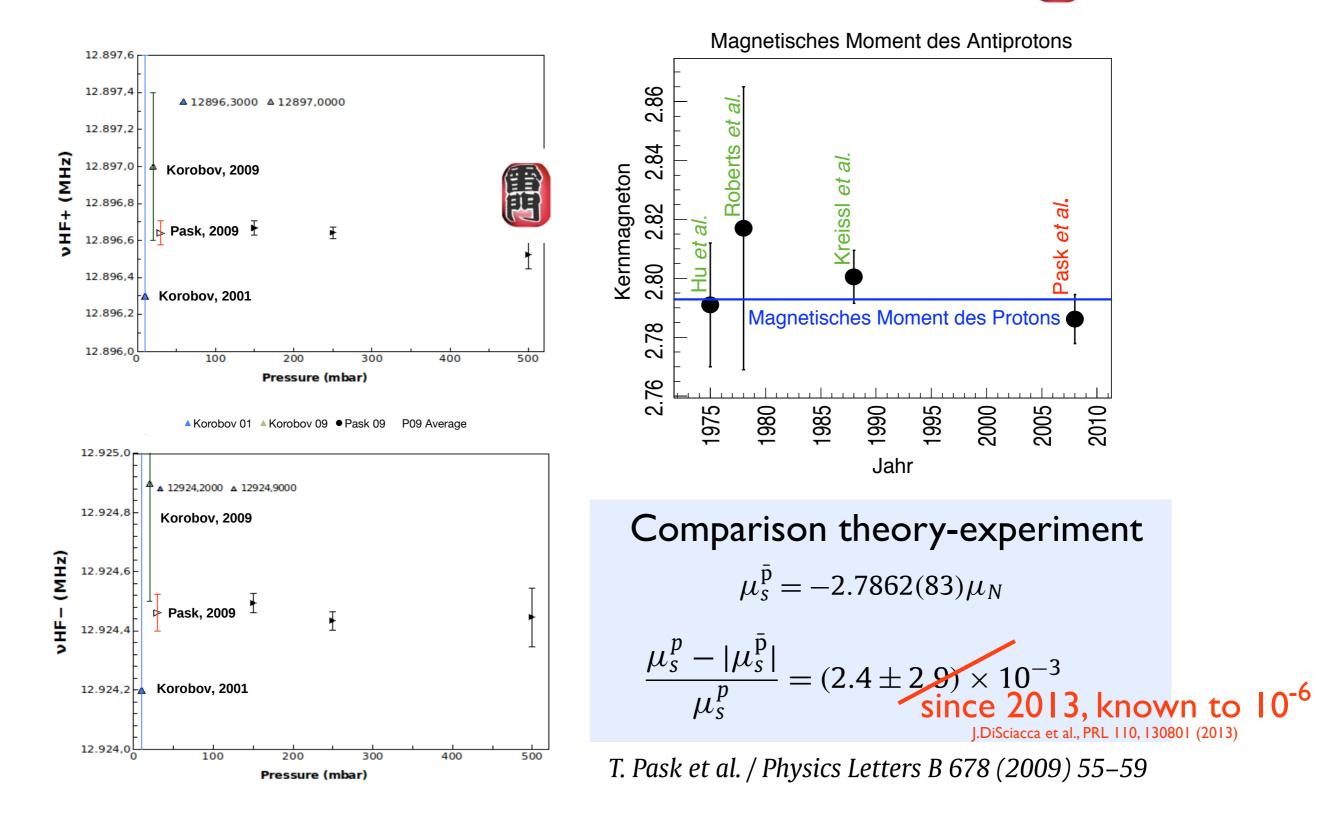
- $v_{SHF}^+$ ,  $v_{SHF}^-$  most sensitive, but impossible to measure (power requirement)
- $\Delta v_{HF} = (v_{HF}^{-} (v_{HF}^{+}) = v_{SHF}^{+} v_{SHF}^{-}$ : sensitive to  $\mu_{P}^{-}$
- sensitivity factors from theory (D. Bakalov and E.W., PRA 76 (2007) 012512)
  - $S(F,J) = \partial E_{nFLJ} / \partial \mu_{\overline{p}} | \mu_{\overline{p}} = -\mu_{p}$
  - $S(v_{++}) = S(F^{-}J^{--}) S(F^{+}J^{+-})$

# Magnetic moment of the antiproto



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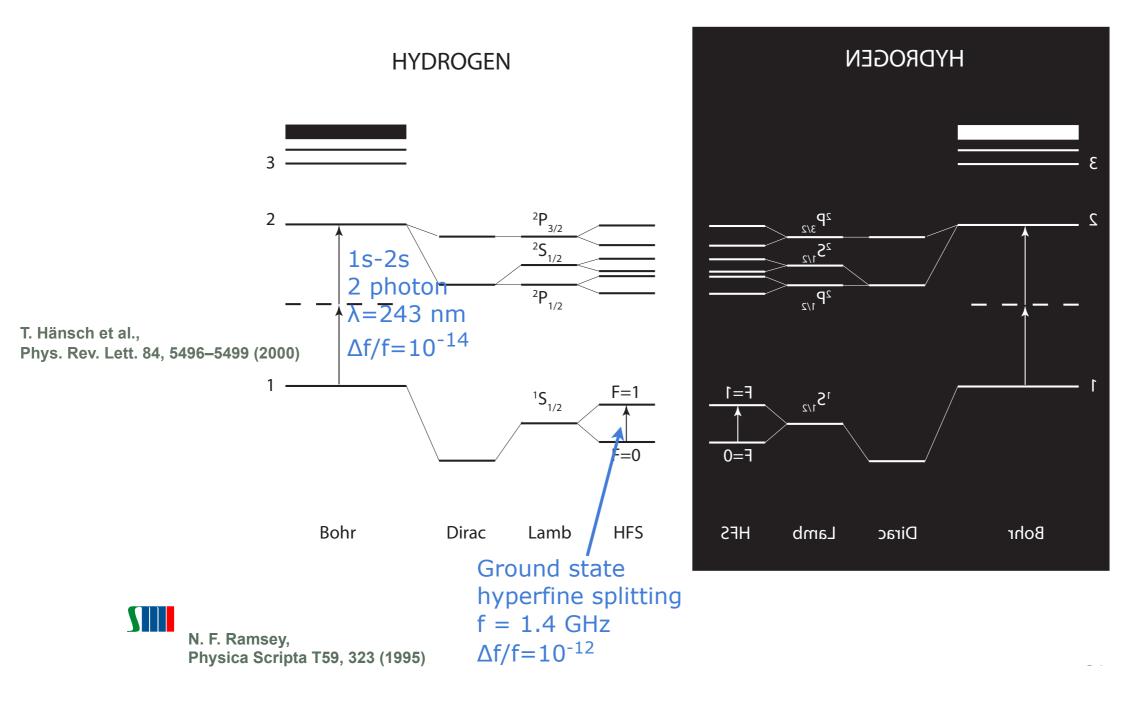
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#### Motivation: CPT

# Goal of comparative spectroscopy: test CPT symmetry

## Hydrogen and Antihydrogen



# The reality

# Making Antihydrogen

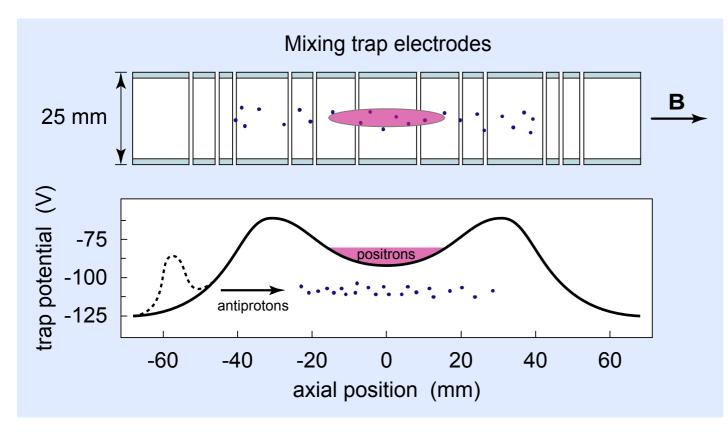
Plan A: Trapping Antihydrogen Cooling Antihydrogen Boundary conditions (magnetic field, limited solid angle, \*low\* numbers of particles)

# Plan B: Atomic beam

## Antihydrogen production (one of two methods)

Formation

Nested-well technique: Penning trap for  $\overline{p}$ ,  $e^+$ : B=IT (plasma stability)



ATHENA  $e^+$   $N \approx 5 \times 10^7$   $n \approx 2 \times 10^8$  cm<sup>-3</sup>  $\bar{p}$   $N \approx 10^4$ 

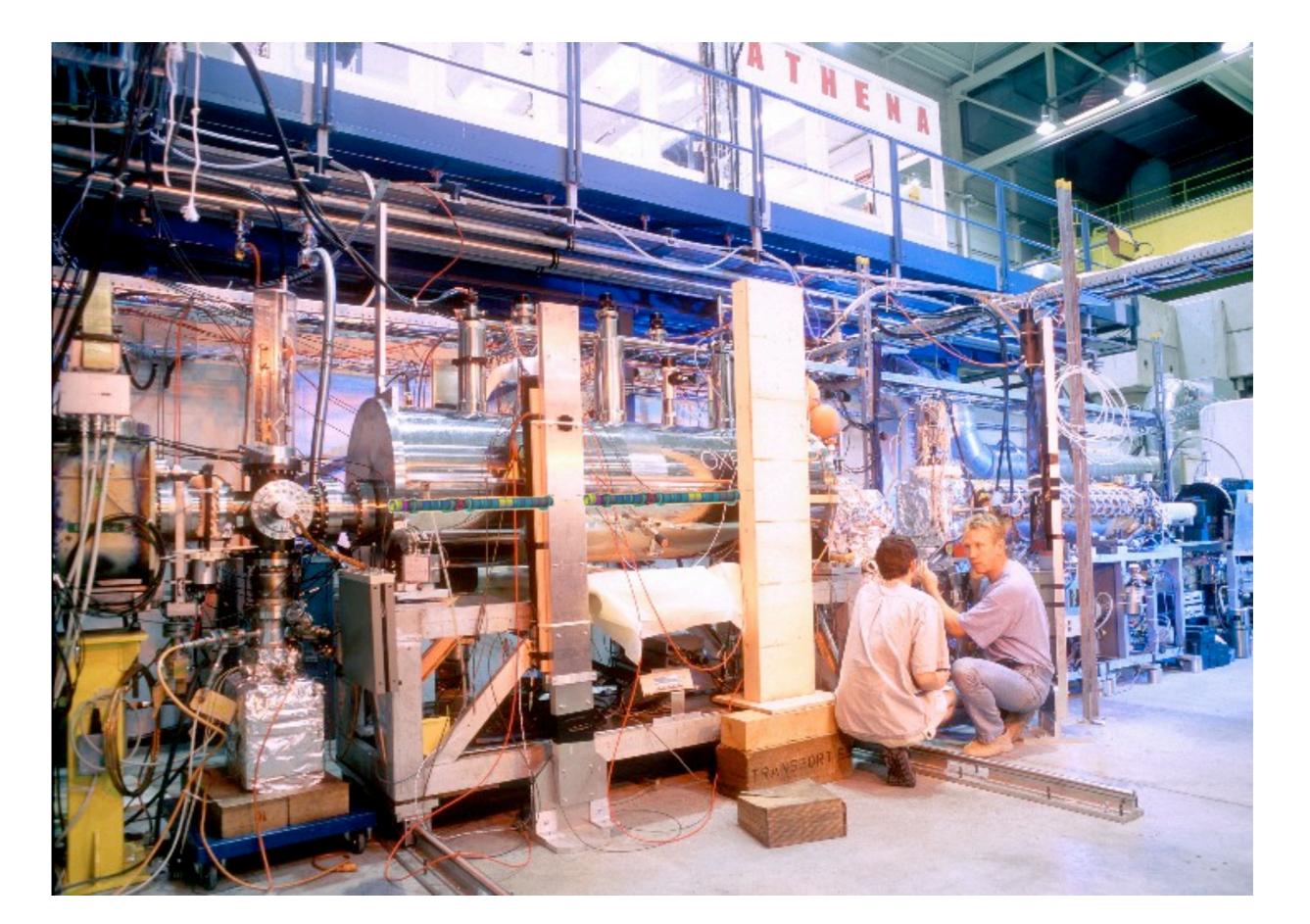
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e+	$N \approx 2 \times 10^6$
p	<i>N</i> ≈ 10 <sup>5</sup>

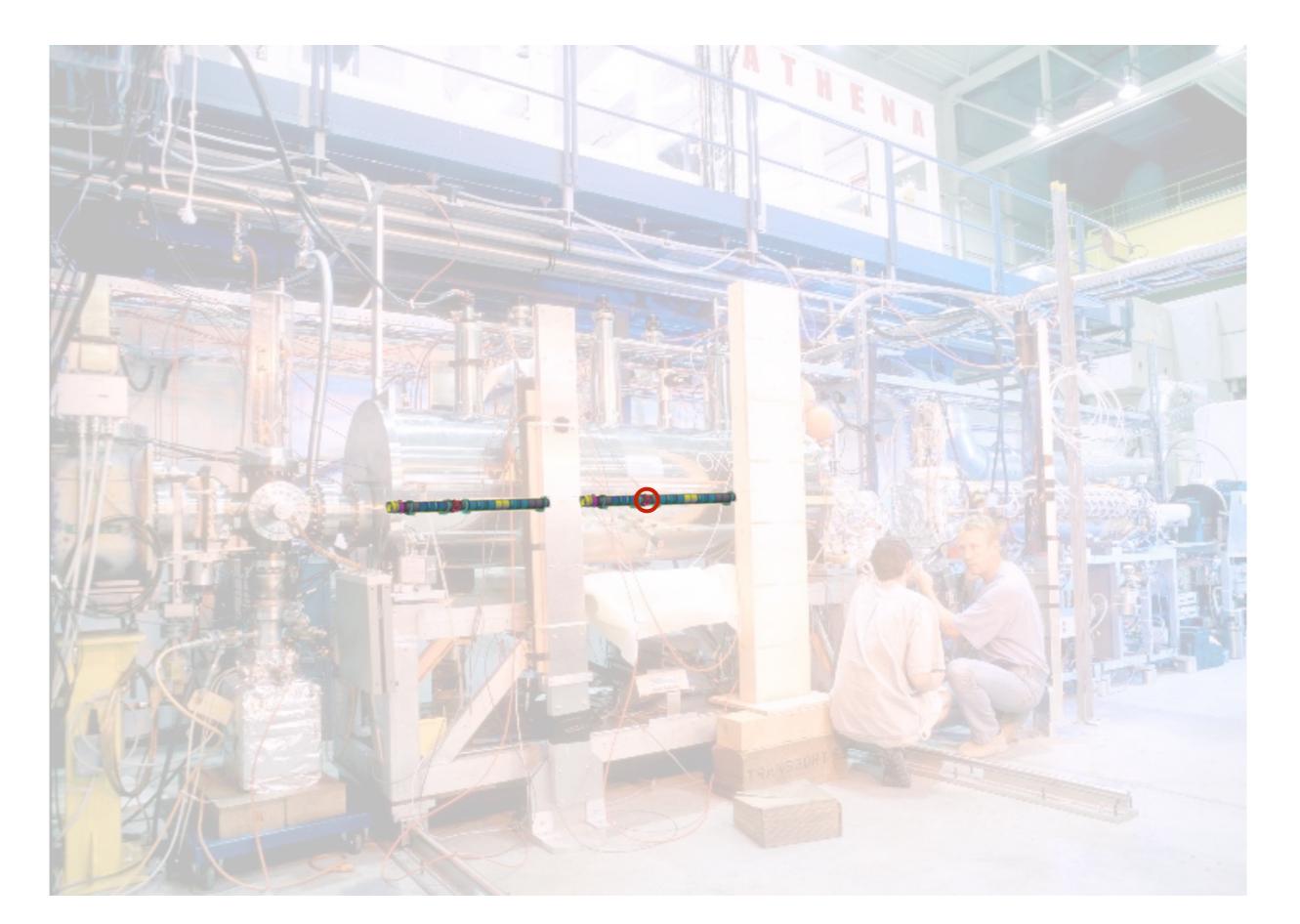
[G. Gabrielse *et al.*, Phys. Lett. A **129** (1988) 38]

- Positrons cool by emission of synchrotron radiation
- Antiprotons launched into pre-cooled positrons
- H
   production sets in spontaneously at high rates
- Disadvantage:

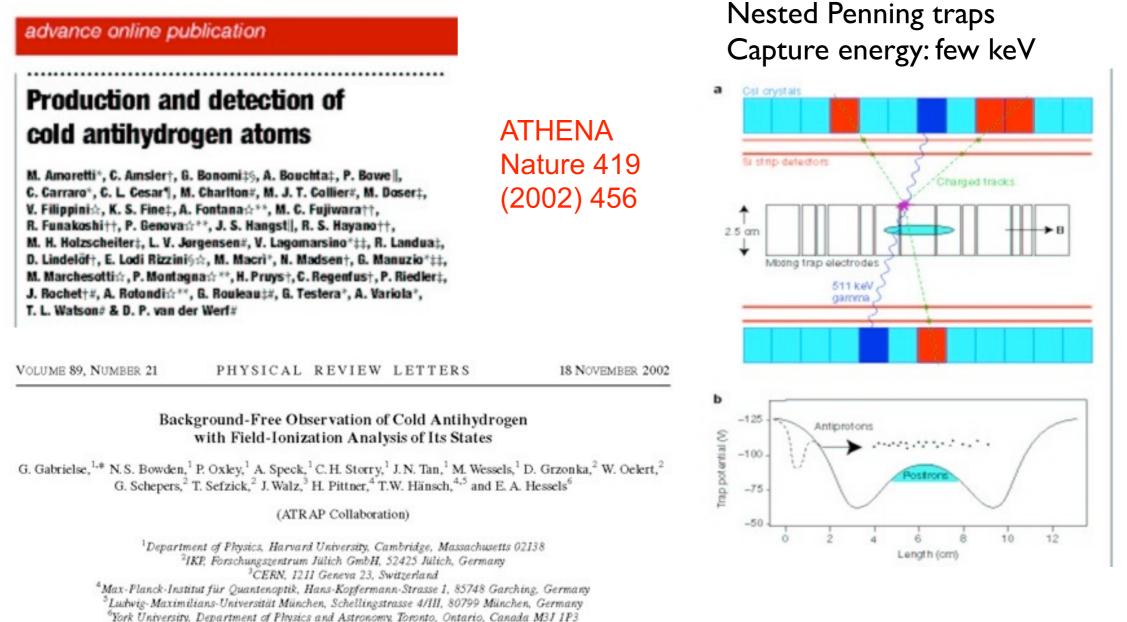
#### plasma temperature, re-ionization, high-n states

- [G. Gabrielse et al., Phys. Rev. Lett. 93 (2004) 073401;
- N. Madsen et al. (ATHENA), Phys. Rev. Lett. 94 (2005) 033403]





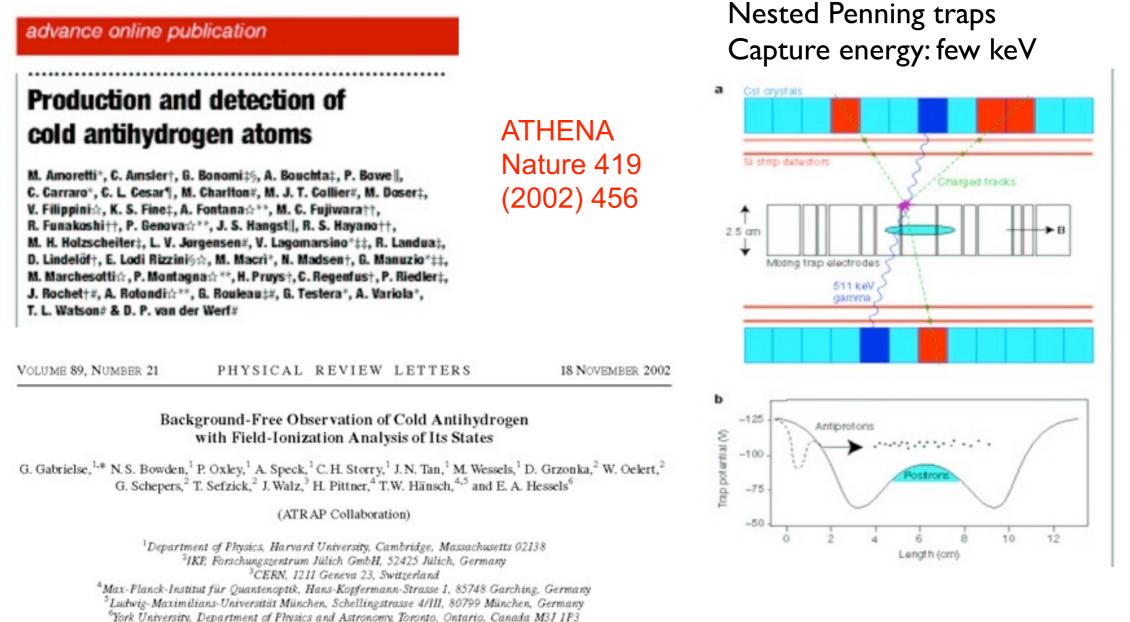
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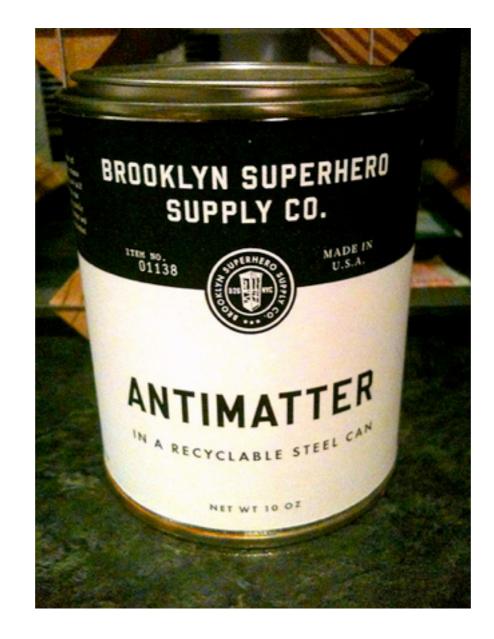


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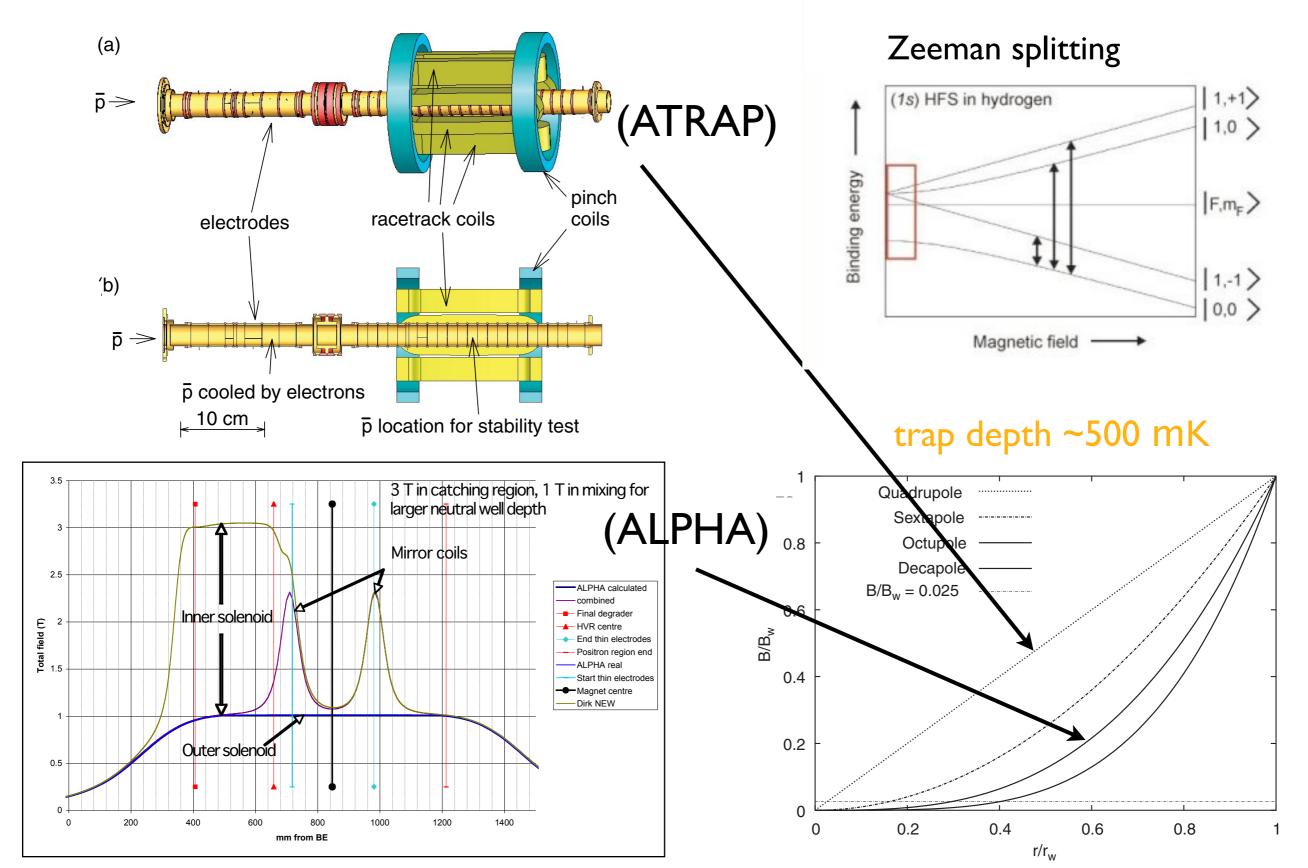
Trapping

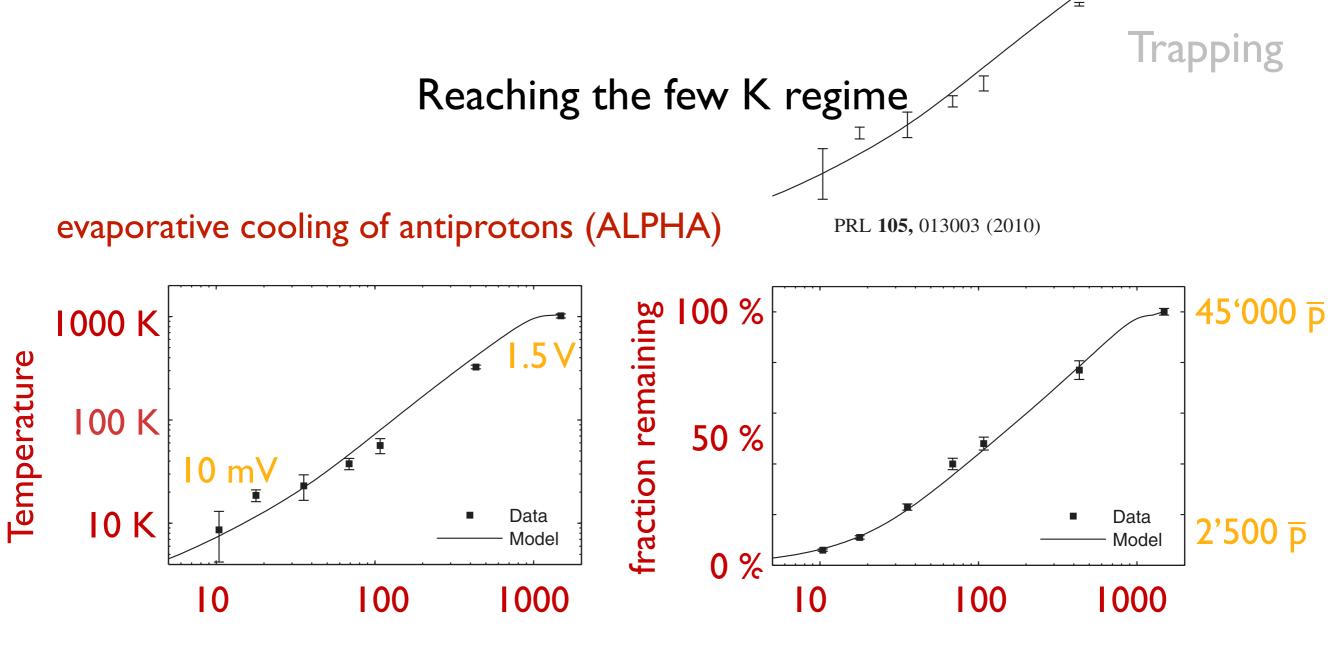


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Antihydrogen Production within a Penning-Ioffe Trap G.Gabrielse et al., Phys. Rev. Lett. 100, 113001 (2008)





on-axis well depth [mV]

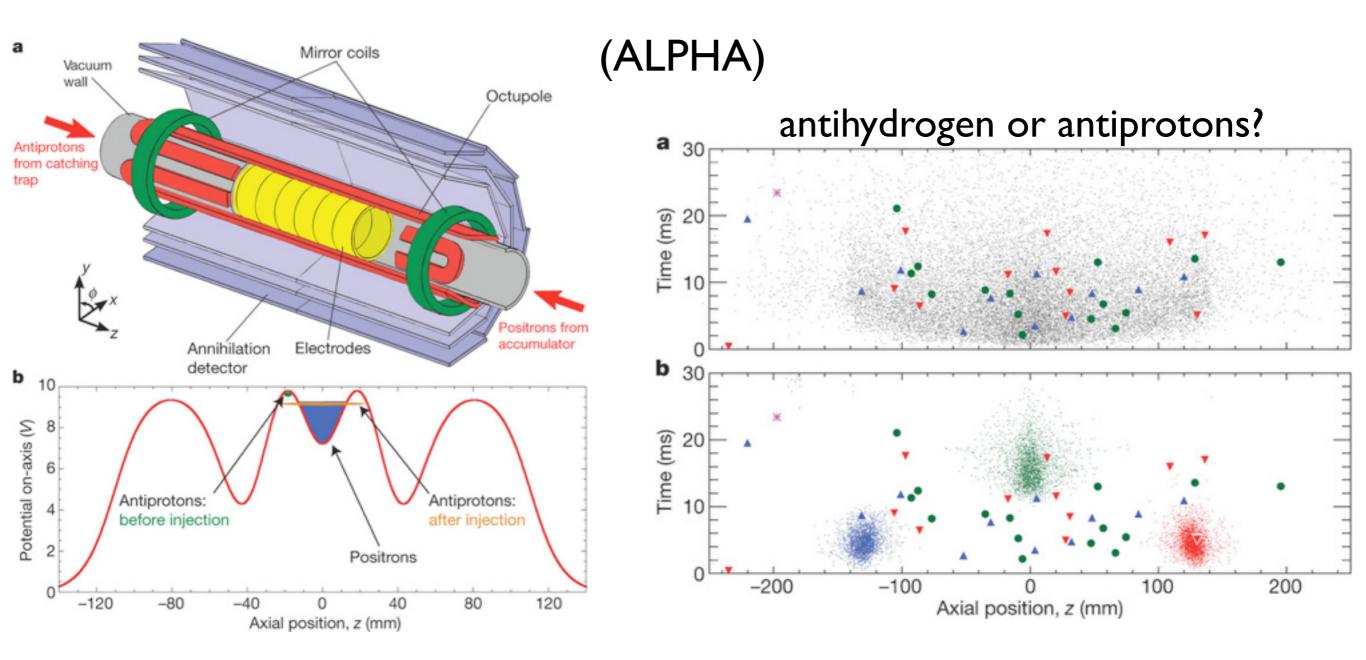
on-axis well depth [mV]

essential to avoid reheating:

- great care needed on noise reduction;
- can not use electron cooling to pre-cool
- bring  $e^*$  to cold  $\overline{p}$ , not vice-versa, or use autoresonant excitation of  $\overline{p}$

# Successful trapping!

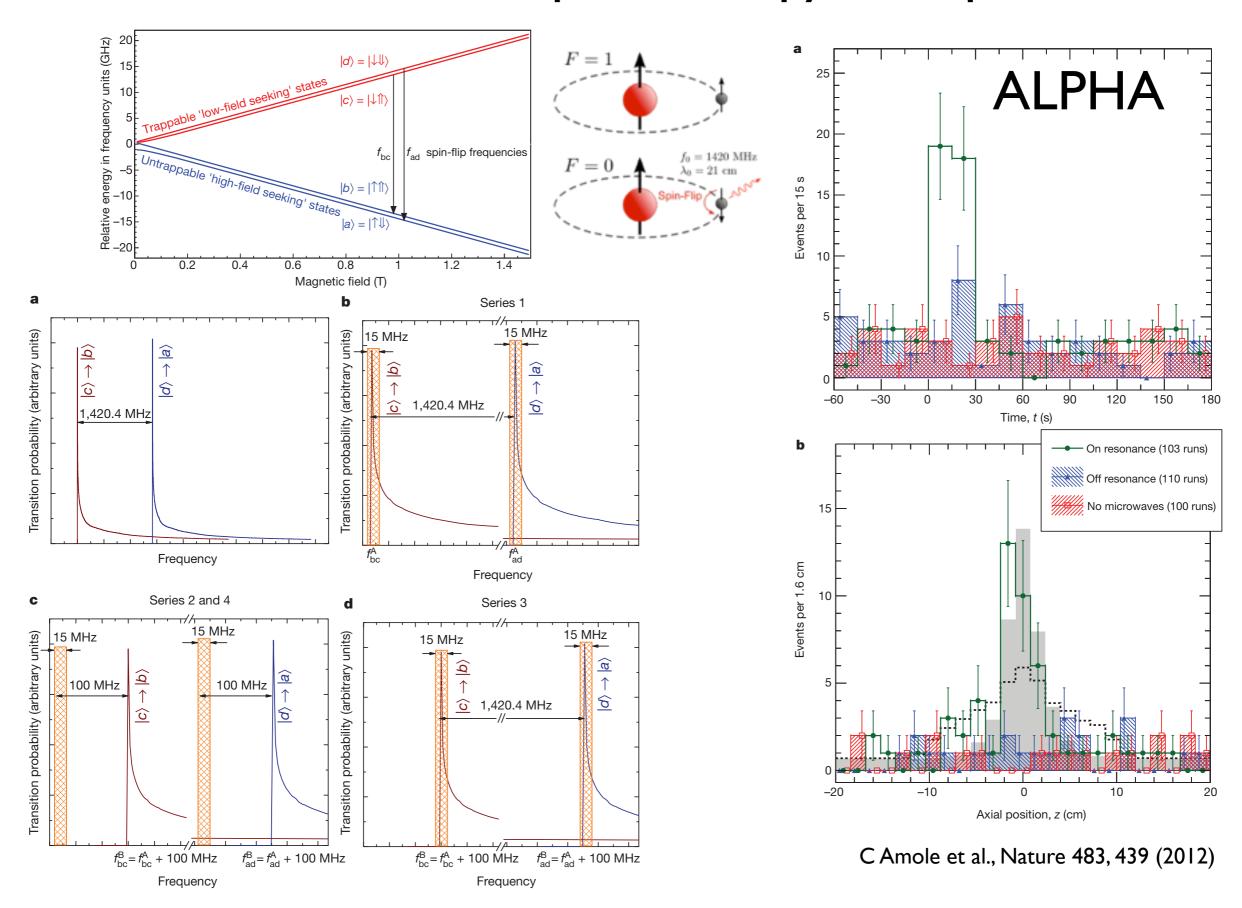
Trapping



quick opening of magnetic trap (20 ms)
+ sensitive detector for antihydrogen

Trapping

## microwave spectroscopy in traps

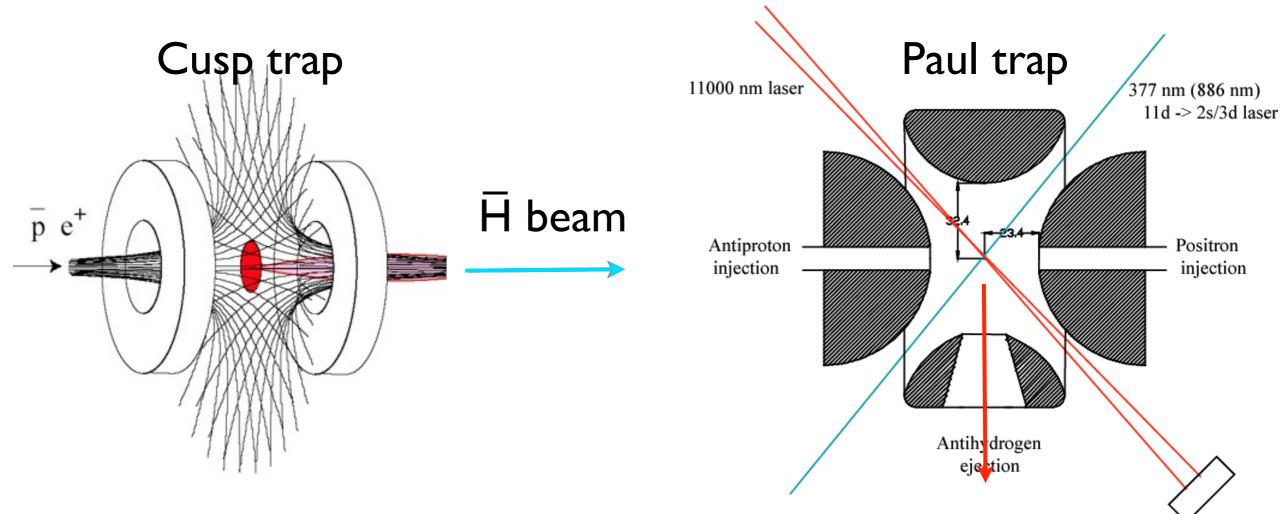


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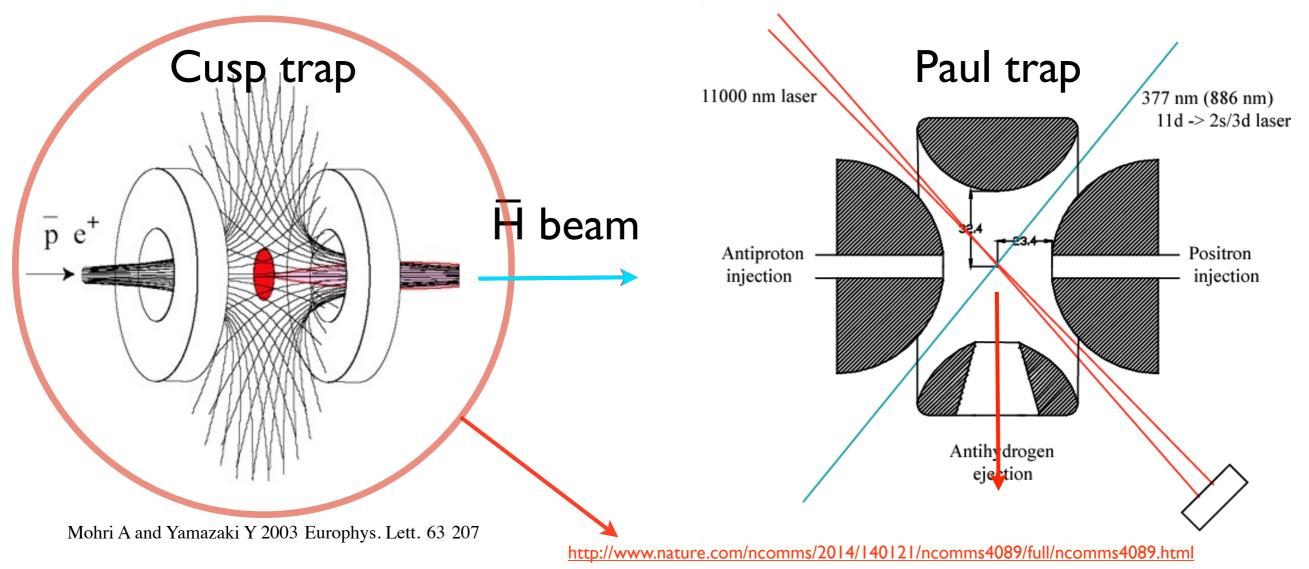


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## the end

(well.... actually, there's one more thing: the **real** trap for Antihydrogen is a MOT...)

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