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Status and Prospects of PHYSICS BEYOND COLLIDERS at CERN

Study Group mandated by the CERN Management
to prepare the next European HEP strategy update (2019-20)

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Excerpt from the mandate:

"Explore the opportunities offered by the CERN accelerator complex to address some of today's outstanding questions in particle physics through experiments complementary to high-energy colliders and other initiatives in the world."

Time scale: next 2 decades

KICK-OFF WORKSHOP

held at CERN on Sept. 6-7th
https://indico.cern.ch/event/523655/

> 300 registered participants, 3/4 from outside CERN

AGENDA :

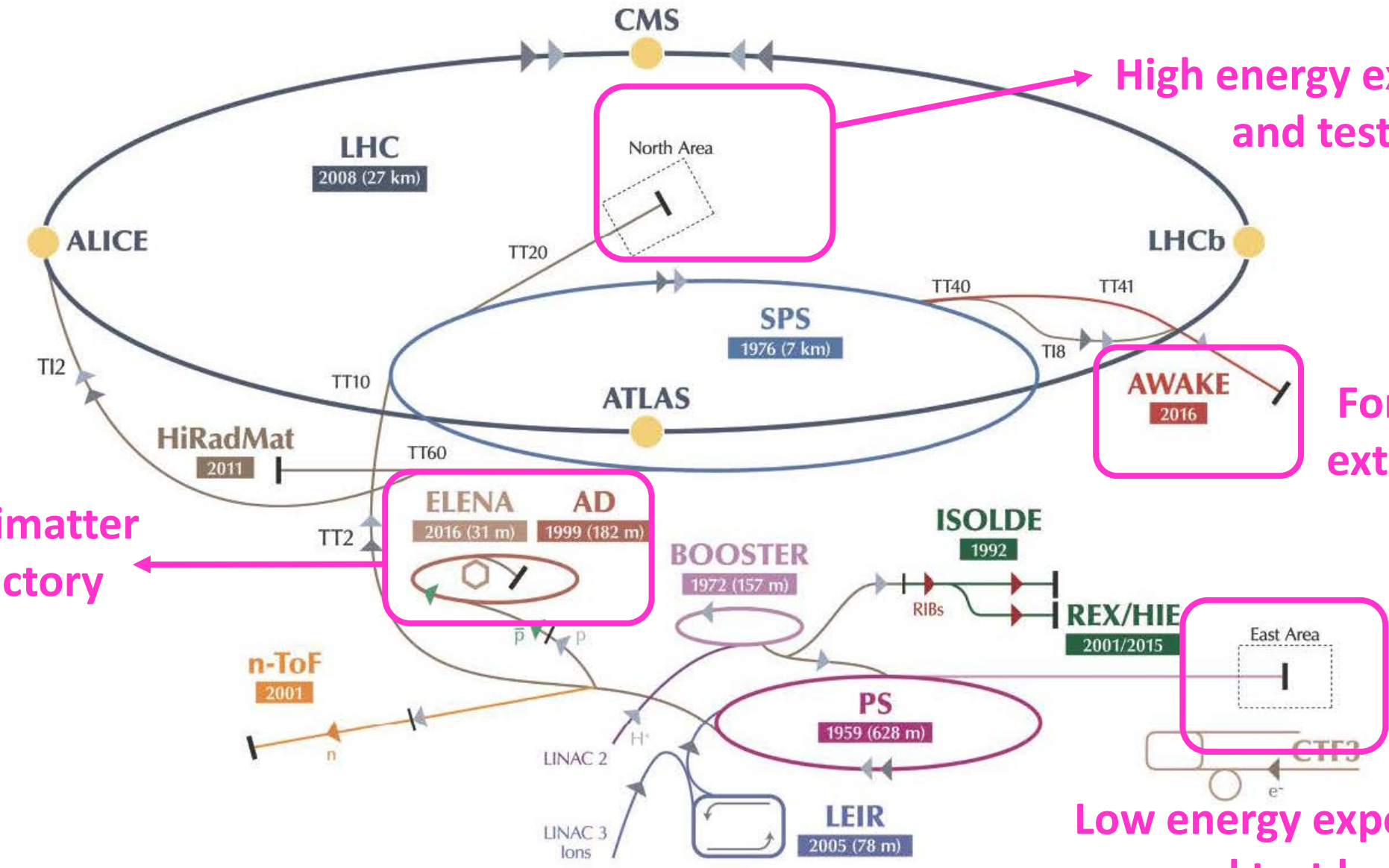
1. **Theorists wishes**
2. **Accelerator complex opportunities**
3. **Potential future of existing programs**

Talks on invitation

4. **New ideas: Call for abstracts → 33 abstracts submitted, 20 selected for presentations**

NB: credit to all speakers and collaborations for the plots shown in this presentation

THE PRESENT CERN ACCELERATOR COMPLEX



High energy experiments and test beams

Former CNGS extraction line

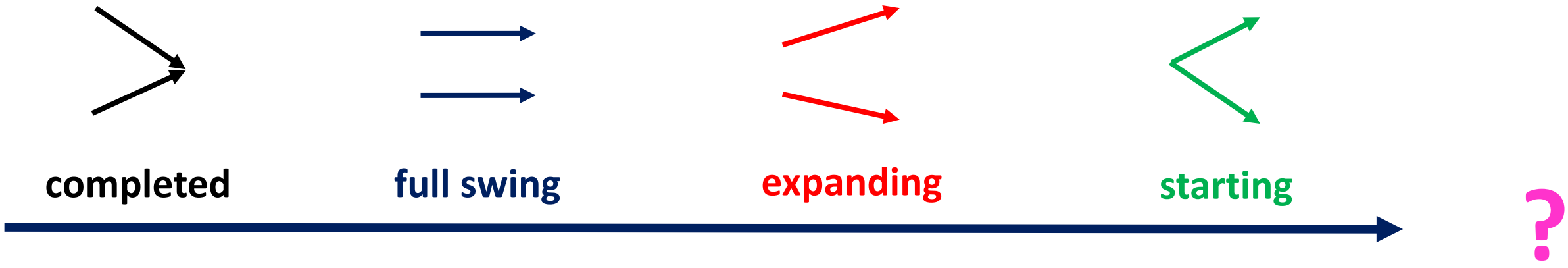
Antimatter Factory

Low energy experiments and test beams

PHYSICS BEYOND COLLIDERS…

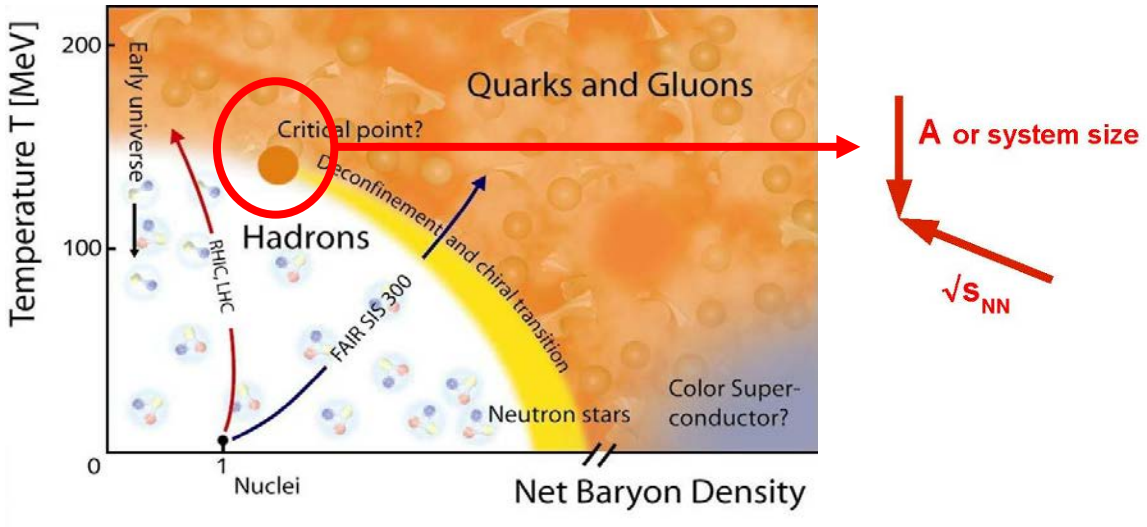
… builds on a past decade of lively "diversity" physics !

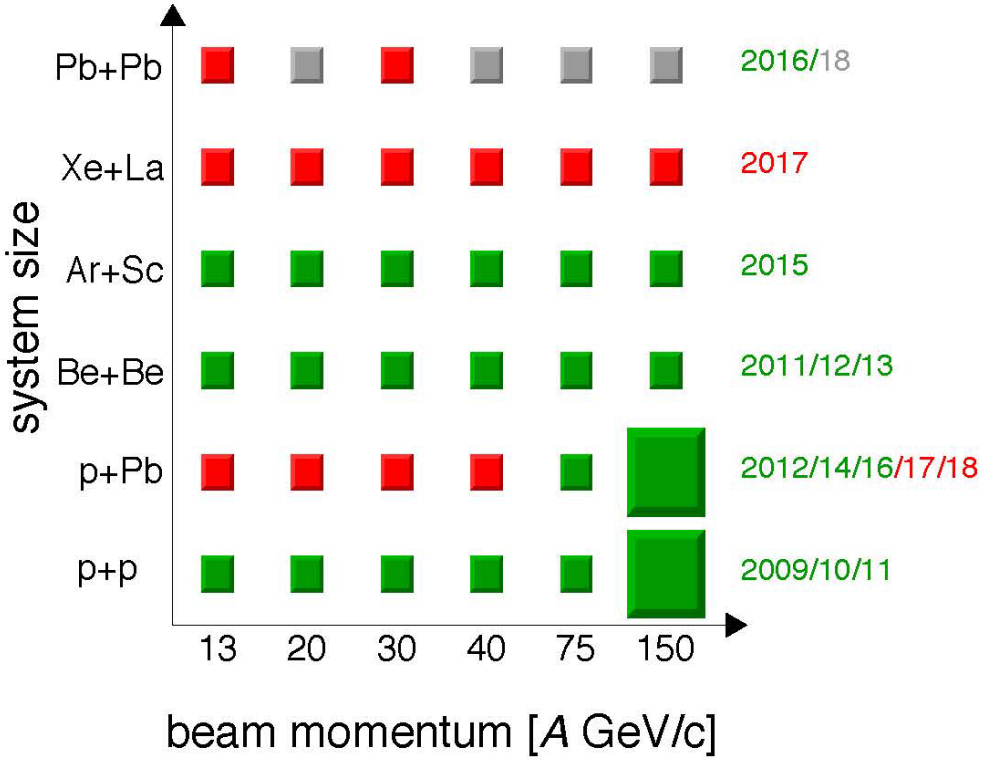
(currently ~1000 physicists on ~20 experiments)



completed	full swing	expanding	starting
CNGS (ν) DIRAC (QCD)	COMPASS (QCD) NA61 (QCD)	ANTIMATTER FACTORY (CPT)	NA62 & NA64 (DM) ν Platform (det. R&D) AWAKE (acc. R&D)

Recent stop of major programs (e.g. CNGS) leaves room to new significant initiatives



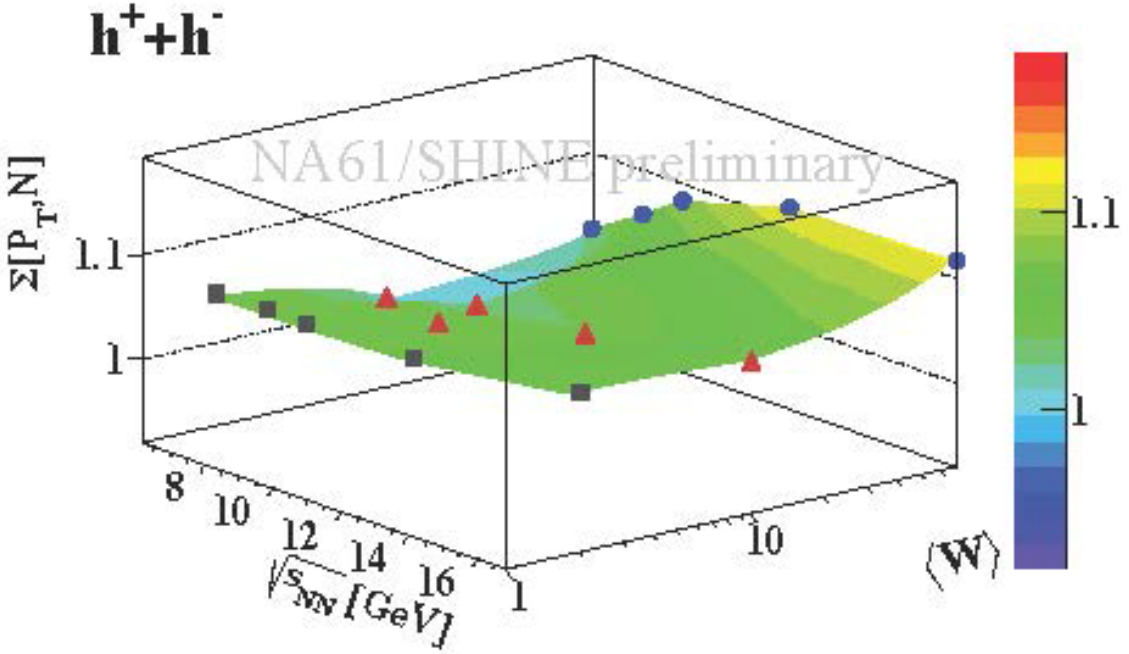


NA61/SHINE

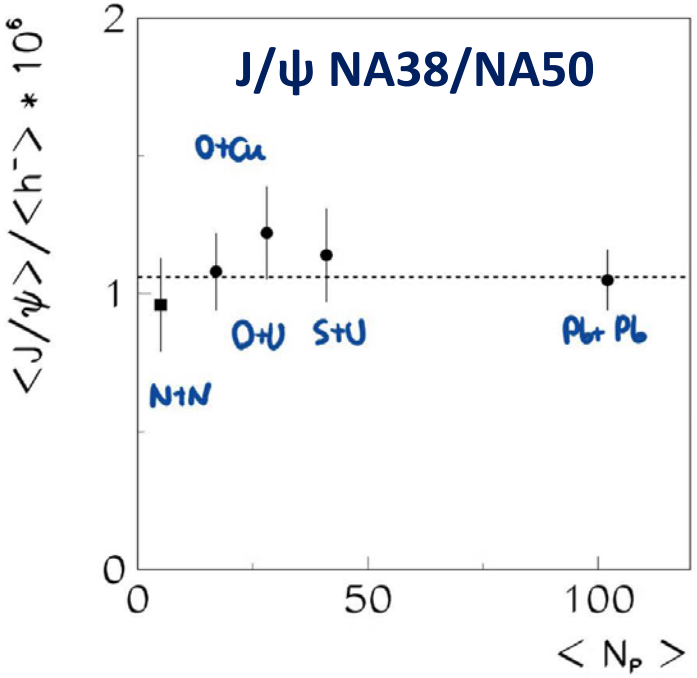
Search for QCD Critical Point by scan in the (T, μ_B) plane

Scan to be completed until LS2

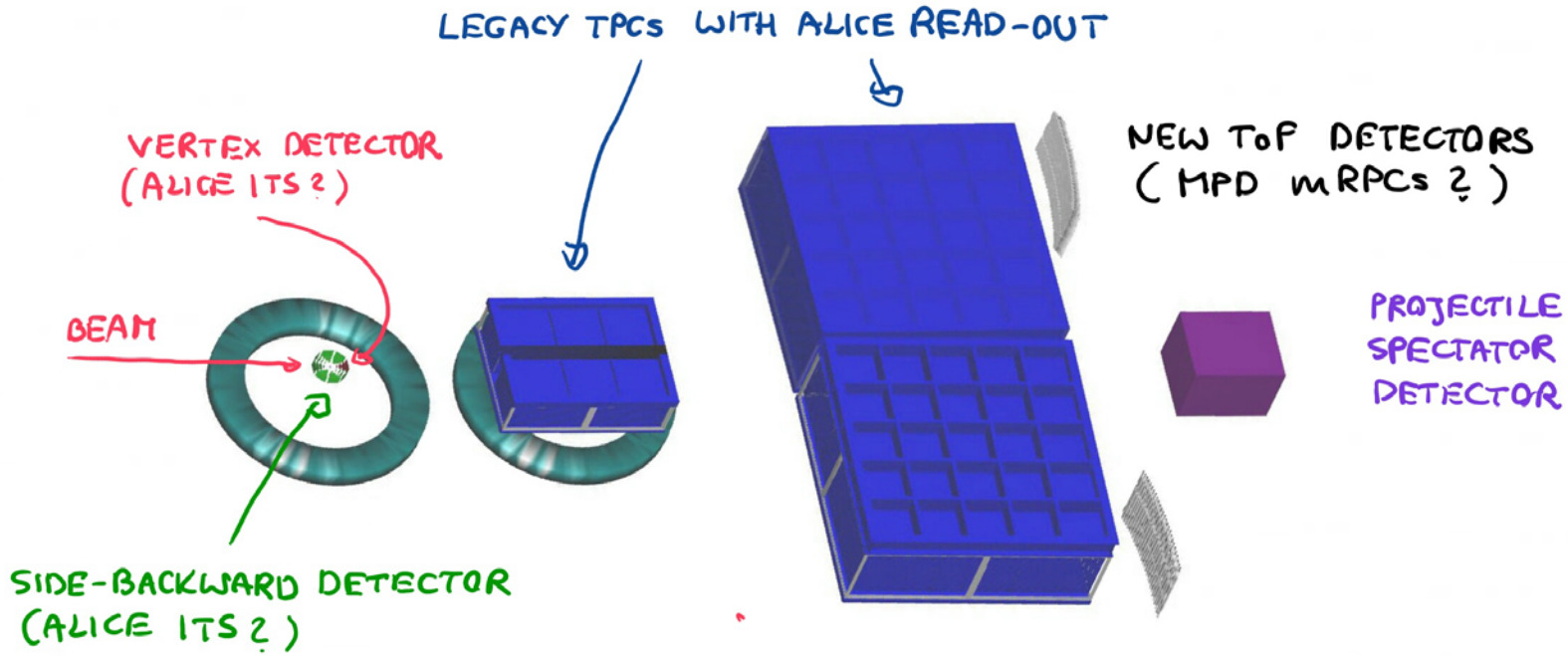
No indication of CP yet



AFTER LS2:
wish to further study QCD deconfinement with open charm



S..INE 2020 : REQUIRED FACILITY UPGRADES

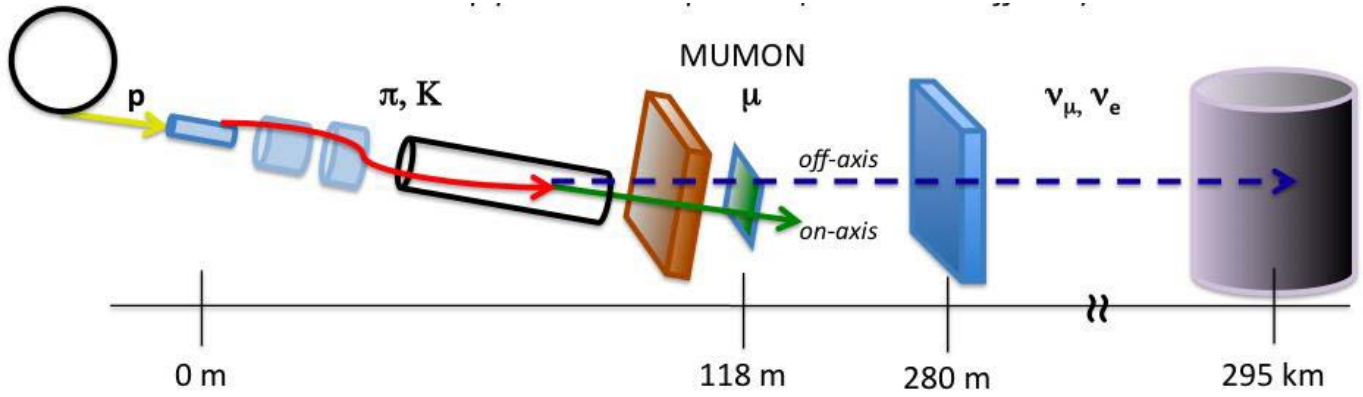


Would allow to disentangle statistical/dynamical models in complement of J/ψ data from NA38/NA50

NB new idea : NA60+

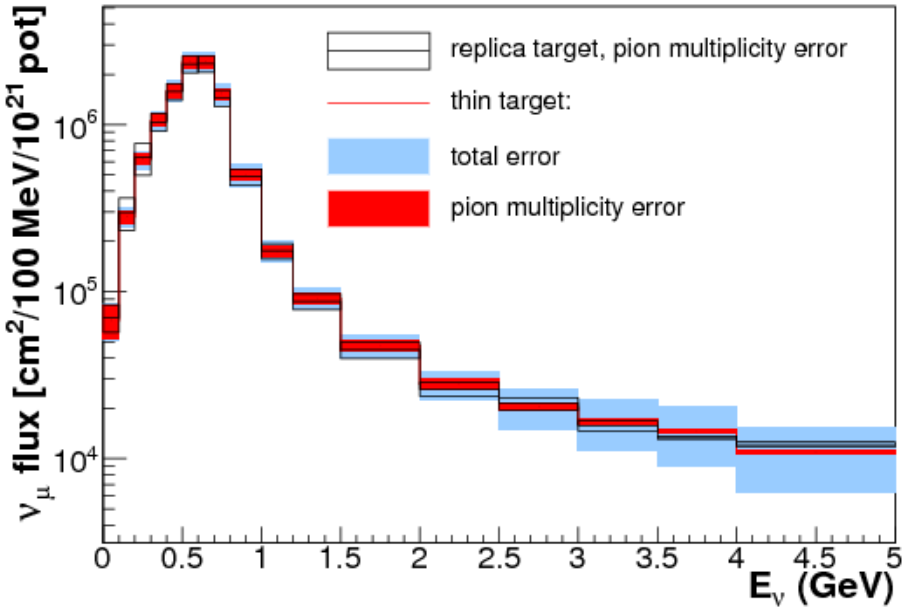
revival of dimuon studies in Heavy Ions

Could a single expt. measure both open and bound charm ?

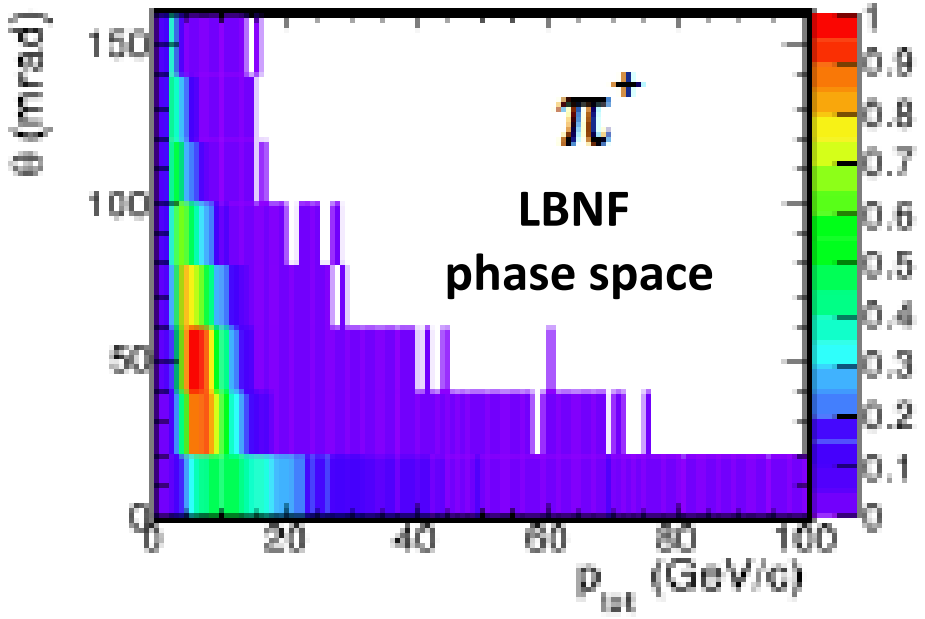


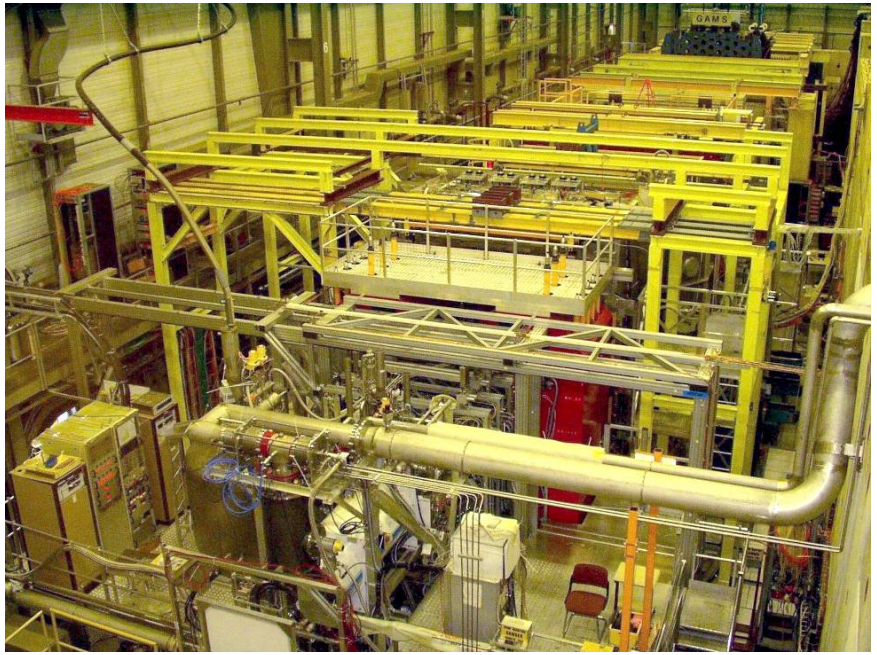
NA61 large acceptance TPC also unique to constrain ν beam fluxes

Heavily used by T2K with p-C and p-replica target data

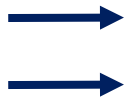


Similar program starting with the US for LBNF

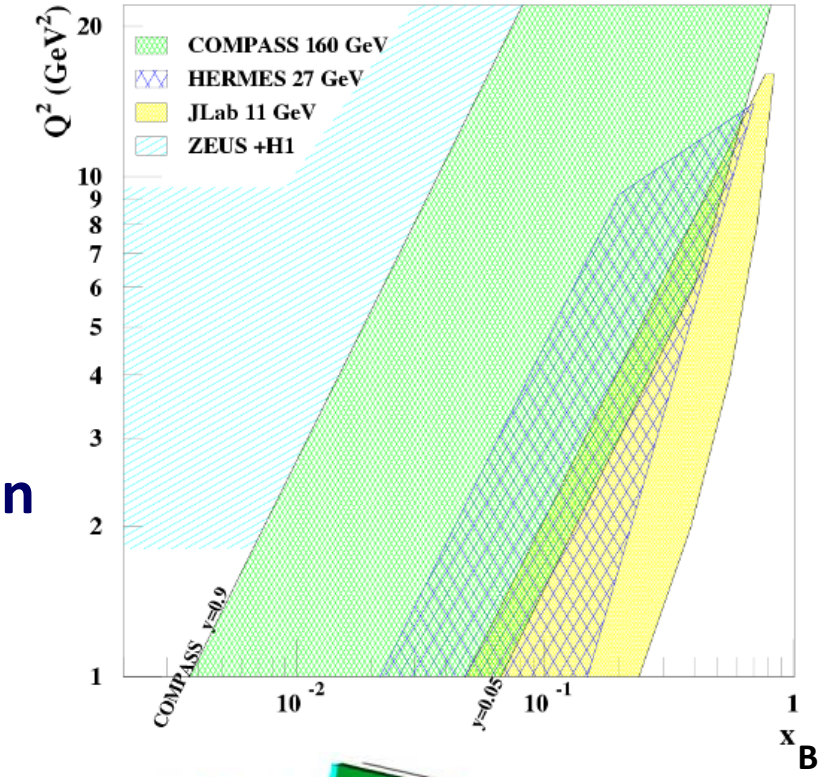


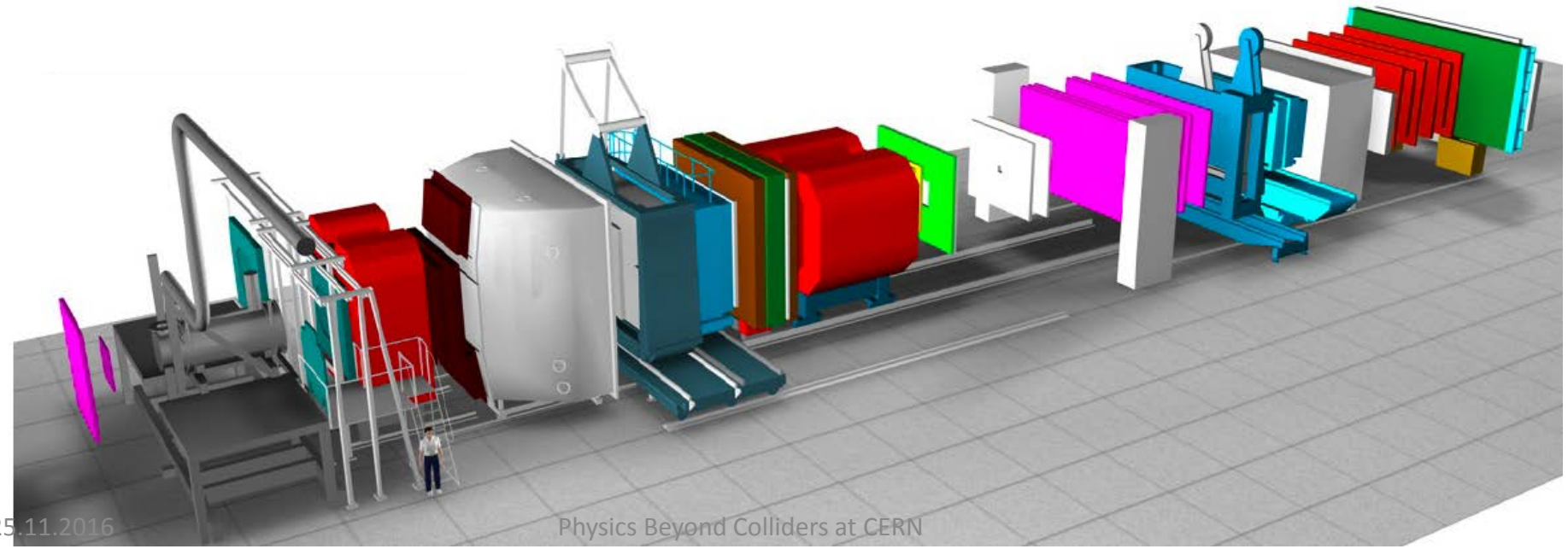


COMPASS



a large acceptance spectrometer in the intermediate x-domain between H1/ZEUS and HERMES/JLAB





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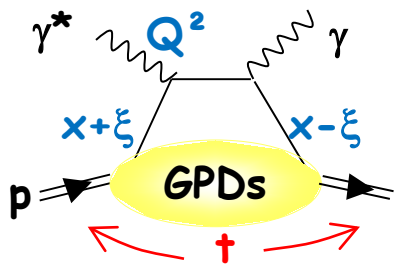
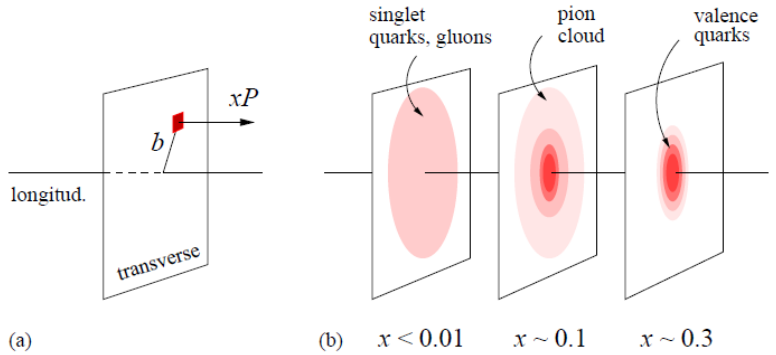
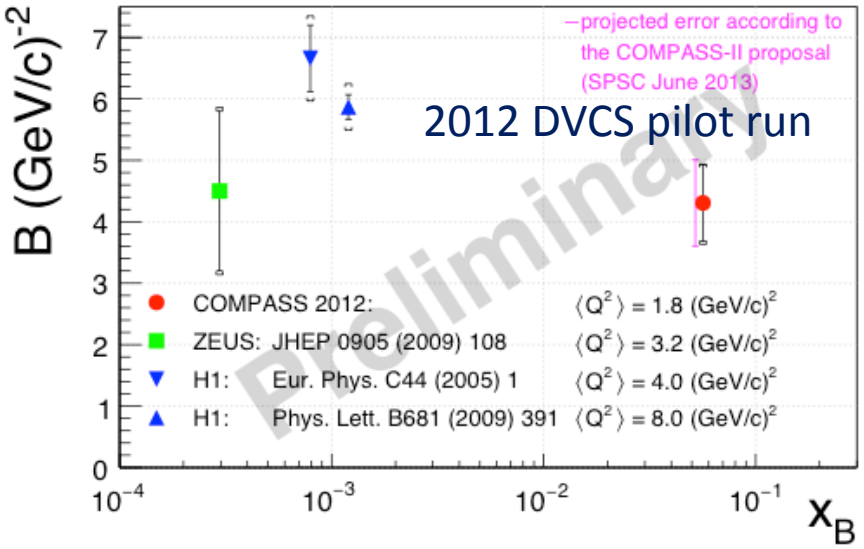
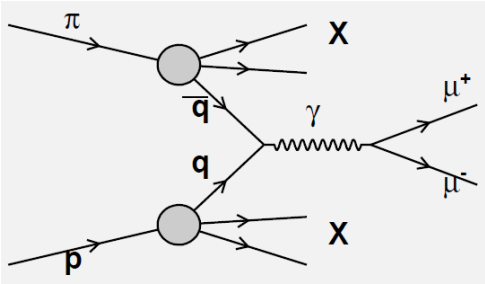
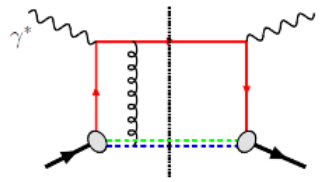


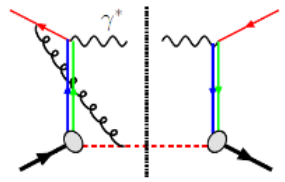


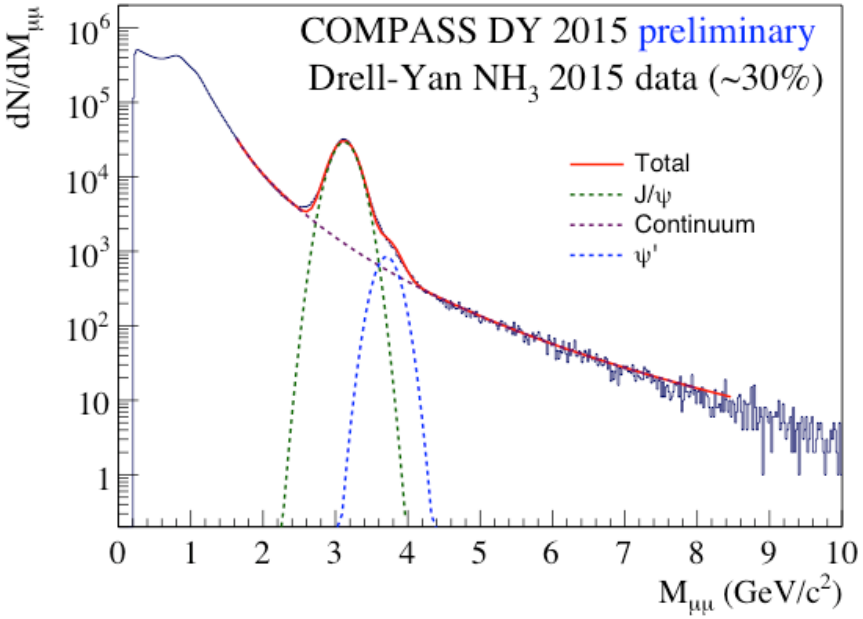


2016-17: DVCS : proton tomography with access to orbital momentum of quarks





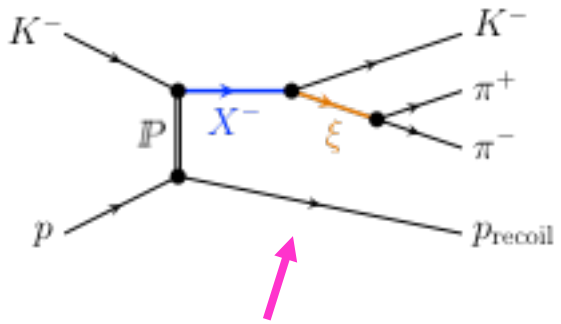




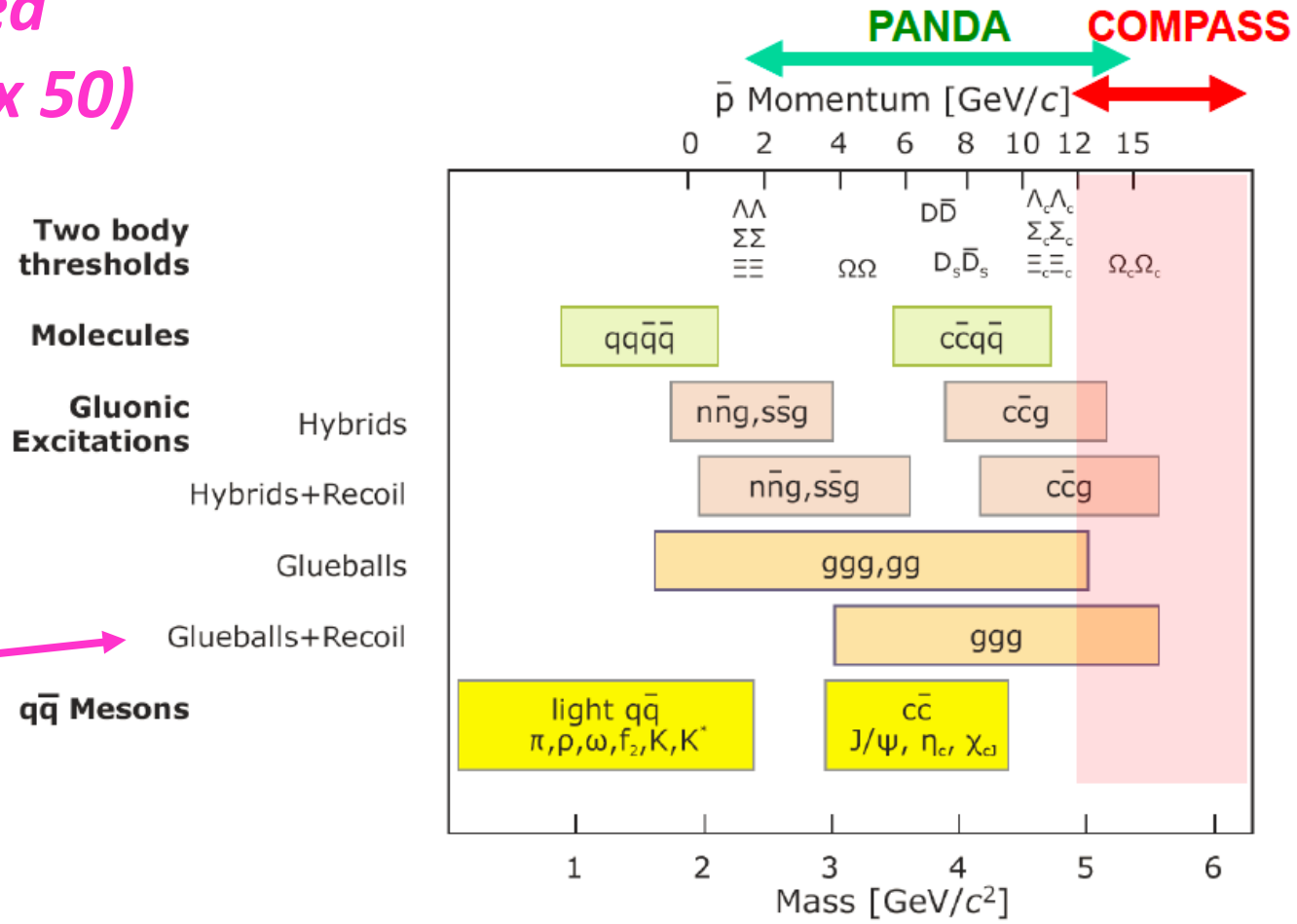
2014+15+18: DY : *Transverse Momentum Dependent (TMD) QCD effects in the valence regime*

Measurement complementary to SiDIS : opposite asymmetries expected

AFTER LS2: wish RF separated antiproton and kaon beams (I x 50)



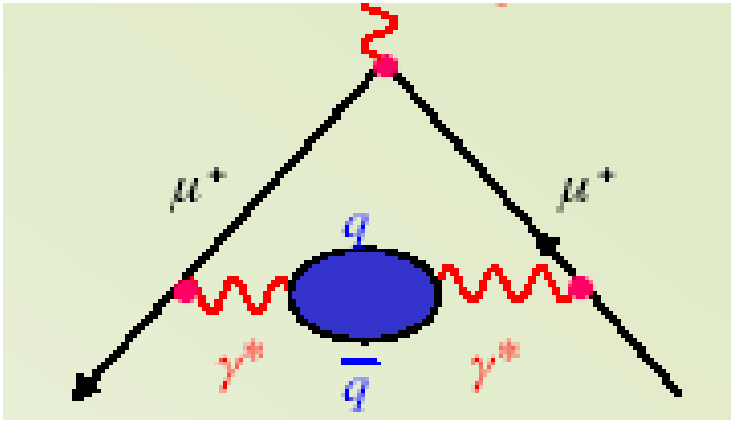
- High statistics strange meson spectroscopy
- Exotic states spectroscopy complementary to LHCb
- Kaon and antiproton structure



DY statistics

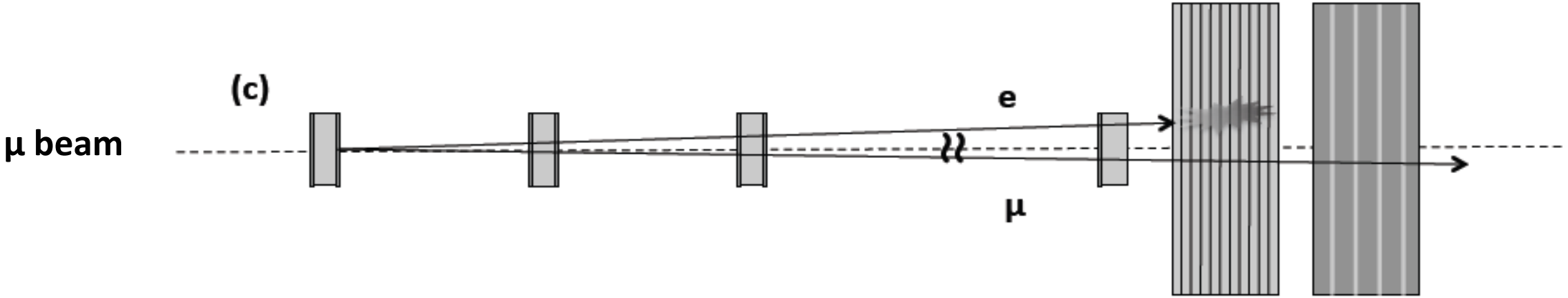
	NH_3	Al (7cm)	W	NA3	NA10	E537	E615
K^- beam	14,000	2,800	29,600	700			
$\bar{p}$ beam	15,750	2,750	22,500			387	

New idea: direct measurement of the dominant contribution to the theoretical error on $(g-2)_\mu$ from μ-e elastic scattering



Vacuum polarisation

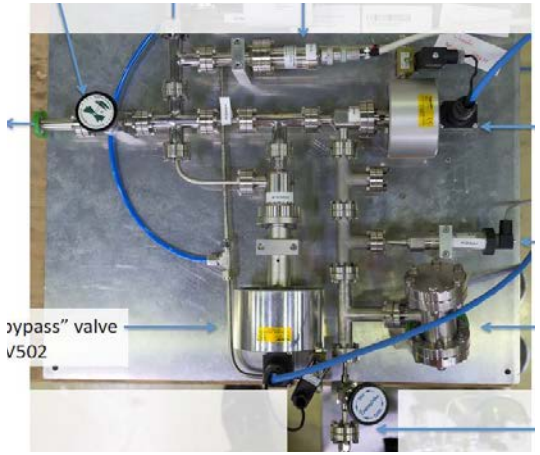
High statistics space-like measurement could reduce by factor 2 the current error derived from time-like processes



Might be feasible with reasonable resources within the (modified) COMPASS setup

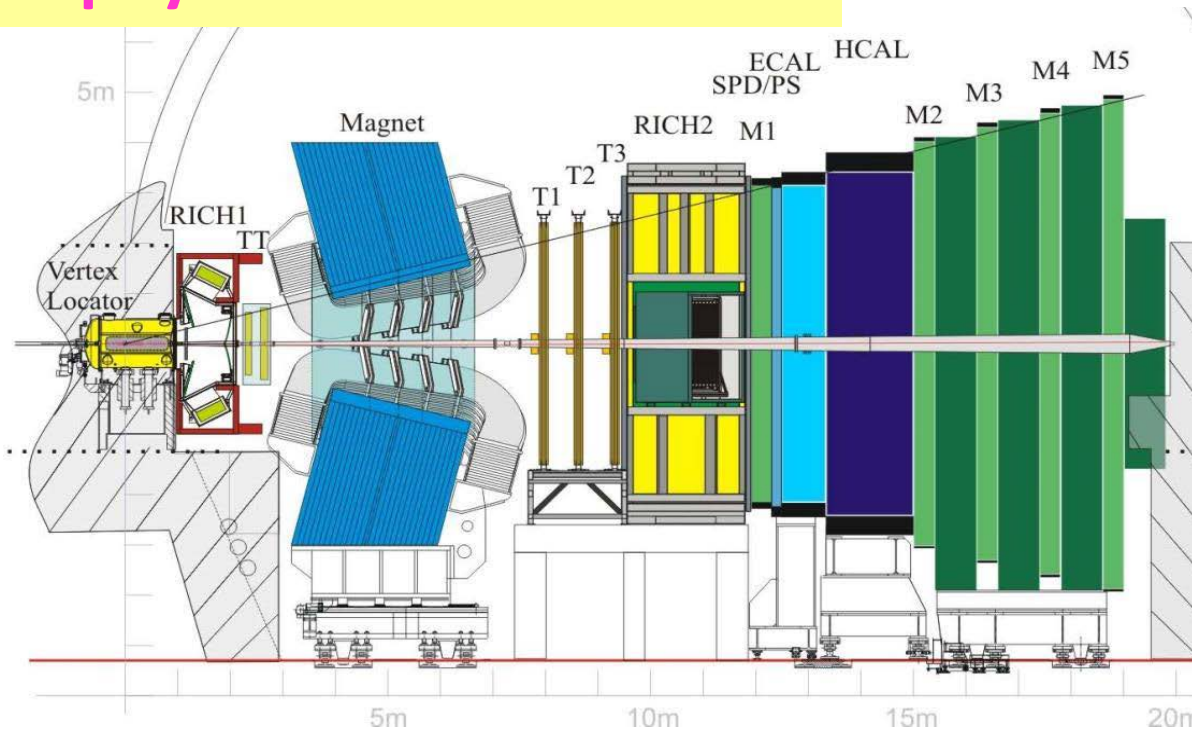
New idea: Fixed Target physics with LHC beams

Internal gas target (AFTER)



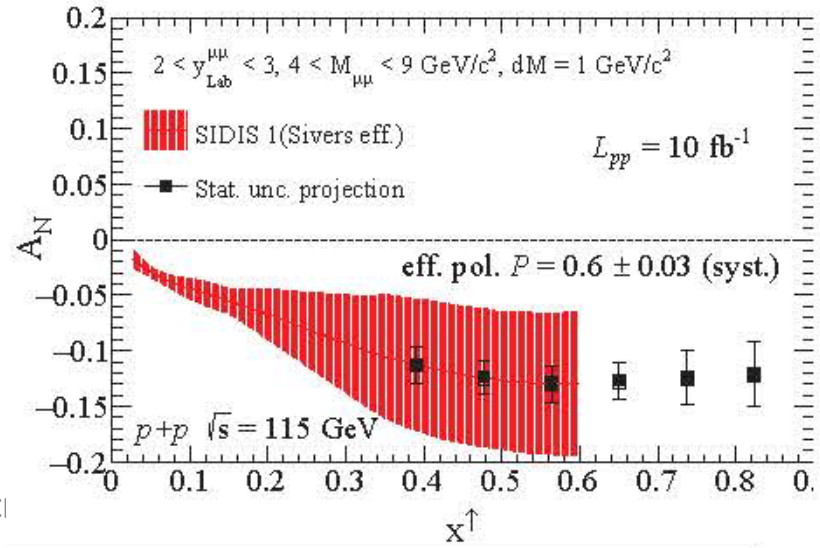
e.g. SMOG

Upstream of LHCb and/or ALICE



p-p: High precision TMD measurements (polarized target) and charm at high x

p-A: Nuclear PDFs



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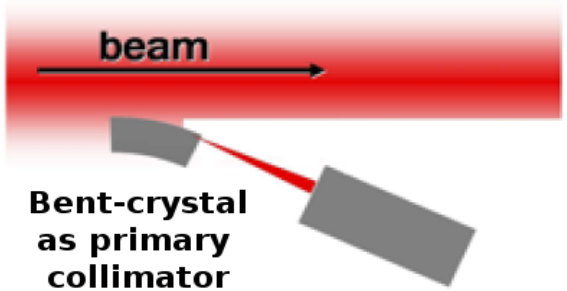
Crystal extraction



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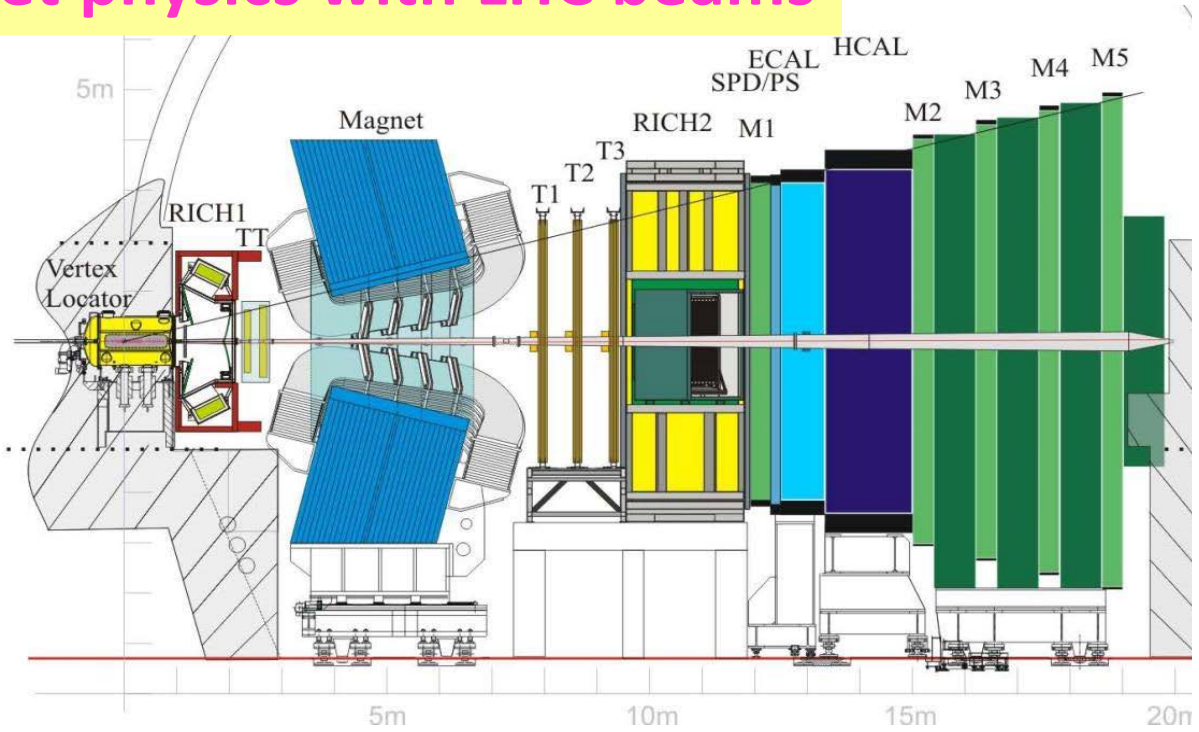
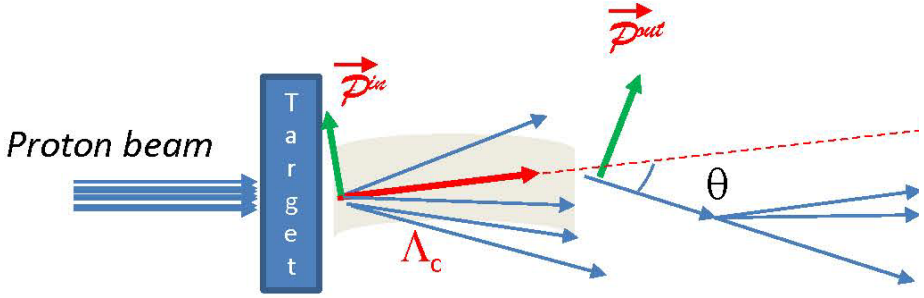
Upstream of LHCb and/or ALICE



$$\frac{dN_i}{N_{0i}\, d\cos\theta_i} = \frac{1}{2}(1+\alpha P_i \cos_i\theta_i)$$

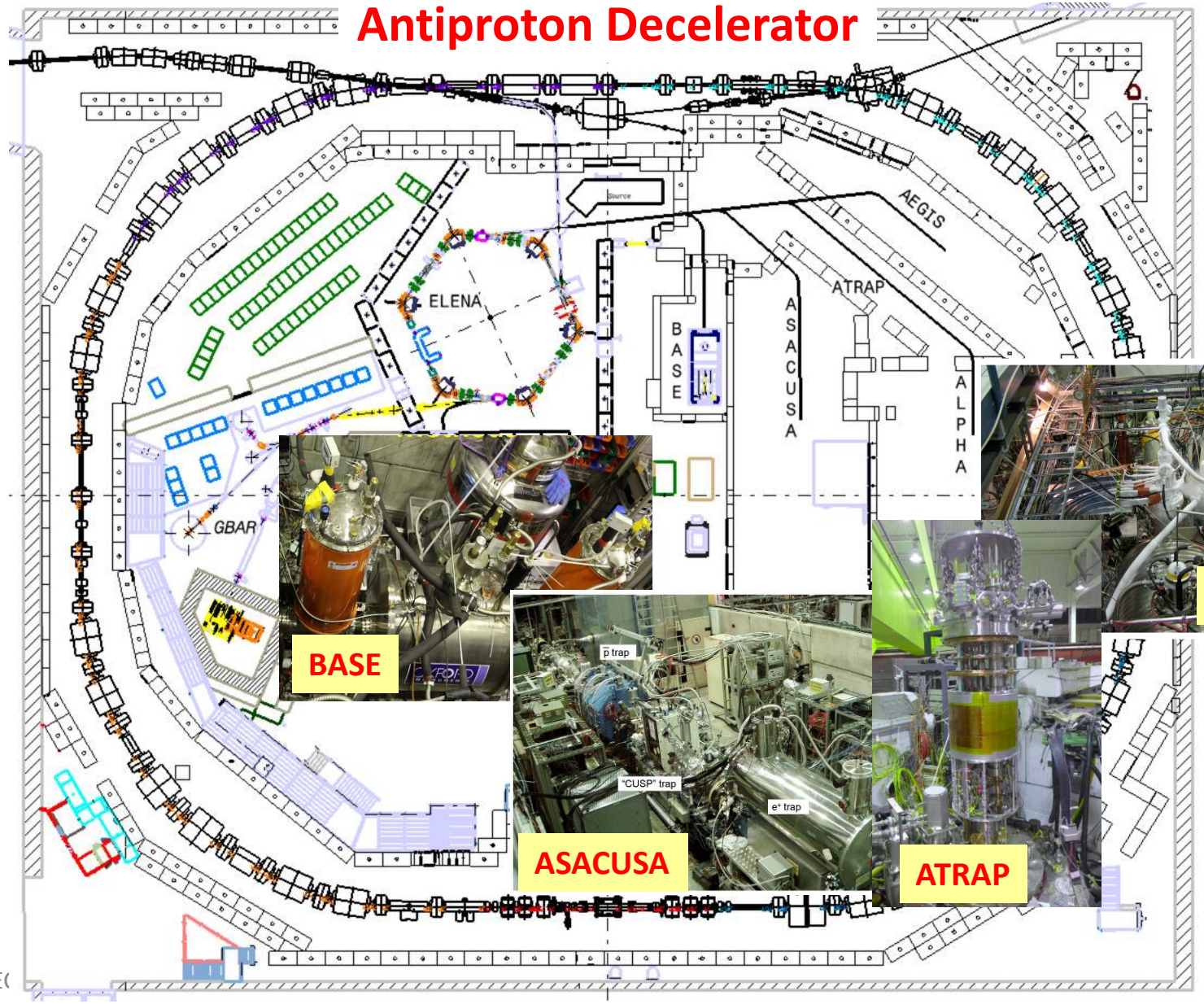


Proposed for measurement of magnetic moments of short lived baryons

Could test anomalous magnetic moments of heavy quarks

ANTIMATTER FACTORY

Antiproton Decelerator



4 running experiments devoted to Antiproton and Antihydrogen properties

2.5 more in preparation to test gravity of Antihydrogen: AEGIS/GBAR/ALPHA-g

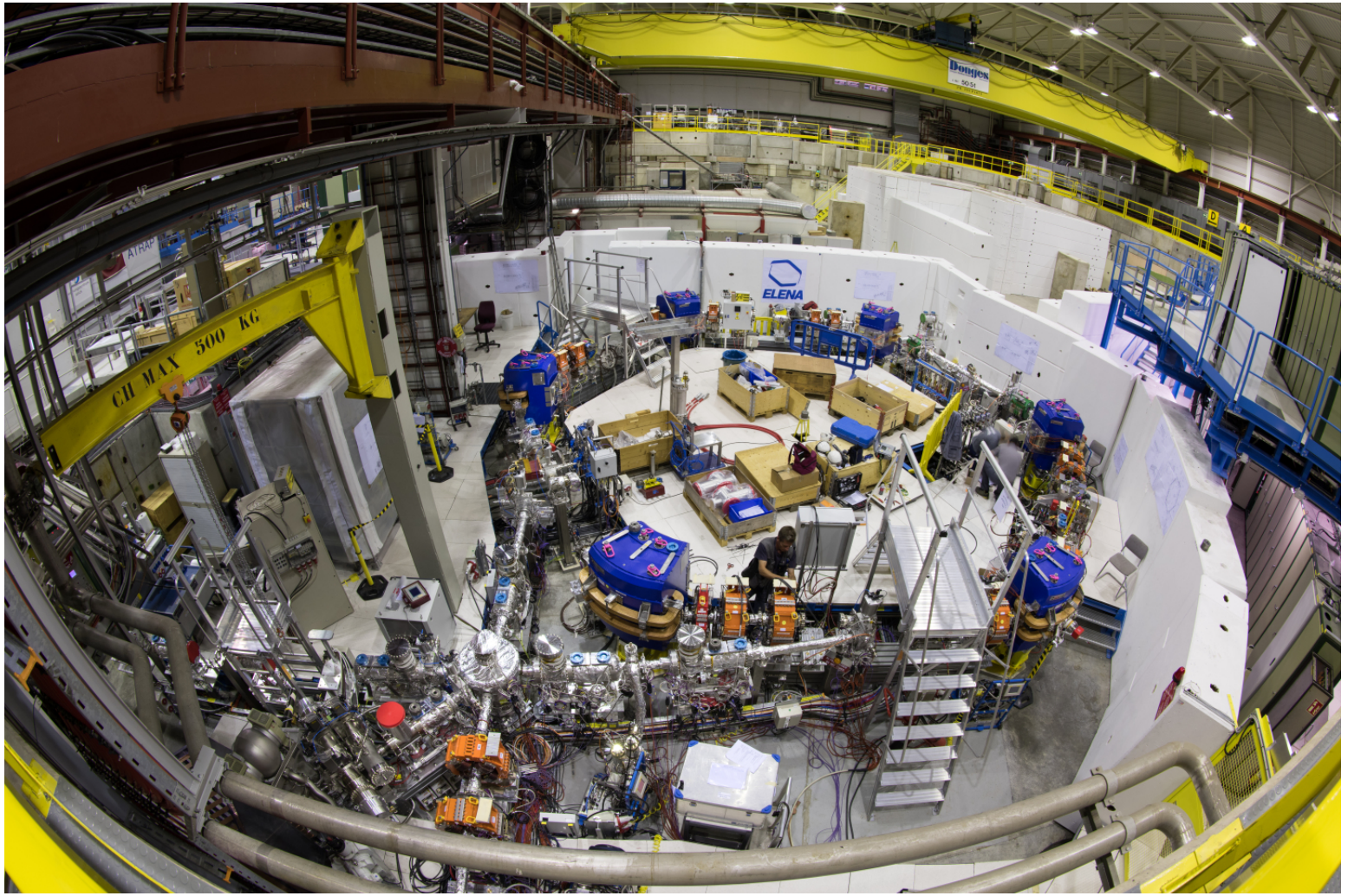
AFTER LS2: ELENA

Further deceleration of antiprotons from 5 MeV to 100 KeV kinetic energy

Will increase by 2 orders of magnitude the antiproton trapping efficiency

Under commissioning for first connection to GBAR in 2017

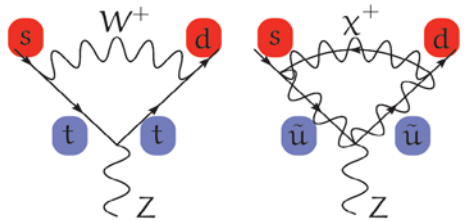
Secures antimatter physics for the next decade



$K \to \pi\nu\bar{\nu}$ *(BR ~ 10^{-11})*

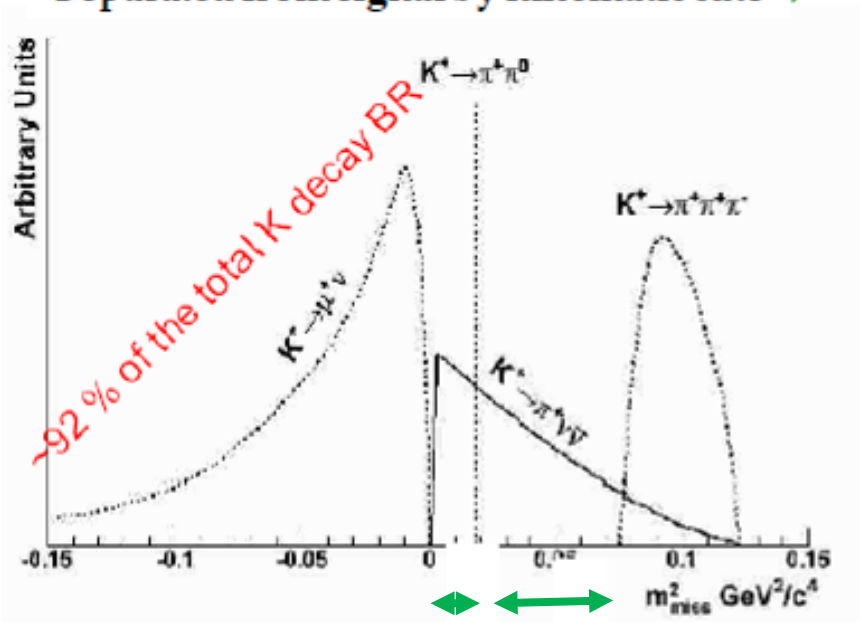
NA62

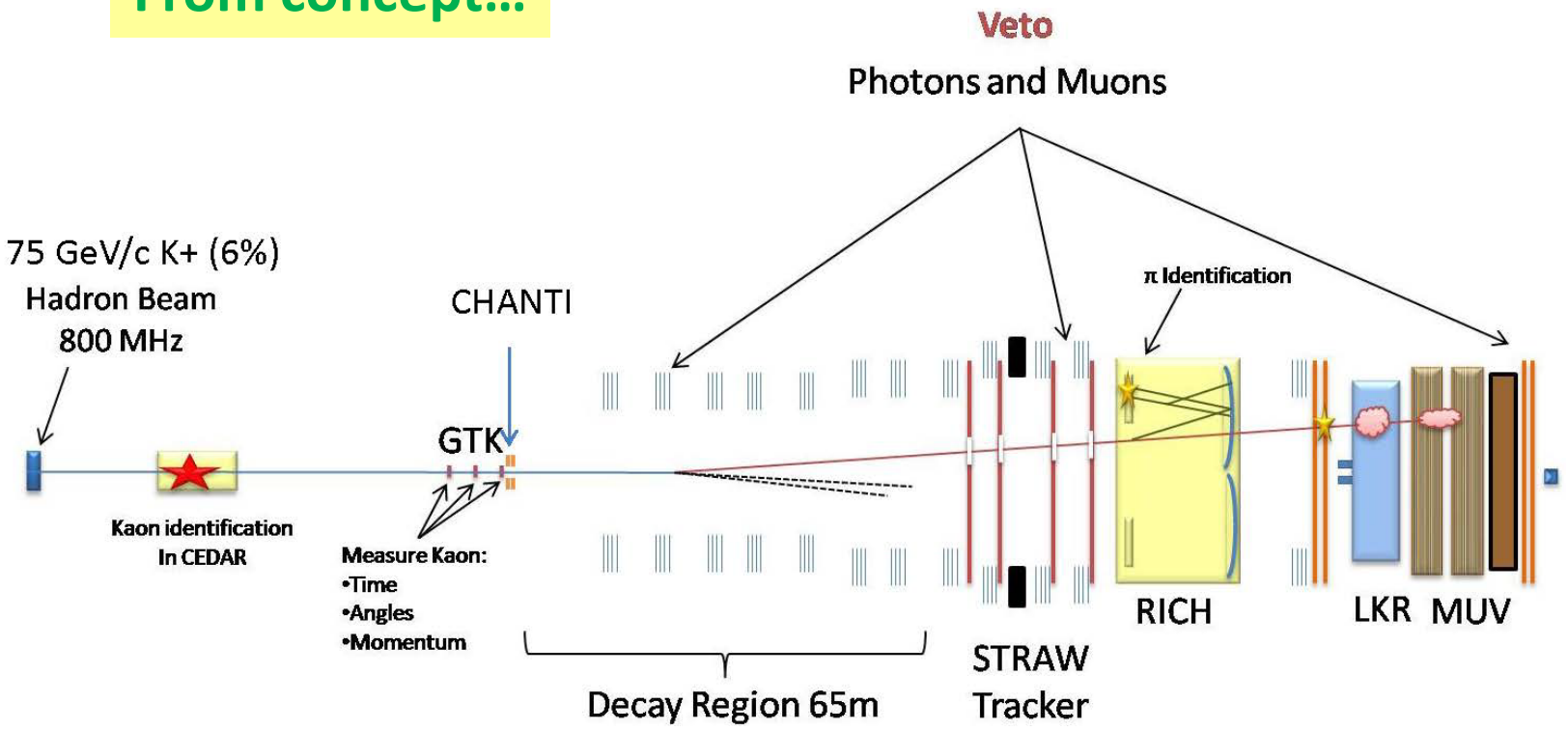
Rare K decays



From concept…

Separated from signal by kinematic cuts :





Signal regions

1 GHz 75 GeV unseparated beam,
11 MHz K^+ decays in detector

$K \to \pi\nu\bar{\nu}$ (BR ~ 10^{-10})

NA62

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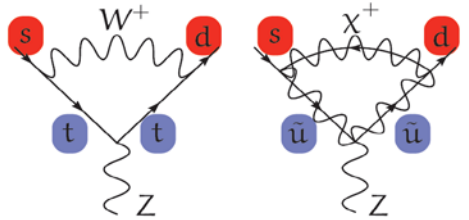
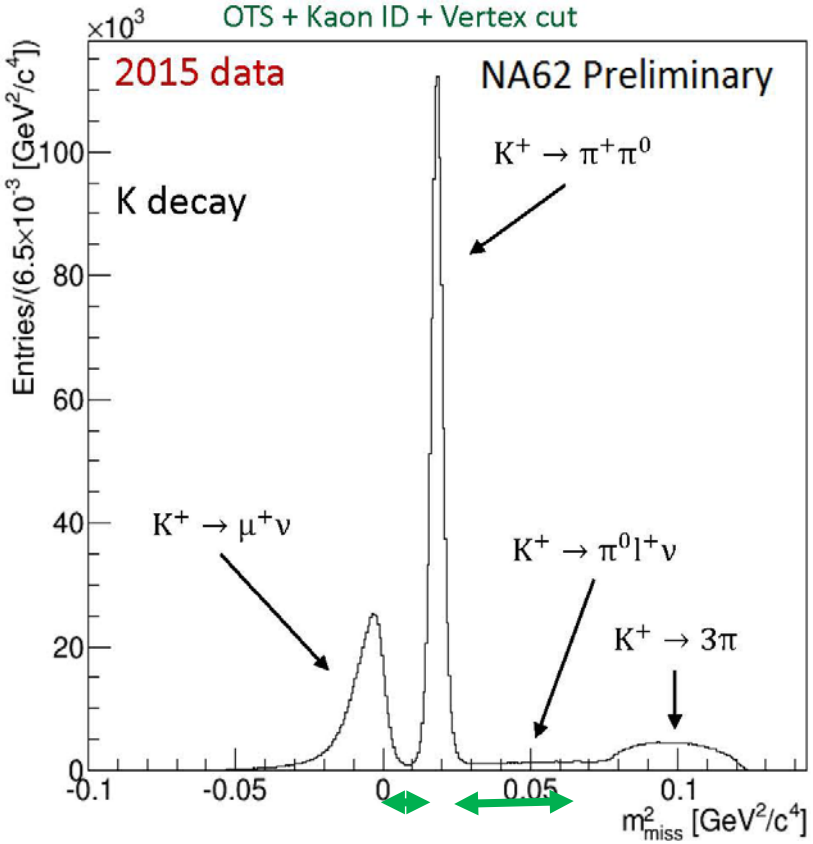


…to reality !

After many years of intensive construction and commissioning



Signal regions: ~100 evts expected until LS2

Detector fully operational in 2016, first year of quasi-nominal operation

New idea: $K^o \rightarrow \pi^o\nu\nu$ rare decay

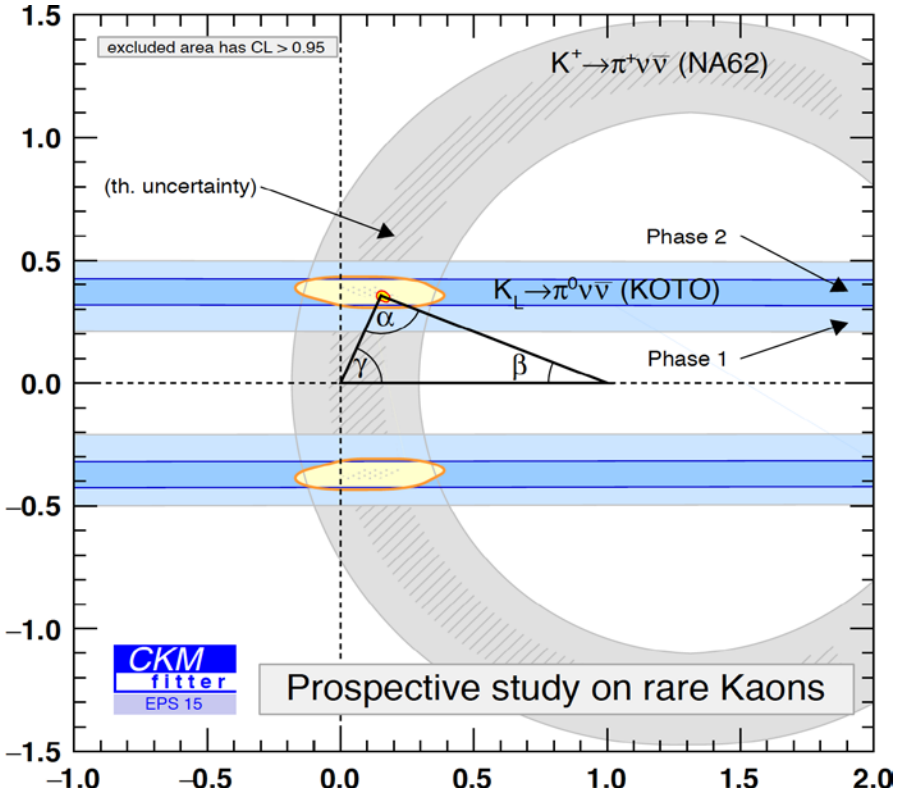
Both decays are complementary and allow constraining the CKM matrix.

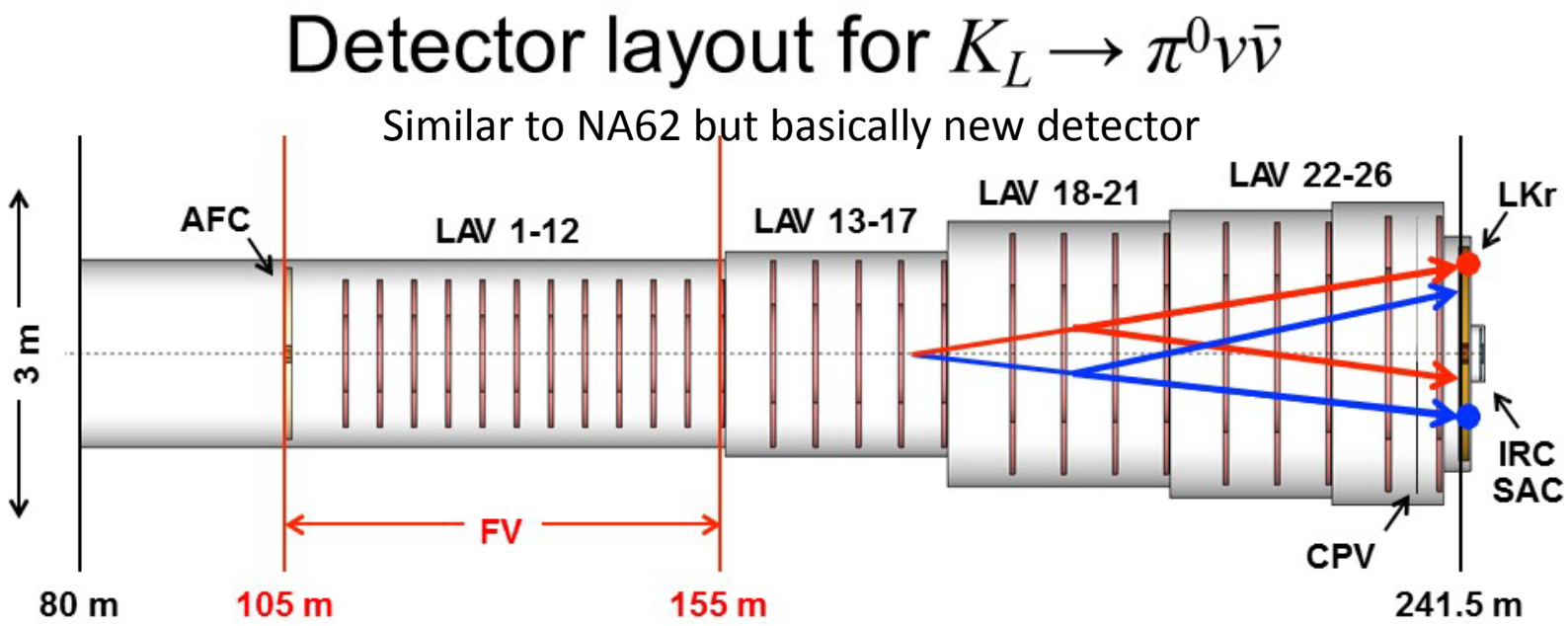
Would require a new high intensity K^o beam.

~50 events could be collected with a similar but basically new detector.

Competition from starting KOTO at JPARC:

few evts expected in coming years, upgrade to ~100 evts by 2025



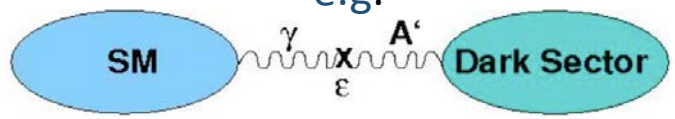


Intermezzo: the Hidden Sector

$$L = L_{SM} + L_{mediator} + L_{HS}$$

Visible Sector

Mediators or portals to the HS:
vector, scalar, axial, neutrino
e.g.



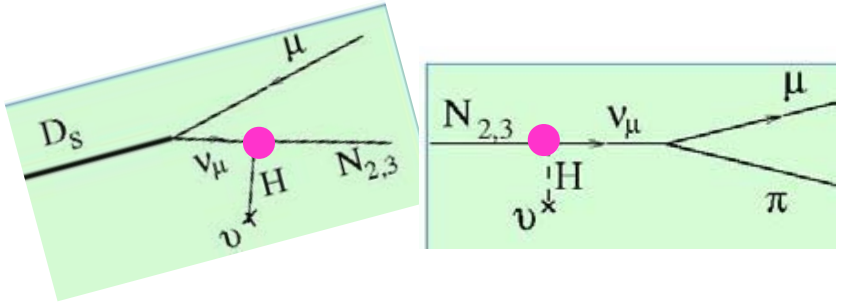
Hidden Sector

Naturally accommodates Dark Matter
(may have rich structure)

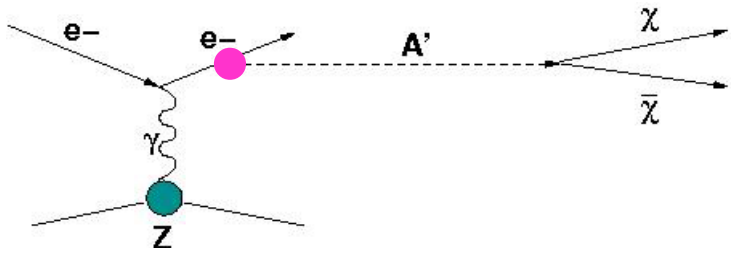
- *Long-lived objects*
- *Interact very weakly with matter*

Models	*Final states*
HNL, SUSY neutralino	$l^+\pi^-$, l^+K^-, $l^+\rho^-$ $\rho^+ \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^0$
Vector, scalar, axion portals, SUSY sgoldstino	l^+l^-
HNL, SUSY neutralino, axino	$l^+l^-\nu$
Axion portal, SUSY sgoldstino	$\gamma\gamma$
SUSY sgoldstino	$\pi^0\pi^0$

Intermezzo cont'd: the Hidden Sector



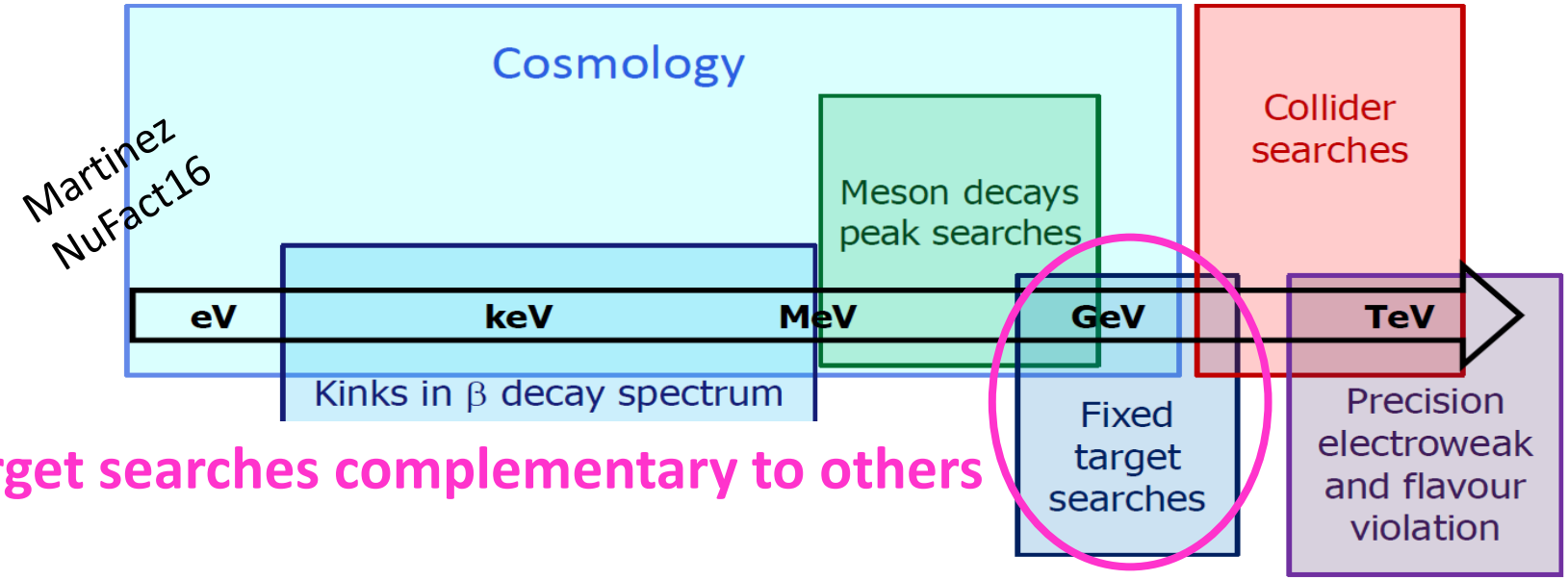
2 methods



Production + decay of new particle:
2 couplings → needs high intensity

Invisible decay of new particle:
accommodates lower intensity

A similar situation as the search for neutrino oscillations in the 70 – 80's:
do not know if they exist and where they stand !

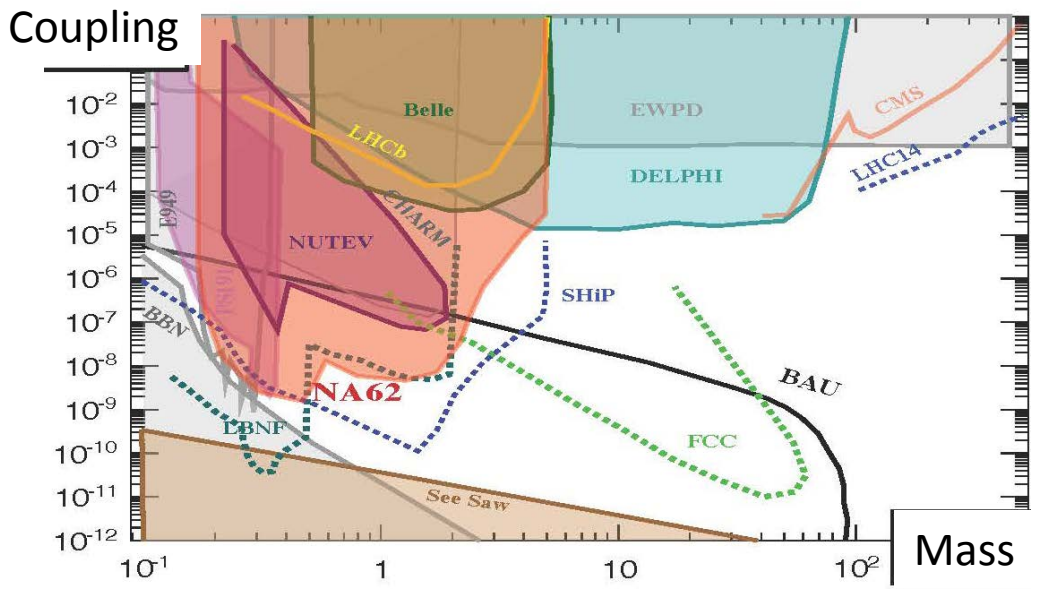


Fixed Target searches complementary to others

AFTER LS2 : NA62+

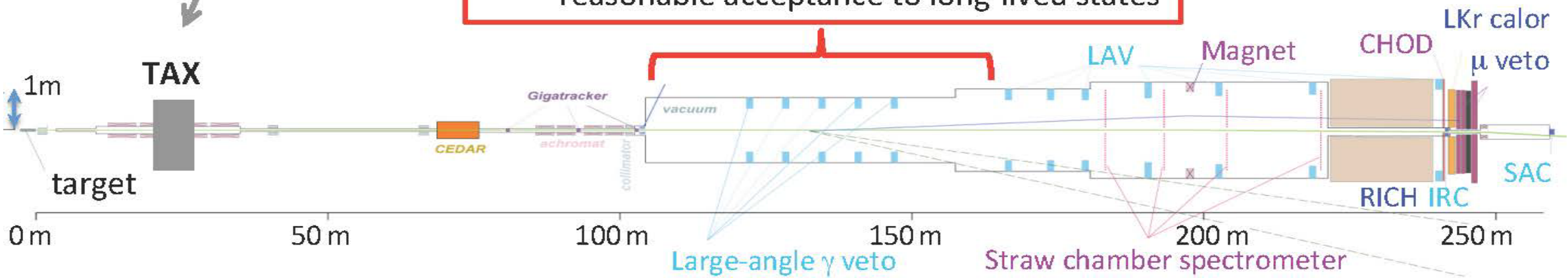
Wish to run ~1 year in beam dump mode to look for Heavy Neutral Leptons

→ possible intermediate step towards a more ambitious beam dump facility



Compact beam dump: ~11 λ_I Cu-based beam-defining collimator (TAX)
radioprotection-compliant even if target removed

Decay volume ~ 60 m long (in vacuum):
reasonable acceptance to long-lived states



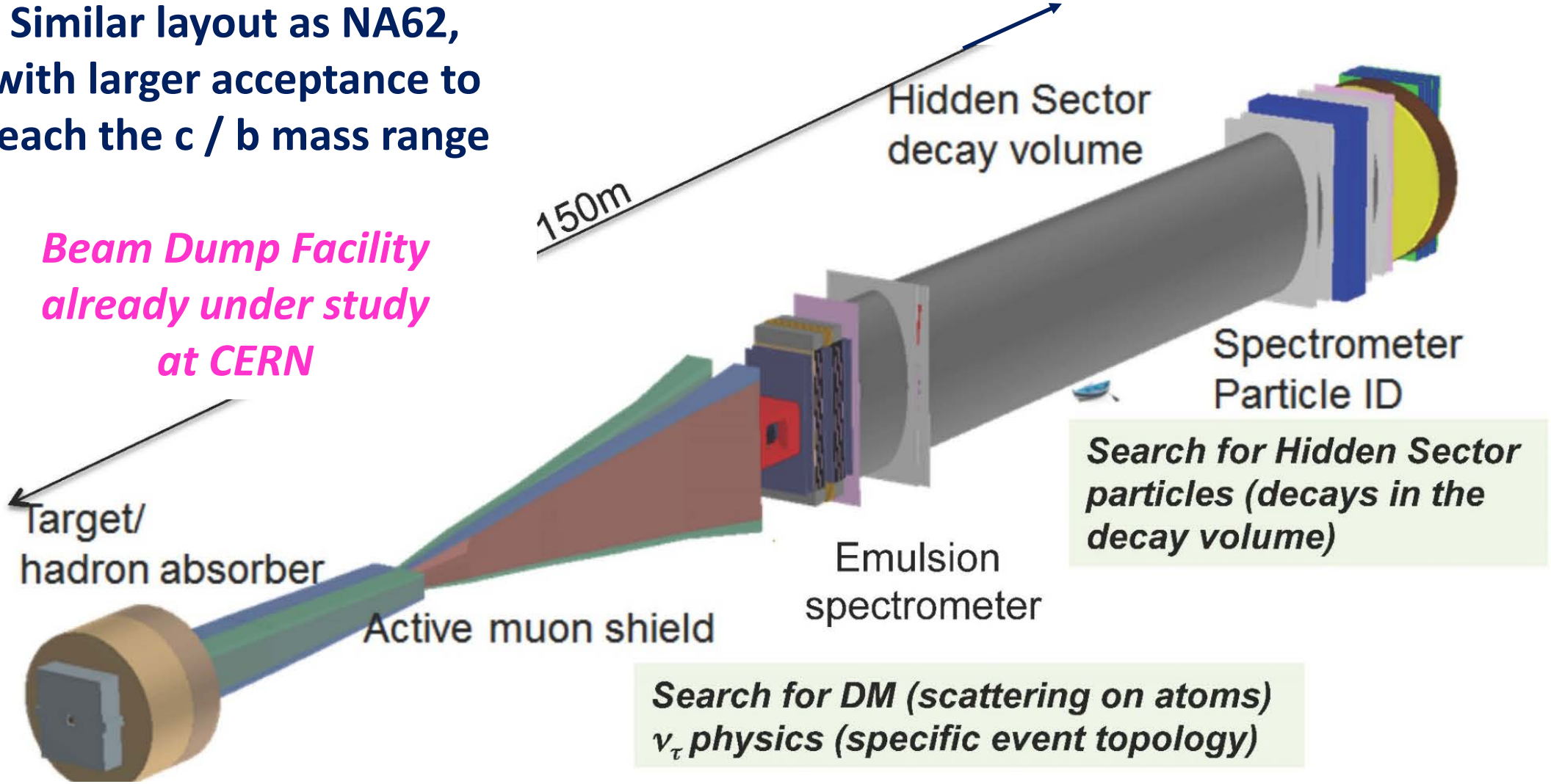
New idea: SHiP

Flagship program for a comprehensive investigation of the Hidden Sector in the few GeV domain

Exploits the unique high-E/ high-I SPS features

Similar layout as NA62, with larger acceptance to reach the c / b mass range

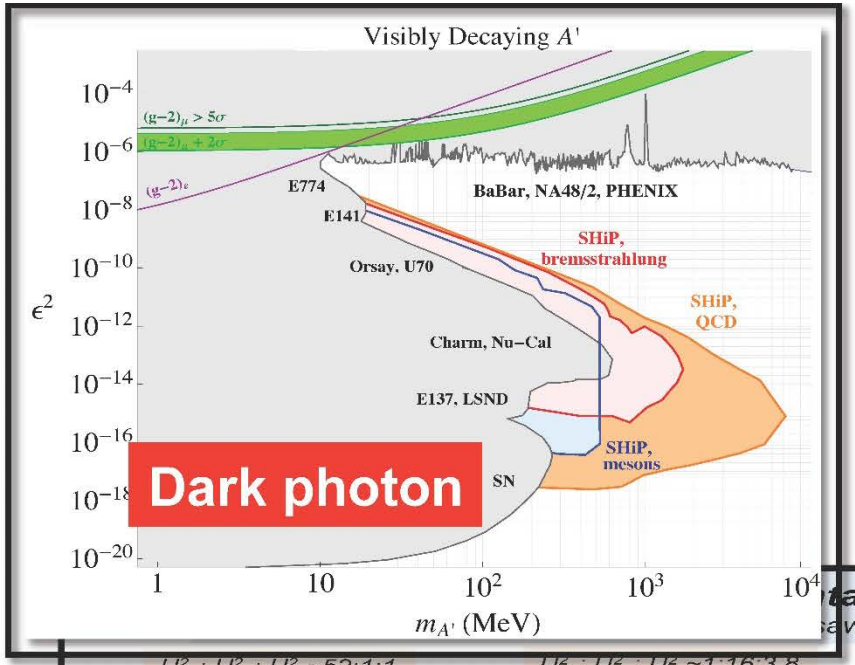
Beam Dump Facility already under study at CERN



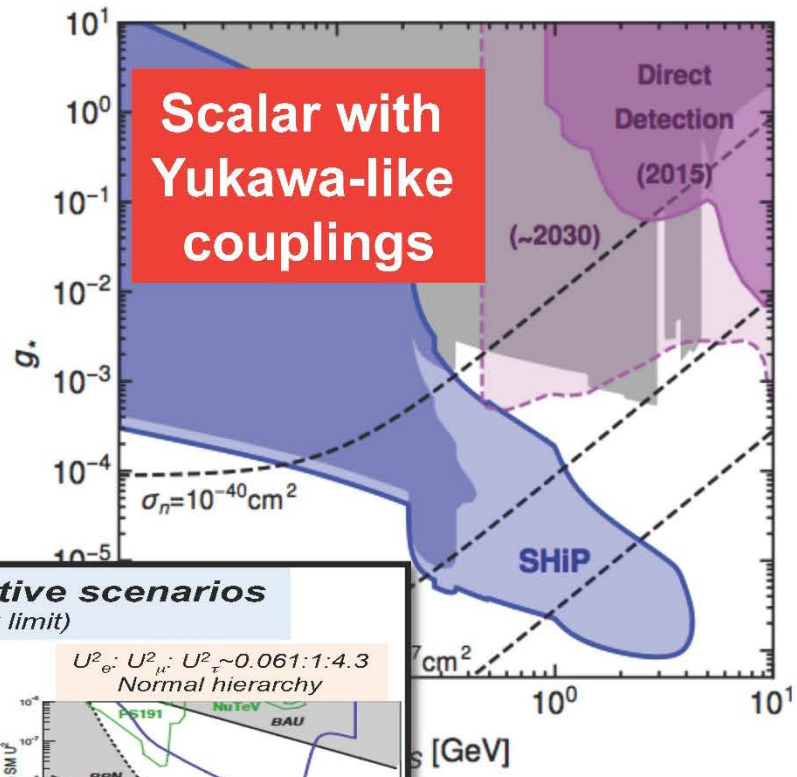
Search for Hidden Sector particles (decays in the decay volume)

Search for DM (scattering on atoms)
ν_τ physics (specific event topology)

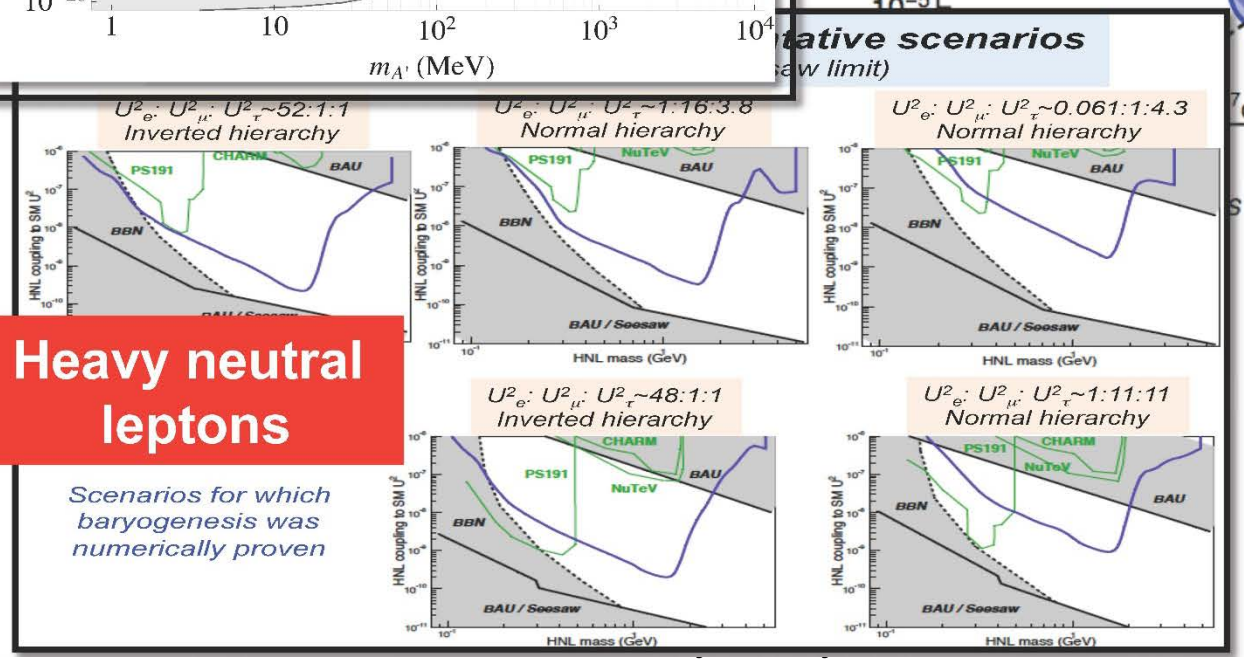
SHiP physics reach



Dark photon



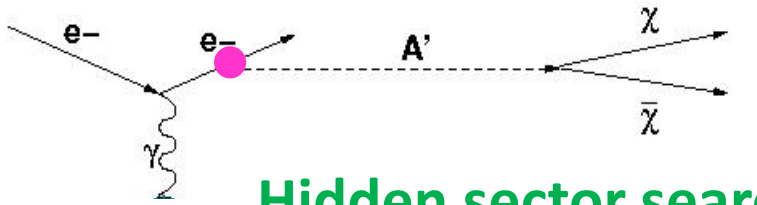
Scalar with Yukawa-like couplings



Heavy neutral leptons

Scenarios for which baryogenesis was numerically proven

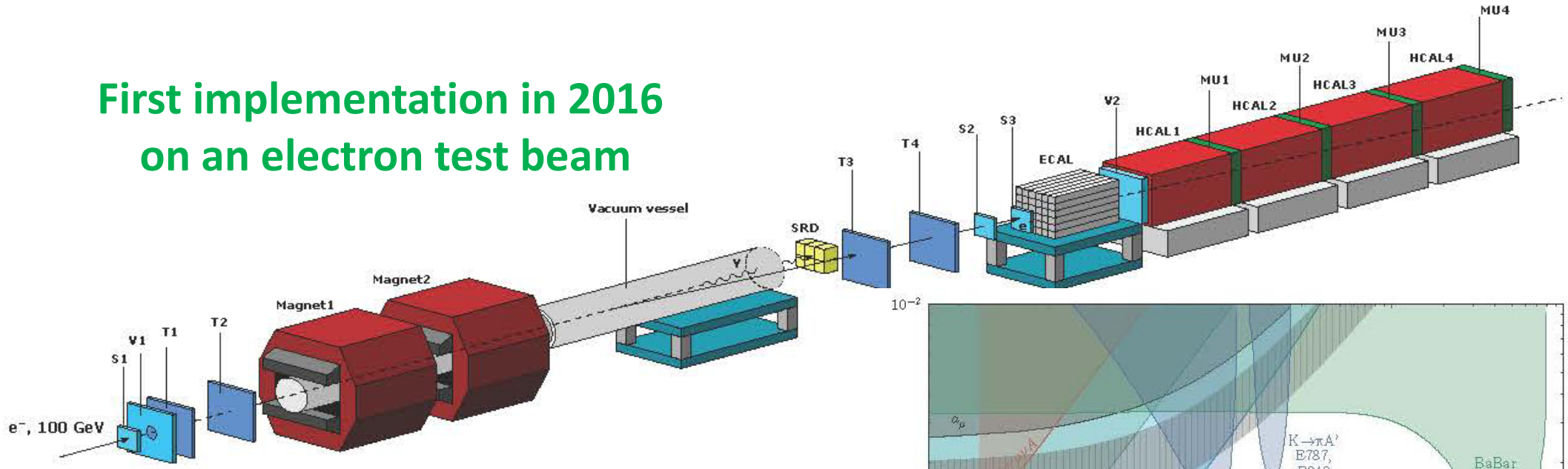
Significant & mostly unique extension of reach for many channels



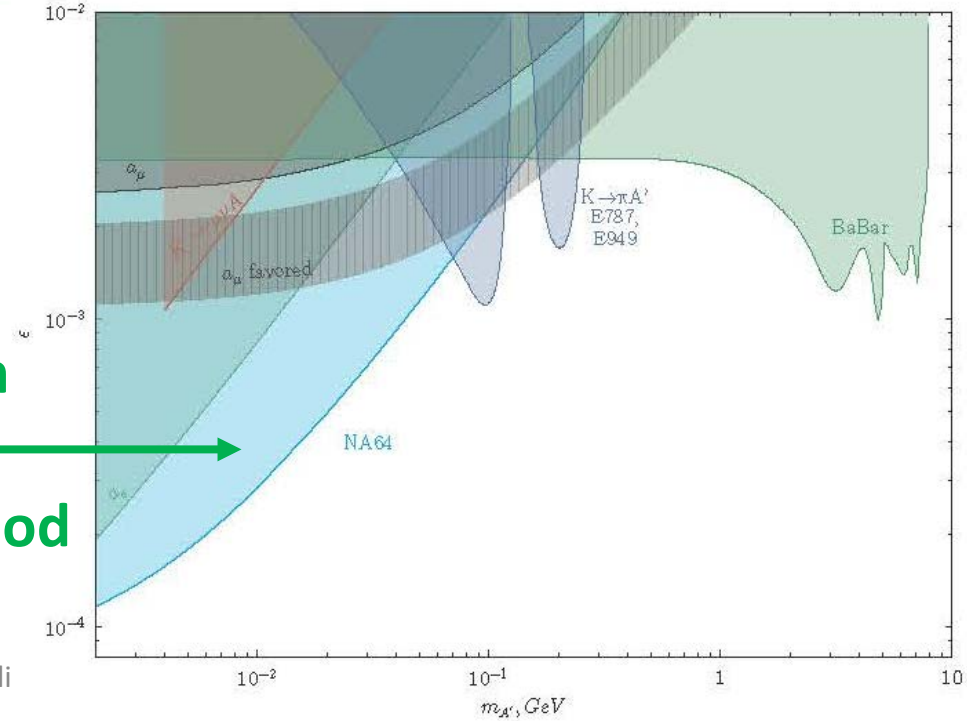
NA64

Hidden sector search from invisible decays with missing energy

First implementation in 2016 on an electron test beam

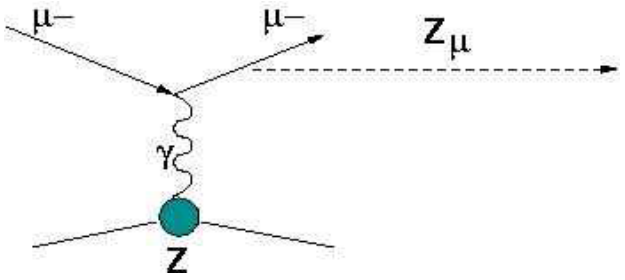


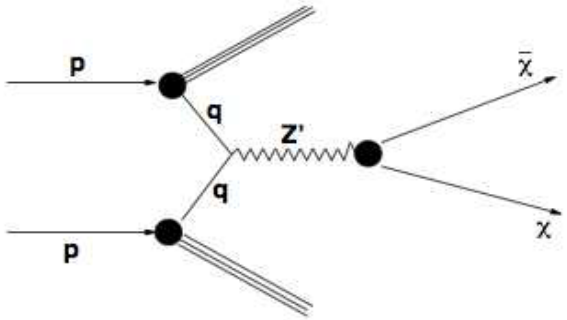
Exclusion of $(g-2)_\mu$ interpretation with 1 day of data taking confirms the potential of the method



AFTER LS2: NA64+

Wish to extend the method to μ / π / K / p beams

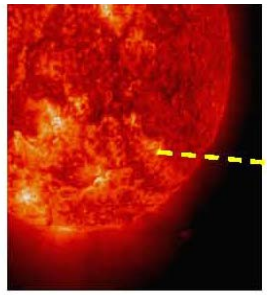


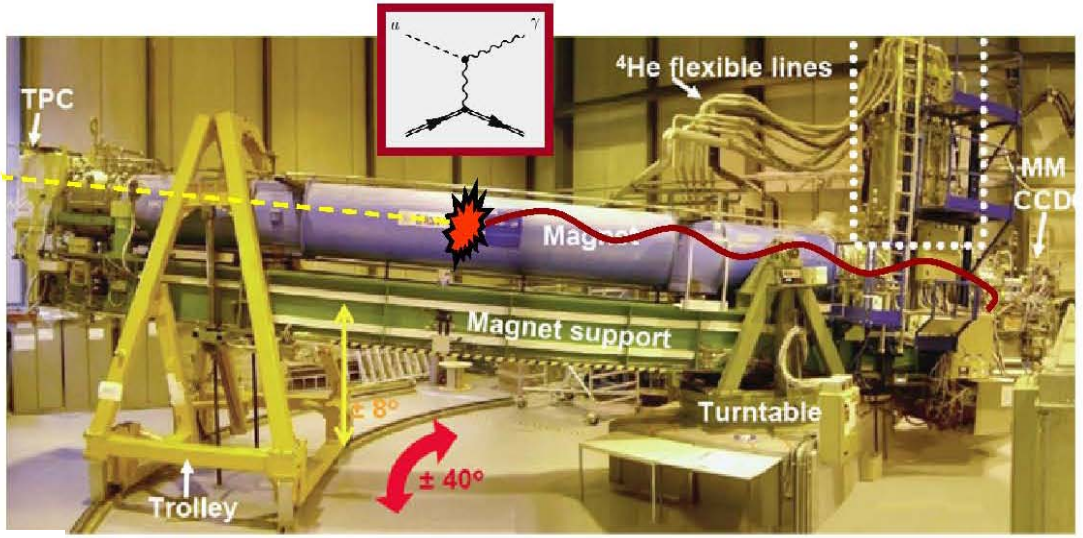


Process	New Physics	Sensitivity
1. $e^-Z \to e^-Z + E_{miss}$		
✧ $A' \to e^+e^-$ ✧ $A' \to$ invisible ✧ alps ✧ milli-q	Dark Sectors: Dark Photons and DM $(g-2)_\mu$ new particles, Charge Quantization	$10^{-3} < \varepsilon < 10^{-6}$ $M_{A'} \sim$ sub-GeV $e' < 10^{-5}$-10^{-7}
2. $\mu^- Z \to \mu^- Z + E_{miss}$		
✧ $Z_\mu \to \nu\nu$, $\mu^+\mu^-$ ✧ μ->τ conversion	New gauged symmetry $L_\mu - L_\tau$ and leptonic forces LFV	$\alpha_\mu < 10^{-11}$-10^{-9} $\sigma < 10^{-9}$-$10^{-8}/\mu$
3. $\pi(K)p \to M^0 n + E_{miss}$		
✧ $K_L \to$ invisible ✧ $K_S \to$ invisible ✧ $\pi^0, \eta, \eta' \to$ invisible	CP, CPT symmetry B-S Unitarity, new particles: NHL, ϕϕ, VV	Br $< 10^{-8}$-10^{-6}, comple-mentary to $K \to \pi\nu\nu$ Br$< 10^{-8}$-10^{-7}
4. $pA \to X + E_{miss}$		
✧ leptophobic X	~ GeV DM	$\sigma < 10^{-7}$-10^{-8} /p

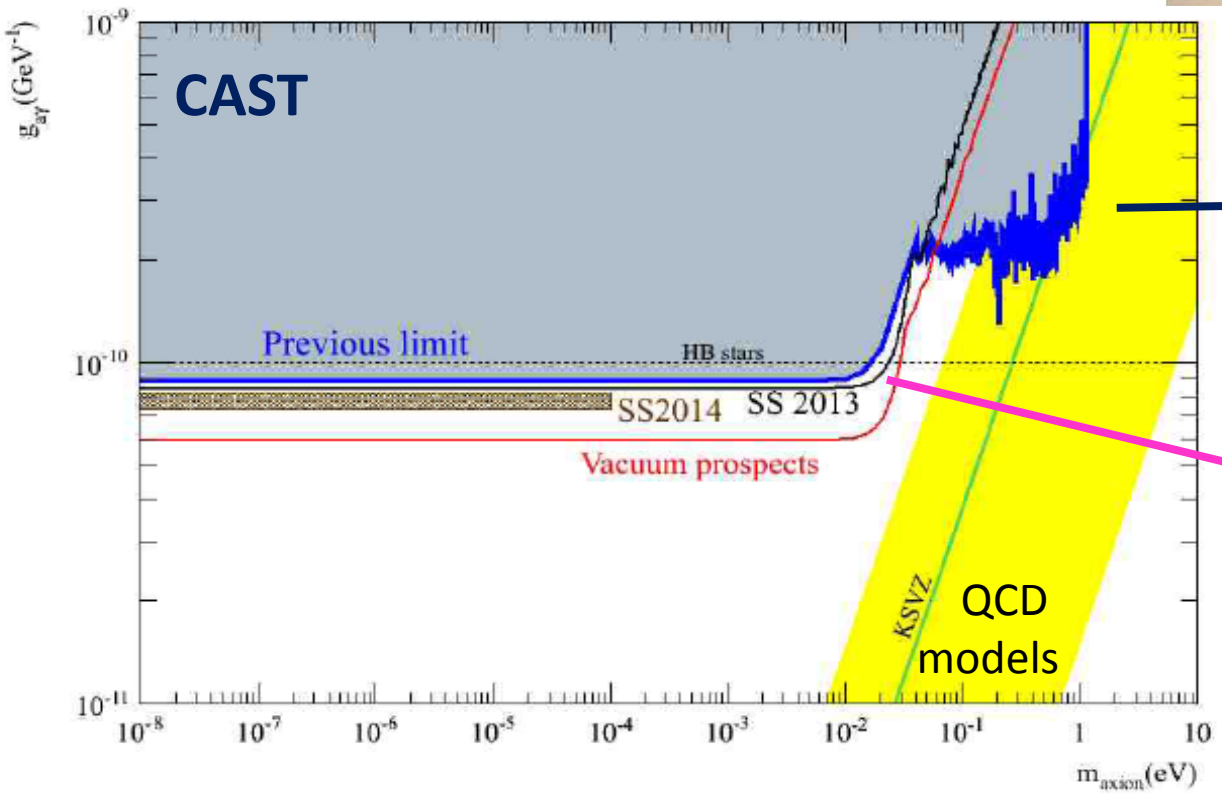
Another possible source of hidden particles:

Solar Axions from the sun





CAST: Instrumented LHC magnet pointed to the sun to convert Axions into X rays

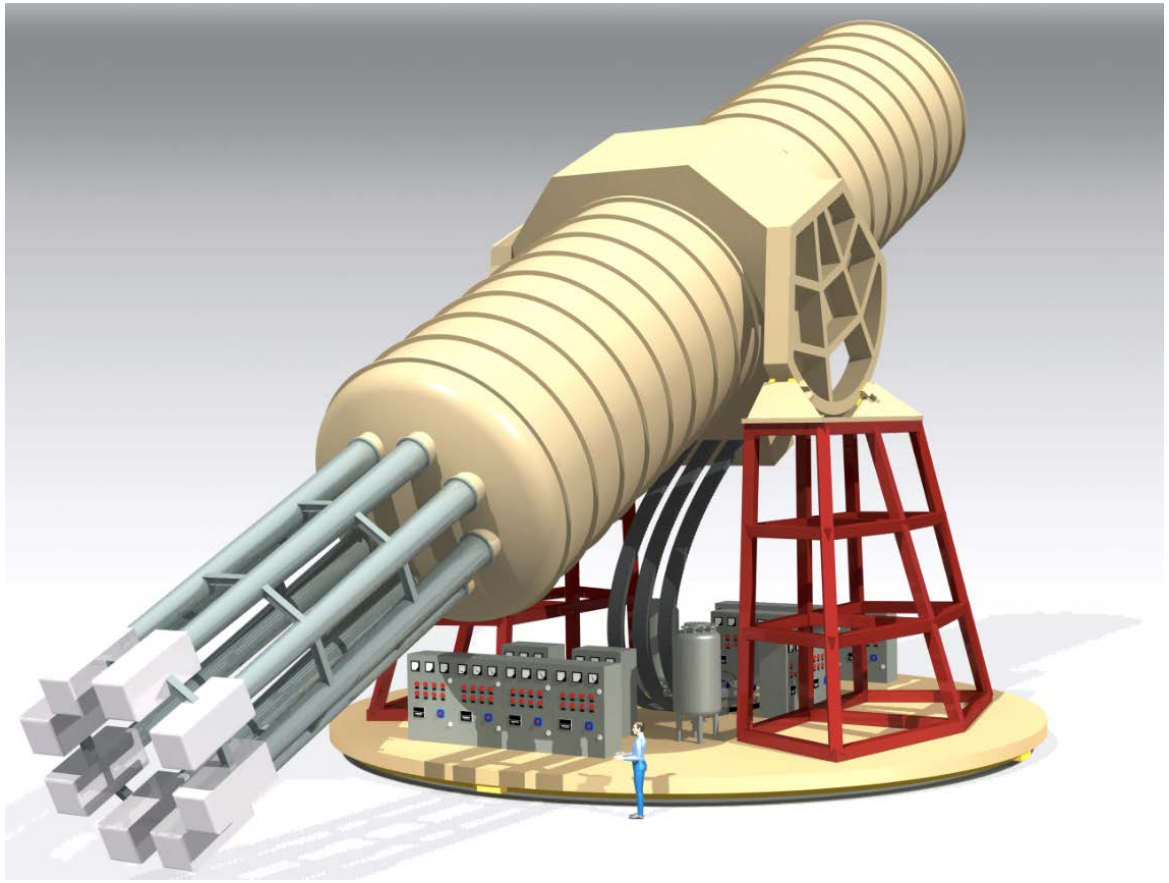


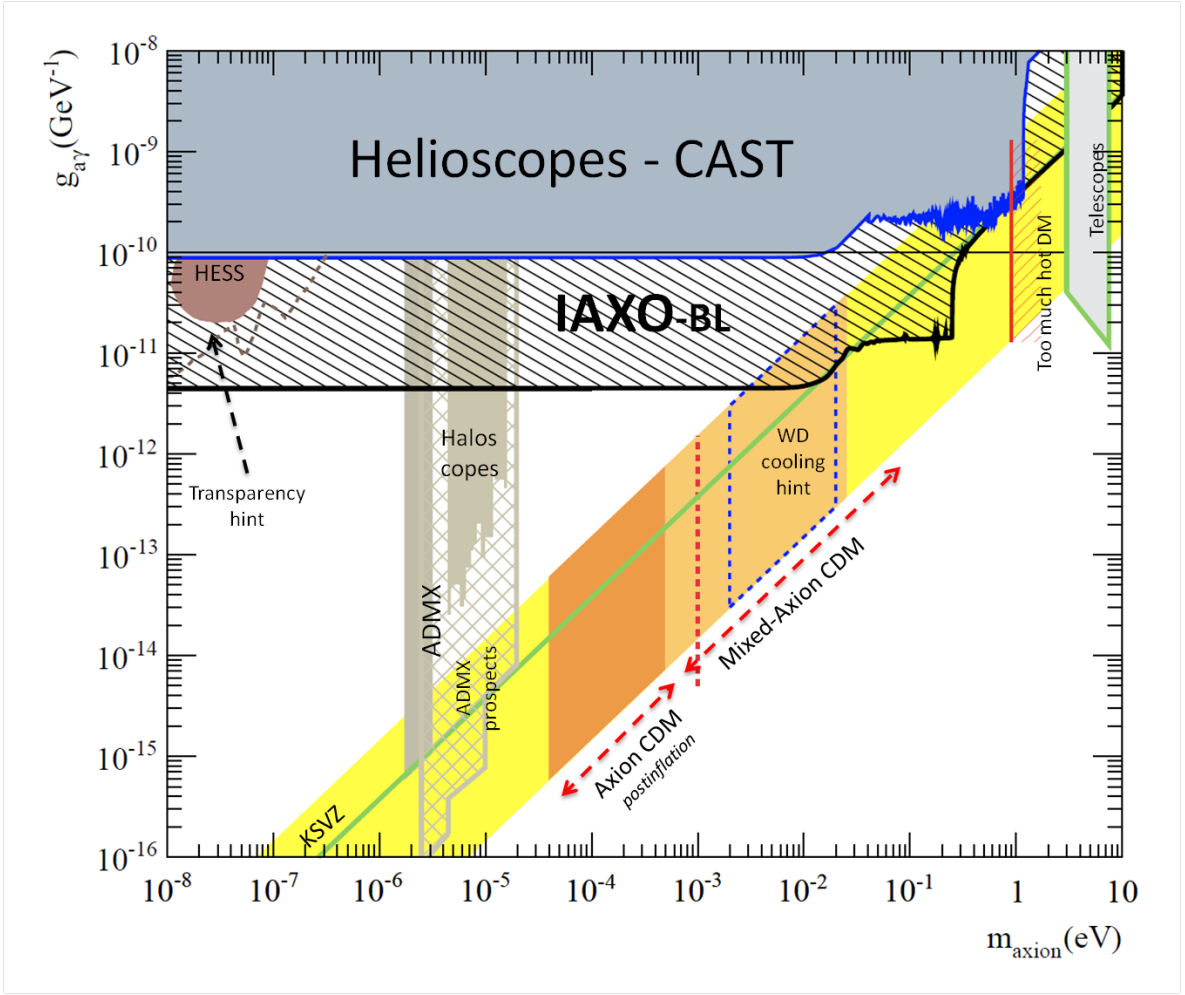
^{3}He and ^{4}He scans completed, start to bite into QCD models

Vacuum runs being continued together with R&D on low noise detectors

New idea: IAXO

Next generation Axion Helioscope beyond CAST

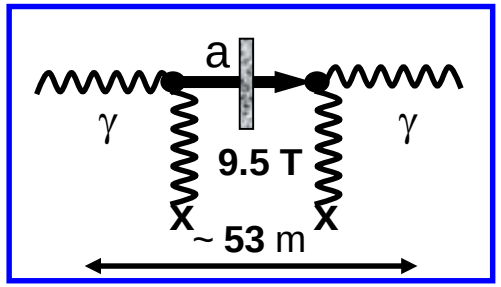


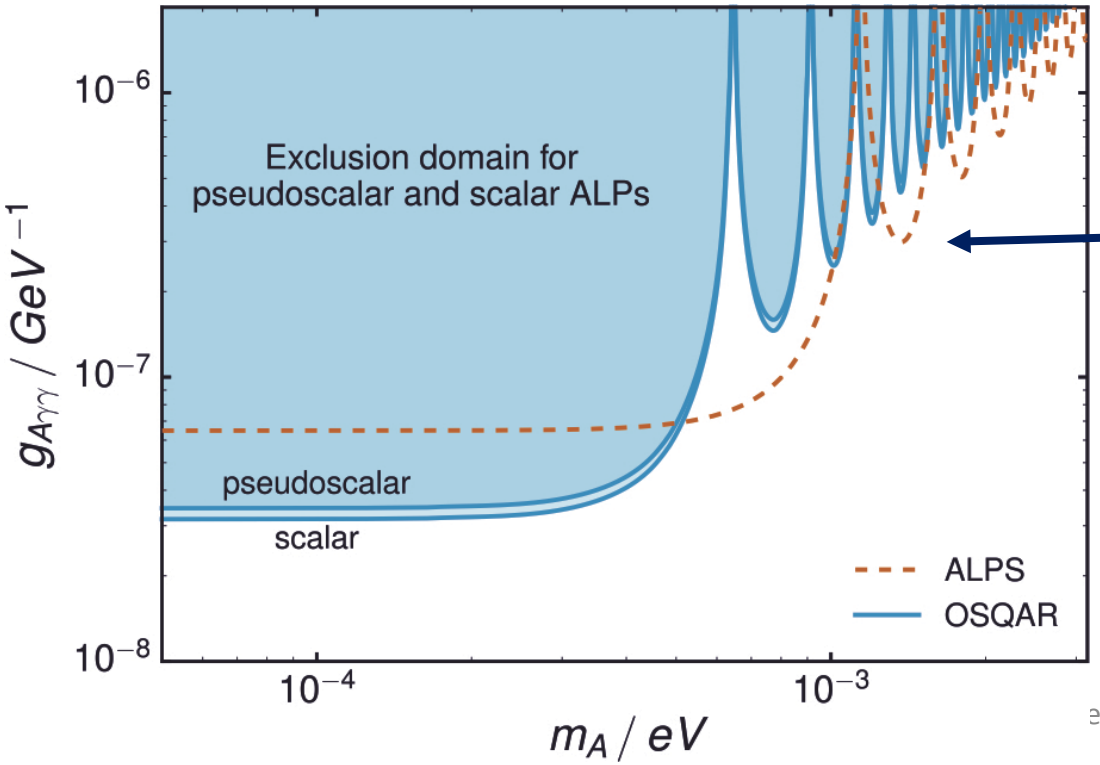


Wish to profit from CERN magnet expertise (ATLAS-like large bore toroid)

Laboratory Axions: OSQAR/ALPS

Light shining through a wall



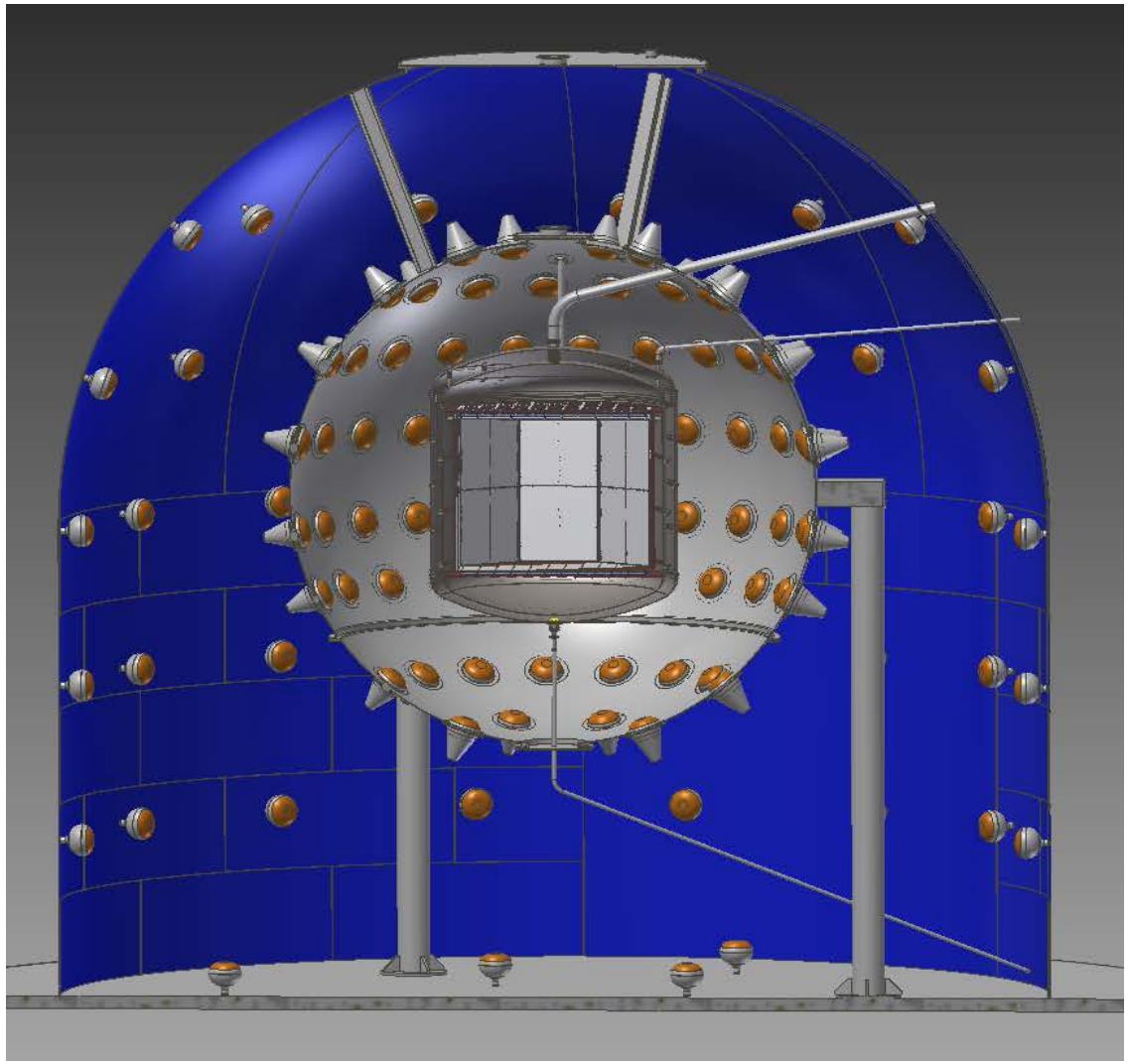


Comparable limits obtained by OSQAR@CERN and ALPS@DESY

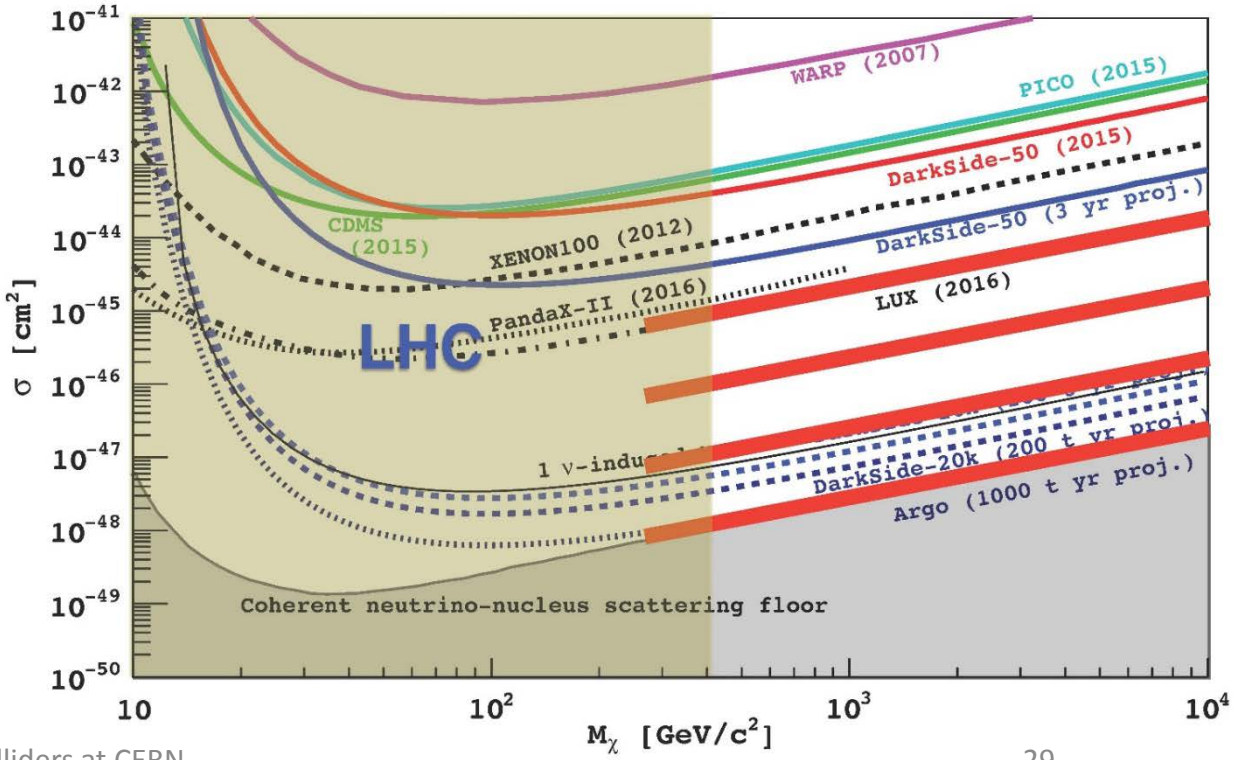
A combined project ("ALPS III") could benefit from CERN high field magnet developments

New idea: DARKSIDE@LNGS

"Ultimate" WIMP search with depleted LAr double phase TPC

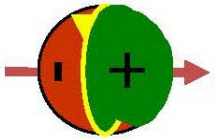


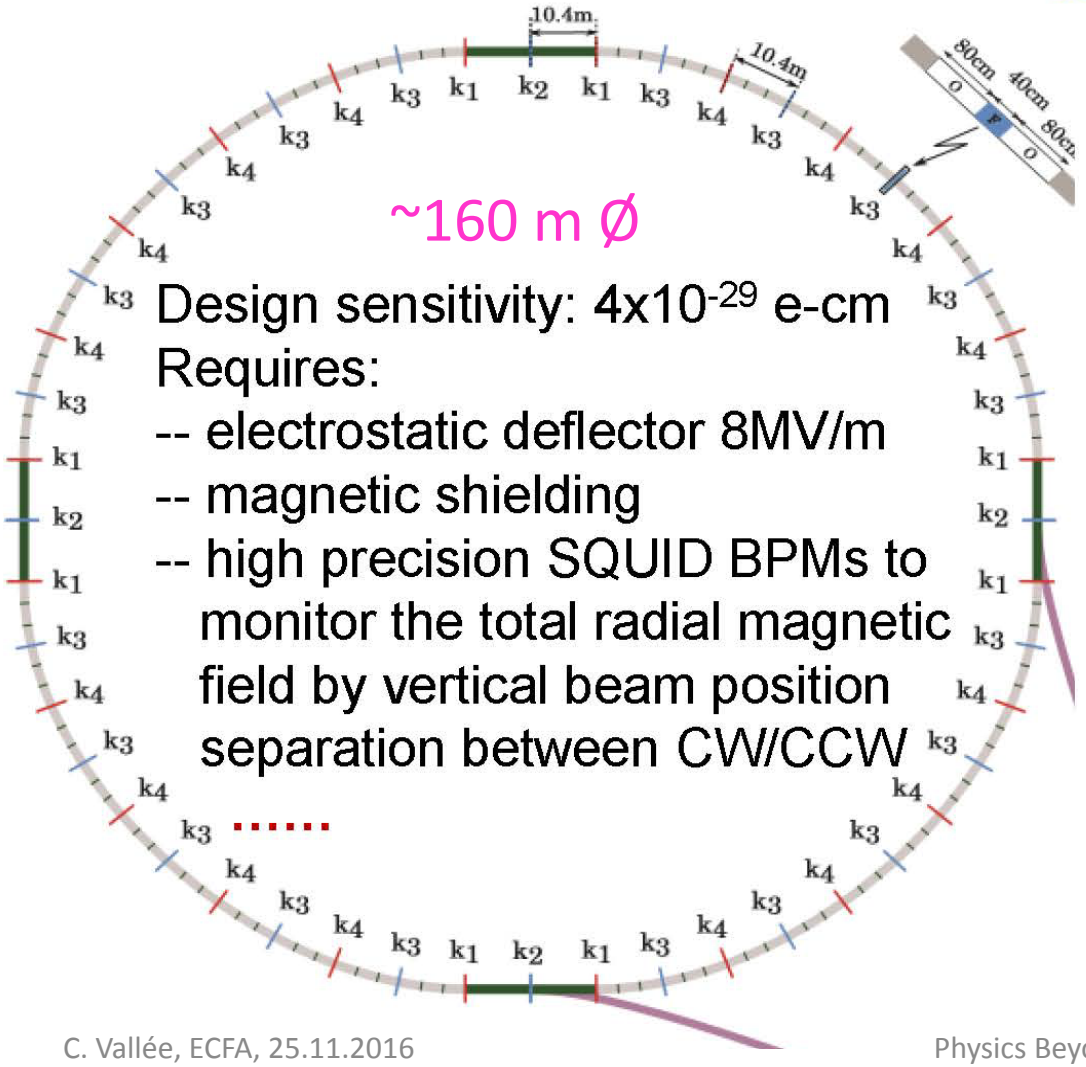
Wish to exploit synergies with CERN on LAr, cryogeny, low noise SiPMs, etc…



New idea: Storage Ring for proton EDM

incl. electrostatic option
applicable to proton only





~160 m Ø

Design sensitivity: 4×10^{-29} e-cm
Requires:
-- electrostatic deflector 8MV/m
-- magnetic shielding
-- high precision SQUID BPMs to monitor the total radial magnetic field by vertical beam position separation between CW/CCW
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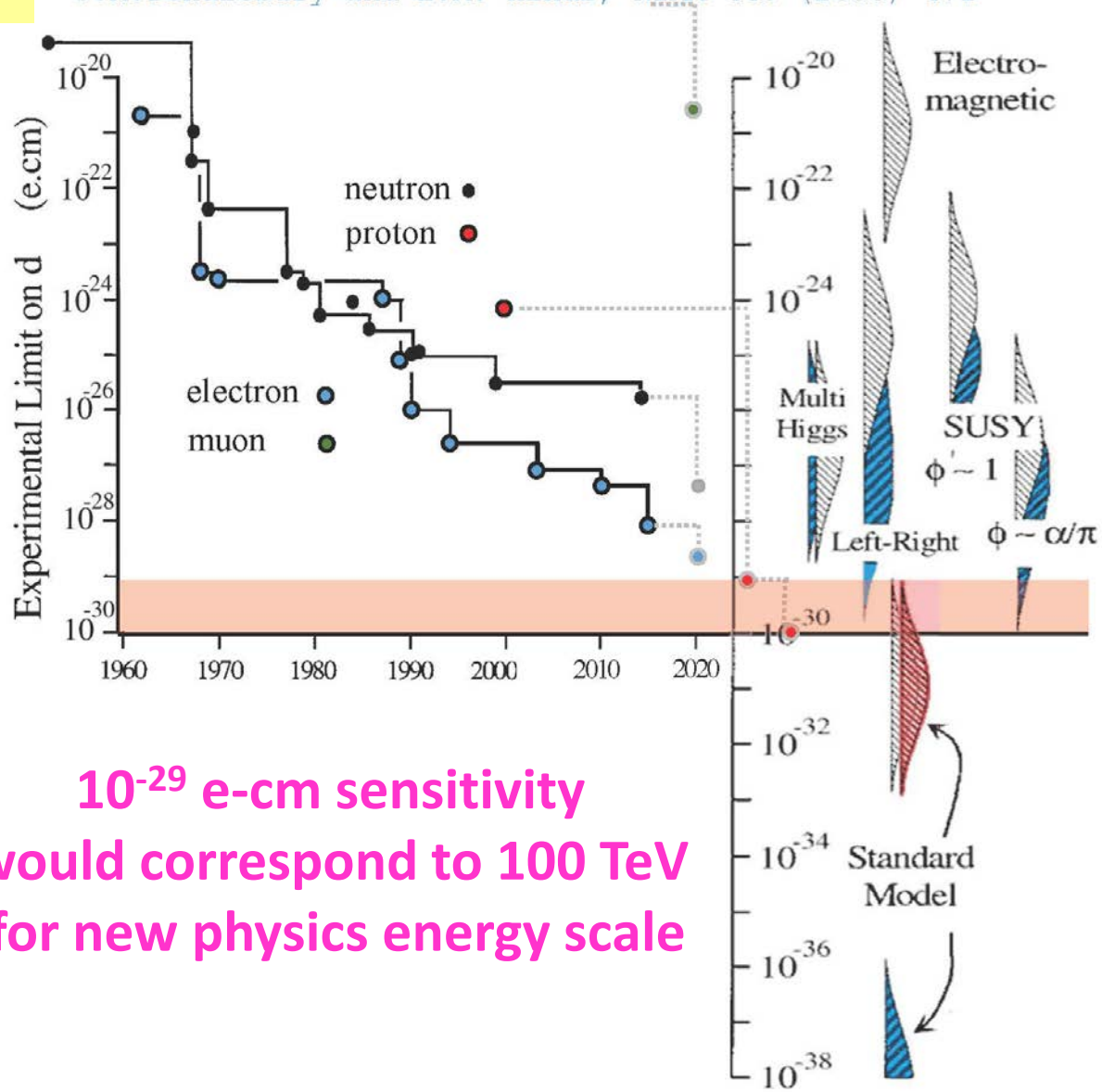
J.M.Pendlebury and E.A. Hinds, NIMA 440 (2000) 471

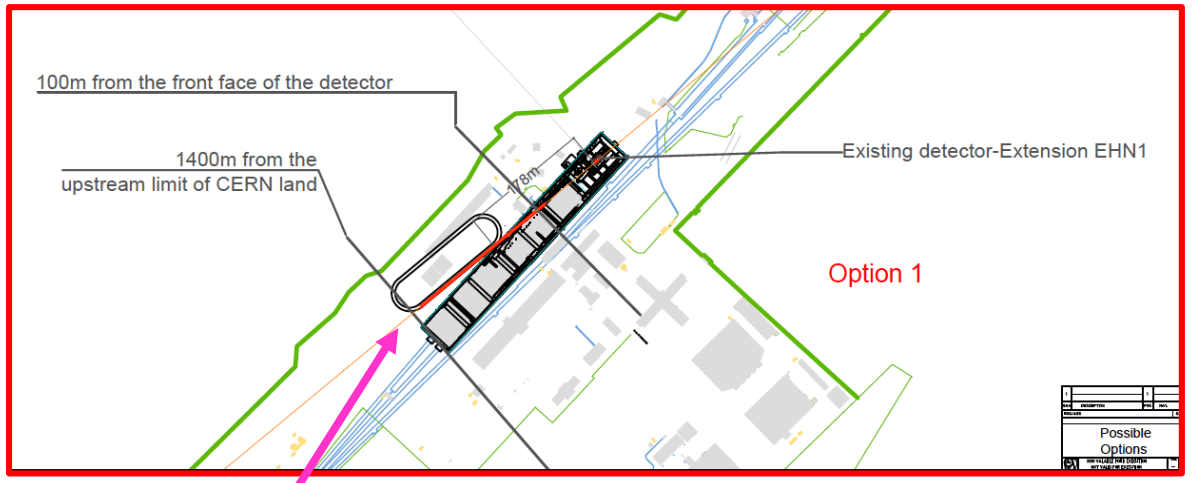


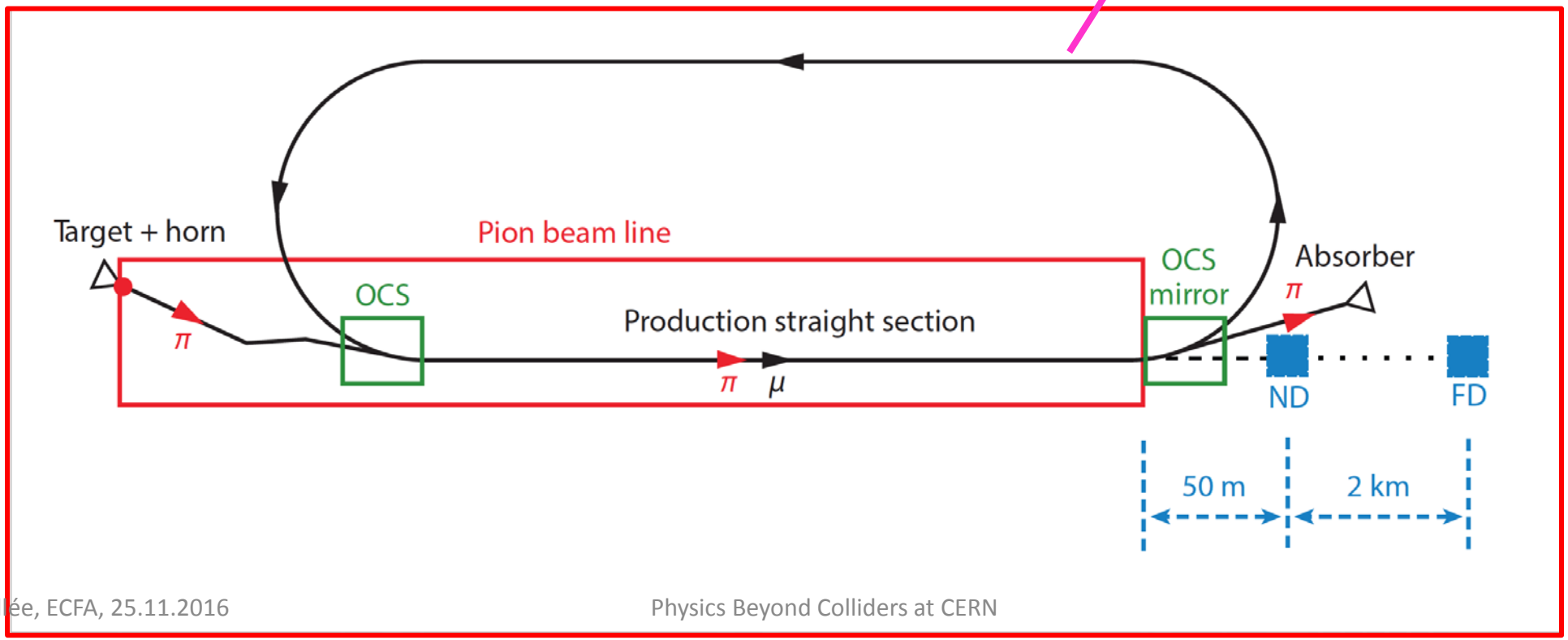
10^{-29} e-cm sensitivity would correspond to 100 TeV for new physics energy scale

New idea: NuSTORM

Well controlled ν beam from a μ storage ring.

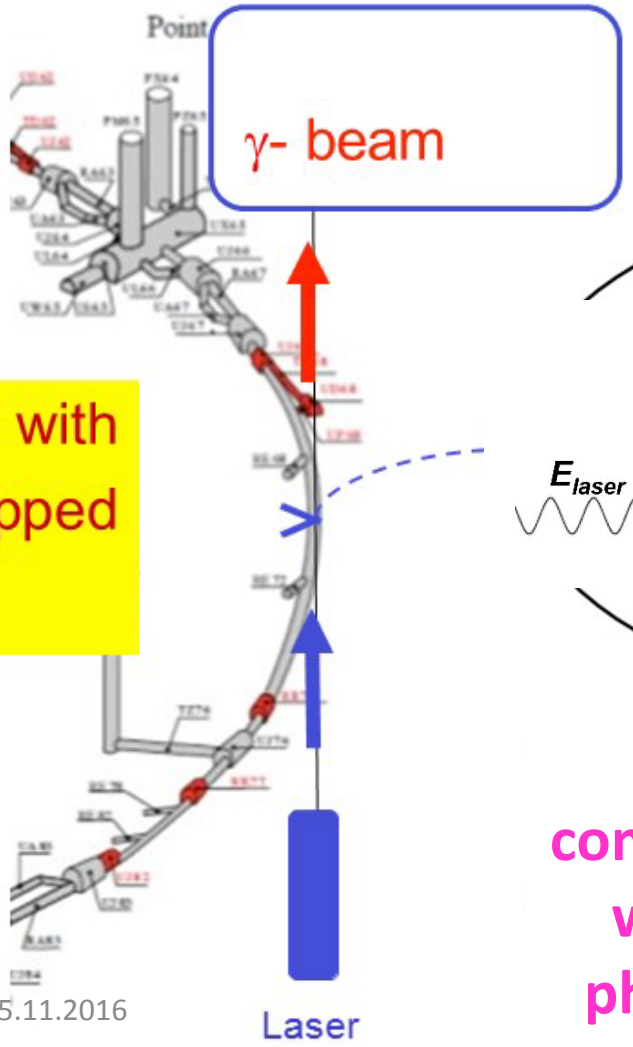
Would allow precise σ(ν) measurements.
Also a path towards a ν factory or a μ collider.



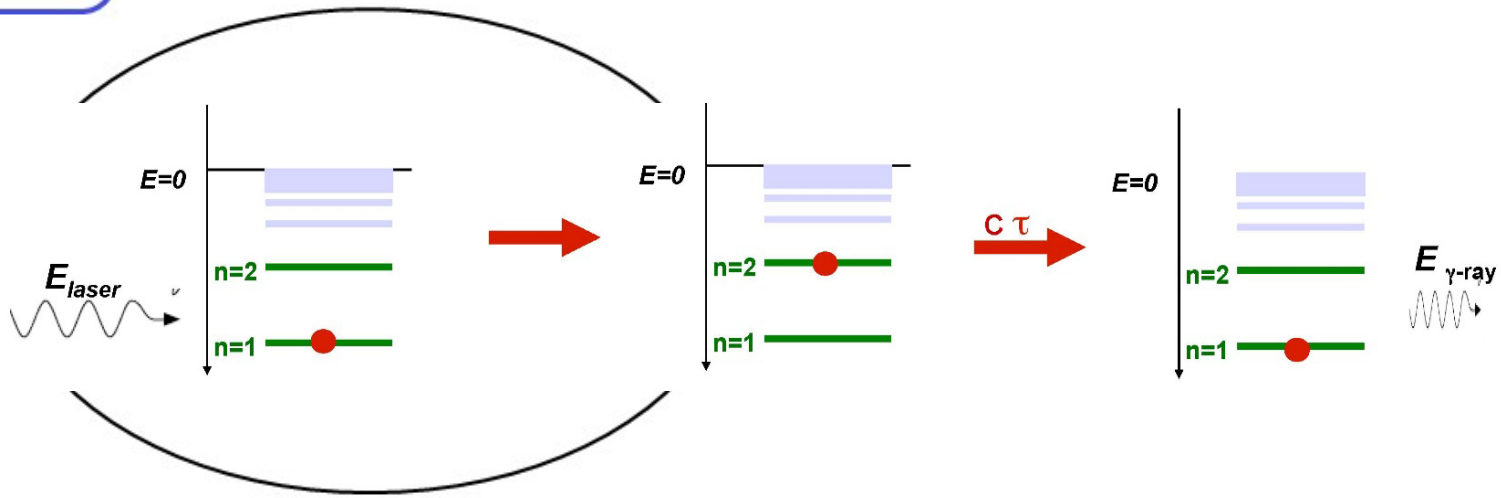


New idea: Gamma Factory

Use LHC beam to convert laser photons into 0.1 - 400 MeV γ rays



LHC filled in with partially stripped ion beams



Expect factor 10^7 intensity increase compared to present e-driven γ ray beams, would open a completely new field of physics measurements and applications.

NEXT STEPS

Working Groups being set up :

- **Accelerator WG to study possible implementation of the projects at CERN.**
  Members: CERN accelerator people + projects proponents
- **Physics WG to study the physics case in worldwide context and optimize detectors including siting options.**
  Members: theorists and experimentalists + projects proponents

NB: involvement will be tuned to the level of maturity of the projects

Follow-up PBC workshop foreseen in 2017.

Final deliverable due end 2018:
Summary document as input to the European Strategy Update process (2019-20).
Will gather facts on the projects (no ranking!) to facilitate future orientations from the ESU group.