

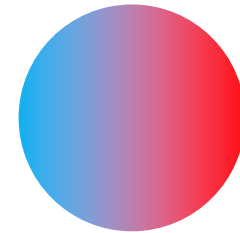
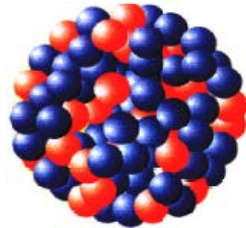
Overview of the RI Beam Facility (RIBF)

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Nucleus: many body system composed of protons and neutrons

- Many-body quantum-system with spontaneous order and self organization
 - Shell structure without inner core
- Two aspects: microscopic and macroscopic
- Superposition of single state nucleon \leftrightarrow bulk matter



- ~1990 study with stable ($N \sim Z$) nuclei
- 1990~ study with unstable ($N \neq Z$) nuclei
 - Now we can control one of the quantum number in laboratory.

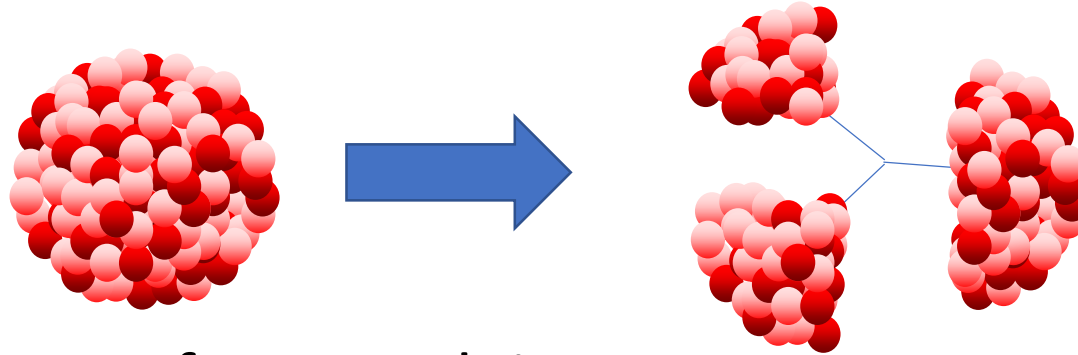
RI=Radioactive Isotope **B**=Beam **F**=Factory

Mass production of radioactive isotopes
as secondary beams

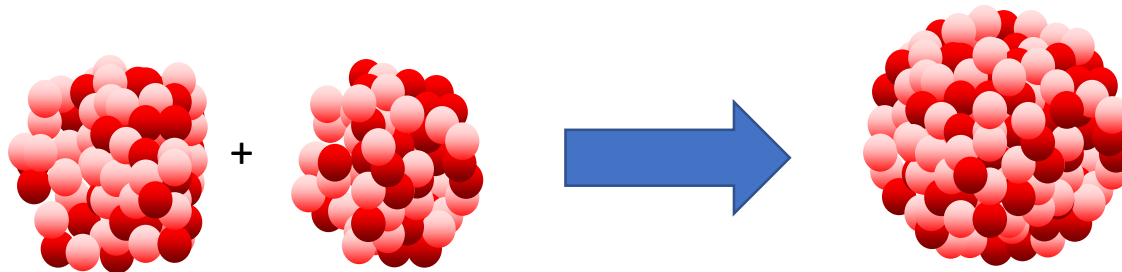


How to produce new nucleus

- Breaking large nucleus



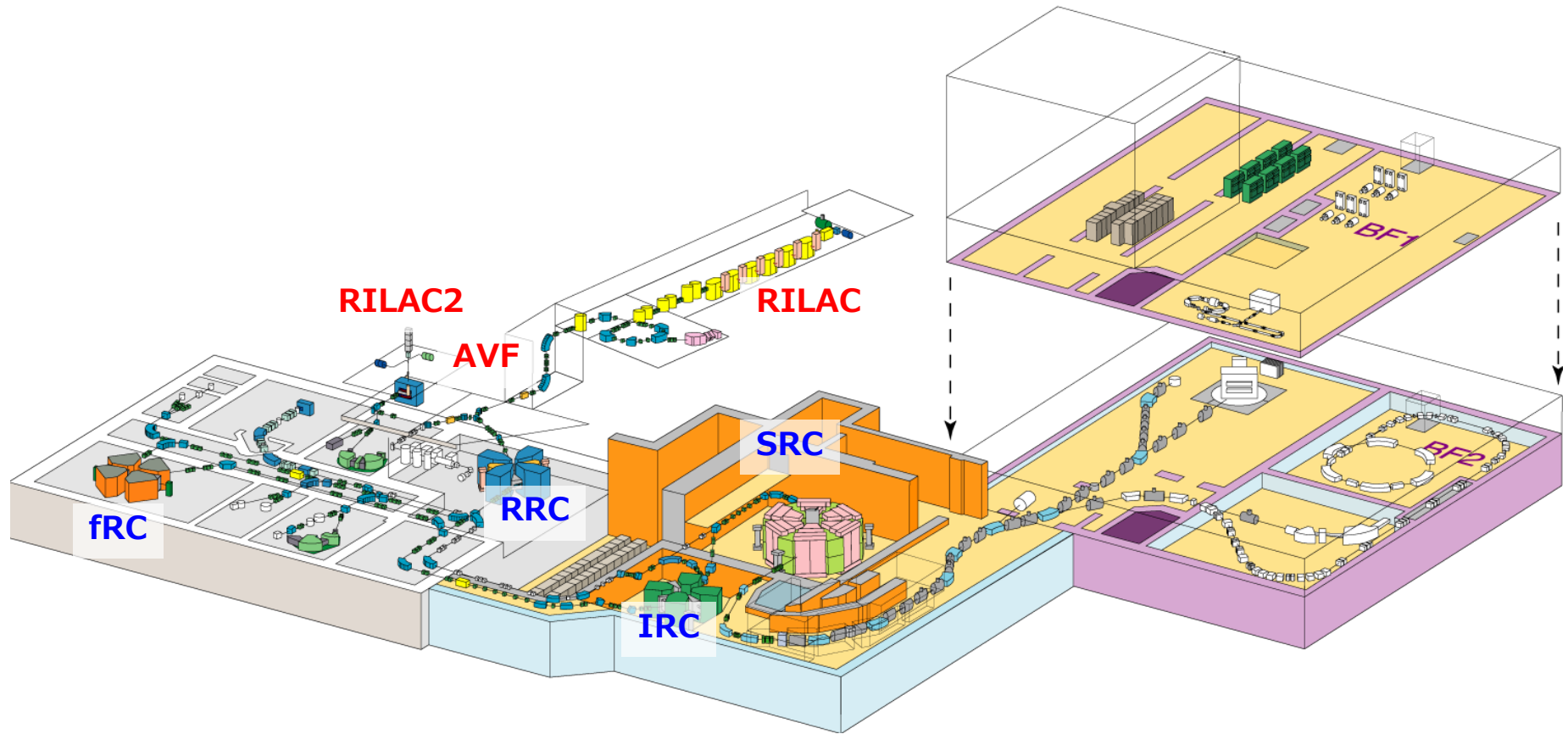
- Coalescence of two nuclei



Do you think which way is easier??

RIBF (Radioactive Isotope Beam Factory)

- Both way to produce new nucleus is possible
- 3 injectors + 4 cyclotrons
- A variety of primary beam up to U
- Energy up to 345 MeV/nucleon





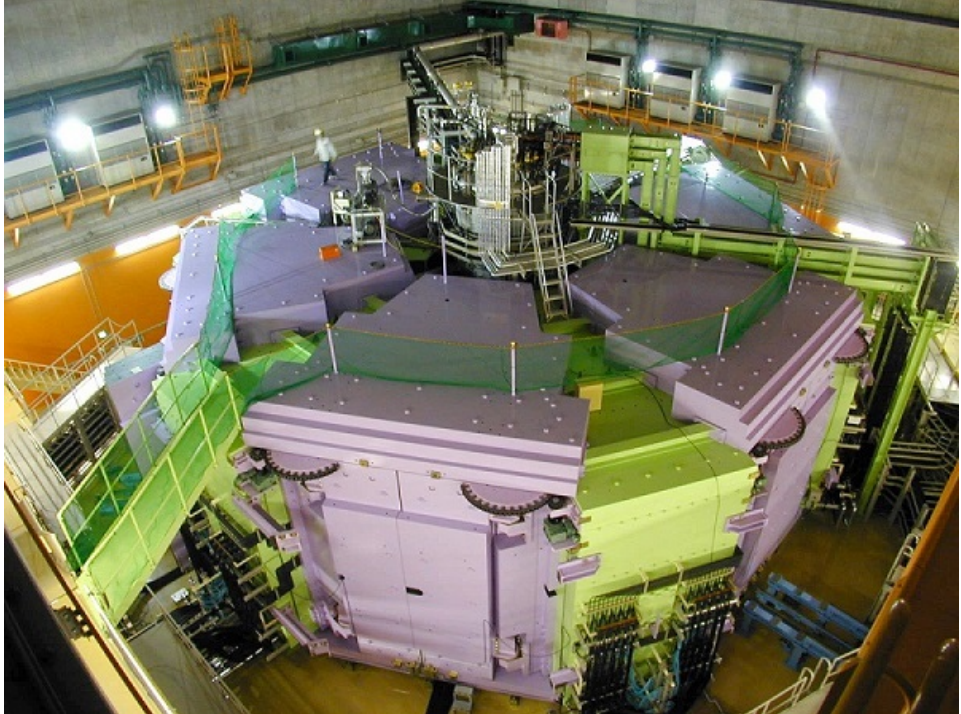
How to accelerate? RILAC (RIKEN heavy Ion LINAC)



- Total Accel. Voltage: 16MV
- Total length: 40m
- Accelerator used for 113 search.
- 1st accelerator drive nuclei to following accelerators.



How to accelerate? SRC (Superconducting Ring Cyclotron)



Diameter : 18.4m
Weight : 8,300 tons

- K2500MeV
 - 345 MeV/nucleon for U beam
 - 400 MeV/nucleon for Light-ion beam
- Self magnetic shield
 - Up to 8 Tm

Which accelerator do you like?

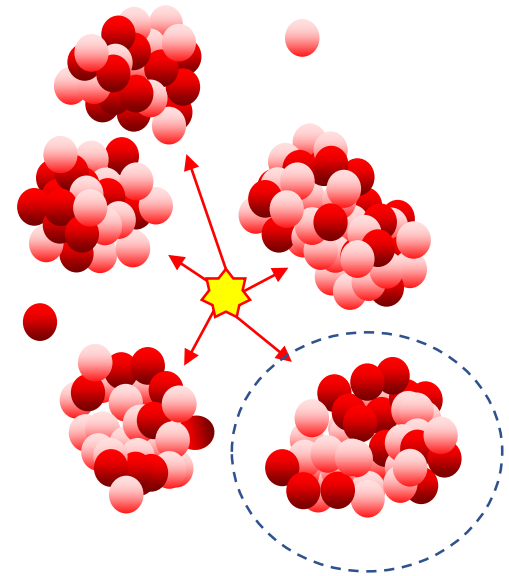
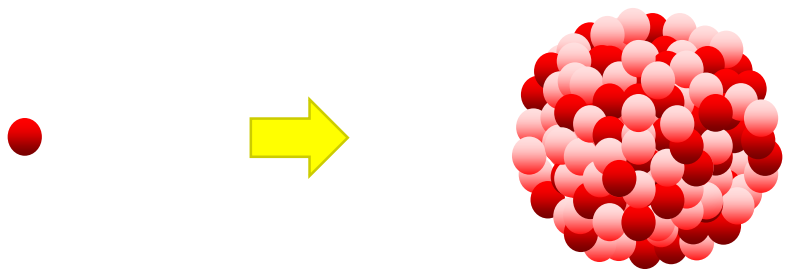


Two ways of RI beam production by breaking large nucleus

Hit small particle against large target

light beam
(e.g., proton)

heavy target
(e.g., Uranium)

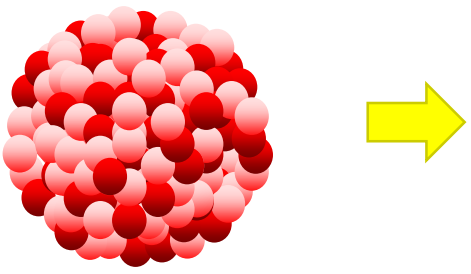


Pick up nucleus you want

Hit large particle against small target

heavy beam
(e.g., Uranium)

thin target
(e.g., proton)



Do you think which way is easier??



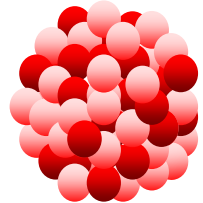
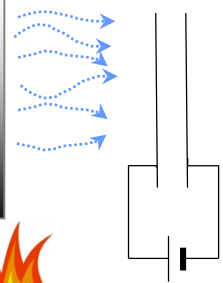
Two ways of RI beam production

ISOL method (Isotope Separation On-Line)

light beam
(e.g., proton)



thick target
(e.g., UC_x)

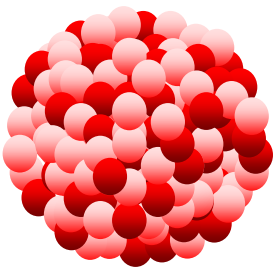


RI beam

Chemical extraction

In-flight method

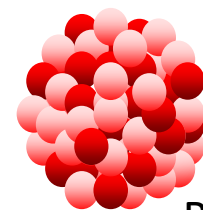
heavy beam
(e.g., ^{238}U)



thin target
(e.g., Be)



Projectile fragmentation
In-flight fission



RI beam

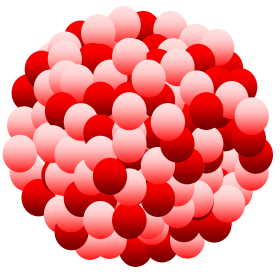


Two ways of RI beam production

Method employed at RIBF

In-flight method

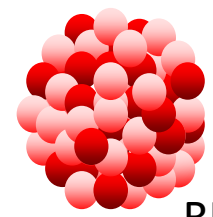
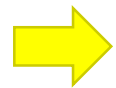
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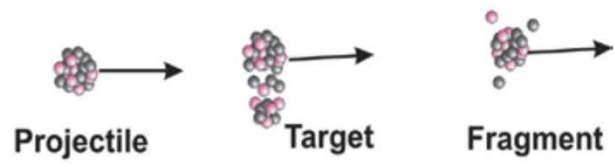
RI beam



Two types of physics processes for projectile fragmentation

+ Production of exotic nuclei at relativistic energies

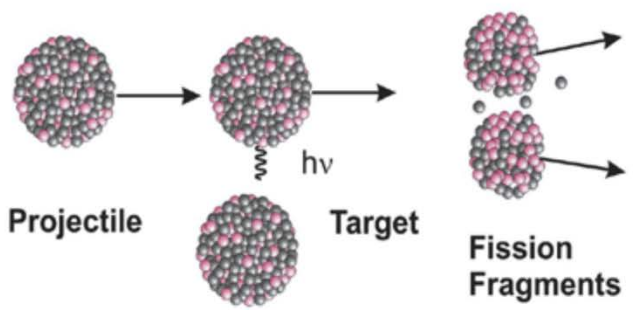
Projectile Fragmentation



Nucleon-nucleon collisions, abrasion, ablation

$$\vec{V}_f \approx \vec{V}_p$$

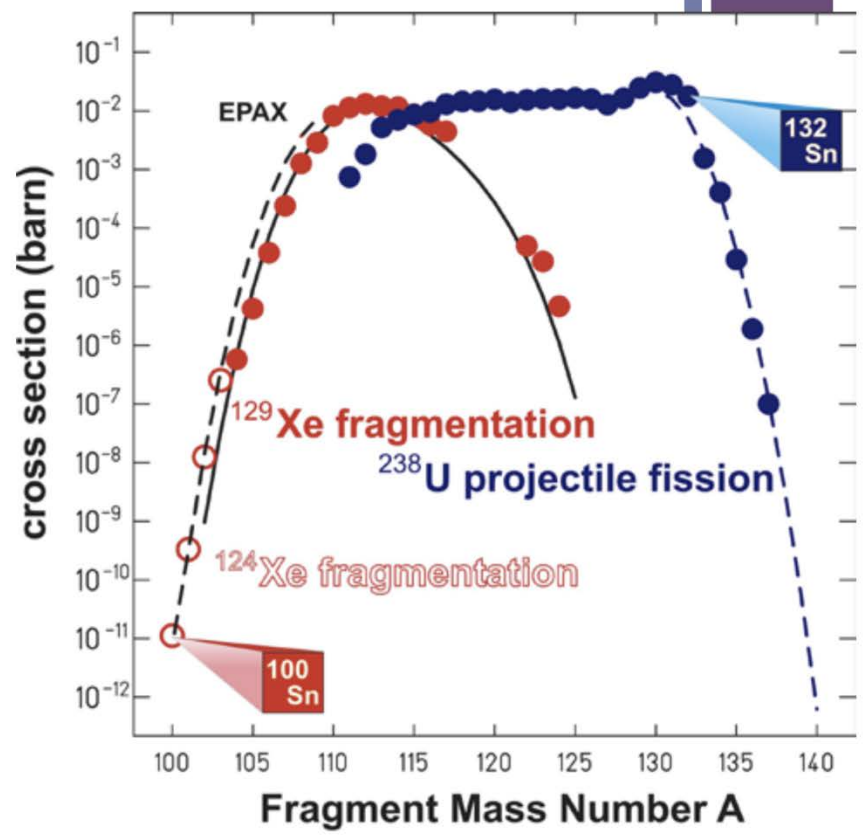
Projectile Fission



Electromagnetic excitation, fission in flight

$$\vec{V}_f \approx \vec{V}_p + \vec{V}_{fission}$$

Sn isotope production

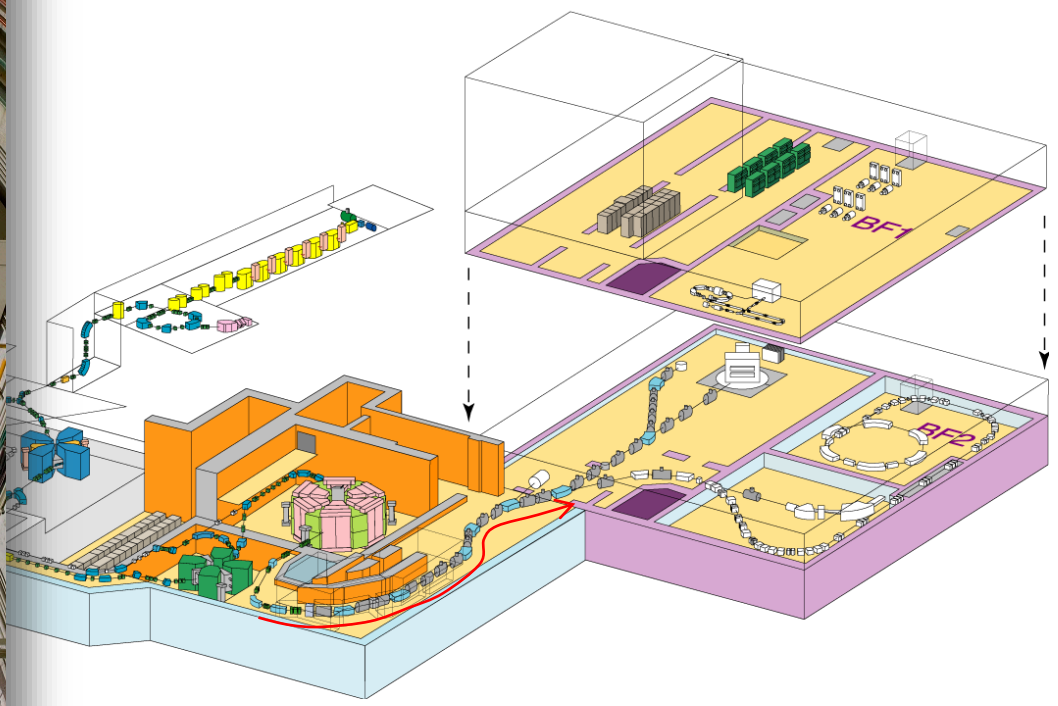


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BigRIPS: Spectrometer to choose RI you want



- ❑ In-flight separator
- ❑ Largest acceptance up to 9 Tm

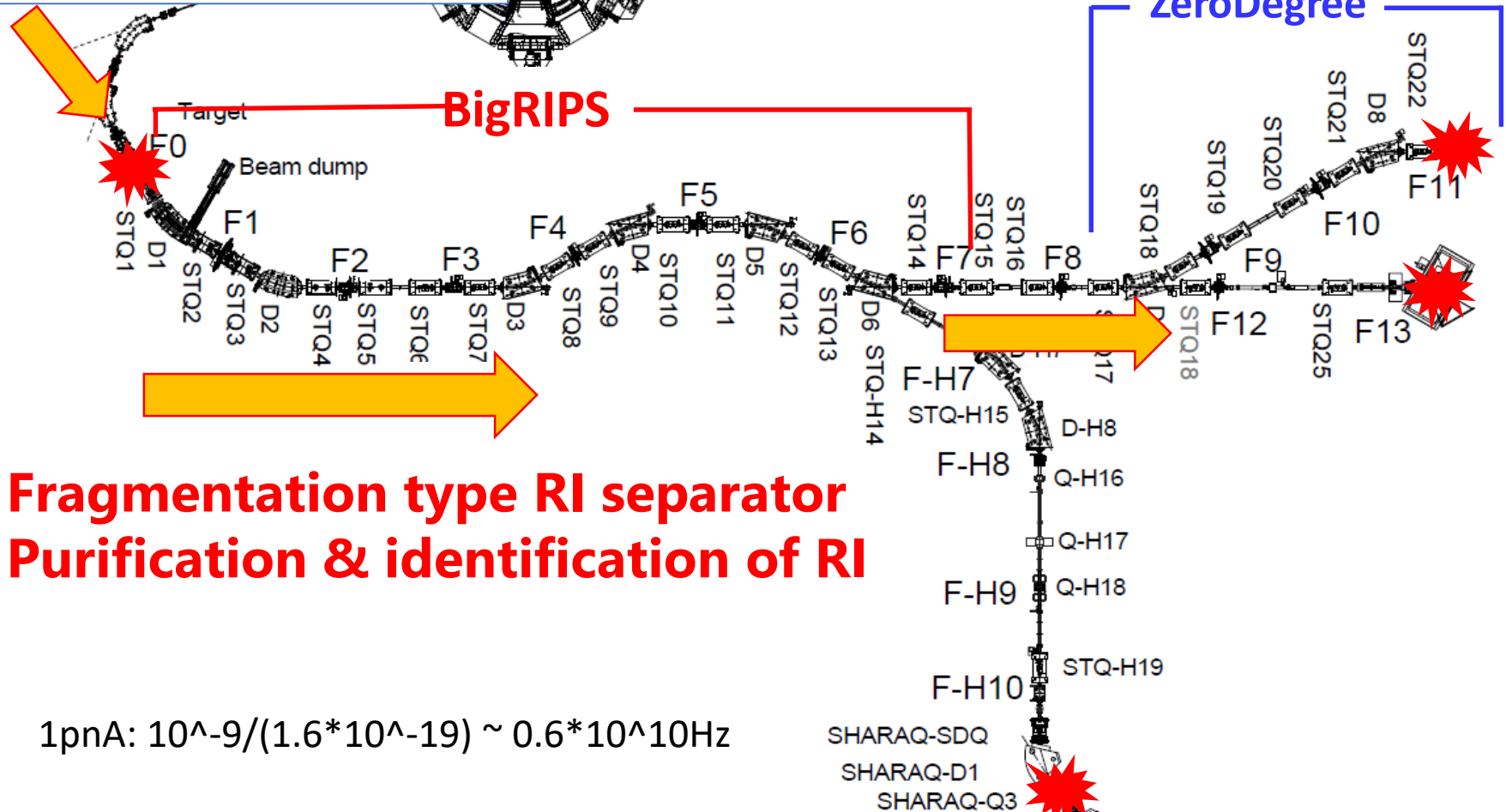


U-238 345 MeV/u beam
Z=92, N=146
50pnA: $10^{11\sim 12}$ Hz



SRC

0 10 20 m

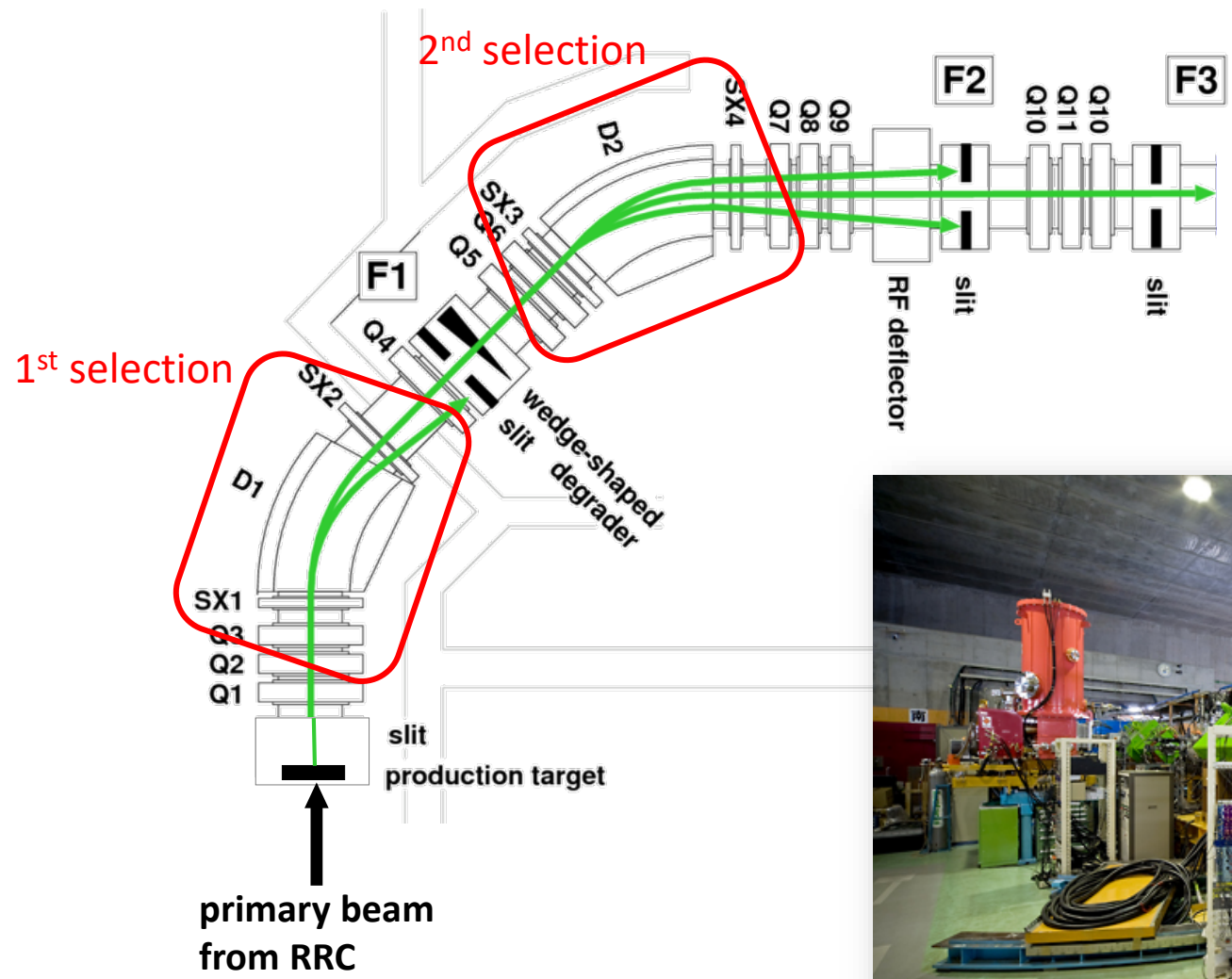


Fragmentation type RI separator
Purification & identification of RI

1pnA: $10^{-9}/(1.6 \cdot 10^{-19}) \sim 0.6 \cdot 10^{10}$ Hz



RIPS: precursor of BigRIPS



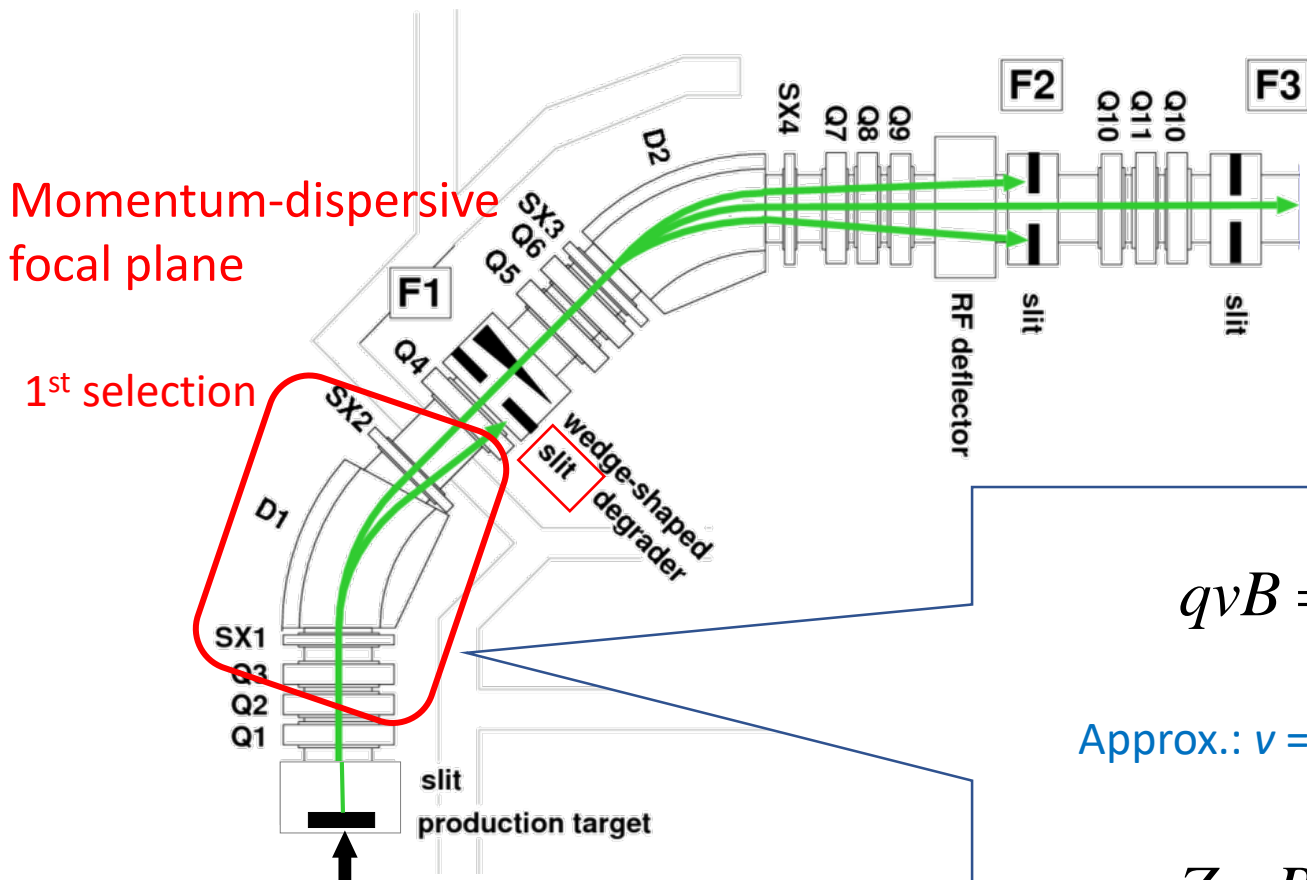
RIPS: T. Kubo *et al.*, Nucl. Instr. Meth. B 70, 309 ('92)



1st stage selection

Momentum-dispersive focal plane

1st selection



$$qvB = m \frac{v^2}{\rho}$$

Approx.: $v = v_{\text{beam}}$ for all fragments

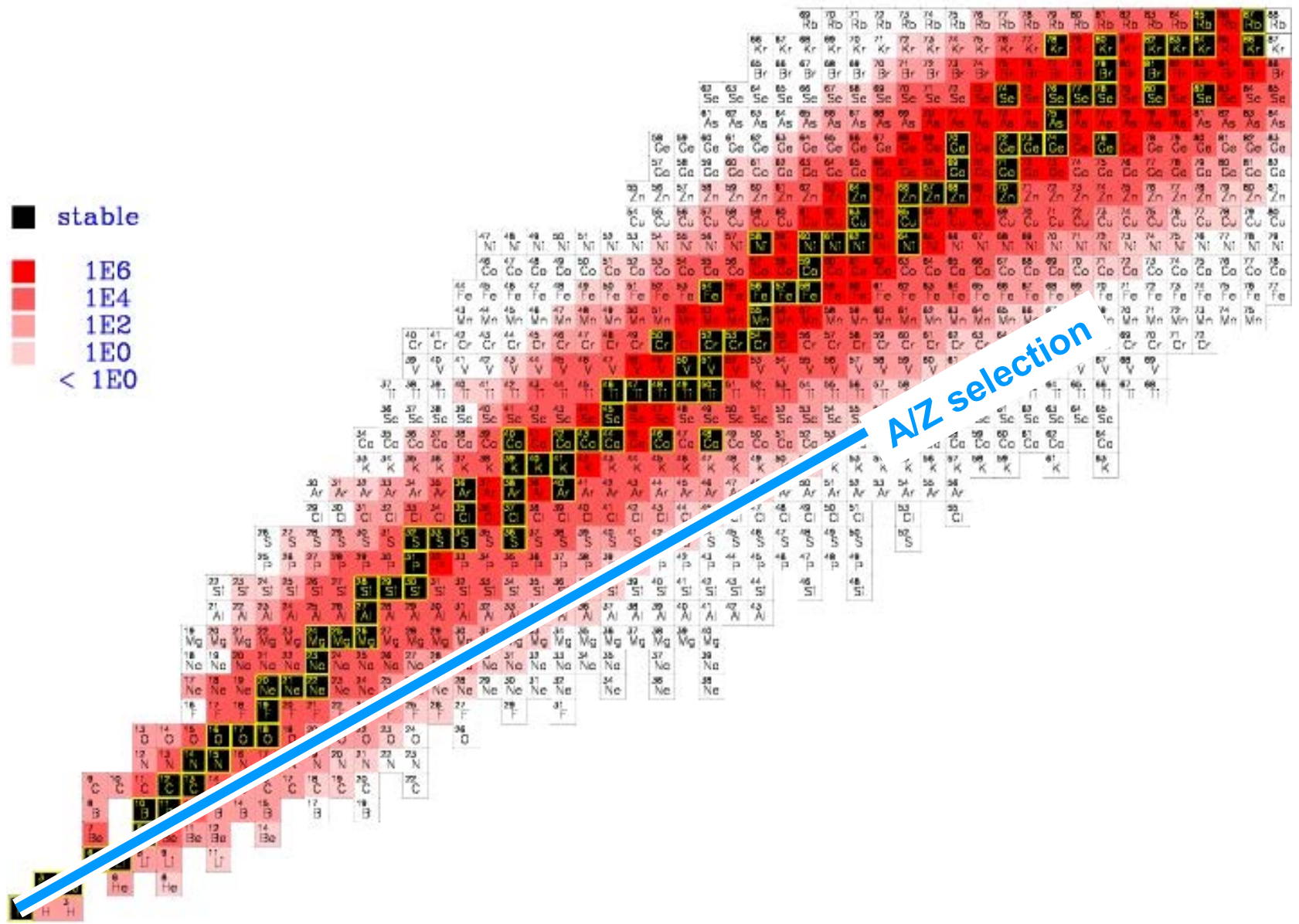
$$ZevB = Am_{\text{nucl}} \frac{v^2}{\rho}$$

$$B\rho = \frac{A}{Z} \frac{p_{\text{nucl}}}{e}$$





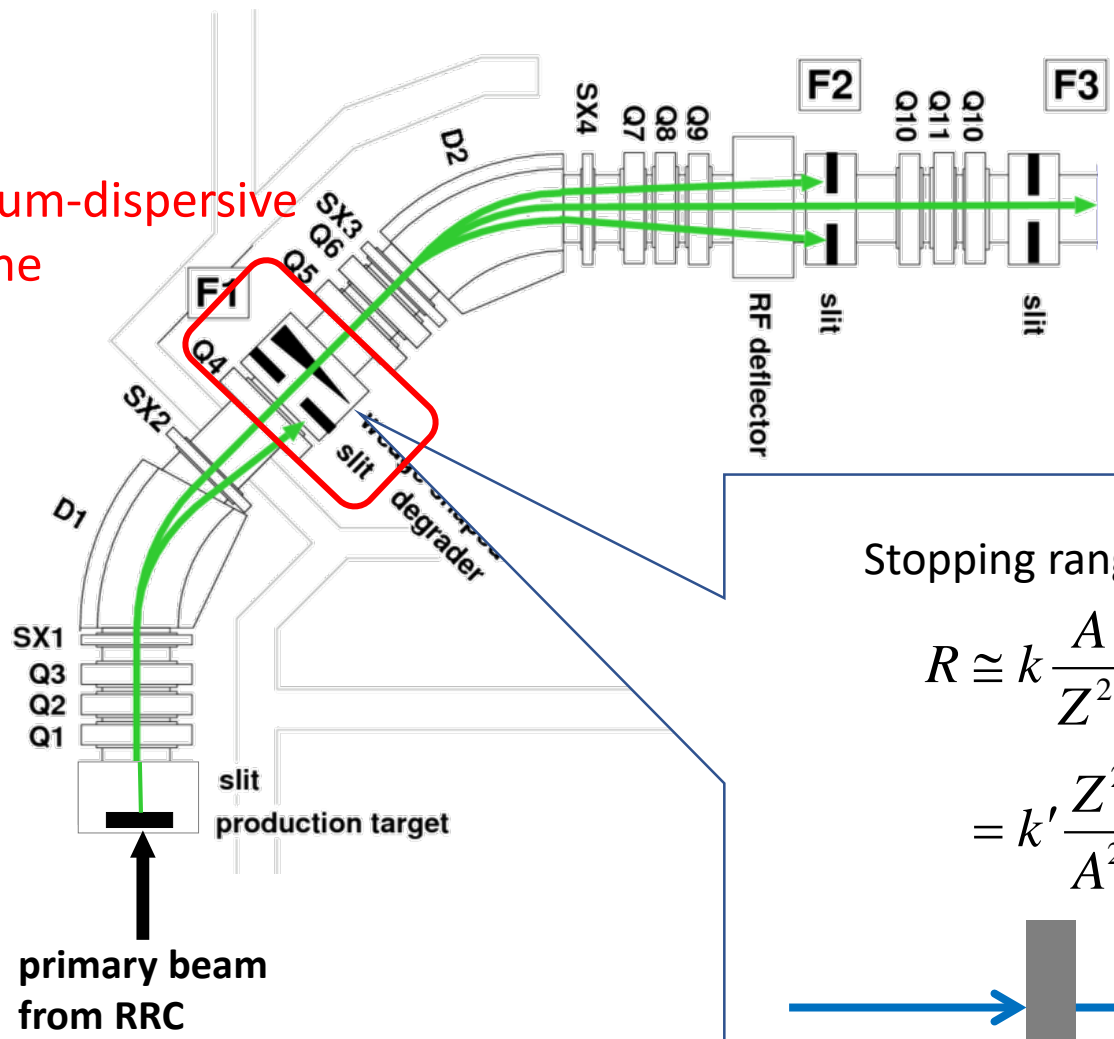
Isotope separation (stage1)





Between 1st and 2nd selections

Momentum-dispersive focal plane

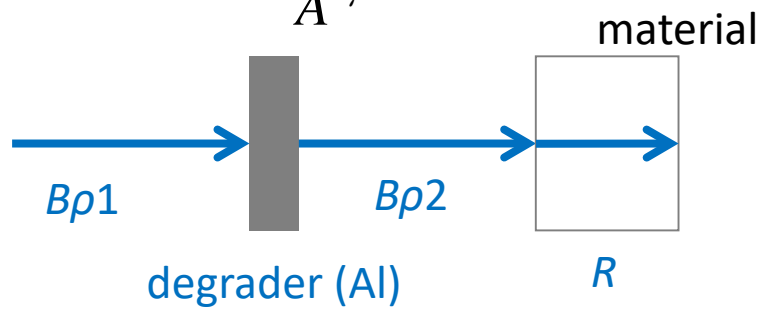


Stopping range

$$R \cong k \frac{A}{Z^2} \left(\frac{E}{A} \right)^\gamma \quad \gamma = 1.75$$

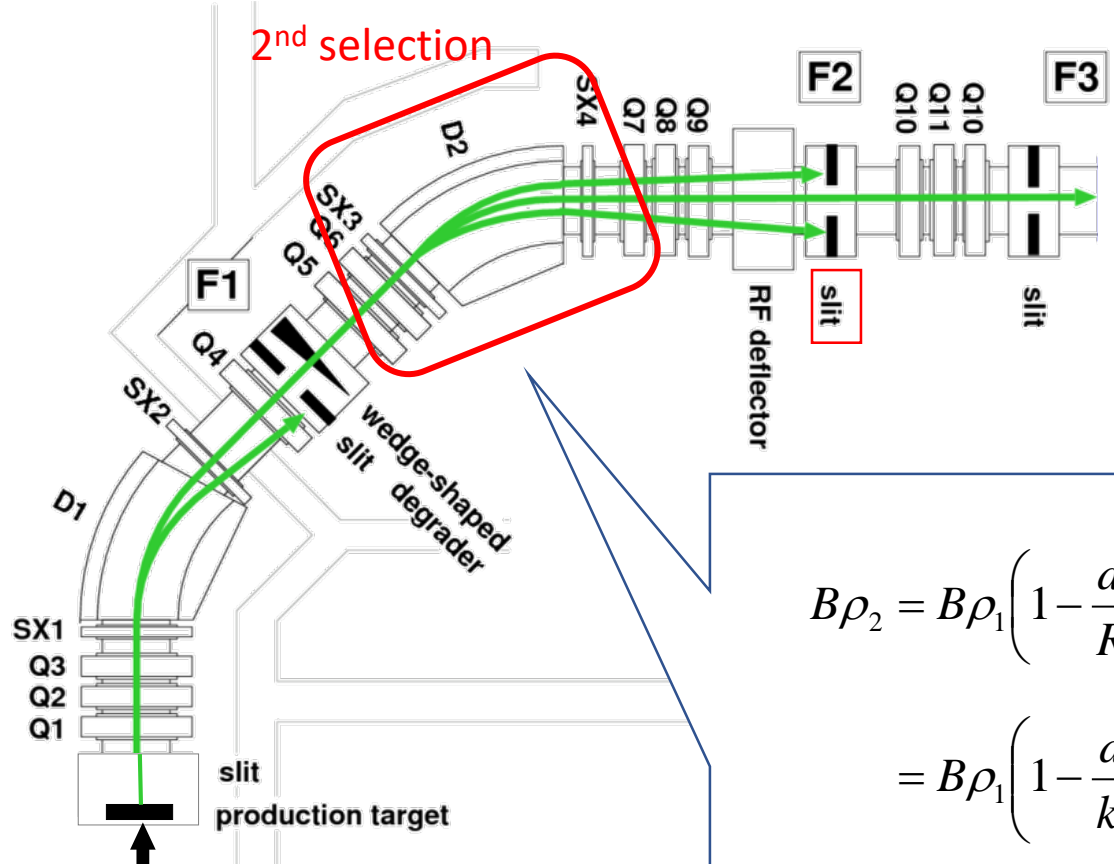
(at intermediate beam energies)

$$= k' \frac{Z^{2\gamma-1}}{A^{2\gamma-2}} (B\rho)^{2\gamma}$$





2nd stage selection



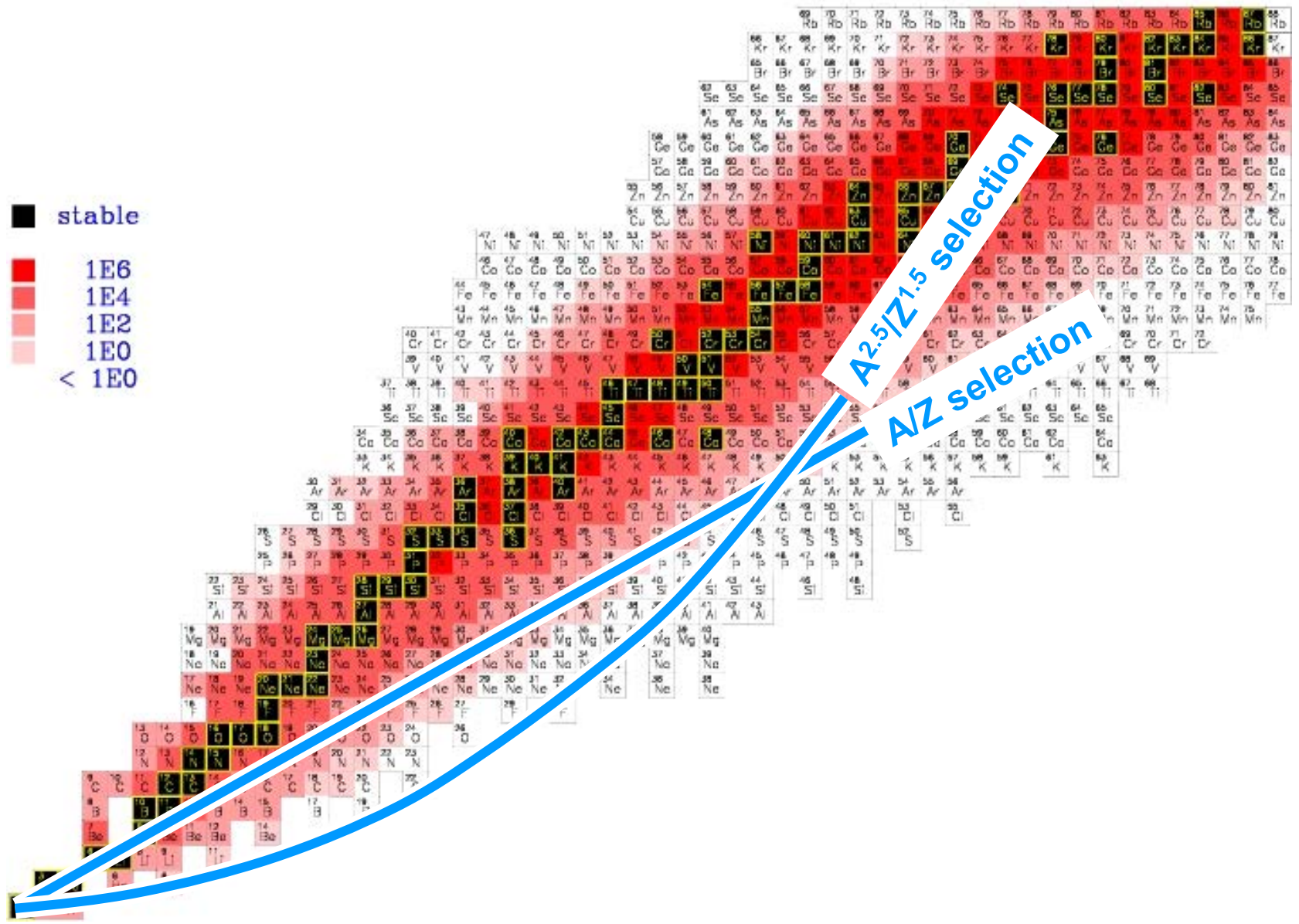
Double-achromatic focal plane

primary beam from RRC

$$\begin{aligned} B\rho_2 &= B\rho_1 \left(1 - \frac{d}{R}\right)^{\frac{1}{2\gamma}} \\ &= B\rho_1 \left(1 - \frac{d}{k' Z^{2\gamma-2}} (B\rho_1)^{-2\gamma}\right)^{\frac{1}{2\gamma}} \\ \Rightarrow B\rho_2 &\propto \frac{A^{2\gamma-1}}{Z^{2\gamma-2}} = \frac{A^{2.5}}{Z^{1.5}} \end{aligned}$$

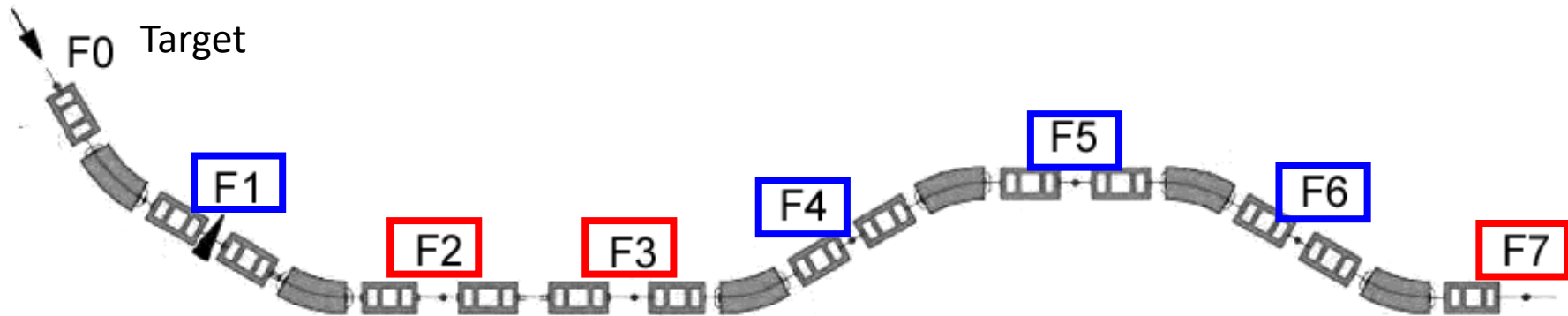


Isotope separation (stage2)





BigRIPS configuration



Momentum-dispersive focal planes

Hit position depends on its momentum

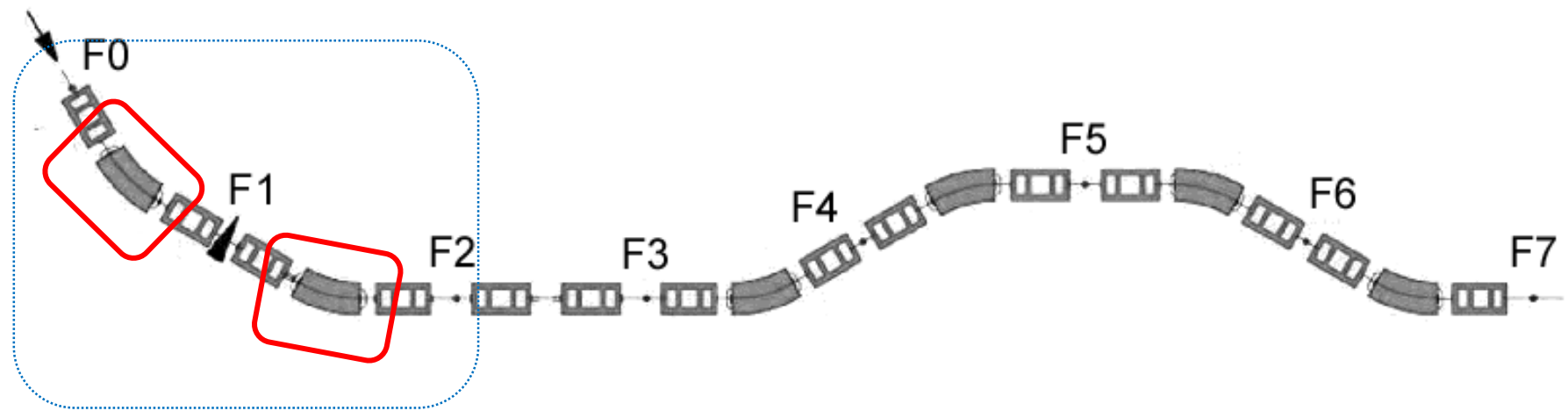
Same $B\rho$: same hit position

Double-achromatic focal planes

Beam is focused



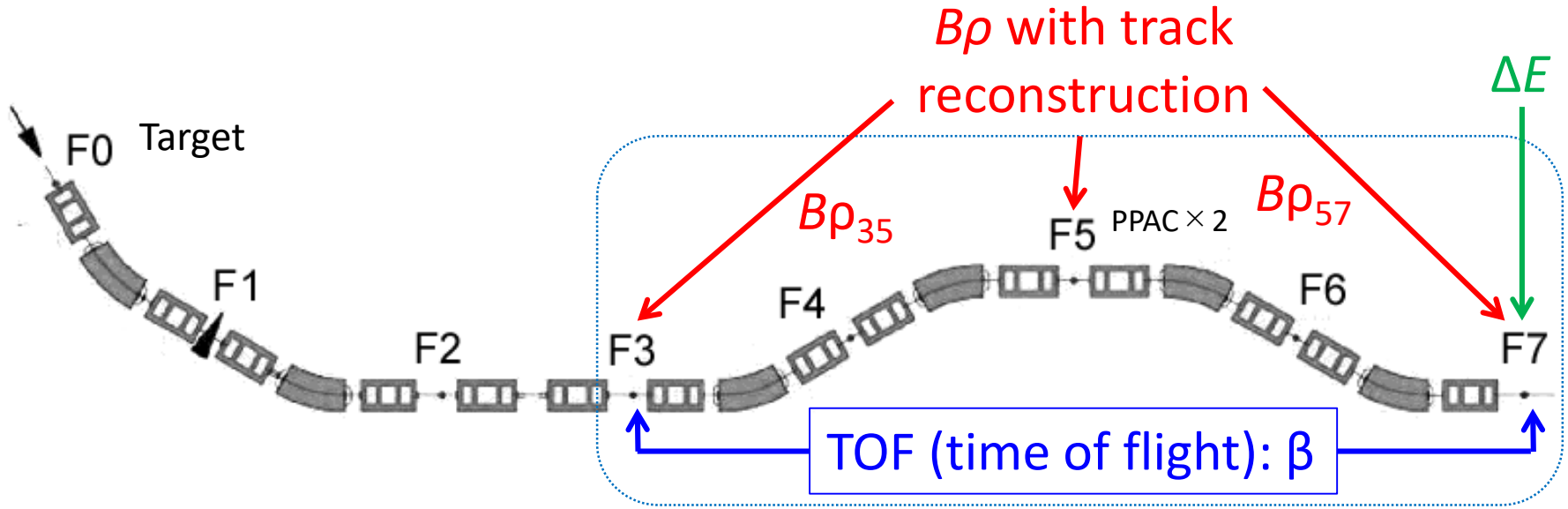
Isotope separation



BigRIPS 1st stage



Particle identification



BigRIPS 2nd stage

TOF- $B\rho$ - ΔE method

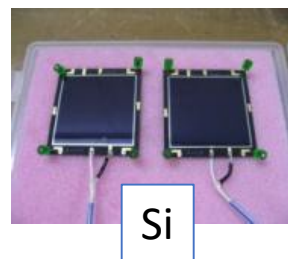
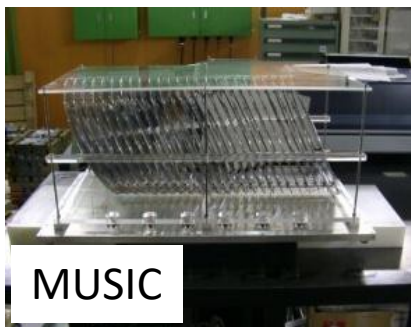
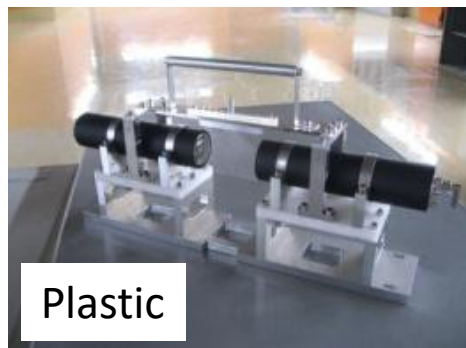
$$\frac{A}{Q} = \frac{B\rho}{\gamma\beta} \frac{c}{m_{\text{nucl}}}$$

$$Z \leftarrow \Delta E = f(Z, \beta)$$

Bethe-Bloch formula

Particle identification (PID) detectors at BigRIPS

TOF- $B\rho$ - ΔE method with track reconstruction \rightarrow Improve $B\rho$ and TOF resolution

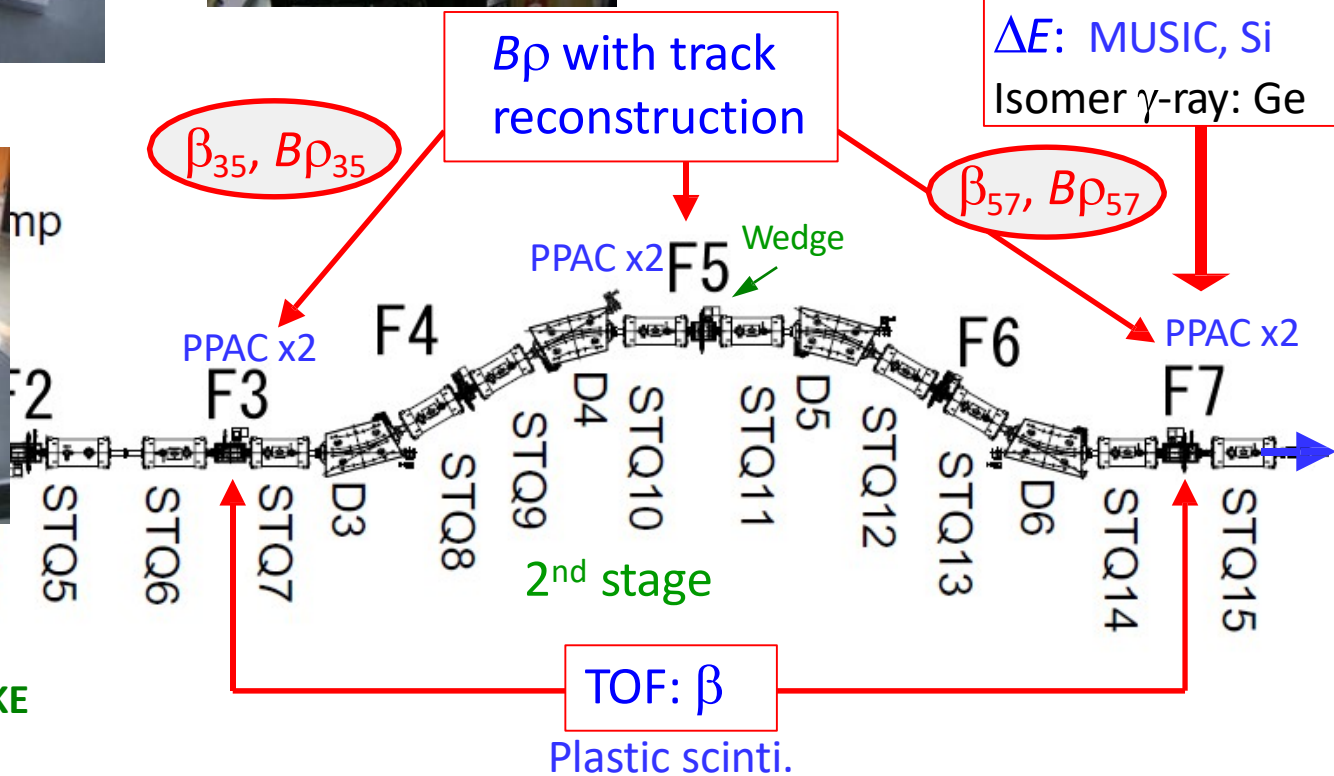


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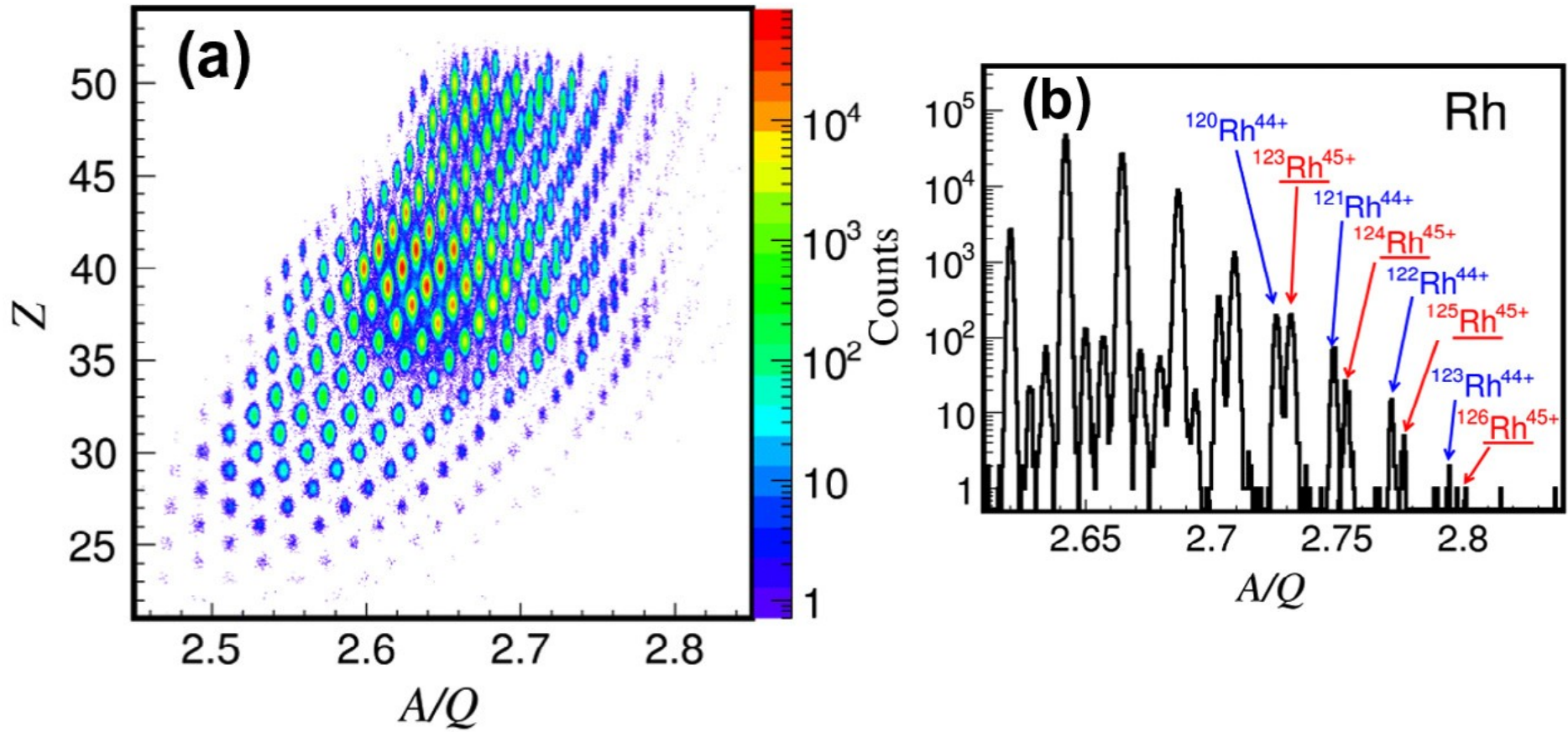
1st stage

PID without measuring TKE





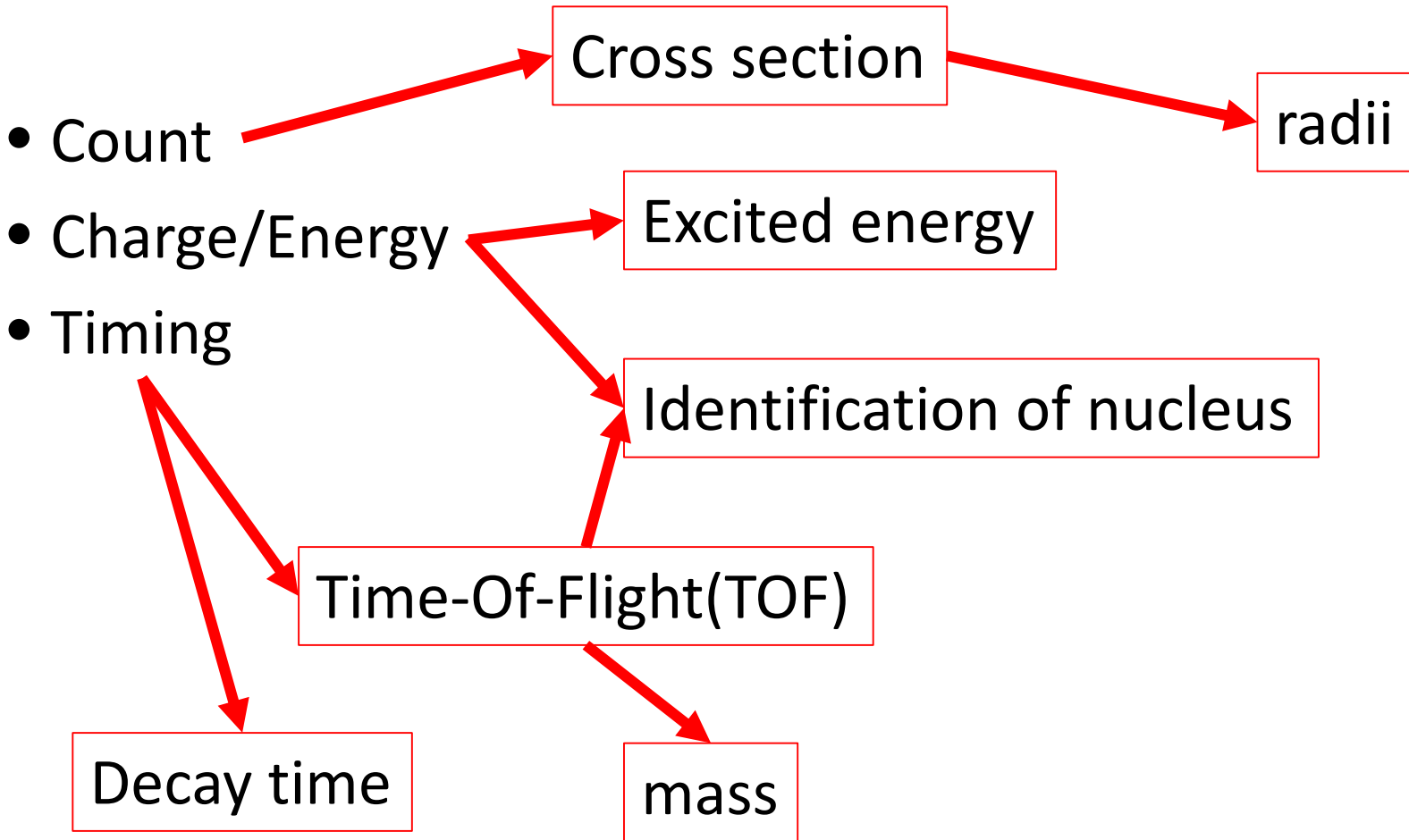
Example of PID plot



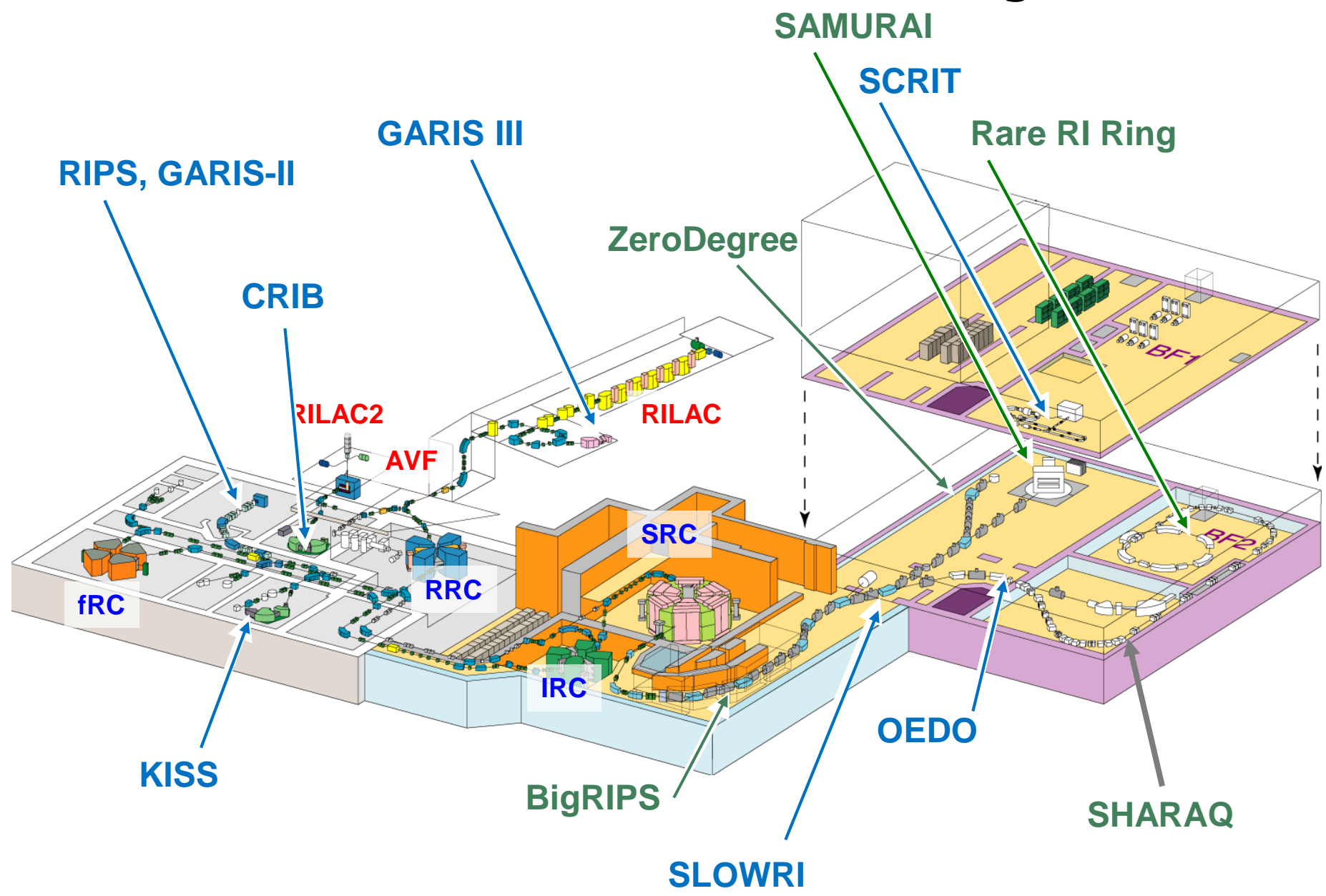
OK. RI beam which you want is provided.
What do you want to measure?

- **Mass?**
- **Half-life?**
- **Excited states?**
- **Deformation?**
- **Charge radii?**
- **Matter radii?**
- **Charge distribution?**
- **Matter distribution?**
- **EM moments?**
- **Single particle states?**
- **Astrophysical reactions?**
- **Giant resonances?**
- **Exotic modes?**
- **Equation of state?**

What we can measure is quite limited.
Need to combine detector information.

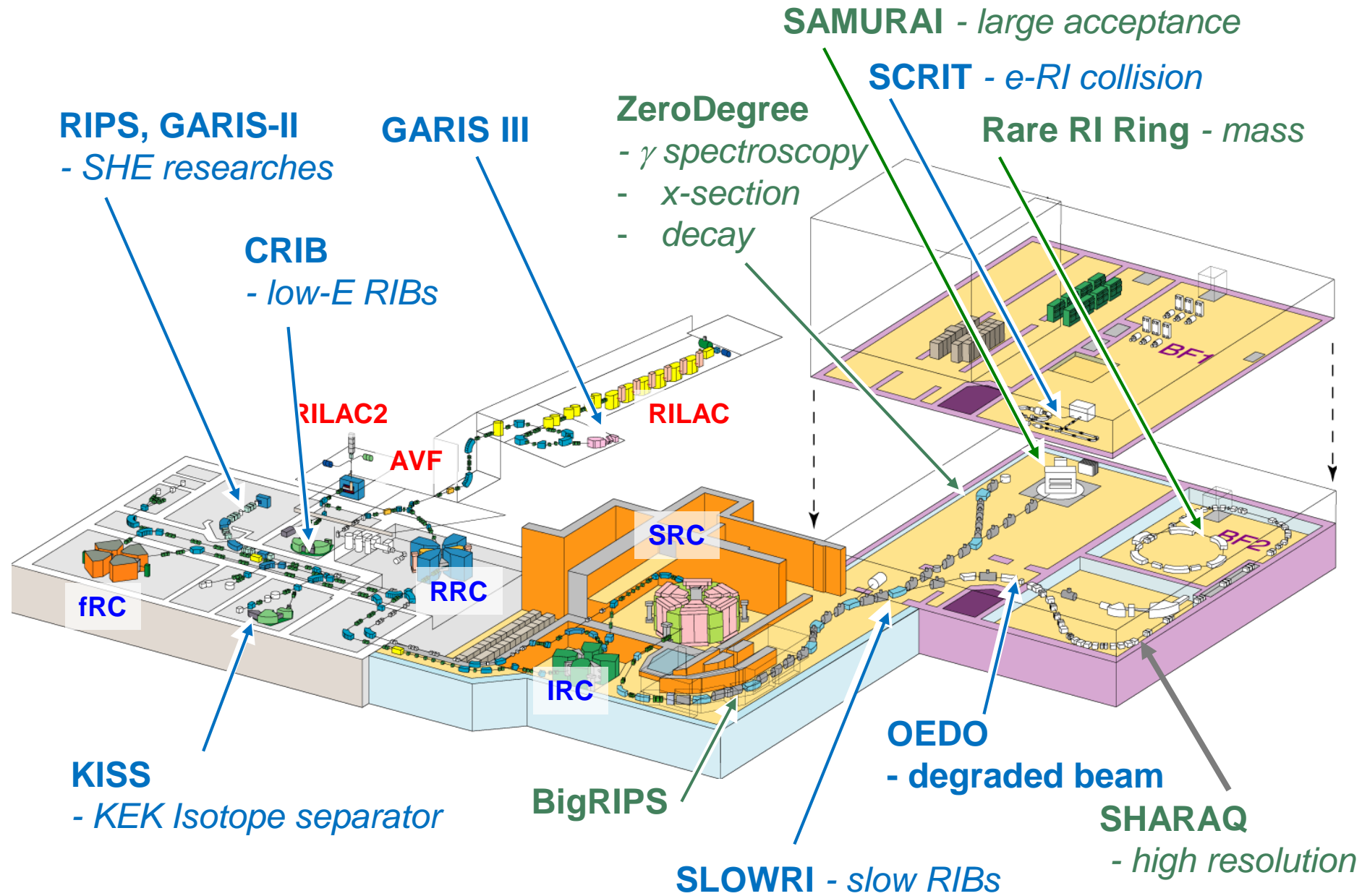


Devices for the measurement of physics observables: small and large



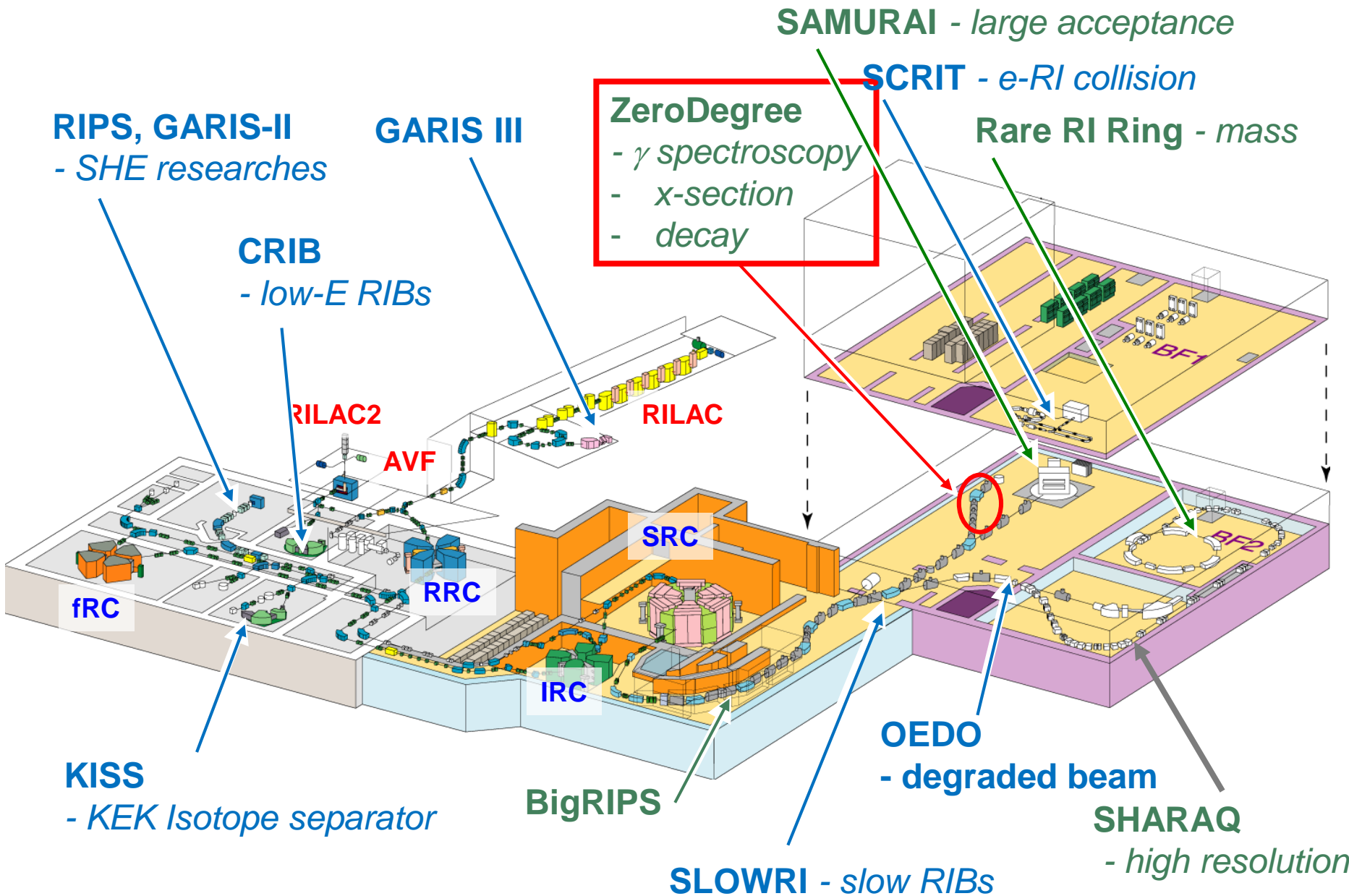


Versatile devices for the measurement of physics observables





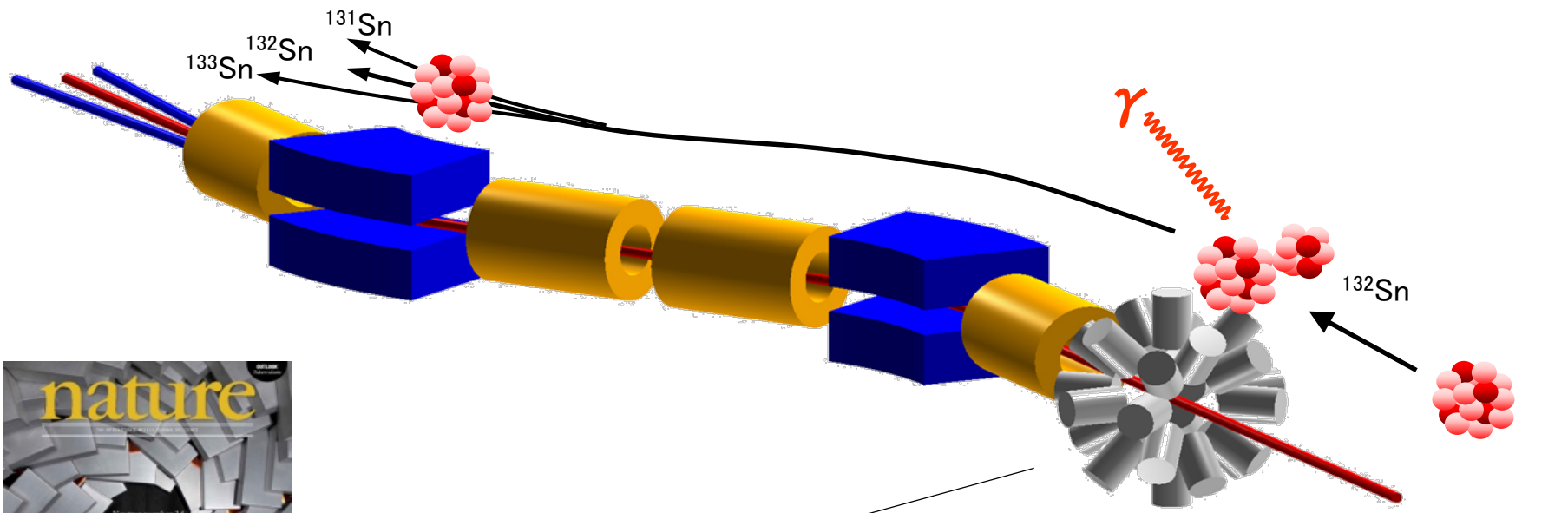
ZDS(Zero-degree spectrometer)





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Spectrometer for in-beam gamma-ray measurement



From BigRIPS



DALI2 (NaI scintillators): S. Takeuchi *et al.*, Nucl. Instr. Meth. B 763, 596 ('14)



ZDS (Zero-degree spectrometer)

Magicity of ^{78}Ni

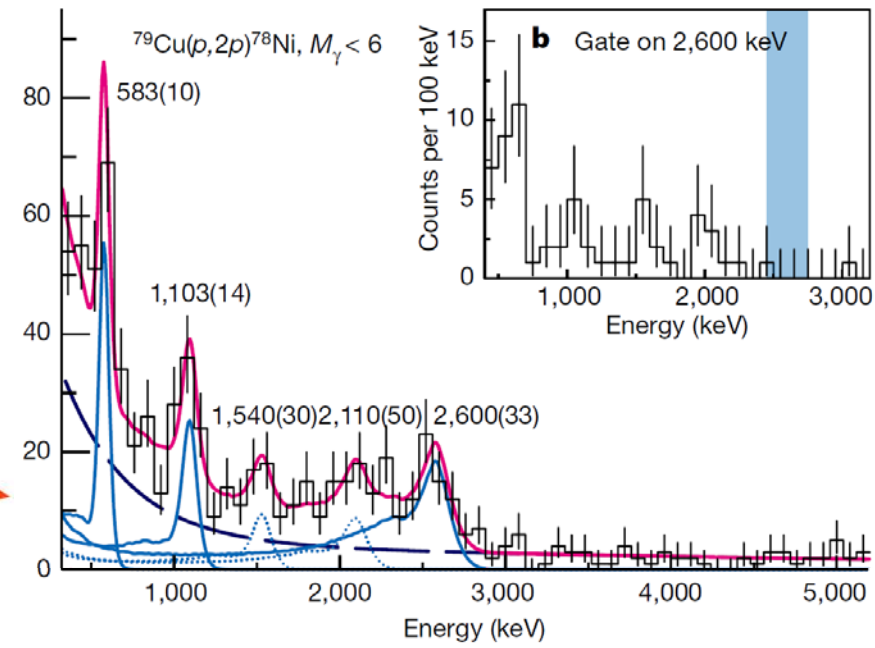
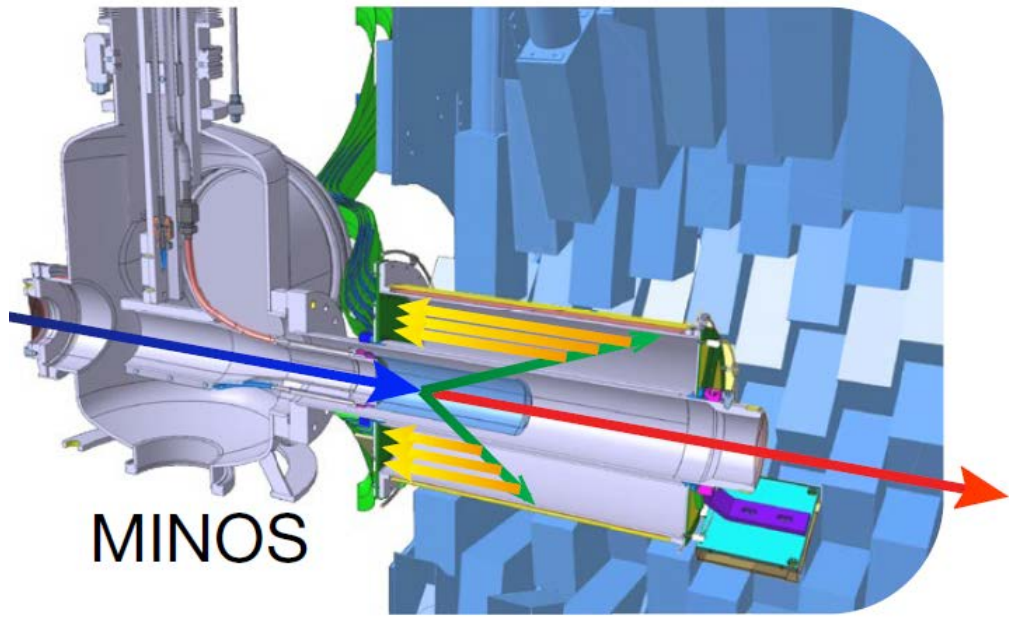
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^{78}Ni revealed as a doubly magic stronghold against nuclear deformation

R. Taniuchi^{1,2}, C. Santamaria^{2,3}, P. Doornenbal^{2*}, A. Obertelli^{2,3,4}, K. Yoneda², G. Authelet³, H. Baba², D. Calvet³, F. Château³, A. Corsi³, A. Delbart³, J.-M. Gheller³, A. Gillibert³, J. D. Holt⁵, T. Isobe², V. Lapoux³, M. Matsushita⁶, J. Menéndez⁶, et al.



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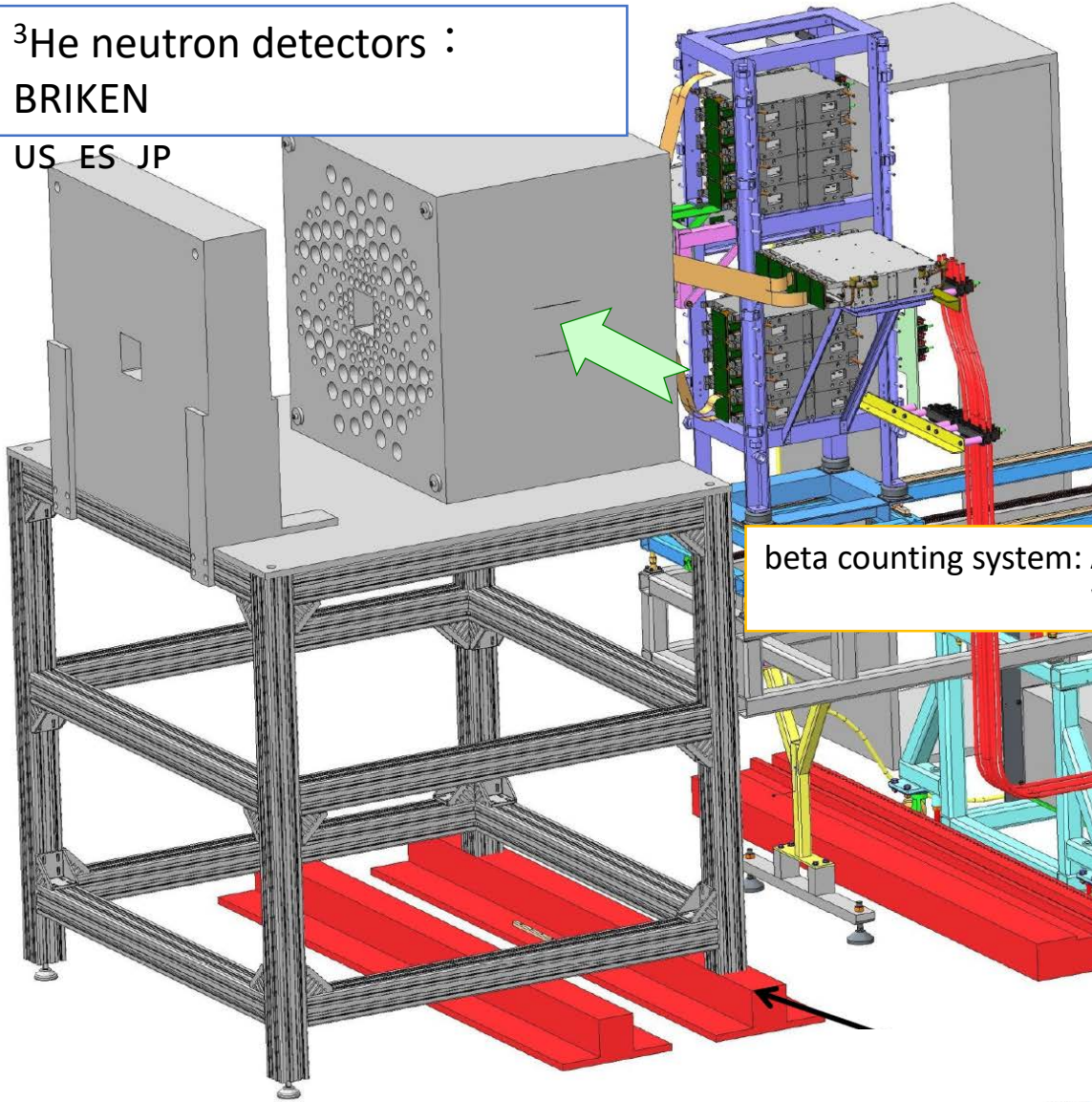
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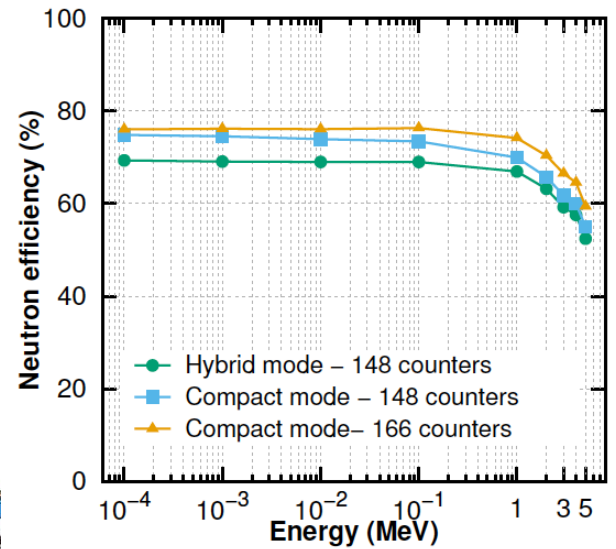
BRIKEN at ZDS (2016 ~)

^3He neutron detectors :
BRIKEN

US ES JP



beta counting system: AIDAGB
WAS3ABi JP



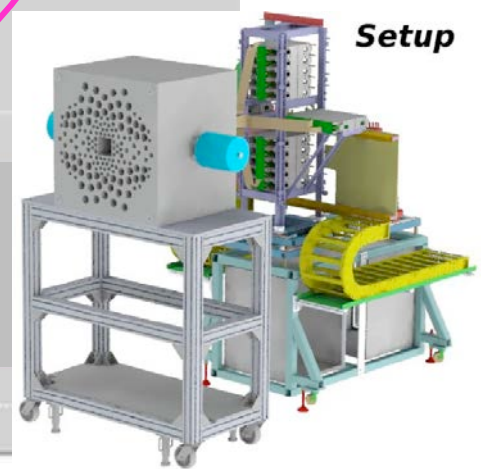
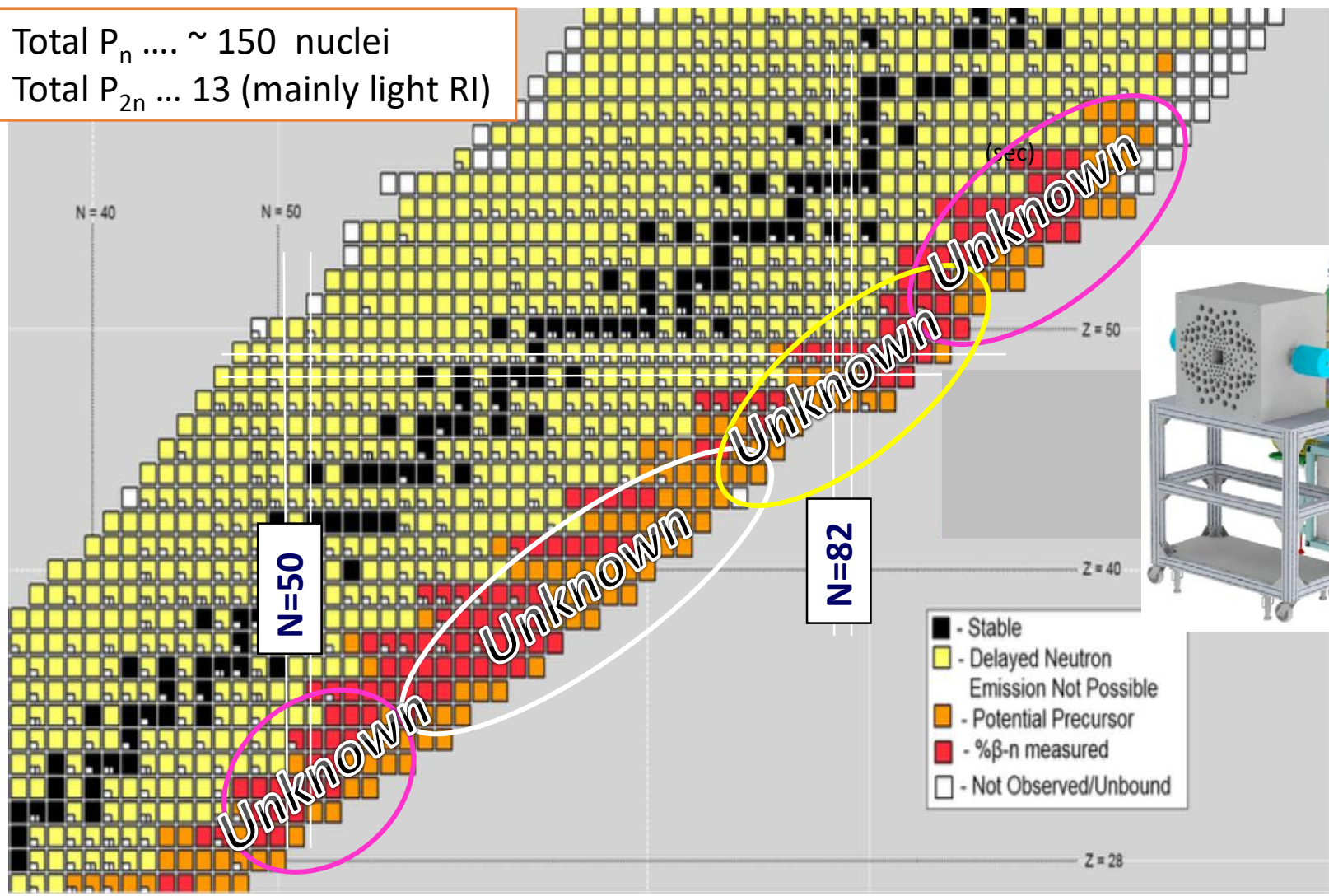
γ -ray:
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Beta-delayed neutron emission probabilities

Total P_n ~ 150 nuclei
Total P_{2n} ... 13 (mainly light RI)

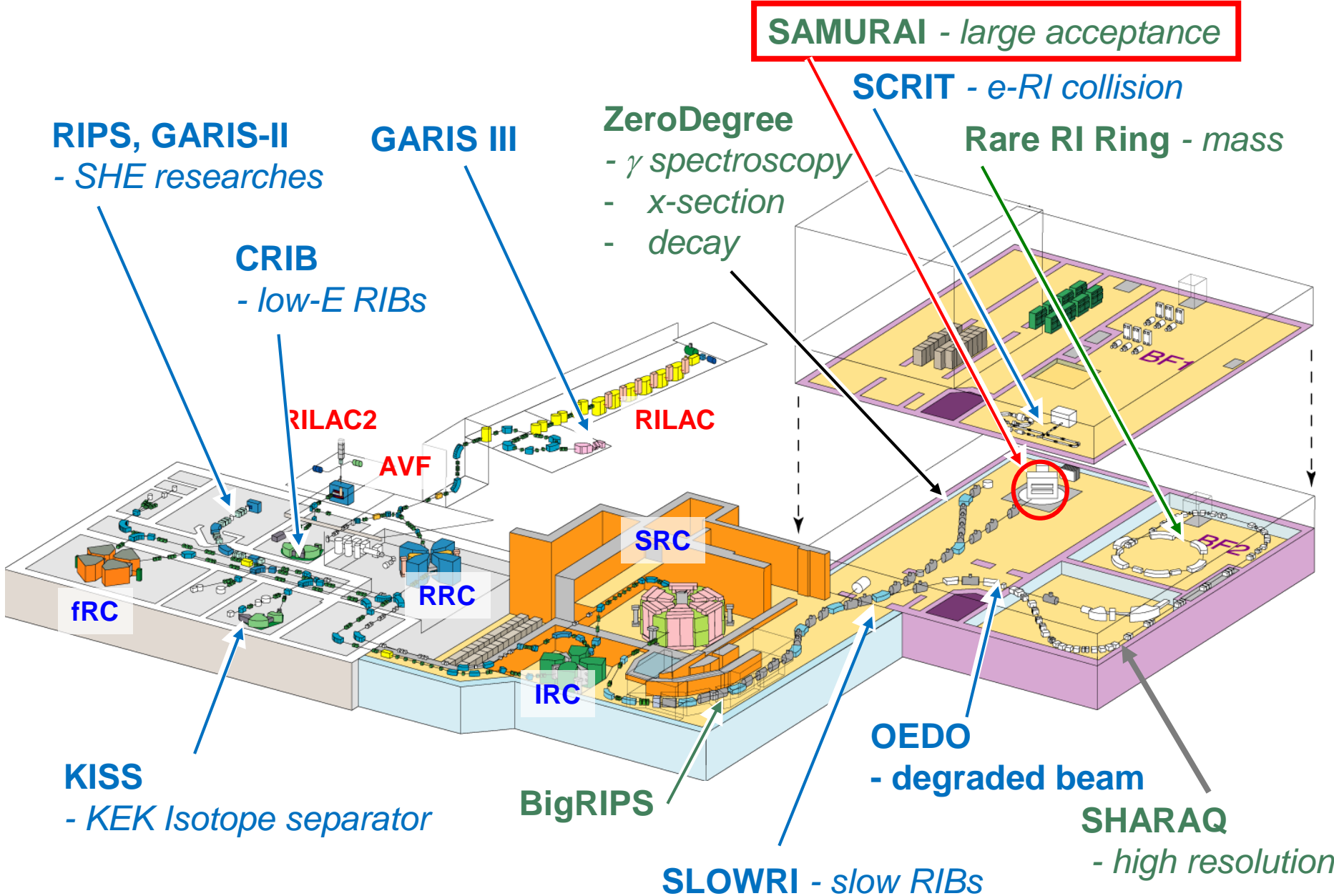


Setup

Several hundreds of beta-delayed neutron emission P_n (n) together with $T_{1/2}$ (β) & level scheme (γ)



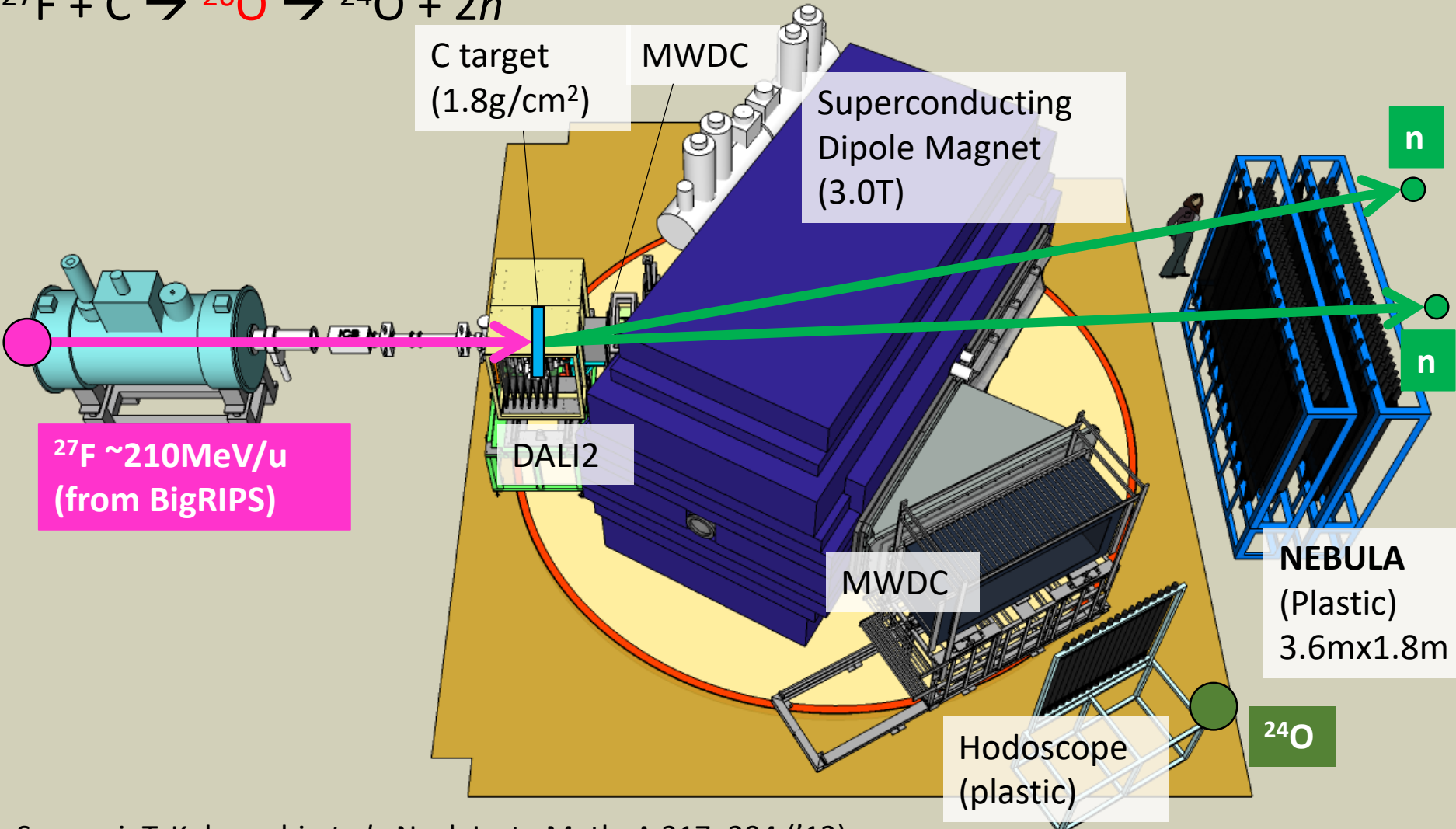
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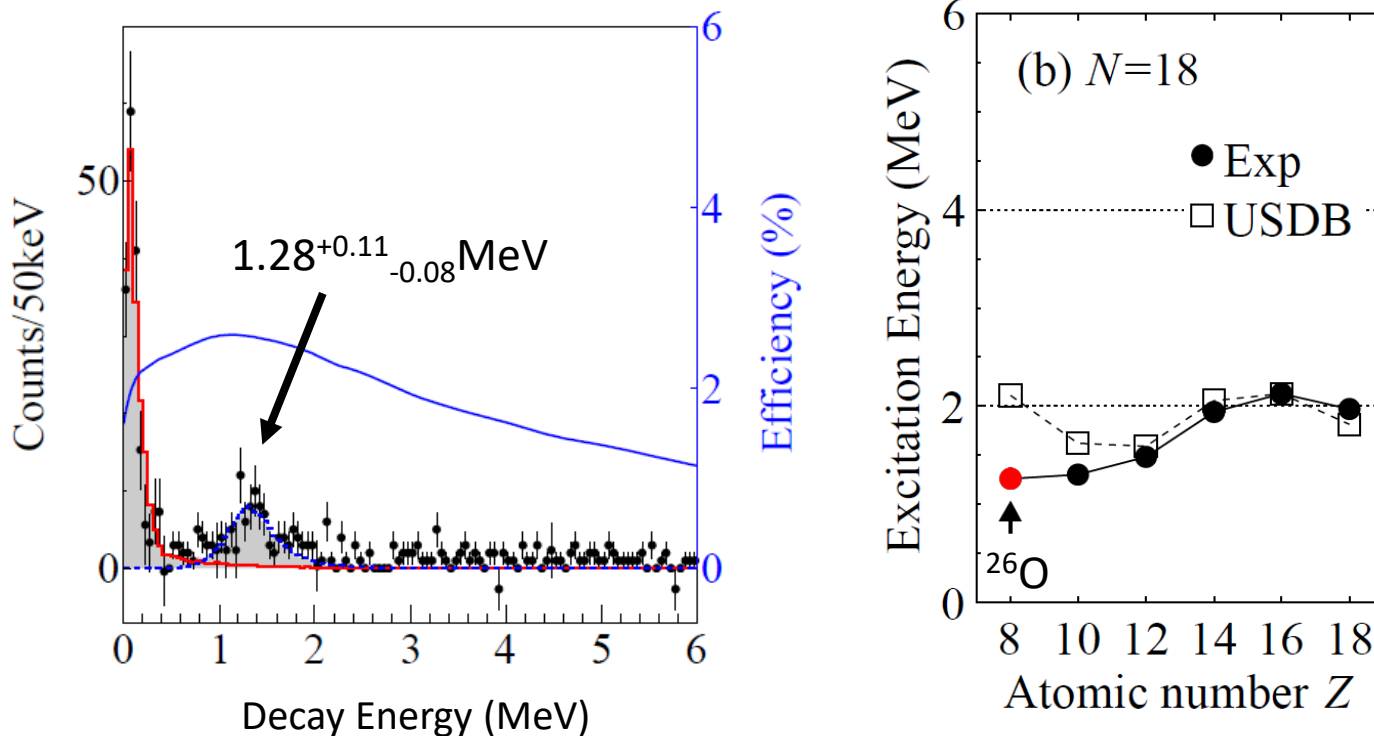
Superconducting Analyzer for **M**ulti-particle from **R**adio**I**sotope beams





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First 2^+ state of unbound ^{26}O

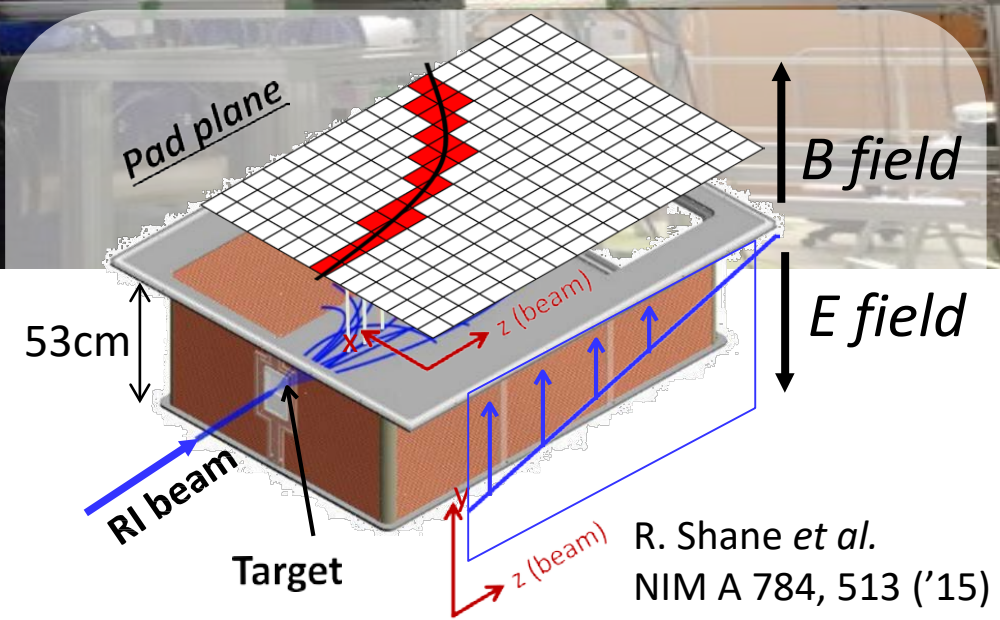
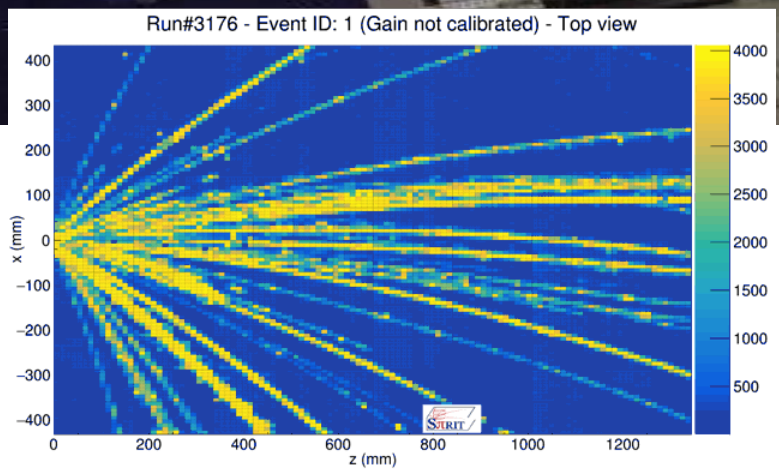
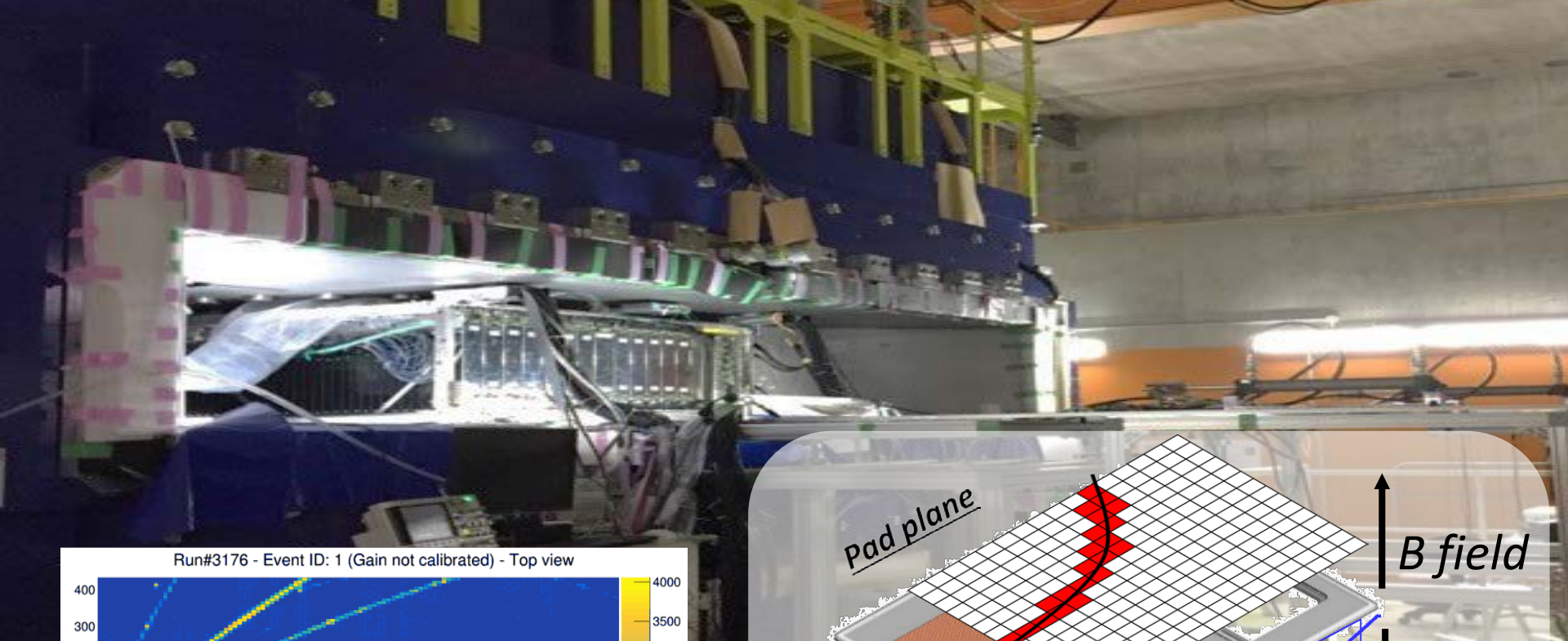


- USDB cannot reproduce the 2^+ energy of ^{26}O
- Effect of pf shell? and/or continuum? Or other effects (such as 3N forces, 2n correlation)
- Further studies are desired to pin down the various effects quantitatively. (Experiment was done for ^{27}O and ^{28}O .)



SPIRIT (SAMURAI Pion Reconstruction and Ion Tracker)

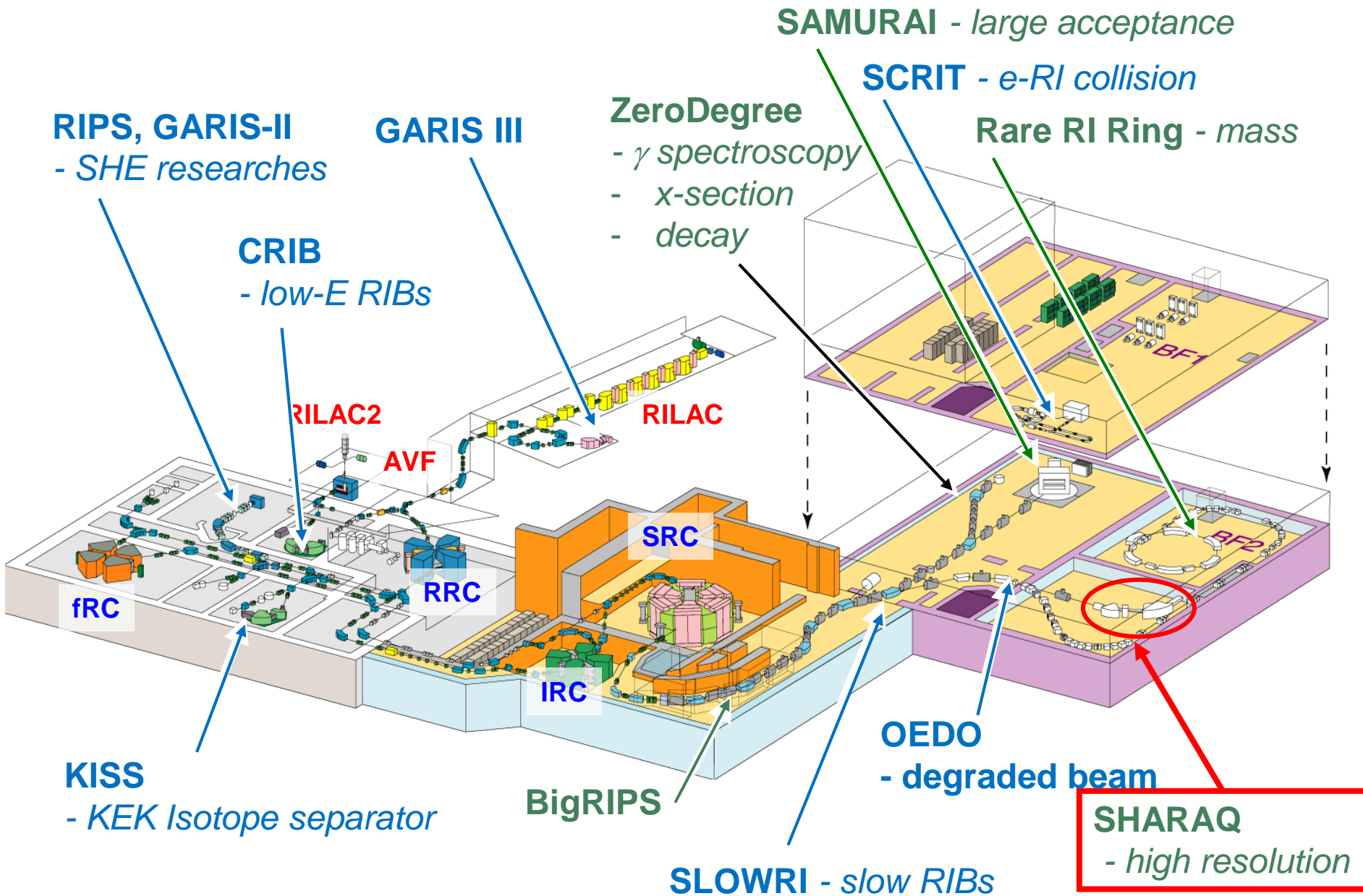
Nuclear equation of state via π^+/π^- production ratio in heavy RI collision

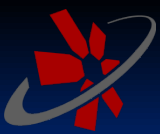


R. Shane *et al.*
NIM A 784, 513 ('15)



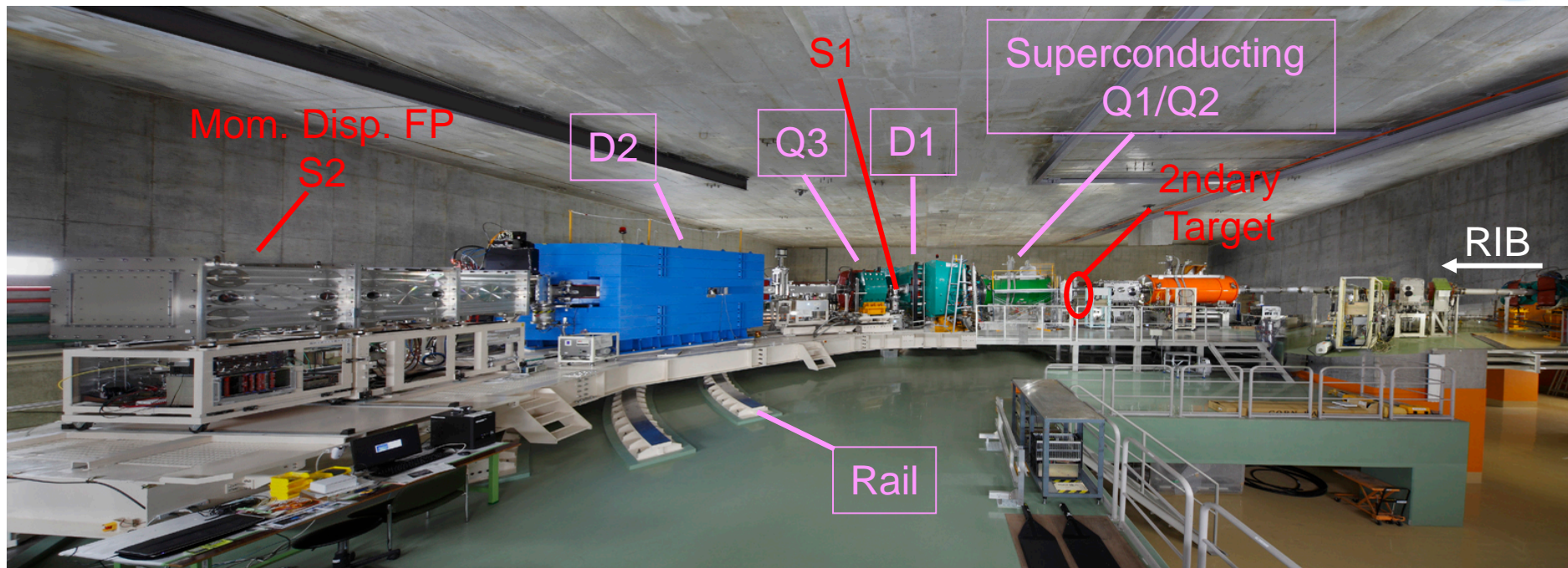
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Spectroscopy using RI beam as a reaction probe



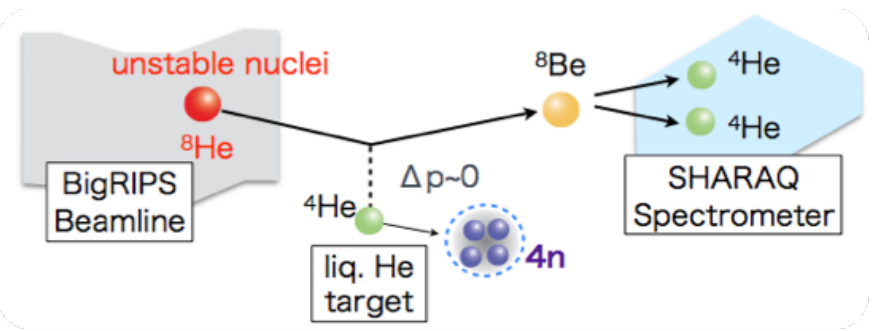
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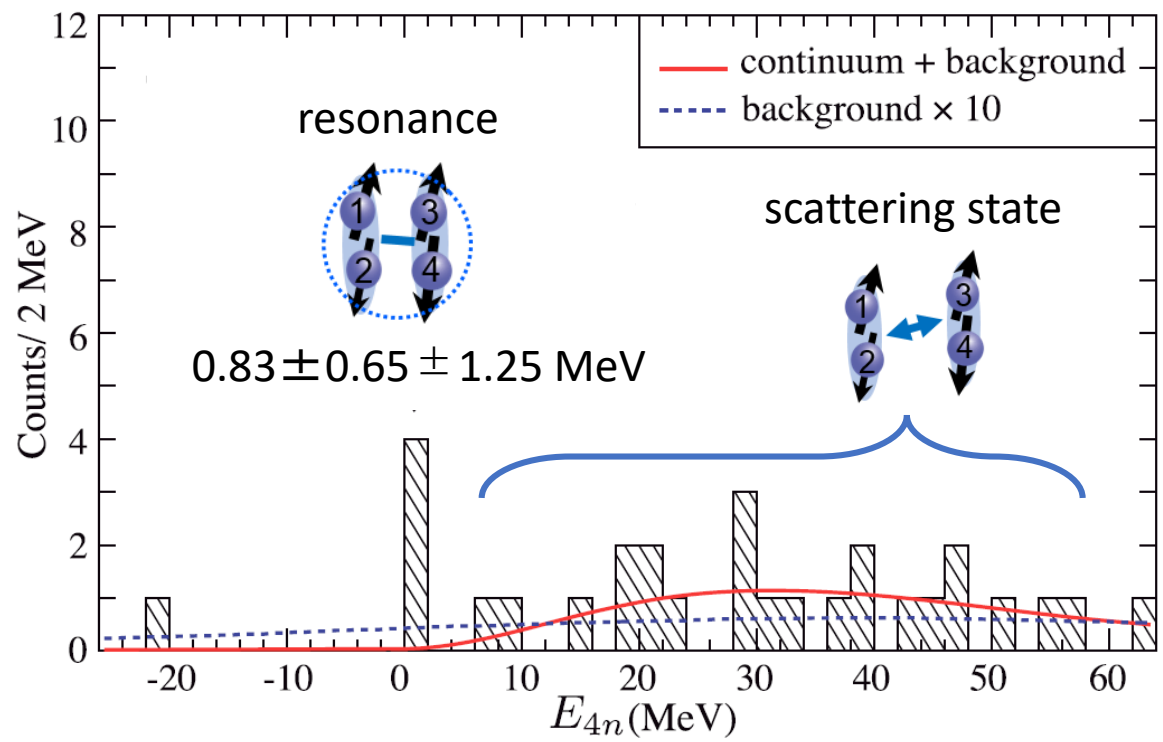


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Neutral nucleus 'tetraneutron' candidate



Kisamori *et al.*,
Phys. Rev. Lett. 116, 052501 ('16)

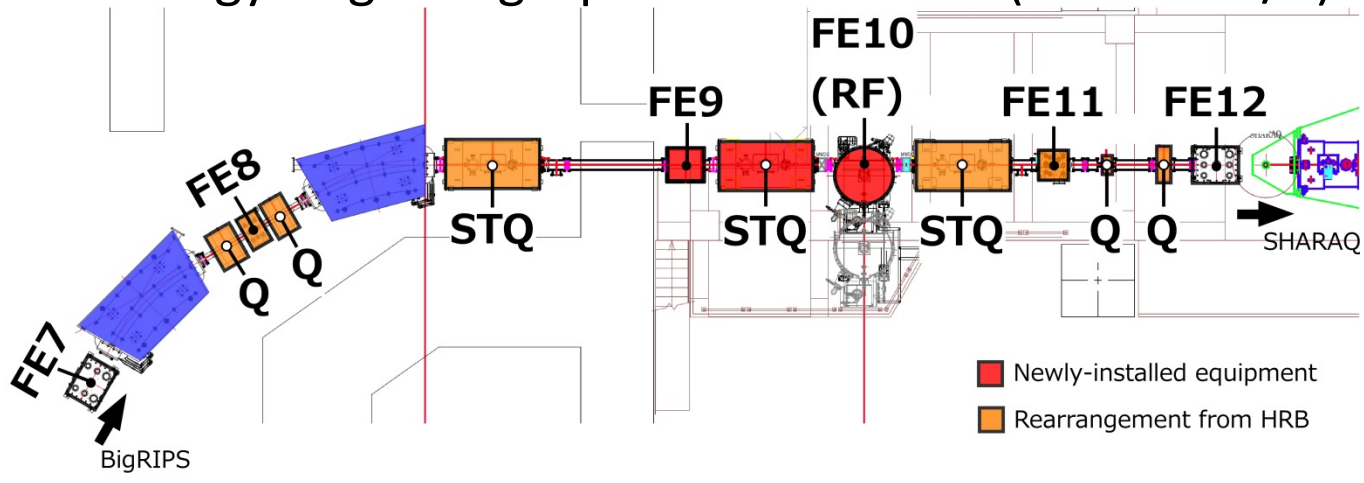




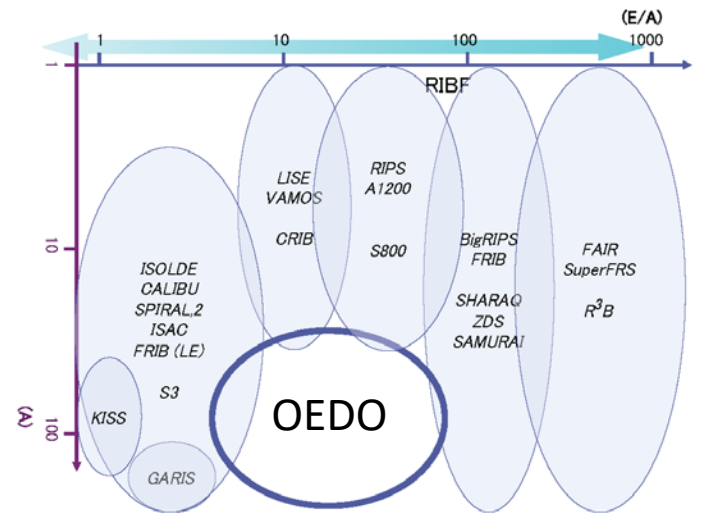
OEDO



Optimized Energy Degrading Optics for RI beam (< 50 MeV/u)

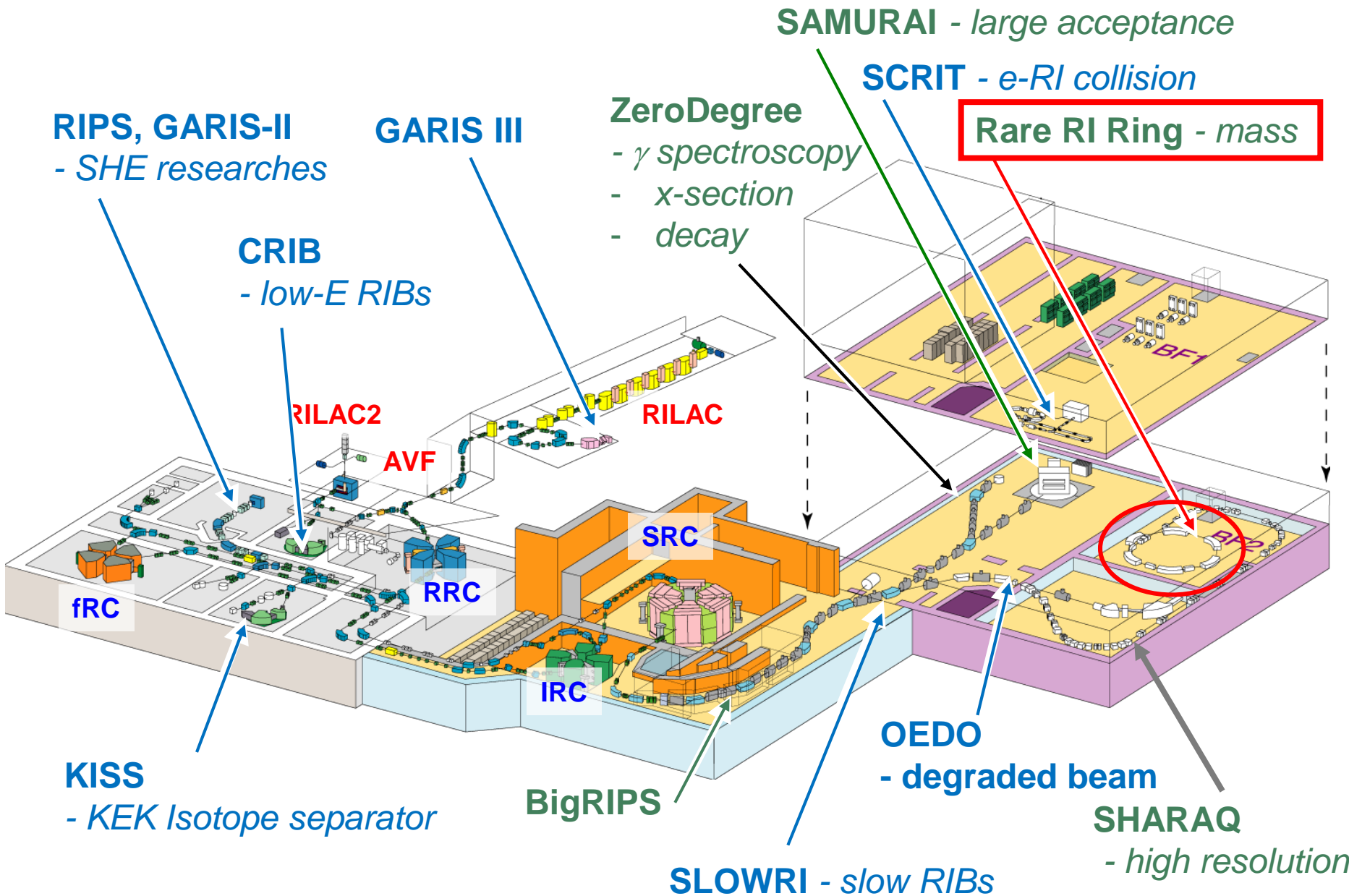


Commissioning using ^{79}Se and ^{107}Pd was successfully done in FY2017.
 ^{79}Se : 170 \rightarrow 45 MeV/u
 ^{107}Pd : 180 \rightarrow 33 MeV/u
 Beam spot size is reduced to ~ 20 mm after RF deflector is on.





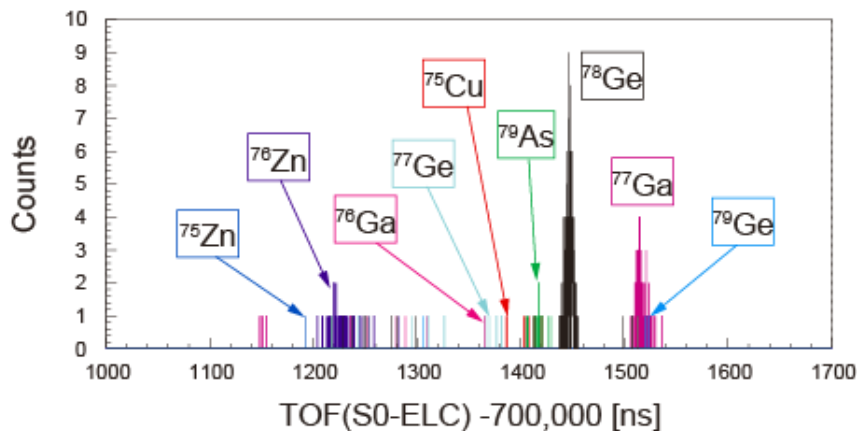
Rare RI Ring (R3)





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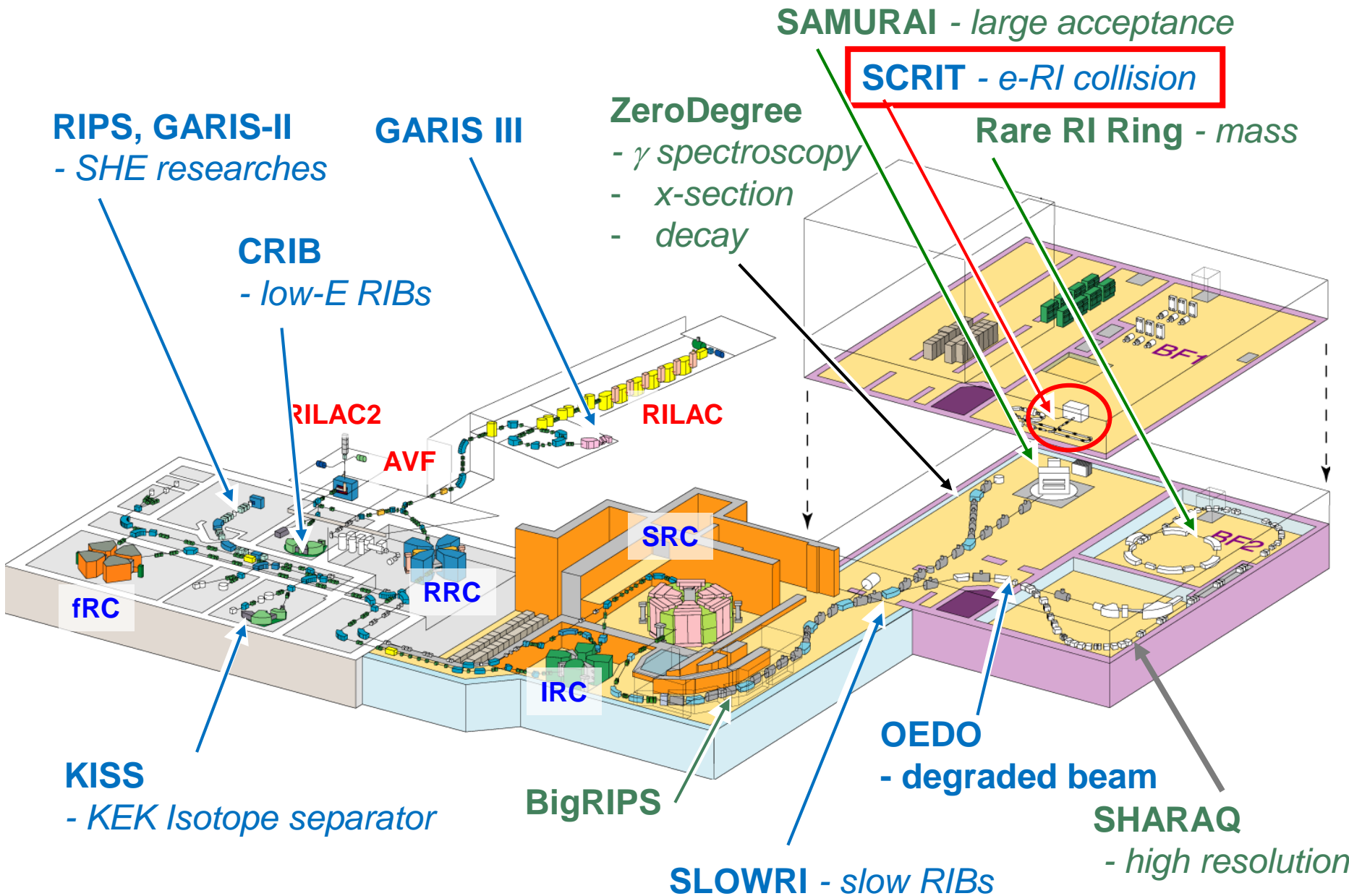
Mass measurement in an 'isochronous' storage ring



$$f_c = \frac{1}{2\pi} \frac{qB}{m}$$



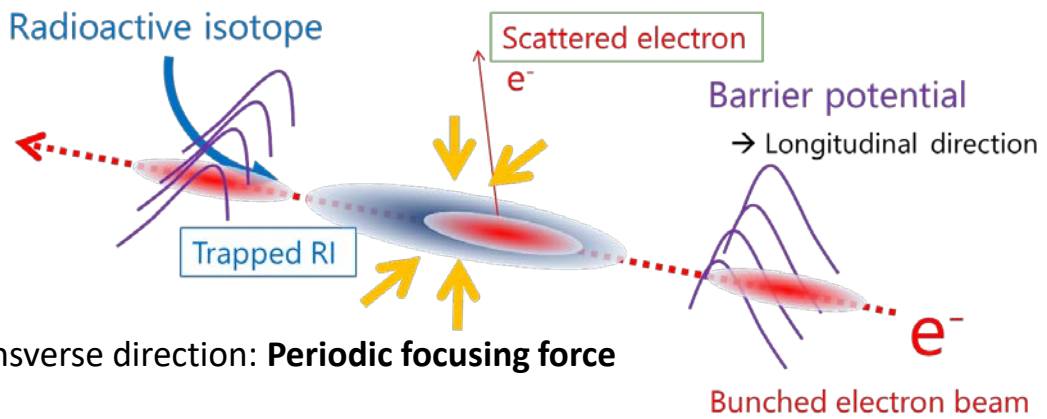
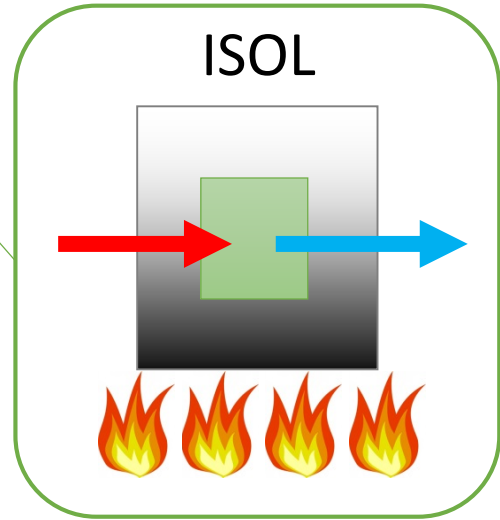
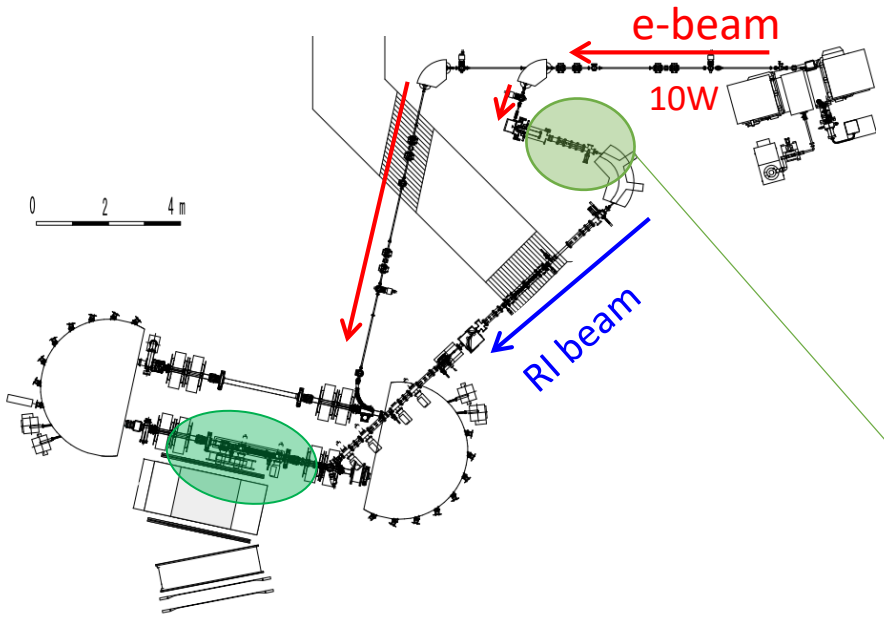
SCRIT (Self Confining RI Ion Target)





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Electron scattering off RI beam

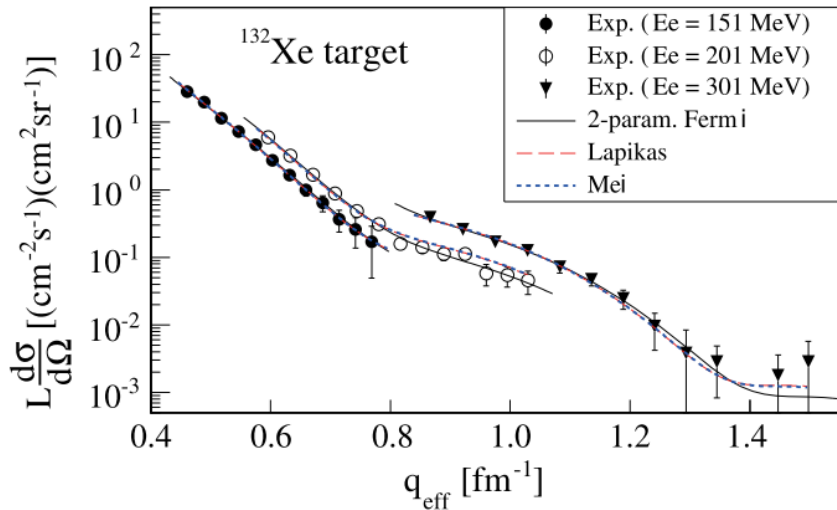


M. Wakasugi *et al.*, Nucl. Inst. Meth. A 532, 216 ('04)
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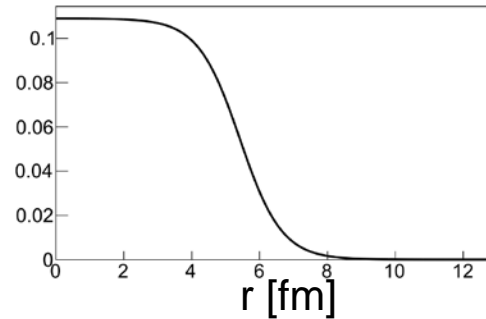
Transverse direction: **Periodic focusing force**

SCRIT (Self Confining RI Ion Target)

First electron scattering of ^{132}Xe



$$\rho_C = \rho / (1 + e^{4.4(r-C)/t})$$
$$C = 5.42^{+0.11}_{-0.08}$$
$$t = 2.71^{+0.29}_{-0.38}$$
$$\langle r \rangle^{1/2} = 4.79^{+0.12}_{-0.10}$$



Achieved luminosity: $1.8 \times 10^{27} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$ at 250 mA
with 2×10^8 ions / (1 pulse injection)

K. Tsukada et al., Phys.Rev.Lett. **118** (2017) 262502.

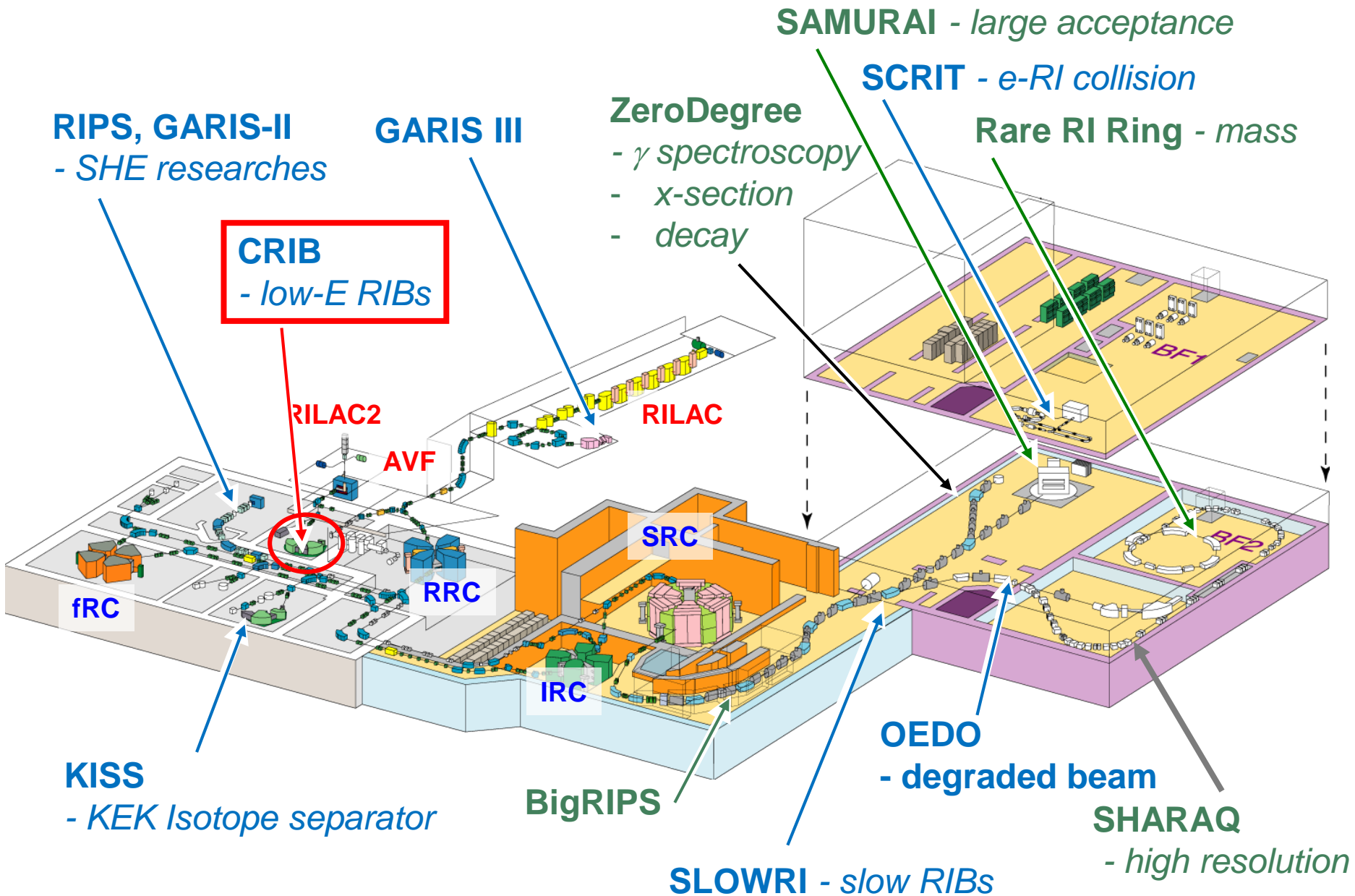
Ready for unstable nuclei !

e-beam power upgrade : $\sim 50\text{W}$ (Now going)

1kW (Future plan)



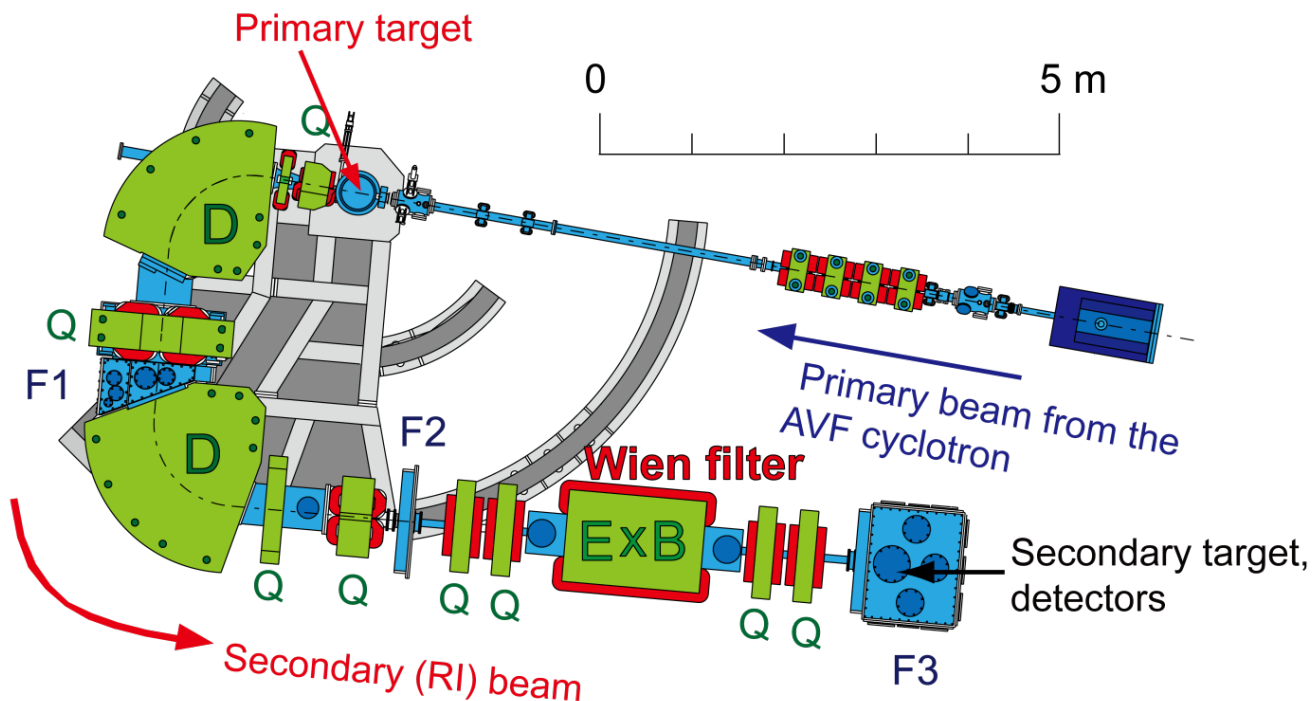
CRIB



CRIB (CNS Radio-Isotope Beam Separator)

Low-energy RI beams (<10 MeV/u) for astrophysical reactions

- **Low-energy(<10MeV/u) RI beam** production with in-flight method.
- Two stages of electromagnetic beam purification.
- Typical intensity 10^4 - 10^6 pps (10^8 pps for 7Be).
- Suitable for **nuclear astrophysics** and **nuclear structure** study.

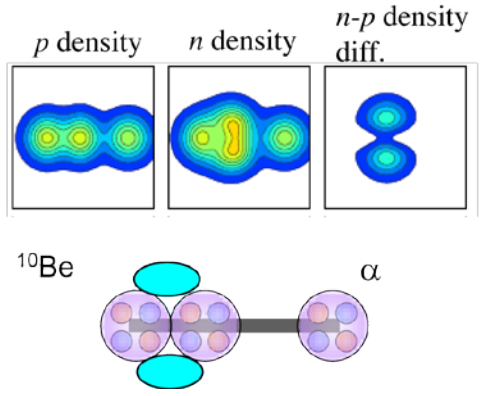




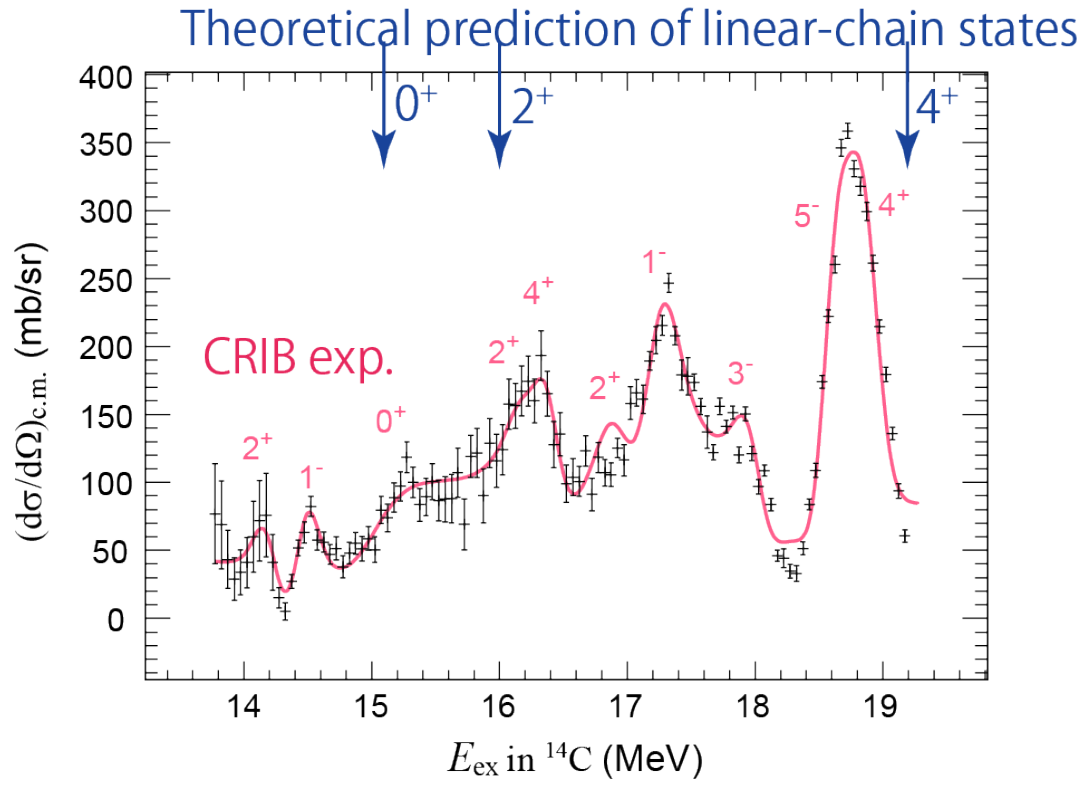
CRIB (CNS Radio-Isotope Beam Separator)

Strong indication of linear-chain structured nucleus found in ^{14}C
- H. Yamaguchi et al., *Phys. Lett. B* (2017)

Suhara & En'yo, *PRC* 2010 and 2011:

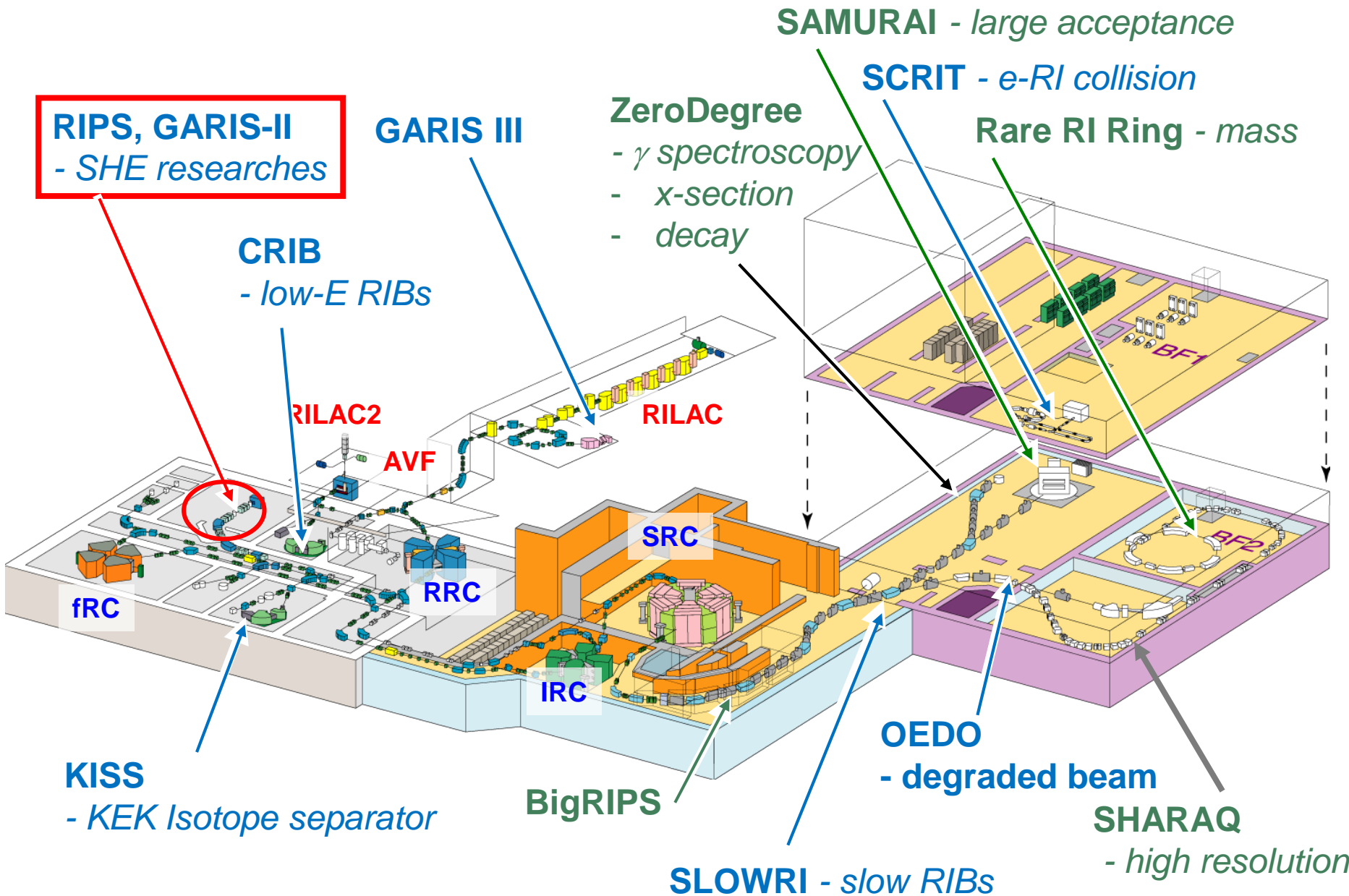


Excellent agreement between experiment and theoretical prediction of the linear-chain (0^+ , 2^+ , 4^+) states.





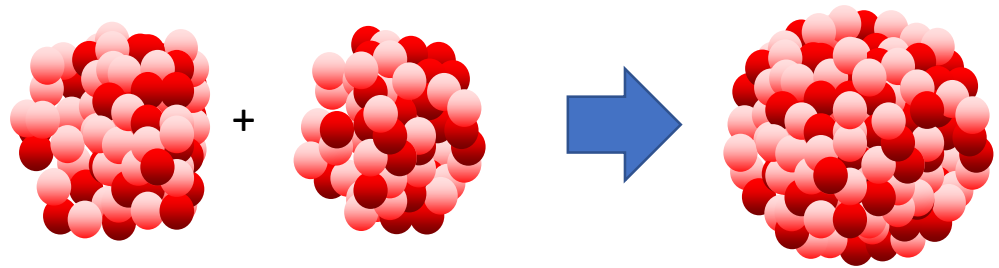
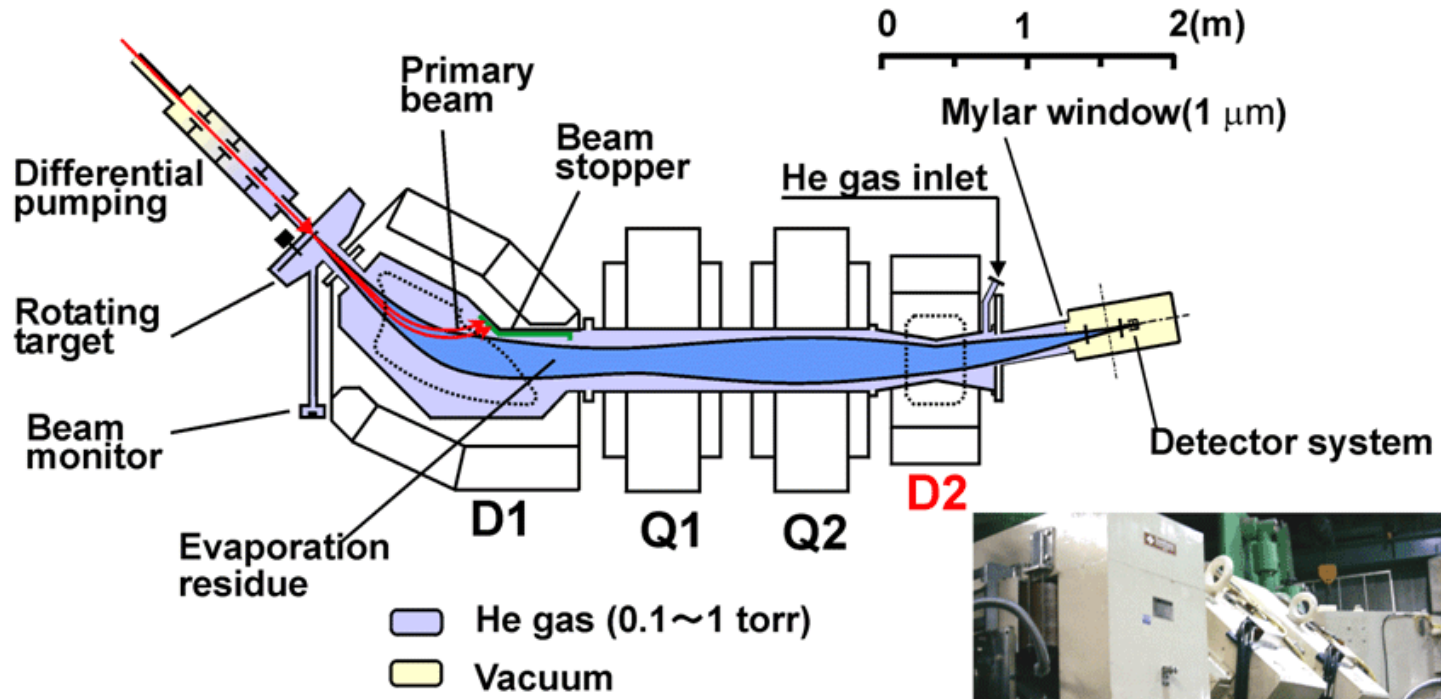
GARIS (Gas-filled Recoil Ion Separator)





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Search for super heavy elements: coalescence of two nuclei





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The name of nihonium (Nh) is approved for element 113



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IUPAC Announces the Names of the Elements 113, 115, 117, and 118

Elements 113, 115, 117, and 118 are now formally named nihonium (Nh), moscovium (Mc), tennessine (Ts), and oganesson (Og)

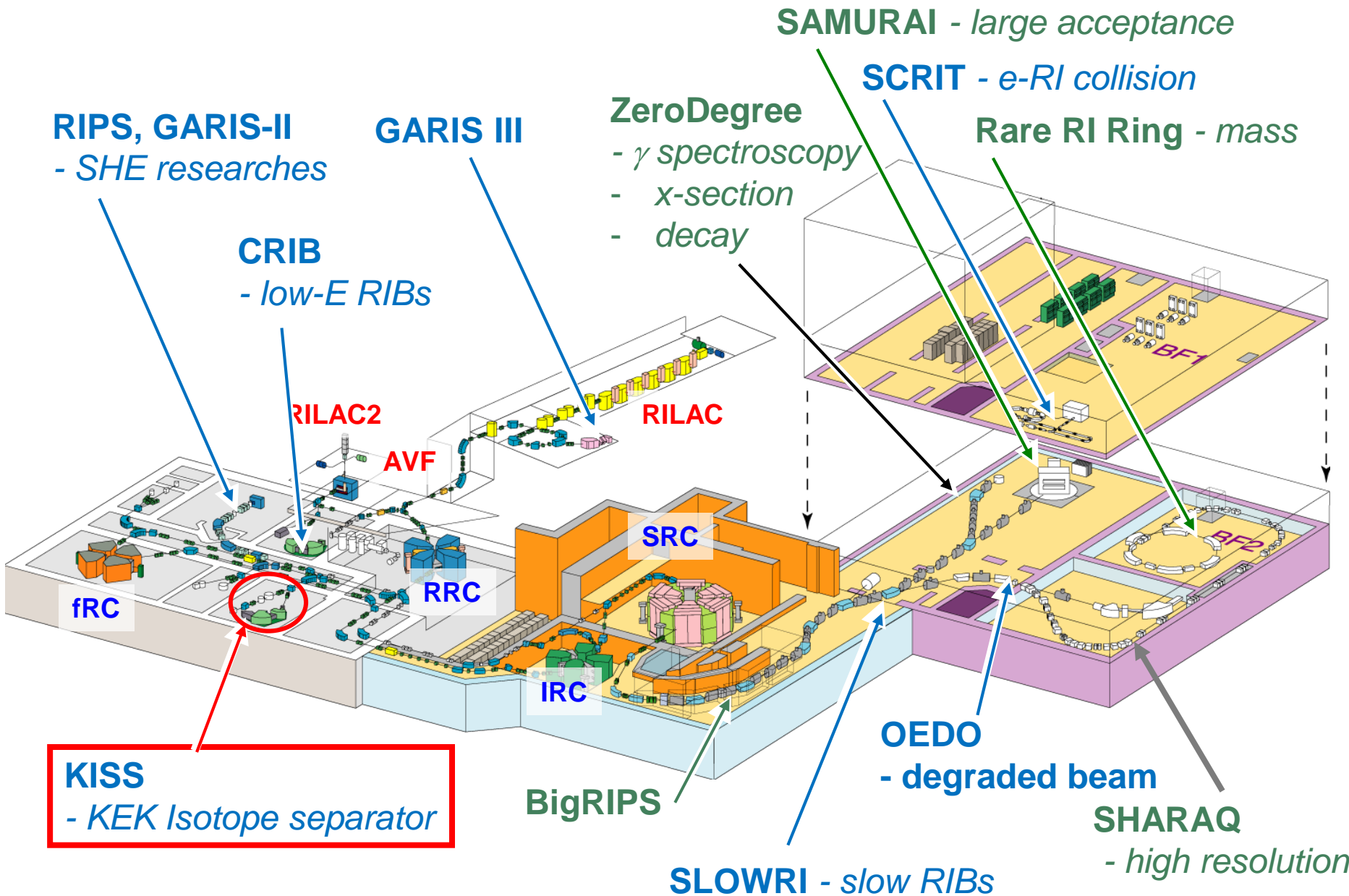
Research Triangle Park, NC (USA): On 28 November 2016, the International Union of Pure and Applied Chemistry (IUPAC) approved the names and symbols for four elements: nihonium (Nh), moscovium (Mc), tennessine (Ts), and oganesson (Og), respectively for element 113, 115, 117, and 118.



Atomic number	Element name	Atomic symbol
113	nihonium	Nh
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KISS (KEK Isotope Separator)

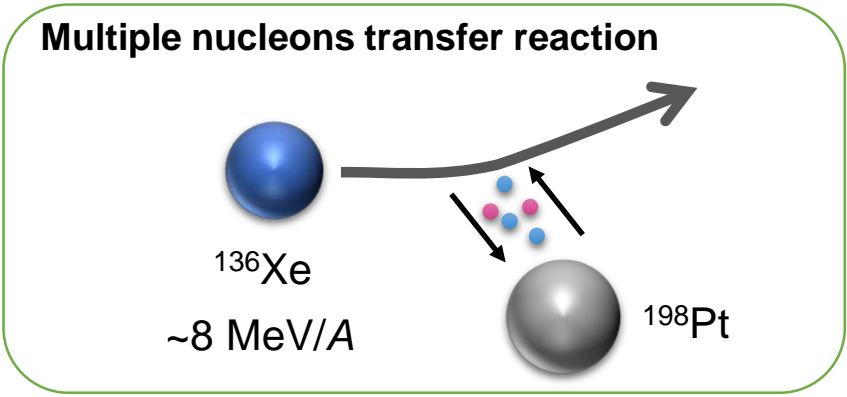




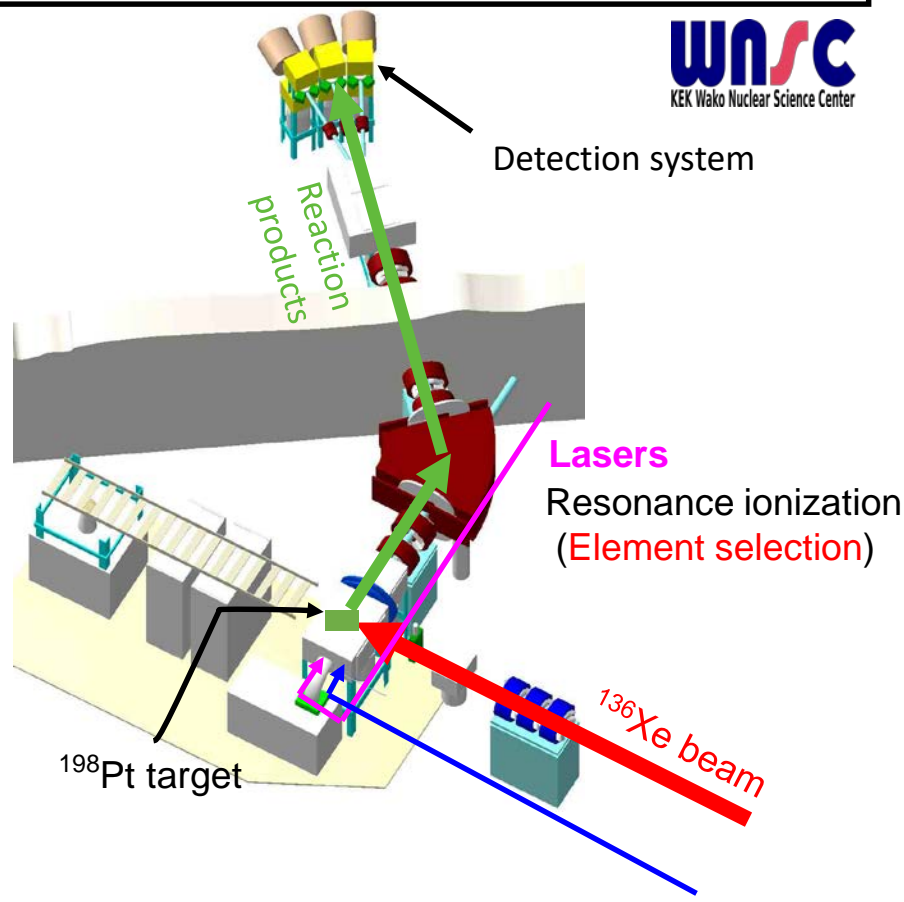
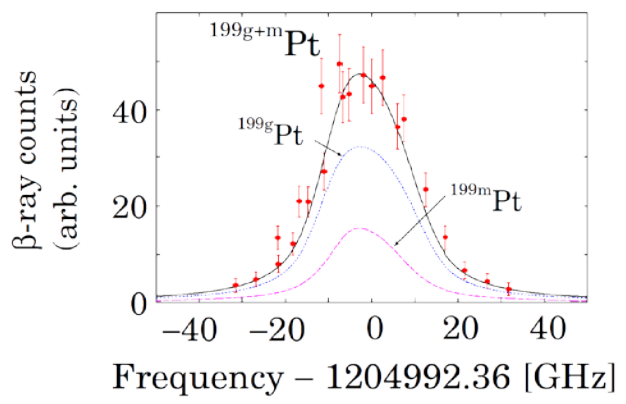
KISS (KEK Isotope Separator)

KISS has been constructed at RIKEN to measure lifetimes and masses of radioactive nuclei relevant to the r-process nucleosynthesis.

Nuclear properties of neutron-rich nuclei around the closed shell $N = 126$
→ Astrophysical environments of r-process



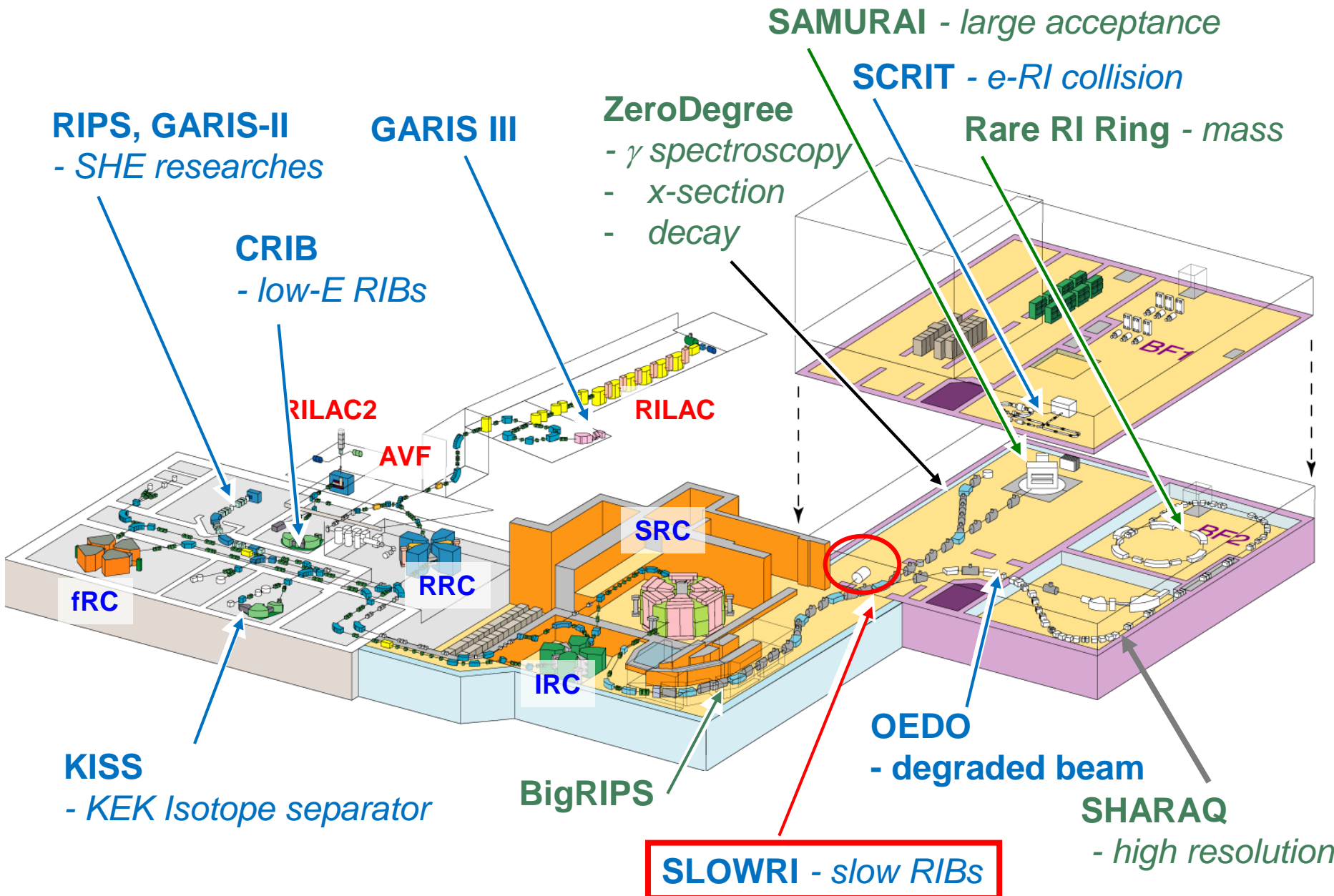
Laser resonance spectrum



Y. Hirayama et al.,
Nucl. Instrum. and Meth. B 353, 4 – 15 (2015).



SLOWRI





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Universal ultra-slow beam production

BigRIPS Relativistic RI Beam

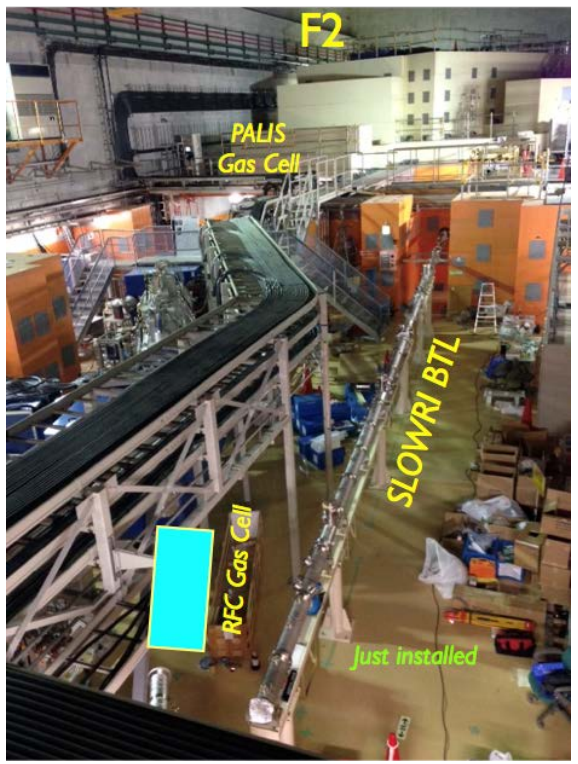
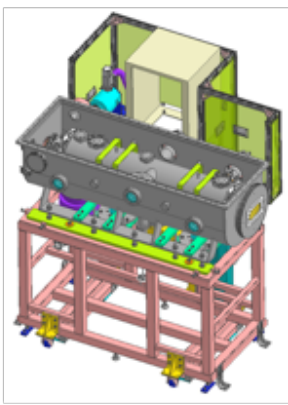
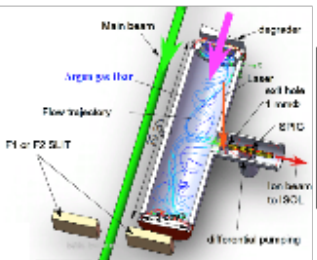
PALIS Gas Cell **RF Carpet Gas Cell**

Parasitic RI

Universal RI

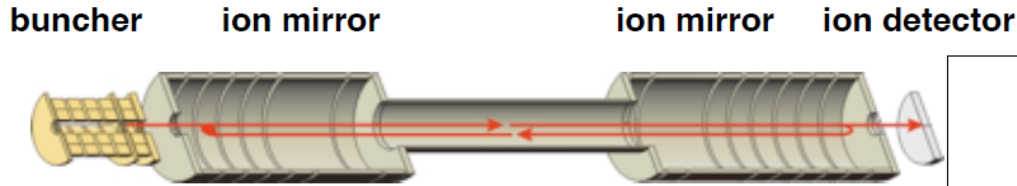
Low-energy or Trapped RI Beam

Mass Spectrograph
Laser Spectroscopy
Trap Apparatuses
 $\alpha\beta\gamma n$ spectrometers



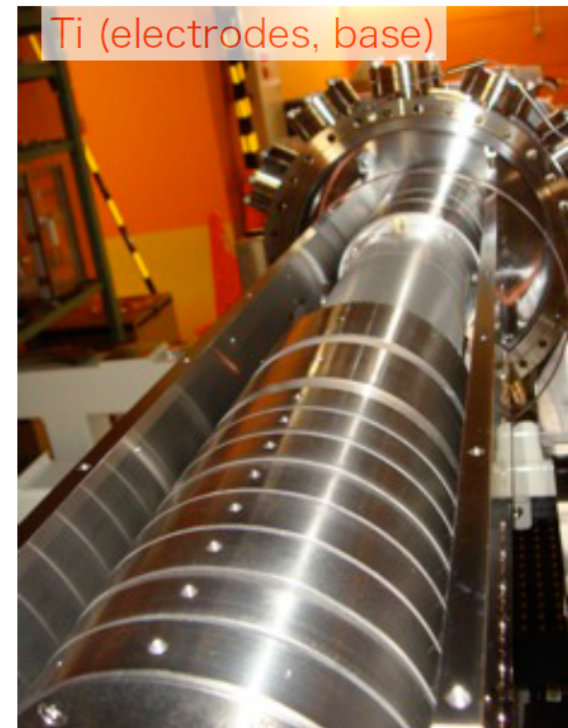
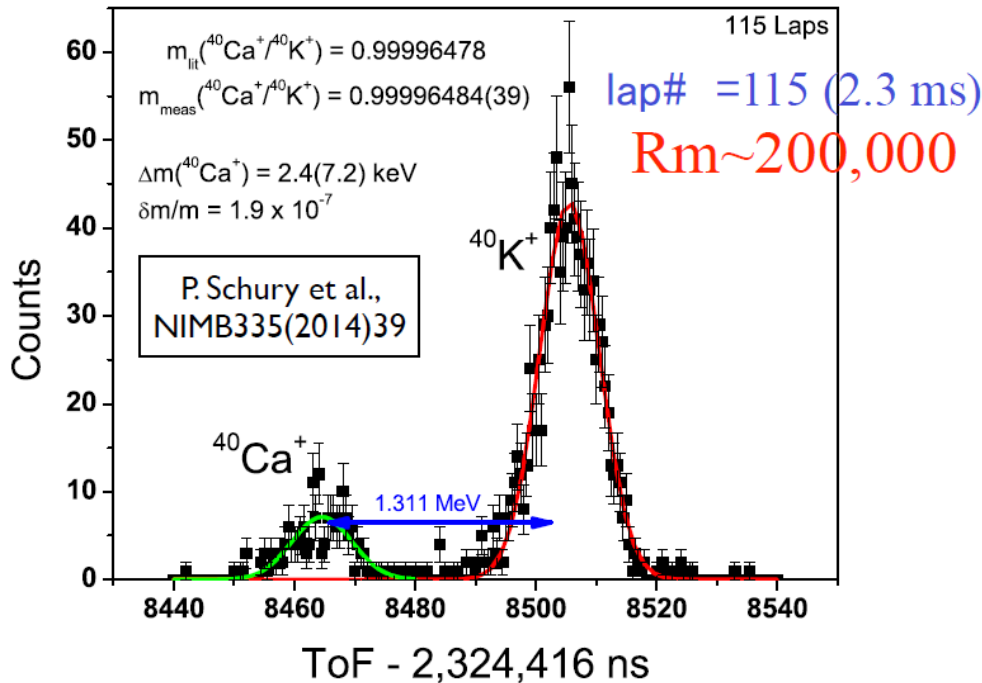
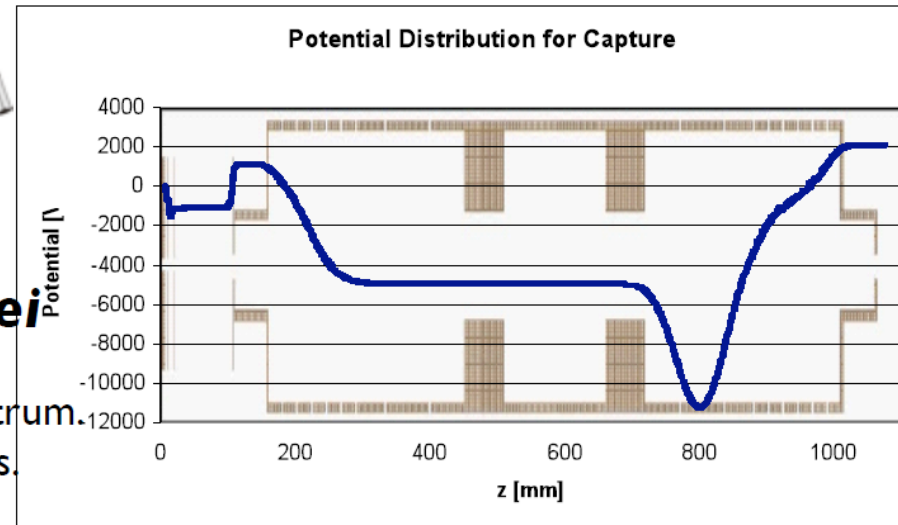
1. Wide Range of Nuclides
2. High Purity
No Isobar No Isotone Contamination
3. Small Emittance
 $\sim \pi \text{mm} \cdot \text{rad}$
4. Variable Beam Energy
1-50 keV Slow Beam, <1eV Trapped RI, 1MeV/u (future)
5. Human Accessibility during On-line Exp.

MRTOF Mass Spectrograph



Simple device but advantage to Penning Trap for short-lived nuclei

- All isobars are measured (simultaneously) in one spectrum.
- No scan is needed, all particles contribute to statistics.
- $\Delta M \sim 10 \text{ keV}/c^2$ is feasible in 2 ms cycle.



RIBF provides opportunities

- Mass?
- Half-life?
- Excited states?
- Deformation?
- Charge radii?
- Matter radii?
- Charge distribution?
- Matter distribution?
- EM moments?
- Single particle states?
- Astrophysical reactions?
- Giant resonances?
- Exotic modes?
- Equation of state?



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