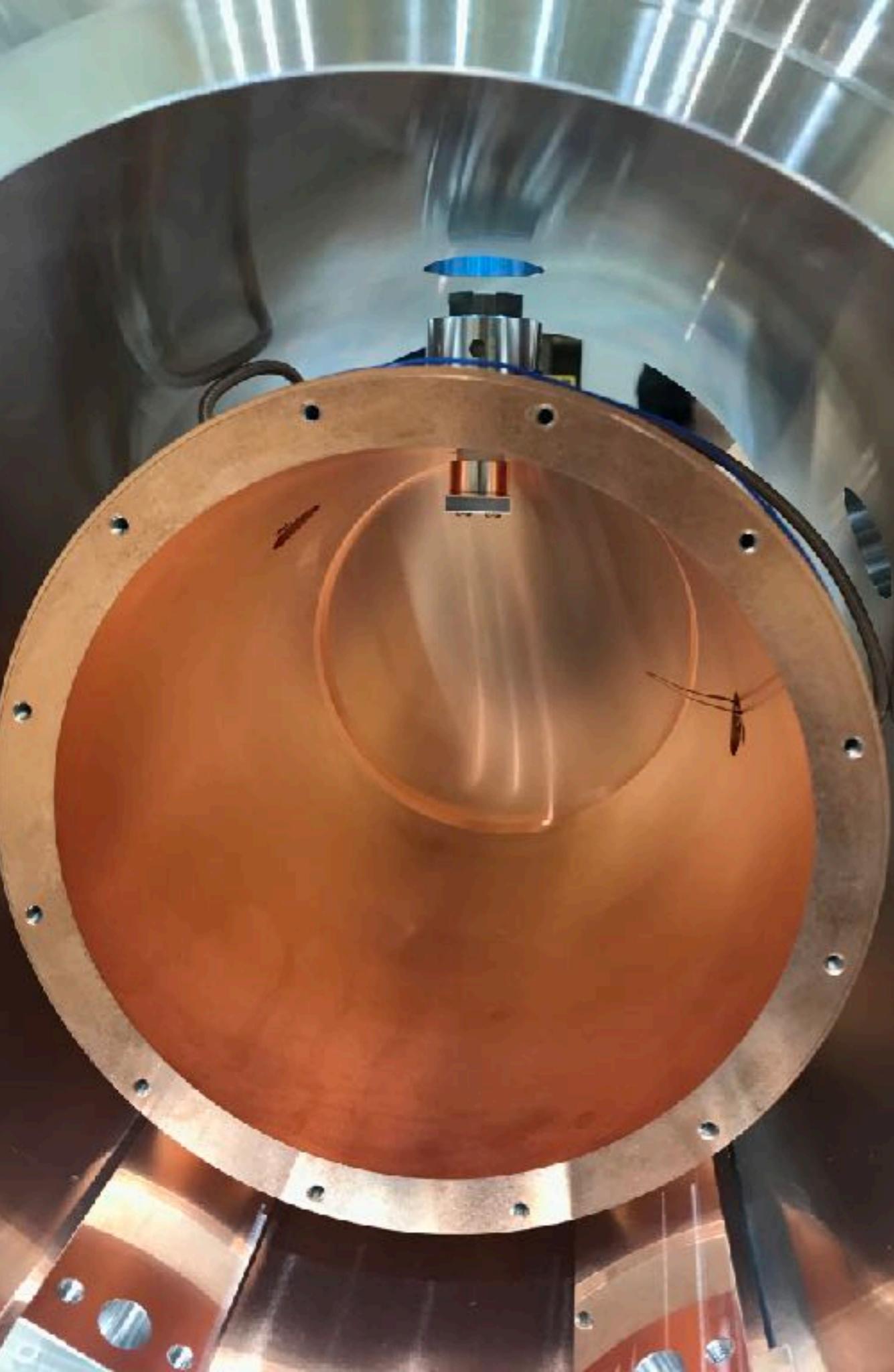


# Spectroscopy of Muonium Hyperfine Structure at J-PARC

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*Yasuhiro UENO, from RIKEN, for MuSEUM collaboration*



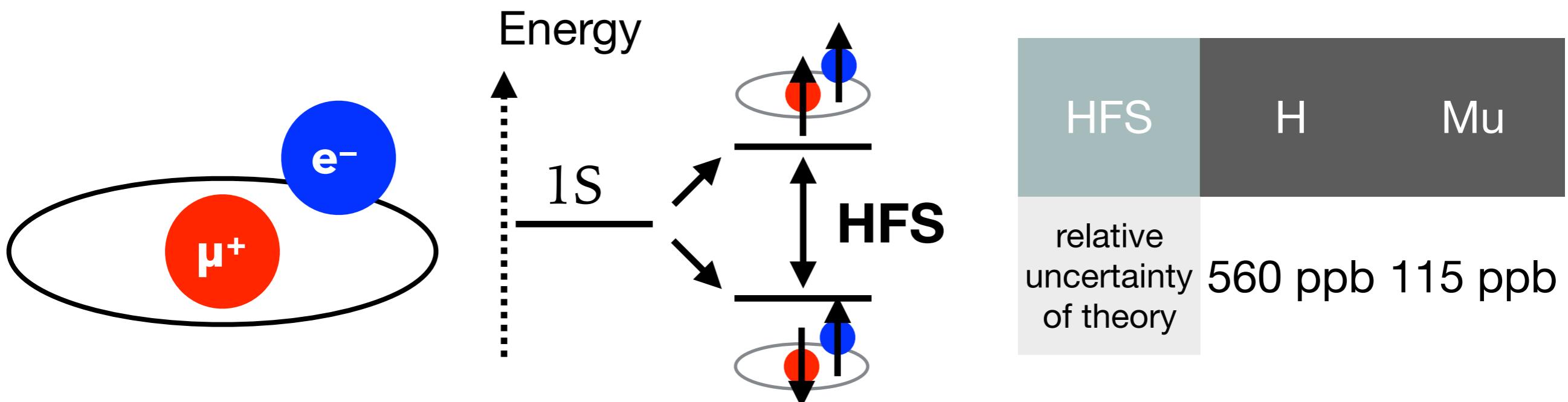
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# Experiment: MuSEUM

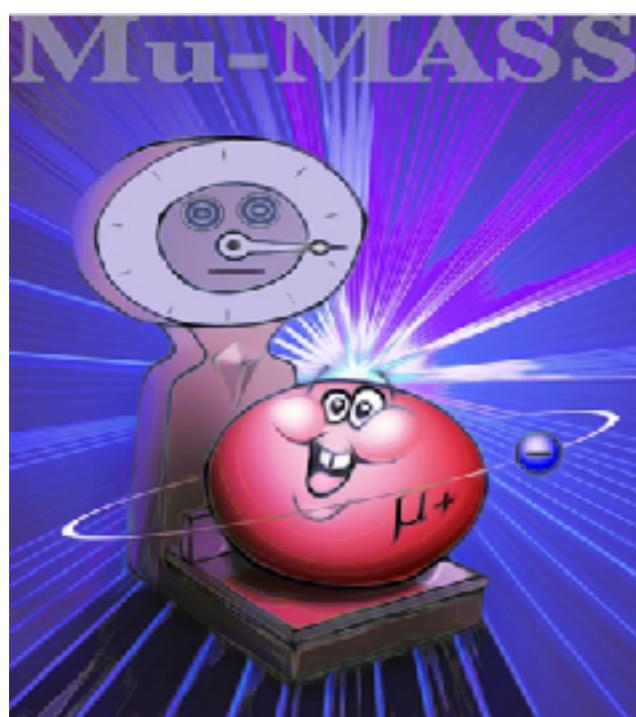
- **Muonum Spectroscopy Experiment Using Microwave**
- Muonium:  $\mu^+ & e^-$ , no nuclear structure, calculation with high precision
- Two major motivations
  - **Test of the bound-state QED**
  - Most precise **determination of the muon magnetic moment**  
(synergy with the muon  $g-2$  experiment)



# Test of the Bound-State QED

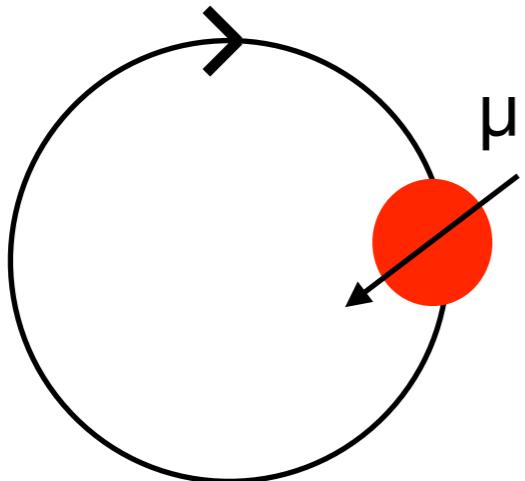
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- $v_{\text{exp}} = 4\ 463\ 302\ 765\ (53) \text{ Hz}$  Experiment at LAMPF (1999)
- $v_{\text{th}} = 4\ 463\ 302\ 891\ (511)(70)(2) \text{ Hz}$  ( $m_{\mu}/m_e$ )(QED)(a) By Eides
- Effort in QED calculation for <10 Hz precision is in progress by Eides et al.
- Combined with independent muon mass determination
  - test of the bound-state QED



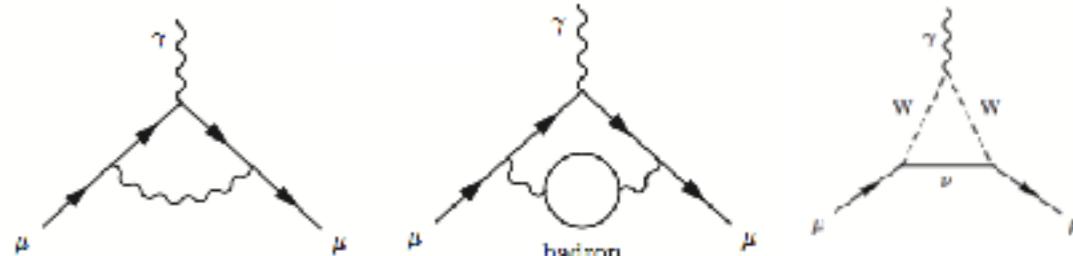
- **MuoiuM IAser SpectroScopy**  
planned at PSI (Paul Scherrer Institute)
- Improve Muonium 1s-2s by a factor of 1000
- Determine the muon mass with 1 ppb  
(more than a factor of 100 improvement)

# Muon Magnetic Moment and Muon g-2 5



3.7 $\sigma$  discrepancy

A. Keshavarzi, et al., Phys. Rev. D (2018)



**SM Theory** including QED,

Muon Ring **Experiment** at BNL

GW Bennett et al., PRD 73 072003 (2006)

Weak, Hadronic contributions

Talk by D. Nomura

$$a_\mu = \frac{R}{\frac{\mu\mu}{\mu p} - R}$$

$a_\mu$ : muon  $g-2$

(anomalous magnetic moment)

26 ppb (QED assumed) or  
120 ppb (direct determination)  
**MuSEUM aim: 10 ppb (direct)**

$R$  determined  
by muon ring Experiment:

Current: 540 ppb

Future: <140 ppb

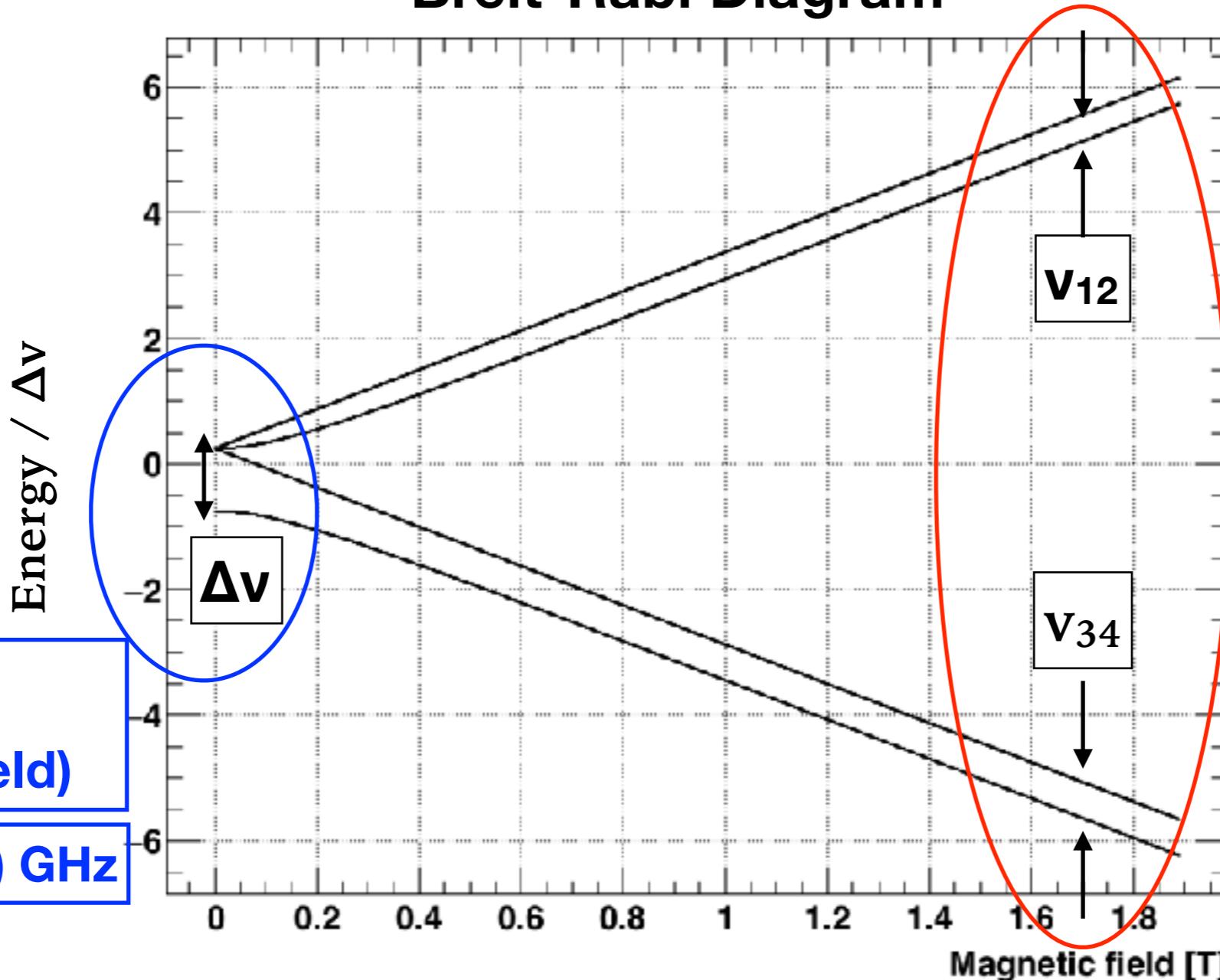
new experiments by  
Fermilab and J-PARC

Talks by S. Corradi,  
and S. Lee

# MuSEUM: Zeeman Splitting

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Breit-Rabi Diagram



"Zero" Field  
(very low B field)

4.463 3022 (14) GHz

High Field  
(at 1.7 T)

$$v_{12} + v_{34} = \Delta\nu$$

$$v_{12} - v_{34} \propto \mu_\mu / \mu_p$$

4.463 302 765 (53) GHz

Both world records at Los Alamos Meson Physics Facility (LAMPF)

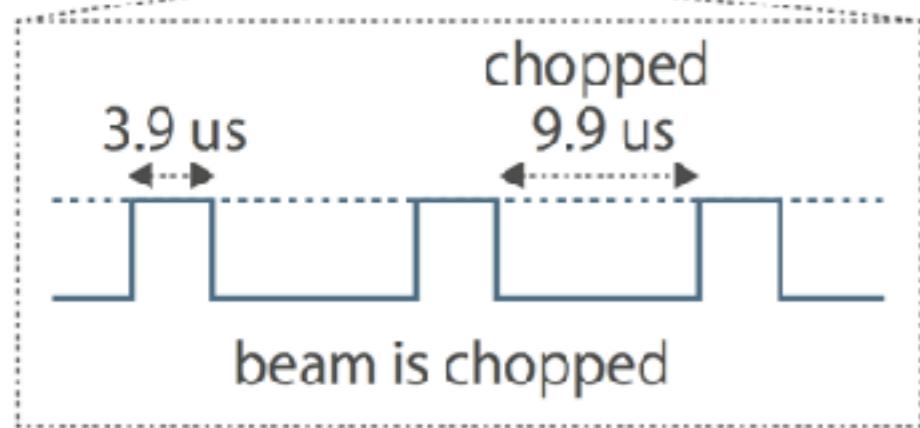
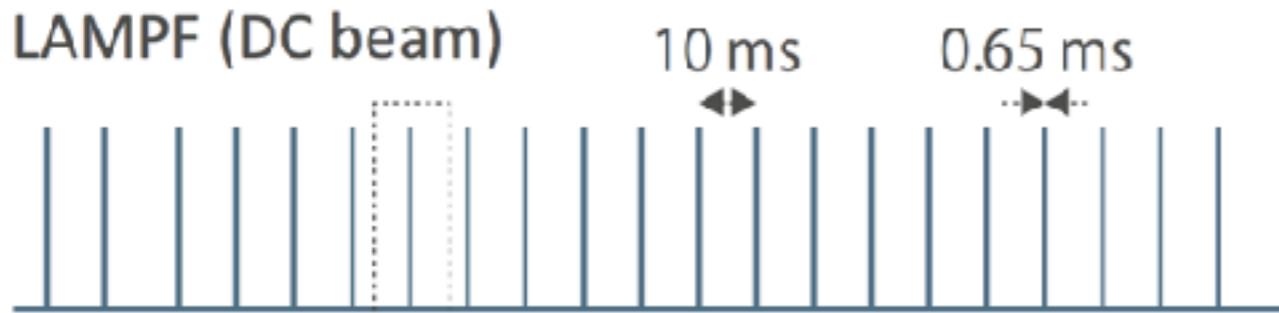
Their precision are statistically limited, we need more muons!

# Intense Pulsed Muon Beam: J-PARC MLF

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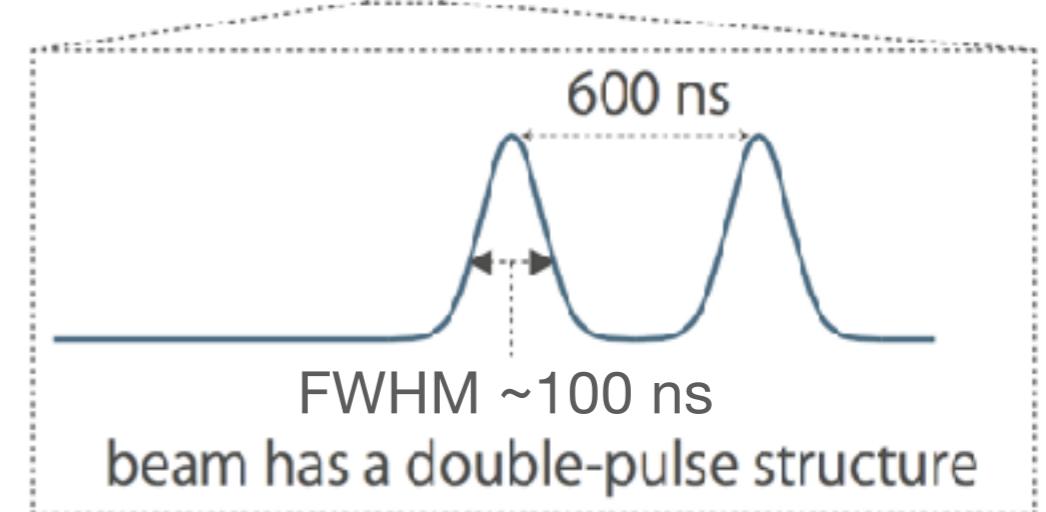
- The precision of the precursor experiments were limited by statistics
- We use the most intense pulsed muon beam at J-PARC MLF

Precursor Measurement  
at LAMPF



after chop:  $2 \times 10^6 \mu^+/\text{sec}$

Our Measurement  
at J-PARC MLF

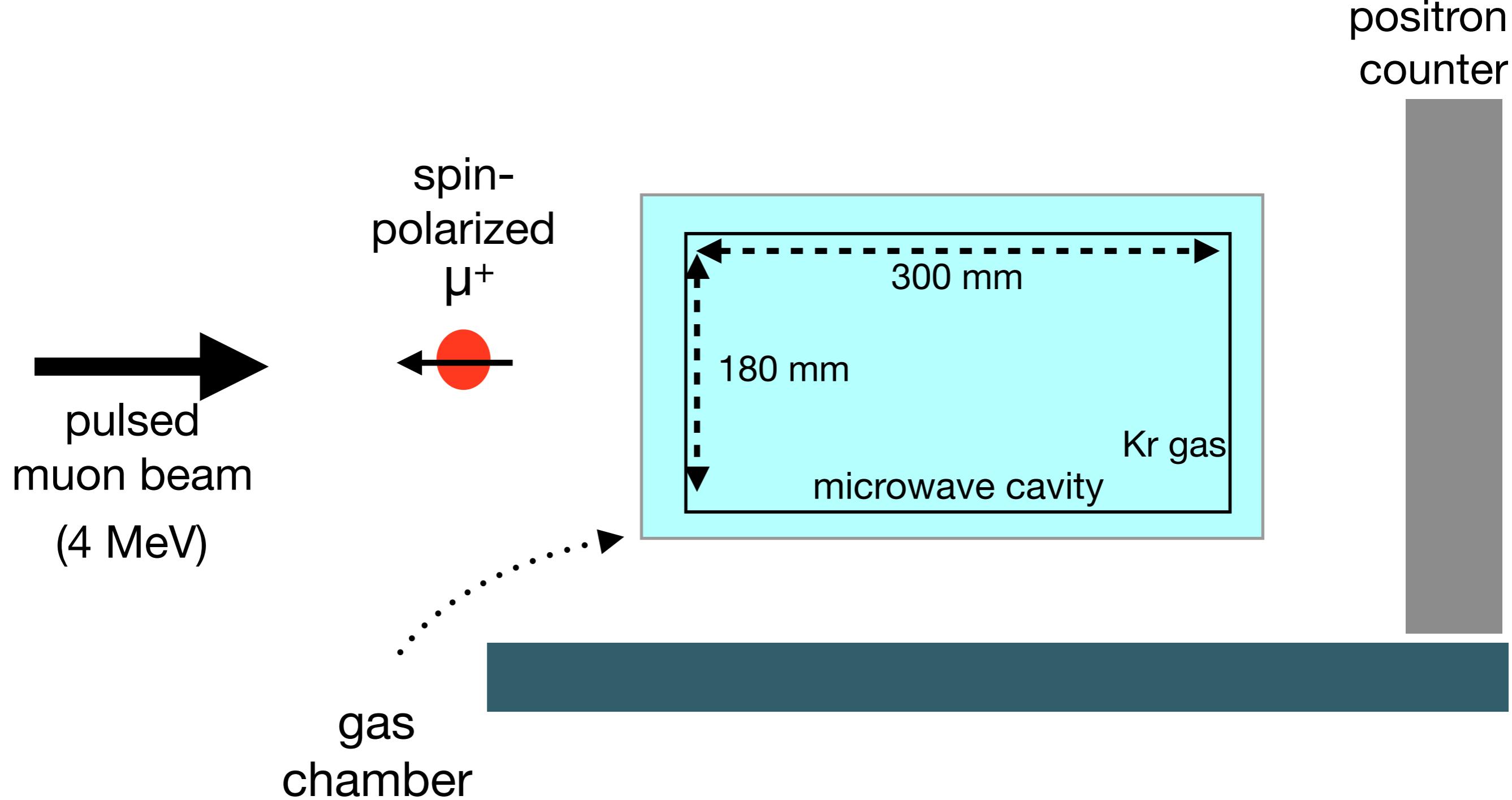


$>10^8 \mu^+/\text{sec}$  (H-Line 1 MW)

# Procedure of Measurement

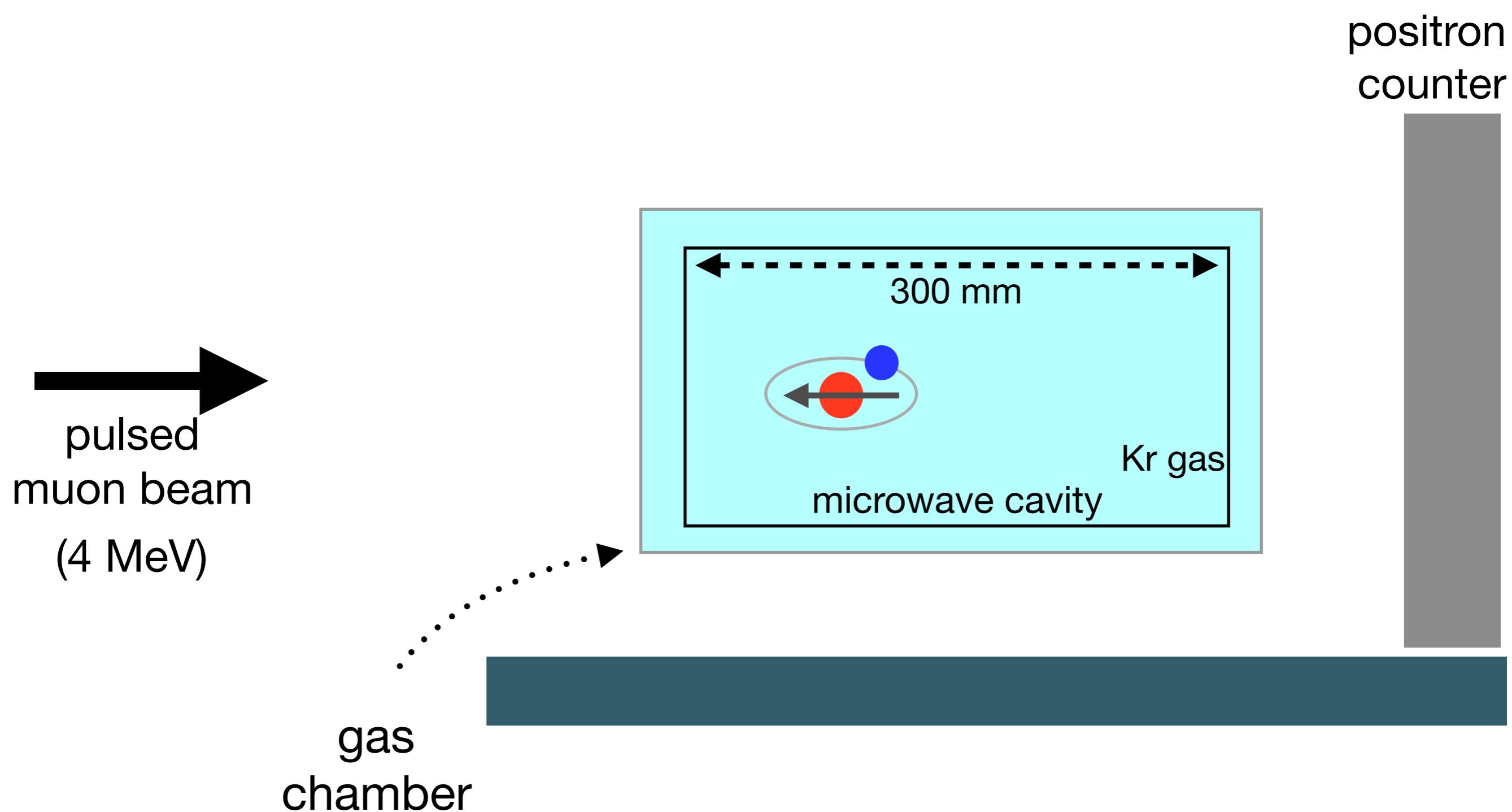
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Magnetic Shield/Superconducting Magnet



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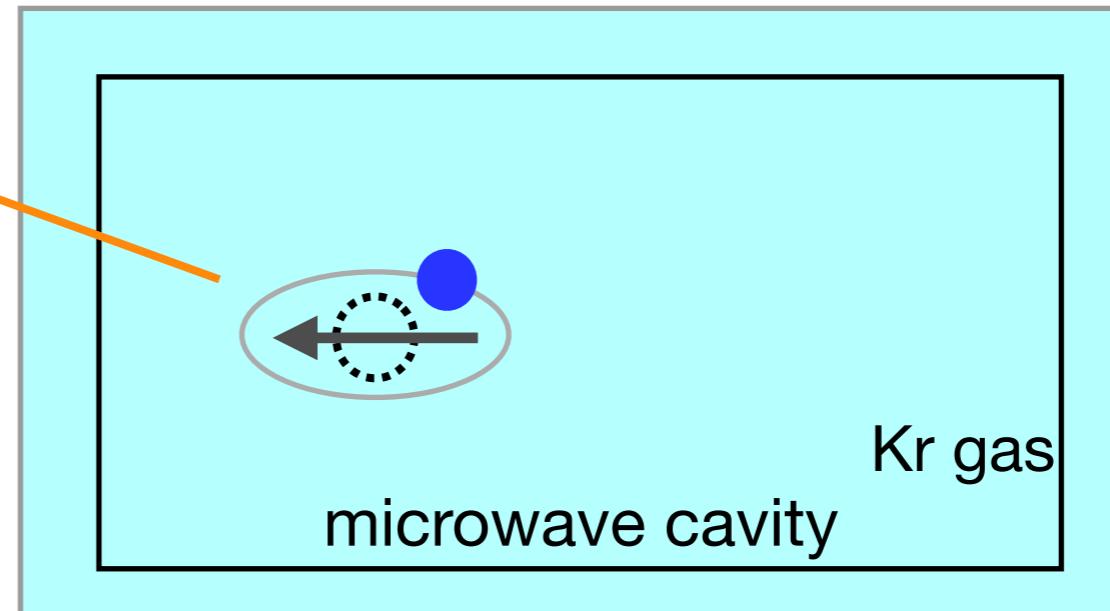


# Procedure of Measurement

Magnetic Shield/Superconducting Magnet

→  
pulsed  
muon beam  
(4 MeV)

**Microwave OFF resonance**



$$\mu^+ \rightarrow e^+ + \nu_e + \bar{\nu}_\mu \text{ Parity violating decay}$$

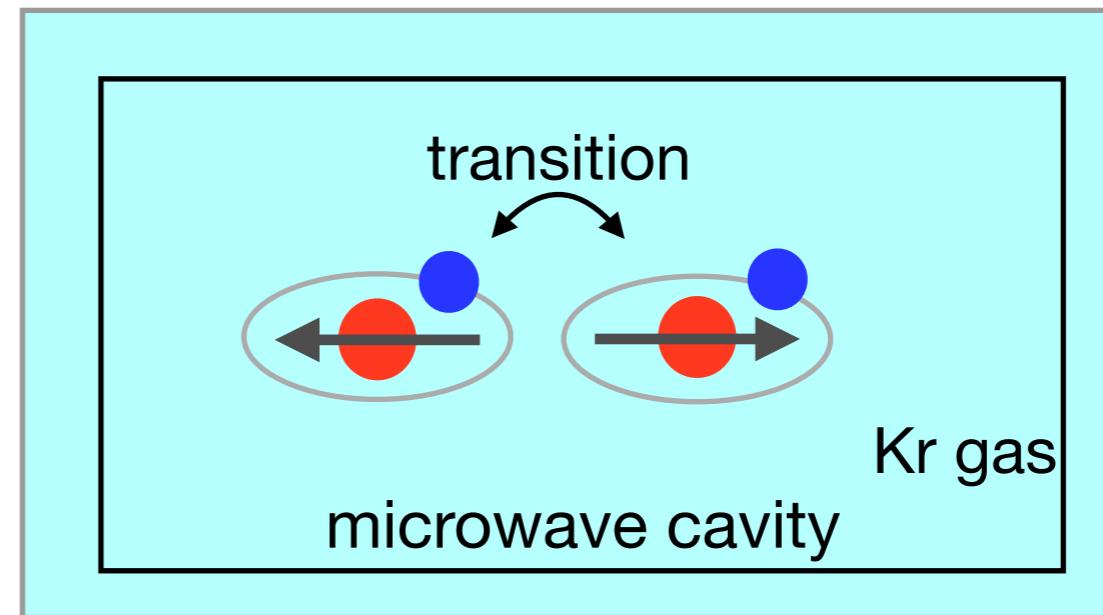
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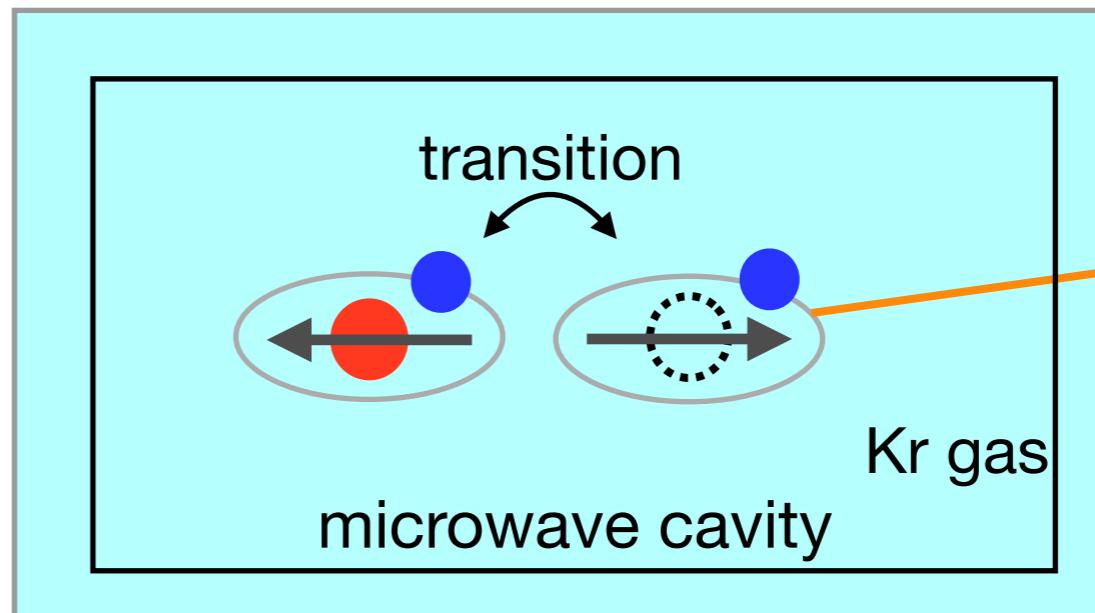
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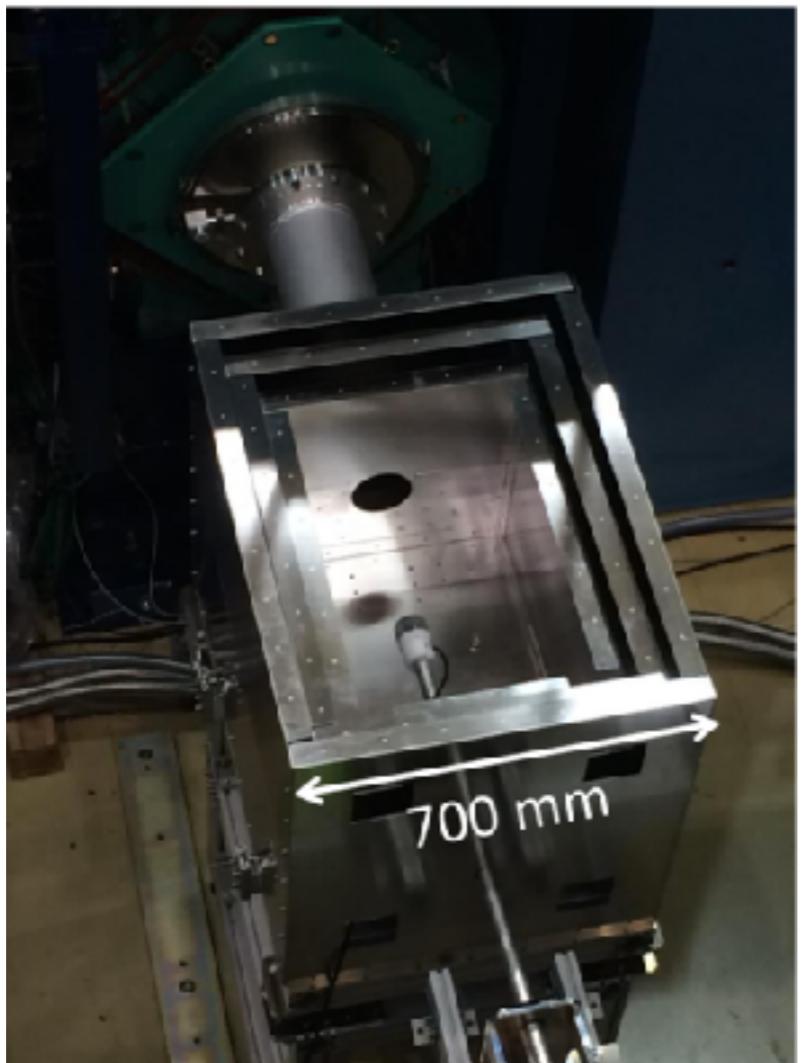
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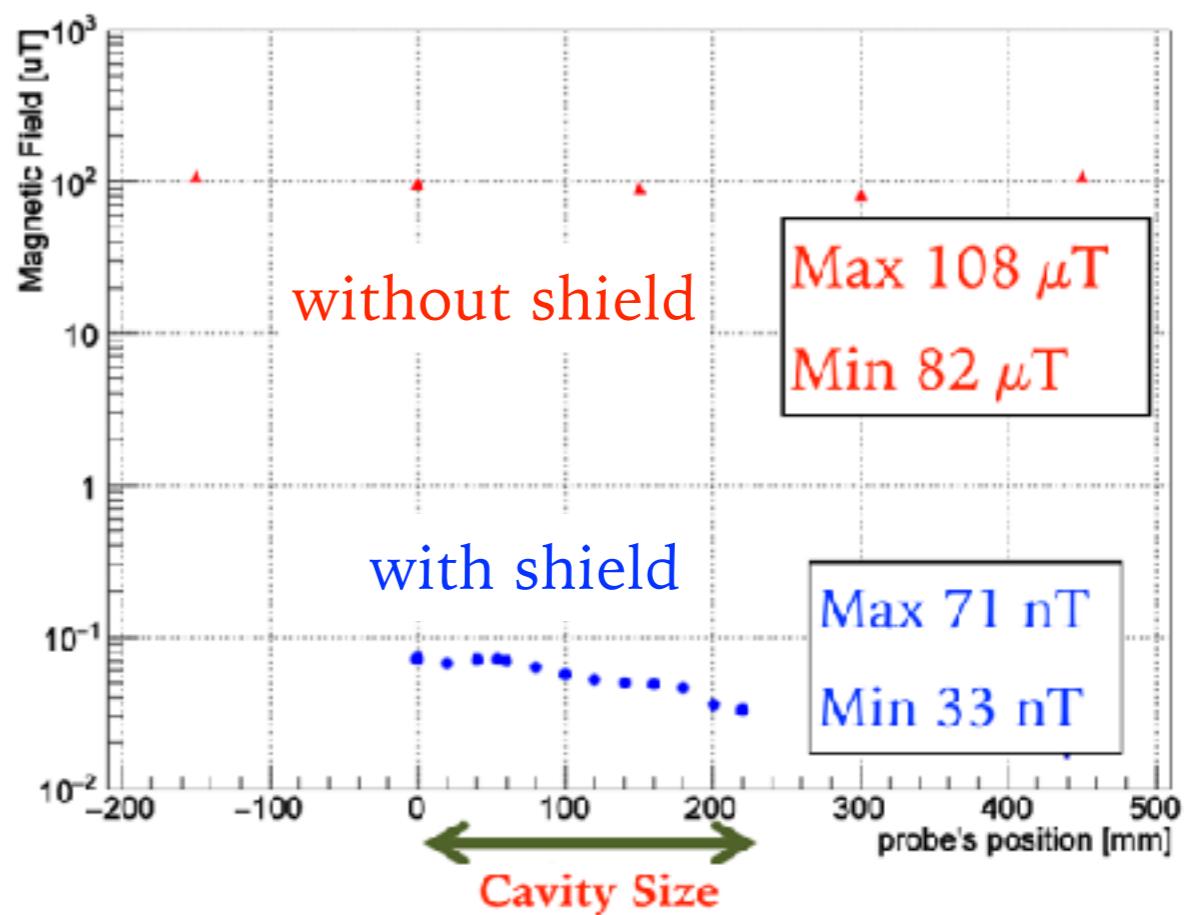
# Shield for Magnetic Field

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- Geomagnetic field and stray field from the beam line magnets
- **Three-layer permalloy shields** suppress the magnetic field (1/1000 suppression)
- Field measurement by flux-gate probe

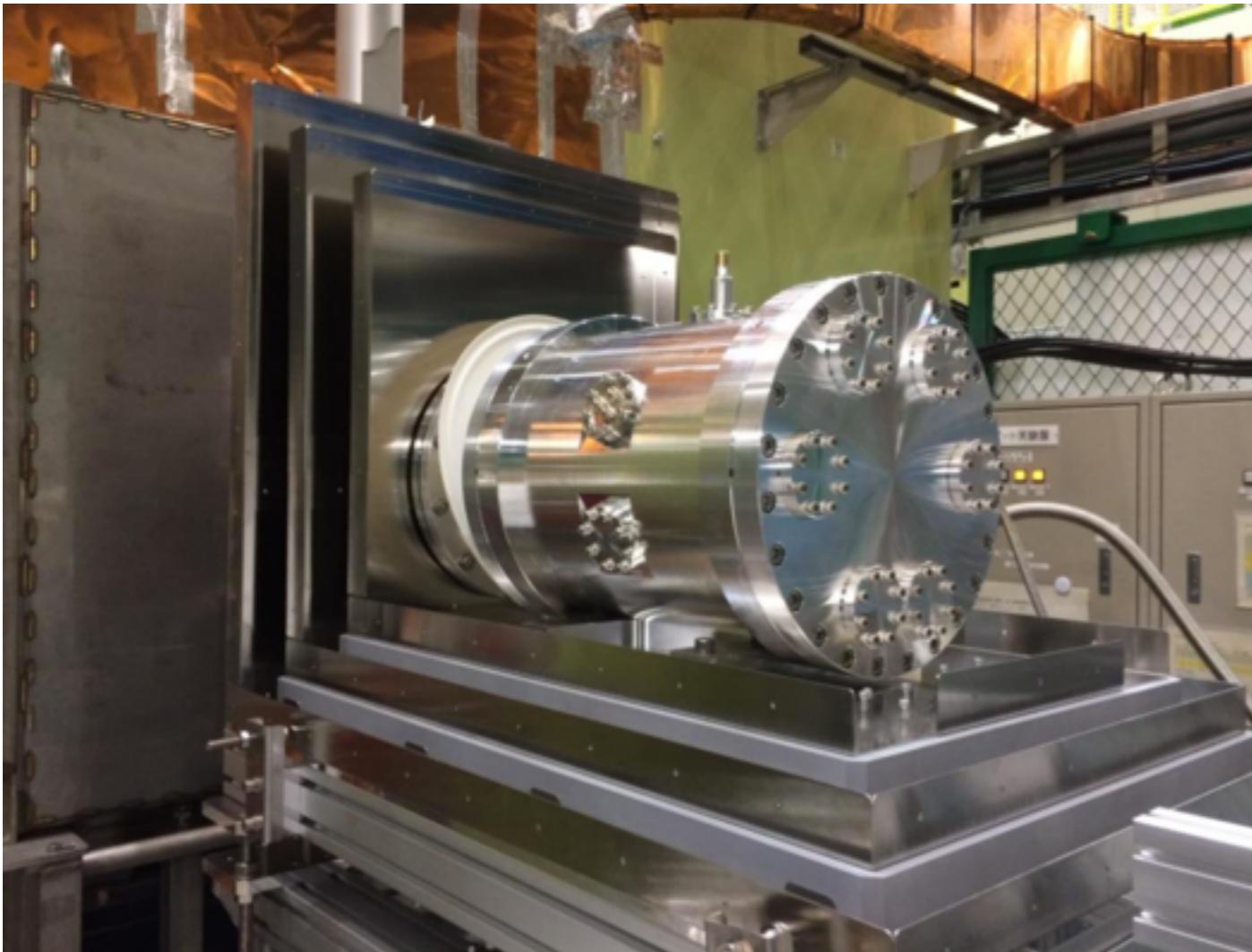


Comparison of field with and without the shield



# Gas Chamber and Microwave Cavity

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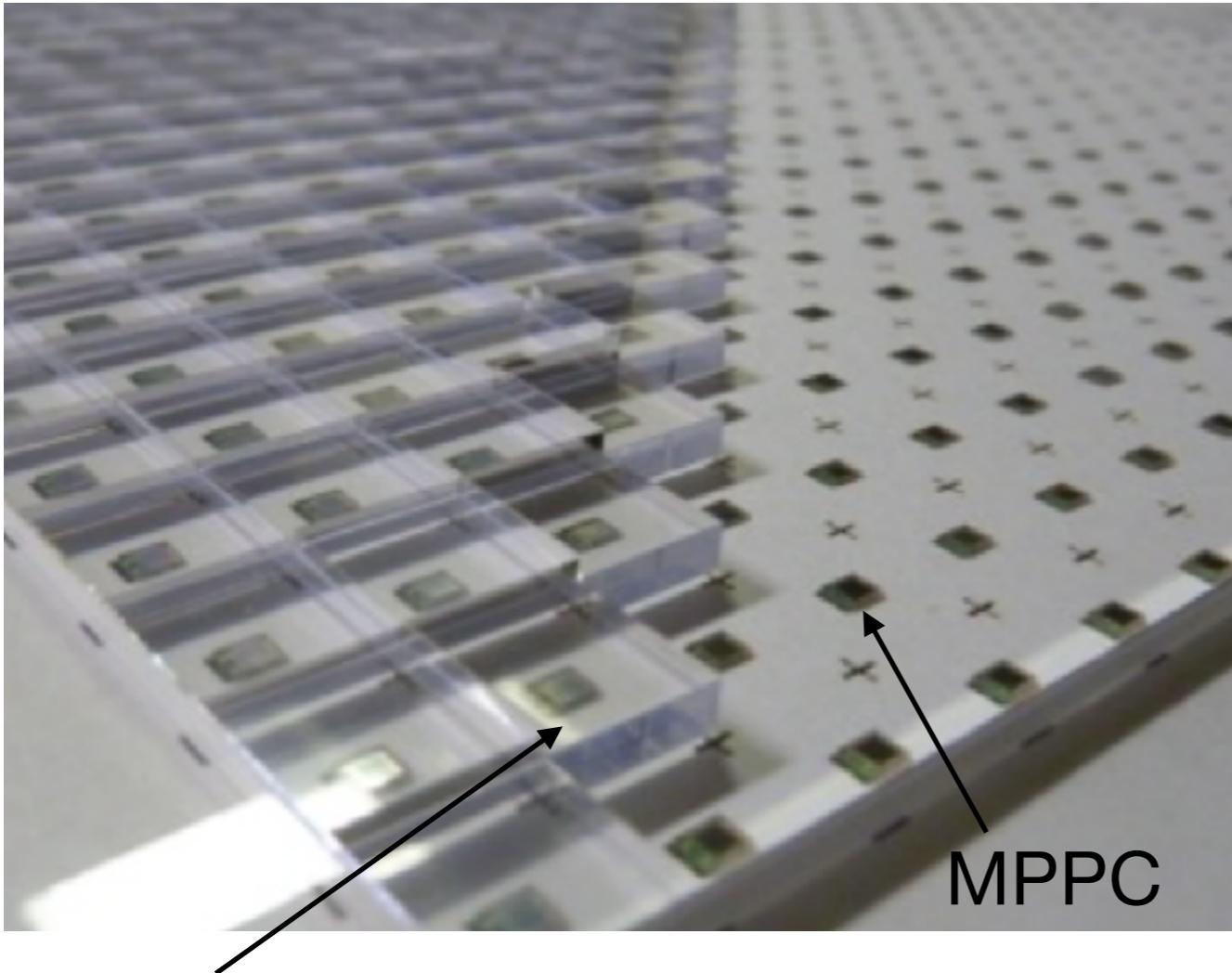


- Gas pressure monitored by a capacitance gauge  
Impurity measured by Q-MASS spectrometer
- Cavity Q factor ~10000, Input power ~1 W  
Cavity resonance frequency is tunable:  $4463 \pm 1$  MHz

# Positron Detector

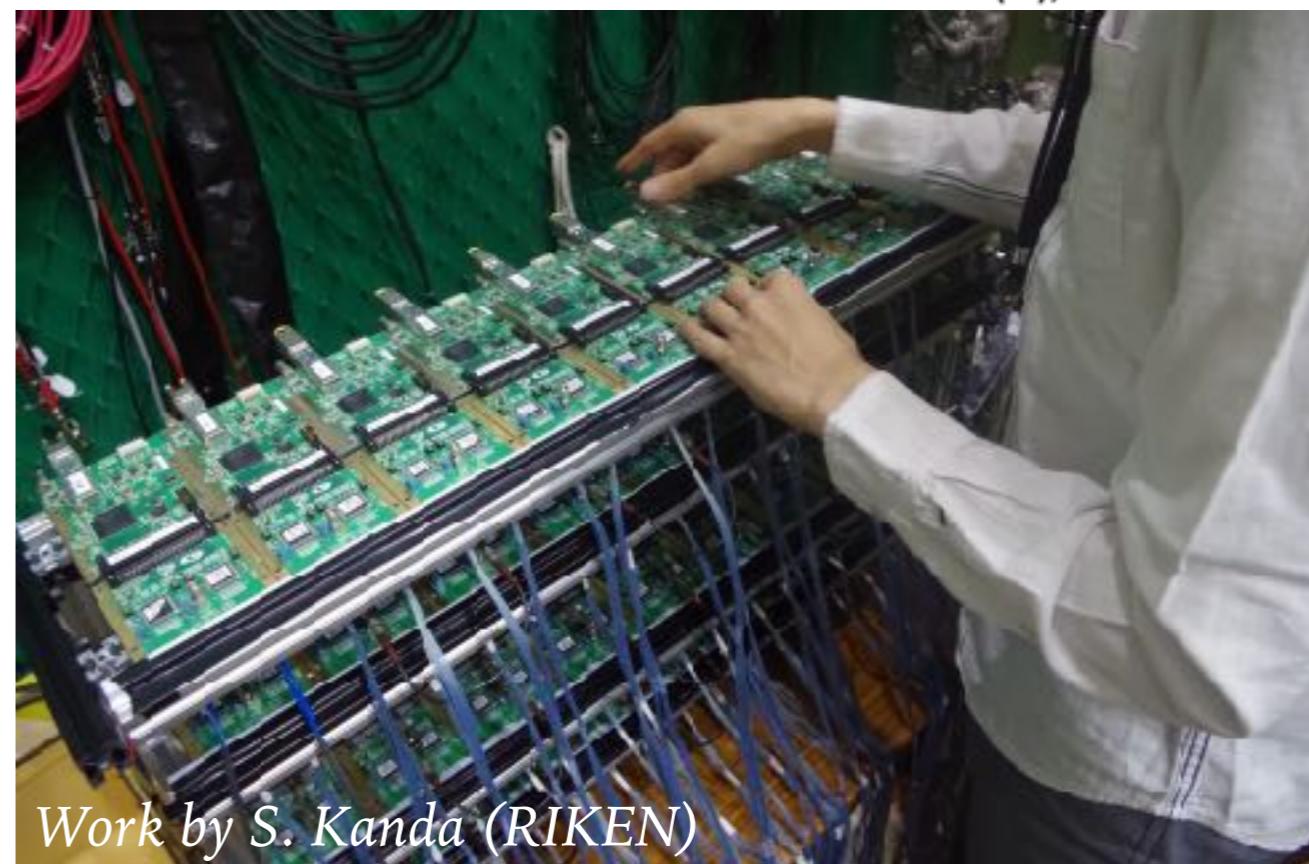
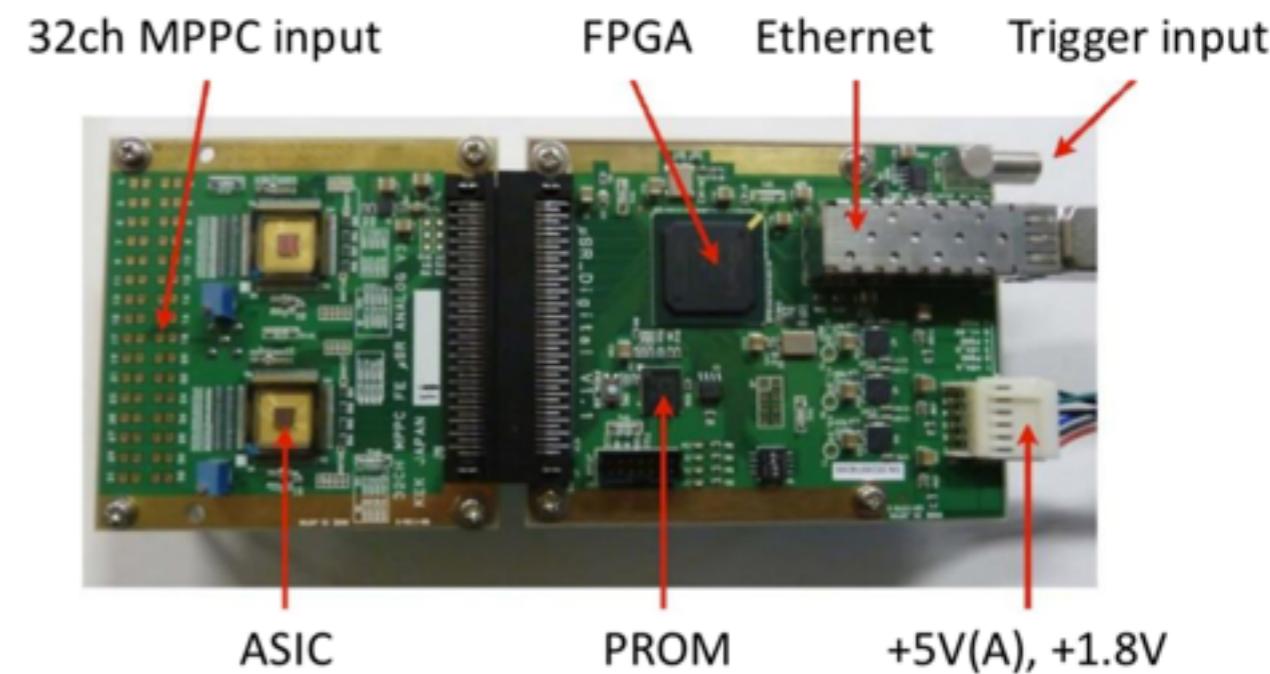
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Plastic Scintillator + MPPC(SiPM) + Kalliope read out board

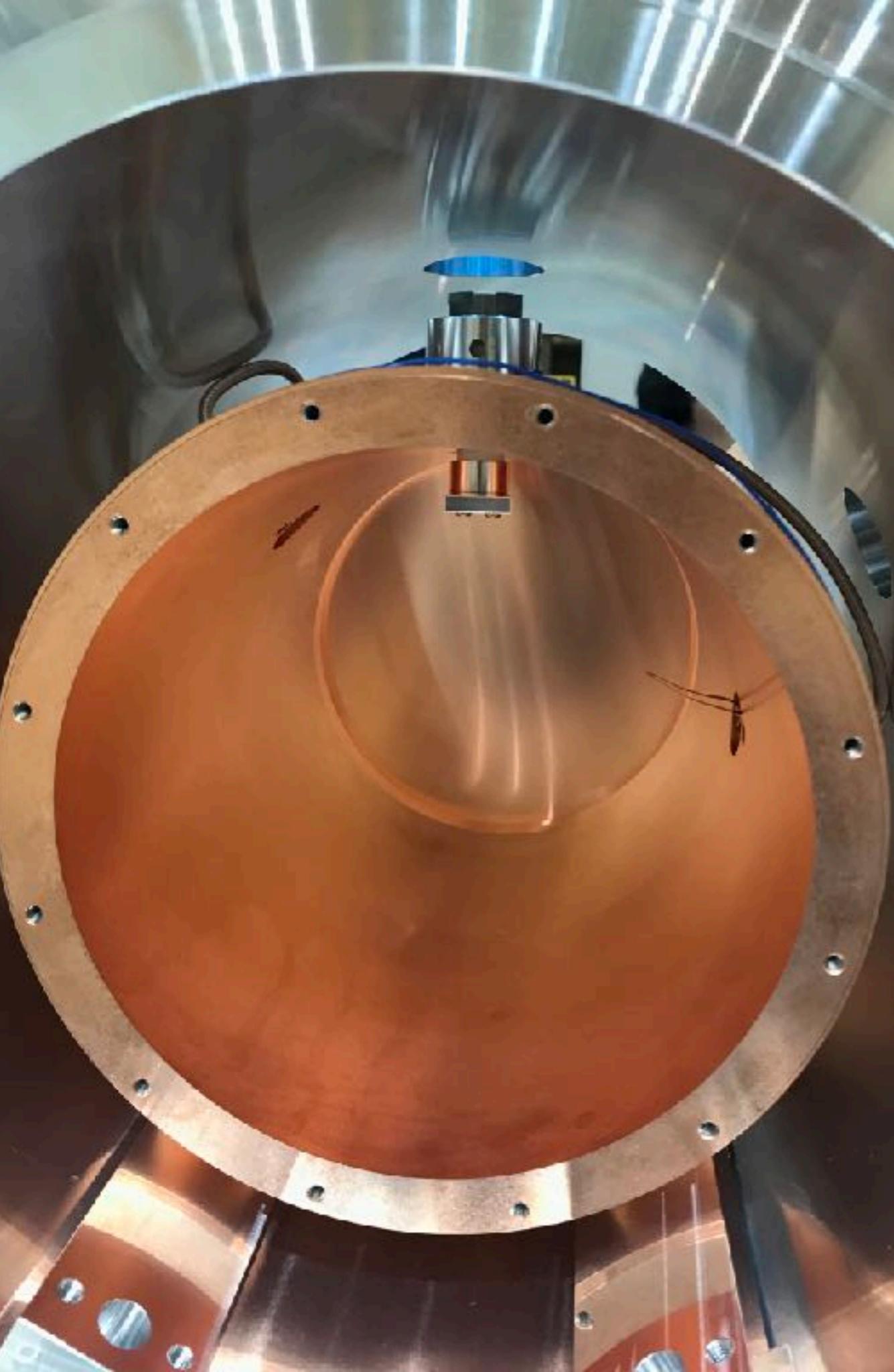


Plastic Scintillator

- Unit cell: 10 mm × 10 mm
- Covers 240 mm × 240 mm
- Two layers, 1152 ch in total



*Work by S. Kanda (RIKEN)*



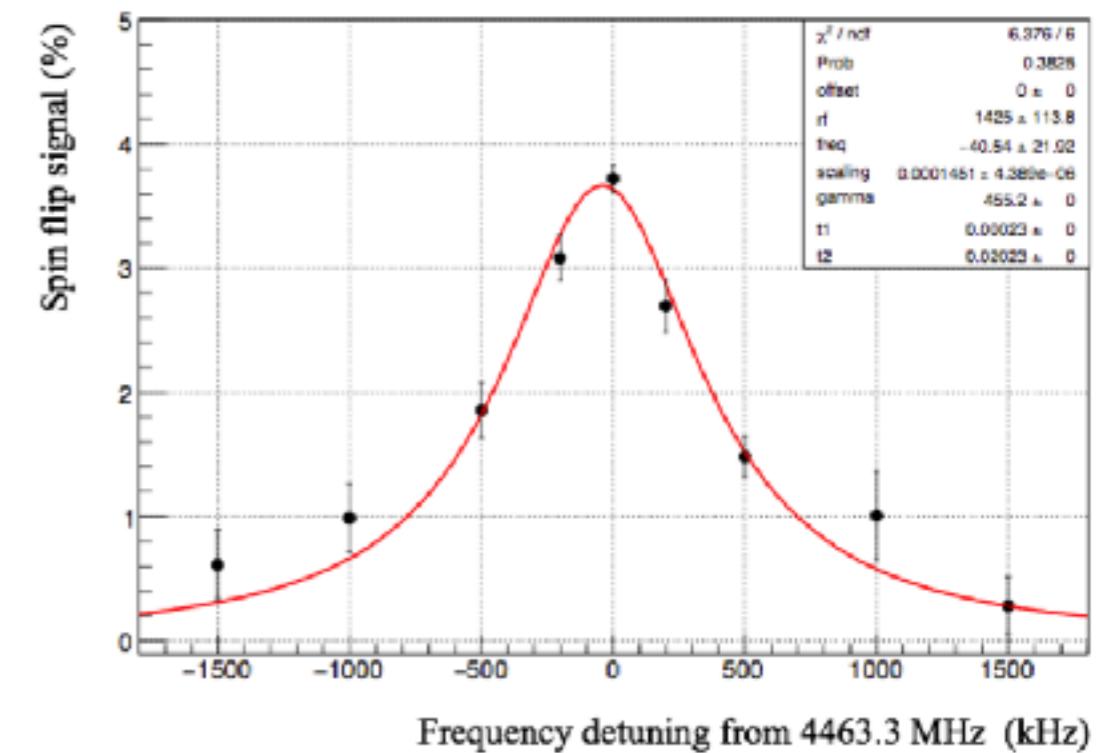
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# First Result in 2016

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- Measurement in 2016 at zero field at D-Line (Beam Power 200 kW) at Kr pressure = 1.0 atm
- First result: 4.463 292(22) GHz precision: 22 kHz, statistically limited (world record: 1.4 kHz)
- First measurement of MuHFS using a pulsed muon beam

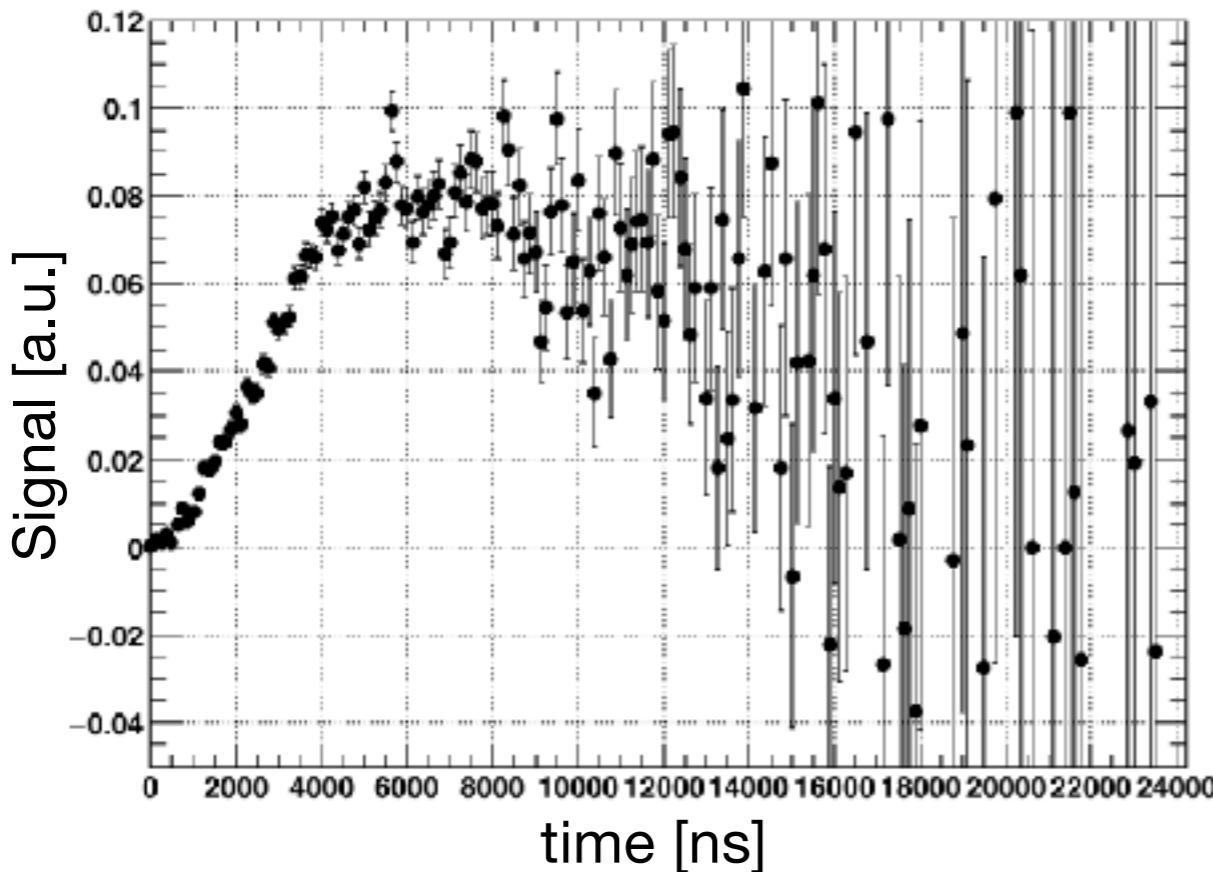


# Measurement at Lower Kr Pressure

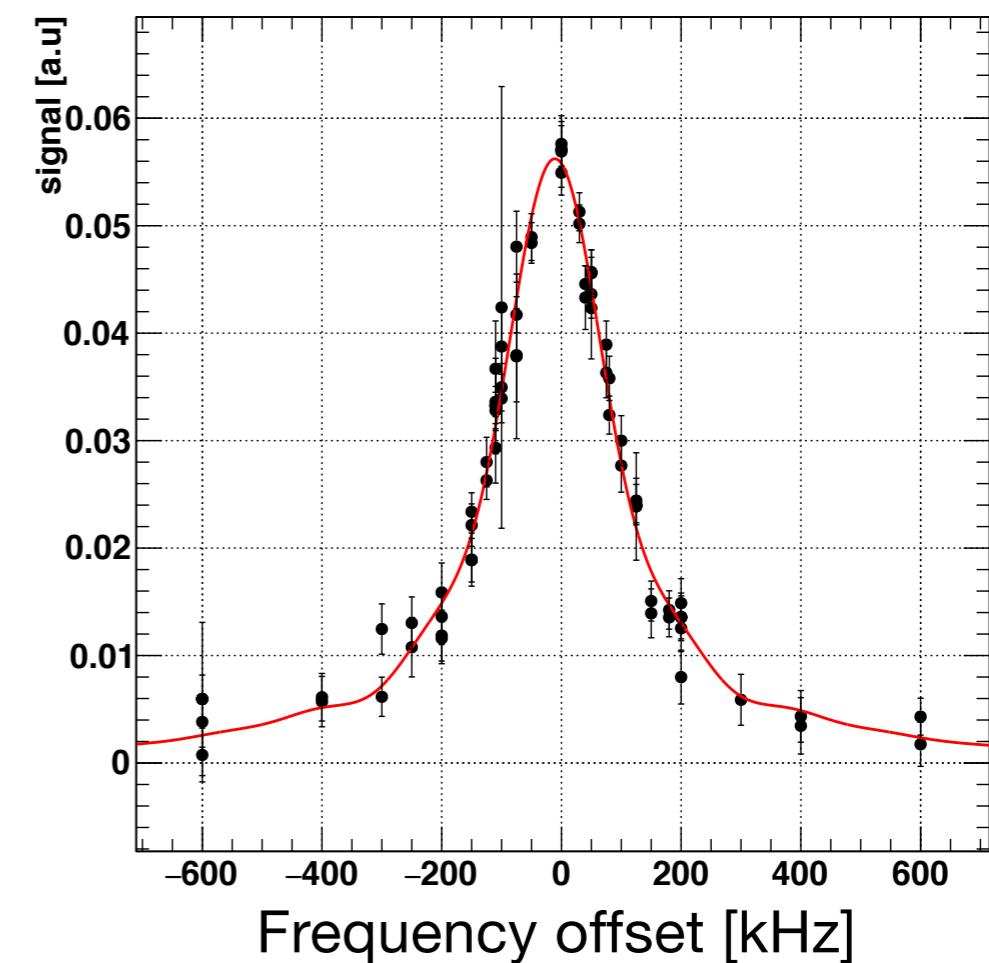
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- MuHFS shifts in Kr, we need a value in vacuo to compare with theory
- Measurement at lower Kr pressure points (0.3-1.0 atm) in 2018,2019 (D-Line, with improved beam power ~500 kW)
- (Measurement at less than 0.8 atm has not been done before)

Kr = 0.7 atm, on resonance



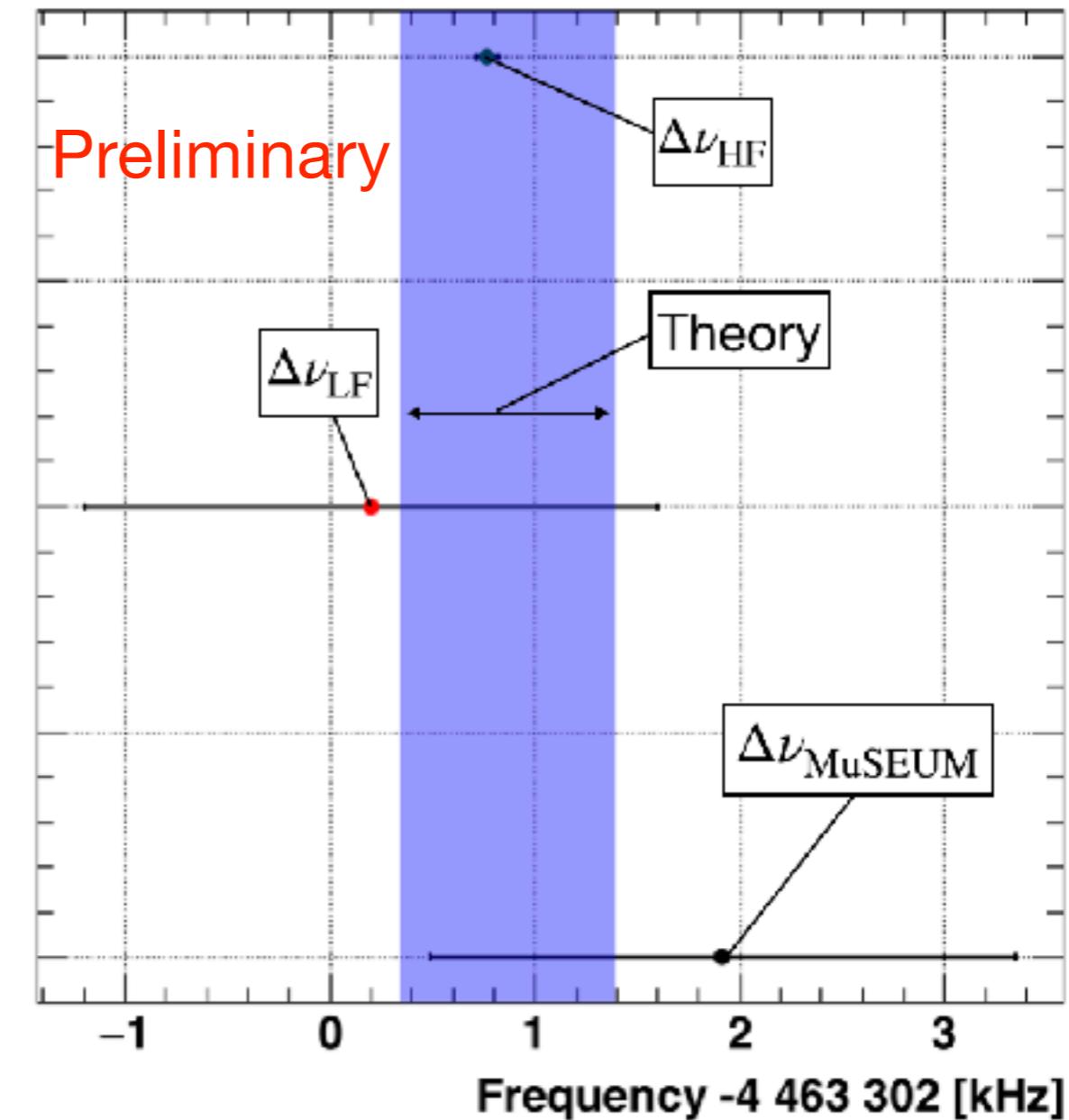
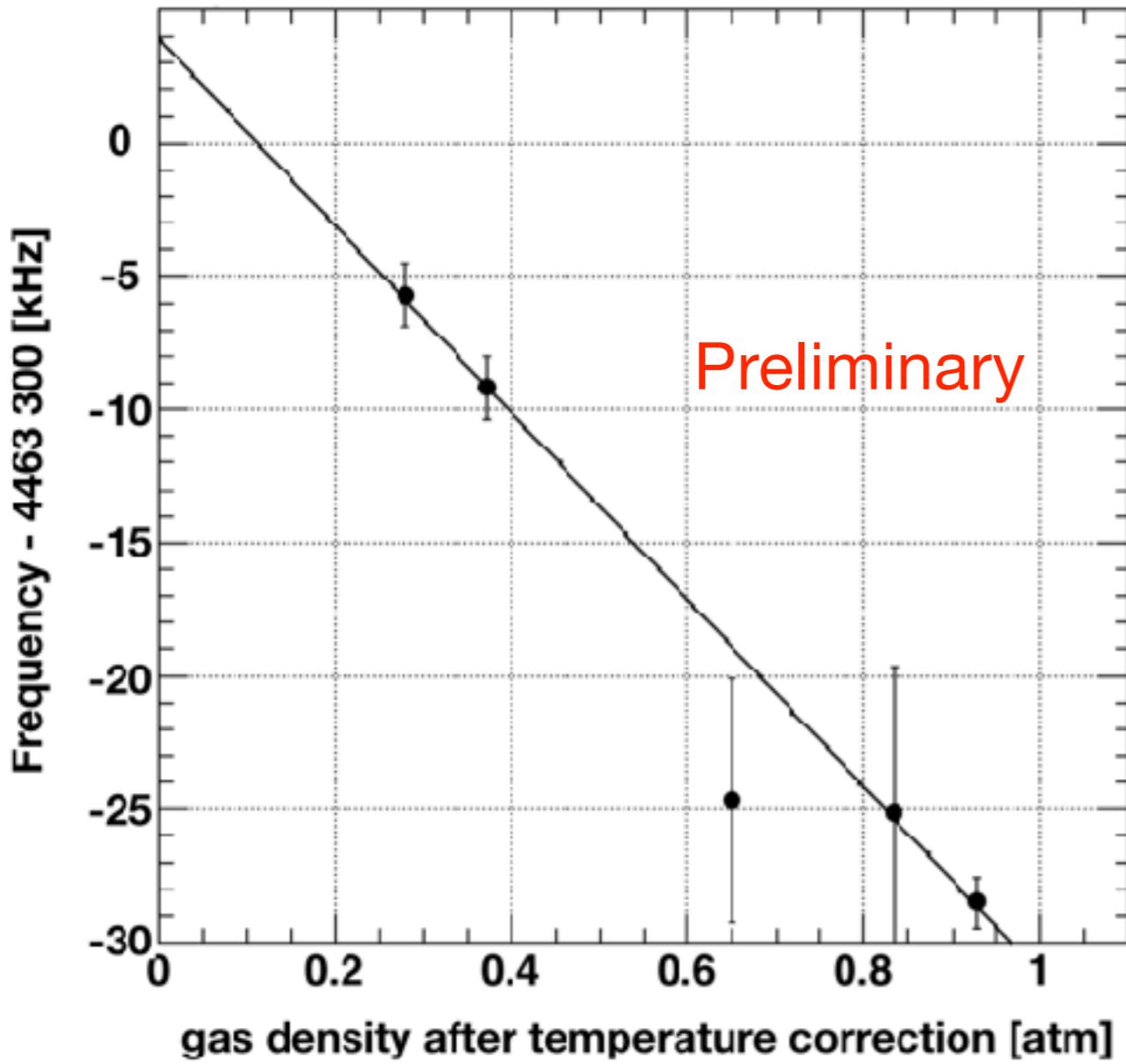
Kr = 0.4 atm



# Measurement at Lower Kr Pressure

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- Extrapolated the results to obtain the MuHFS in vacuo
- The uncertainty is comparable to the world record (1.4 kHz)
- Our result is consistent with the theory and the precursor experiment

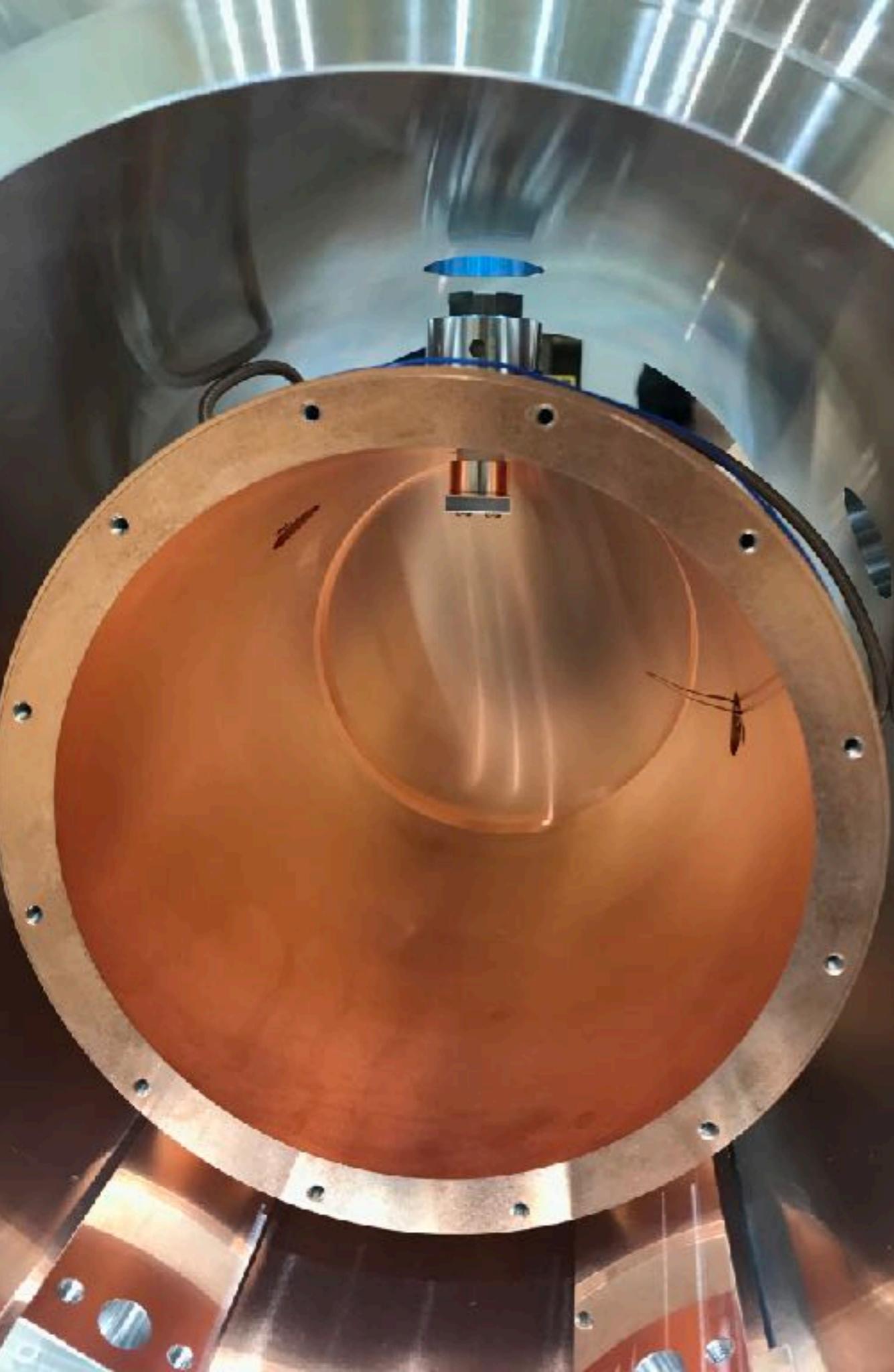


# Uncertainty in Weak Field Measurement 20

- Current statistical uncertainty: 1400 Hz in 3 days  
With new beamline and 100-days run: **40 Hz** is expected  
Further improvement is achievable
- Systematic uncertainty: currently 112 Hz, <10 Hz in future

Systematic uncertainty table

Contribution	Uncertainty [Hz]
Pressure Gauge	79
Pressure Fluctuation	24
Quadratic Term	(2)
Frequency Reference	45
Power Drift	60
Muon Beam	6
Others	< 1
Total	112



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# Systematic Uncertainties for High Field 22

	specification	$\Delta v$	$\mu_\mu/\mu_p$
B field		0	26 ppb
RF stability	0.02%	0.8 ppb	8 ppb
Collision with Kr		1.0 ppb	5 ppb
Kr Temperature	0.2 K	0.4 ppb	4 ppb
Detector pile up		< 0.5 ppb	3 ppb
Others		< 0.8 ppb	7 ppb
Overall		< 1.6 ppb (8 Hz)	29 ppb

# Collisional Shift and Gas Species

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- Systematic uncertainty from the collisional shift is dominant
- There are two major effect from the collision

- Pauli exclusion effect  
(Short-range)

-> **positive shift**

- Van der Waals interaction effect  
(Long-range)

-> **negative shift**

dominant for large Z atom

J. Chem. Phys. 32, 972 (1960)

## H-HFS pressure dependence in noble gas

B. K. Rao *et al.*, Phys. Rev. A 2(4) 1411(1970).

TABLE V. Values of the fractional pressure shift  
 $f_p$  for all five systems at 273 °K.

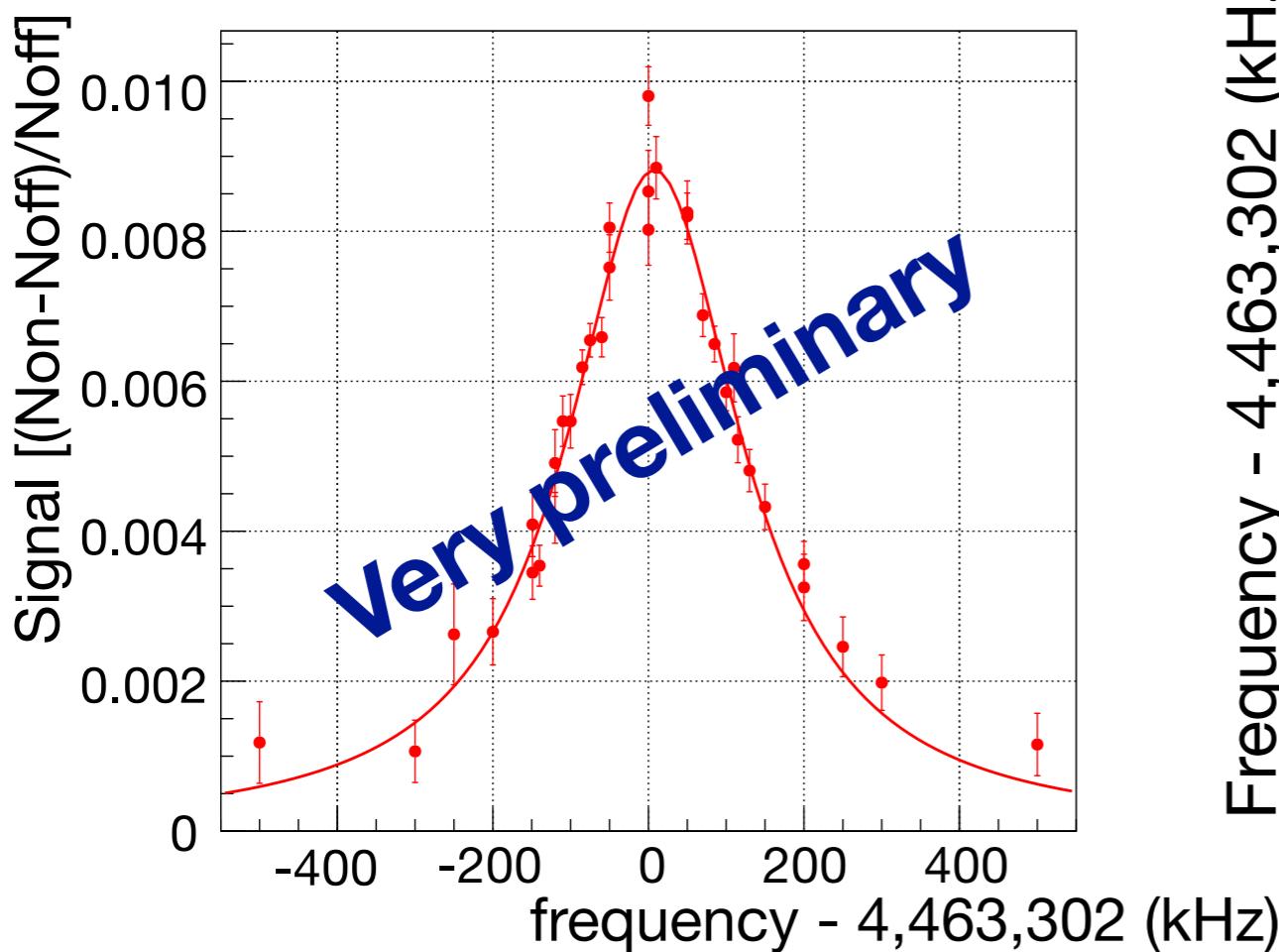
System	$f_p$ (in $10^{-9}$ /Torr)			
	Short- range	Long- range	Total	Experiment
H-He <sup>a</sup>	2.130	—	0.952	1.178
H-He <sup>b</sup>	2.679	—	0.950	1.729
H-Ne	2.059	—	1.952	0.107
H-Ar	4.556	—	7.827	-3.081
H-Kr	7.525	—	11.842	-4.317
H-Xe	10.922	—	17.560	-6.638

- **He-Kr mixture gas can reduce the collisional shift**
- From Hydrogen HFS, Kr:He=4.8:10.4=Kr32% is ideal

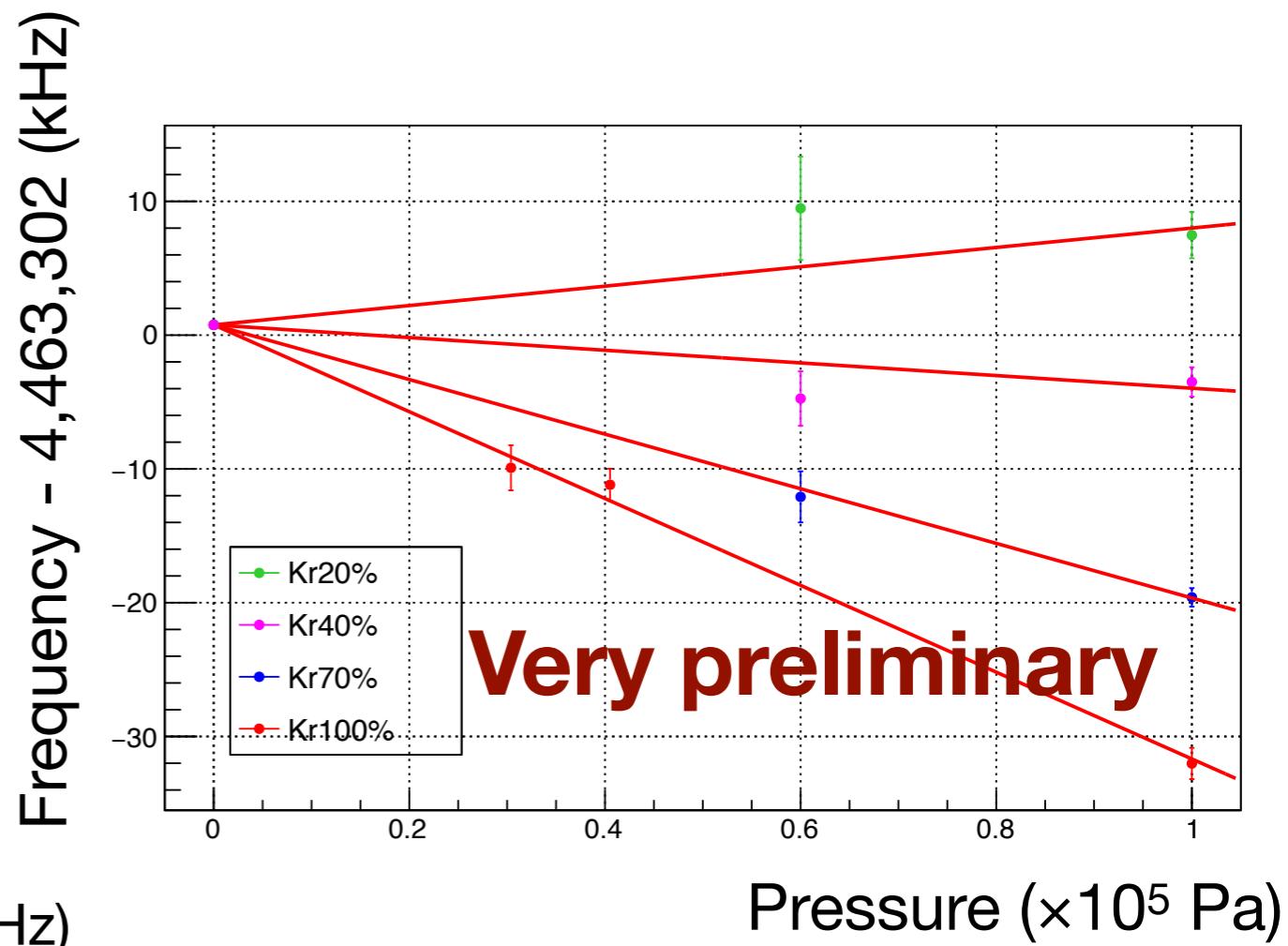
# Beam time in Mar & June 2019

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- Used mixture gas Kr-He to suppress the extrapolation uncertainty
- Confirmed Mu formation in Kr-He gas, and observed MuHFS resonance



resonance with Kr 20% gas at 1.0 atm



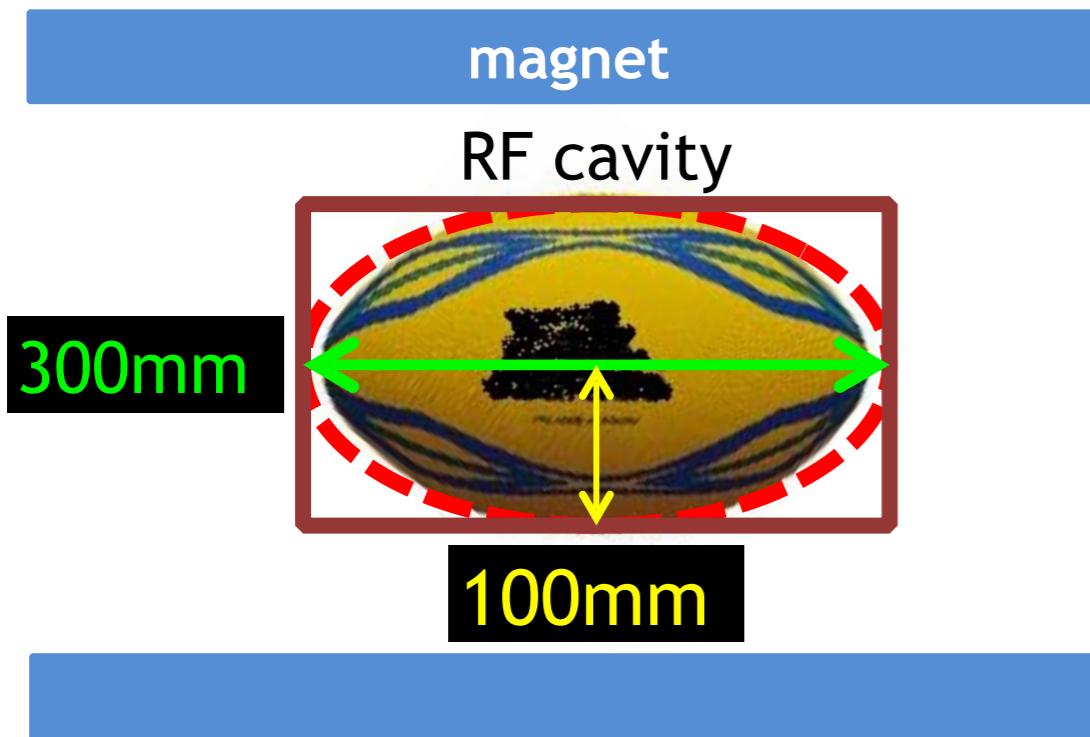
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# Superconducting Magnet for 1.7 T Field 26

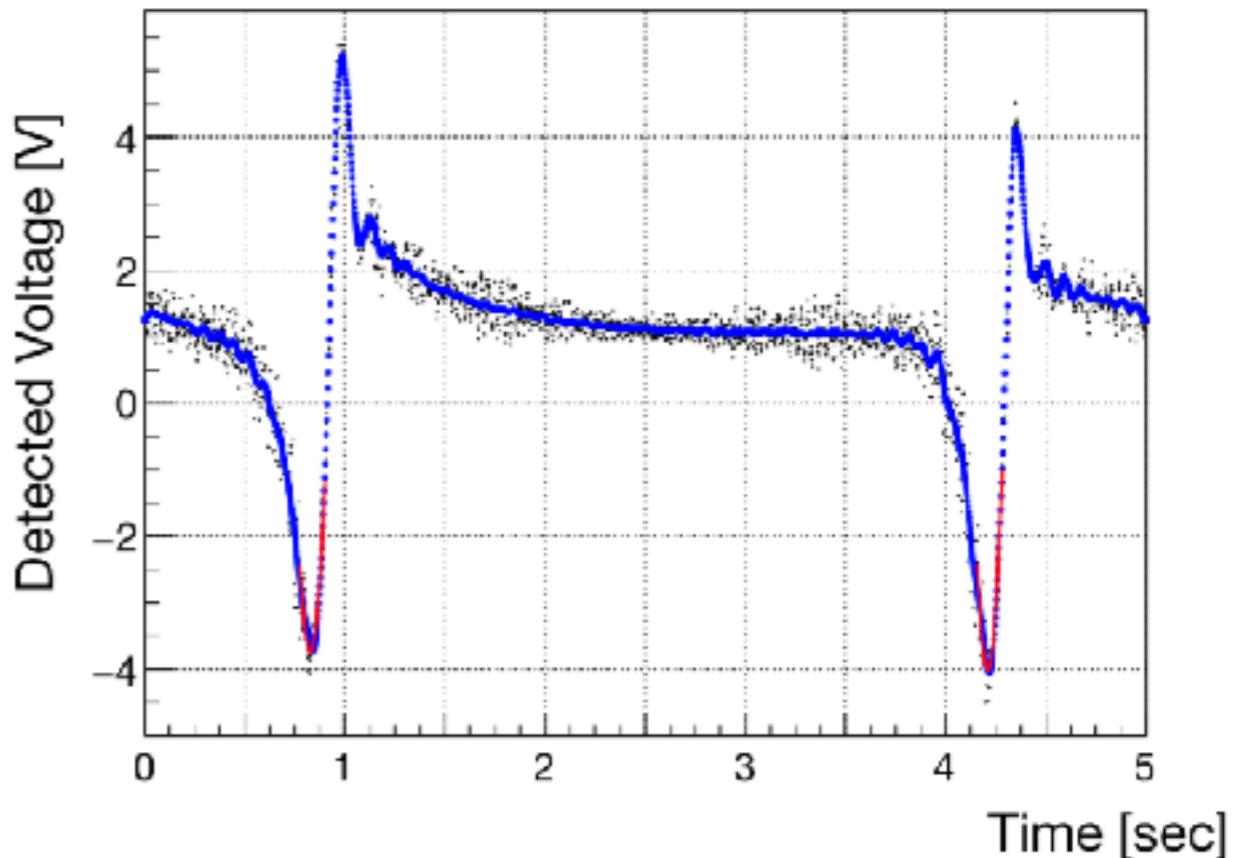
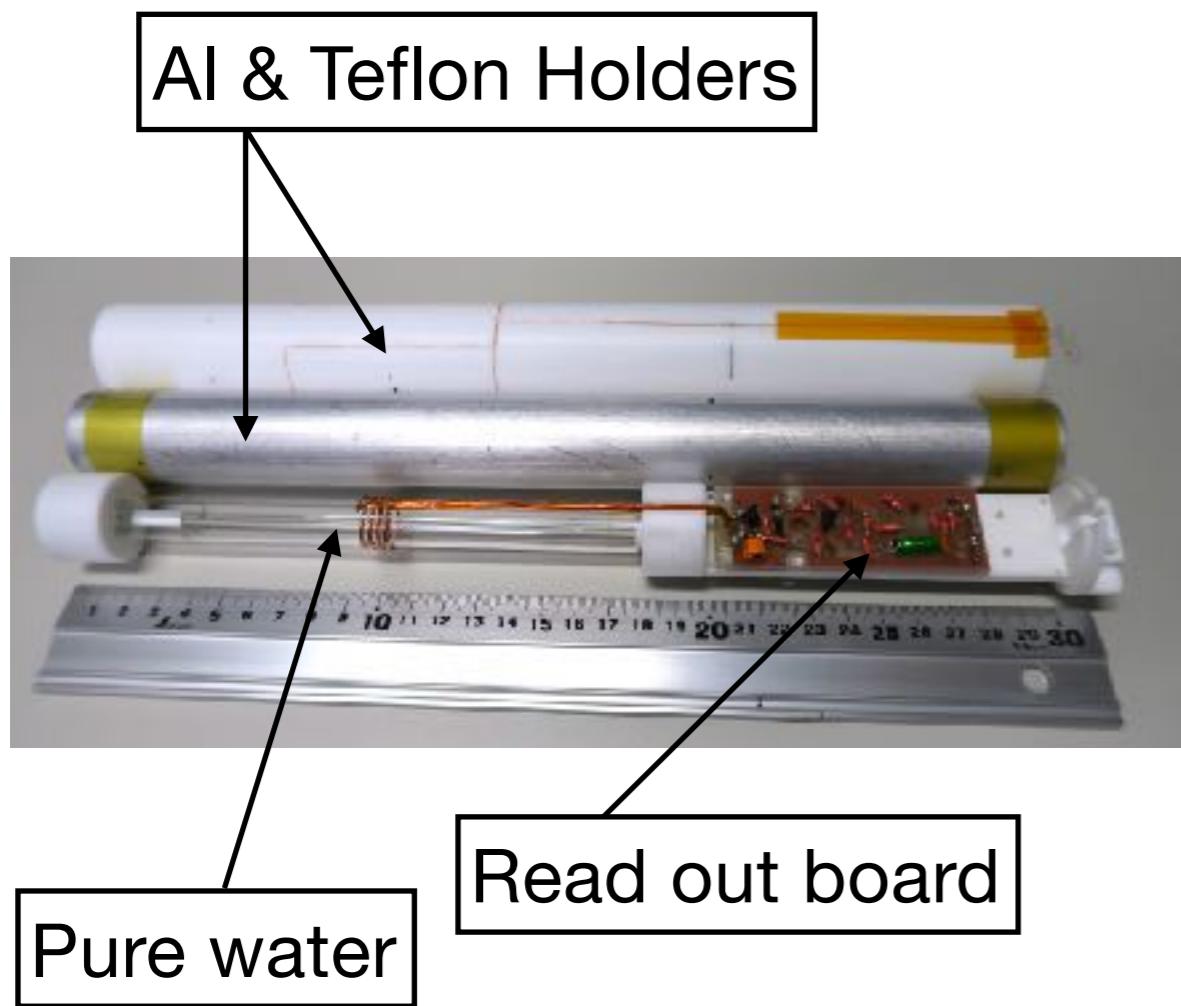
- Time stability: **3 ppb/hour** over 10 days period  
(required stability 100 ppb/h) *By K. Sasaki and M. Abe (KEK)*
- Required uniformity is 1 ppm in a rugby-ball sized volume by shimming we achieved **0.3 ppm**



# NMR Magnetometer

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Work by K. Sasaki, H. Yamaguchi (KEK)  
and T. Tanaka (Univ. of Tokyo)

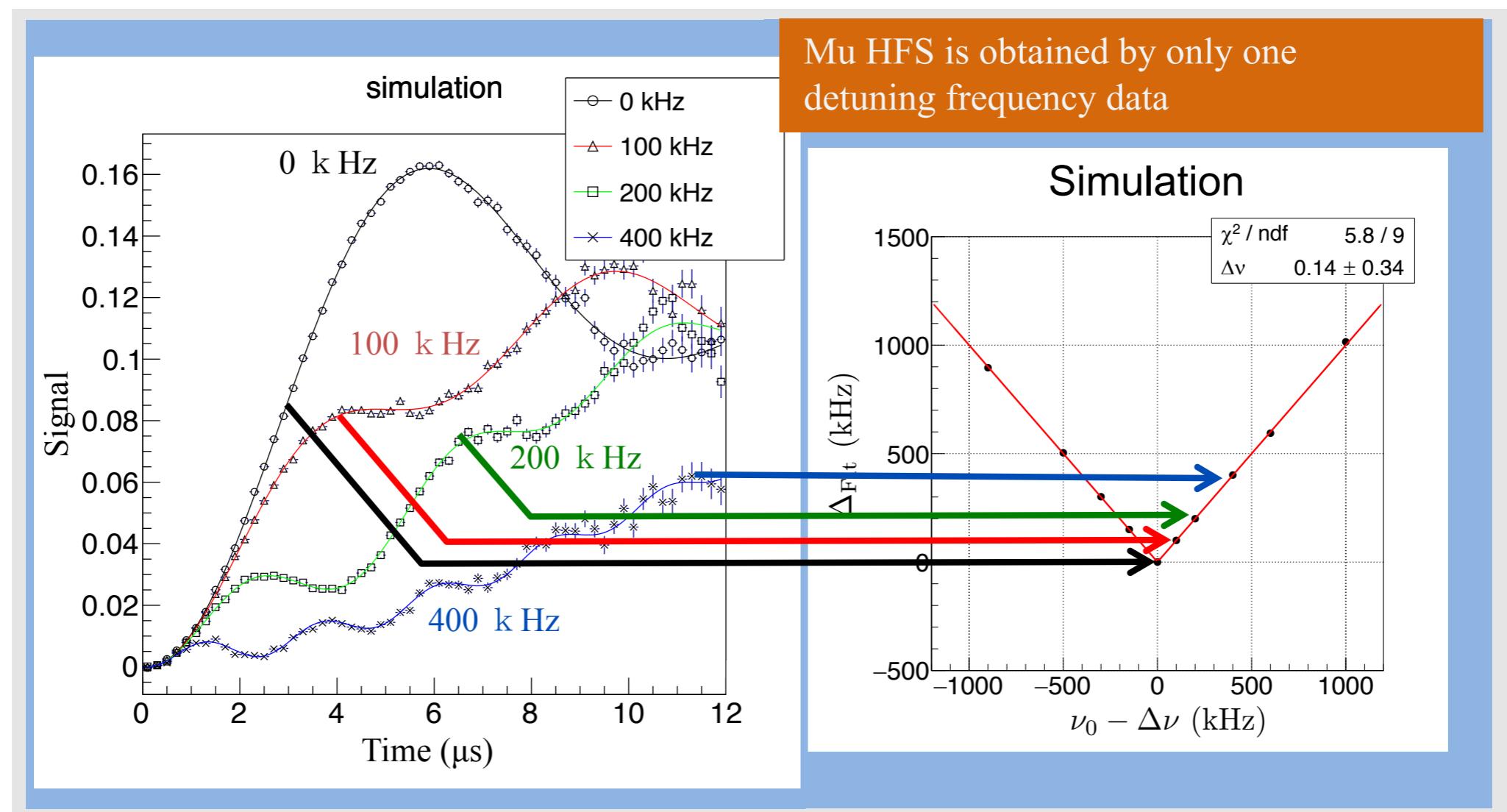


- Proton NMR (Nuclear Magnetic Resonance) in pure water
- Cross-check measurement at 1.45 and 1.7 T with NMR probes used in Fermilab muon  $g-2$  experiment
- Progress in the precision: 18 ppb (2017) → **12 ppb** (2019)

# Time Differential Method: Simulation

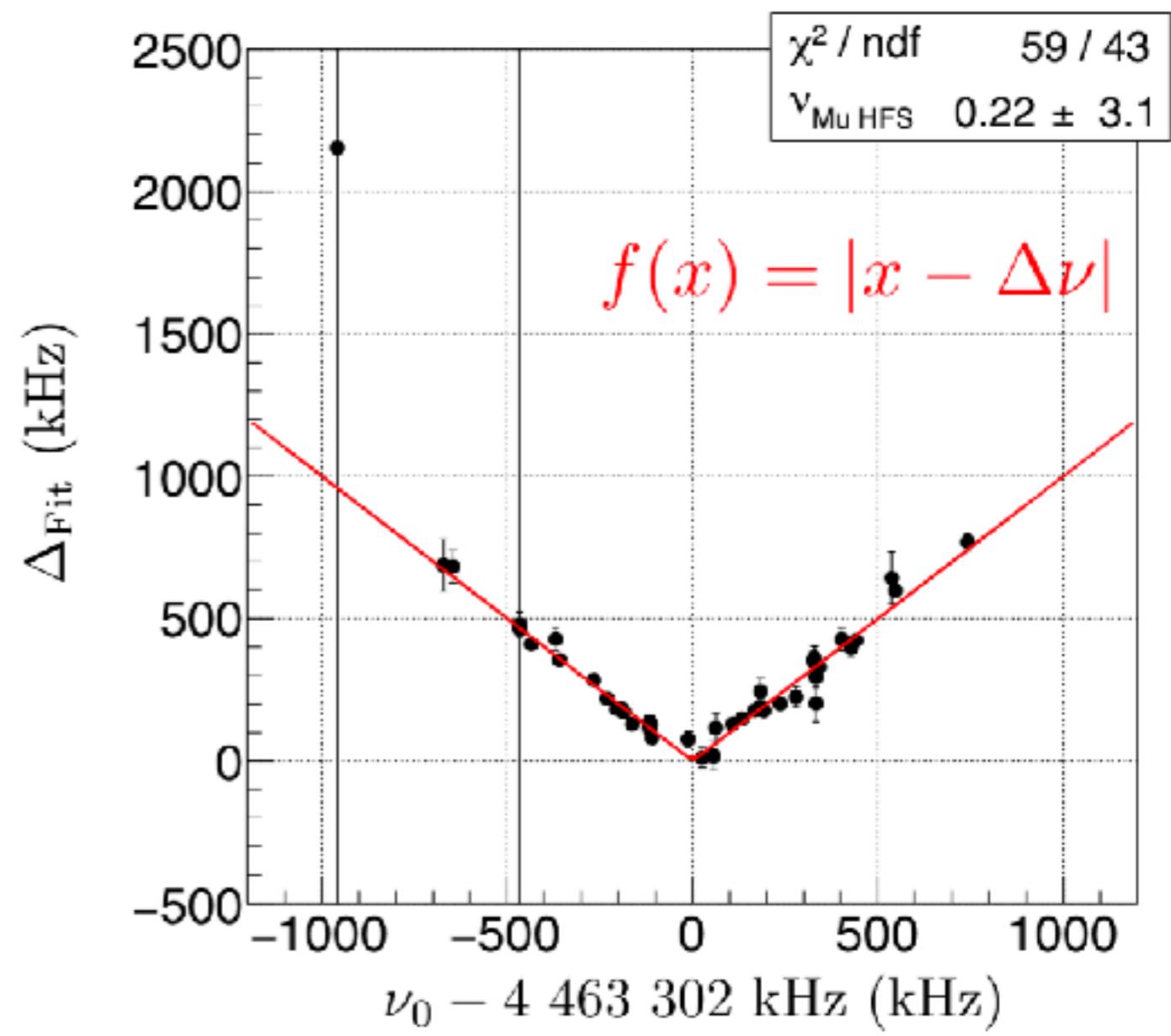
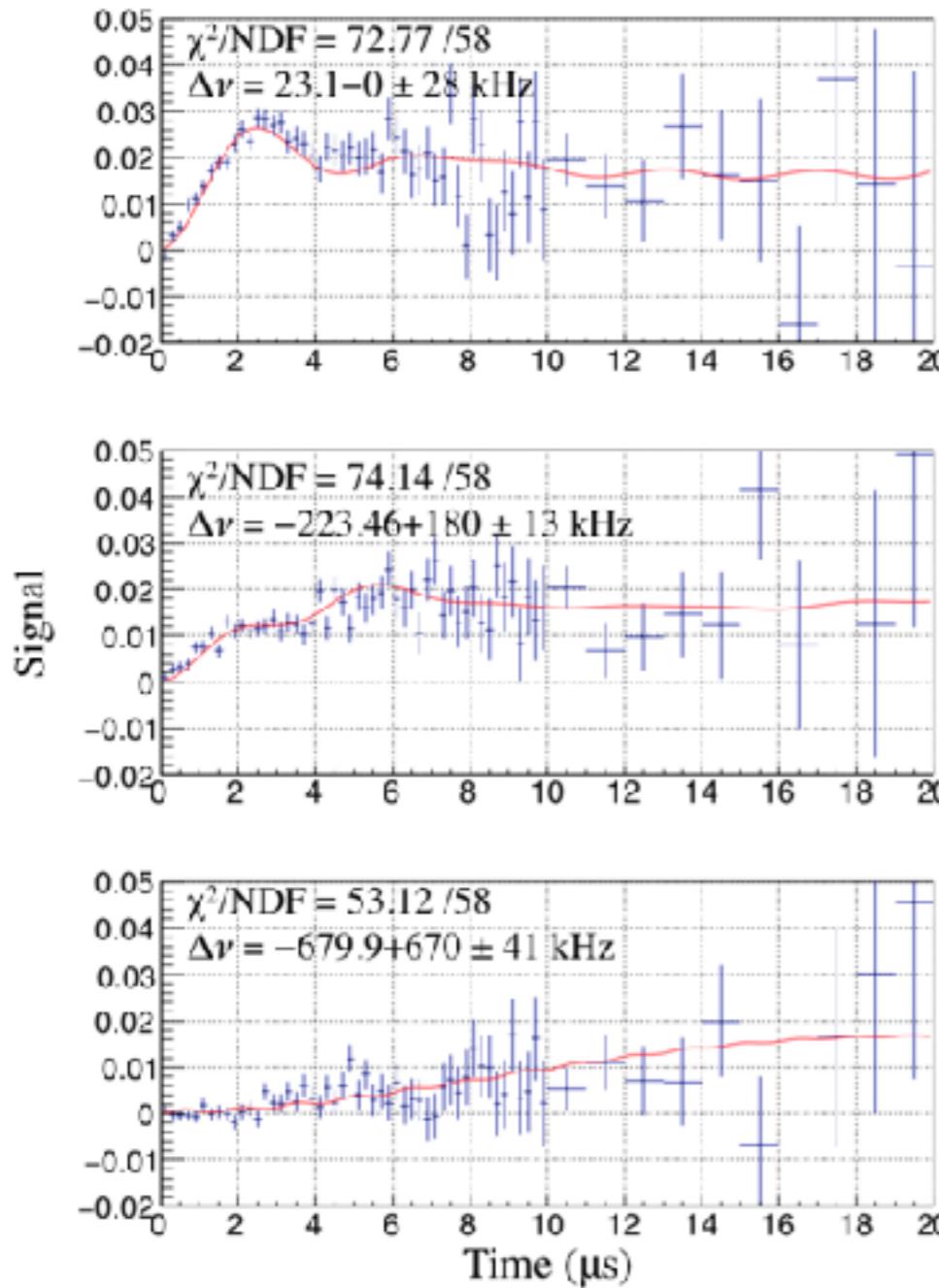
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- MuHFS determined by fitting the time-dependent signal of muon spin flip (Rabi oscillation)
- No need to take data at many microwave frequency points a method immune to the systematic uncertainty from the microwave power dependence on frequency



# Time Differential Method: data in 2017 29

- First result obtained by time differential method By S. Nishimura (KEK)
- Promising method to improve the precision

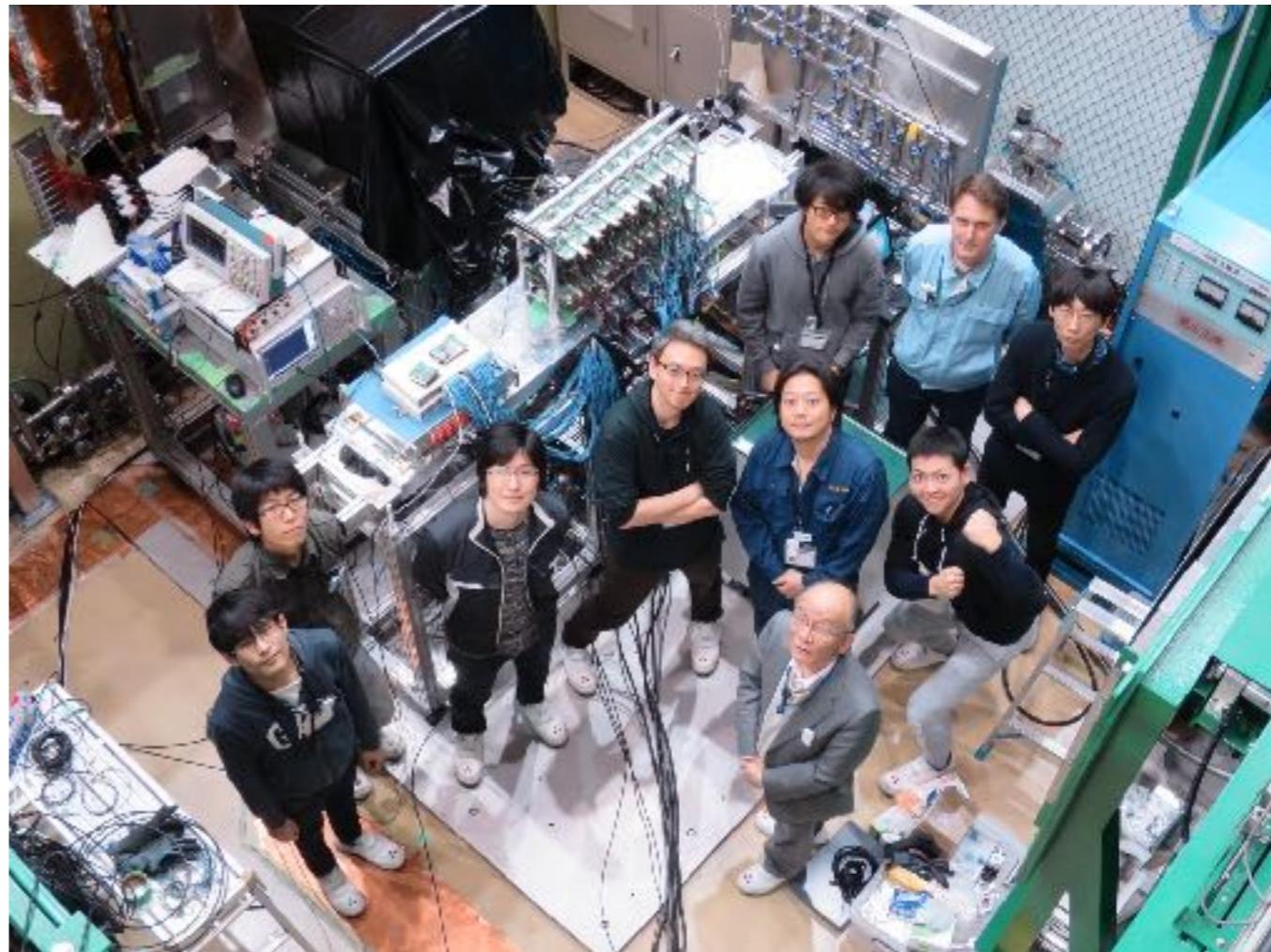


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  - First measurement using Kr-He mixture gas
  - Magnet and magnetometer development for high field measurement
  - First analysis using time differential method
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  - (a factor of 10 improvements from the precursor experiment)
  - Further improvement is in progress

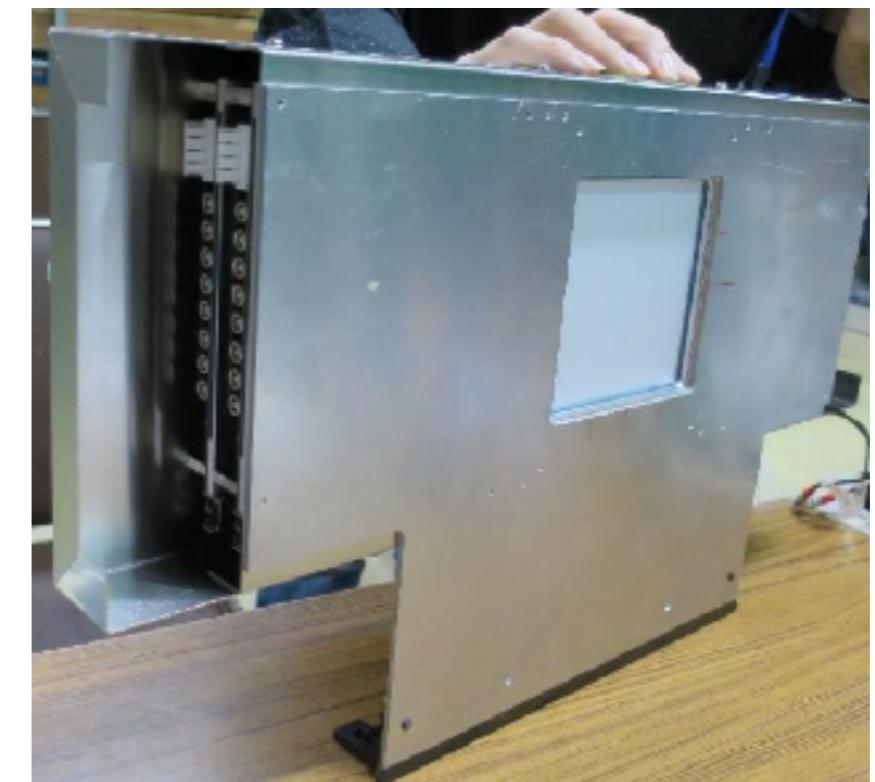
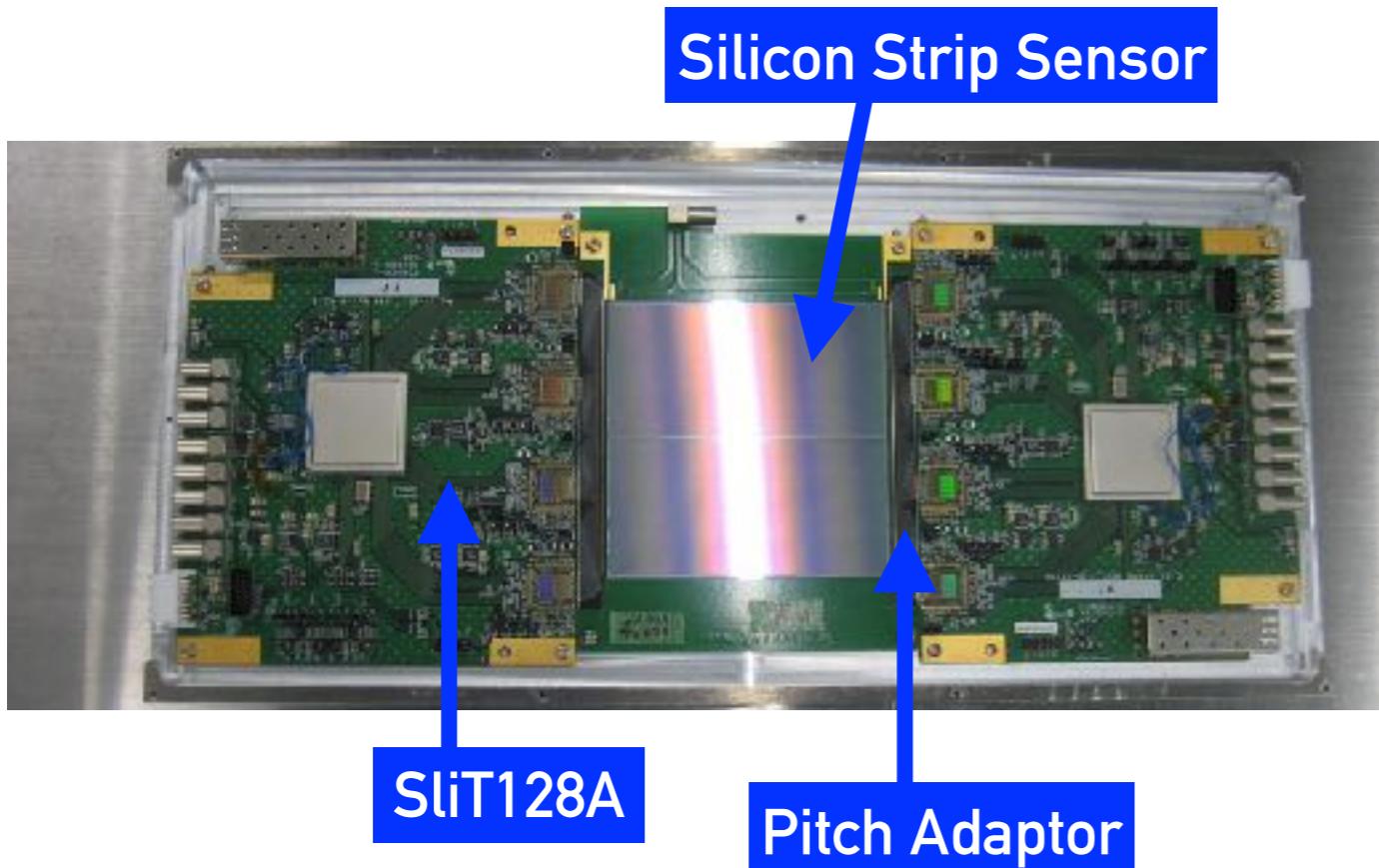
# Thank you!



# Silicon Strip Sensor

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- Developped for muon  $g-2$  J-PARC experiment
- Capable of high-rate counting; R&D for H-Line measurement in future
- There was stray magnetic field from the detector board; made a permalloy shiled for the detector
- Performed satisfactory in beam time on June 2019



# Uncertainty in Weak Field Measurement 33

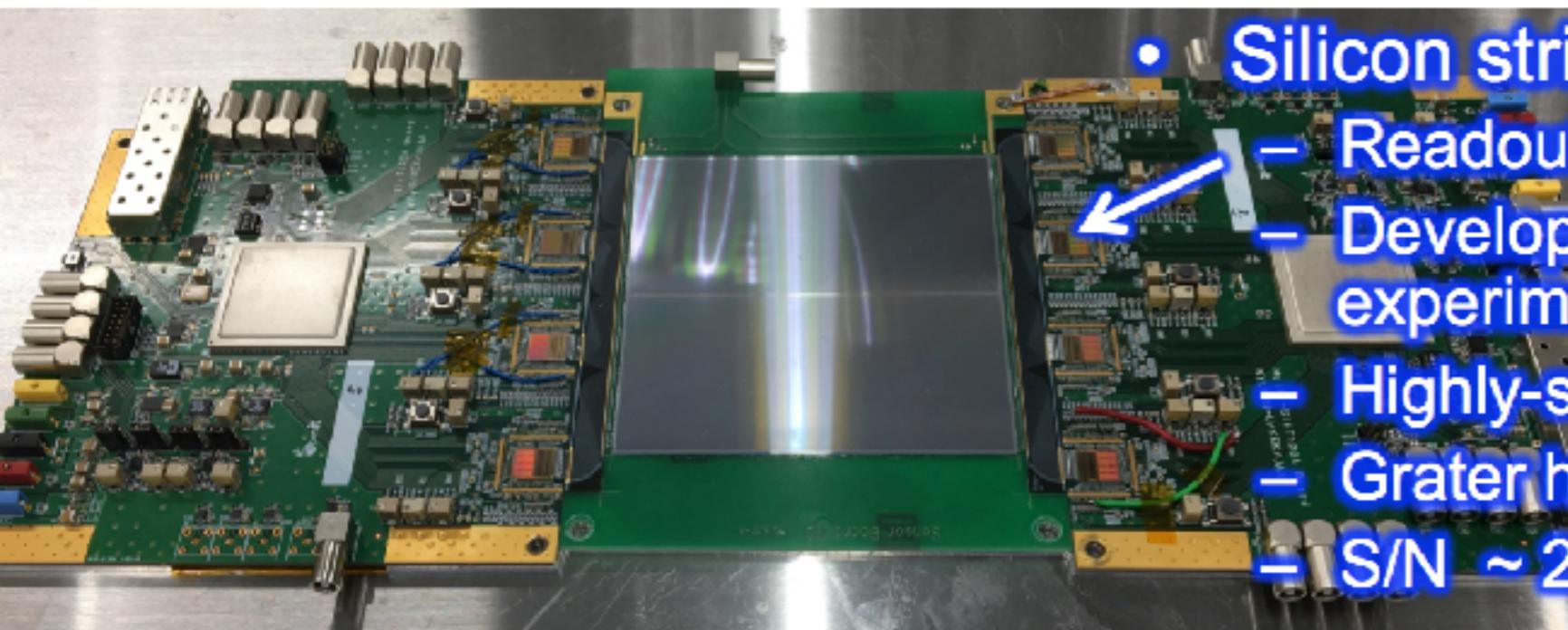
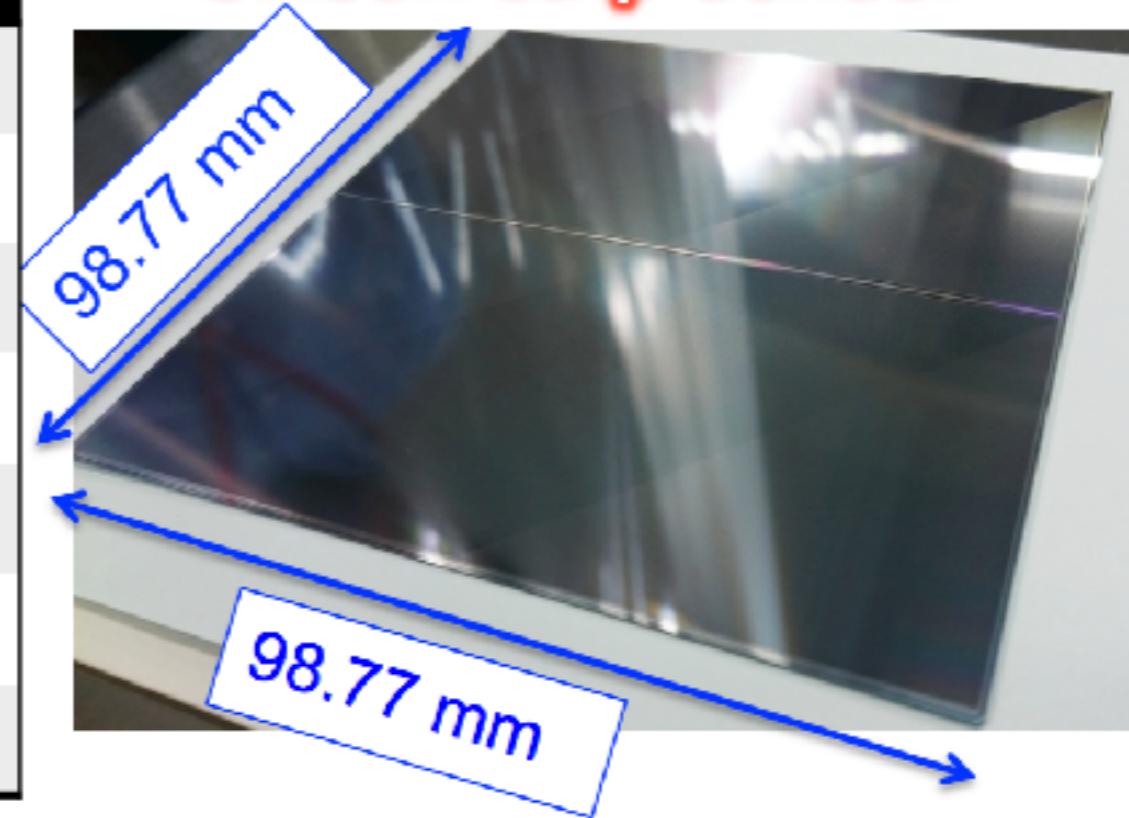
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# Silicon Strip Detector

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Item	Specification
Sensor type	single-sided, p+ on n
Size	98.77 mm × 98.77 mm
Active area	97.28 mm × 97.28 mm
Strip pitch	0.19 mm
Strip length	48.575 mm
# of strips	512 × 2 blocks
Thickness	0.32 mm

Silicon strip sensor

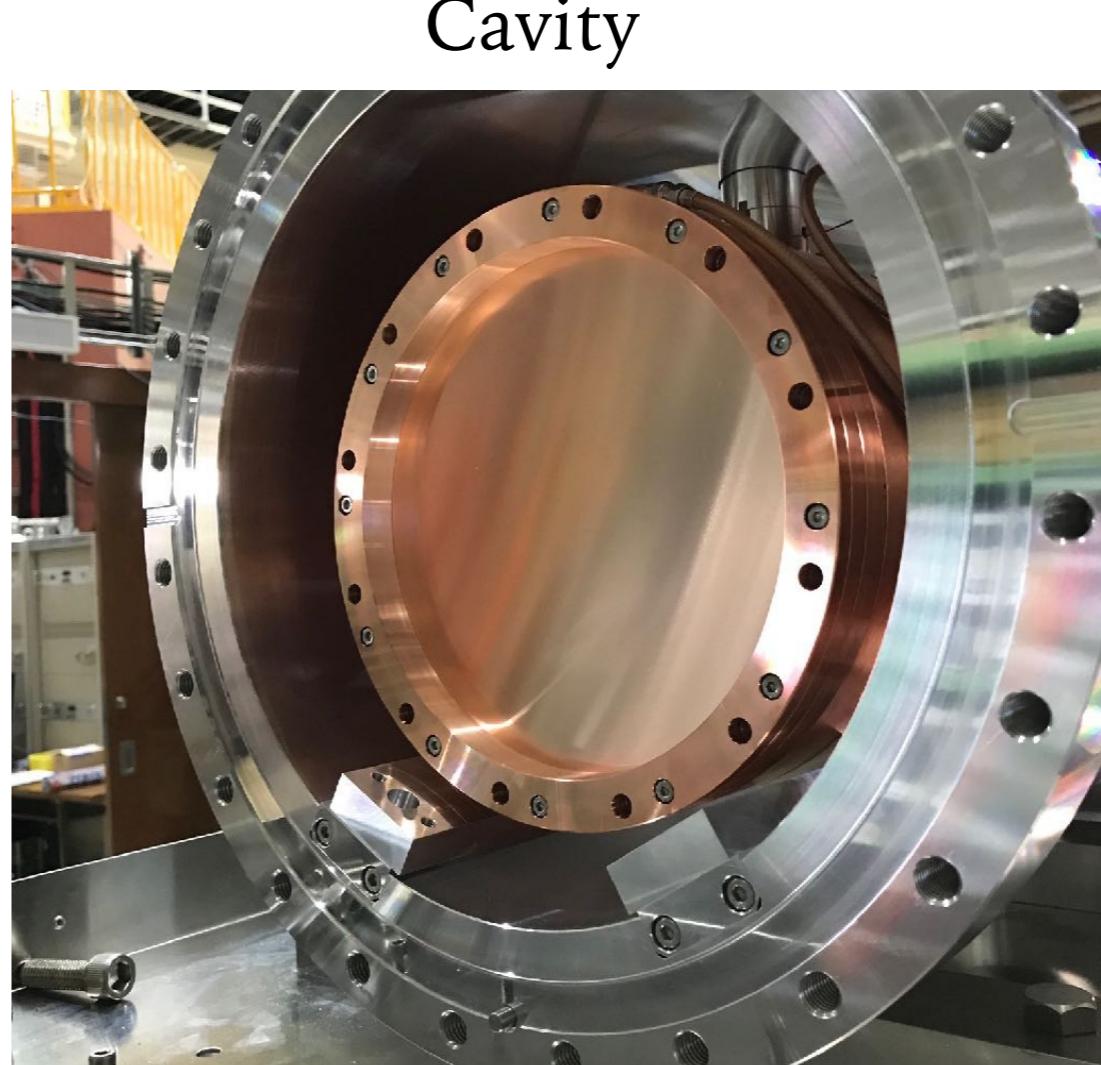
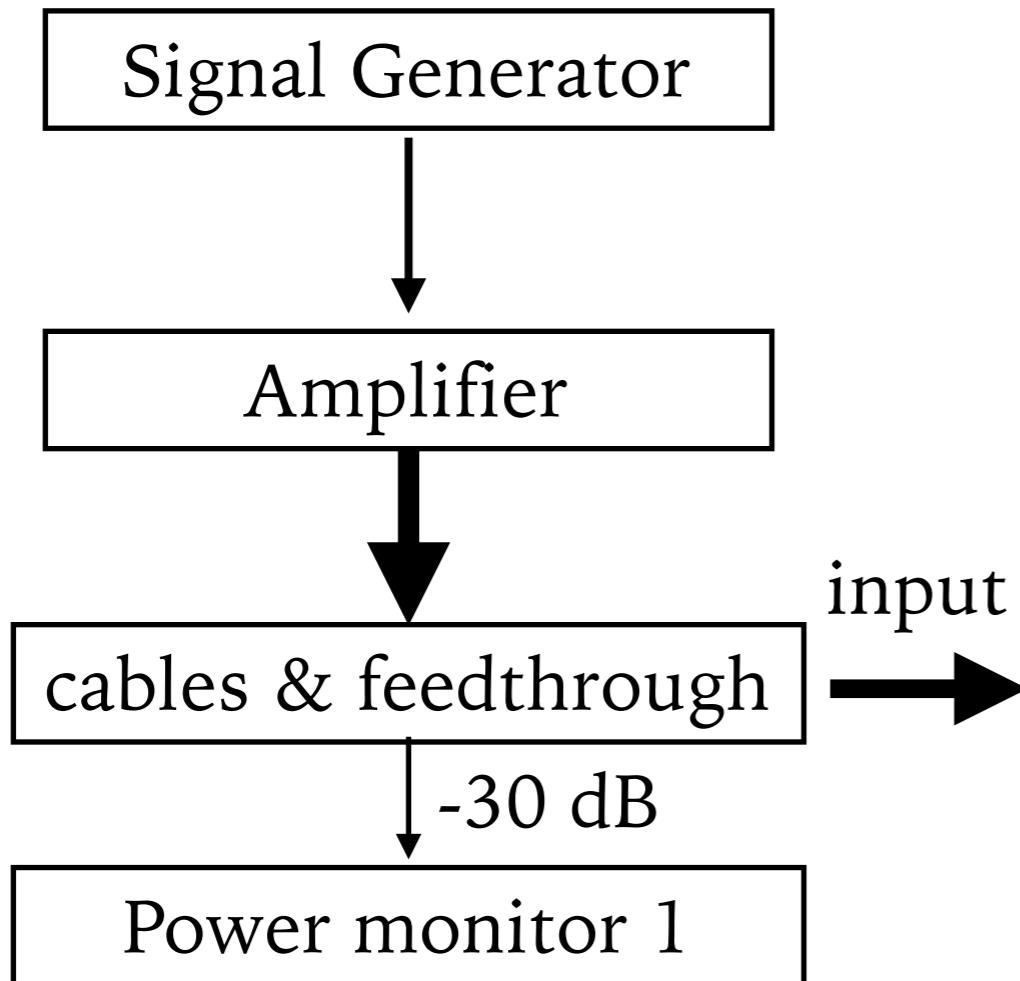


• Silicon strip detector

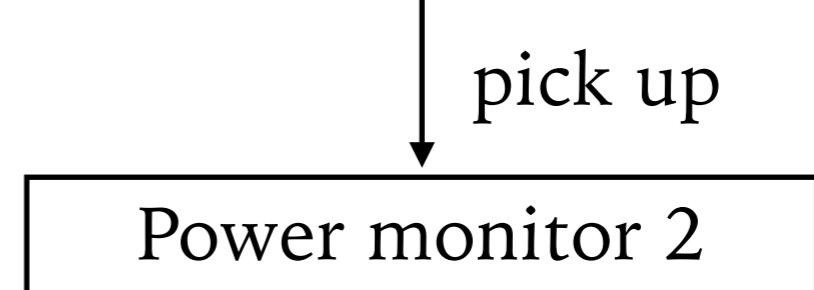
- Readout chips (SiT128A, 128 ch/chip)
- Developed for J-PARC g-2/EDM experiment
- Highly-segmented
- Greater high rate capability
- S/N ~ 21

# Microwave Cavity and System

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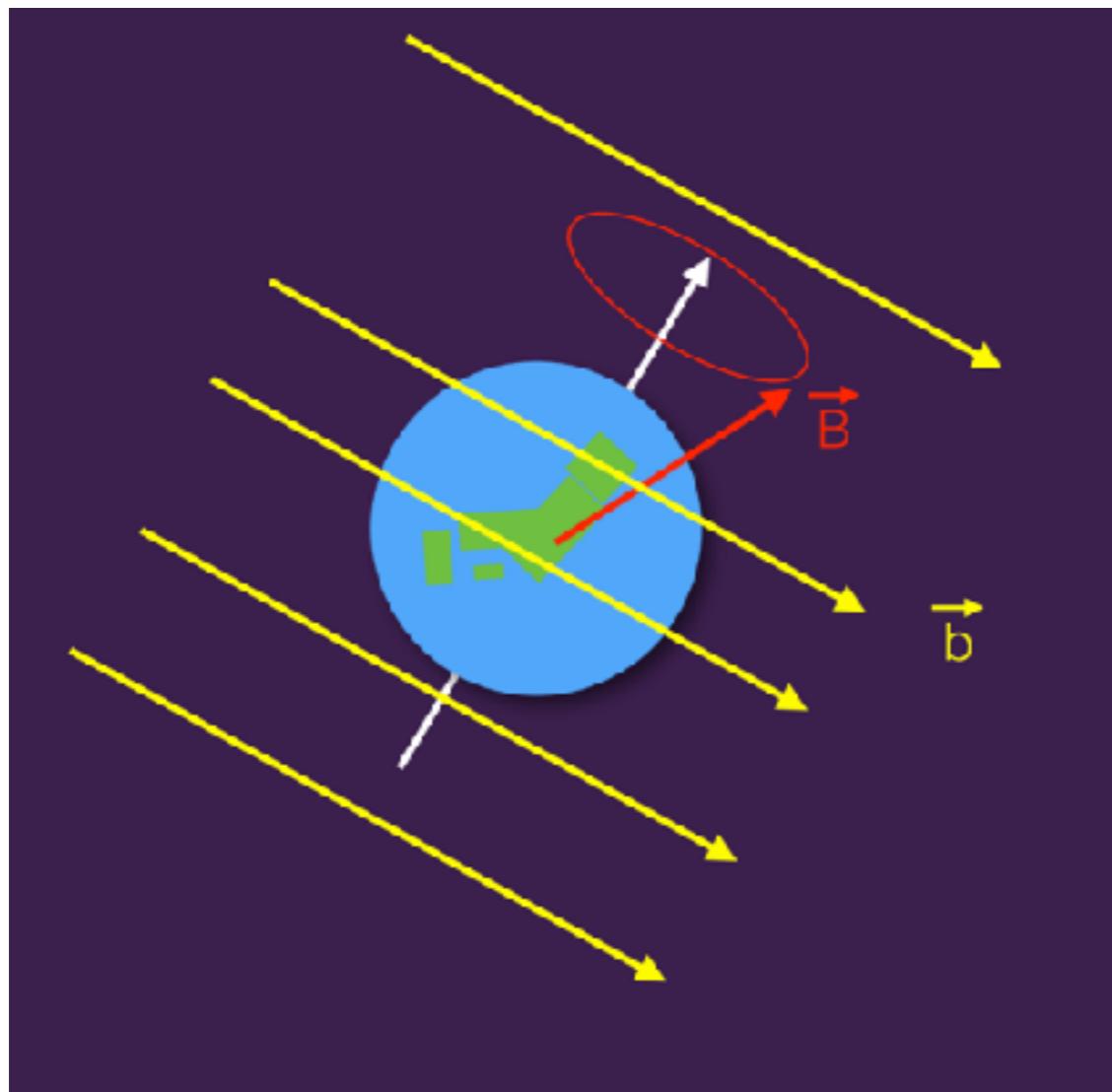
- TM220 mode cavity,  $Q = 10000$
- Typical input power: 1 W
- Power stability is monitored



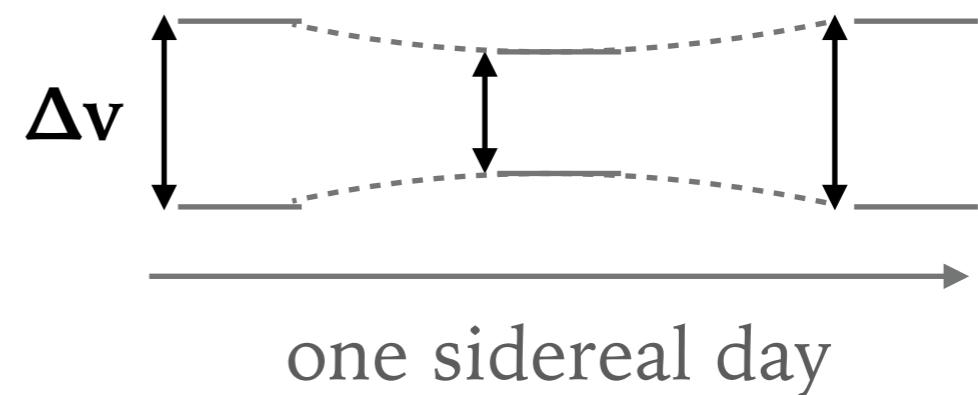
# Lorentz (CPT) Invariance

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- Lorentz (CPT) violating background field can be detected as **sidereal (or annual) oscillation of the hyperfine frequency**
- Constraint on Standard Model Extension(SME) parameters



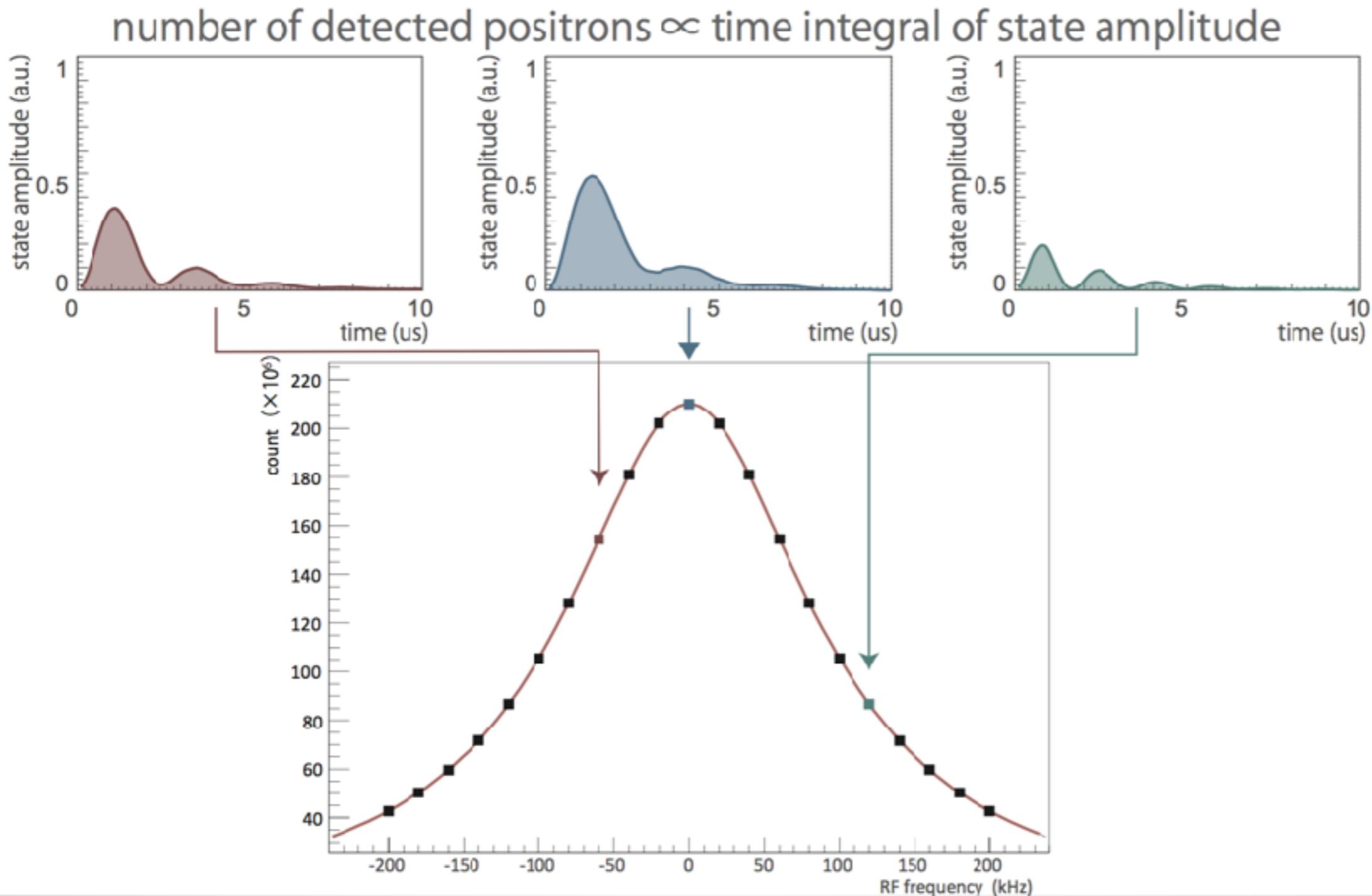
A. H. Gomes, V. A. Kostelecky and A. J. Vargas,  
PRD 90 076009 (2014)



# Conventional Method

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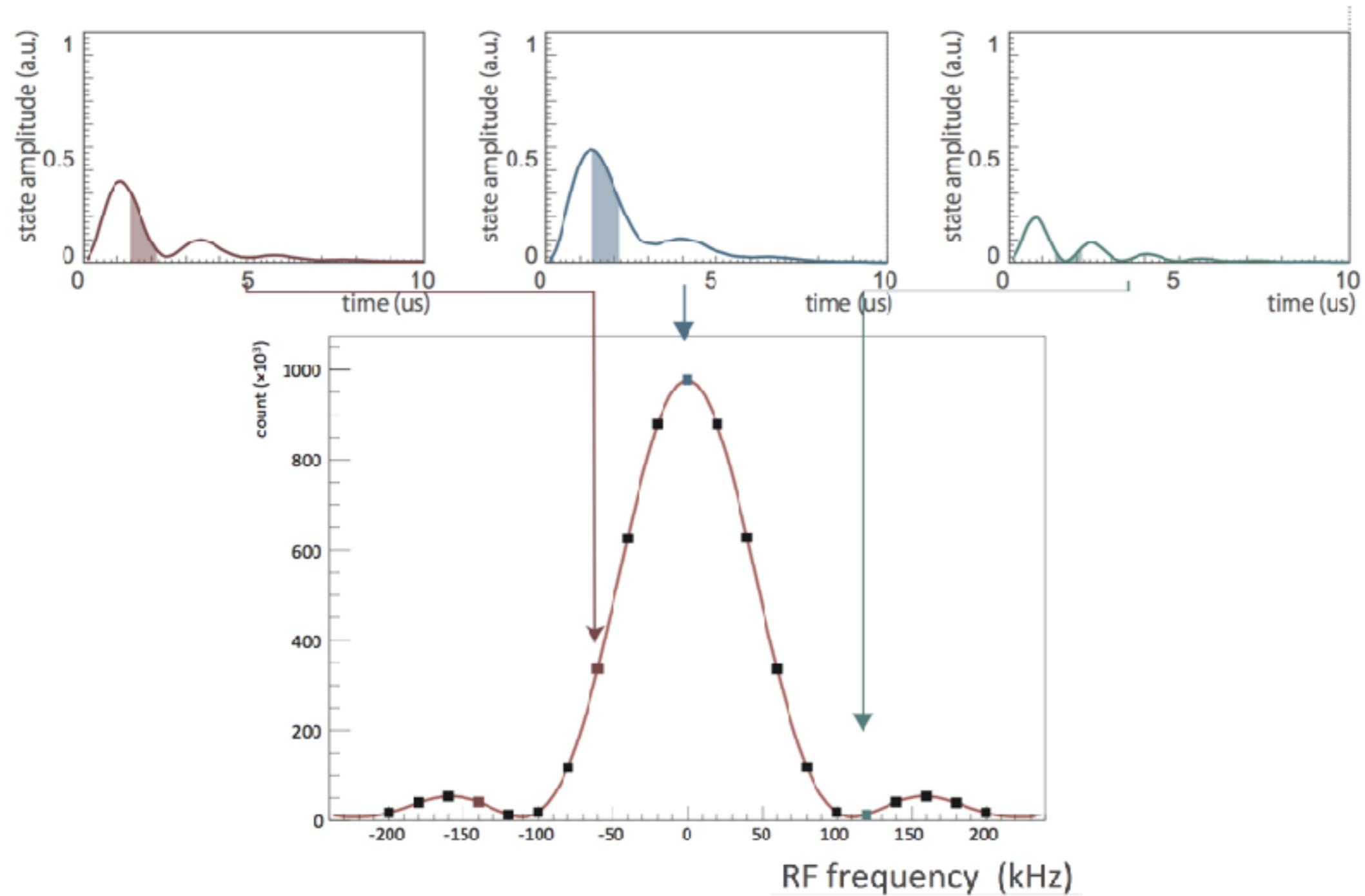
- Integrate all the signal



# Old Muonium Method

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- Line narrowing technique by the analysis using signals from a delayed time window; Long life time hence narrow natural width.



# Passive Shimming Technique

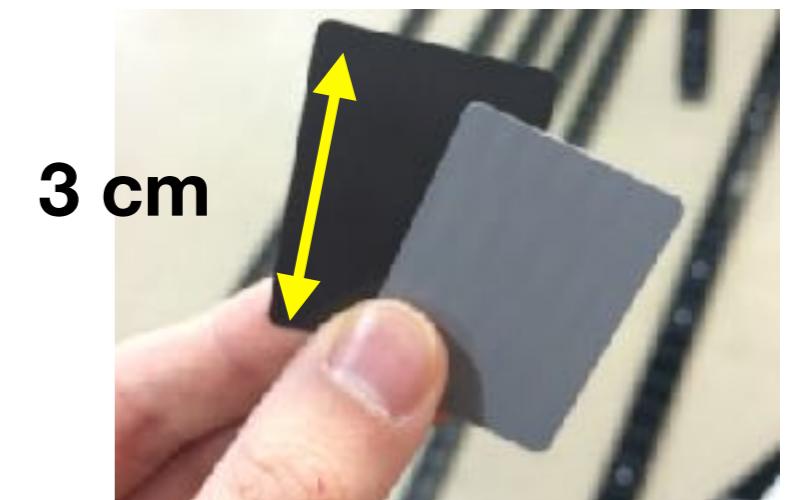
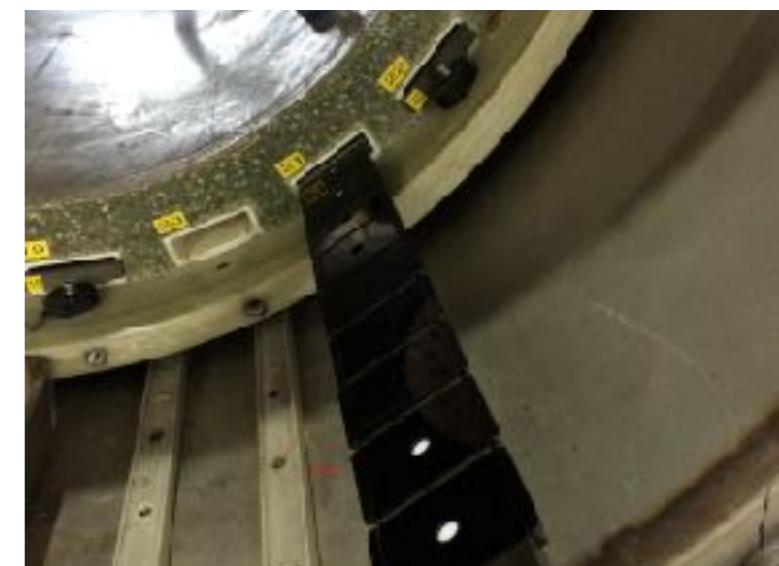
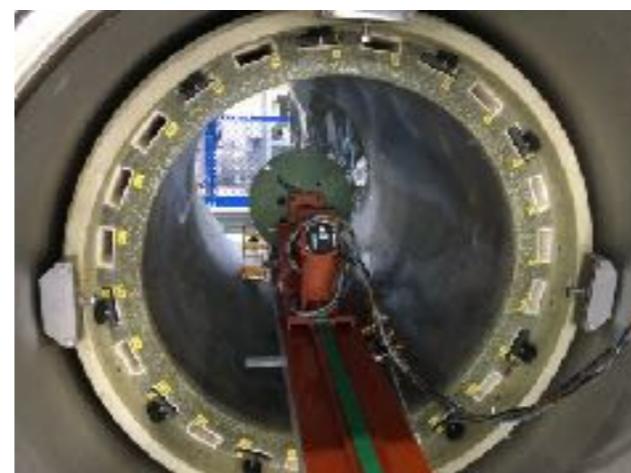
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- Required field uniformity: 1 ppm
- In addition to shiming coil, shimming by small iron plates is important
- The positions of the iron plates can be calculated by the Singular Value Decomposition Method

Plate Volume:

Thick: 0.325 cc

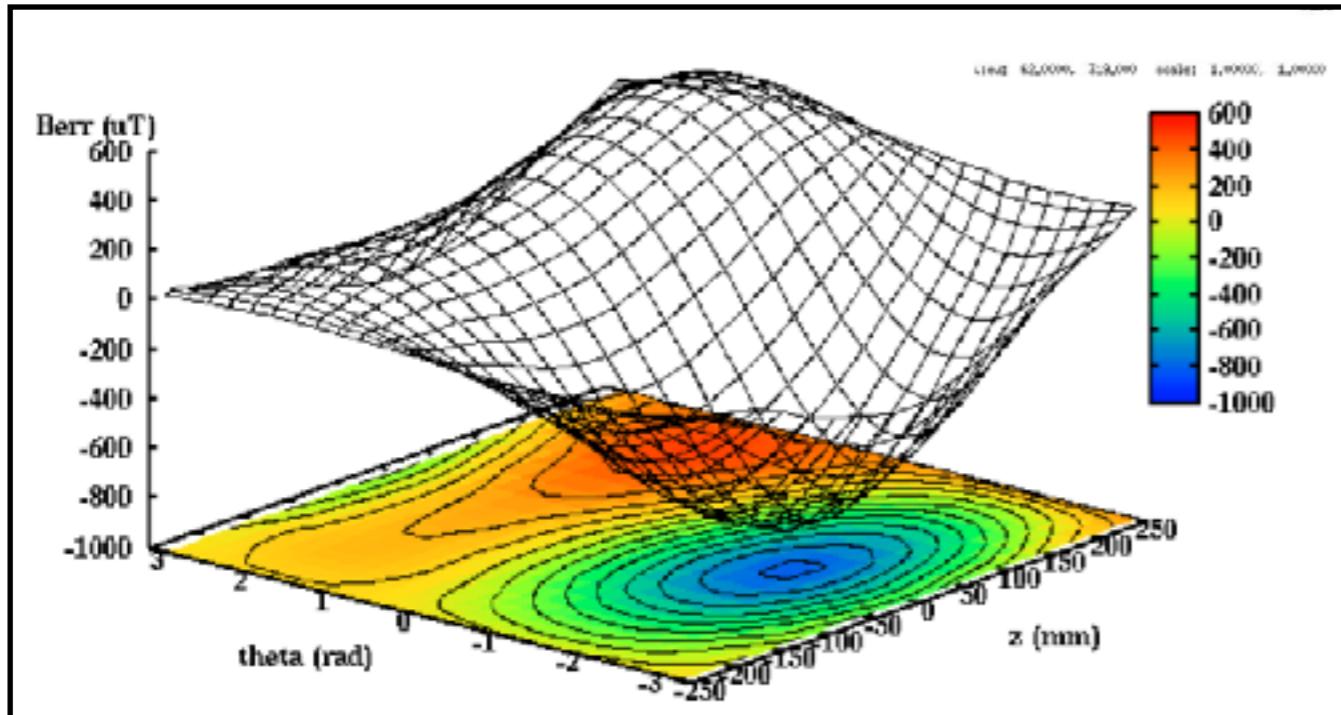
Thin: 0.065 cc



# Shimming

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Peak-to-peak: 1000 ppm



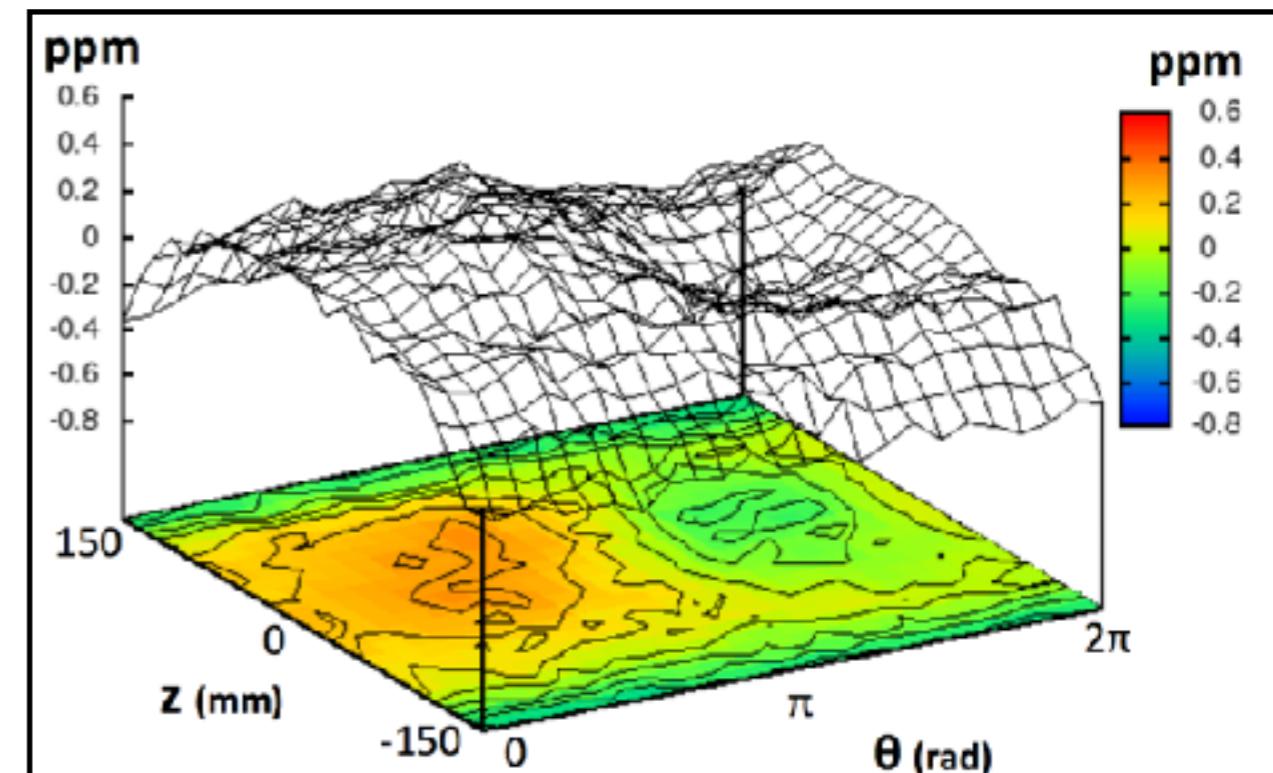
Field uniformity is improved by shimming using iron-plate  
We have succeeded in obtaining required uniformity  
 $< 1$  ppm



Peak-to-peak: 0.80 ppm



3 cm



# Shimming

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- By iron-plate shimming, uniformity 1000 ppm → 0.8 ppm  
(required uniformity: 1 ppm)

