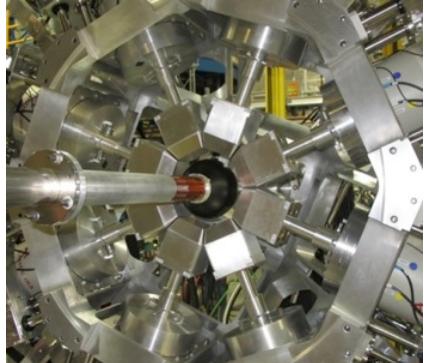
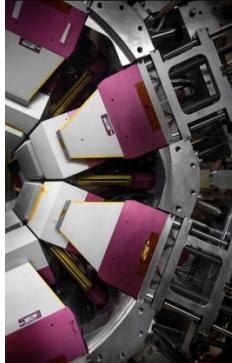
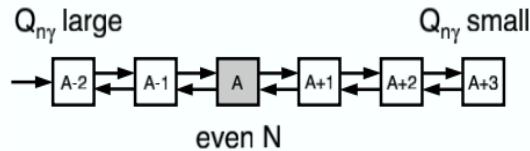
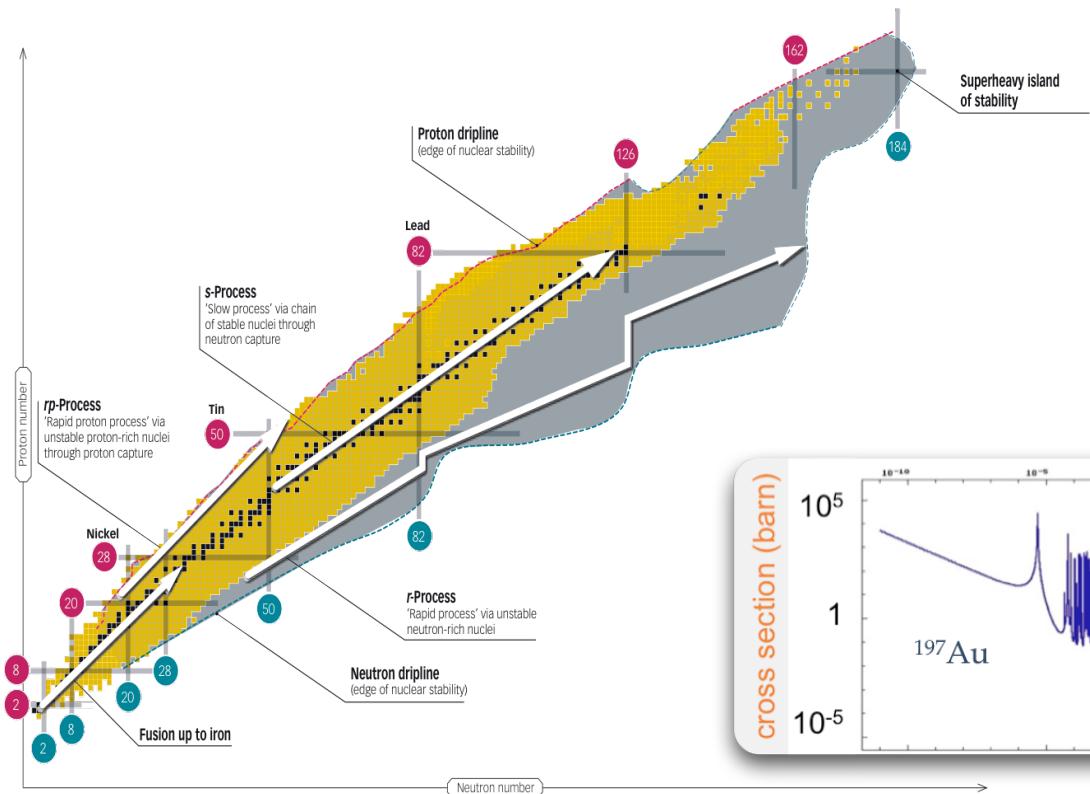


# A Silicon Tracker for ISAC-II at TRIUMF

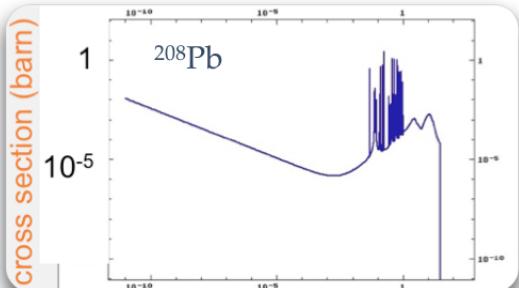
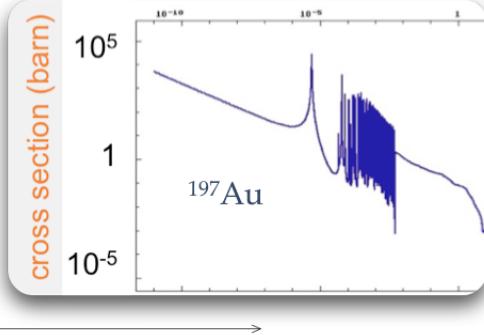
Dennis Mücher  
University of Guelph  
TRIUMF



# Nucleosynthesis and shell evolution

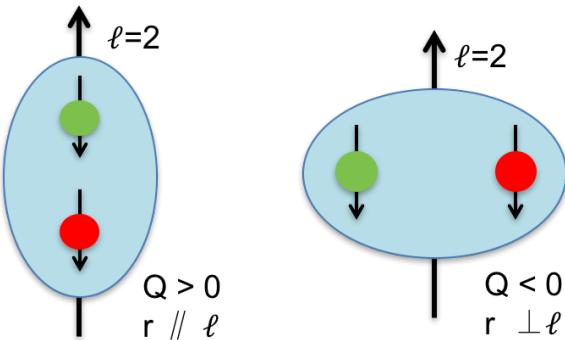


$$\frac{N(Z, A+1)}{N(Z, A)} \propto N_n \left( \frac{1}{kT} \right)^{3/2} e^{Q_{n\gamma}/kT}$$



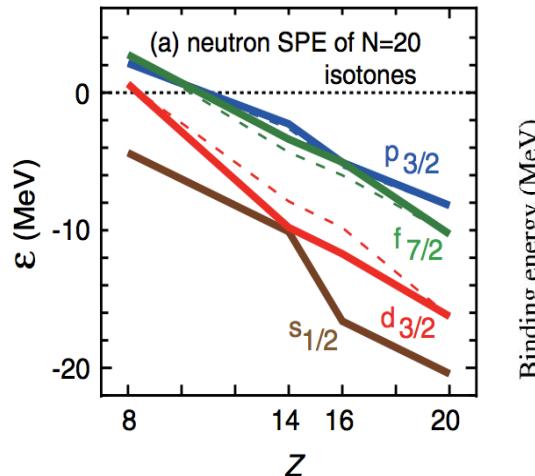
# The origin of shell evolution

what dominates  
shell evolution in  
nuclei?



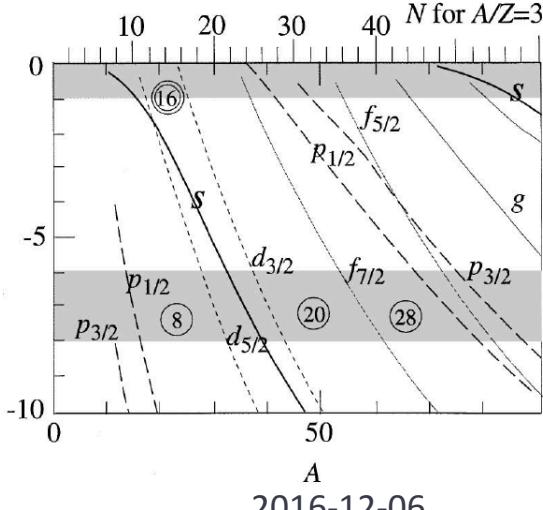
type-I/II shell evolution:  
central + tensor force  
or ...

T. Otsuka et al., PRL 104, 012501 (2010)



... properties of weakly  
bound neutron orbits in  
spherical potential?  
or ...

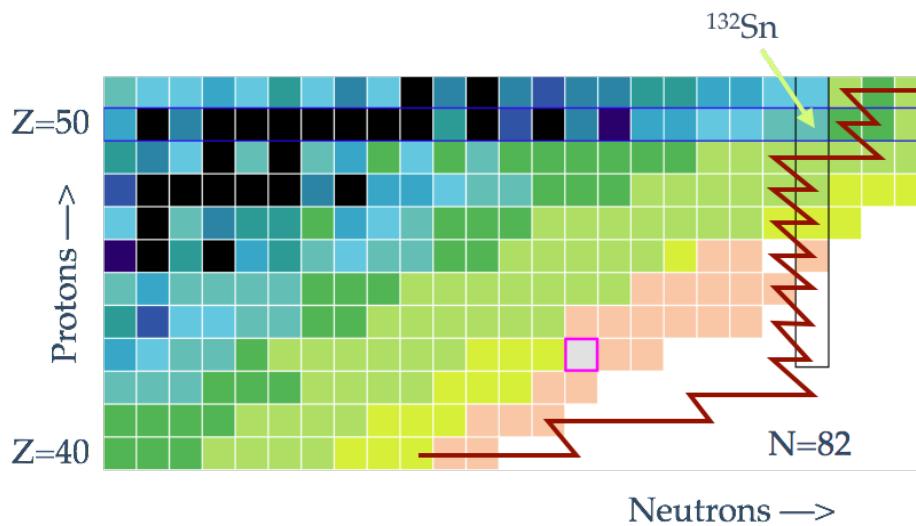
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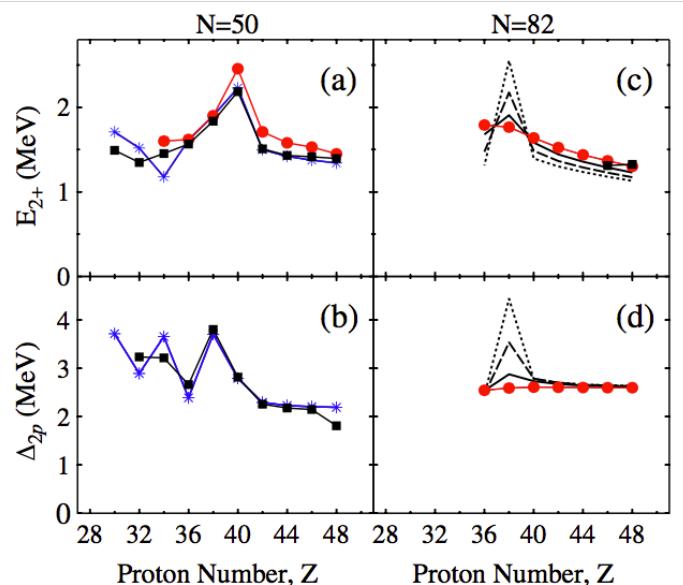
# $Z=40$ : following the r-process using GRIFFIN and DESCANT

proposed  $Z=40$  quenching at  $N=82$   
from data: impact on r-process!

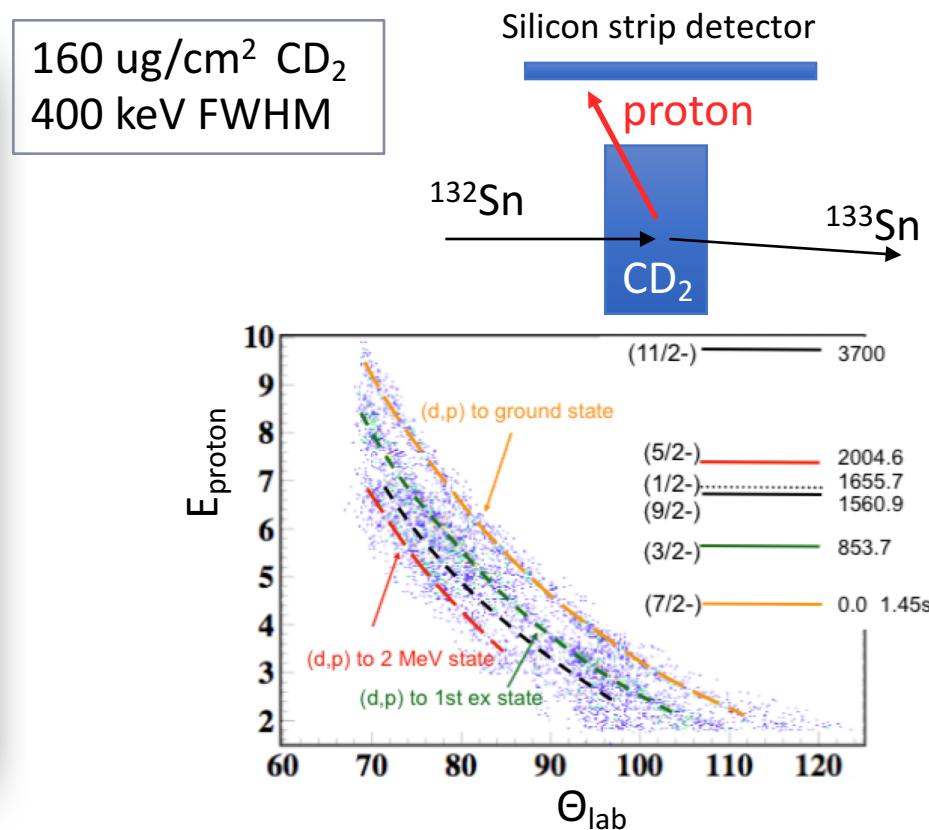
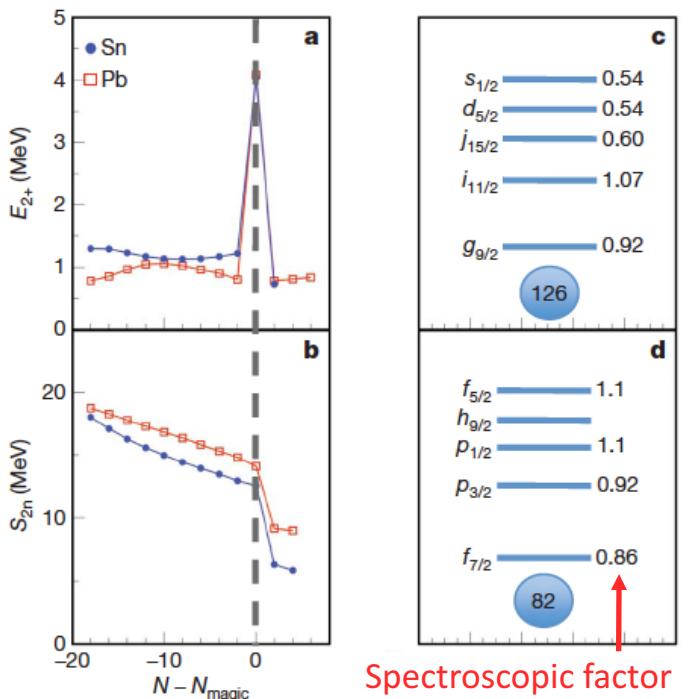
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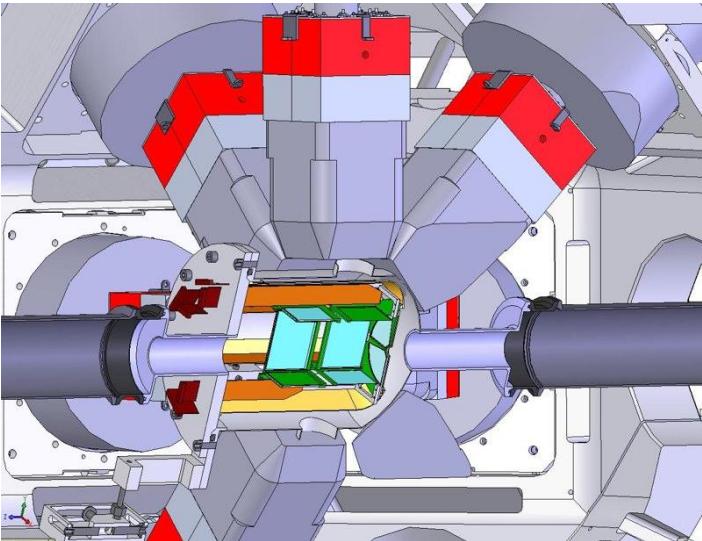
CANREB / ARIEL beams will offer unique opportunities to study nuclear structure along the r-process



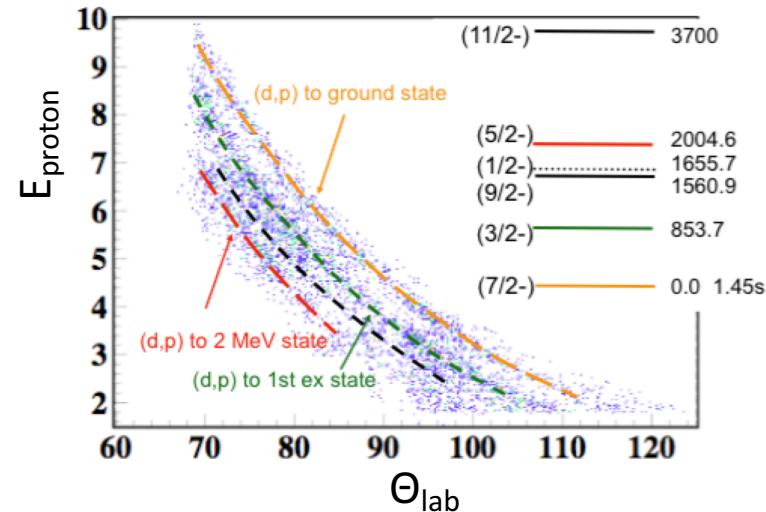
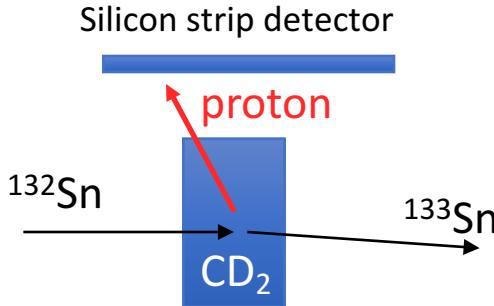
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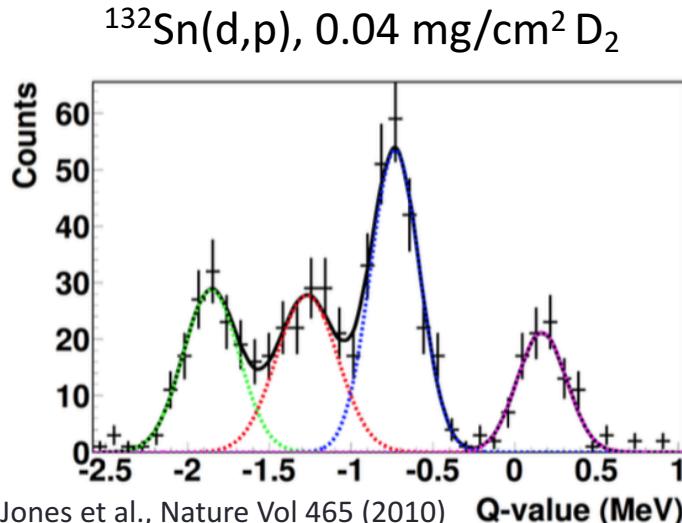


160  $\mu\text{g}/\text{cm}^2$  CD<sub>2</sub>  
400 keV FWHM



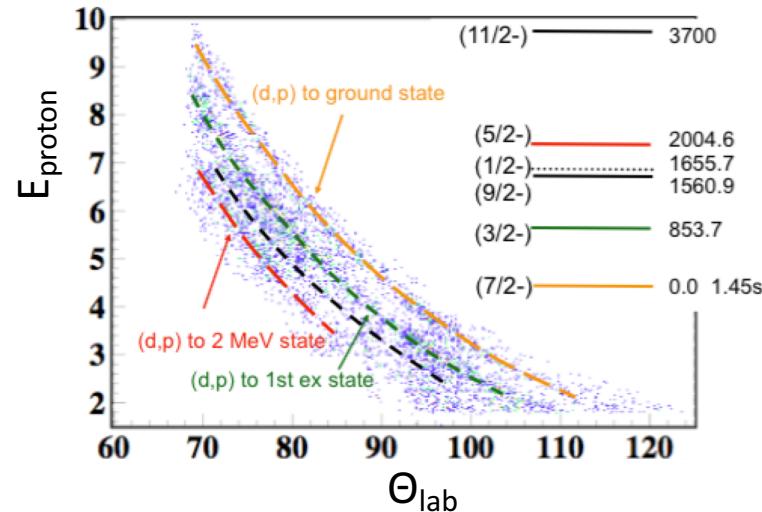
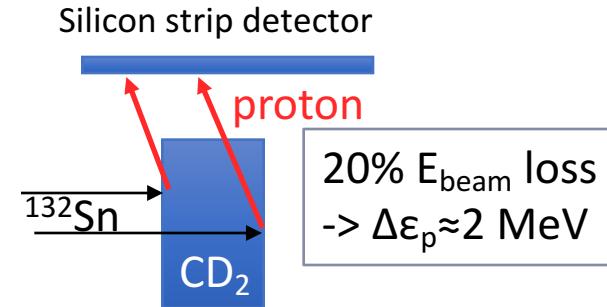
- SHARC:  $4\pi$  silicon strip detector; fully digital readout
- TIGRESS: high granularity, high efficiency HPGe detector array

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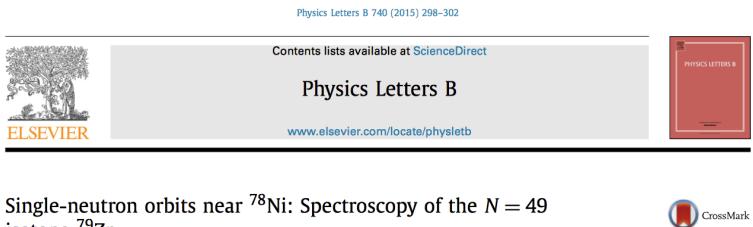


goal:  
remove the compromise  
between luminosity and Q-  
value resolution

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400 keV FWHM

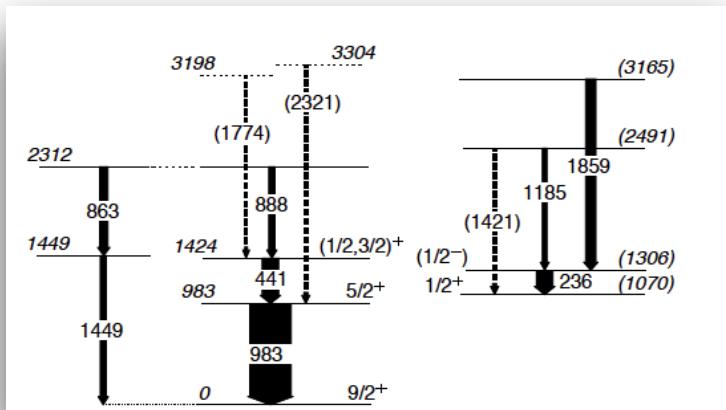


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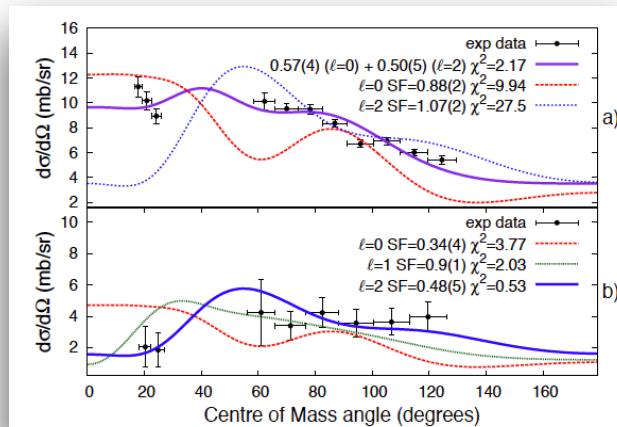
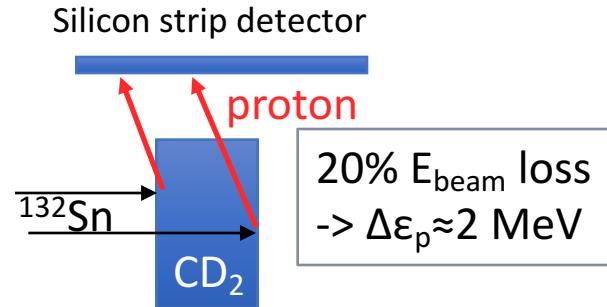


# Single-neutron orbits near $^{78}\text{Ni}$ : Spectroscopy of the $N = 49$ isotope $^{79}\text{Zn}$

R. Orlandi <sup>a,b,c,d,e,\*</sup>, D. Mücher <sup>f</sup>, R. Raabe <sup>b</sup>, A. Jungclaus <sup>a</sup>, S.D. Pain <sup>g</sup>, V. Bildstein <sup>f</sup>, R. Chapman <sup>c,d</sup>, G. de Angelis <sup>h</sup>, J.G. Johansen <sup>i</sup>, P. Van Duppen <sup>b</sup>, A.N. Andreyev <sup>c,d,j,e</sup>

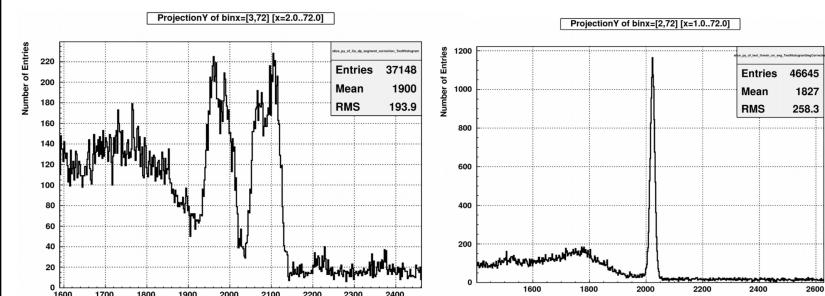


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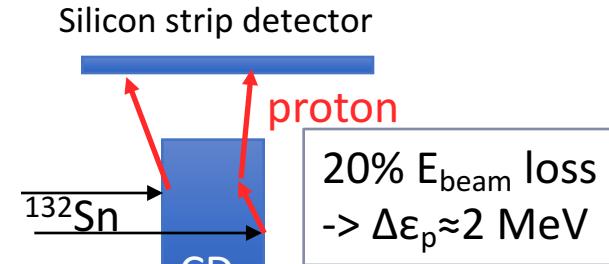


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$^{48}\text{Ca}(\text{d},\text{p})^{49}\text{Ca}$   
Projections after Doppler Correction

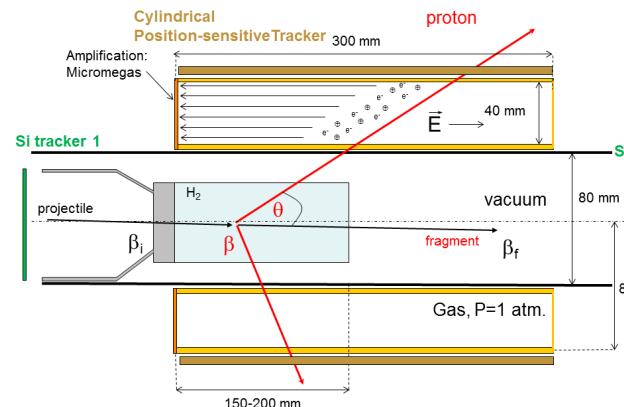


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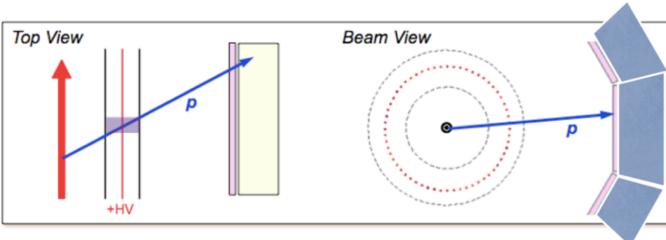
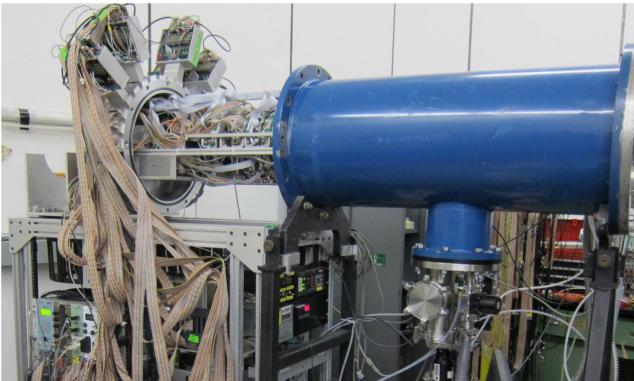
## Q-value resolution:

- Construct level scheme
- Measure I transfer
- Doppler correction
- Control feeding
- ...



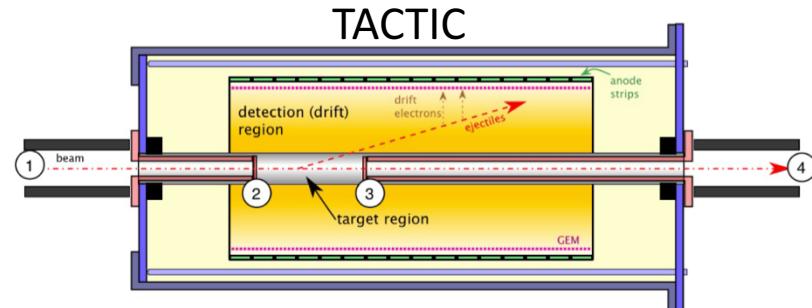
# Active targets at ISOL facilities

## ANASEN detector, NSCL

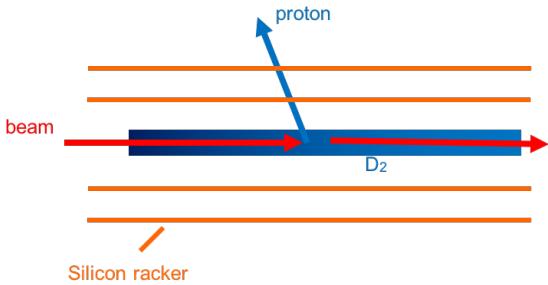


## TACTIC @ TRIUMF (unfinished):

- not coupled to TIGRESS
- angular resolution not sufficient for good Q-value resolution
- about 10% CO<sub>2</sub> detector gas → background from fusion evaporation
- timing and energy resolution not optimal

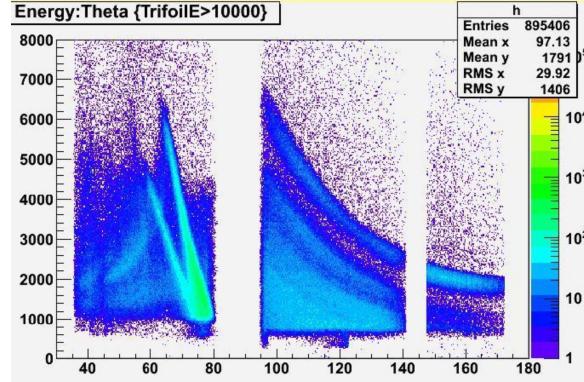
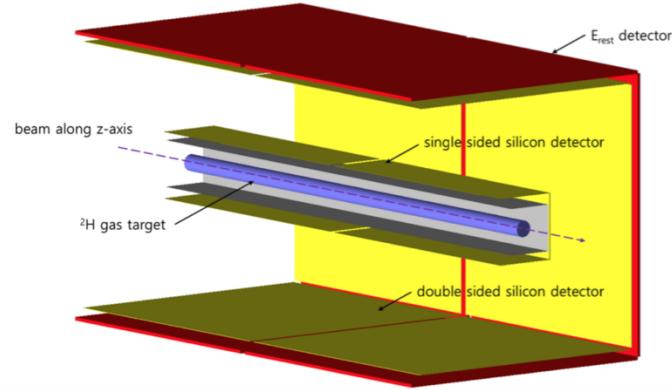
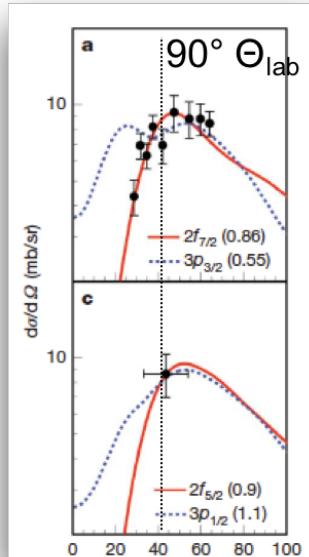
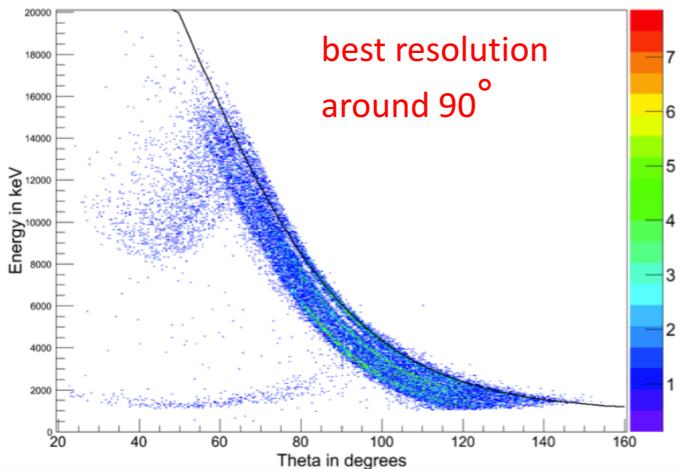


# Silicon Tracker: Geant4 simulations

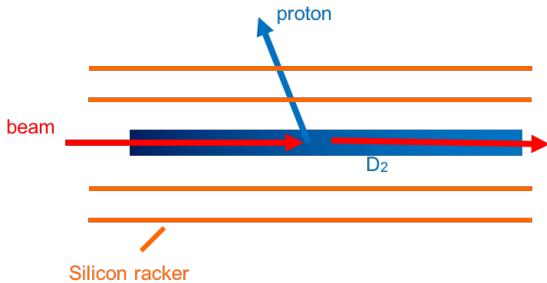


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- 2. layer: 140 µm double-sided
- 3. layer: 2mm pad, CsI
  - gas(H, He): up to 1 bar

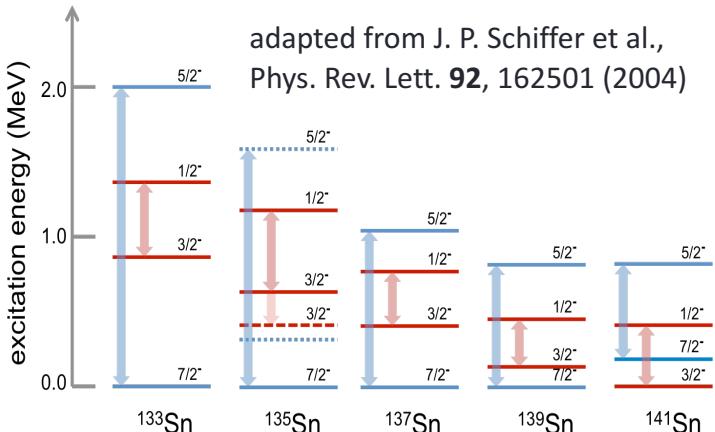
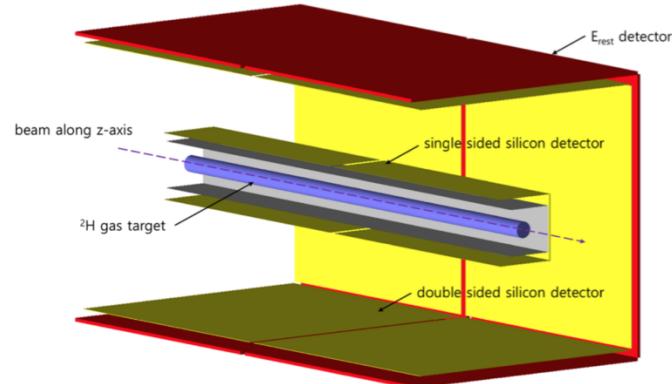
$^{132}\text{Sn}(\text{d},\text{p})$ , 1 mg/cm<sup>2</sup> D<sub>2</sub>



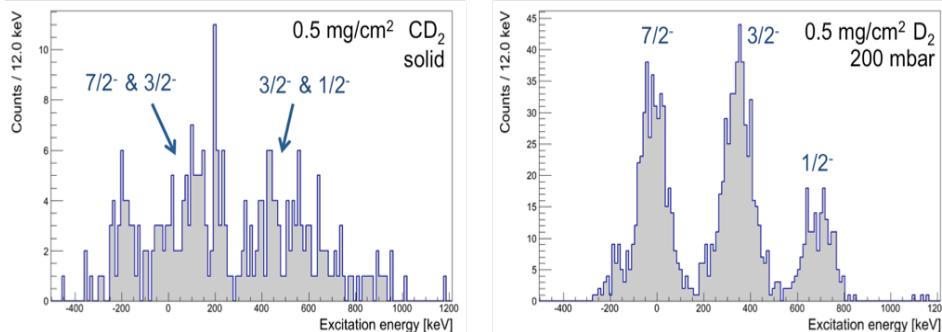
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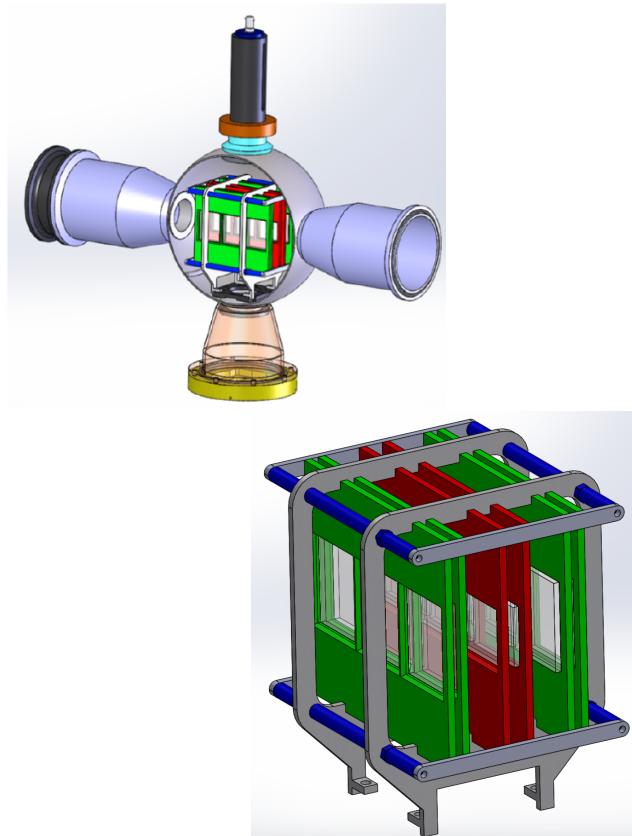
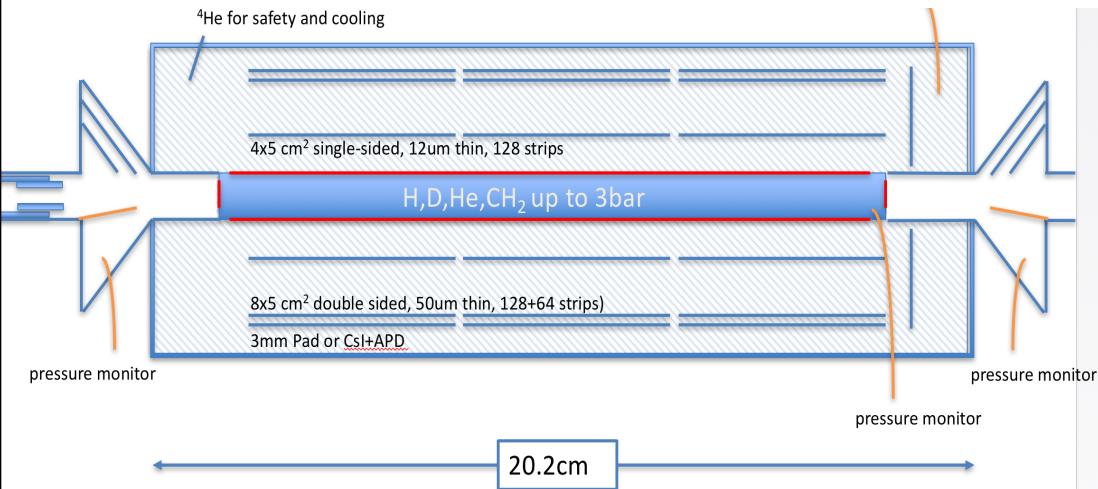


$^{136}\text{Sn}(\text{d},\text{p})$  @ ARIEL ( $5 \cdot 10^3$  pps), GEANT4



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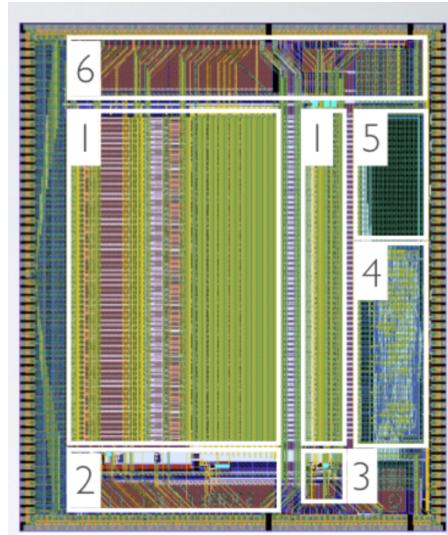
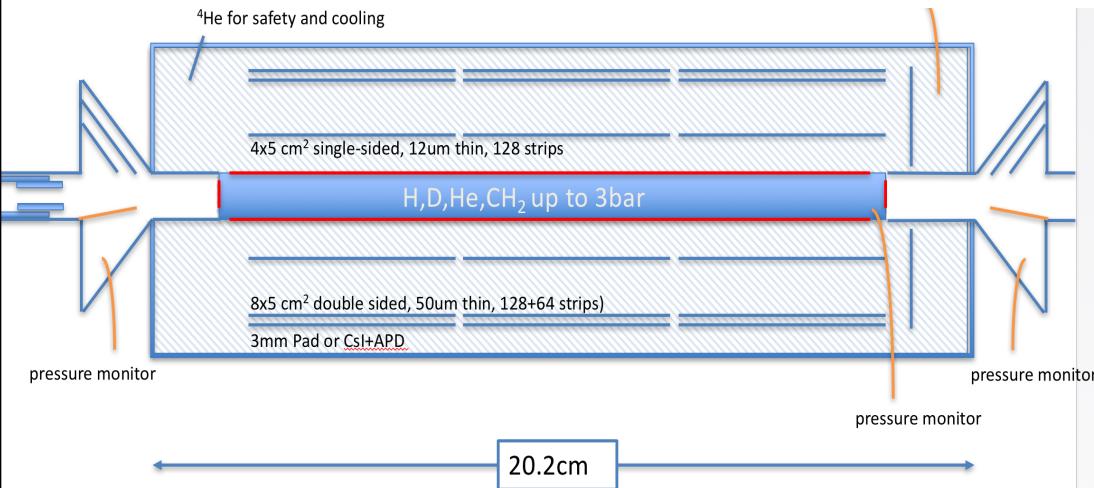
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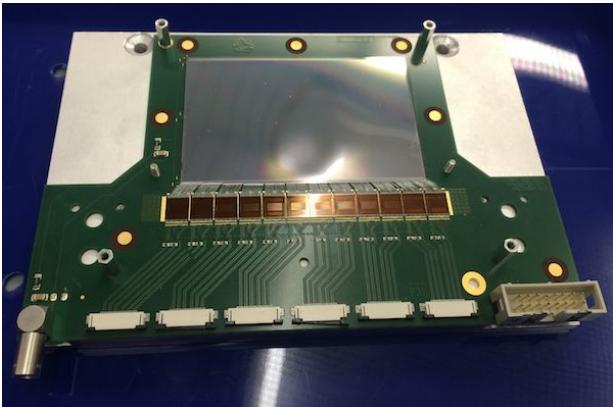
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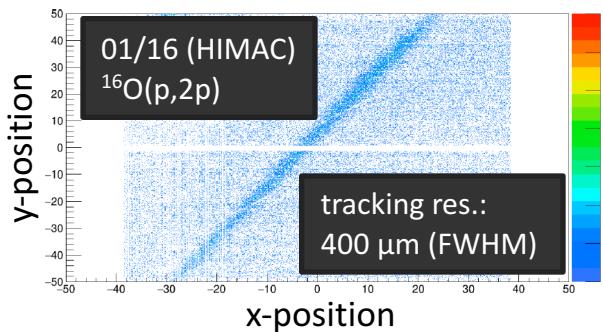
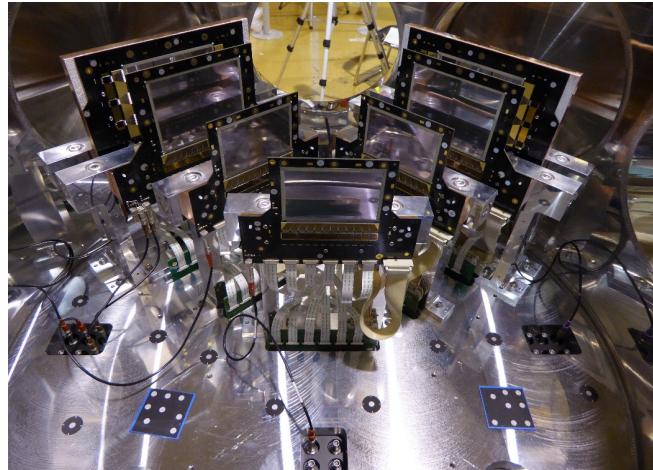
- 64 chn, designed for Si-PIN ( $5\text{mm}^2$ ; 20 pF)
- dyn. range: 0.1 MIP/4 fC ... 2500 MIPs/10 pC
- charge PA (positive), slow & fast shaper, 15 depth SCA, TDC & ADC (12 bit), 4kbytes RAM
- PowerPulsing:  $\sim 25 \mu\text{W}/\text{chn}$ , ENC < 0.4 fC



# RIKEN Silicon Tracker

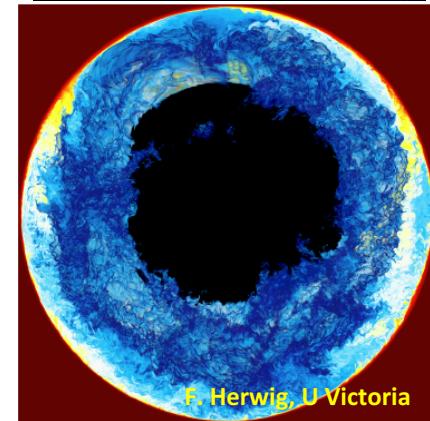
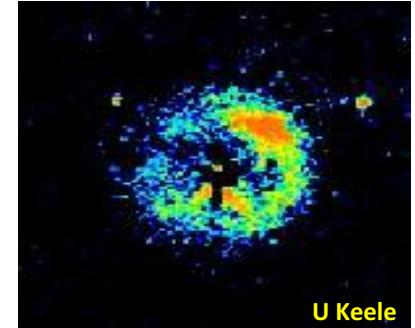
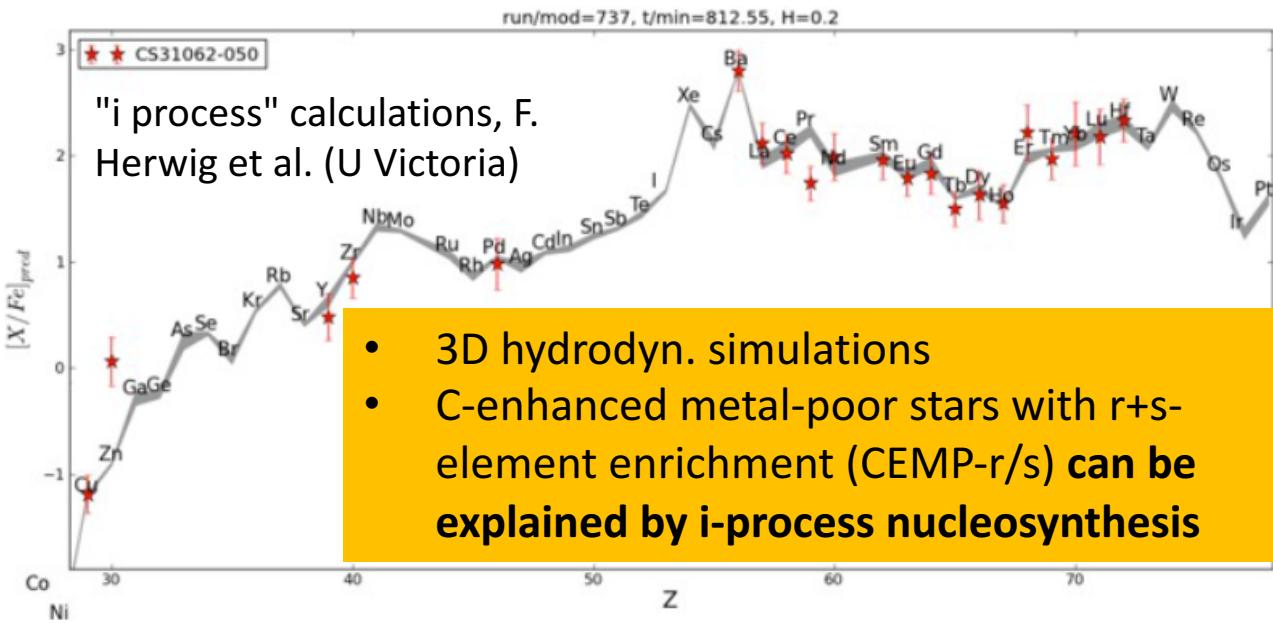


- PCB-design: M. Böhmer + E12+E18
- based on APV-25 CMS ASIC
- silicon: 100  $\mu\text{m}$  thickness, AC
- 100  $\mu\text{m}$  pitch, 8x5 cm single sided
- readout: TRB HADES (L. Maier)
- roughly 8000 channels
- collaboration TUM + RIKEN + Univ. of Guelph



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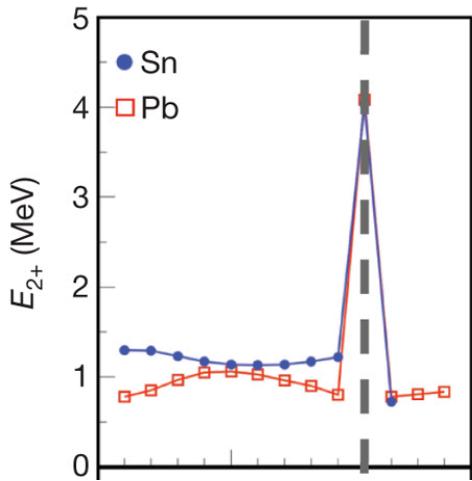
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F. Herwig et al., ApJ 792, L3 (2014)

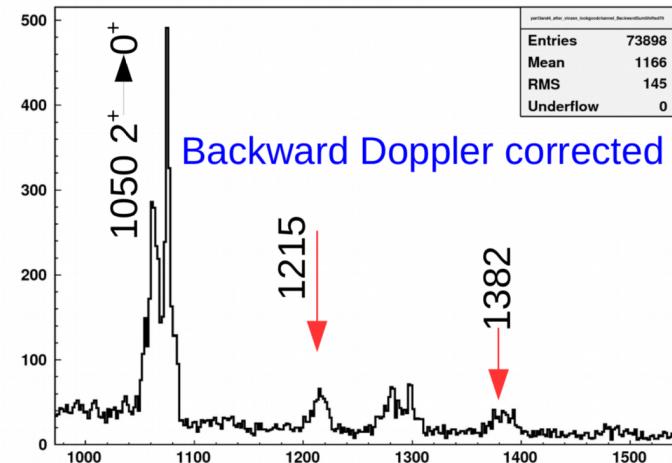
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$^{48}\text{Ca}(\alpha, ^{52}\text{Ti})\gamma$  (MINIBALL)  
analysis: Fuad Ali, UofG

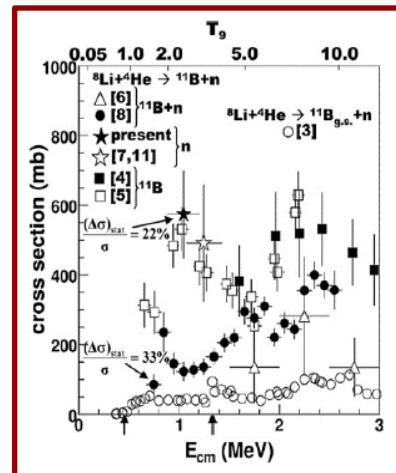


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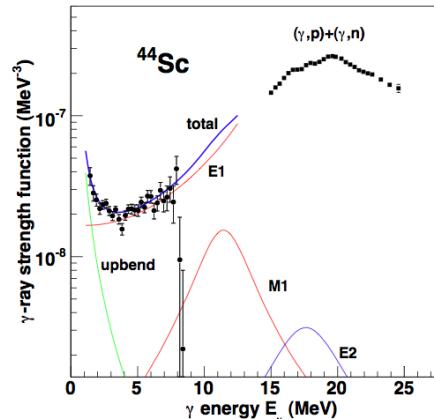
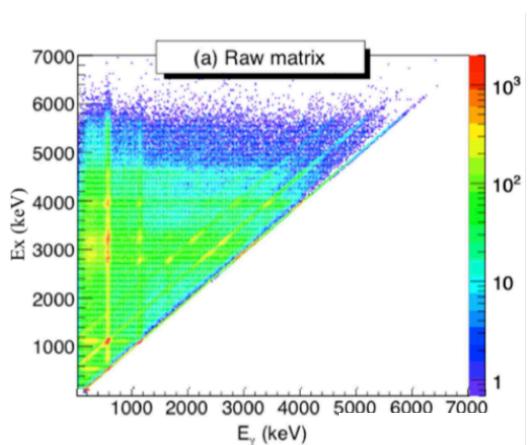
$^8\text{Li}(\alpha, \text{n})^{11}\text{B}$ : crucial to predictions of primordial nucleosynthesis in inhomogeneous models:  
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M.La.Cognata et al.  
Physics Letter B 664 2008

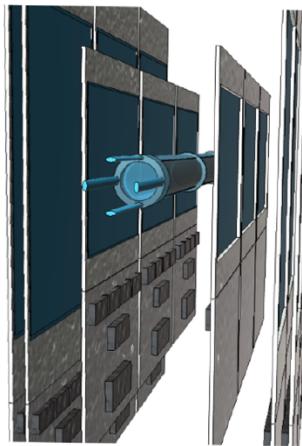
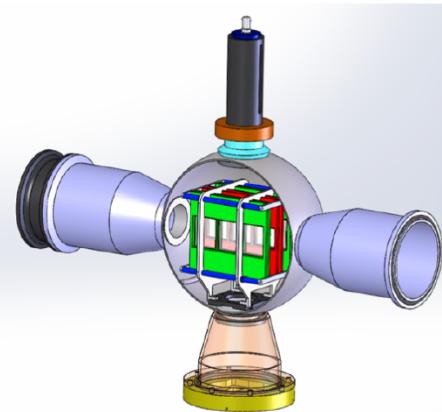


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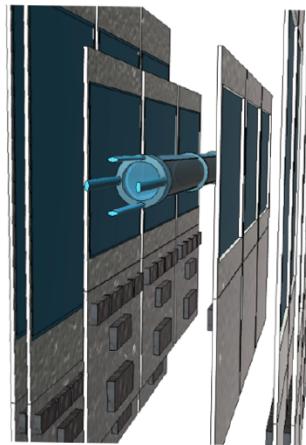
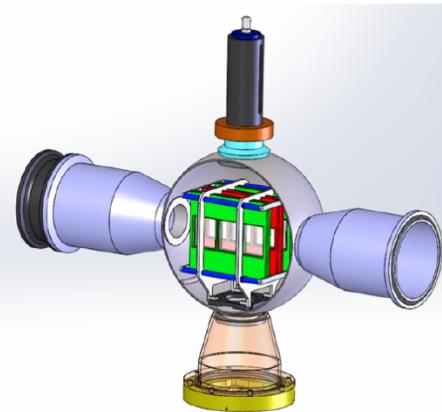
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- gate-0 at TRIUMF:
- 24.10.16: meeting w. TRIUMF detector + electronics experts
- mid 2017: JELF proposal (UofG internal discussion with Dean has started)
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