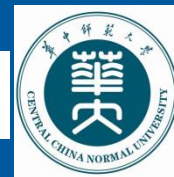


# Cosmic matter in the laboratory – Science at FAIR

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- Outline:
- GSI highlights
  - Cosmic matter
  - Research at FAIR

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Finland



France



Germany



India



Poland



Romania



Russia



Slovenia



Spain



Sweden



UK



An aerial photograph of the GSI Helmholtzzentrum für Schwerionenforschung. The facility is a large, complex of industrial and research buildings, including several large white-roofed structures, situated in a lush green forest. A parking lot with many cars is visible on the left side of the complex. The surrounding landscape is a mix of dense forest and open green fields.

Employees: 1350

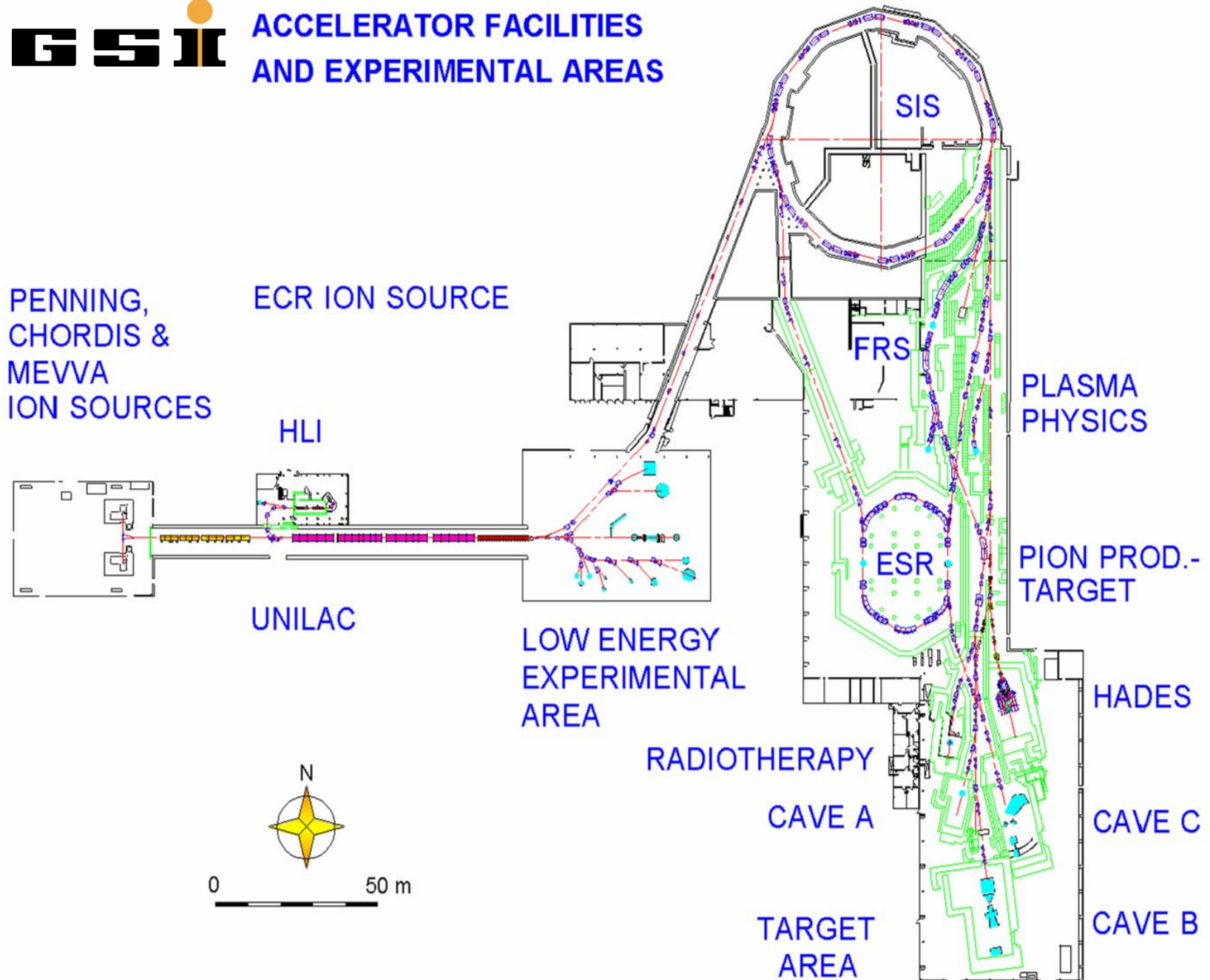
External scientists: 1000/year

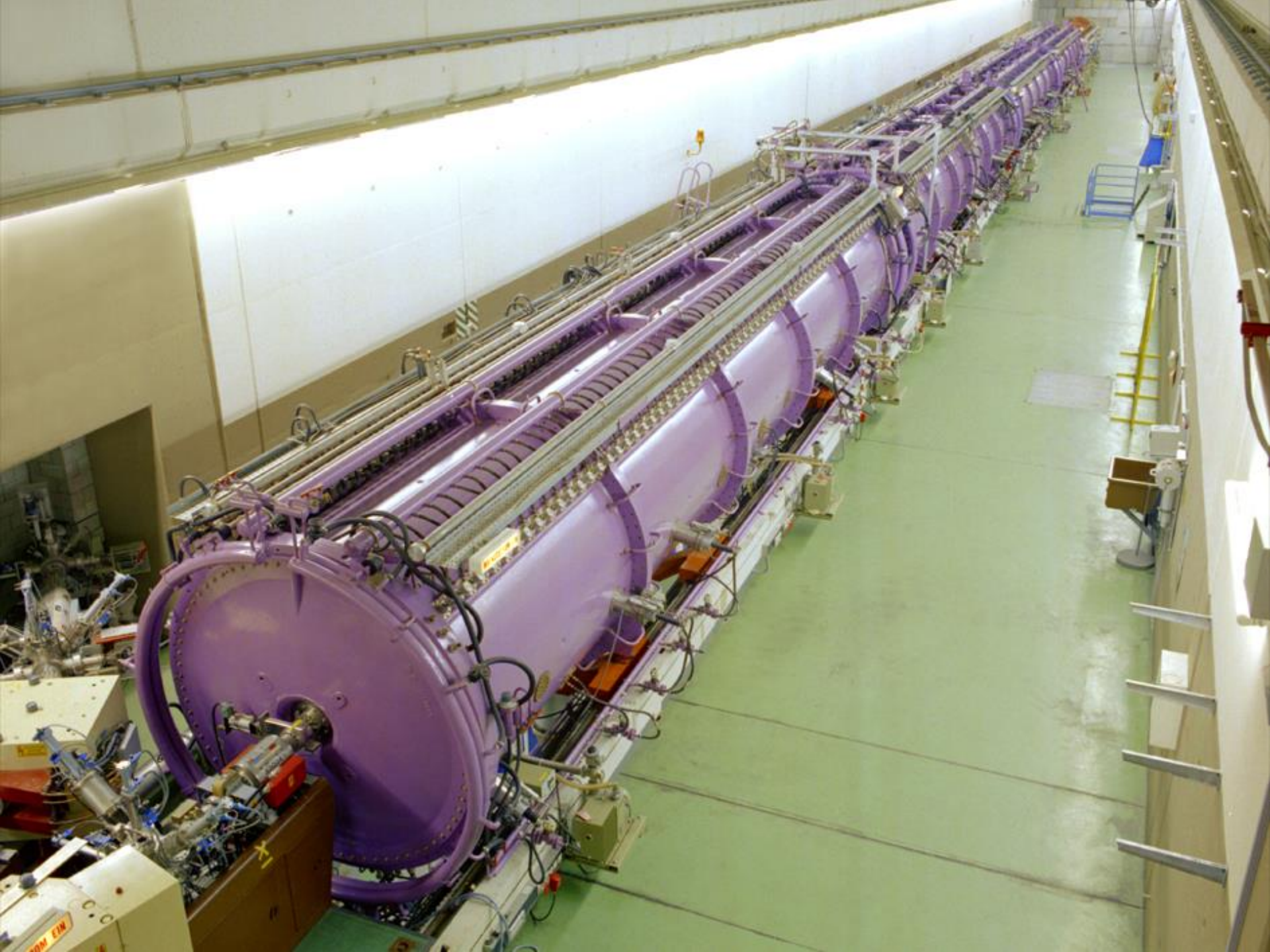
Large scale accelerators and experiments





# ACCELERATOR FACILITIES AND EXPERIMENTAL AREAS

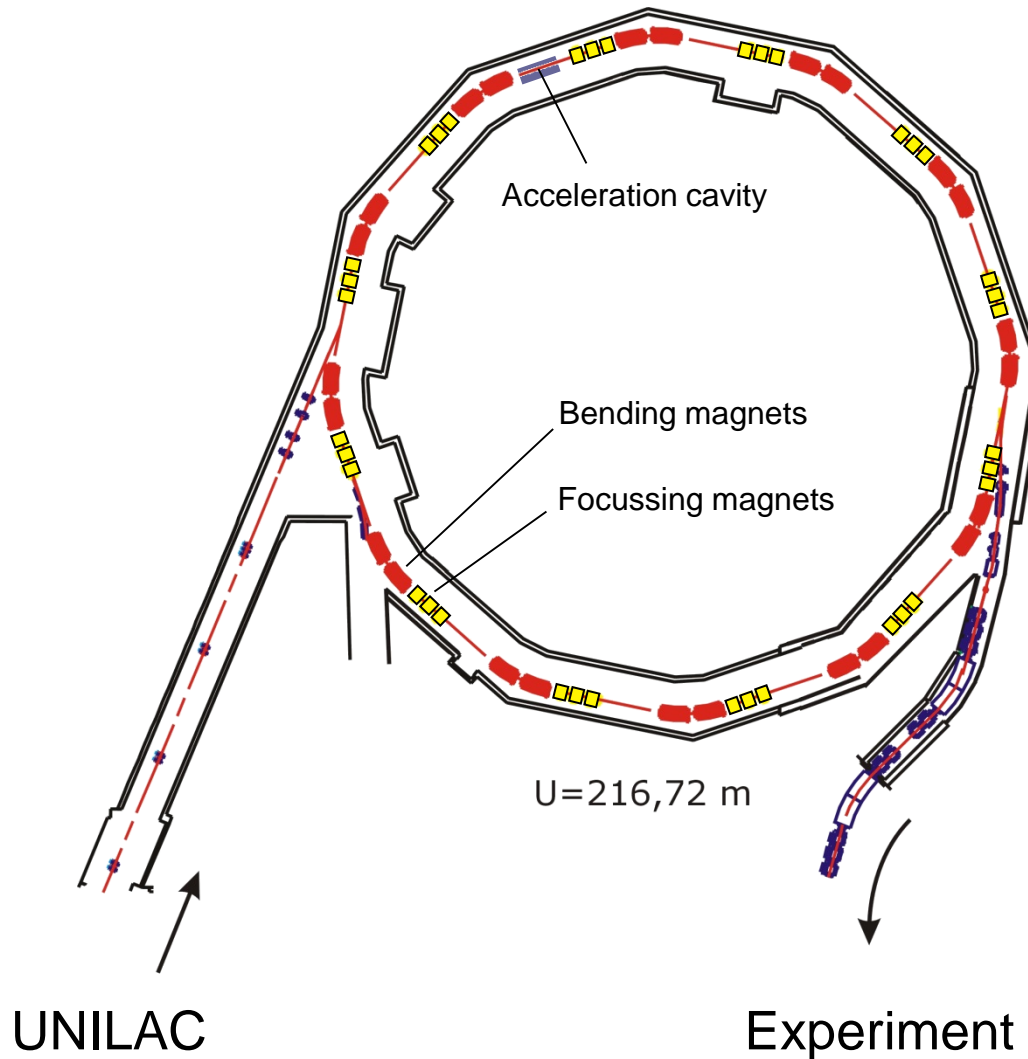








# Heavy-ion synchrotron SIS18

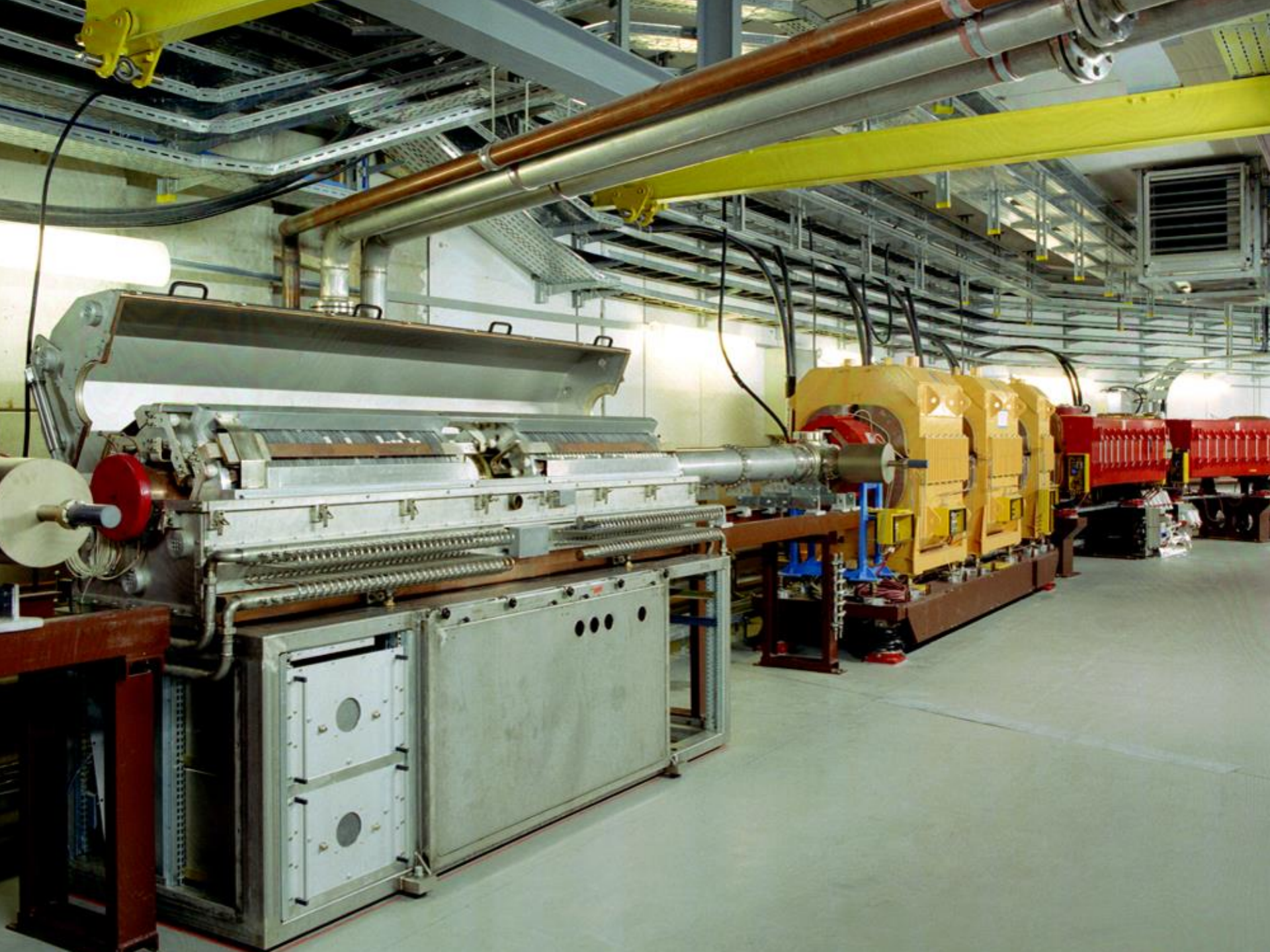


- Circumference: 216 m
- Acceleration: more than 100 000 turns per second
- Magnets: up to 1.8 T



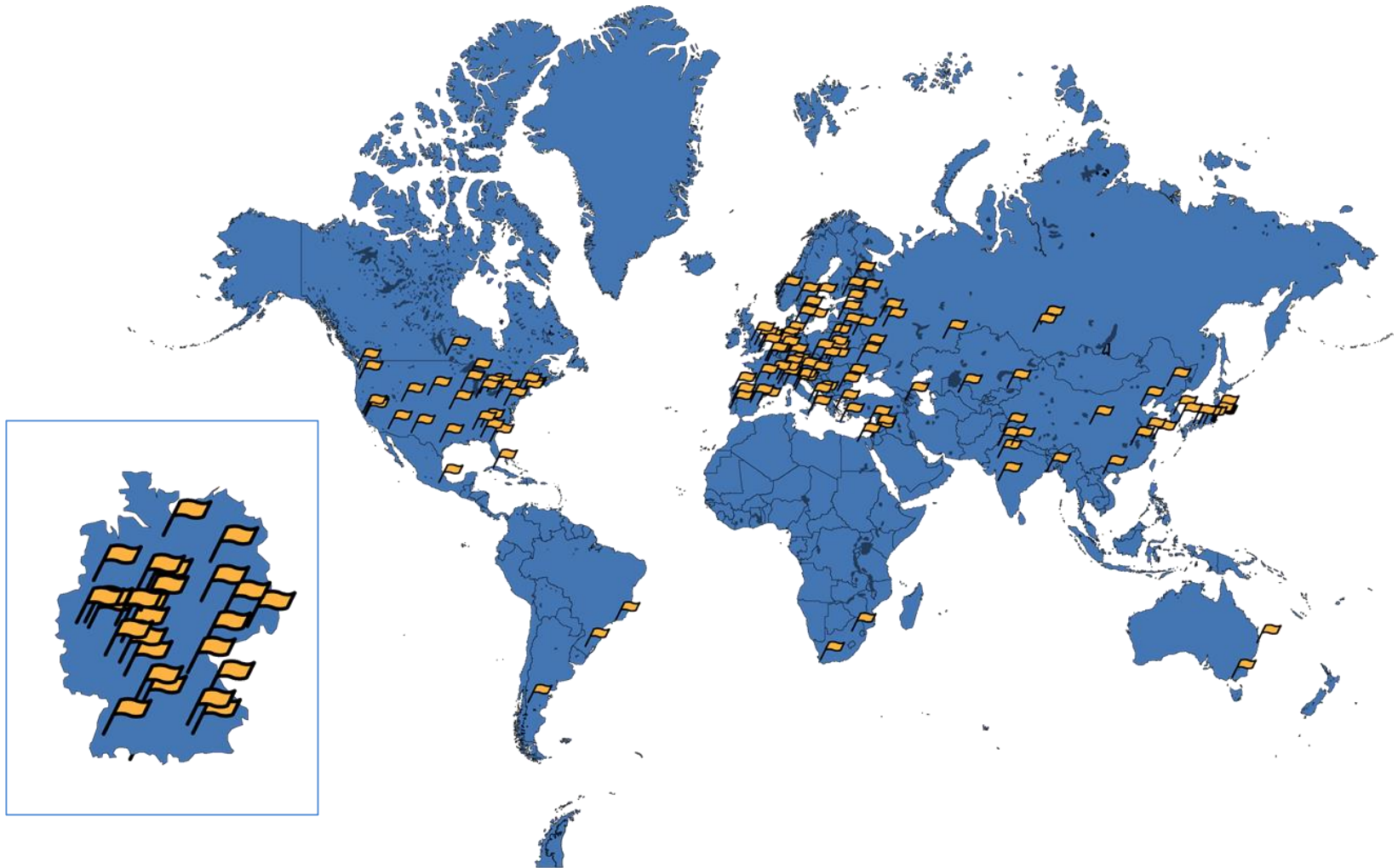






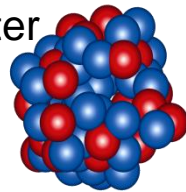


# Worldwide Cooperations in more than 50 countries



## Nuclear physics (50%)

- Nuclear reactions
- hot and dense nuclear matter
- Superheavy elements



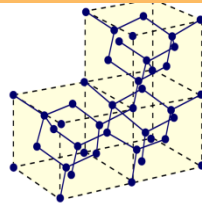
## Biophysics and radiation physics (15%)

- Radiobiological effects of ions
- Tumor therapy with ion beams



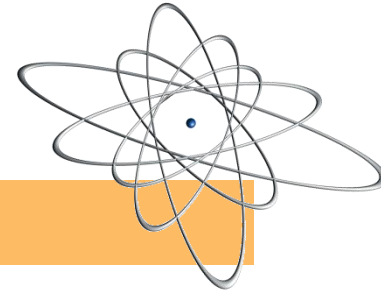
## Material research (5%)

- Ion-material interaction
- Structuring of materials with ion beams



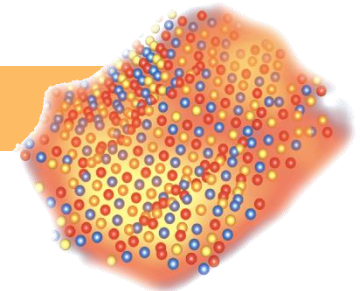
## Atomic physics (15%)

- Atomic reactions
- Precision spectroscopy of highly charged ions



## Plasma physics (5%)

- Hot and dense plasmas
- Ion-plasma interaction



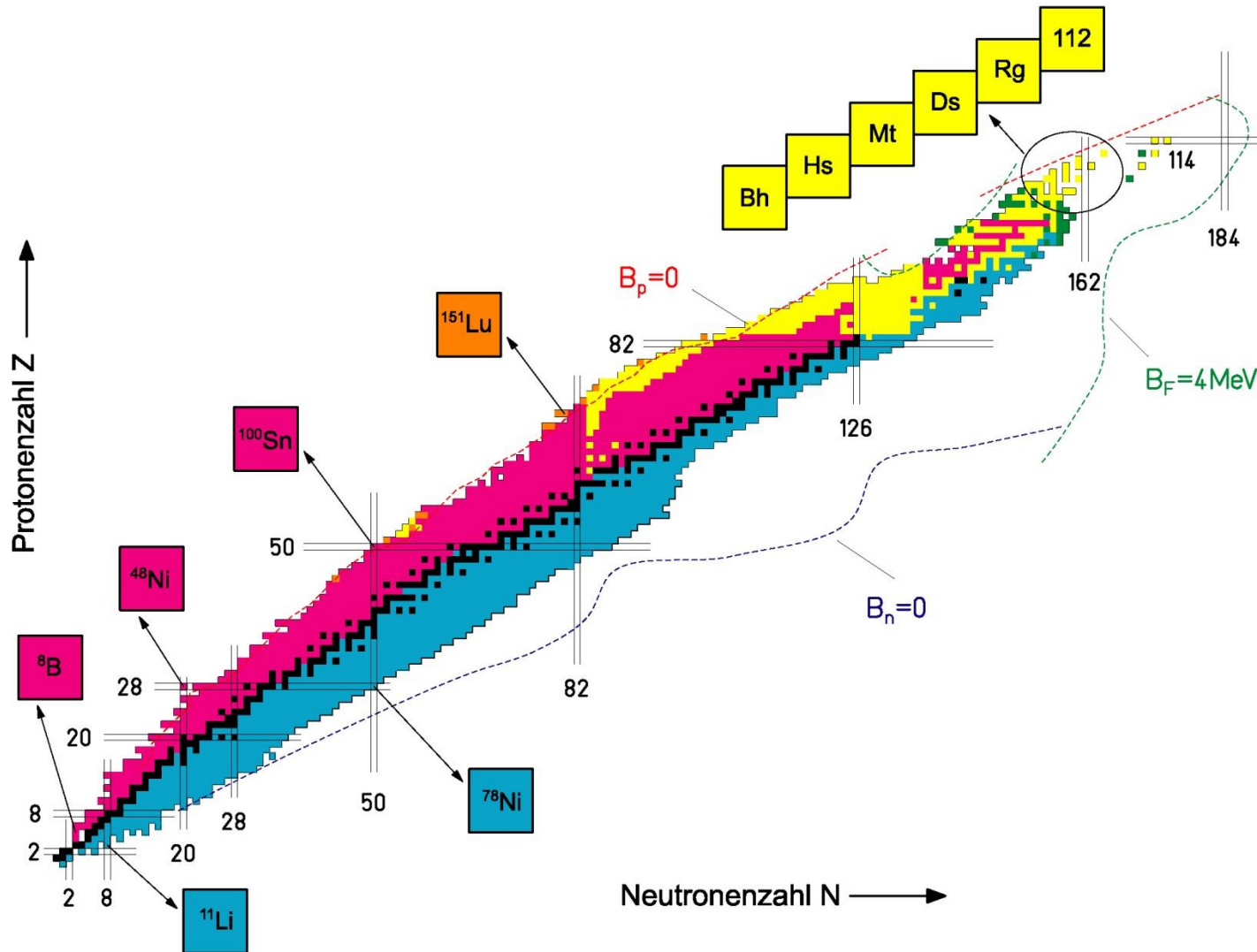
## Accelerator technology (10%)

- Linear accelerators
- Synchrotrons und storage rings

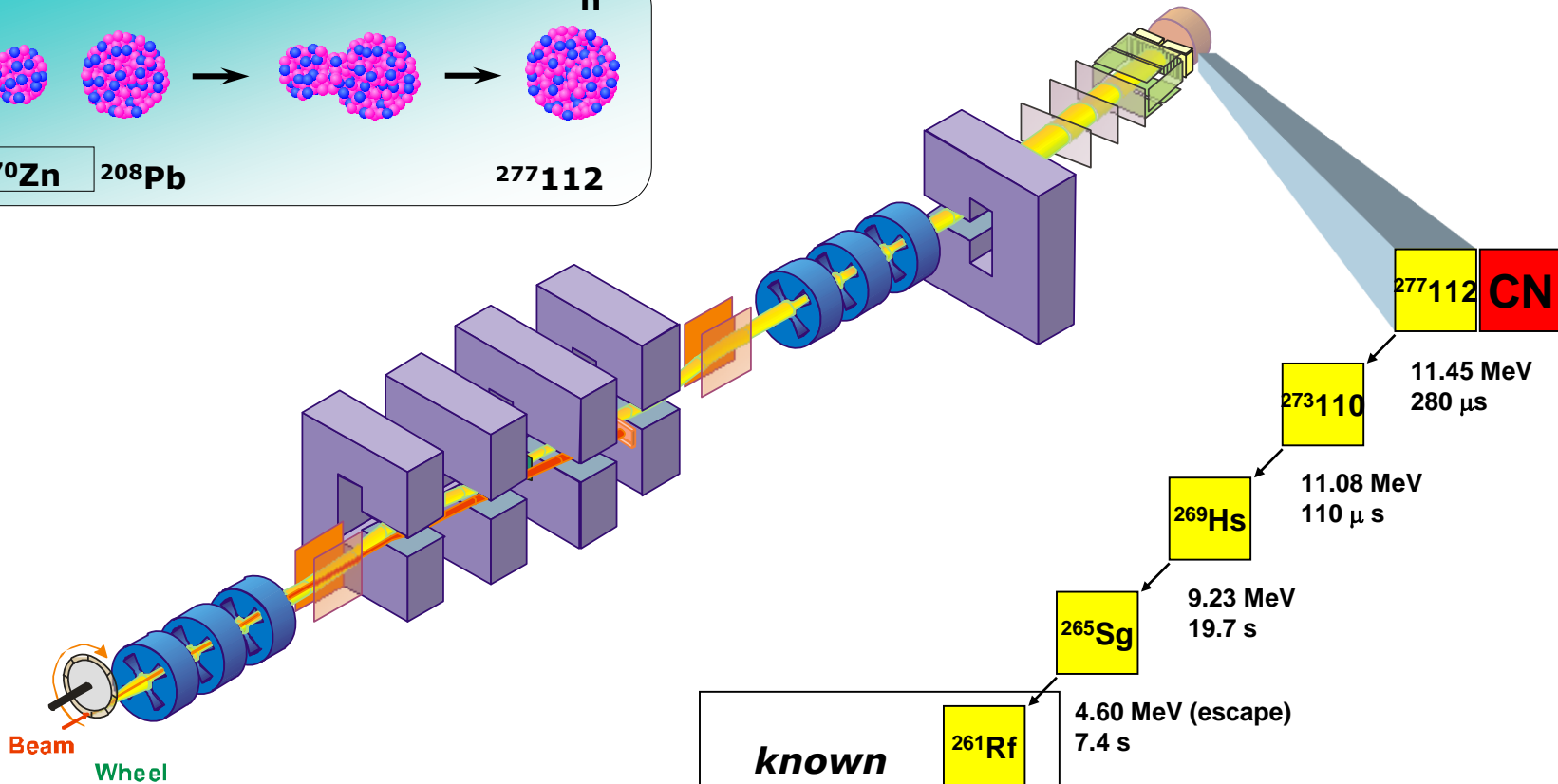
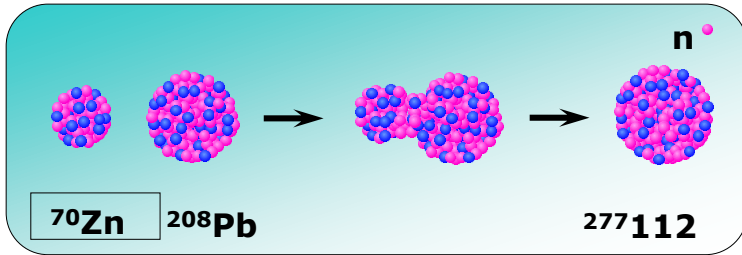




# Superheavy elements

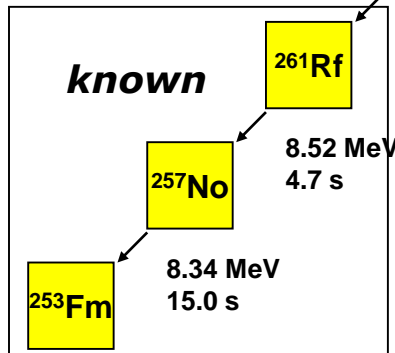


# Superheavy elements



SHIP: kinematic separation in flight

Date: 09-Feb-1996  
Time: 22:37 h



identification by  $\alpha$ - $\alpha$  correlations to known nuclides



# Superheavy elements



# Periodic system of elements

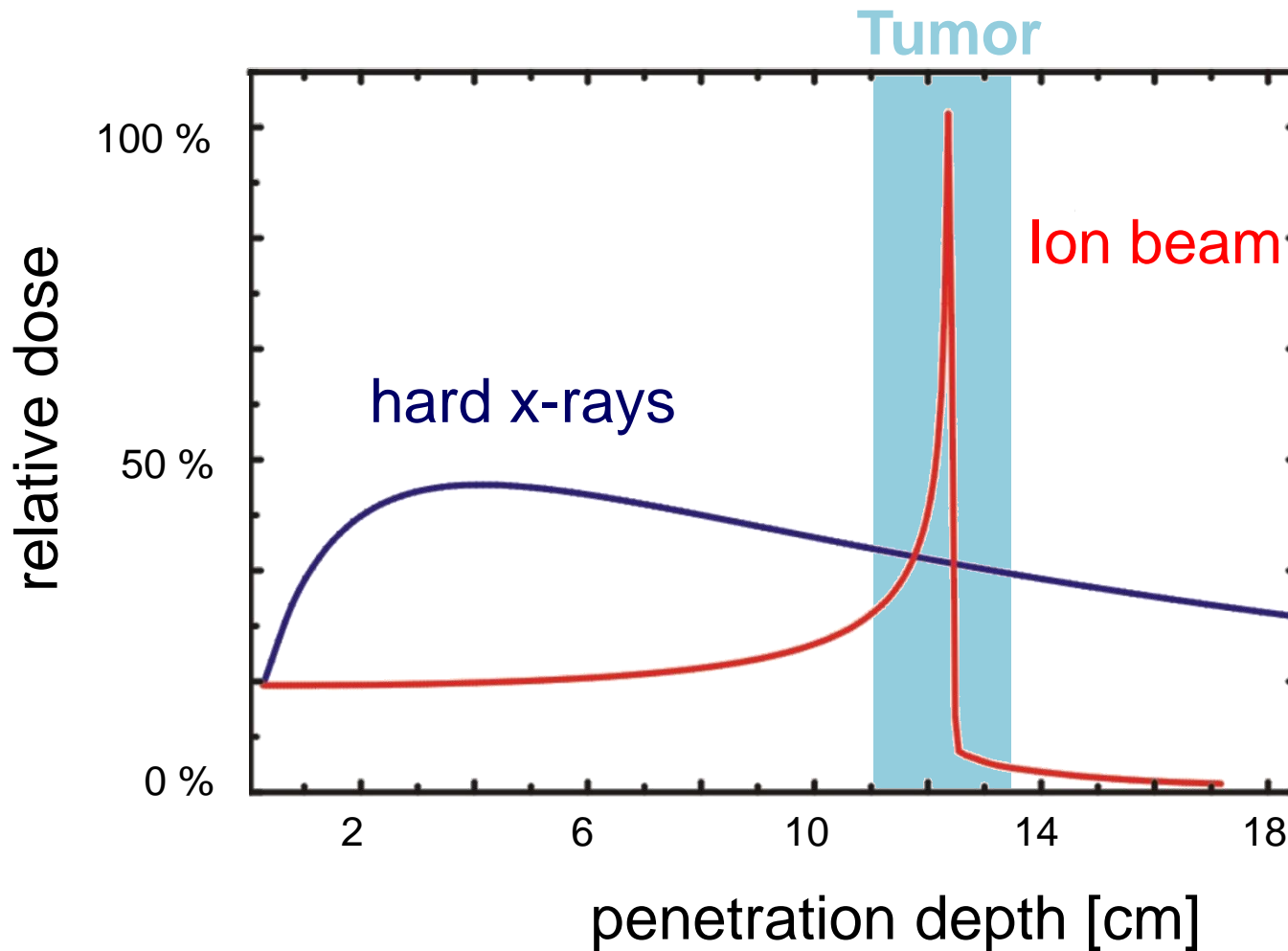
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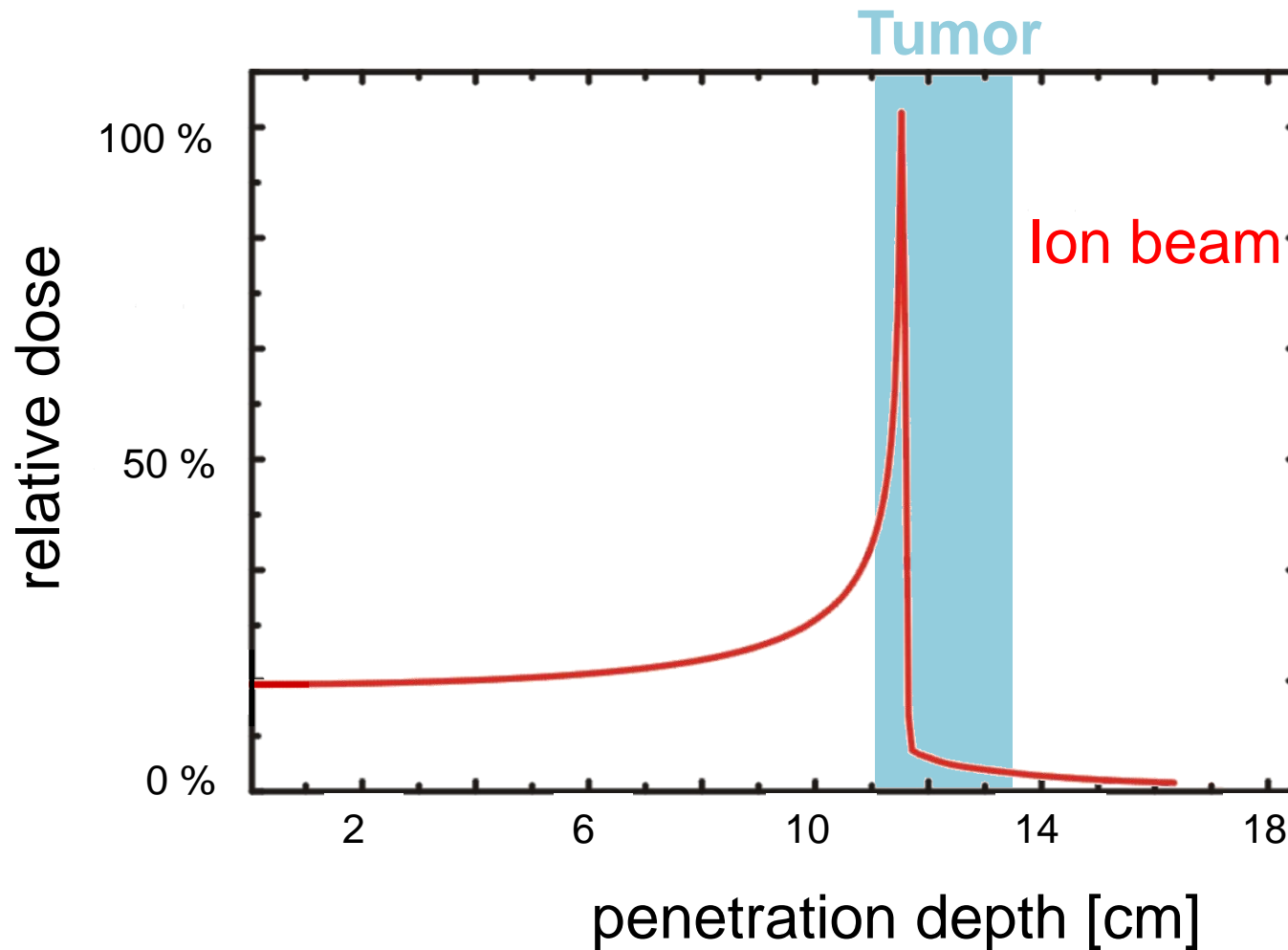


# Tumor therapy with heavy ions



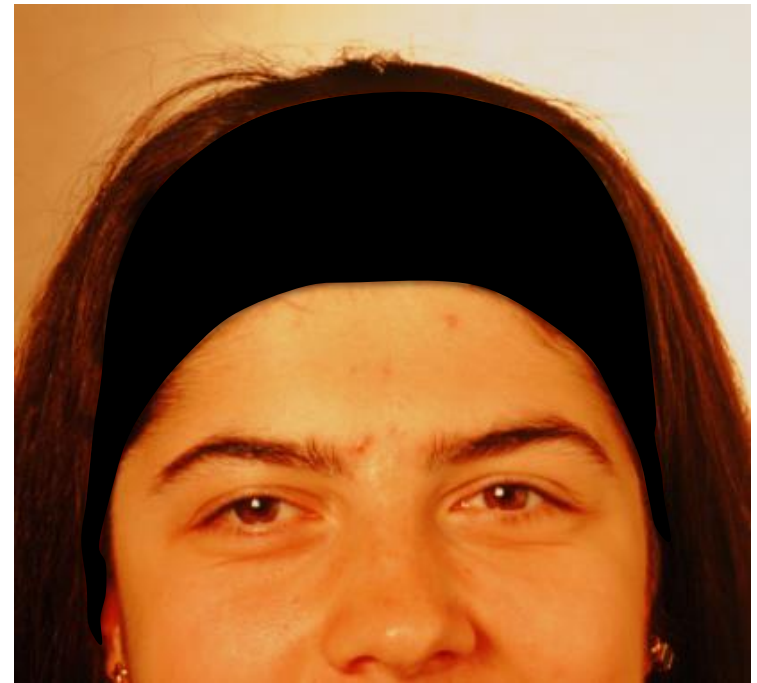








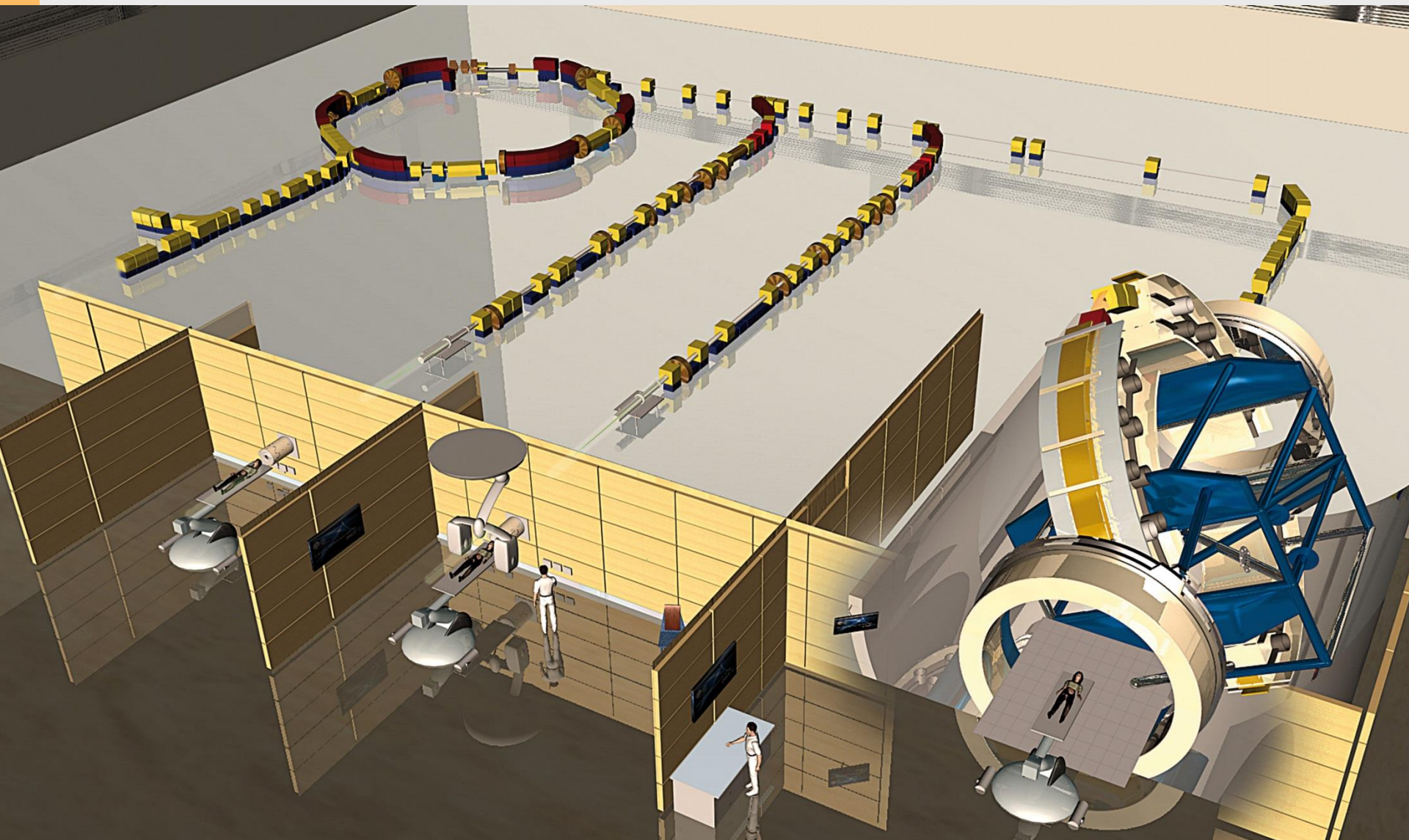
Prior to Carbon therapy



6 weeks after  
Carbon therapy



# Heidelberger Ionenstrahl- Therapiezentrum (HIT)





# Heidelberger Ionenstrahl Therapiezentrum (HIT)

Inauguration Nov. 2, 2009  
1000 patients per year



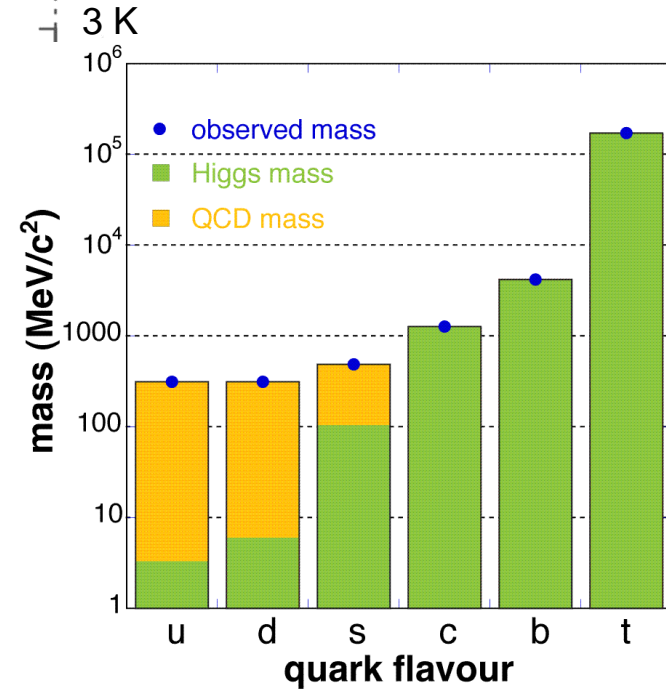
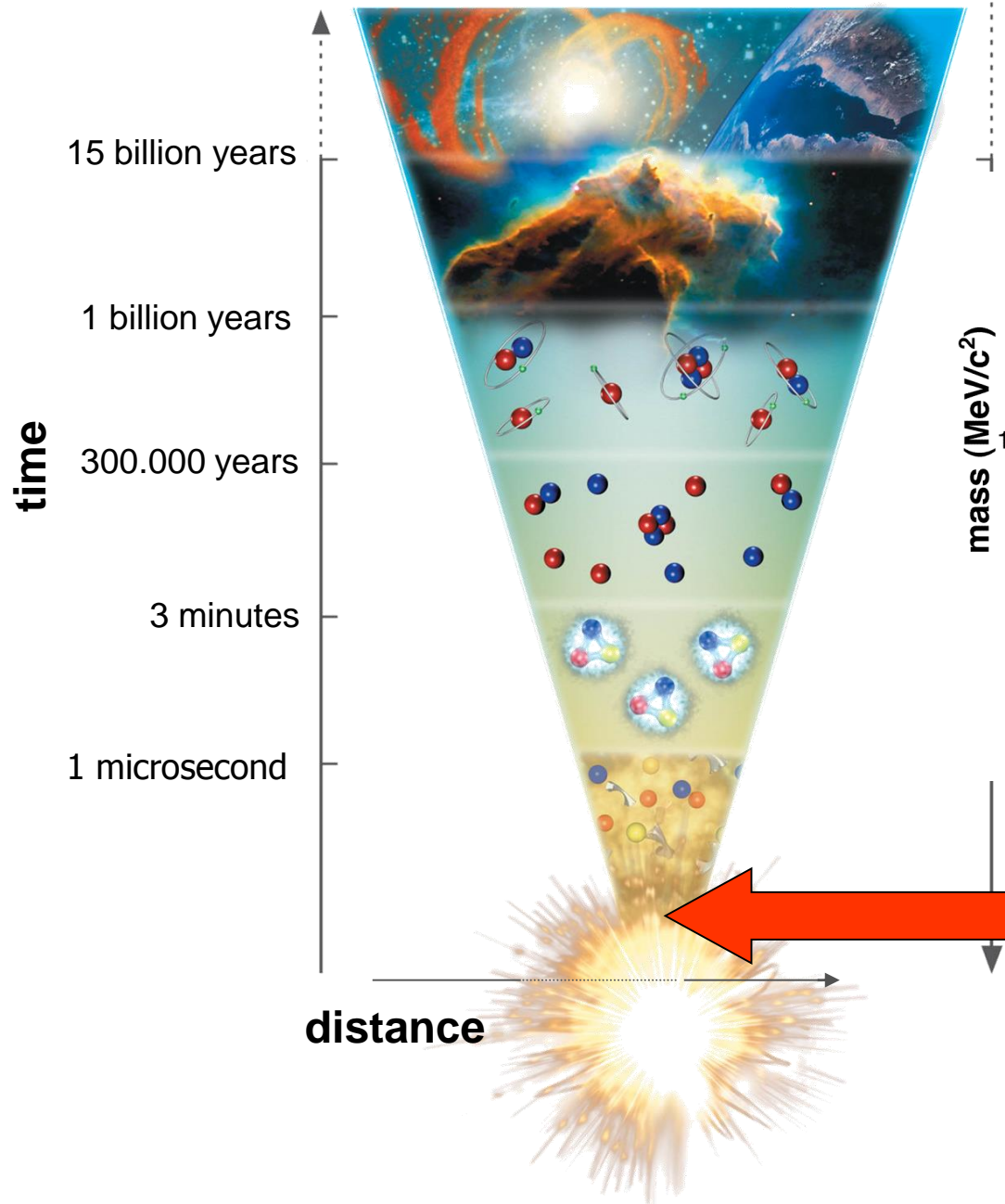


# Facility for Antiproton and Ion Research: Cosmic matter in the laboratory

- FAIR is worldwide the largest project in fundamental science.
  - Forefront research in nuclear, hadron, atom, plasma, antimatter, and applied physics.
  - Member states: Germany, Russia, India, Poland, Romania, France, Finland, Sweden, Slovenia, Great Britain.
  - 2500 – 3000 users per year.
  - Total costs ca. 1.7 Mrd. €, full completion in 2025.
  - Financing: Fed. Rep. Germany 60%, Hesse 10%, partner countries 30%
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# The evolution of matter in the universe



Explicit breaking  
of Chiral Symmetry  
(Higgs mechanism)

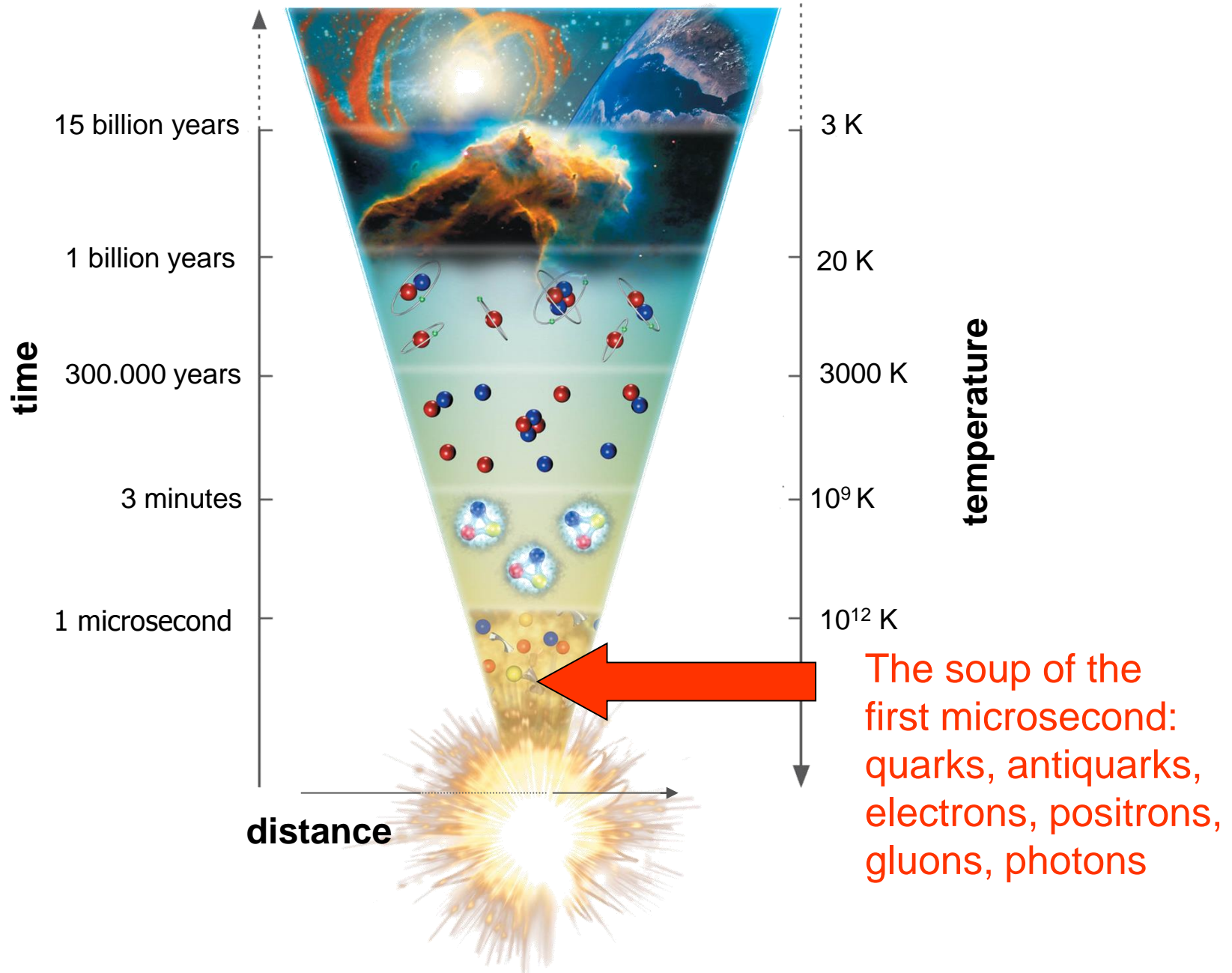
$$m_u \approx 5 \text{ MeV,}$$

$$m_d \approx 10 \text{ MeV,}$$

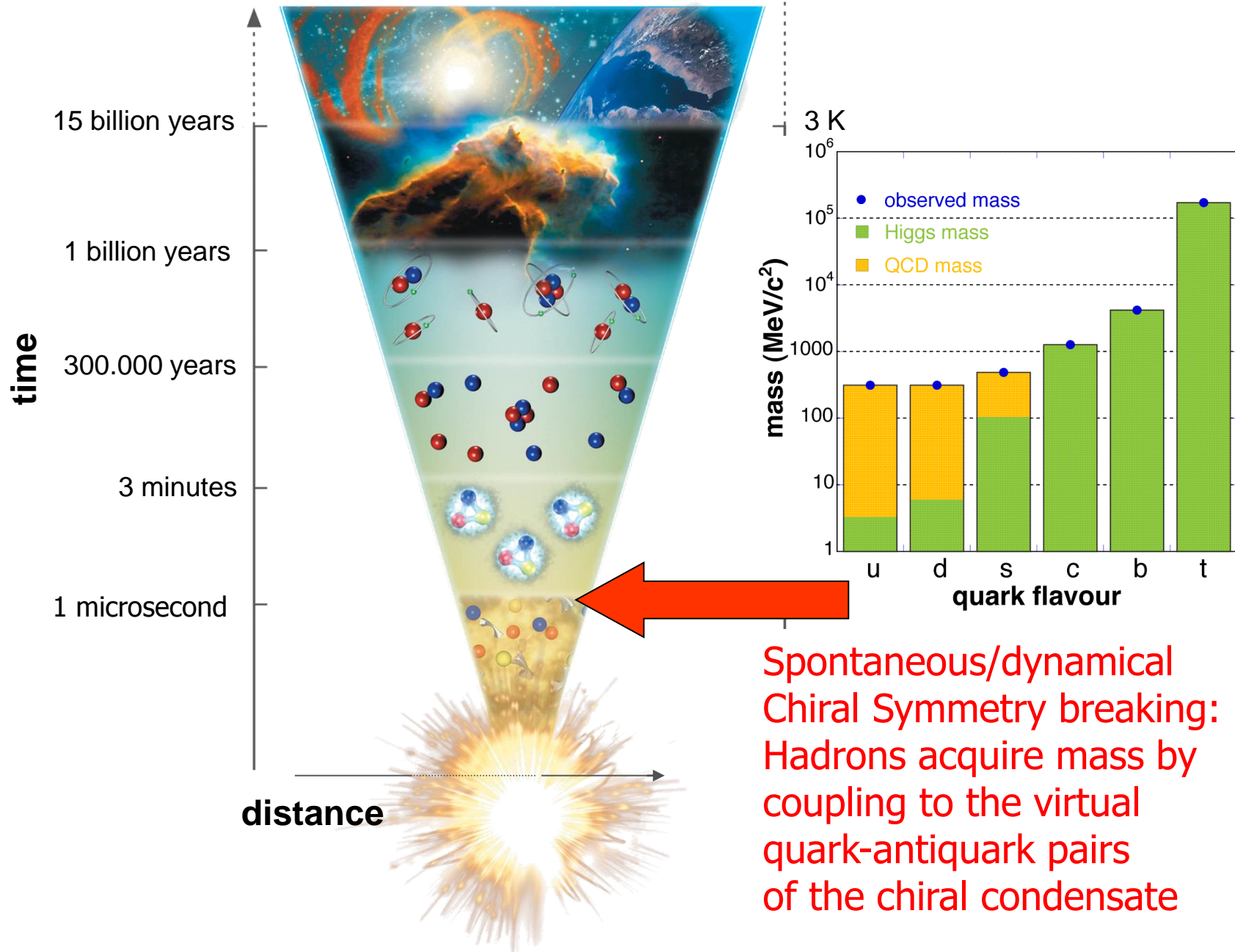
$$m_s \approx 150 \text{ MeV}$$



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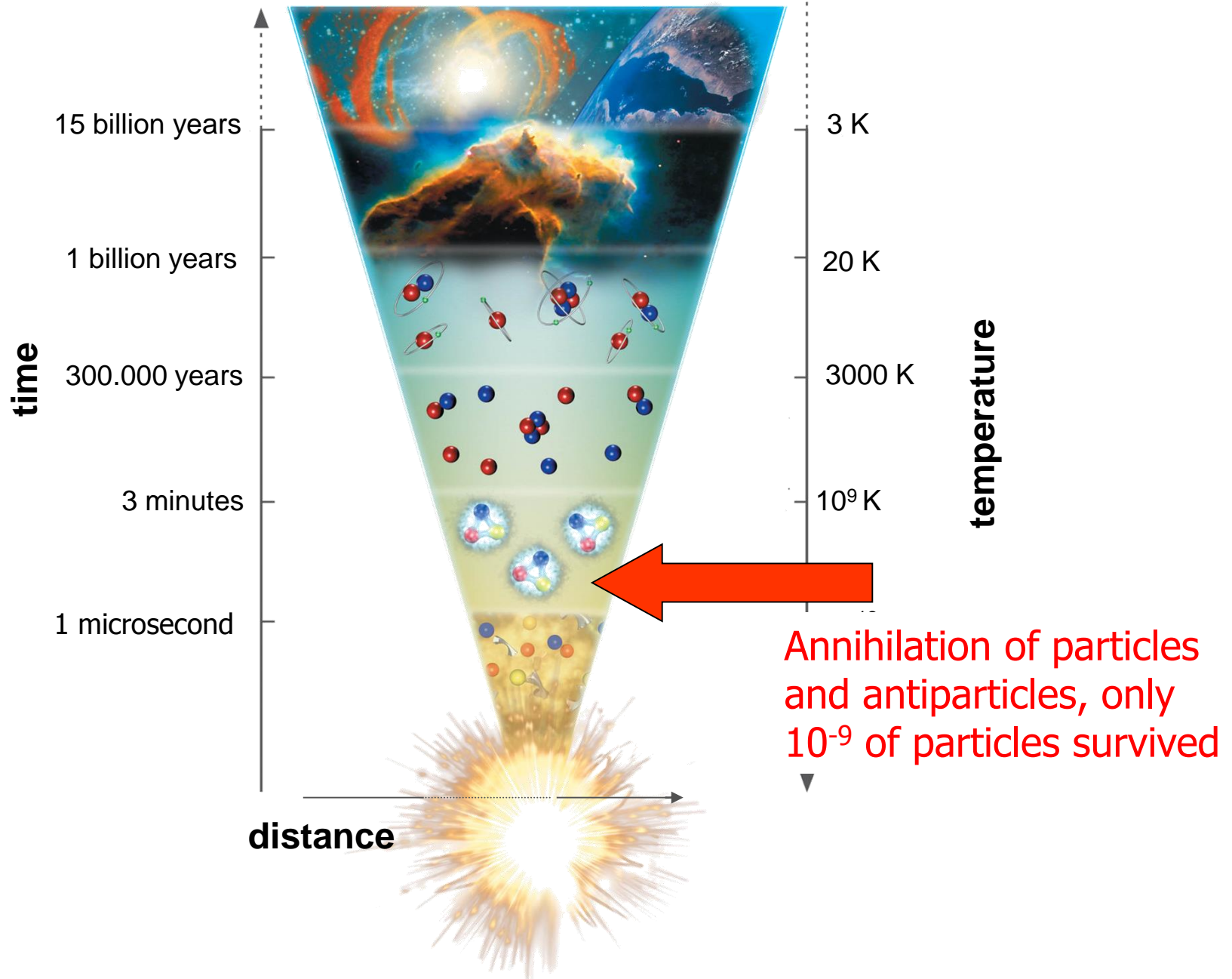


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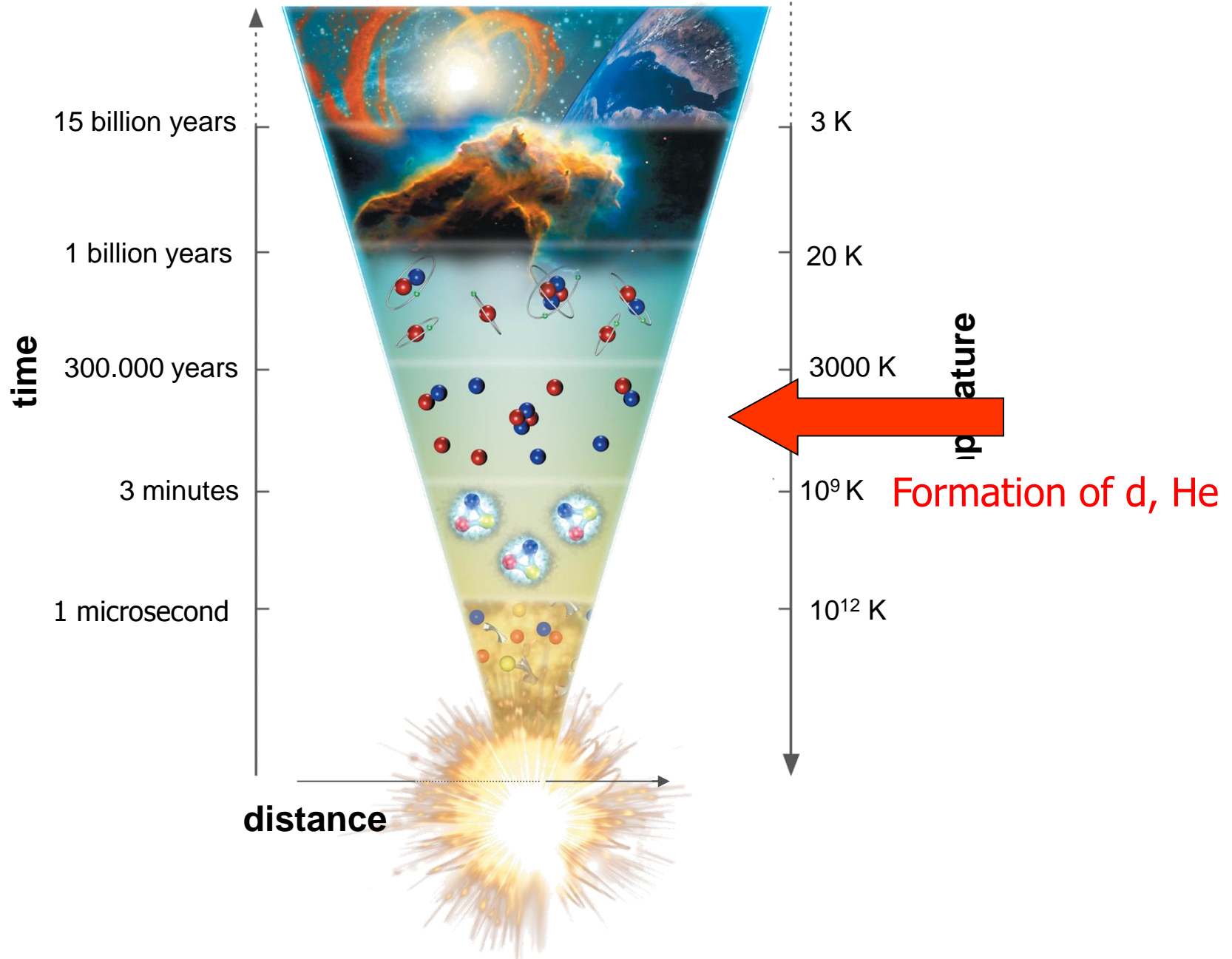




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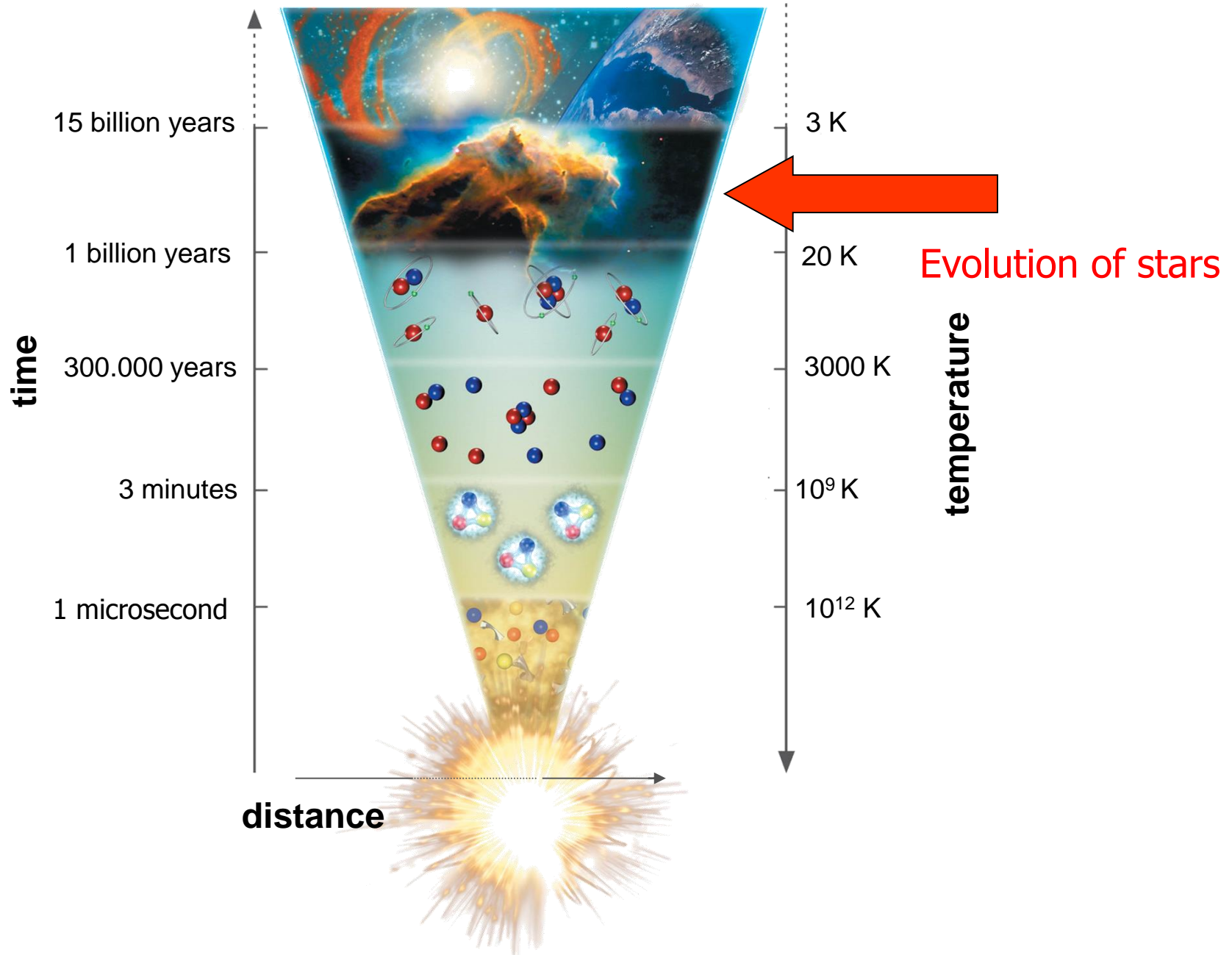


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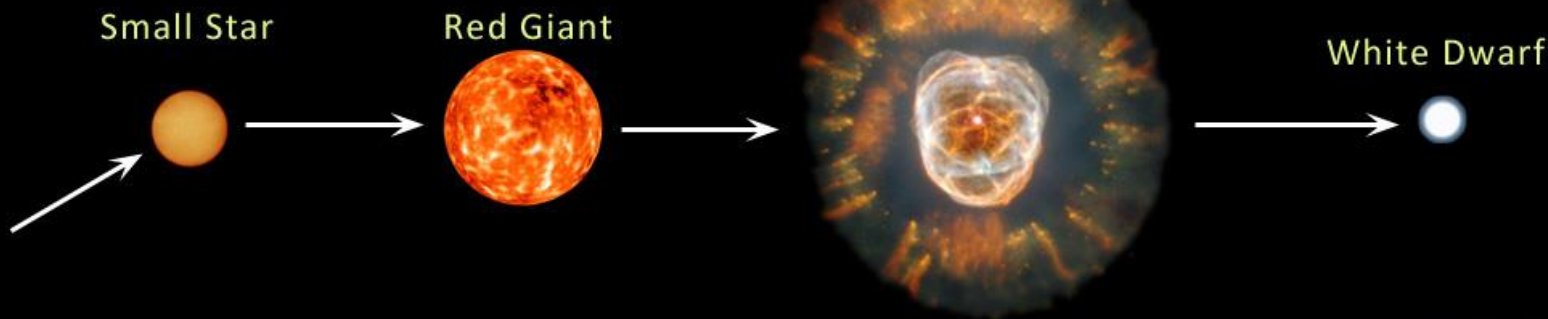


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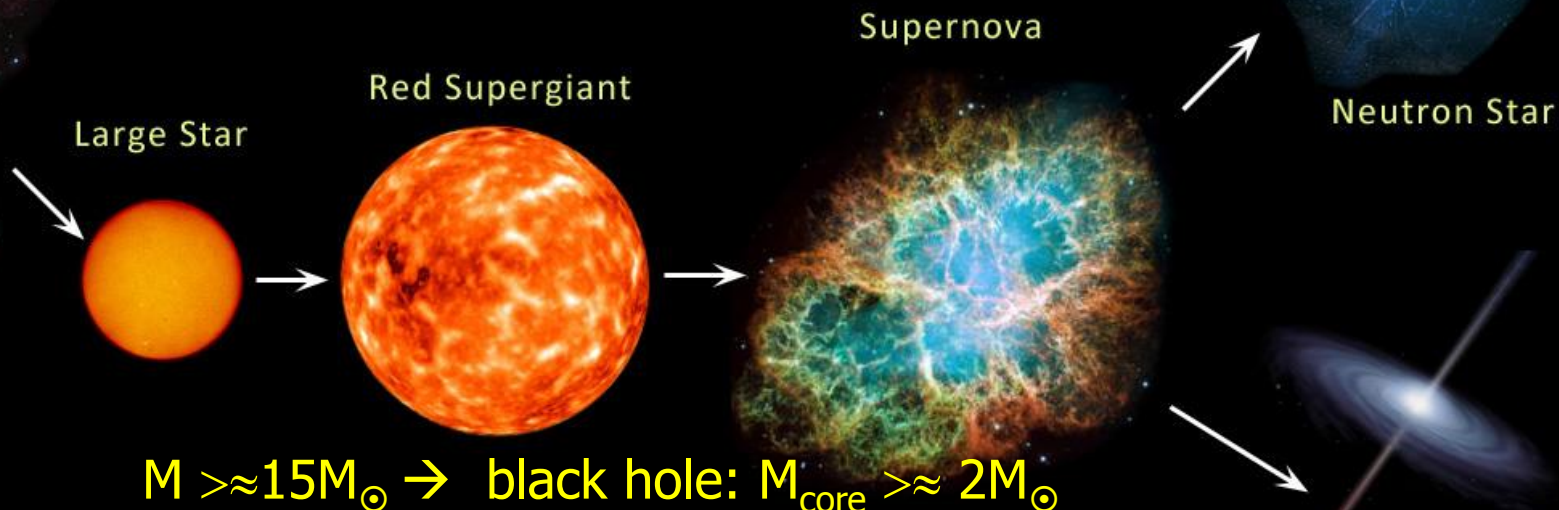


# The evolution of stars

$M < \approx 8M_{\odot} \rightarrow$  white dwarf



$8M_{\odot} < M < 15M_{\odot} \rightarrow$  neutron star:  $1.4M_{\odot} < M_{\text{core}} < 2M_{\odot}$



$M > \approx 15M_{\odot} \rightarrow$  black hole:  $M_{\text{core}} > \approx 2M_{\odot}$

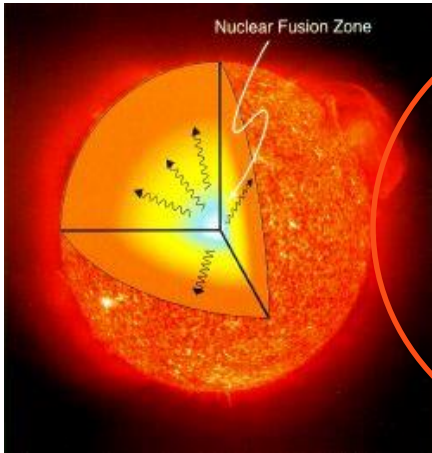
Stellar Cloud with Protostars



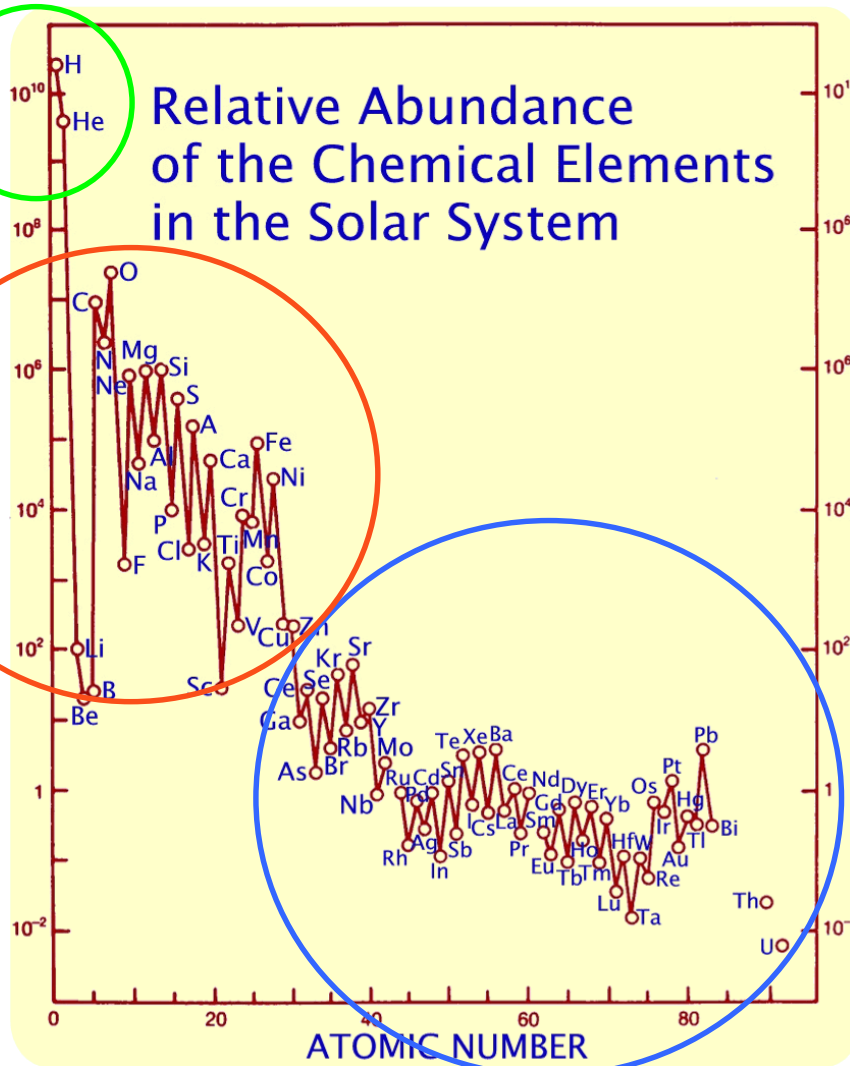


# The Origin of Elements

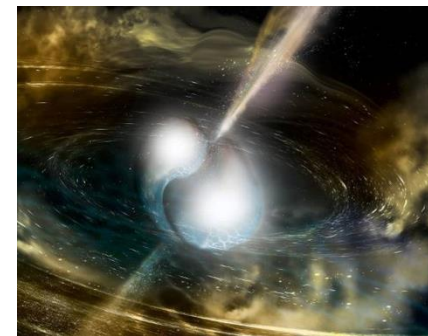
Nukleosynthesis after the Big Bang



Nuclear fusion in stars



Neutron capture in Red Giants (s-process) or in supernovae or neutron star mergers (r-process)





Discovery of the first pulsar in 1968

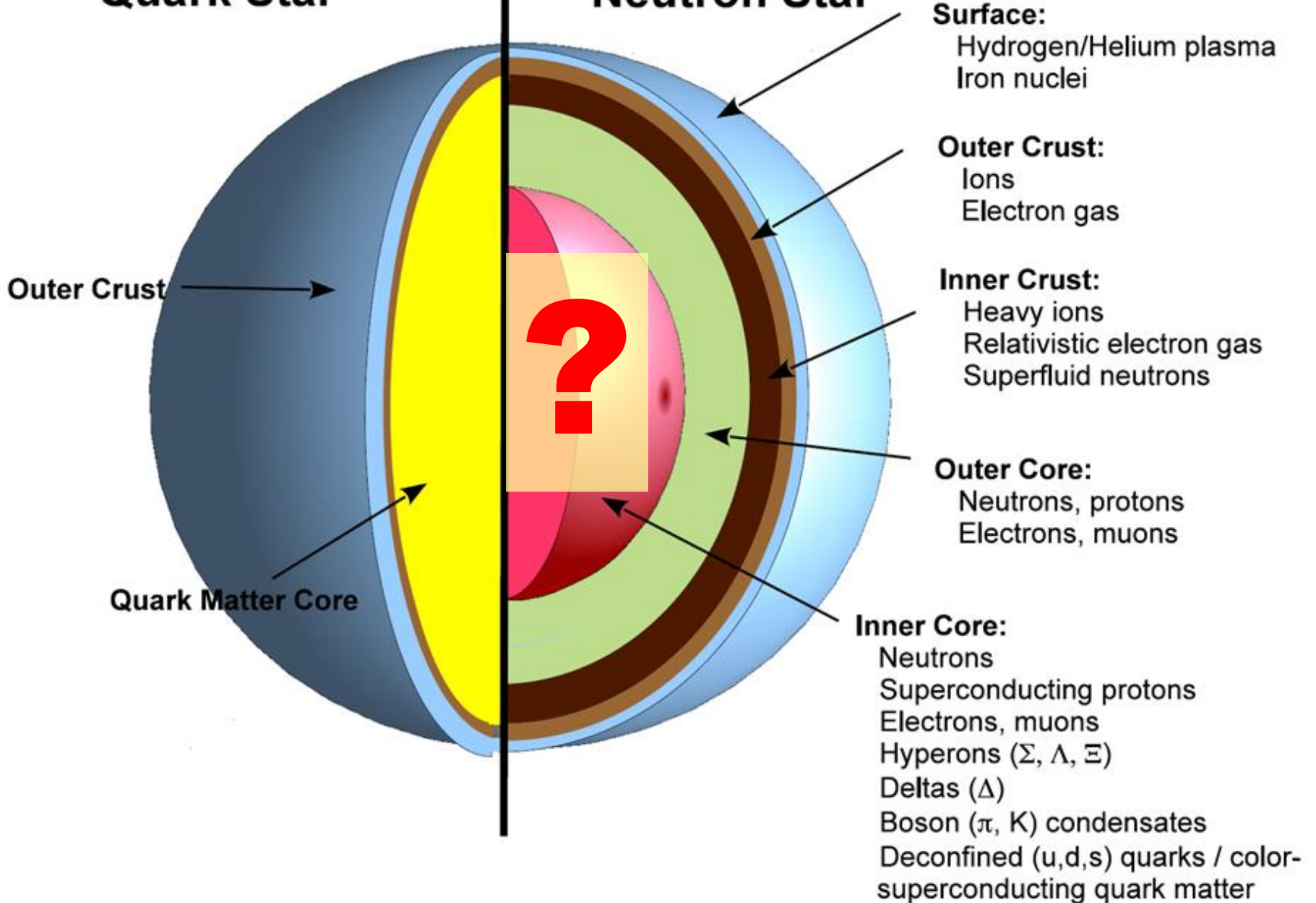
Crab nebula:

ashes of a core collapse supernova observed in 1054 by Chinese astronomers. The "visiting star" was as bright as the Venus for more than 20 days.



# Quark Star

# Neutron Star



# Fundamental questions

What is the origin of the mass of the universe?

What is the origin of the elements ?

What is the structure of neutron stars?

Can we ignite the solar fire on earth ?

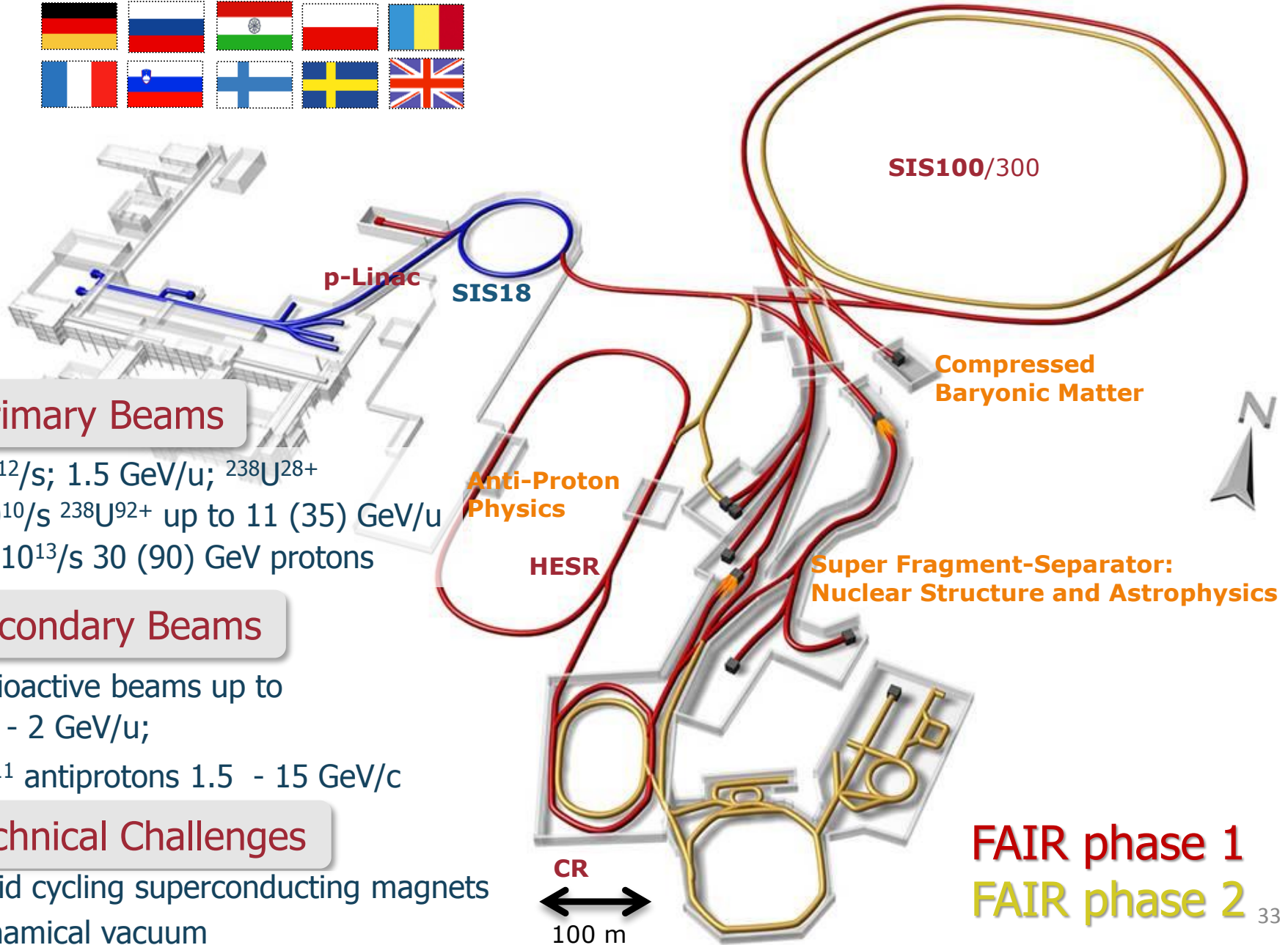
Does matter differ from antimatter ?

Why do we not observe individual quarks ?

→ to be explored at the future international  
Facility for Antiproton and Ion Research (FAIR)



# Facility for Antiproton & Ion Research



## Primary Beams

- $10^{12}/s$ ; 1.5 GeV/u;  $^{238}\text{U}^{28+}$
- $10^{10}/s$   $^{238}\text{U}^{92+}$  up to 11 (35) GeV/u
- $3 \times 10^{13}/s$  30 (90) GeV protons

## Secondary Beams

- radioactive beams up to 1.5 - 2 GeV/u;
- $10^{11}$  antiprotons 1.5 - 15 GeV/c

## Technical Challenges

- rapid cycling superconducting magnets
- dynamical vacuum

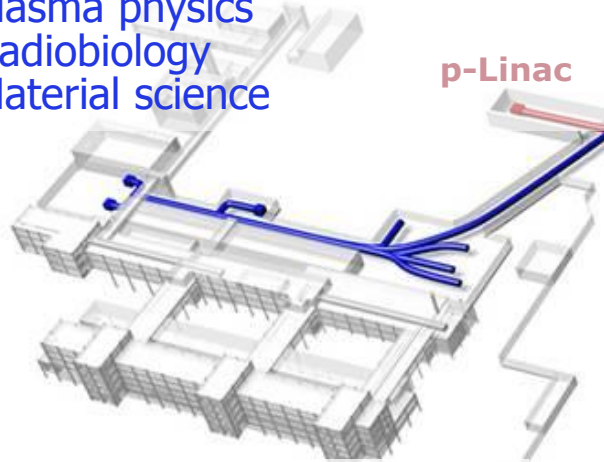
**FAIR phase 1**  
**FAIR phase 2** 33

# Facility for Antiproton & Ion Research

## Experimental programs:

### APPA: Atomic & Plasma Physics & Applications

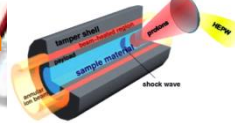
- Highly charged atoms
- Plasma physics
- Radiobiology
- Material science



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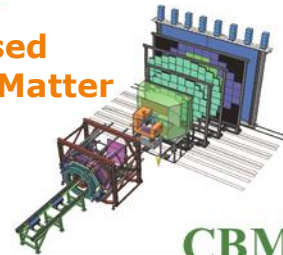
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### Anti-Proton Physics



SIS100/300

### Compressed Baryonic Matter

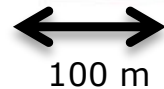


CBM

### Super Fragment-Separator: Nuclear Structure and Astrophysics



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FAIR phase 1  
FAIR phase 2

### CBM: Nucleus-nucleus collisions

- Nuclear matter at neutron star core densities
- Phase transitions from hadrons to quarks

### NUSTAR: Rare Isotope beams

- Nuclear structure far off stability
- Nucleosynthesis in stars and supernovae

### PANDA: Antiproton-proton collisions:

- Charmed hadrons (XYZ)
- Gluonic matter and hybrids
- Hadron structure
- Double Lambda hypernuclei



# NUclear STructure Astrophysics and Reactions

## How are complex nuclei built from their basic constituents?

- What is the effective nucleon-nucleon interaction and how does QCD constrain its parameters?
- How does the three-nucleon force modify the picture?

## How does the effective nuclear force depend on varying proton-to-neutron ratios?

- What is the isospin dependence of the spin-orbit force?
- How does shell structure change far from stability?
- How does the role of N-N correlations in nuclei and nuclear matter change with isospin?

## How to explain collective phenomena from individual motion?

- What are the phases, relevant degrees of freedom, and symmetries of the nuclear many-body system?

## What are the limits of existence of nuclei?

- Where are the proton and neutron drip lines situated?
- What are the heaviest elements?

## Which nuclei are relevant for astrophysical processes, what are their properties and what is their impact on nucleosynthesis modeling?

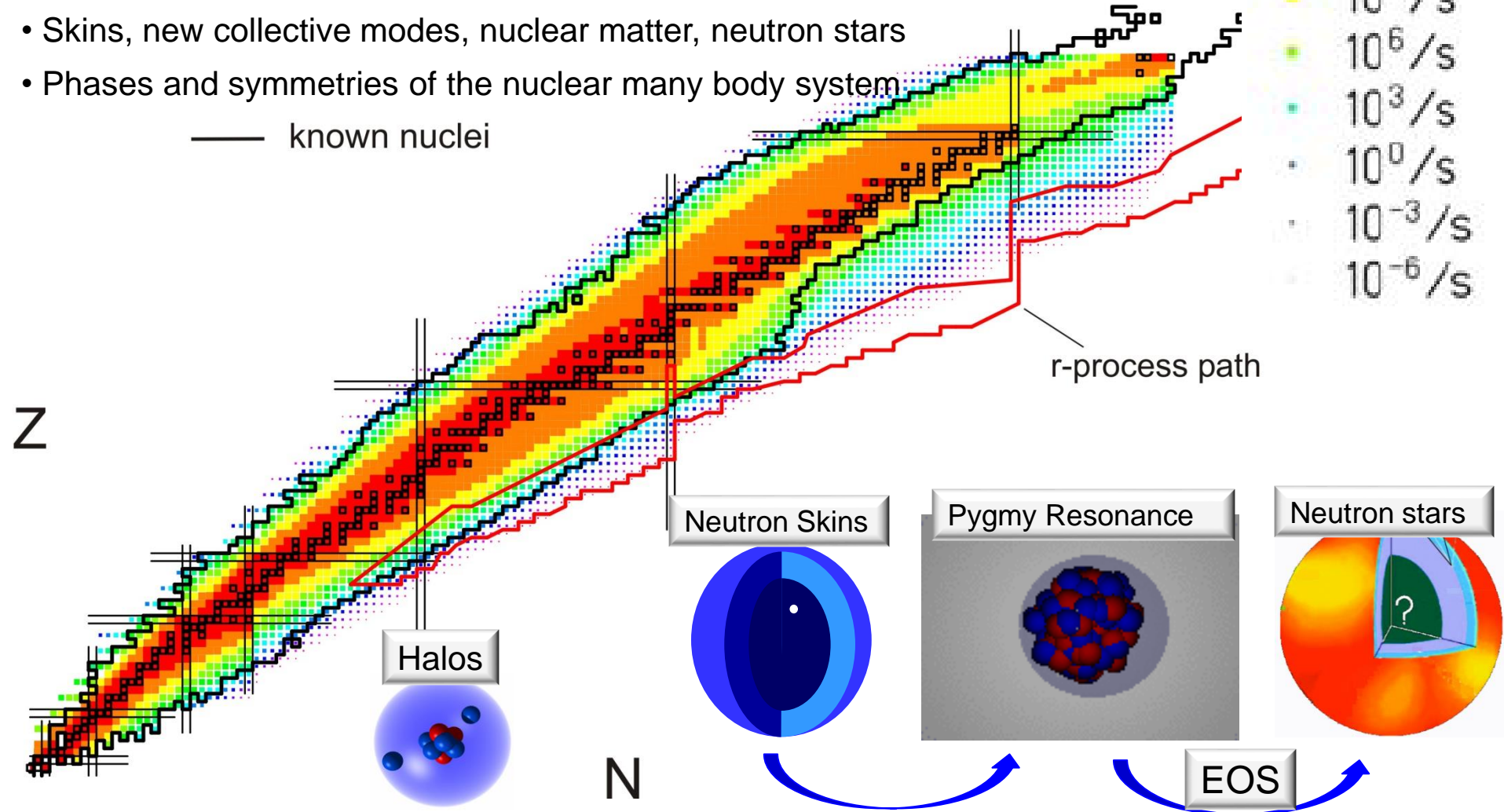
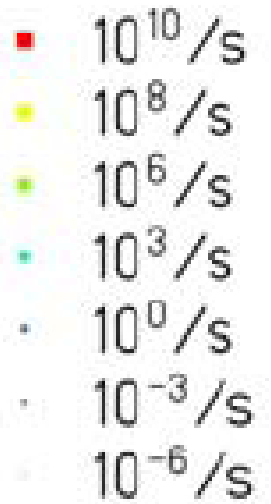
## How does the equation of state of nuclear matter change with neutron-to-proton asymmetry?

- How large is the symmetry energy and its density dependence?
- What are the properties of neutron-rich matter?

# Nuclear structure research at FAIR

- Limits of existence
- Halos, Open Quantum Systems, Few Body Correlations
- Skins, new collective modes, nuclear matter, neutron stars
- Phases and symmetries of the nuclear many body system

— known nuclei

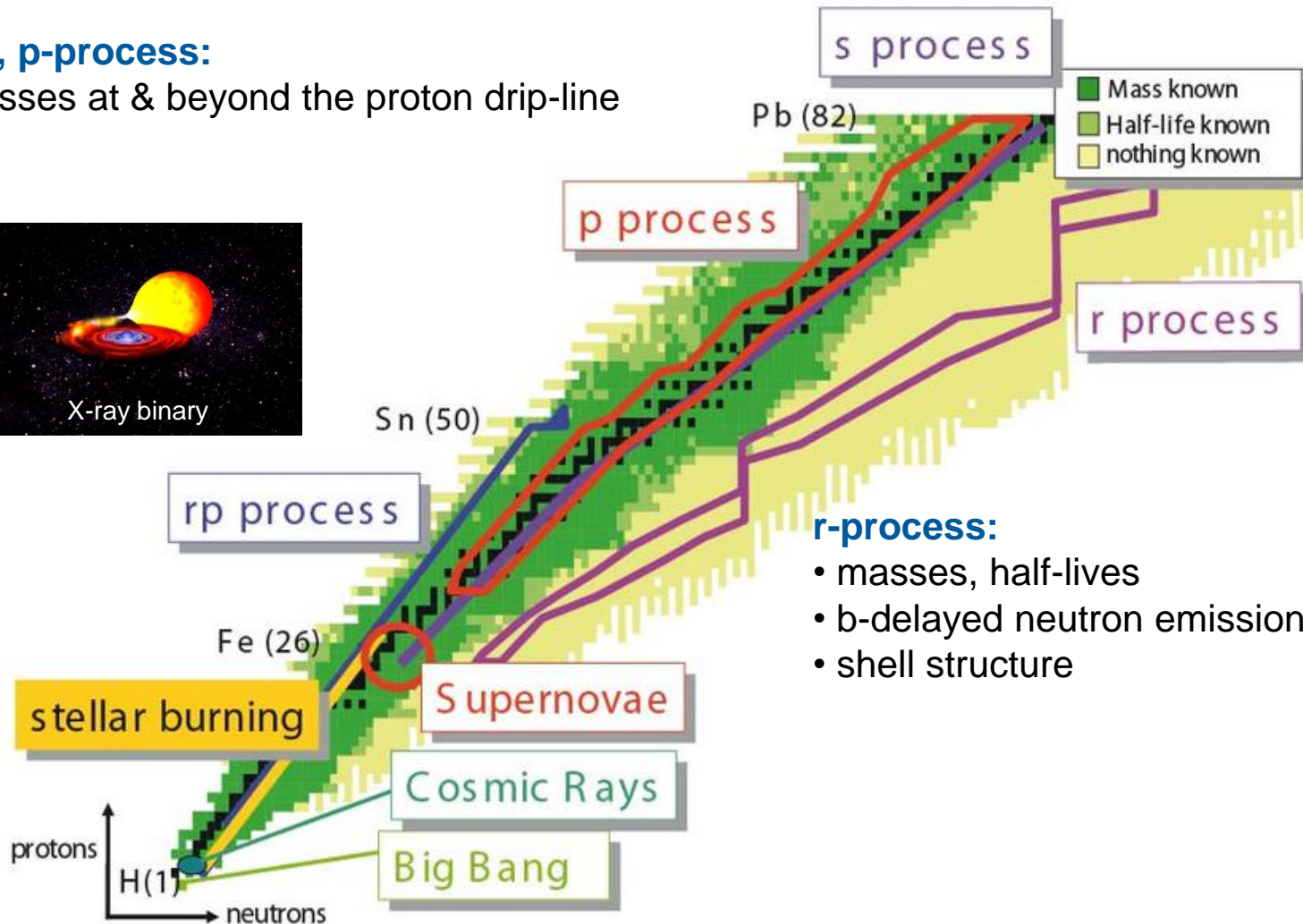




# Nuclear Astrophysics at FAIR

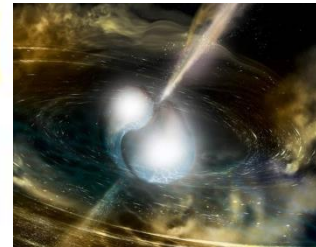
## rp-, p-process:

masses at & beyond the proton drip-line

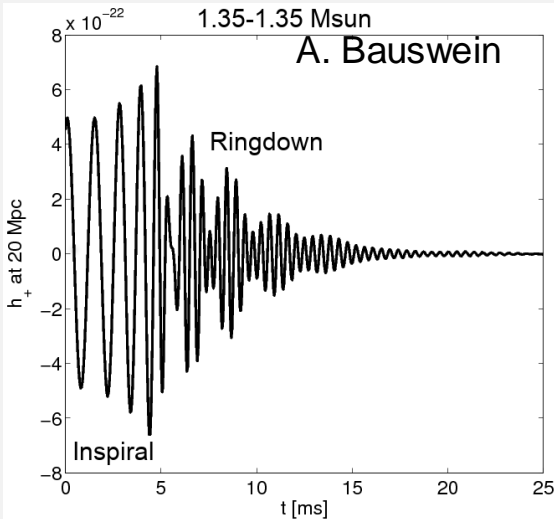


## r-process:

- masses, half-lives
- b-delayed neutron emission
- shell structure



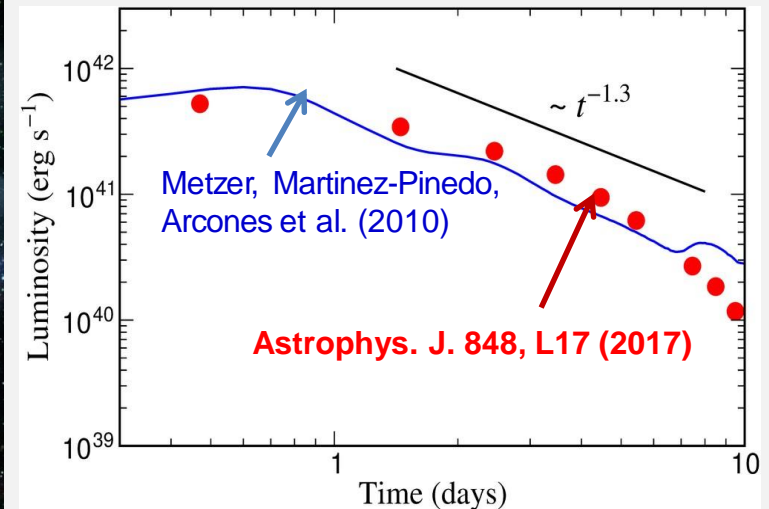
# Astrophysical site of heavy element production (r process) in the universe: Neutron star merger !



Gravitational  
Wave Signal



Neutron star merger



Electromagnetic  
"Kilonova" Signal

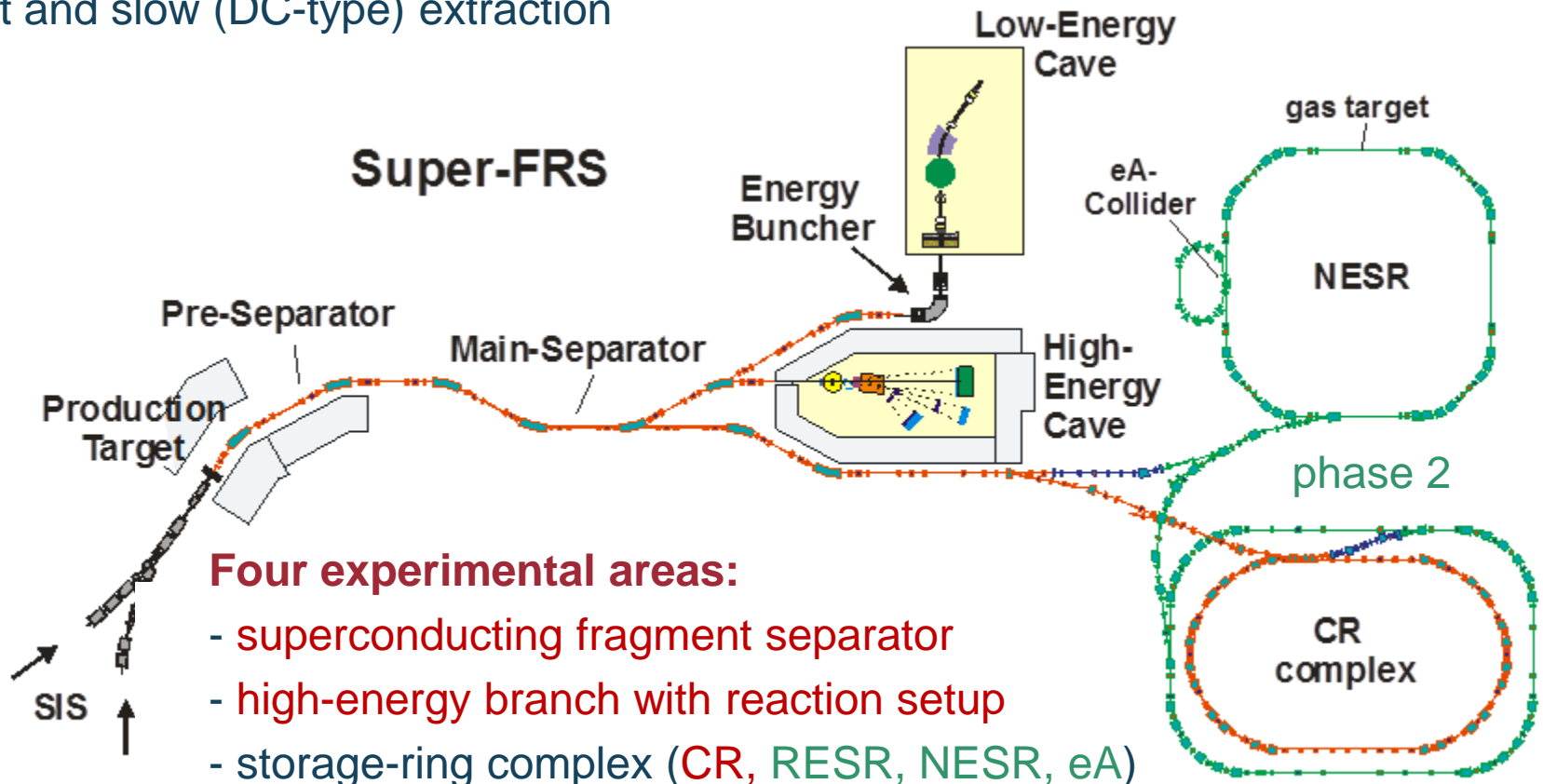
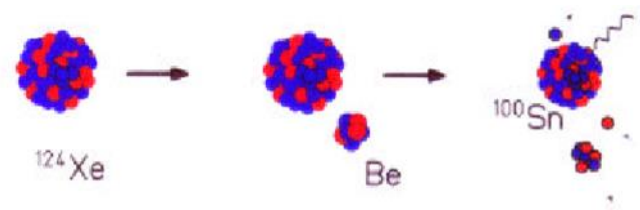
- Electromagnetic "Kilonova" signal due to "r process" in neutron star merger theoretically predicted by GSI scientists in 2010.
- Confirmation by recent astronomical observations after gravitational wave detection from GW170817 (September 2017).
- Source of heavy elements including gold, platinum and uranium.



# The **NUSTAR** experimental facilities at FAIR

## Important beam parameters:

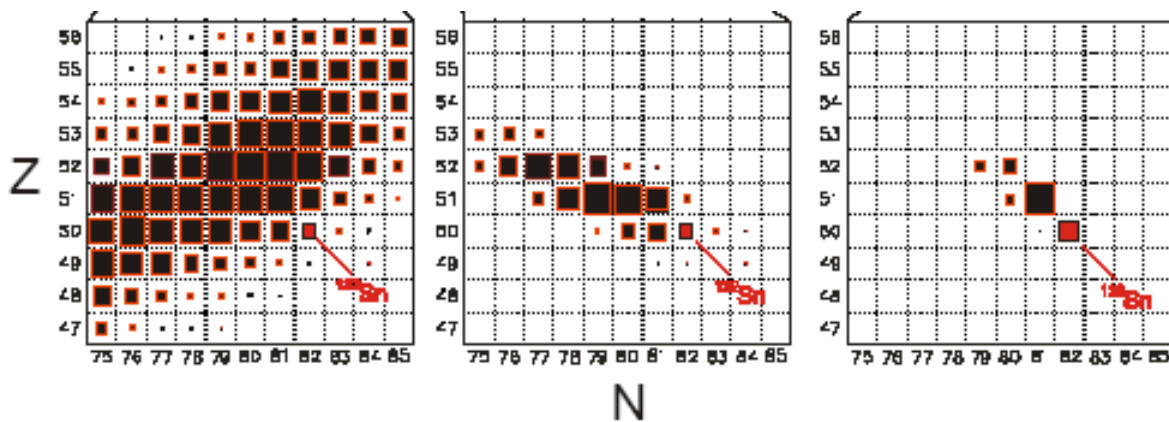
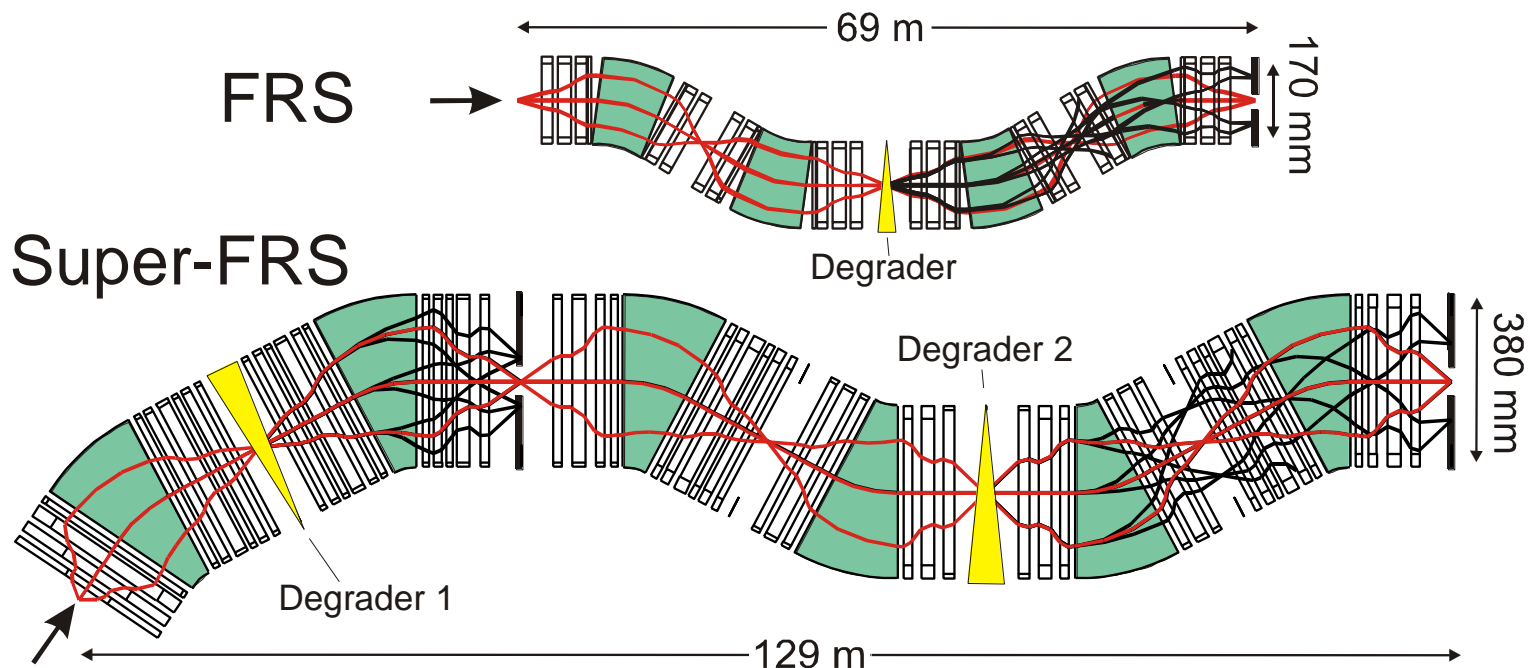
- all elements (H through U)
- intensity  $\sim 10^{12}$  ions/sec.
- beam energies up to 1.5 GeV/u
- fast and slow (DC-type) extraction



## Four experimental areas:

- superconducting fragment separator
- high-energy branch with reaction setup
- storage-ring complex (CR, RESR, NESR, eA)
- low-energy branch with energy focusing and re-acceleration

# Fragment-Separators at GSI and FAIR

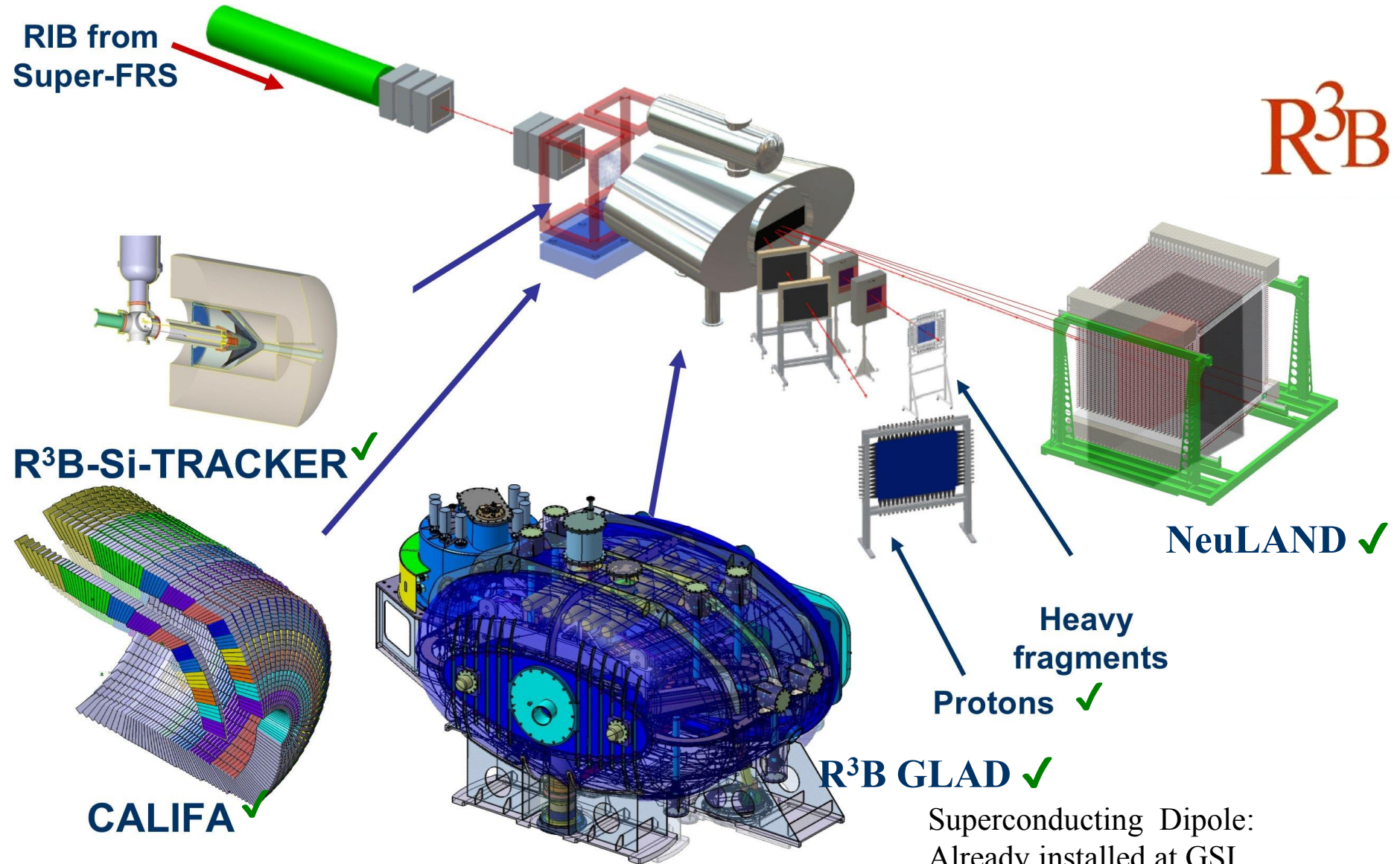




# Reactions with Relativistic Radioactive Beams R<sup>3</sup>B



## R<sup>3</sup>B



RIB from Super-FRS

R<sup>3</sup>B-Si-TRACKER ✓

CALIFA ✓

R<sup>3</sup>B GLAD ✓

NeuLAND ✓

Heavy fragments  
Protons ✓

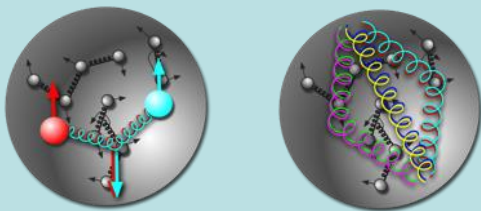
Superconducting Dipole:  
Already installed at GSI  
Construction by CEA Saclay

# GLAD magnet at GSI

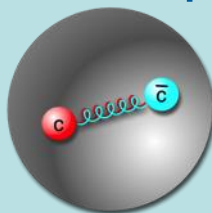




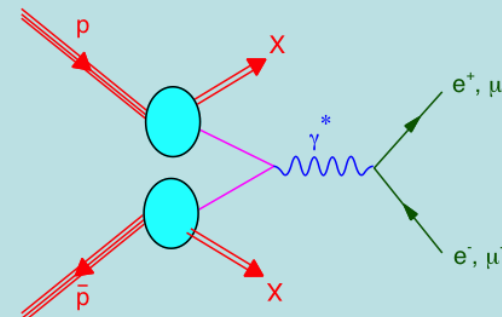
Gluonic excitations:  
Hybrids, glueballs



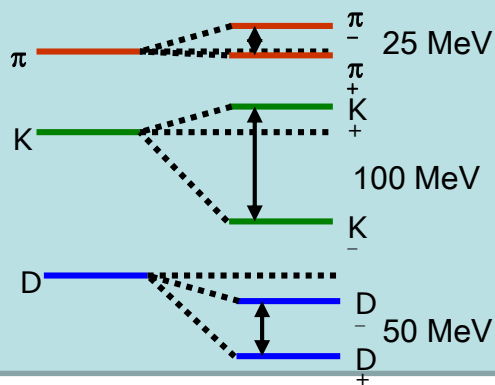
Charmonium states:  
Precision spectroscopy



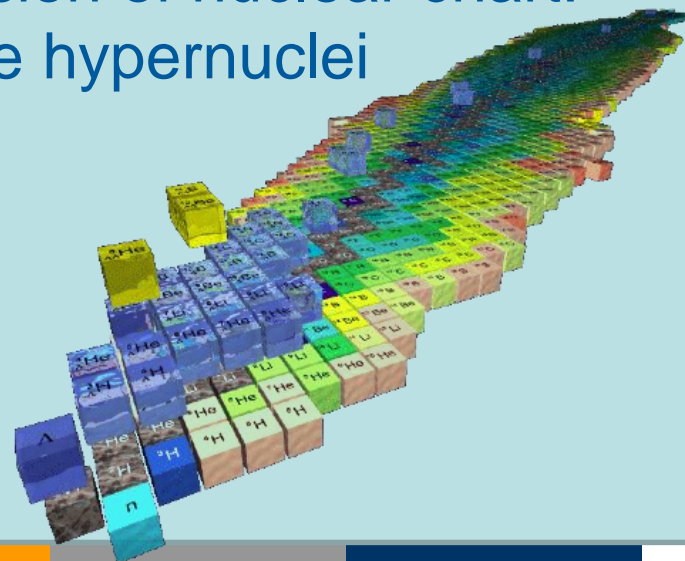
Time-like form factors,  
nucleon structure



In medium mass modifications:  
Extension to the charm sector



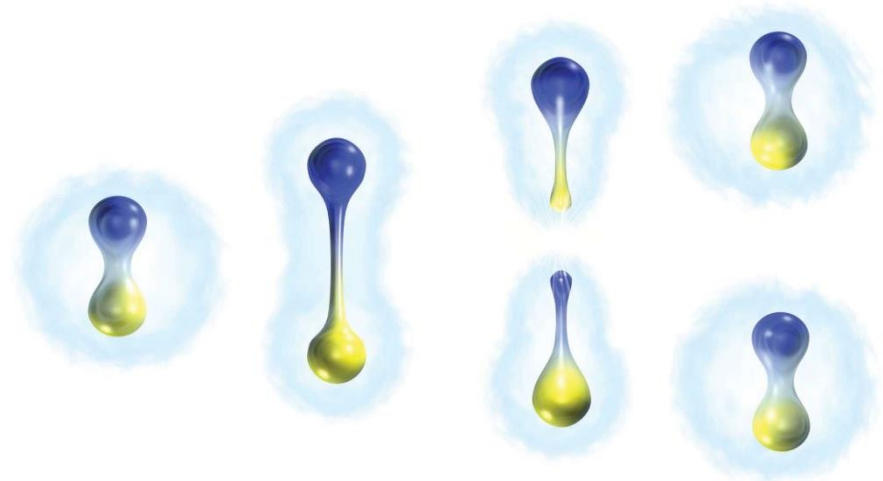
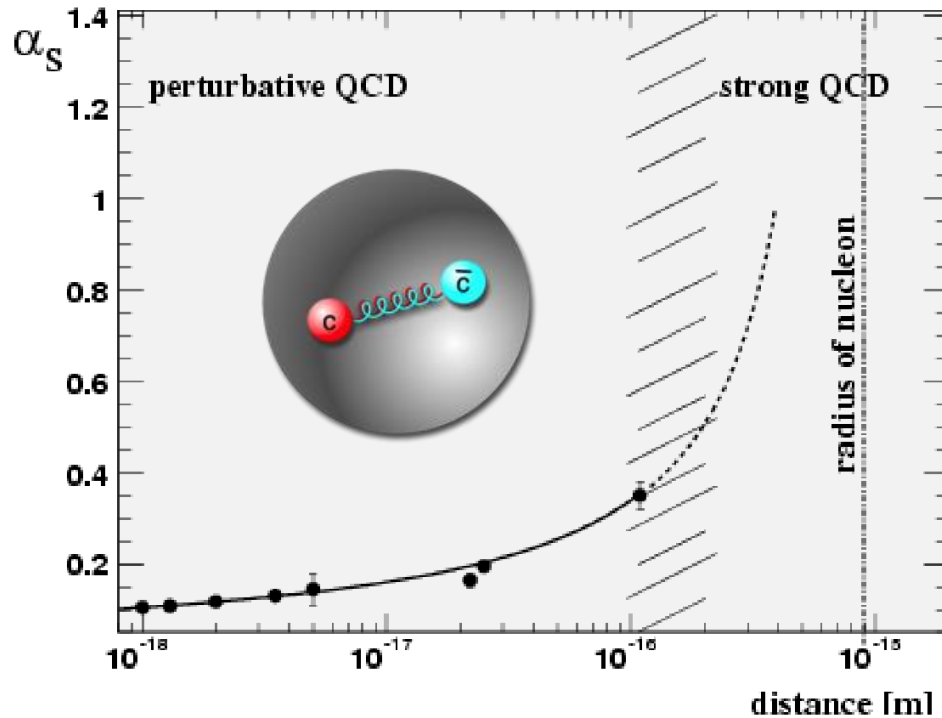
Extension of nuclear chart:  
Double hypernuclei





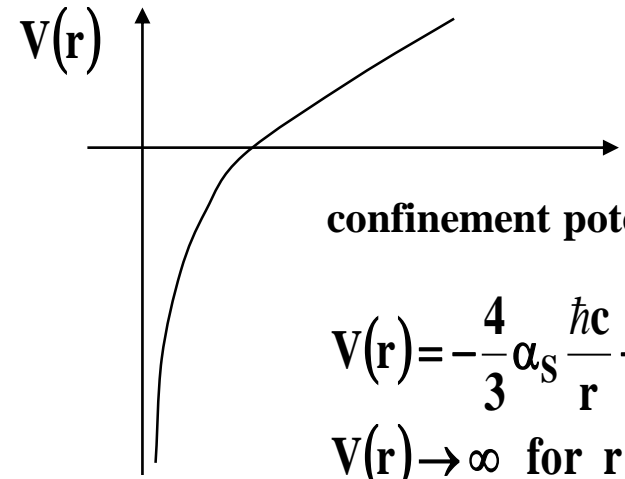
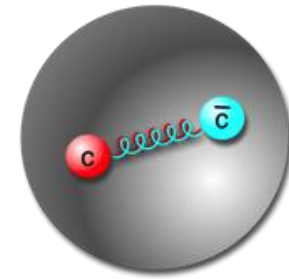
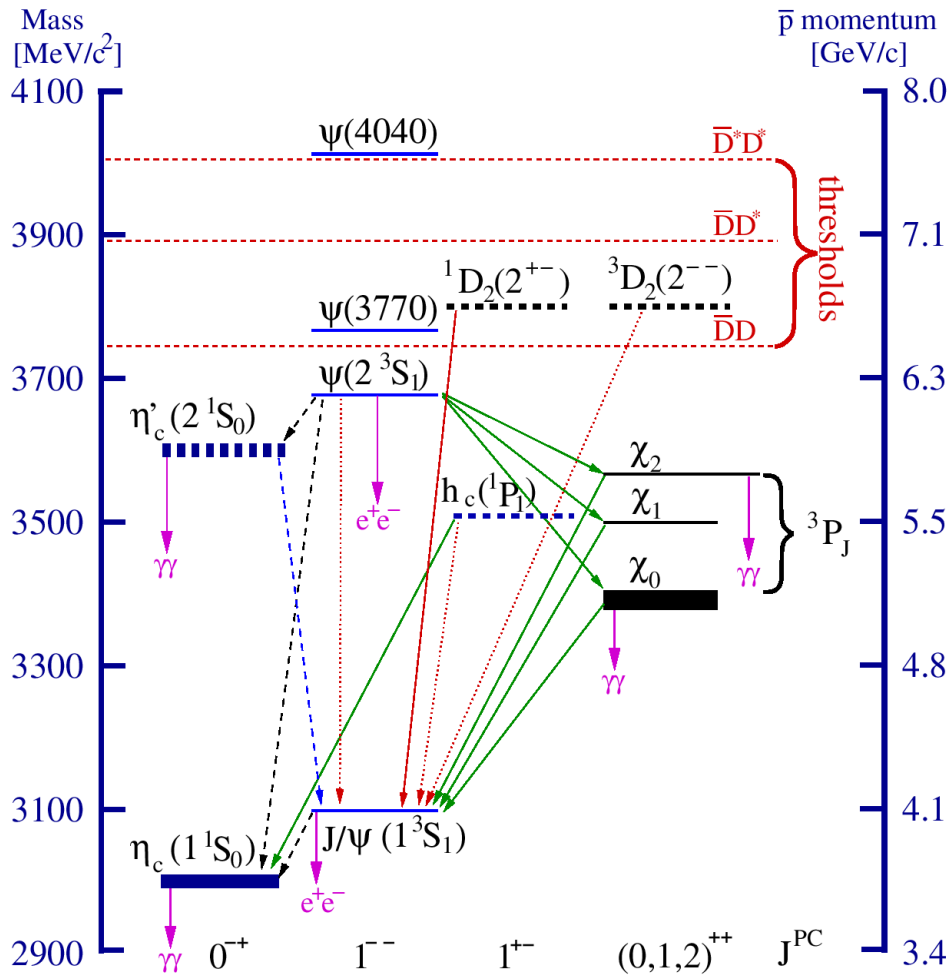
# Confinement and Charmonium spectroscopy

Coupling strength between two quarks





# Confinement and Charmonium spectroscopy

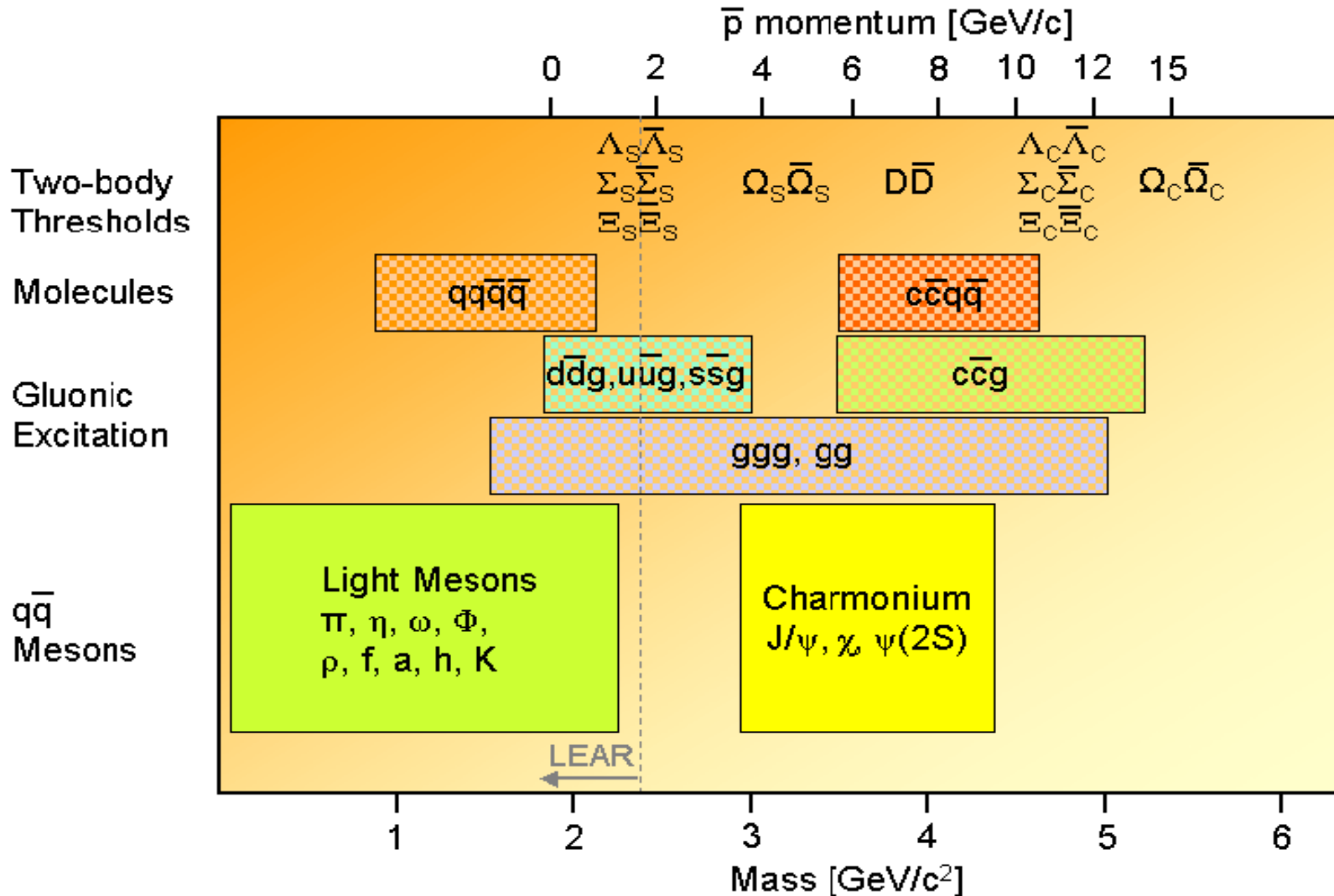


$$V(r) = -\frac{4}{3}\alpha_s \frac{\hbar c}{r} + K \cdot r$$

$$V(r) \rightarrow \infty \text{ for } r \rightarrow \infty$$



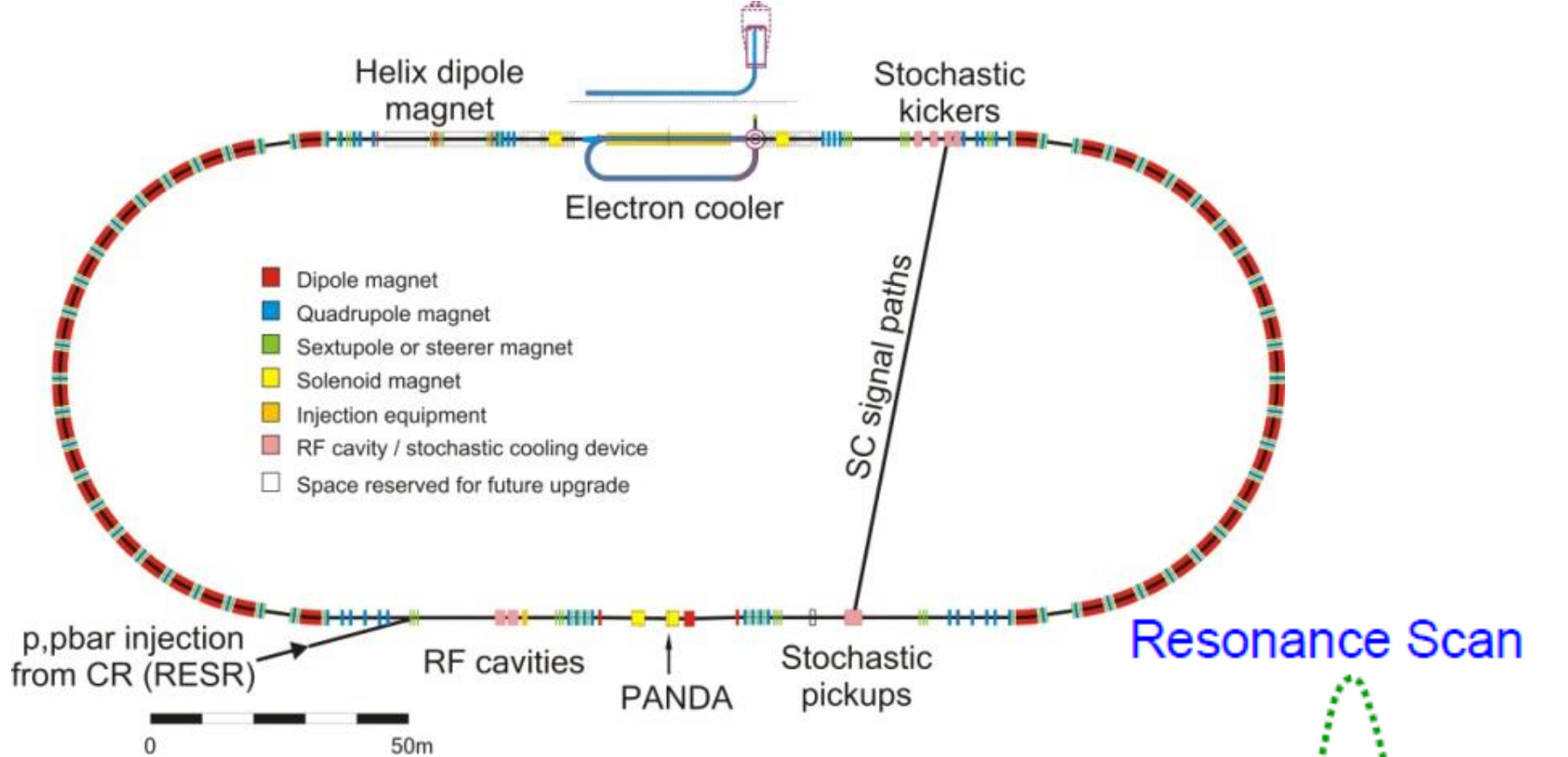
# Antiproton momenta up to 15 GeV/c







# The High Energy Storage Ring



- Luminosity up to  $L \sim 2 \times 10^{32} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$
- Stochastic & electron cooling
- Resolution  $\sim 50 \text{ keV}$
- Tune  $E_{CM}$  to scan resonance: precise mass and width

# The PANDA spectrometer at FAIR

4 $\pi$  acceptance

High rate capability:

$2 \times 10^7 \text{ s}^{-1}$  interactions

free-streaming data acquisition

Momentum resolution  $\sim 1\%$

Vertex info for D,  $K_S^0$ , Y  
( $c\tau = 317 \mu\text{m}$  for  $D^\pm$ )

Good PID ( $\gamma$ , e,  $\mu$ ,  $\pi$ , K, p):

Cherenkov, ToF, dE/dx

$\gamma$ -detection 1 MeV – 10 GeV

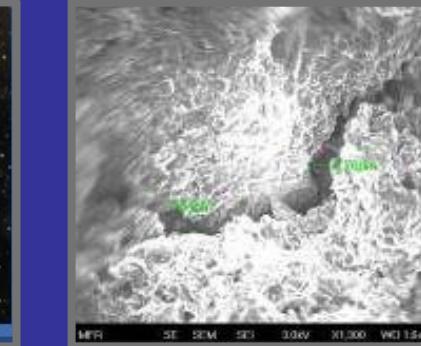
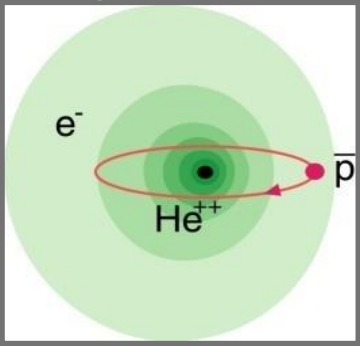
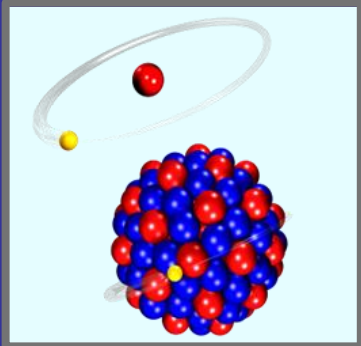
Crystal Calorimeter

## Atomic Physics

## Plasma

## Materials

## Bio



**SPARC**

**FLAIR**

**HEDgeHOB/WDM**

**MAT/BIOMAT**

**BIO/BIOMAT**

**strong field  
research**

**anti-matter**

**planetary  
interiors**

**extreme  
conditions**

**aerospace  
engineering**

... probing of  
fundamental laws  
of physics

... matter / anti-  
matter  
asymmetry

... states of matter  
common in  
astrophysical objects

... radiation hardness  
and modification of  
materials

... radiation  
shielding of cosmic  
radiation

Highest Charge States: **Extreme Static Fields**

Relativistic Energies: **Extreme Dynamical Fields and Ultrashort Pulses**

High Intensities: **Very High Energy Densities and Pressures**

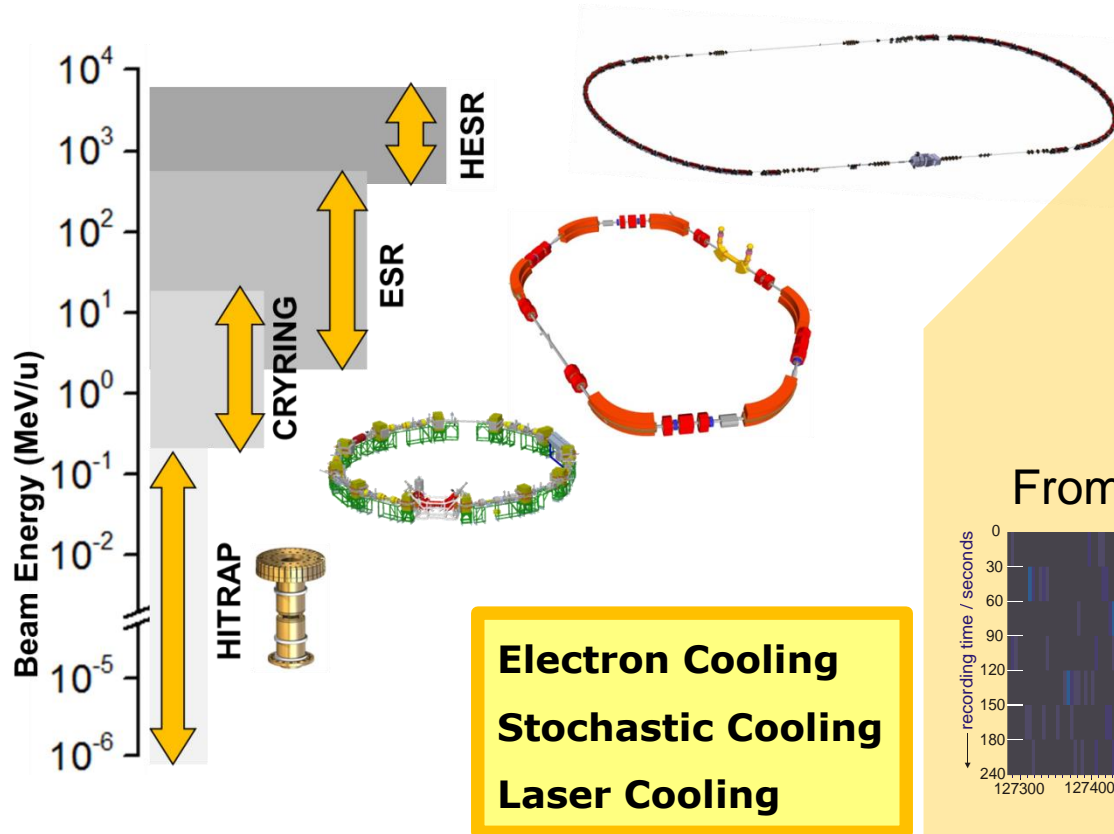
High Charge at Low Velocity: **Large Energy Deposition**

Low-Energy Anti-Protons: **Antimatter Research**

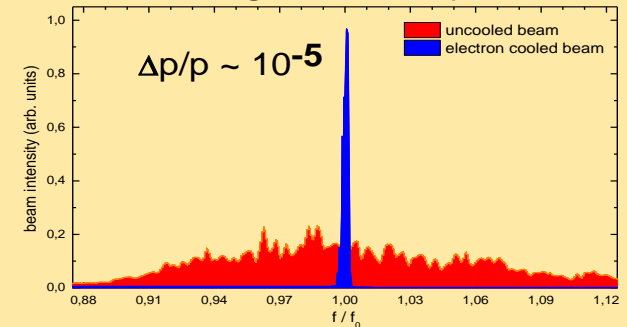


# Atomic physics with stored and cooled ions FAIR

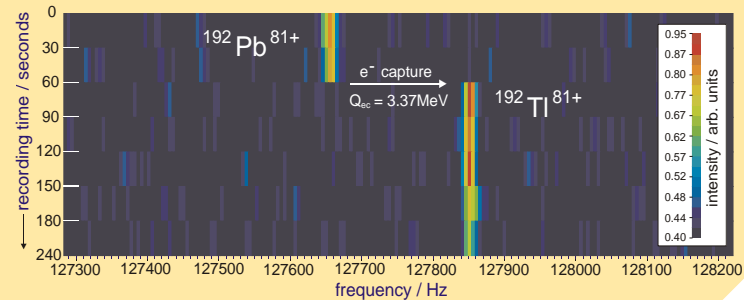
Stored and cooled highly charged ions and RIBs  
 Protons to Uranium in various charge states ( $U^{28+}$  to  $U^{92+}$ )  
 Single to  $10^9$  stored ions  
 From rest to relativistic ( $\gamma=6$ ) energies



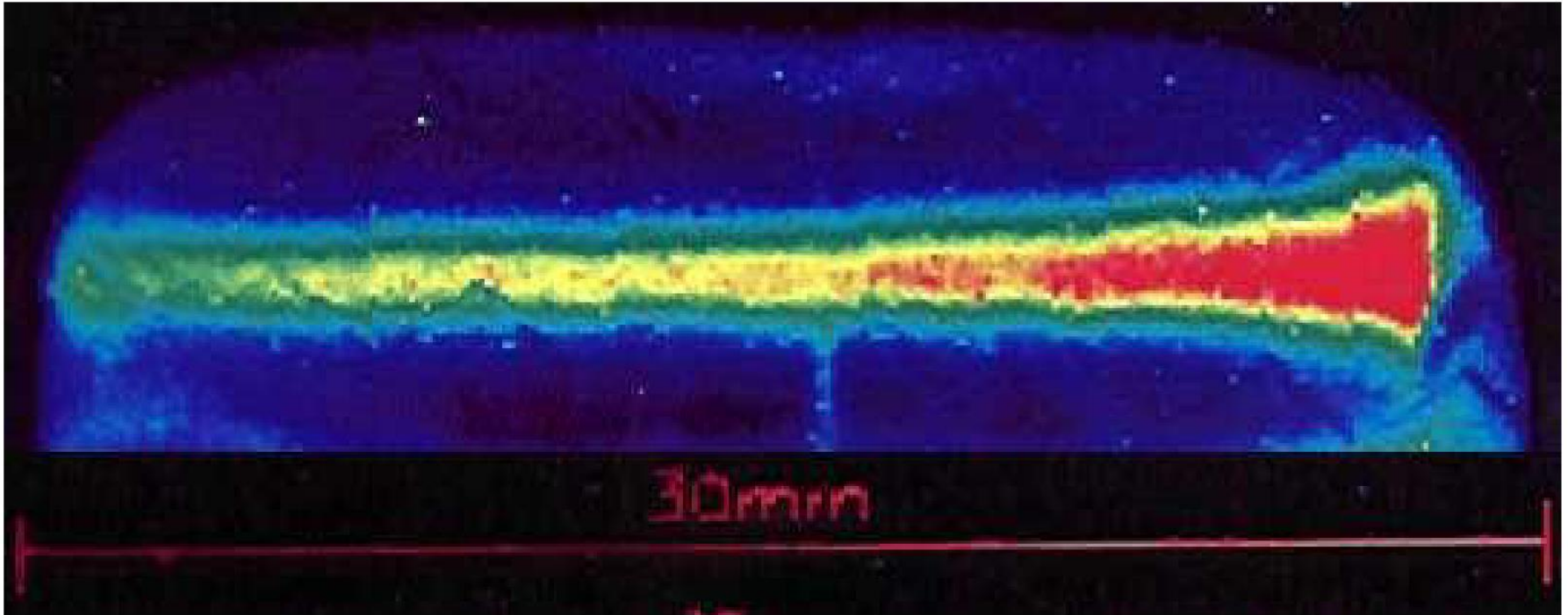
## Cooling: The Key for Precision



## From Single Ions to Highest Intensities



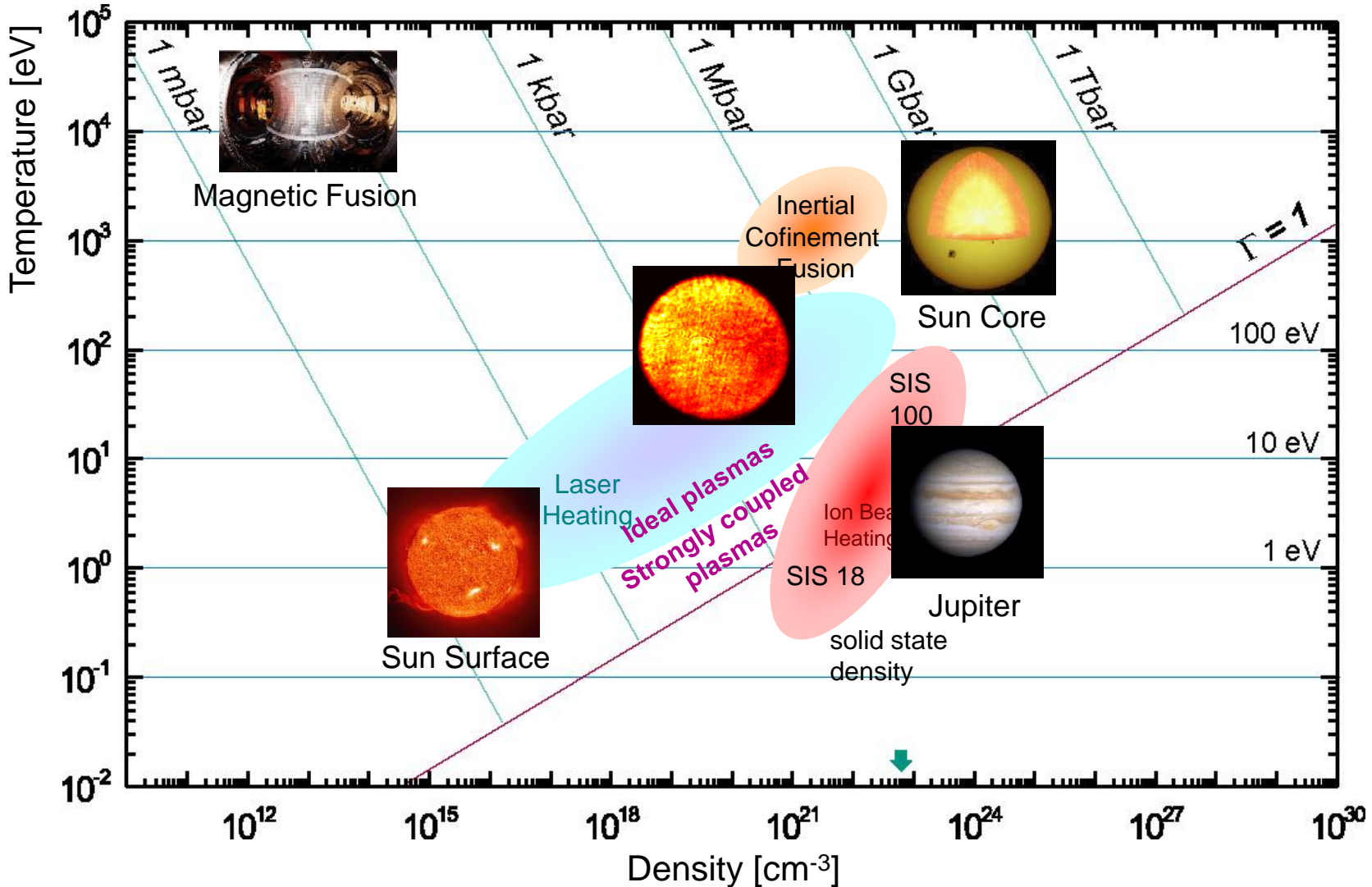
# Plasma physics with heavy ion beams



Neon beam at 300 A MeV penetrating an Ar crystal

# Hot electromagnetic plasmas:

## high-intensity ion beams + high-power laser

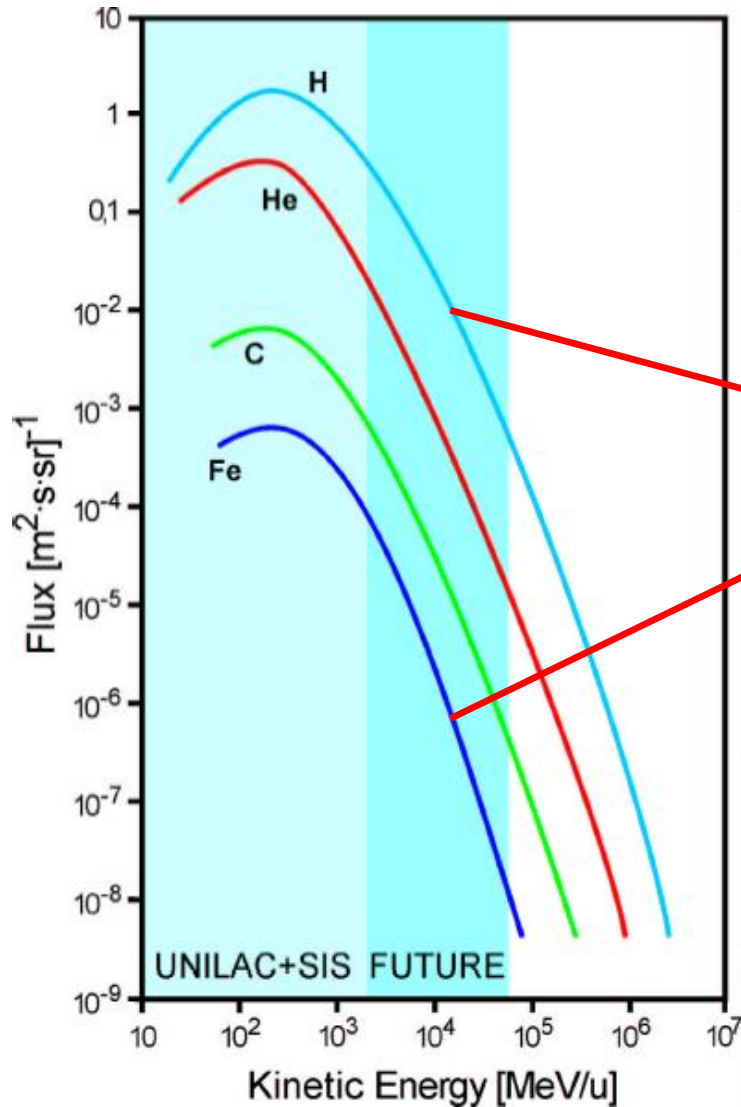




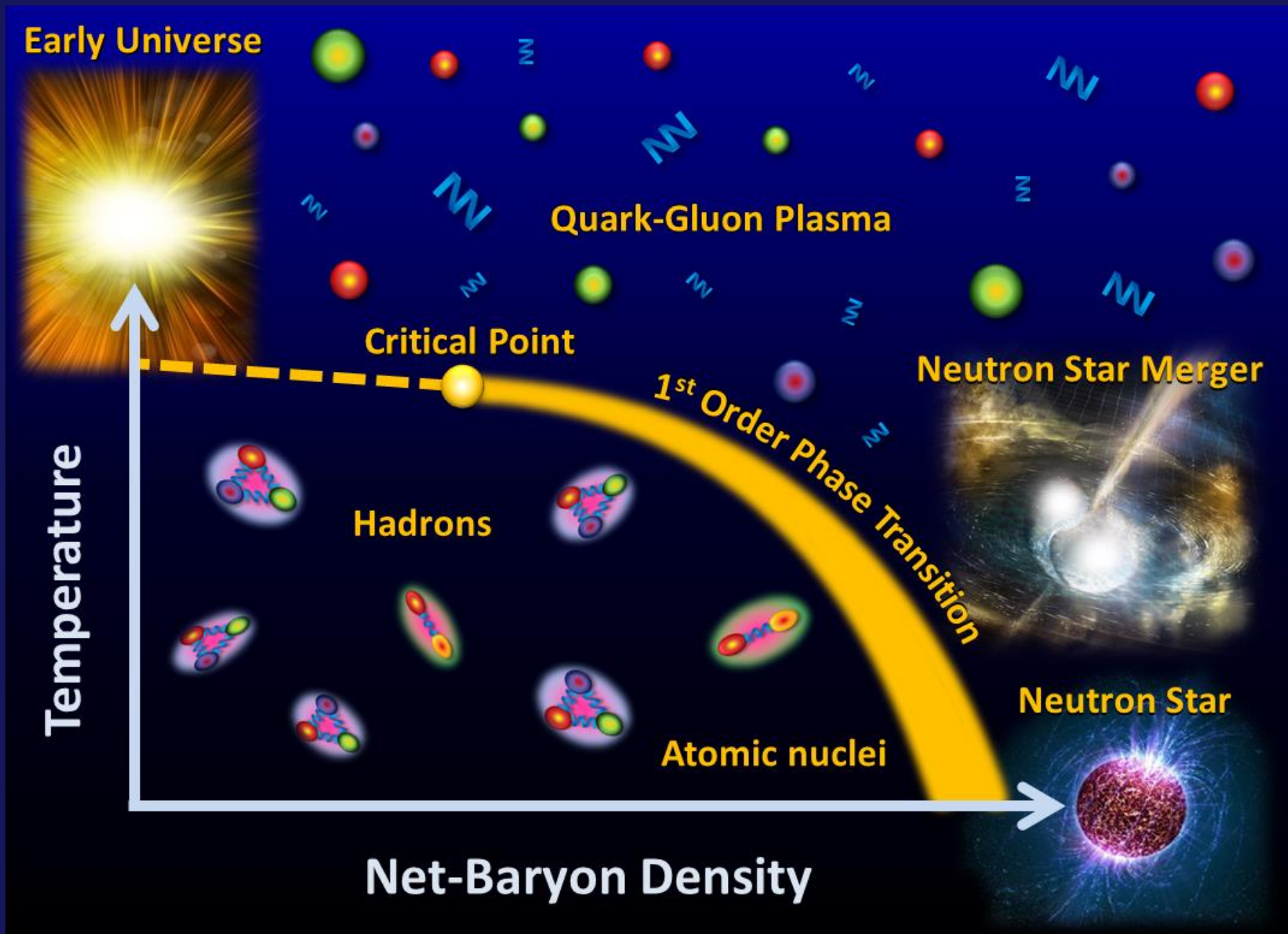
# Radiobiology:

## Radiation dose during long-term space missions ?

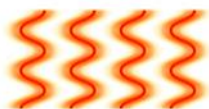
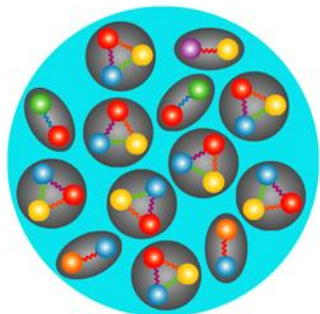
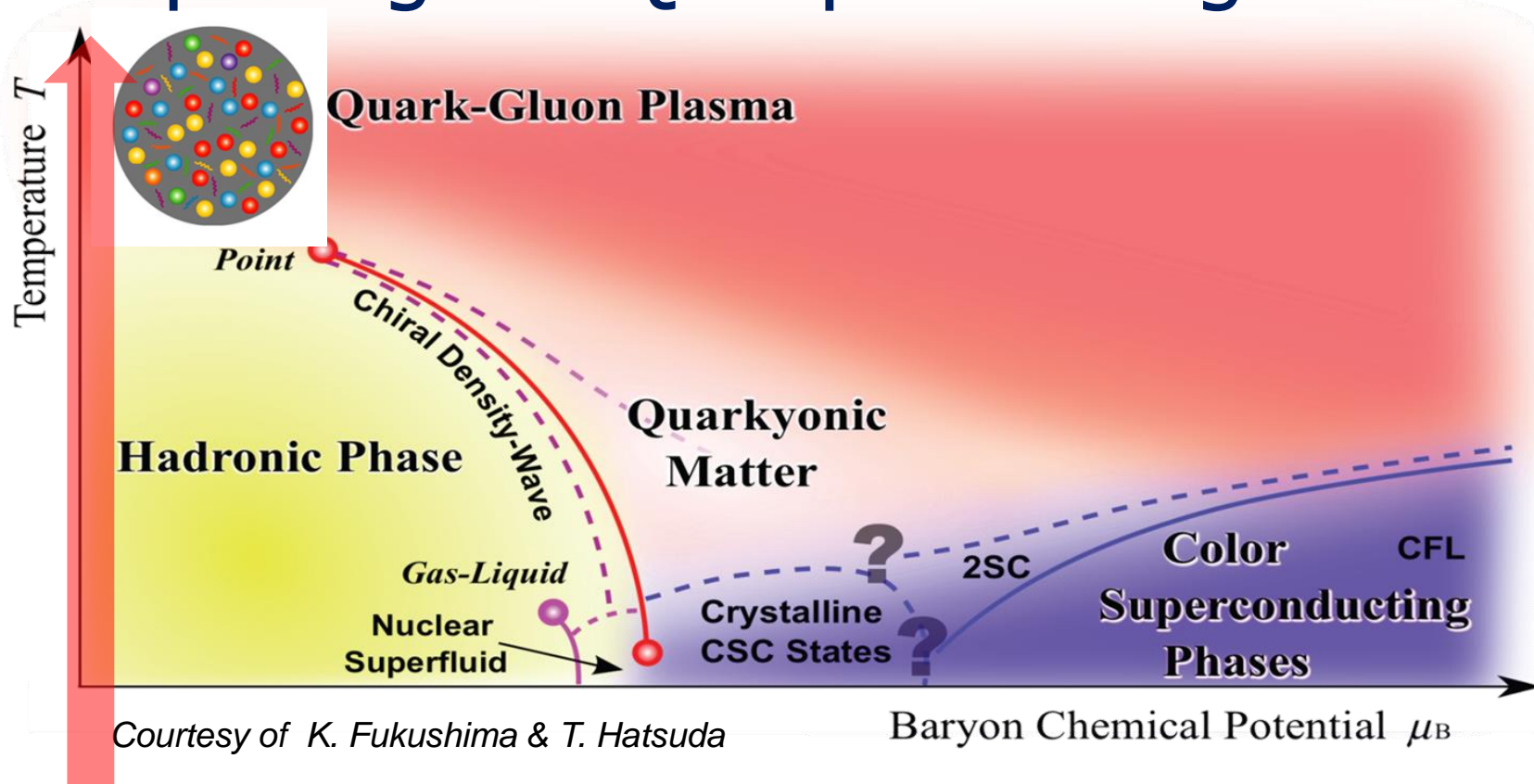
Cosmic radiation in space



# Exploring the QCD phase diagram



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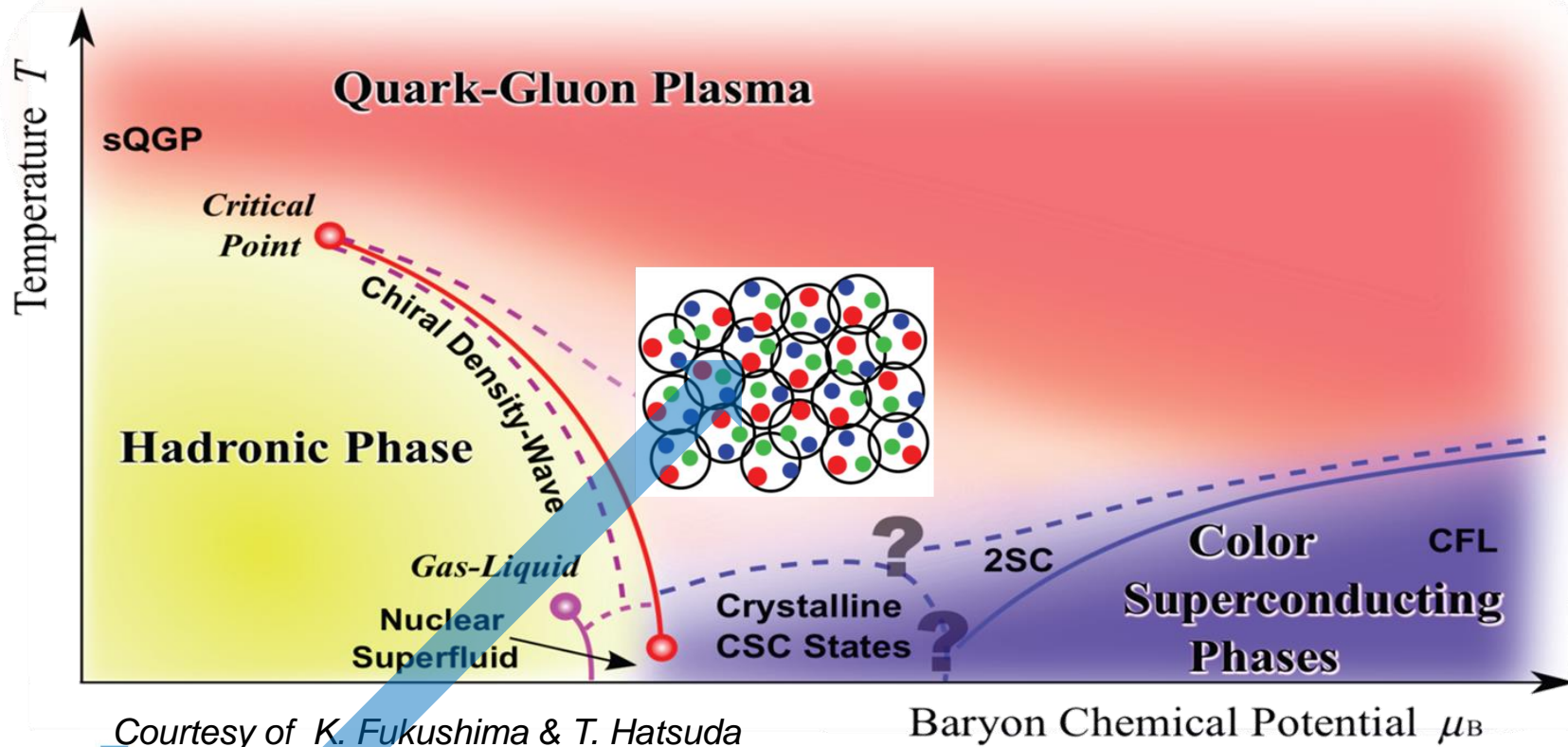


At very high temperature:

- $N$  of baryons  $\approx N$  of antibaryons  
Situation similar to early universe
- L-QCD finds crossover transition between hadronic matter and Quark-Gluon Plasma at  $T \approx 160$  MeV
- Experiments: [ALICE](#), [ATLAS](#), [CMS](#) at LHC  
[STAR](#), [PHENIX](#) at RHIC

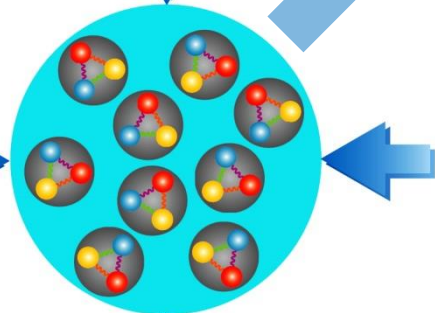


# Exploring the QCD phase diagram



## At high baryon density:

- $N$  of baryons  $\gg$   $N$  of antibaryons  
Densities like in neutron star cores
- L-QCD not (yet) applicable
- Models predict first order phase transition with mixed or exotic phases
- Experiments: BES at RHIC, NA61 at CERN SPS, CBM at FAIR, NICA at JINR



# Density estimates

## Atomic nucleus:

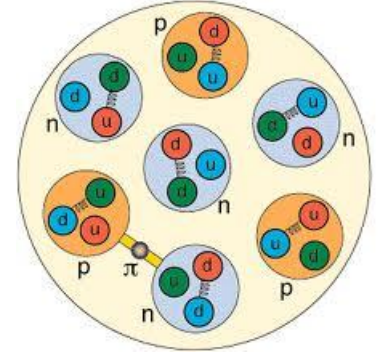
Radius  $R = 1.2 \text{ fm } A^{1/3}$  ( $\sigma_{\text{reac}} = \pi R^2$ )

Volume  $V = 4/3 \pi R^3 = 4/3 \pi 1.2^3 A \text{ fm}^3$

Nucleon density  $\rho_0 = A/V = 3 / (4 \pi 1.2^3) \text{ fm}^{-3} \approx 0.14 \text{ fm}^{-3}$

Mass of nucleon  $m = 1.67 \cdot 10^{-24} \text{ g}$

Mass density of cold nuclear matter  $\rho_0 \cdot m \approx 270 \text{ Mio t/cm}^3$



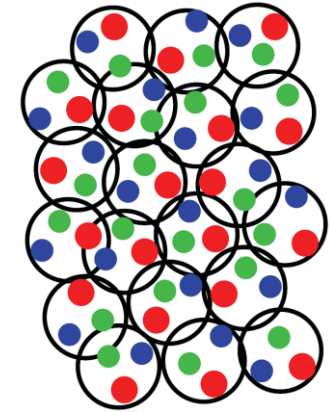
## Limits of nucleon density:

Au-nucleus:  $R \approx 7 \text{ fm}$ ,  $V \approx 1400 \text{ fm}^3$

Nucleon:  $R \approx 0.8 \text{ fm}$ ,  $V \approx 2 \text{ fm}^3$

200 Nucleons:  $V \approx 400 \text{ fm}^3$

At  $3 - 4 \rho_0$ : nucleons overlap, Fermi see of quarks?



## Neutron star:

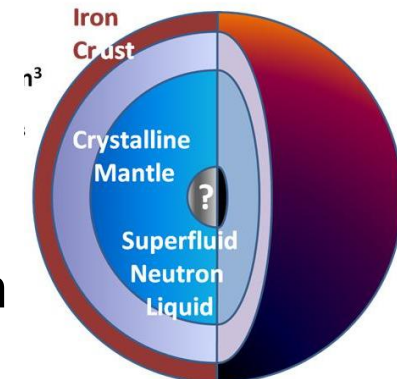
Radius  $R \approx 10 \text{ km}$ ,

Volume  $V \approx 4200 \text{ km}^3$

Mass  $M \approx 2 \text{ solar masses} = 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 10^{33} \text{ g}$

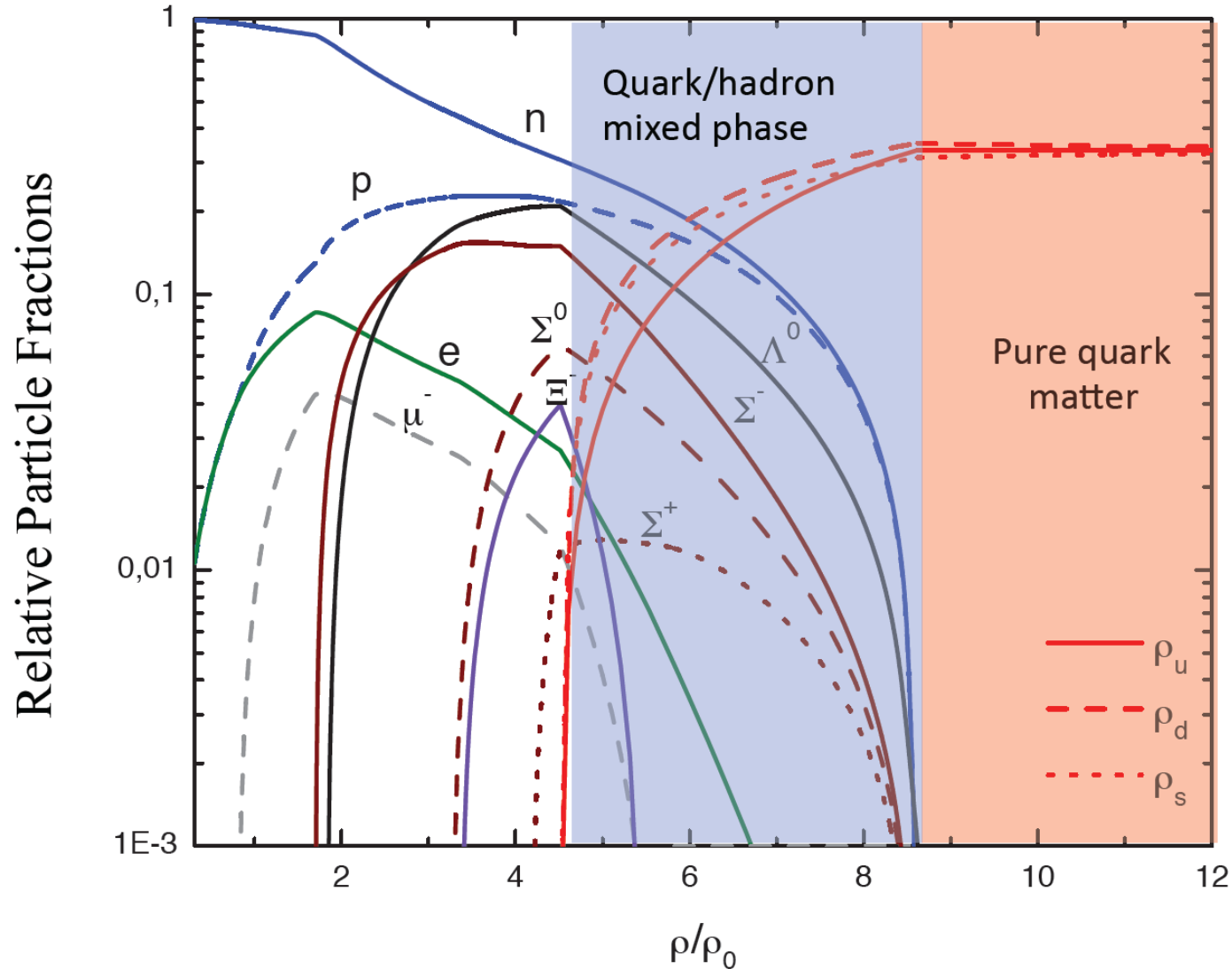
Average mass density  $\rho = M/V \approx 1000 \text{ Mio t/cm}^3 \approx 3.6 \rho_0 \cdot m$

Core density 5 – 10 times nuclear density



# Quark matter in massive neutron stars?

M. Orsaria, H. Rodrigues, F. Weber, G.A. Contrera, arXiv:1308.1657  
Phys. Rev. C 89, 015806, 2014

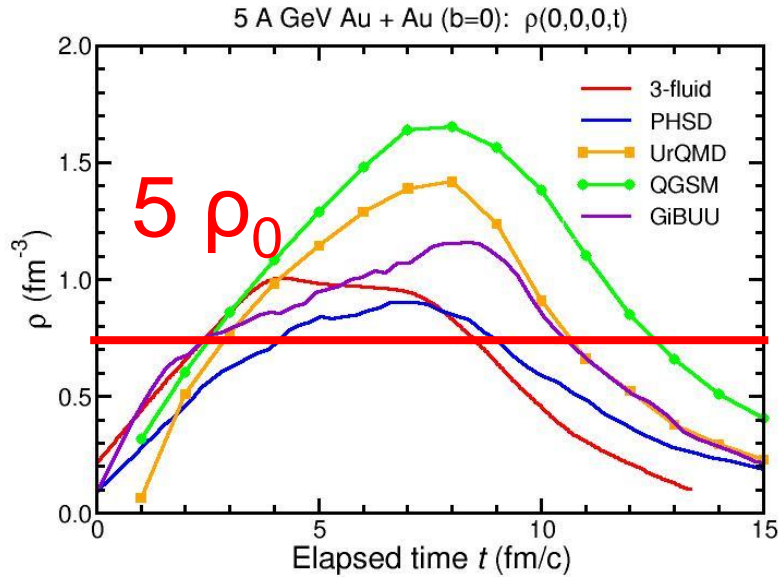




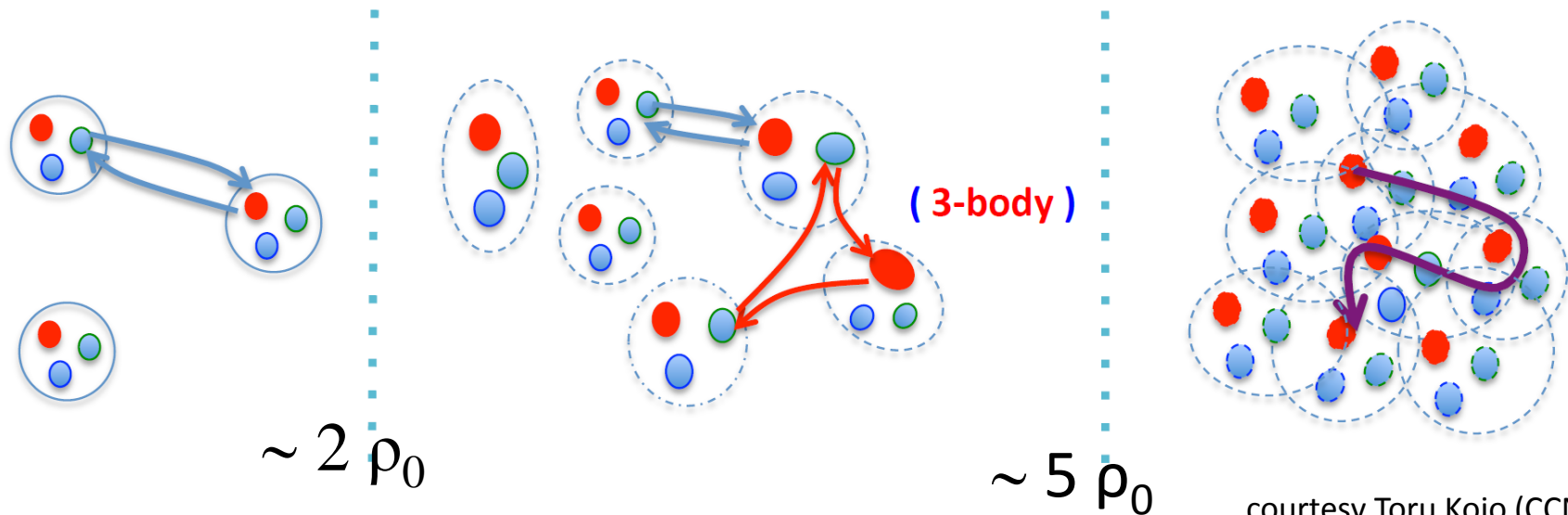
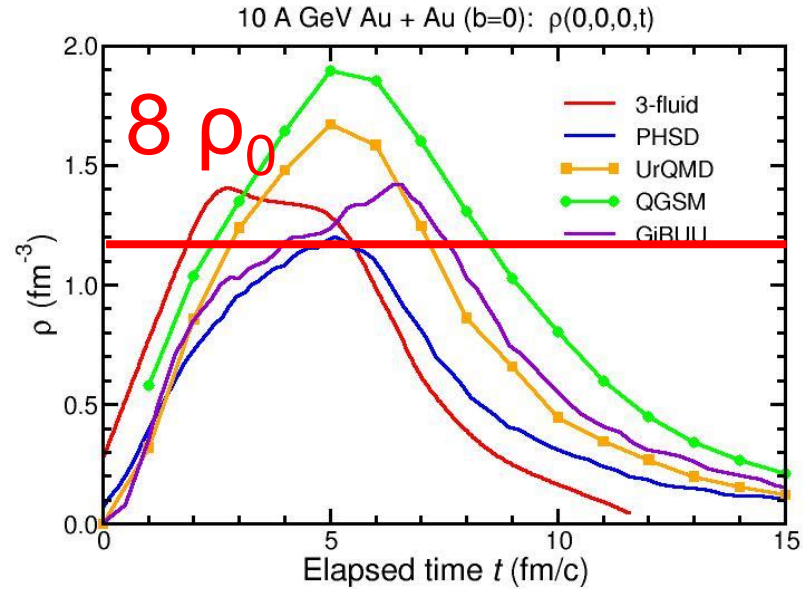
# Baryon densities in central Au+Au collisions

I.C. Arsene et al., Phys. Rev. C 75, 24902 (2007)

**5 A GeV**

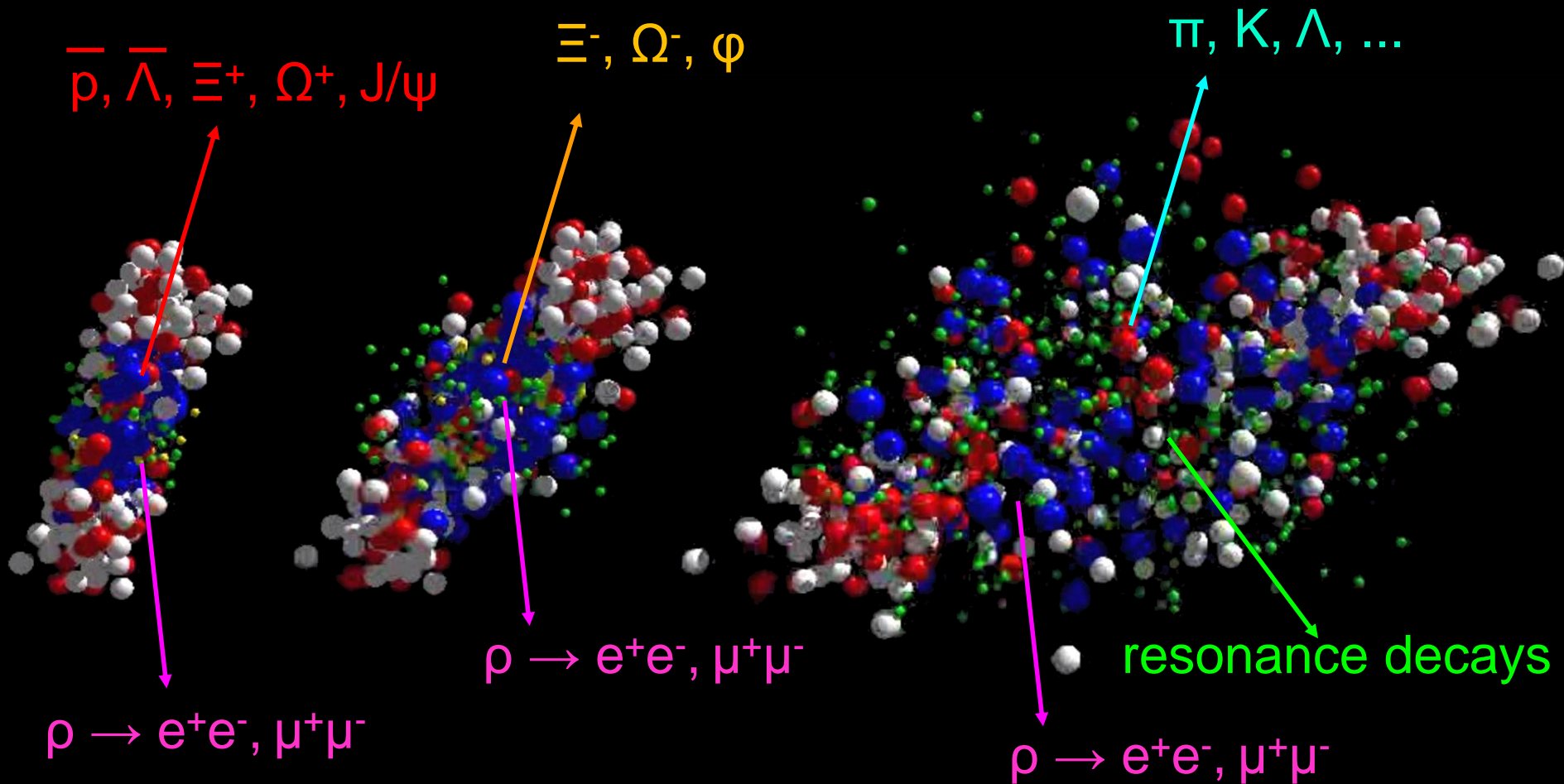


**10 A GeV**



# Messengers from the dense fireball:

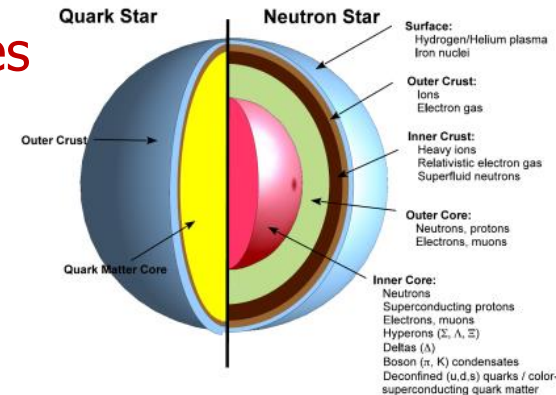
UrQMD transport calculation Au+Au 10.7 A GeV



# The Compressed Baryonic Matter (CBM) experiment at FAIR: **Physics case** and **observables**

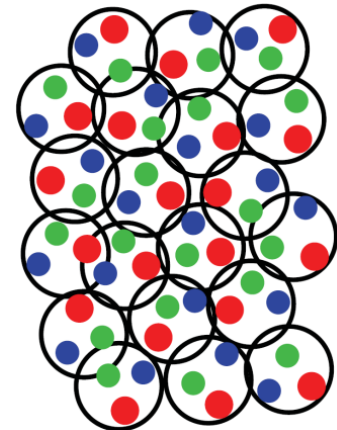
## The QCD equation-of-state at neutron star core densities

- collective flow of identified particles ( $\pi, K, p, \Lambda, \Xi, \Omega, \dots$ ) driven by the pressure gradient in the early fireball
- particle production at threshold energies via multi-step processes (multi-strange hyperons, charm)



## Phase transitions from hadronic matter to quarkyonic or partonic matter at high $\rho_B$ , phase coexistence, critical point

- excitation function of strangeness:  $\Xi^-(dss), \Xi^+(\bar{d}\bar{s}\bar{s}), \Omega^-(sss), \Omega^+(\bar{s}\bar{s}\bar{s})$   
→ chemical equilibration at the phase boundary
- excitation function (invariant mass) of lepton pairs: Thermal radiation from fireball, "caloric curve"
- anisotropic azimuthal angle distributions: "spinodal decomposition"
- event-by-event fluctuations of conserved quantities: "critical opalescence"

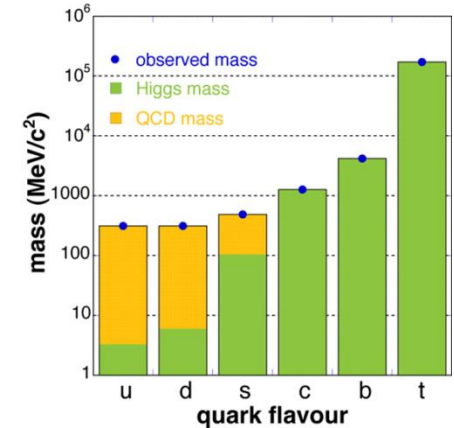




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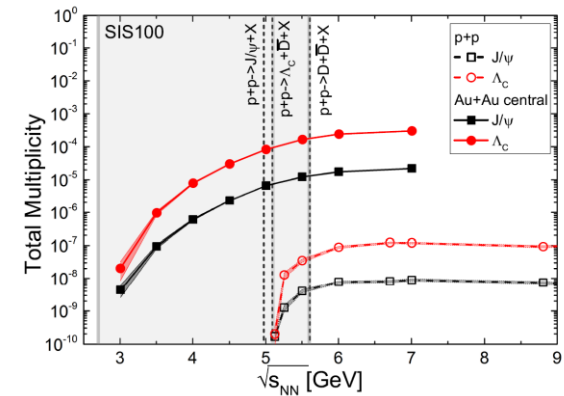
## Onset of chiral symmetry restoration at high $\rho_B$

- in-medium modifications of hadrons ( $\rho, \omega, \phi \rightarrow e^+e^-(\mu^+\mu^-)$ )
- dileptons at intermediate invariant masses:  $4\pi \rightarrow \rho\text{-}a_1$  chiral mixing



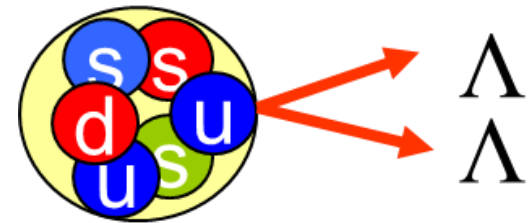
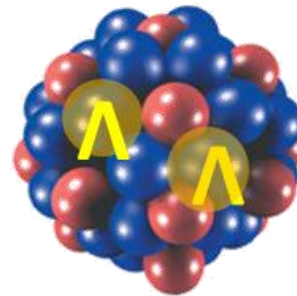
## Charm production at threshold energies in cold and dense matter

- excitation function of charm production in p+A and A+A ( $J/\psi$ ,  $D^0$ ,  $D^\pm$ )

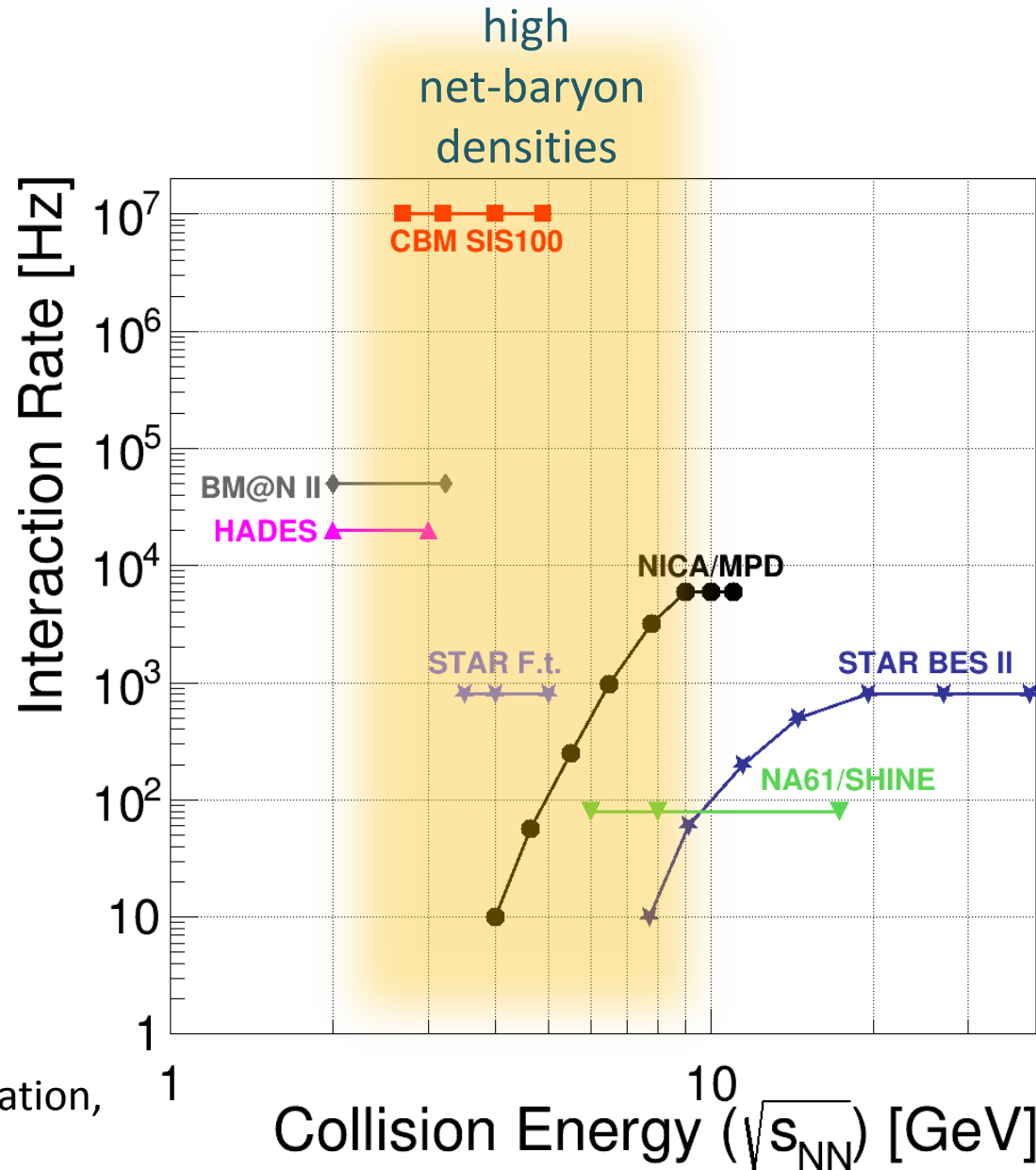


## N- $\Lambda$ , $\Lambda$ - $\Lambda$ interaction, strange matter

- (double-) lambda hypernuclei
- meta-stable objects (e.g. strange dibaryons)



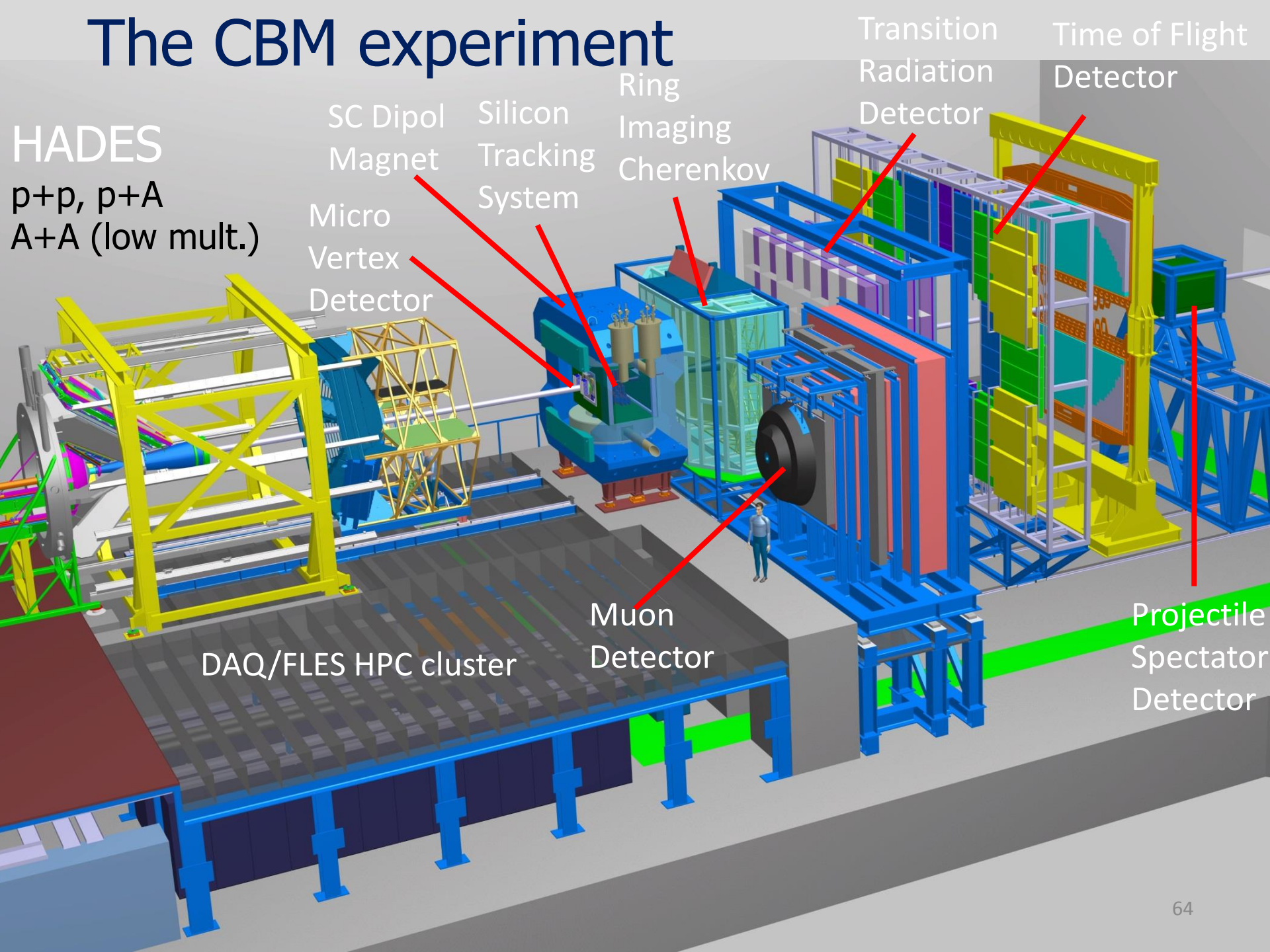
# Experiments exploring dense QCD matter



# The CBM experiment

HADES

p+p, p+A  
A+A (low mult.)



SC Dipol  
Magnet

Silicon  
Tracking  
System

Ring  
Imaging  
Cherenkov

Transition  
Radiation  
Detector

Time of Flight  
Detector

Micro  
Vertex  
Detector

DAQ/FLES HPC cluster

Muon  
Detector

Projectile  
Spectator  
Detector

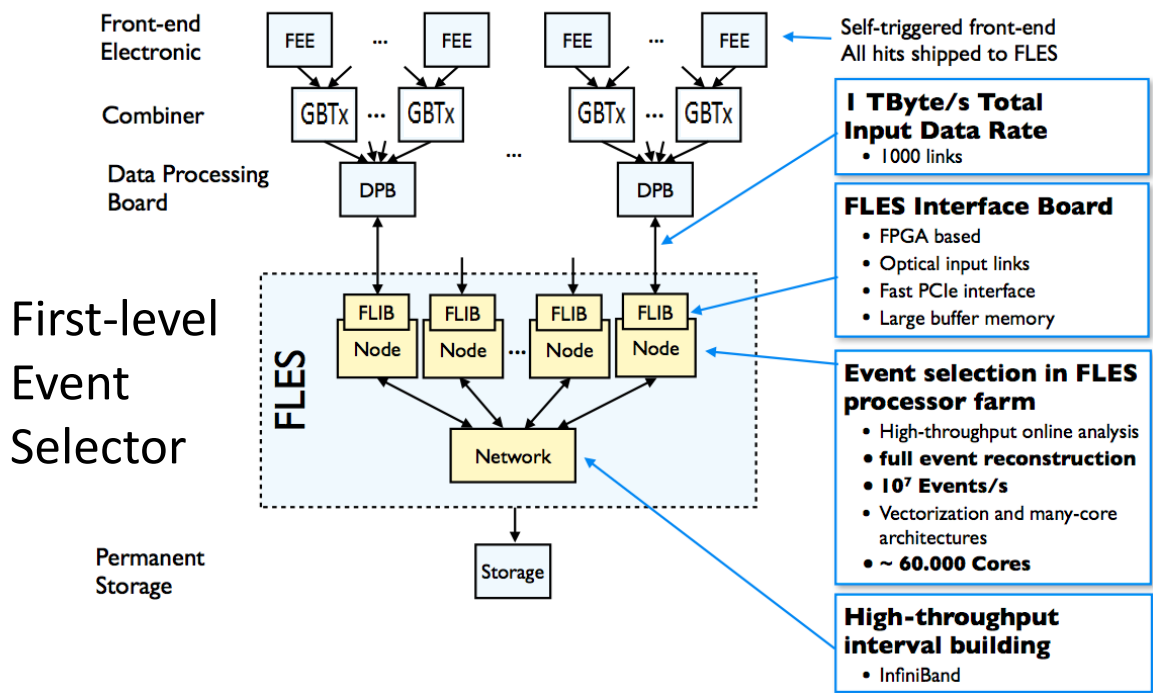


# The High Acceptance Di-electron Spectrometer (HADES)



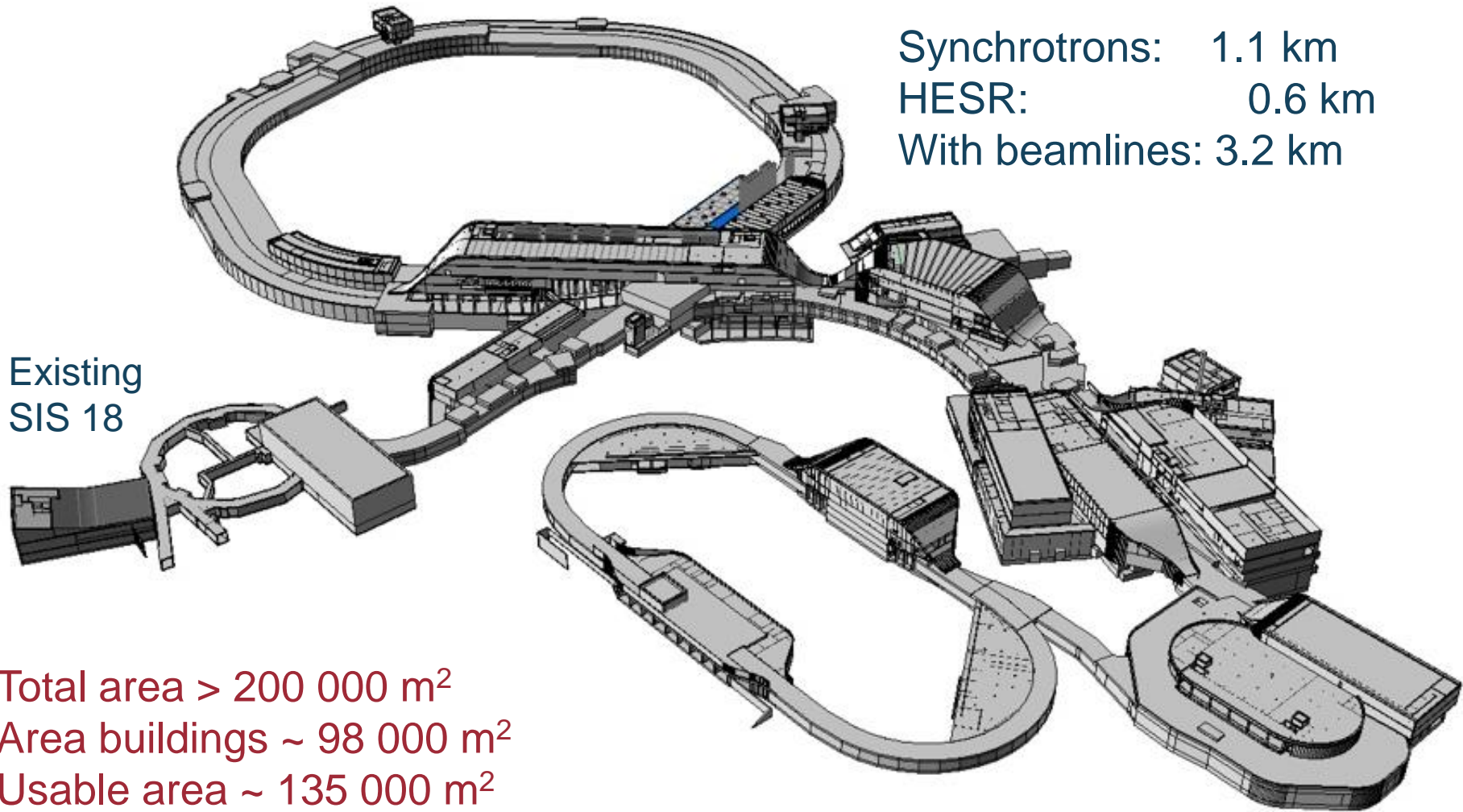


# CBM DAQ and online event selection



Novel readout system: no hardware trigger on events, detector hits with time stamps, full online 4-D track and event reconstruction.

# FAIR Civil Construction



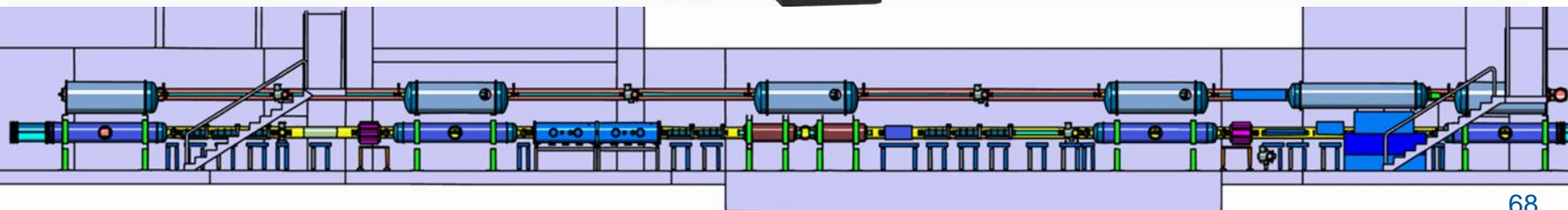
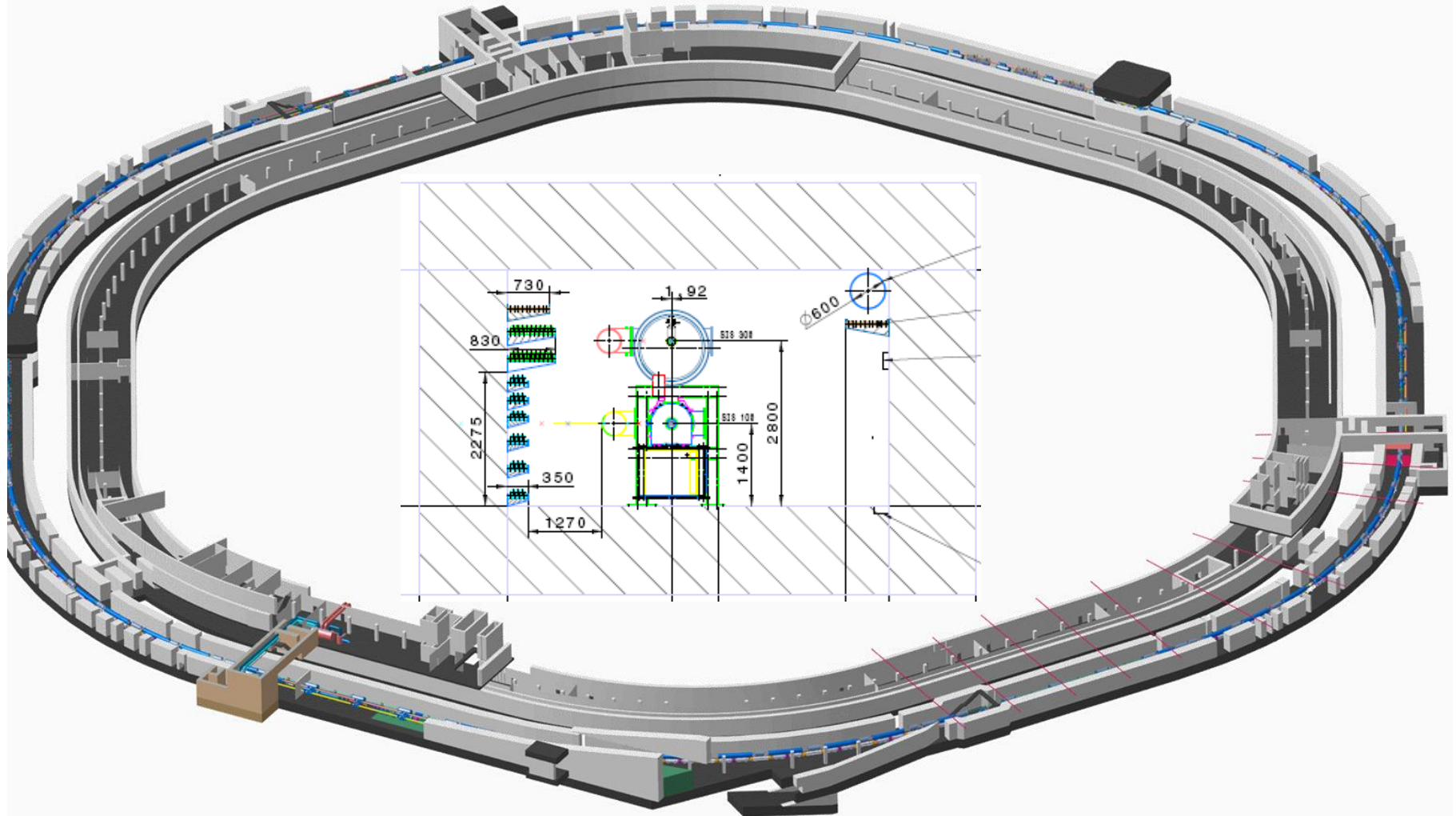
Synchrotrons: 1.1 km  
HESR: 0.6 km  
With beamlines: 3.2 km

Existing  
SIS 18

Total area > 200 000 m<sup>2</sup>  
Area buildings ~ 98 000 m<sup>2</sup>  
Usable area ~ 135 000 m<sup>2</sup>  
Volume of buildings ~ 1 049 000 m<sup>3</sup>  
Substructure: 1350 pillars, 60 m deep



# Tunnel for SIS100/300



# Civil construction (Status 2014)

The four most powerful drilling machines worldwide put down 1350 reinforced concrete pillars of 60 m depth and 1.2 m diameter.





# FAIR Project Status 2017



- Successful restart in 2015 and 2016
- Comprehensive civil construction plan: completion of all buildings by 2022
- Full integrated planning for construction and commissioning of the entire project: Completion of the full FAIR facility by 2025.
- Civil construction as well as procurement of accelerators and realization of experiments are progressing well ...



**Ground breaking - 4 July 2017**



**Excavation SIS100 tunnel - Nov 2017**

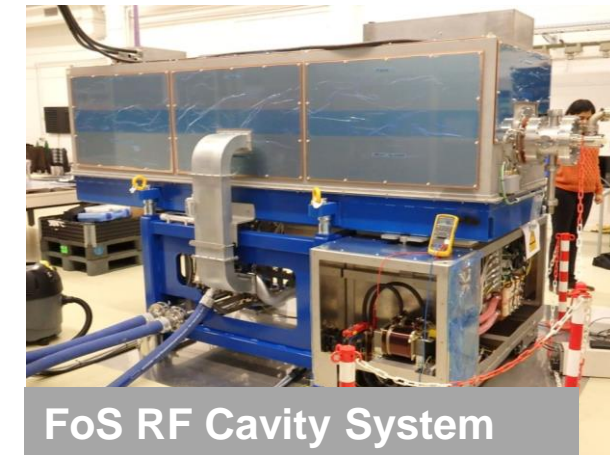
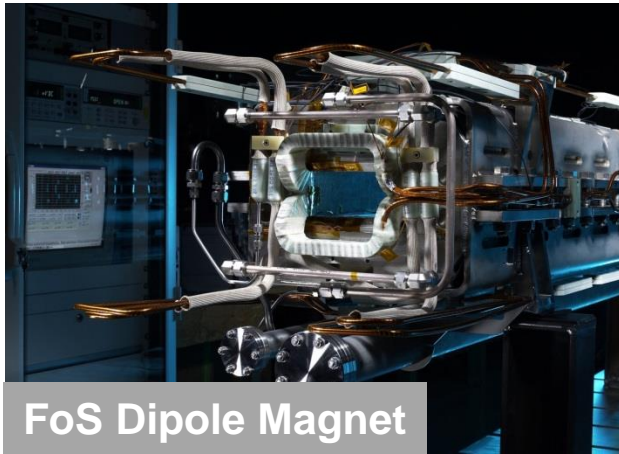


FAIR Project  
Civil Construction Area North

Status November 2017

# Construction of accelerator components

- First of Series (FoS) of major components for SIS 100

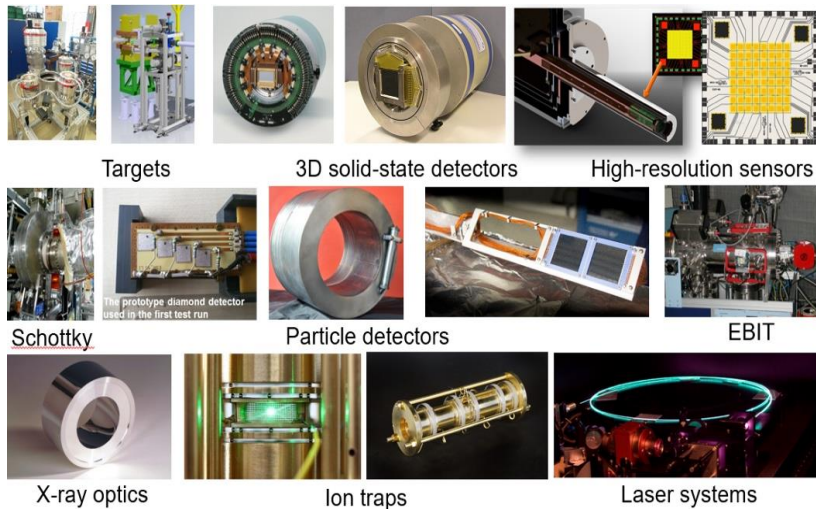




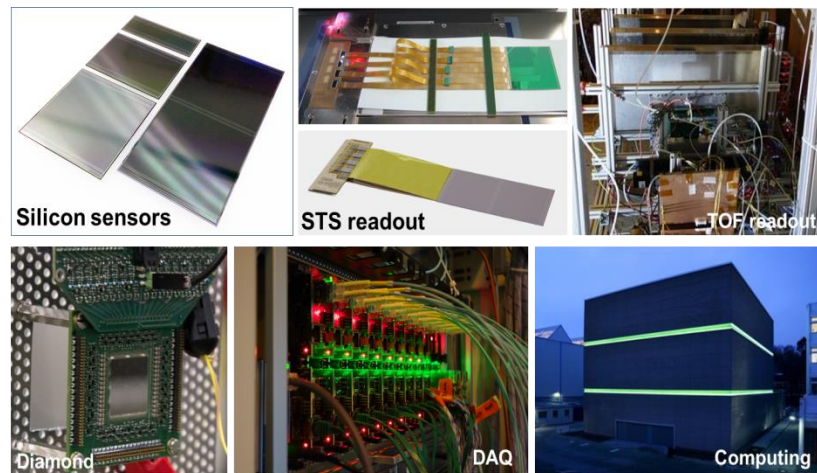
# Construction of detector components



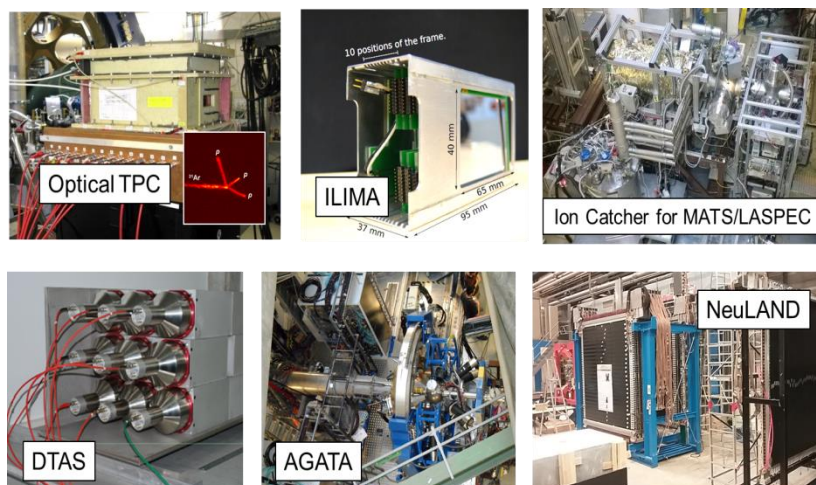
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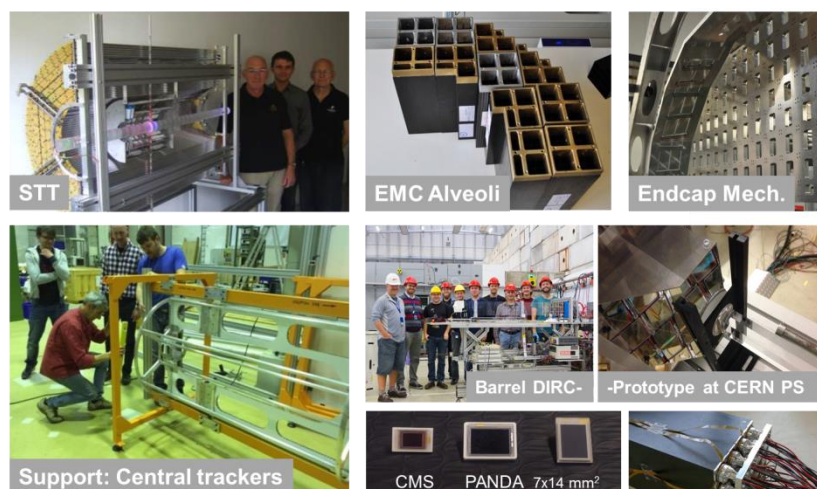
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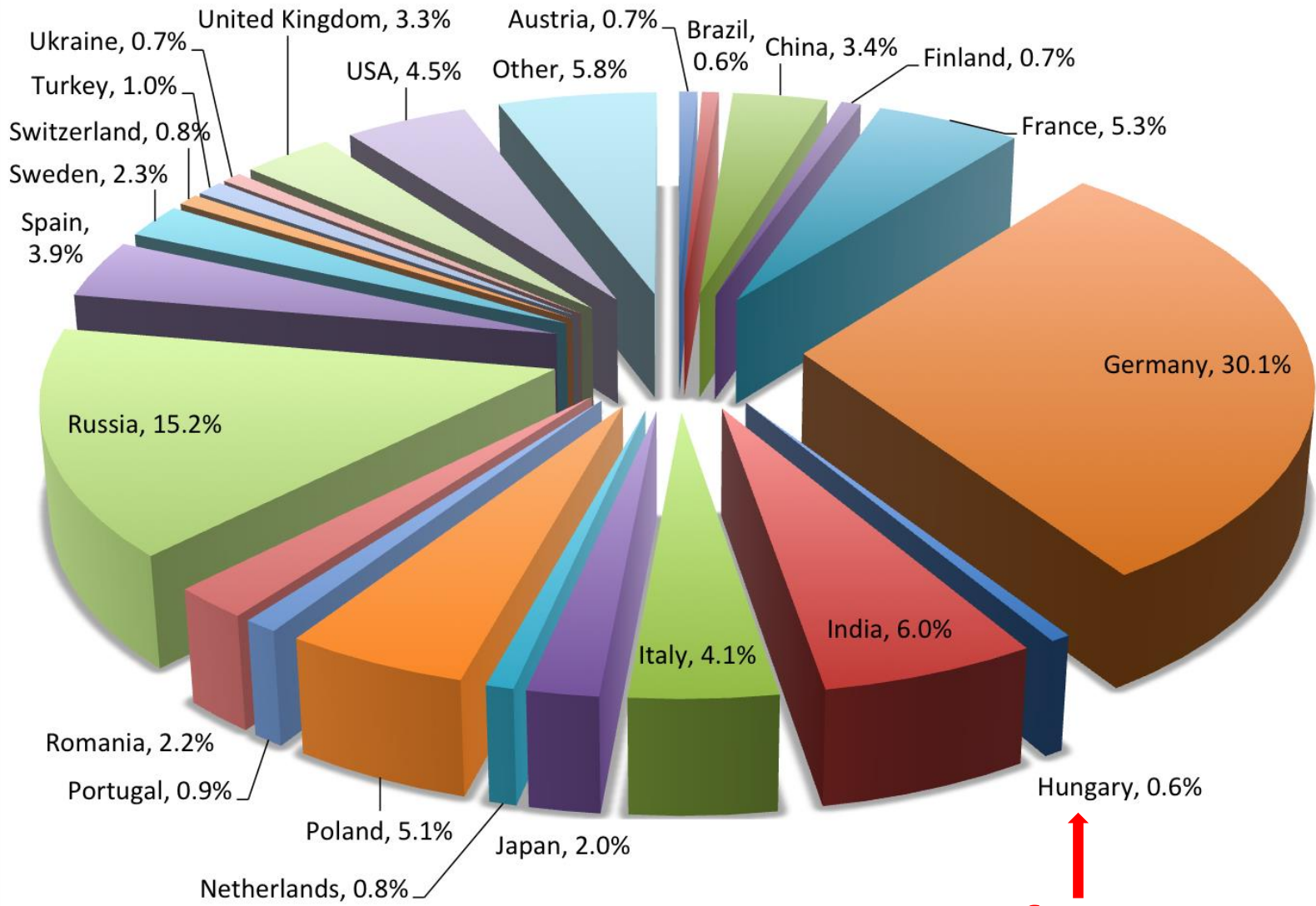


# FAIR International Collaborations





# Collaboration Members by Country

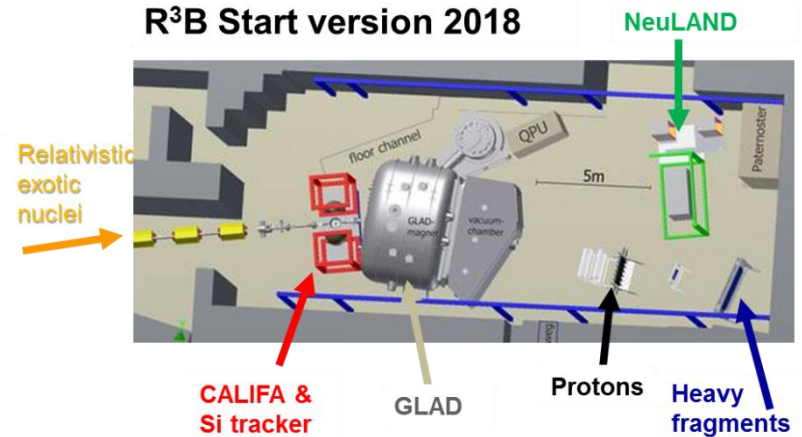


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room for improvement

# FAIR "Phase 0" - Detector commissioning and science starting 2018 (examples)

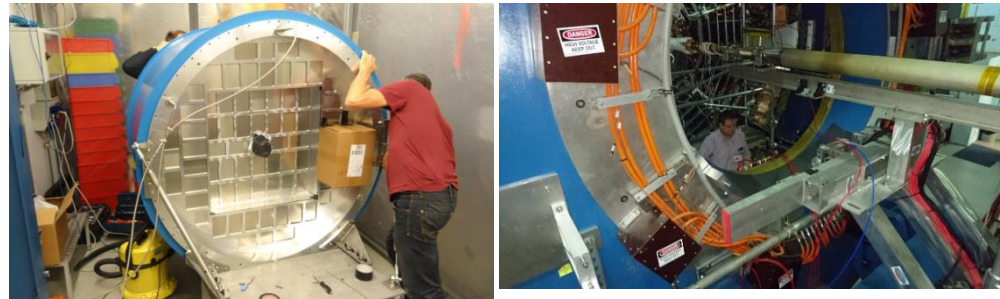
## R<sup>3</sup>B installation at GSI/Cave C:

Reactions at high beam energies up to 1-2 GeV/u  
Identification capability even for the heaviest ions  
Multiple neutron tracking capability



## CBM detectors installed at HADES (GSI) and STAR (LBL)

Photon detectors for HADES RICH  
MRPC-TOF detectors as STAR endcap



## Atomic physics at the CRYRING installed being FRS-ESR at GSI

Precision collision spectroscopy of Be-like ions  
Photoionization of C<sup>+</sup> ions  
Ground-state Lamb Shift in Hydrogen-like U91+





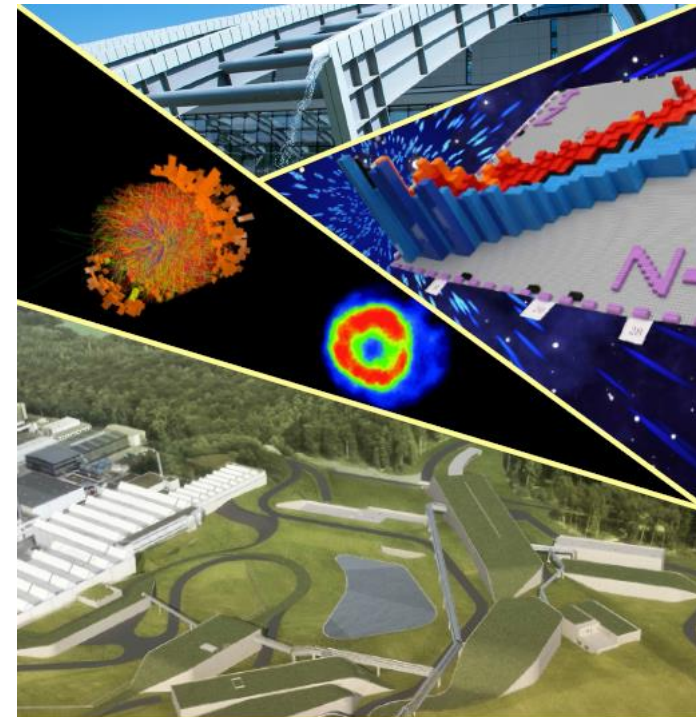
# Instead of a summary ...

Key Summary Recommendation of the NUPECC Long Range Plan 2017 presented in Brussels on Nov 27<sup>th</sup> :

**Complete urgently the construction of the ESFRI\* flagship FAIR and develop and bring into operation the experimental program of its four scientific pillars APPA, CBM, NUSTAR and PANDA.**

FAIR is a European flagship facility for the coming decades. Worldwide unique it will allow for a large variety of unprecedented fore-front research in physics and applied science. It focuses on the structure and evolution of matter. Its multi-faceted research opens a new era in our understanding of the fundamental building blocks of matter and the forces as well as of the evolution of our Universe: the new possibilities for research in Darmstadt are unique and are expected to produce ground breaking new insights for nuclear research.

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