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Experiments on *S*trangeness nuclear physics

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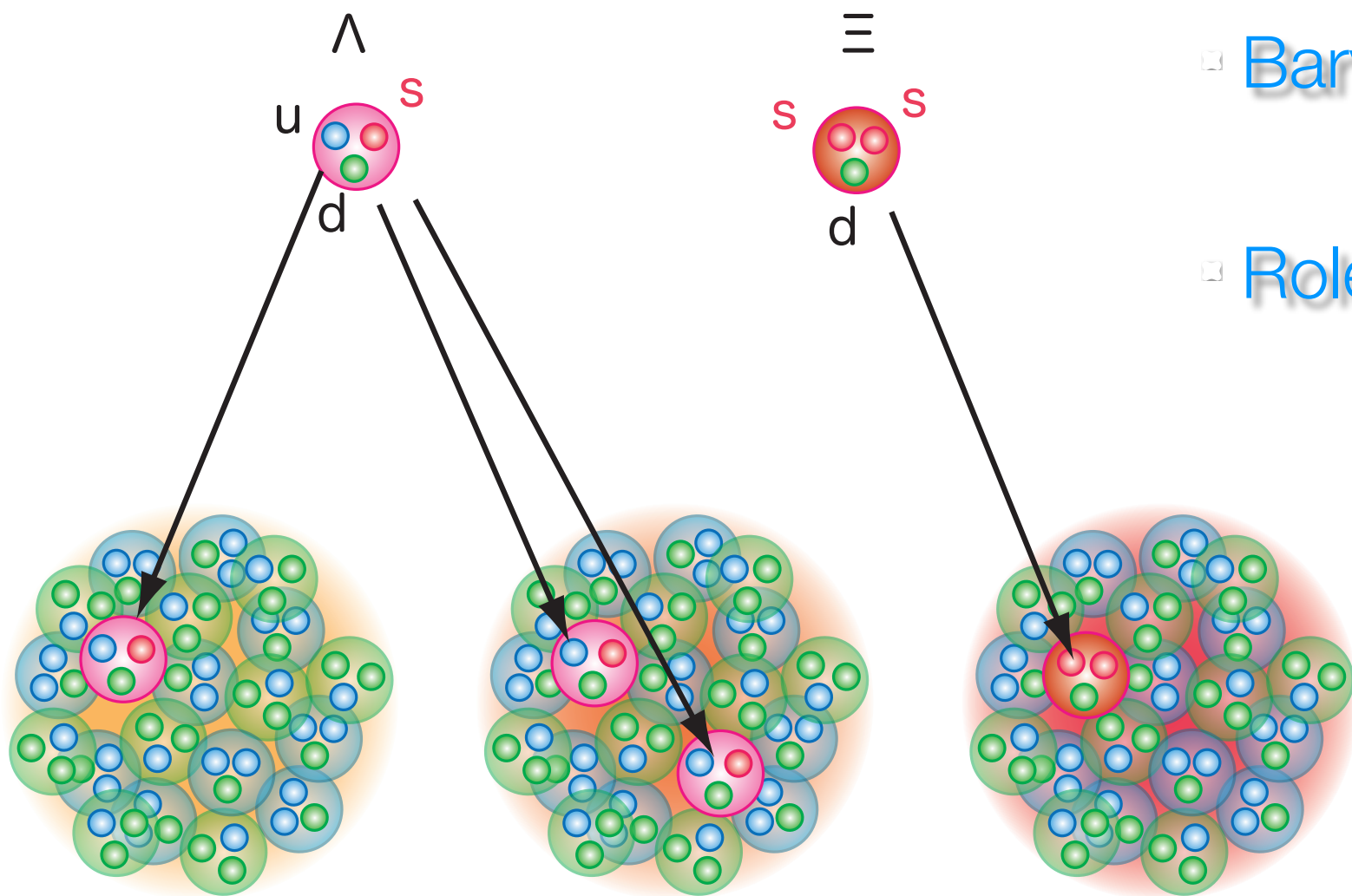


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- ✧ Summary

“Hypernuclei”

- Hadron Many-Body systems with Strangeness
- Hyperons(Λ , Σ , Ξ) in Nuclei

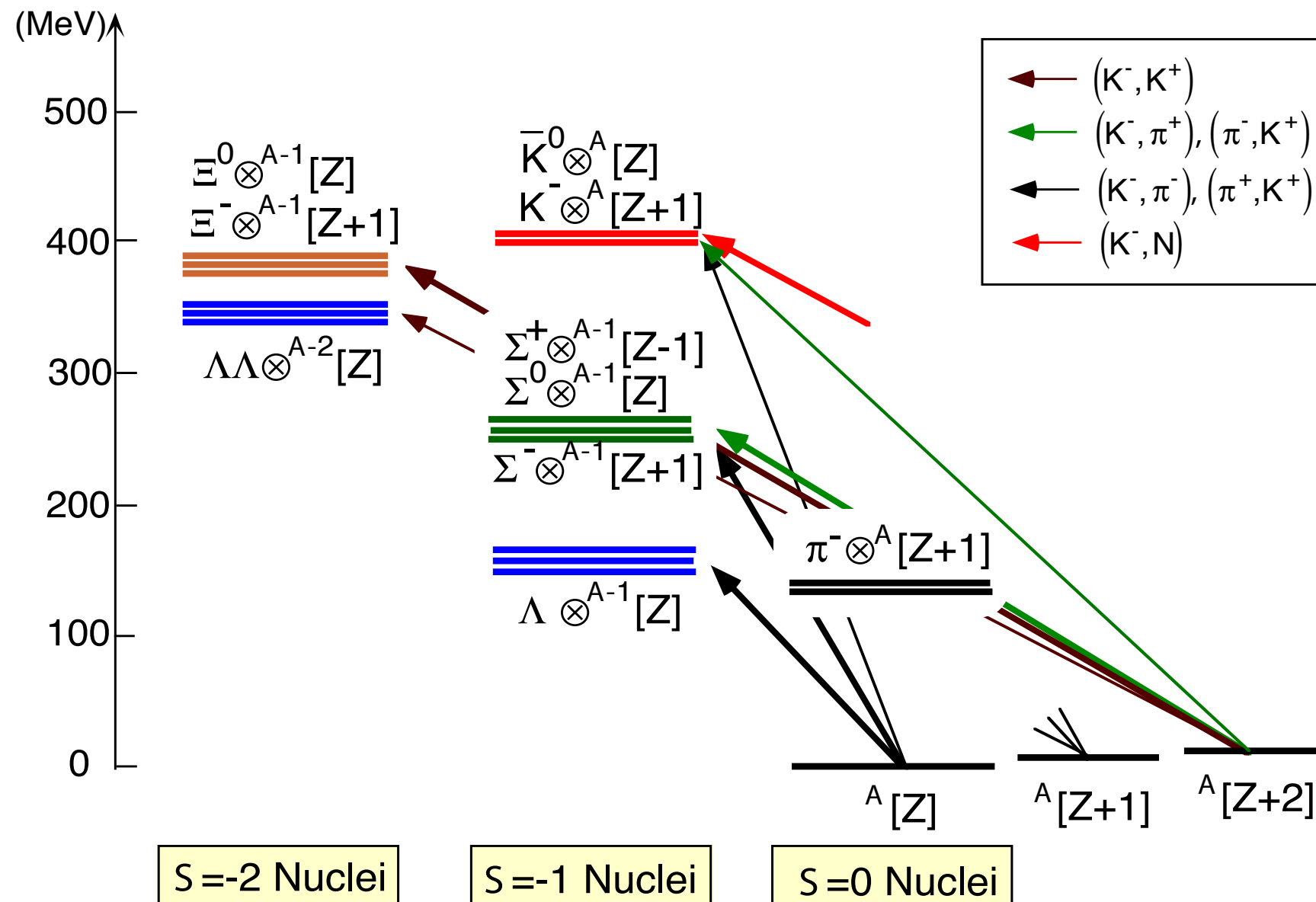


- Baryon-Baryon Interactions in $SU_F(3)$
- Role of Strangeness in Dense Matter

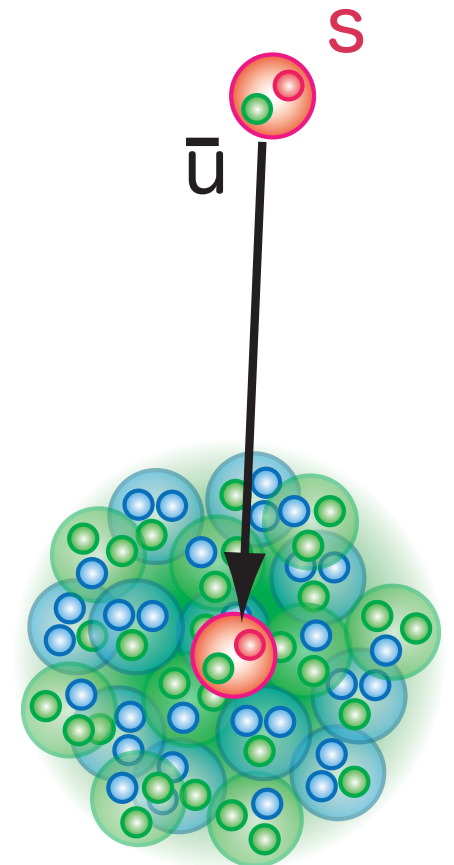
Λ , Σ hypernuclei Double- Λ hypernuclei Ξ hypernuclei

▪ Strange Mesons (\bar{K} , K) in nuclei

Excitation Energy
(MeV)

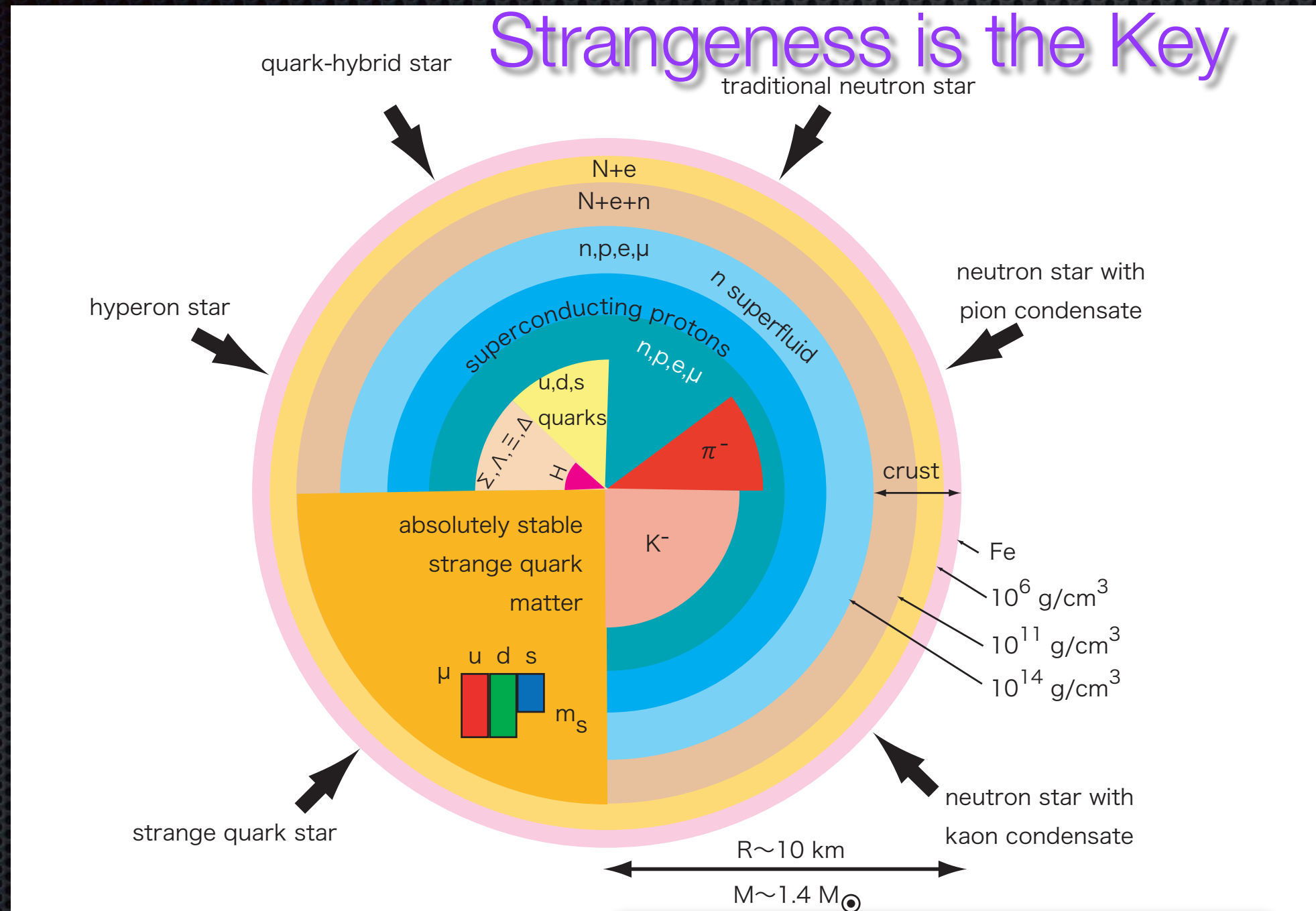


K^- Meson



Kaonic Nuclei

What's in the Neutron Star Core ?



By F. Weber

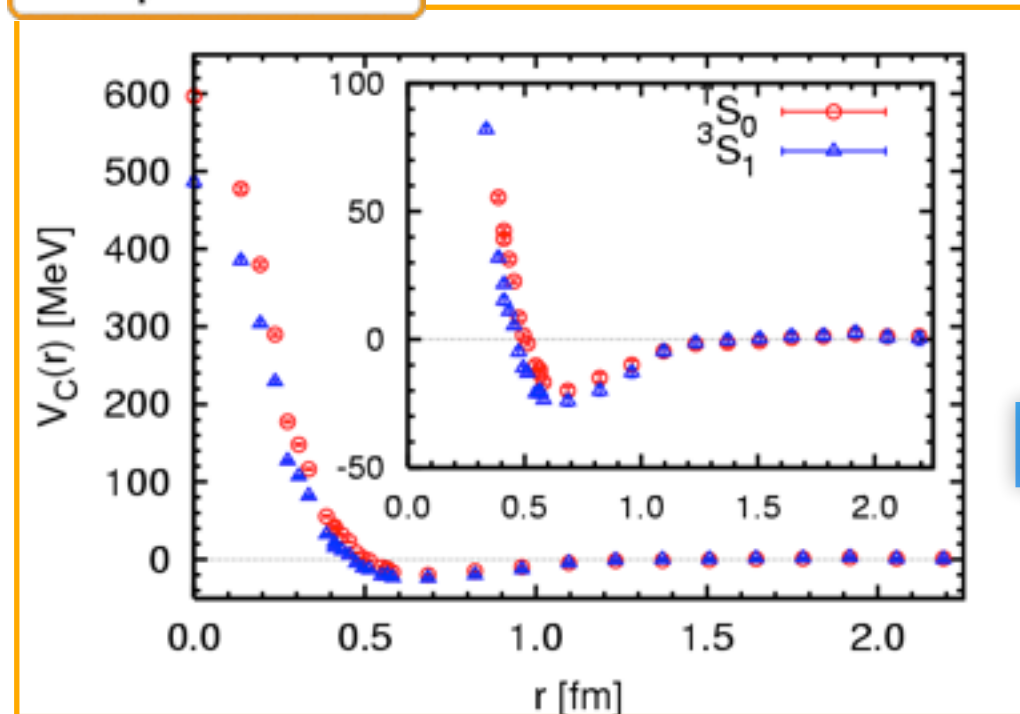
✦ Chemical Potential:

$$\mu_B = m_B + \frac{k_F^2}{2m_B} + U(k_F)$$

Modern Picture of Baryon-Baryon Interactions

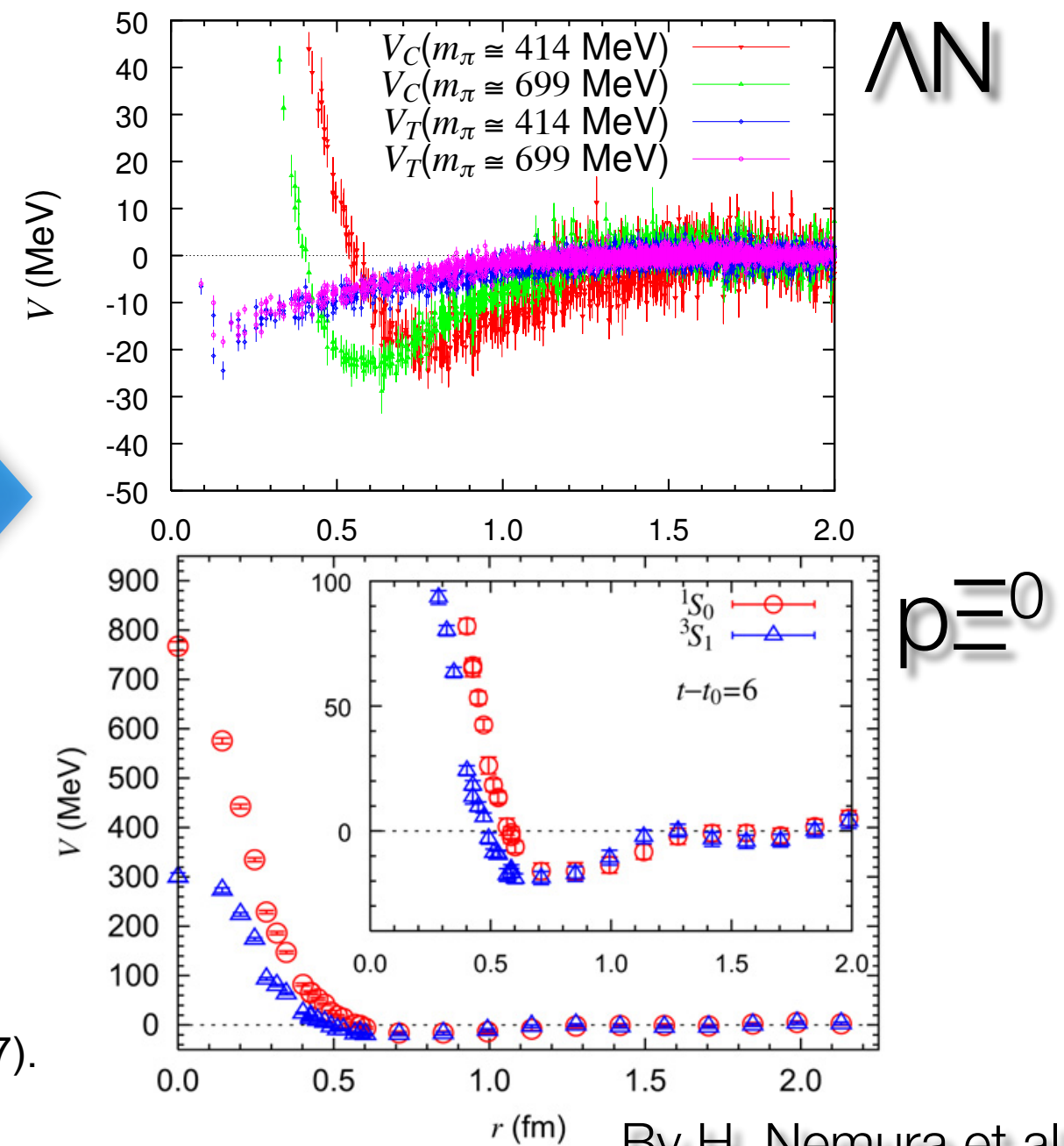
- ✦ Nuclear Force from Lattice QCD

NN potential



Long-range attraction
+
Repulsive Hard-core

N.Ishii, S.Aoki, T.Hatsuda, Phys.Rev.Lett.99,022001 (2007).



By H. Nemura et al.

World Facilities in the 21st Century

For Strangeness Nuclear Physics



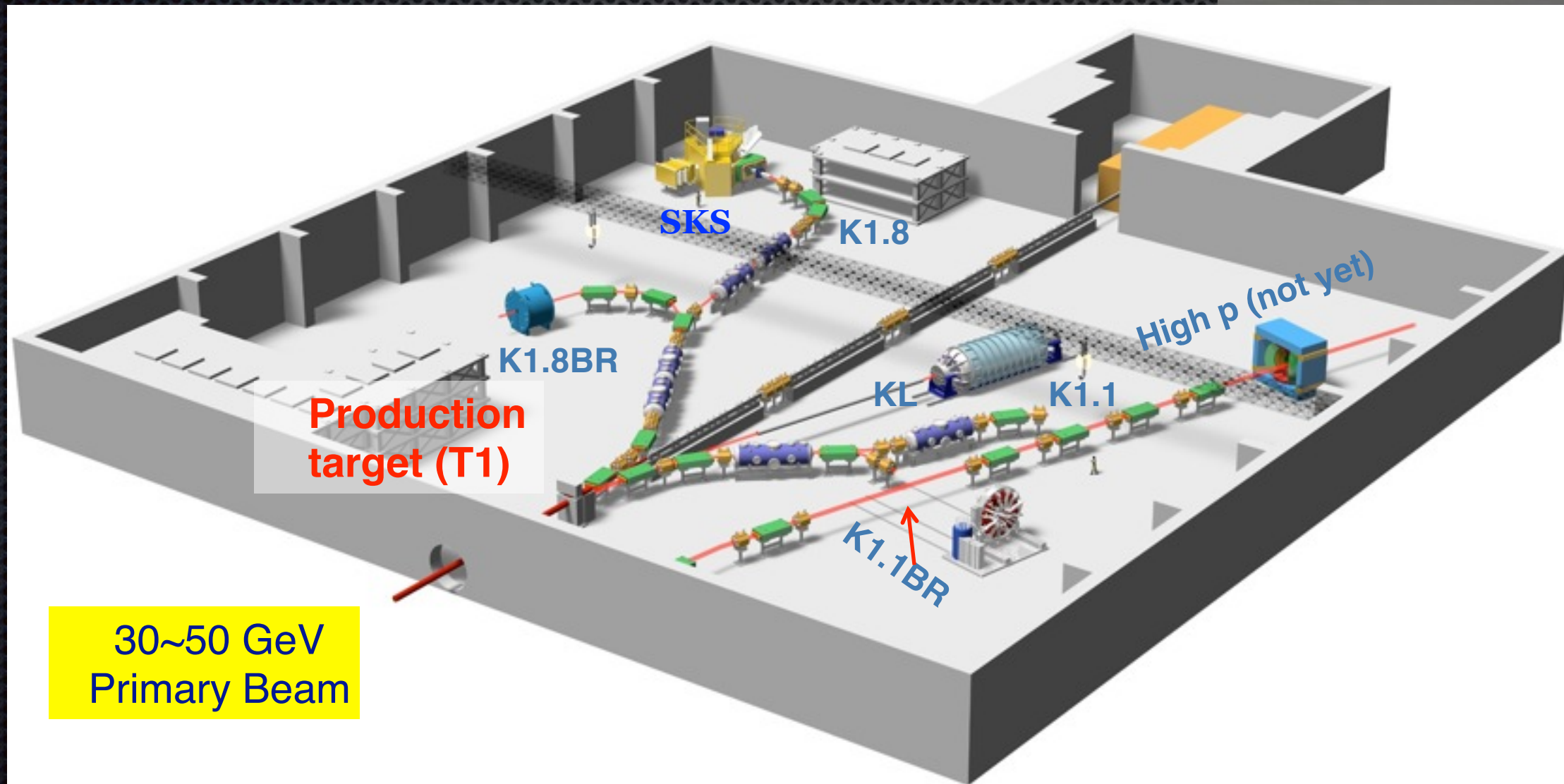
Hadron Experimental Hall

World highest intensity Kaon beams !

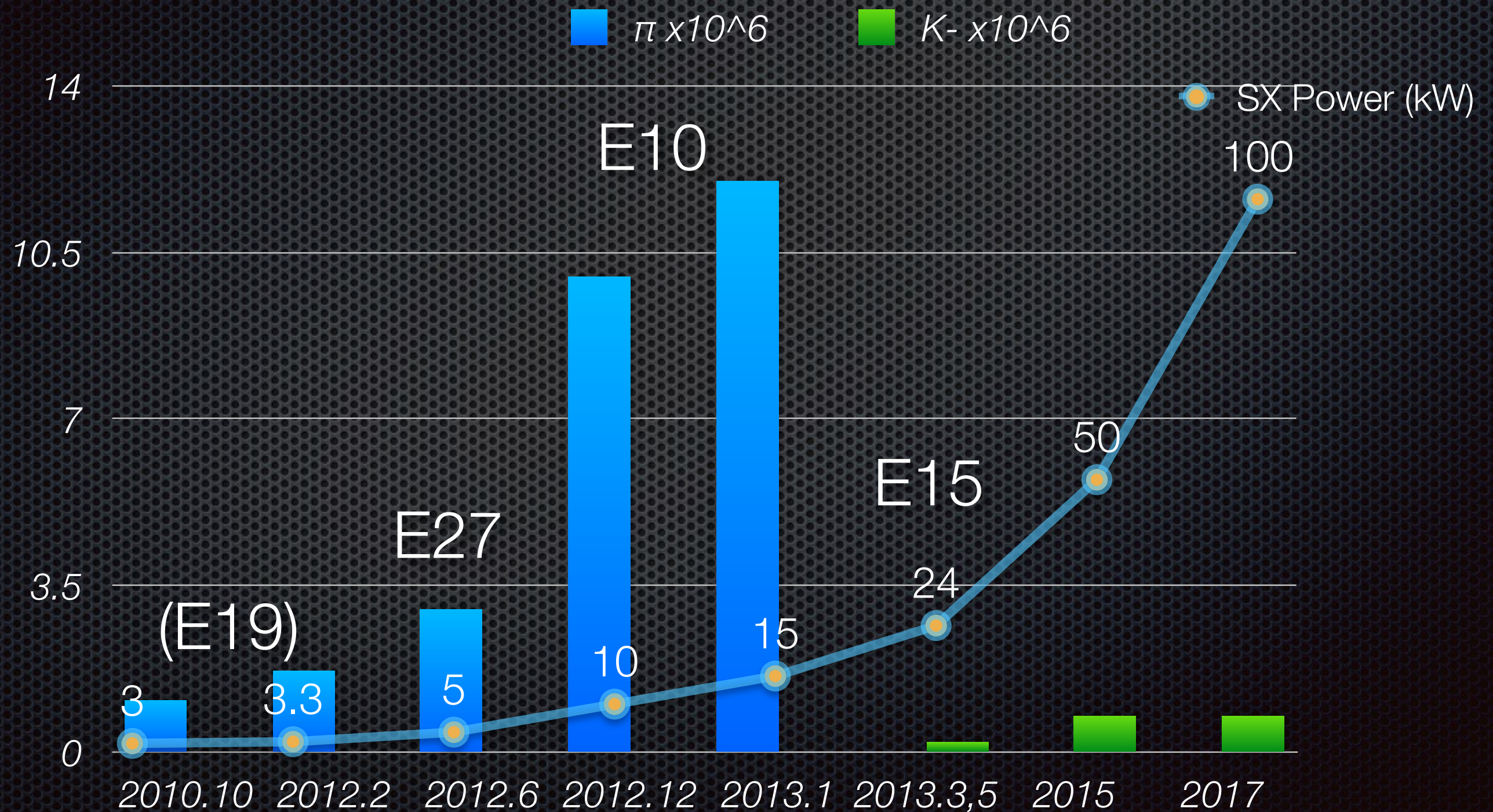
First beam in Feb. 2009



60m x 56m



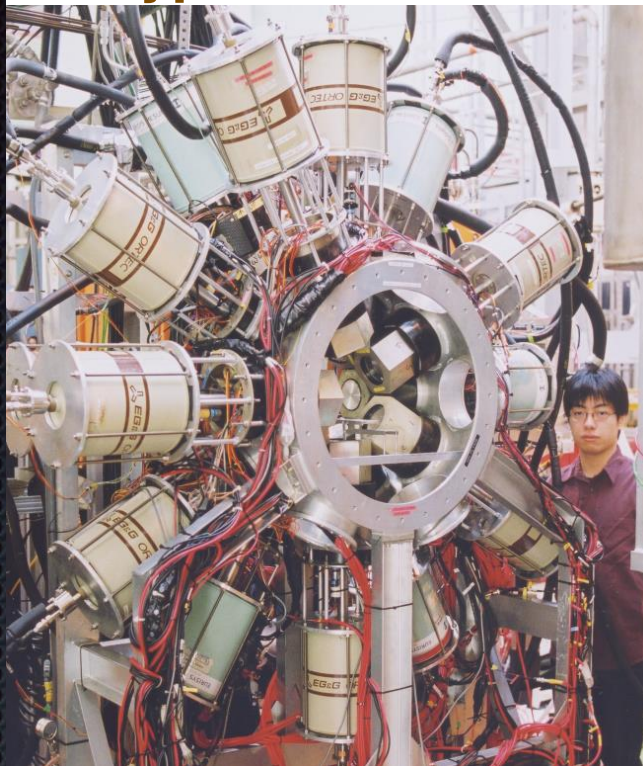
J-PARC Beam time: $\pi^\pm \rightarrow K^-$



$S=-1$ Baryon Systems

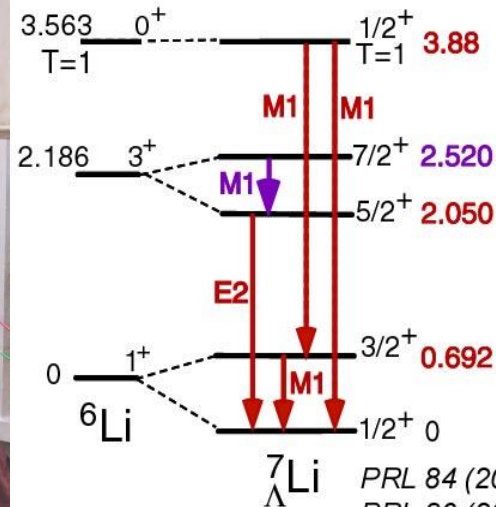
Hypernuclear Gamma-rays

Hyperball 1998~



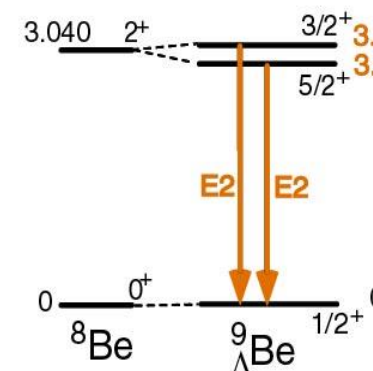
Hypernuclear γ -ray data (2012)

${}^7\text{Li} (\pi^+, K^+ \gamma)$ KEK E419



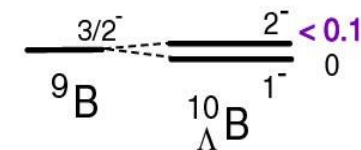
PRL 84 (2000) 5963
PRL 86 (2001) 1982
PLB 579 (2004) 258
PRC 73 (2006) 012501

${}^9\text{Be} (K^-, \pi^- \gamma)$ BNL E930('98)



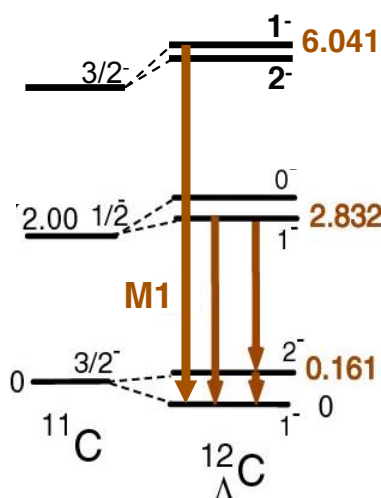
PRL 88 (2002) 082501
NPA 754 (2005) 58c

${}^{10}\text{B} (K^-, \pi^- \gamma)$ BNL E930('01)



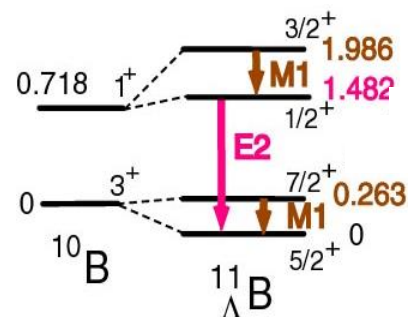
NPA 754 (2005) 58c

${}^{12}\text{C} (\pi^+, K^+ \gamma)$ KEK E566



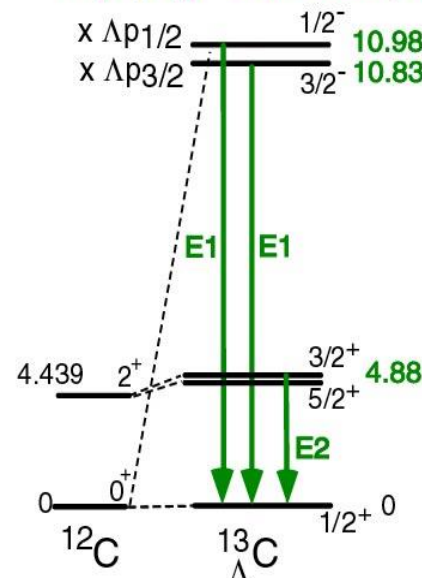
EPJ A33 (2007) 243
NPA835 (2010) 422

${}^{11}\text{B} (\pi^+, K^+ \gamma)$ KEK E518



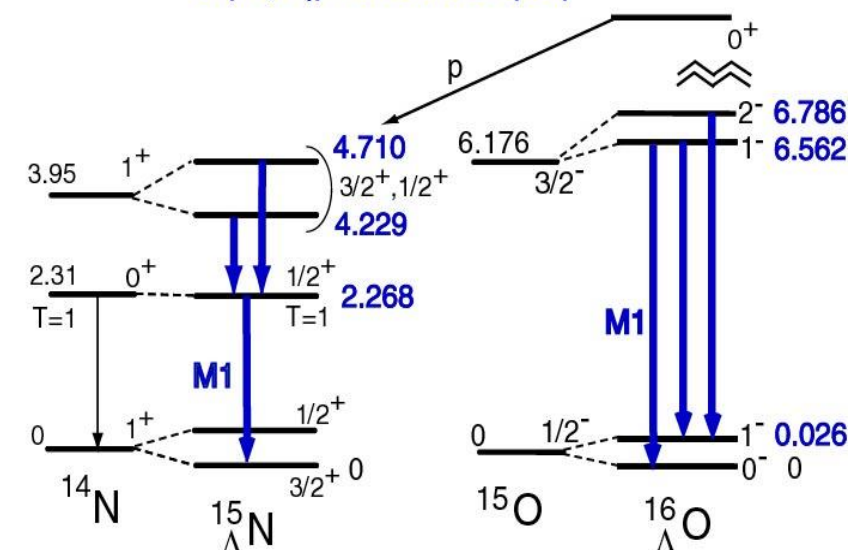
NPA 754 (2005) 58c

${}^{13}\text{C} (K^-, \pi^- \gamma)$ BNL E929 (Nal)



PRL 86 (2001) 4255
PRC 65 (2002) 034607

${}^{16}\text{O} (K^-, \pi^- \gamma)$ BNL E930('01)



PRC 77 (2008) 054315

PRL 93 (2004) 232501
EPJ A33 (2007) 247

ΛN Effective Interaction

$$V_{\Lambda N}^{eff} = V_0(r) + V_\sigma(r) \underset{\Delta}{s_{\Lambda}}^{\vec{s}} \underset{S_{\Lambda}}{s_N}^{\vec{s}} + V_{\Lambda}(r) \underset{S_{\Lambda}}{\vec{\ell}_{\Lambda N}} \underset{S_N}{s_{\Lambda}}^{\vec{s}} + V_N(r) \underset{S_N}{\vec{\ell}_{\Lambda N}} \underset{T}{s_N}^{\vec{s}} + V_T(r) S_{12}$$

Parameters in MeV

	Δ	S_{Λ}	S_N	T
$A = 7 - ?$	0.430	-0.015	-0.390	0.030
$A = 11 - 16$	0.330	-0.015	-0.350	0.024

Very small LS

by D.J. Millener

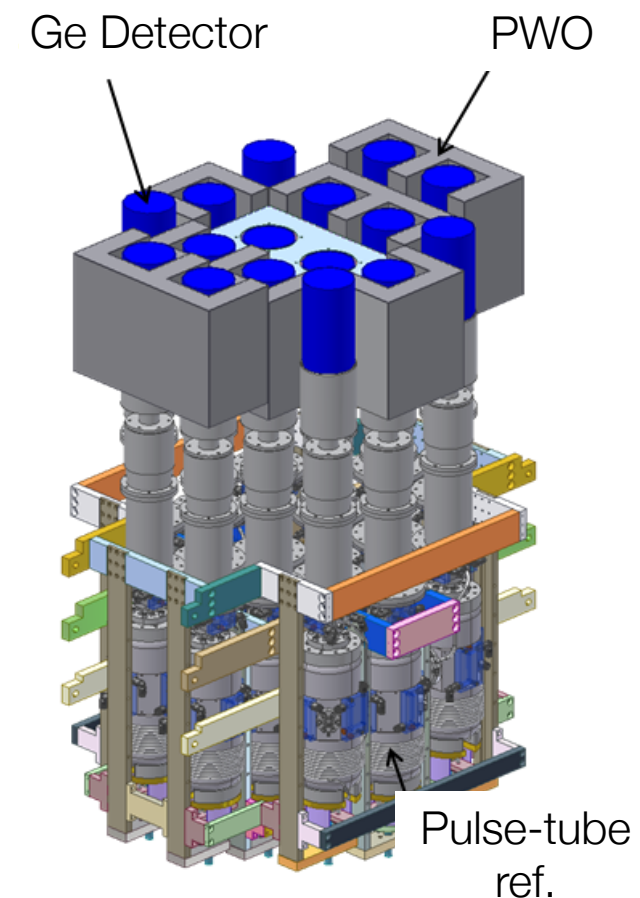
Gamma-ray Spectroscopy of Light Hypernuclei

J-PARC E13
H. Tamura et al.

- ✦ Λ N interaction in sd-shell hypernuclei : $^{19}_{\Lambda}\text{F}$
- ✦ Spin-flip B(M1) measurement for g_{Λ} in nuclei
 - ✦ $^7\text{Li}(\text{K}^-, \pi^- \gamma) ^7_{\Lambda}\text{Li}$ at 1.1 GeV/c:
M1($3/2^+ \rightarrow 1/2^+$)
- ✦ various hypernuclear gamma-rays
 - ✦ $^4_{\Lambda}\text{He}$, $^{10}_{\Lambda}\text{B}$, etc.

Hyperball-J

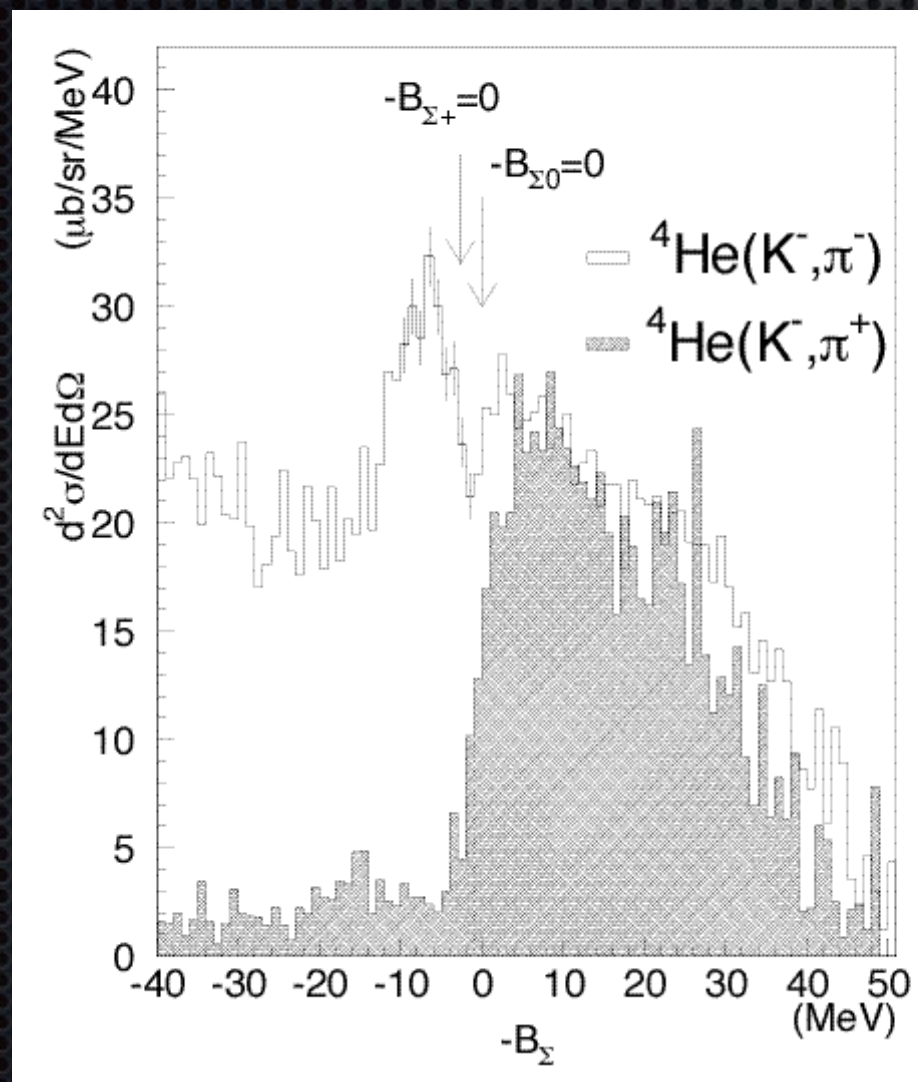
Ge x32; $\varepsilon \sim 6\%$ at 1 MeV
 $\rightarrow \gamma\text{-}\gamma$ coincidence



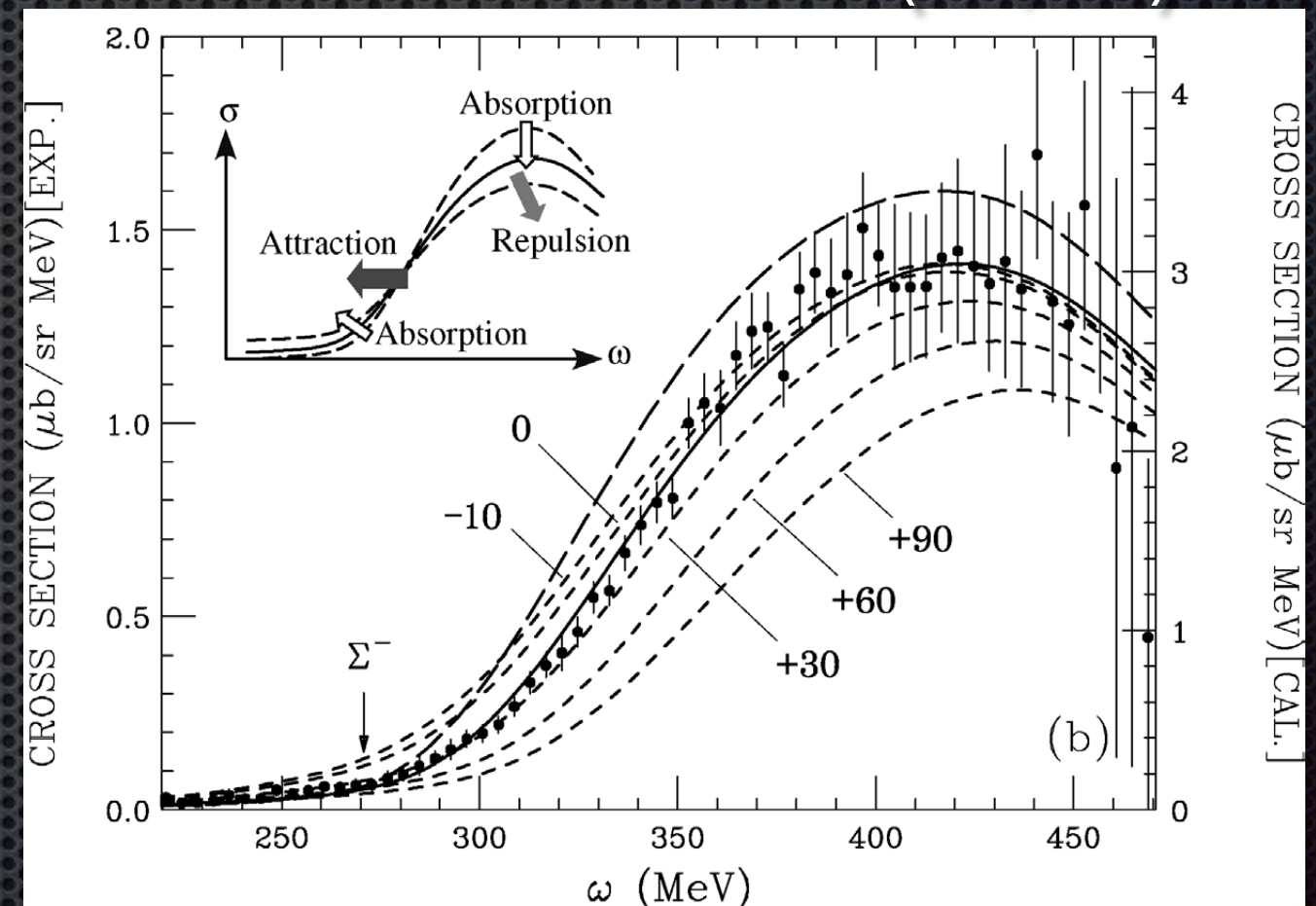
Σ -Hypernuclei

- One bound state observed: $^4_\Sigma\text{He}$

$^{28}\text{Si}(\pi^-, K^+)$



T. Nagae et al., PRL 80 (1998) 1605.

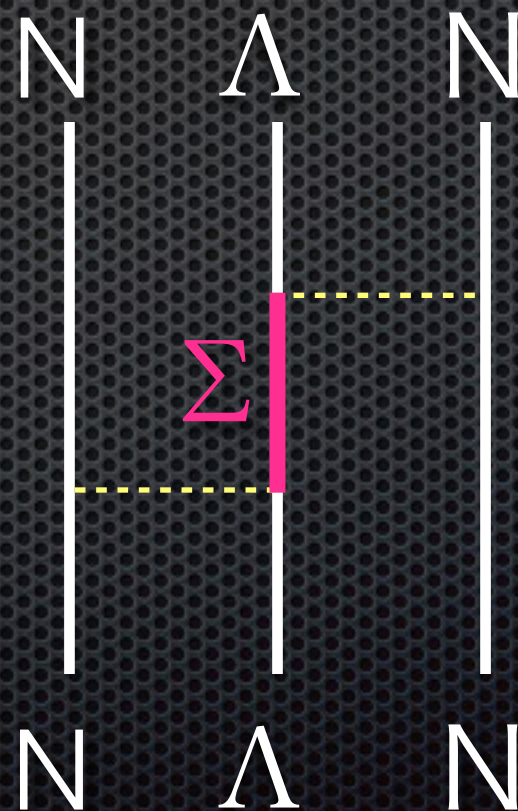


Σ^- -Nucleus potential: Repulsive

T. Harada and Y. Hirabayashi, NPA 759 (2005) 143.

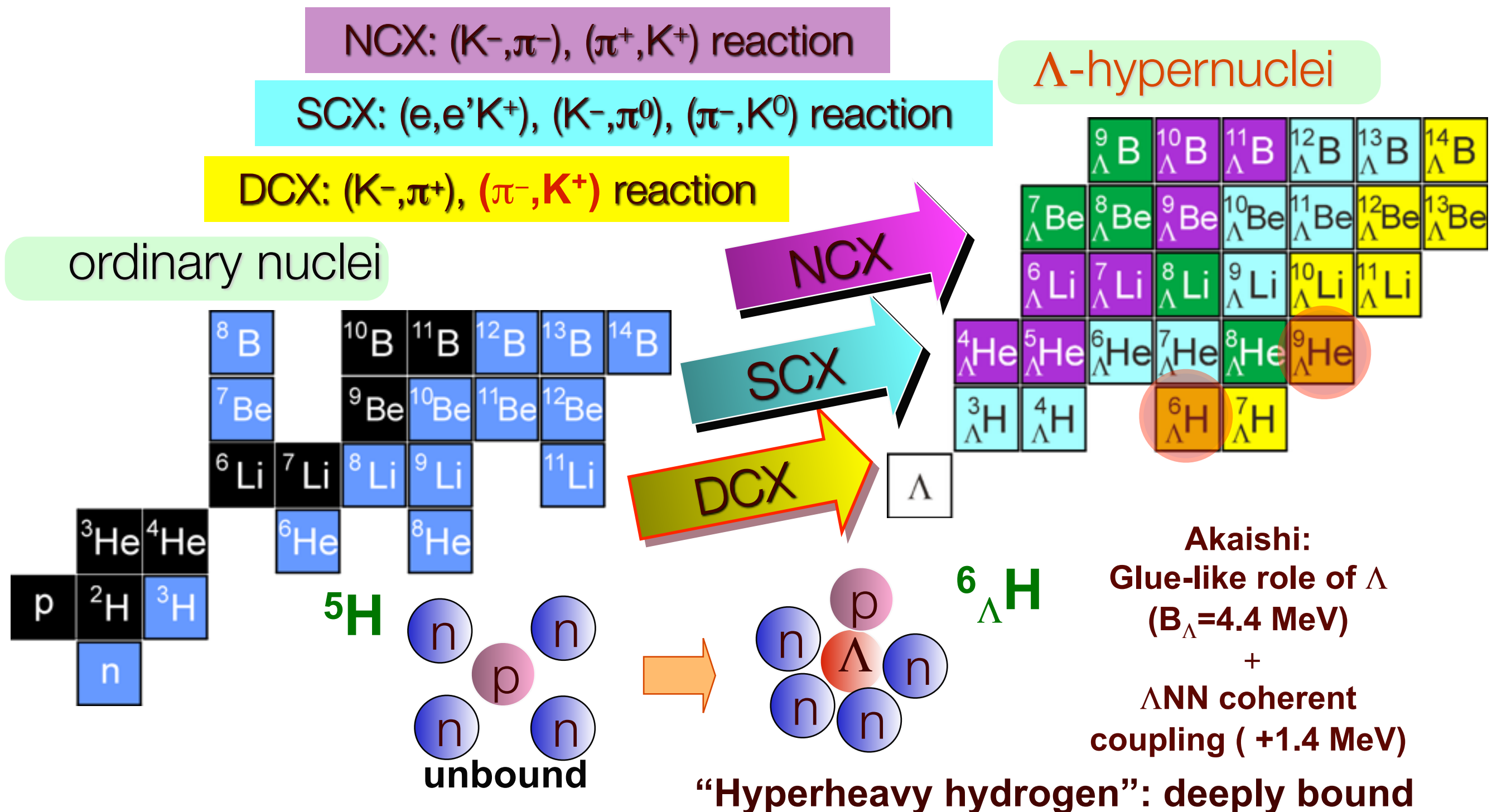
ΛN - ΣN coupling

- ✦ Strong coupling through one-pion exchange
- ✦ Large mixing in **neutron-rich** ($N > Z$) hypernuclei
- ✦ ΛNN three-body force \rightarrow High density matter EOS



Neutron-rich Hypernuclei with (π^-, K^+) reaction

J-PARC E10
A. Sakaguchi et al.

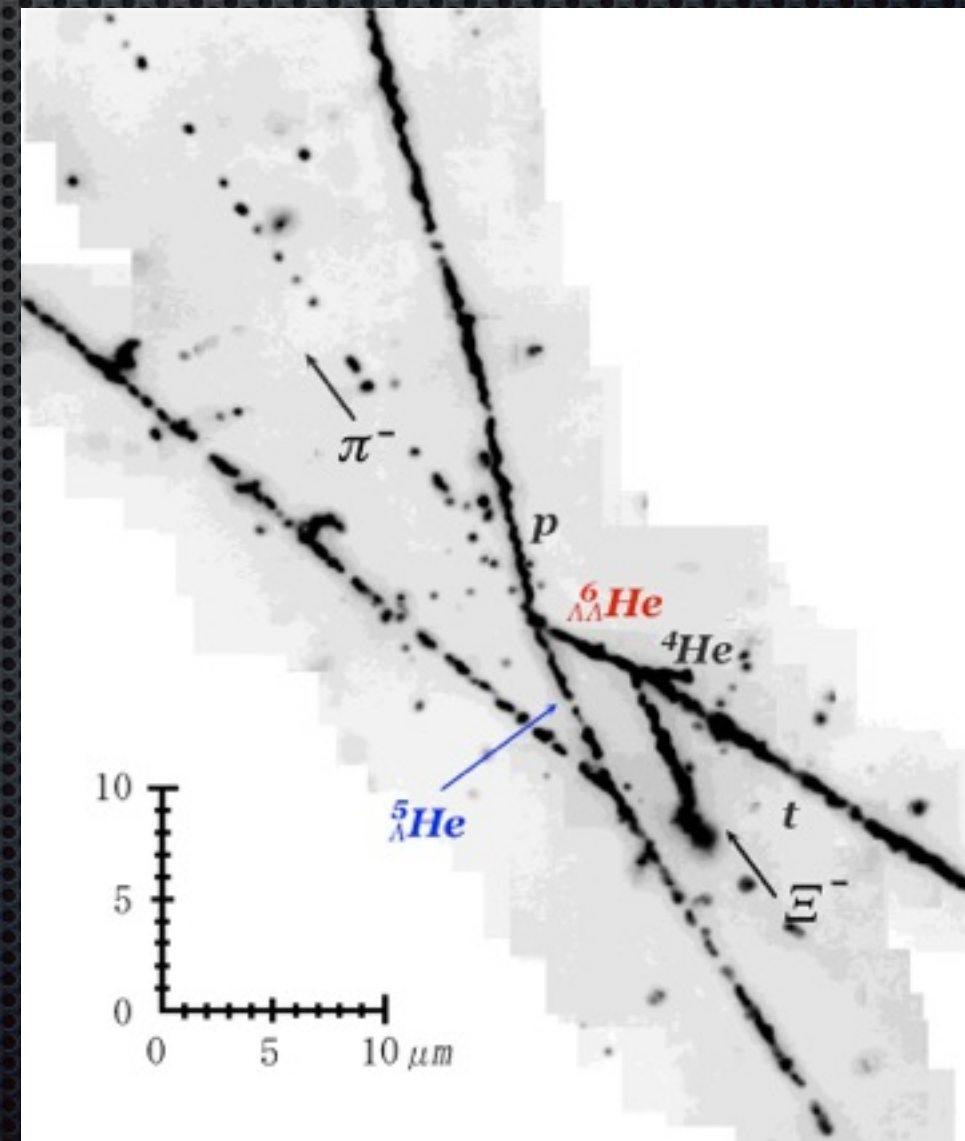


$S=-2$ Baryon Systems

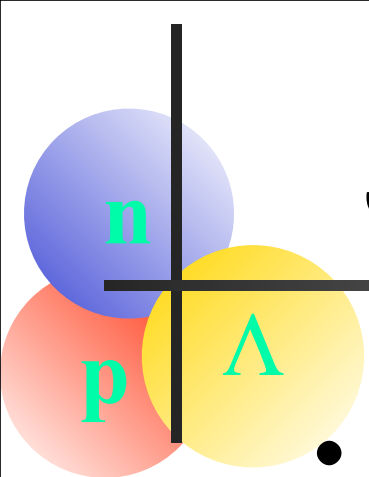
Double- Λ Hypernuclei

- ✧ “Nagara” event; $\Lambda\Lambda^6\text{He}$
- ✧ Uniquely identified
- ✧ $\Delta B_{\Lambda\Lambda} = 0.67 \pm 0.17 \text{ MeV}$
J.K. Ahn et al., PRC 88 (2013) 014003.
- ✧ smaller than before ($\sim 4 \text{ MeV}$)

KEK E373



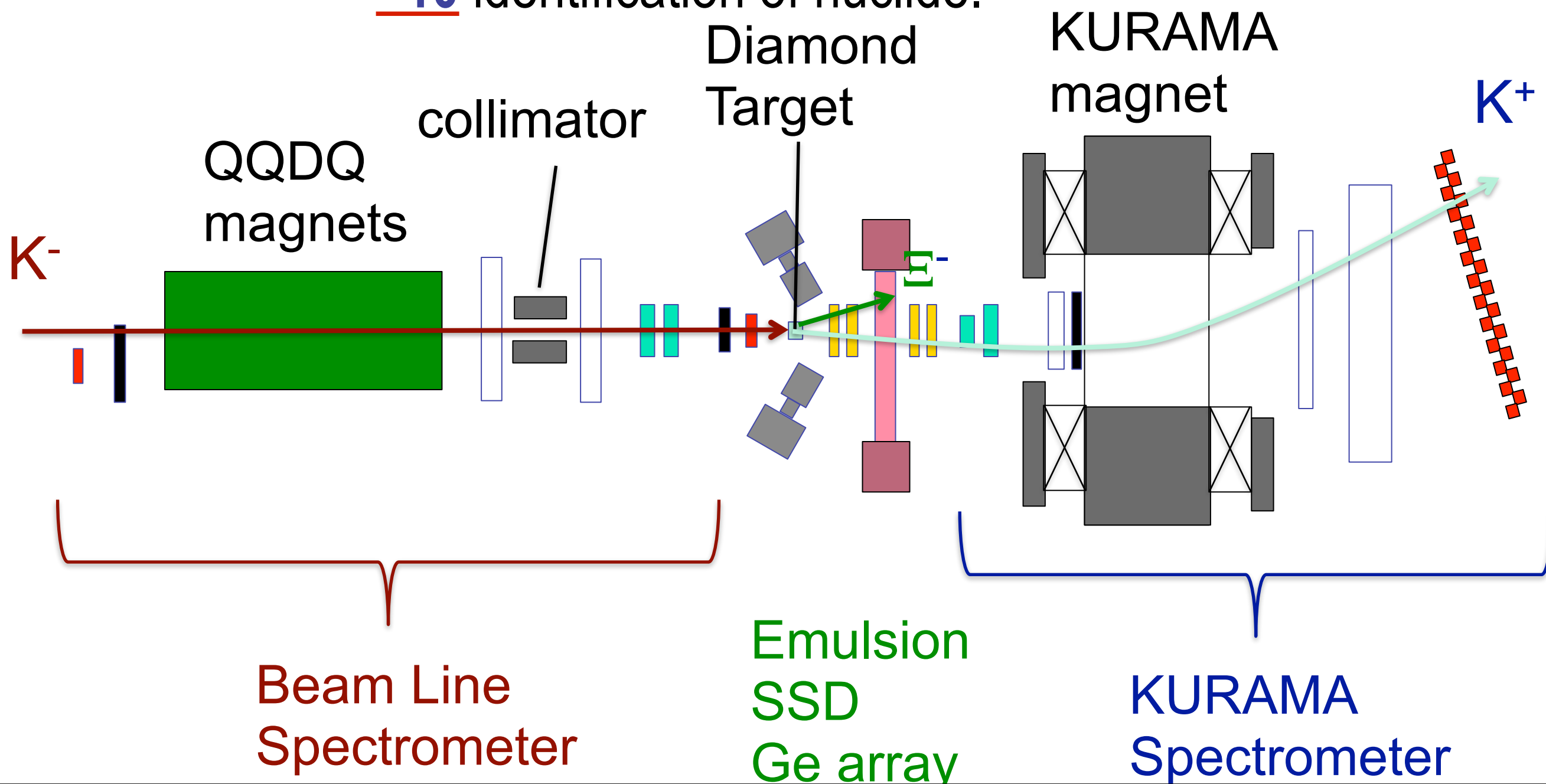
H. Takahashi et al., PRL87, (2001) 212502.



J-PARC E07: Hybrid-Emulsion Exp.

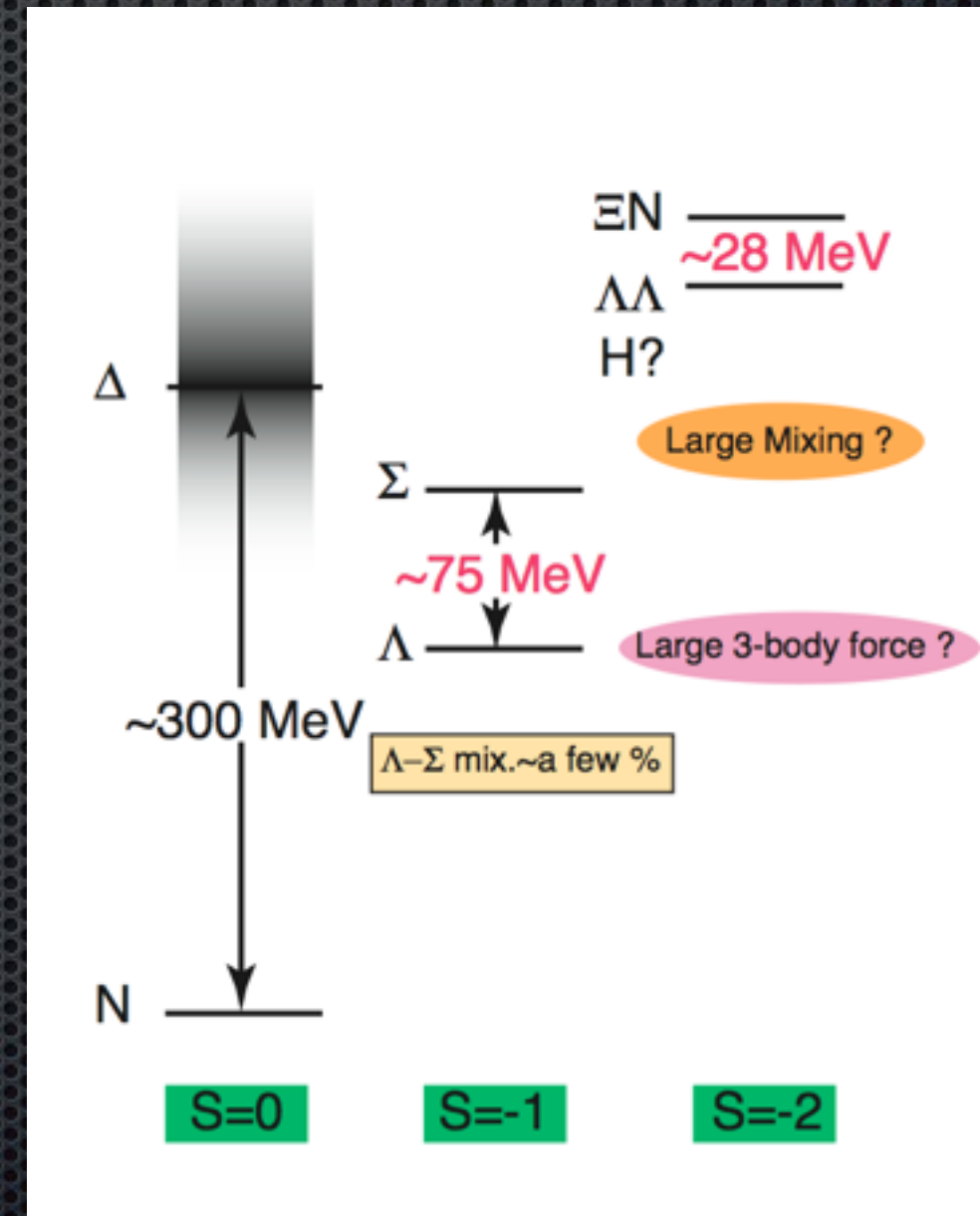
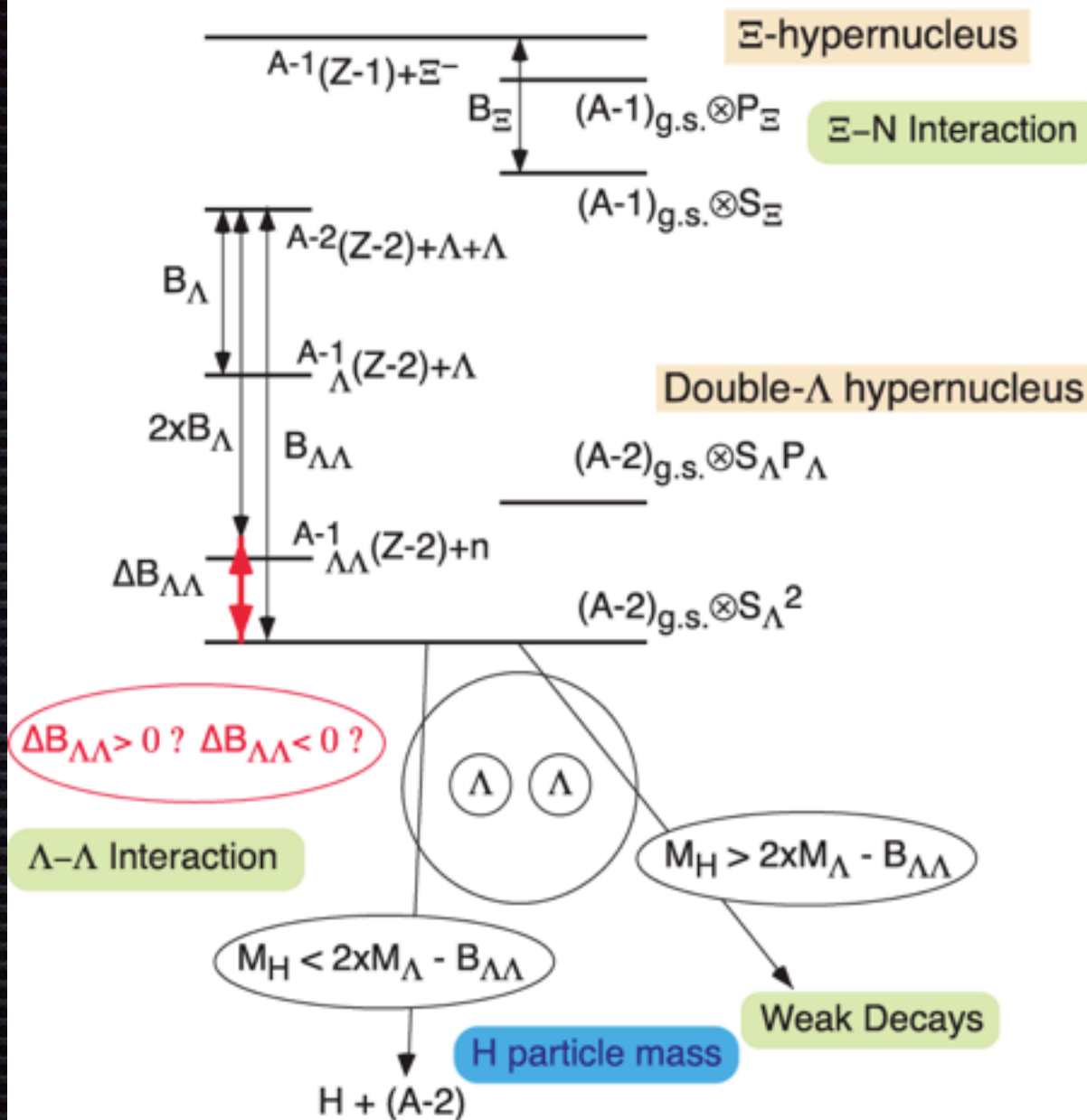
K. Nakazawa et al.

- 10 times' statistics of E373 (KEK-PS) \Leftrightarrow 10^4 Ξ -stop
 \rightarrow $\sim 10^2$ double hypernuclei,
 ~ 10 identification of nuclide.



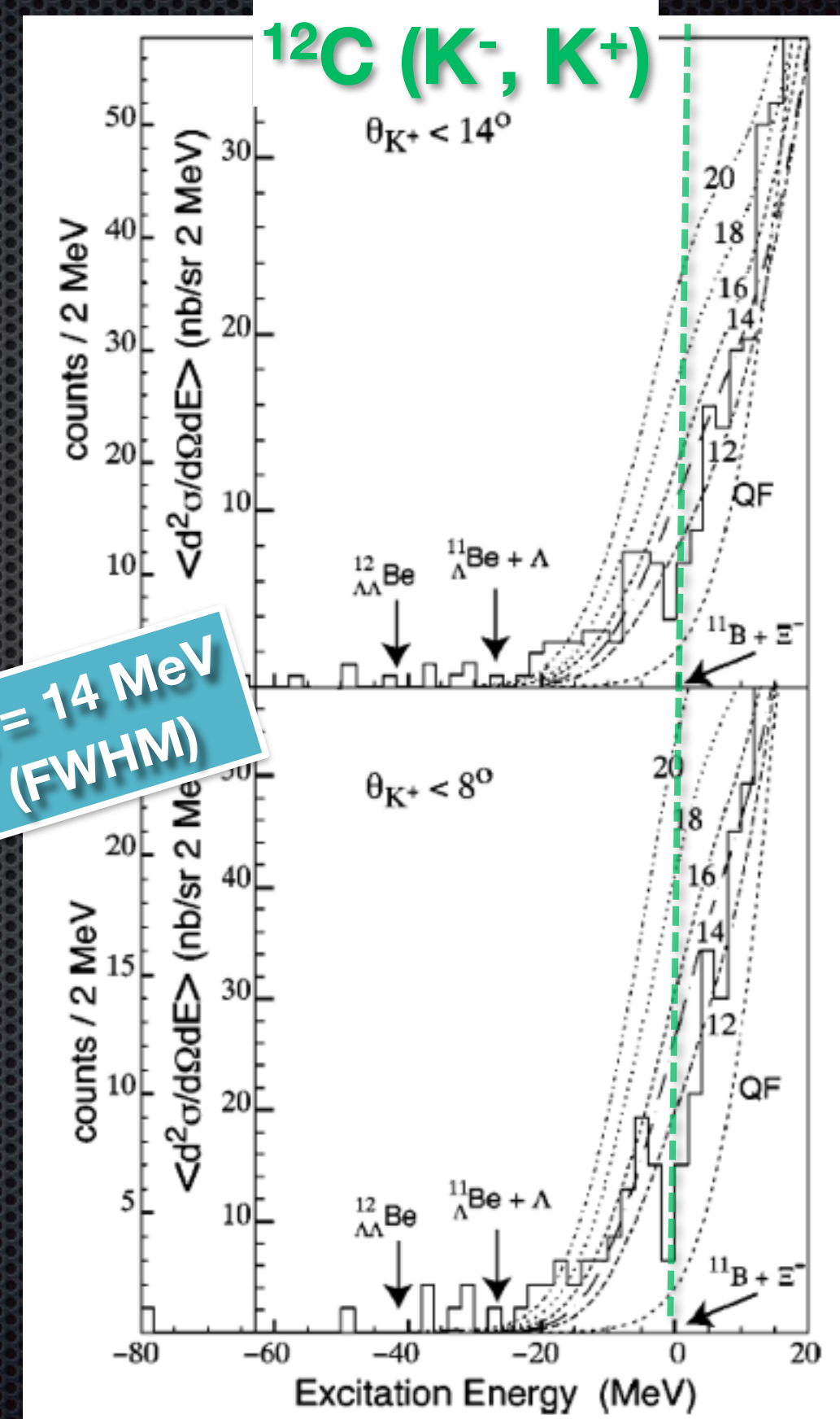
S=-2 World

Energy Spectrum of S=-2 systems



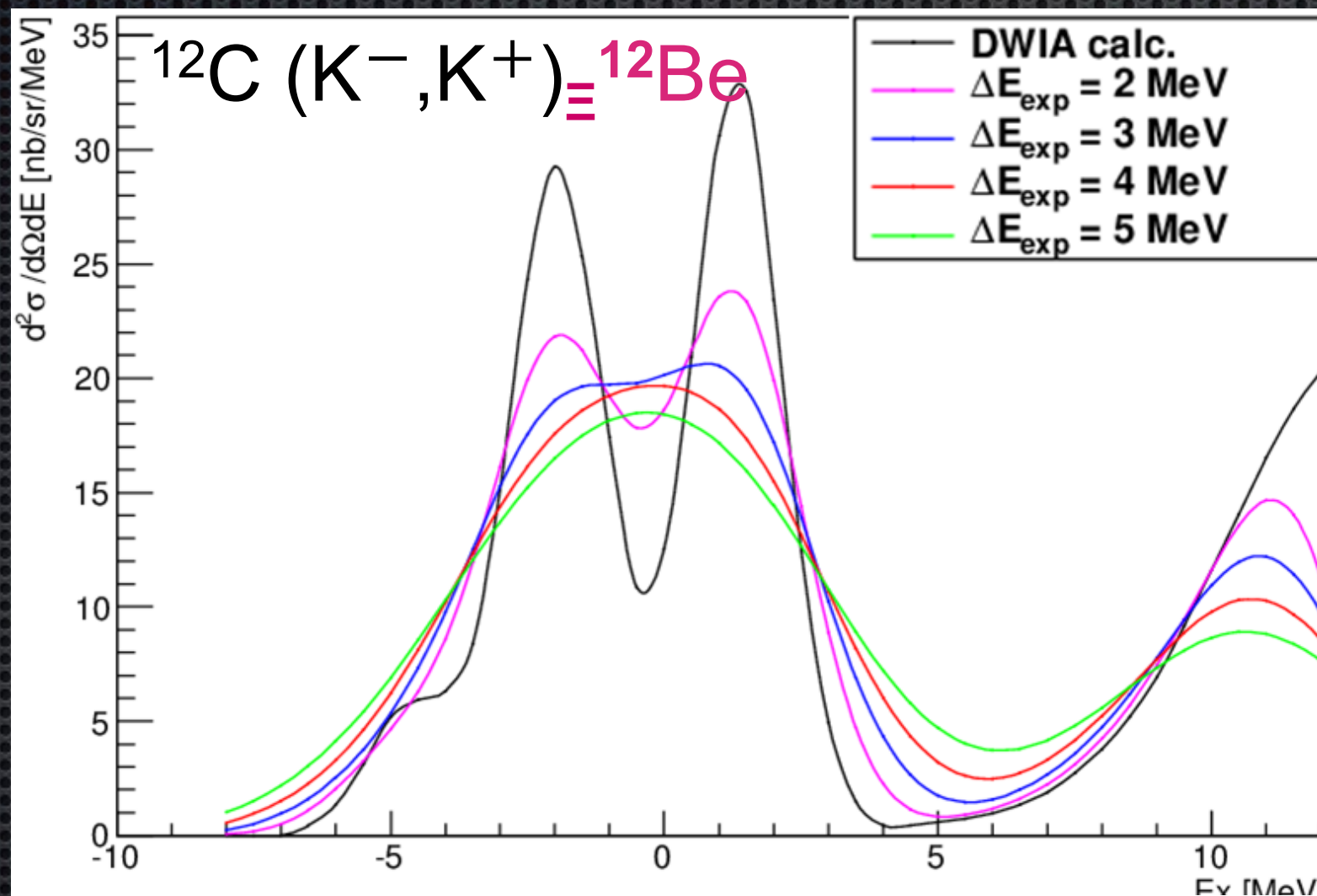
Ξ hypernuclei

- Previous measurements :
BNL E885
 - $^{12}\text{C}(\text{K}^-, \text{K}^+)$ at 1.8 GeV/c
 - $\Delta E = 14 \text{ MeV}_{\text{FWHM}}$
 - Events in the bound region :
 $89 \pm 14 \text{ nb/sr}$ ($< 8^\circ$); $42 \pm 5 \text{ nb/sr}$ ($< 14^\circ$)
- $V_\Xi \sim 14 \text{ MeV}$ (weakly attractive)



Better resolution !

- ✱ 60 msr, $\Delta p/p=0.05\%$ $\rightarrow \Delta M=1.5$ MeV



T. Motoba and S. Sugimoto, Nucl. Phys. A 835, 223 (2010)

Spectroscopic Study of Ξ -Hypernucleus, $^{12}\Xi\text{Be}$, via the $^{12}\text{C}(\text{K}^-, \text{K}^+)$ Reaction

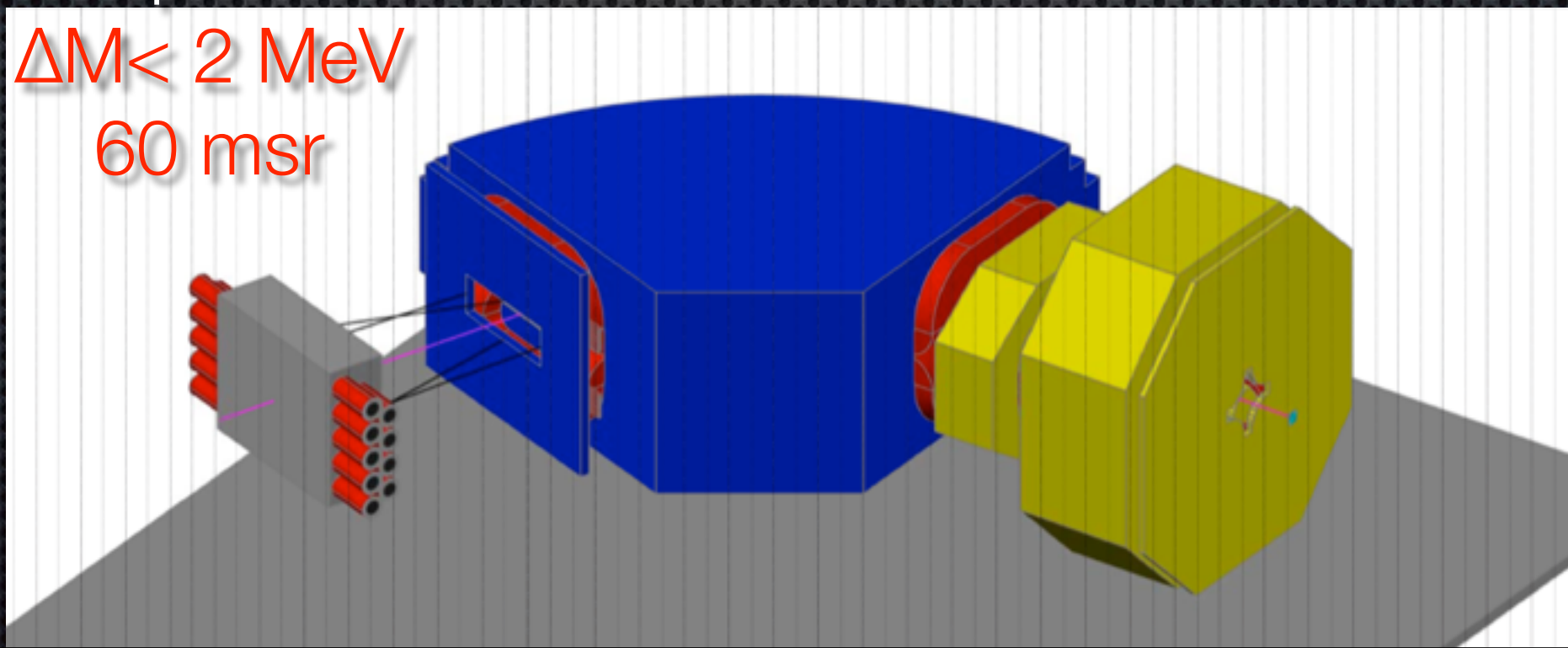
J-PARC E05

T. Nagae et al.

- ✦ Discovery of Ξ -hypernuclei
- ✦ Measurement of Ξ -nucleus potential depth and width
of $^{12}\Xi\text{Be}$ $S=-1 \rightarrow S=-2$ (Multi-Strangeness System)

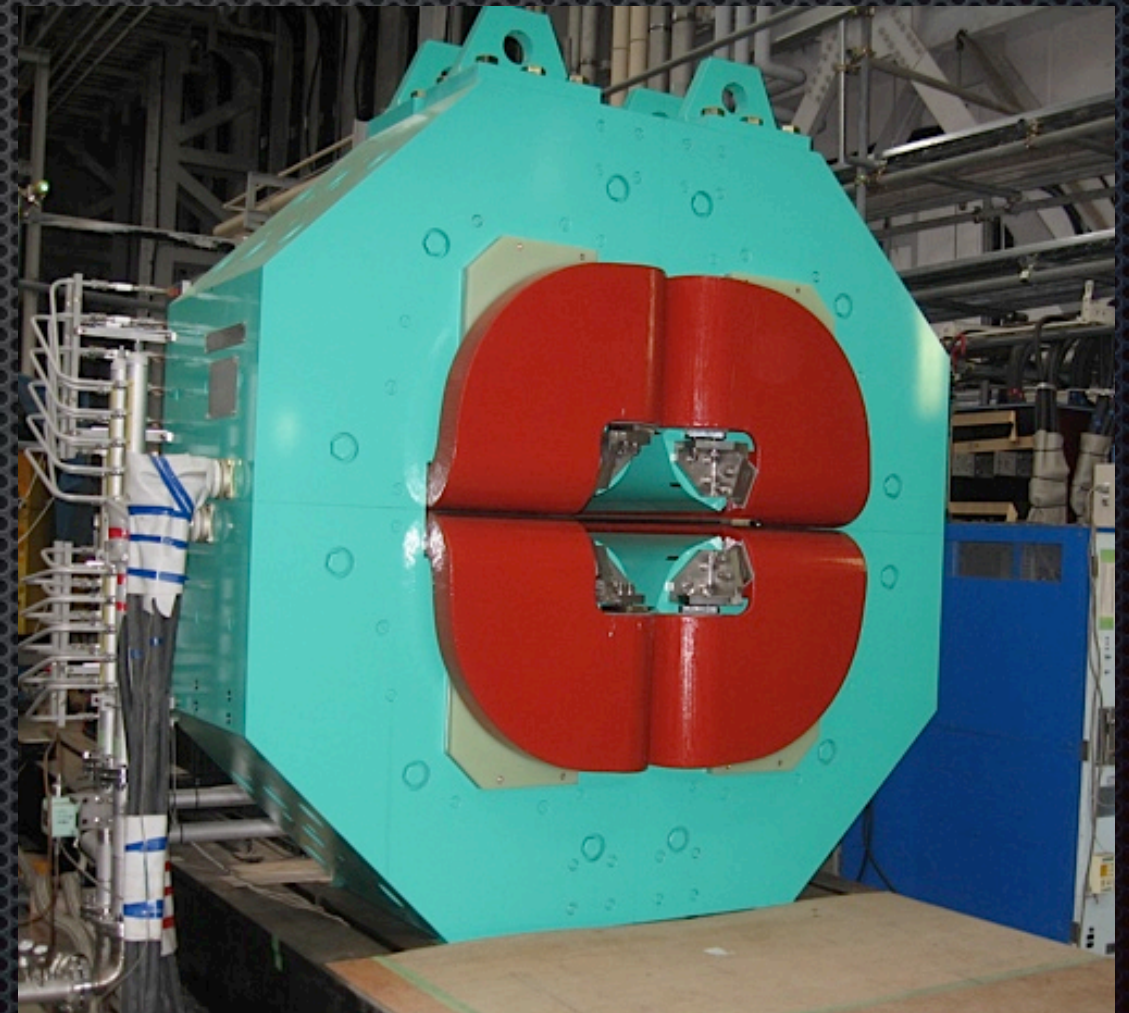
“S-2S” spectrometer

$\Delta M < 2 \text{ MeV}$
60 msr



Q1 Construction in 2012

- ✦ 2.4 m x 0.88 m, 37 ton



Kaonic Nuclei

Experiments on K^-pp

- First evidence of K^-pp with ${}^6\text{Li}+{}^7\text{Li}+{}^{12}\text{C}$

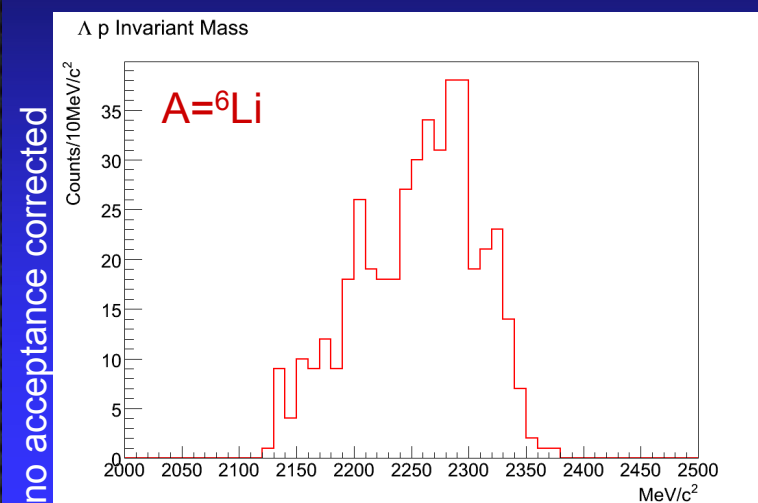
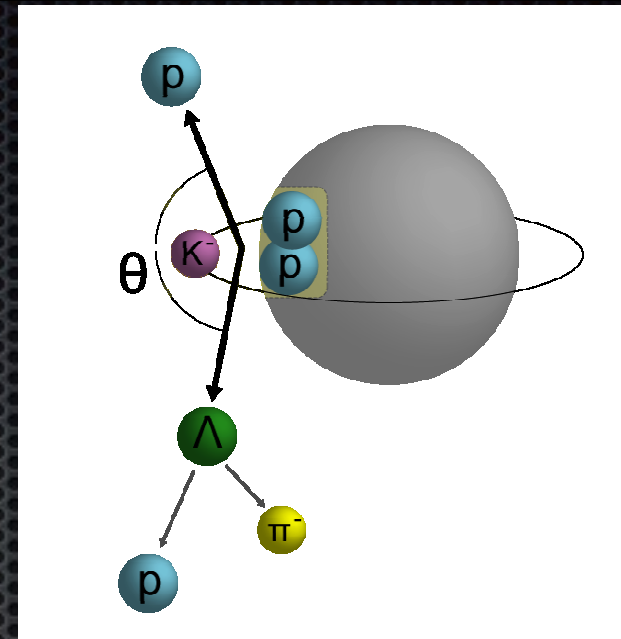


$$B = 115^{+6}_{-5} + 3^{+3}_{-4} \text{ MeV}$$

$$\Gamma = 67^{+14}_{-11} + 2^{+2}_{-3} \text{ MeV}$$

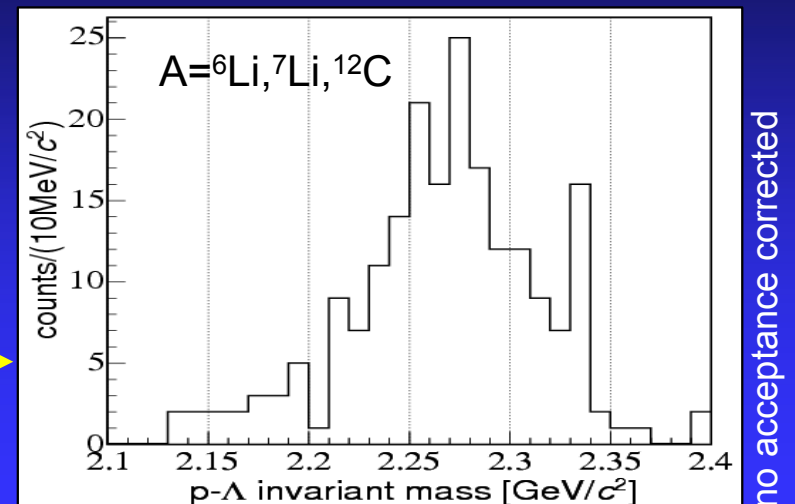
M. Agnello et al., PRL94, (2005) 212303

- Confirmed for ${}^6\text{Li}$ only, with better statistics S. Piano@Hyp-X



New
inv mass spectra
compatible with
published one

← New data Old data
Same cuts applied



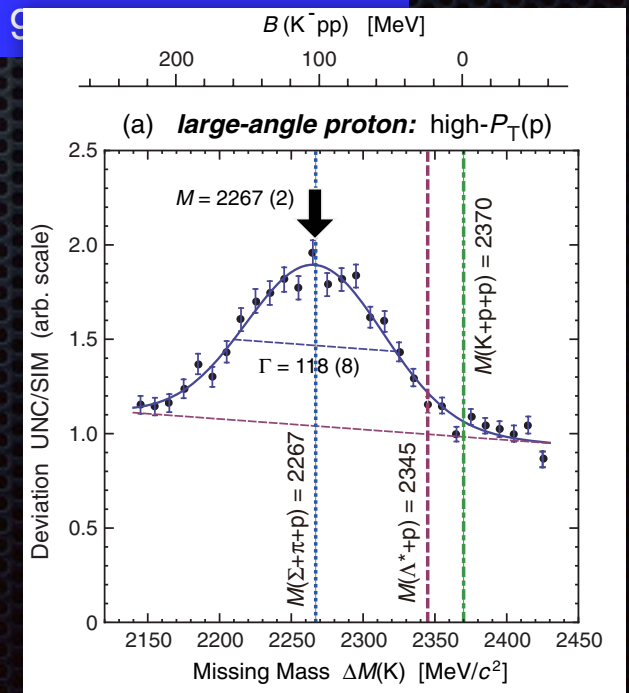
FINUDA Coll., PRL 94

- DISTO data: $p+p \rightarrow K^-pp + K^+$ at 2.85 GeV

- $M = 2267 \pm 3 \pm 5 \text{ MeV}/c^2$

- $\Gamma = 118 \pm 8 \pm 10 \text{ MeV}$

T. Yamazaki et al., PRL 104 (2010) 132502.



Theoretical work on K^-pp

- K^-pp does exist !!

...but maybe broad (consistent with FINUDA)

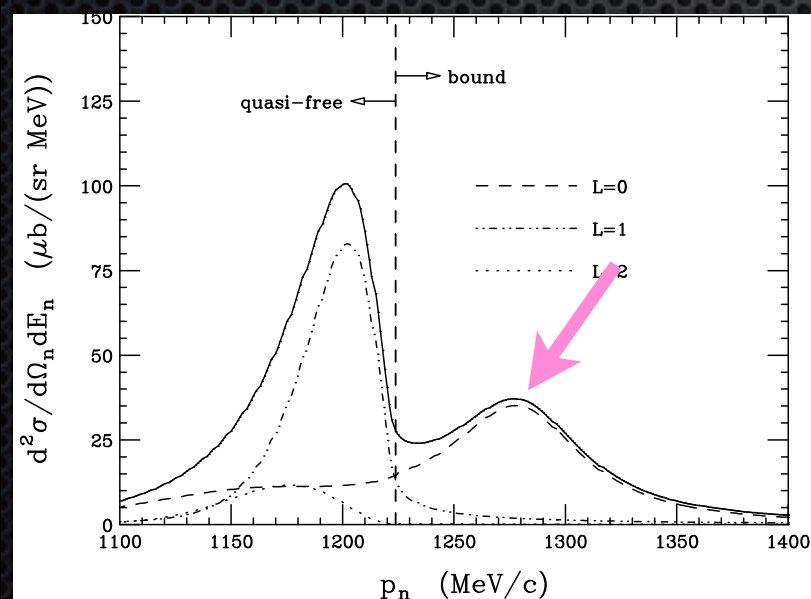
(MeV)	ATMS Yamazaki & Akaishi, PLB535 (2002) 70.	Variational Dote, Hyodo, Weise, PRC79 (2009) 014003.	Faddeev Shevchenko, Gal, Mares, PRL98 (2007) 082301.	Faddeev Ikeda & Sato, PRC79 (2009) 035201.	Variational Wycech & Green, PRC79 (2009) 014001.
B	48	17-23	50-70	60-95	40-80
Γ	61	40-70	90-110	45-80	40-85

- FSI effects ? ; V.K. Magas et al., PRC 74 (2006) 025206.
- Λ^*N bound state ? ; T. Uchino et al., NPA 868-869 (2011) 53.

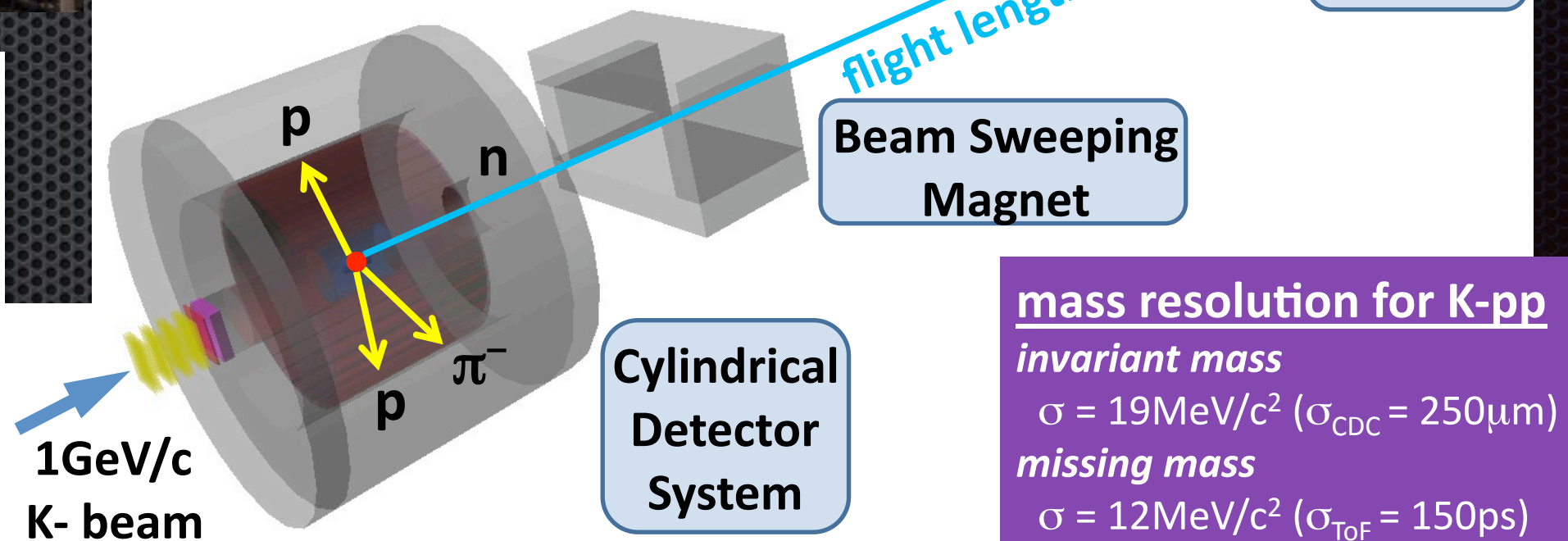
K^-pp search experiments at J-PARC

- ${}^3\text{He}(K^-,n)$ reaction at 1 GeV/c: E15

M. Iwasaki et al.



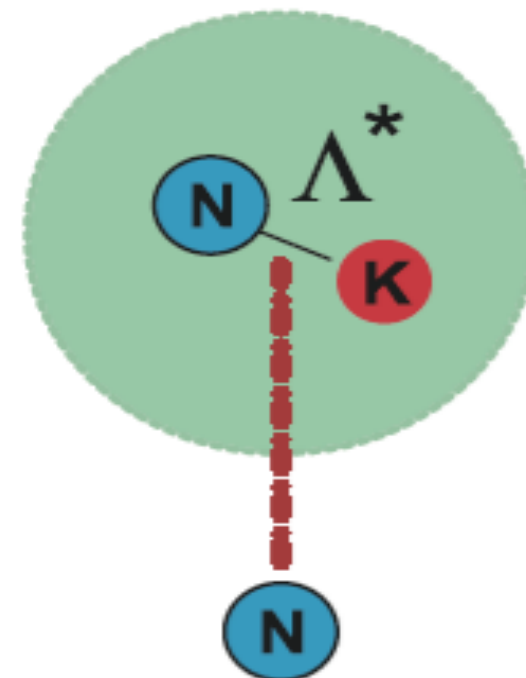
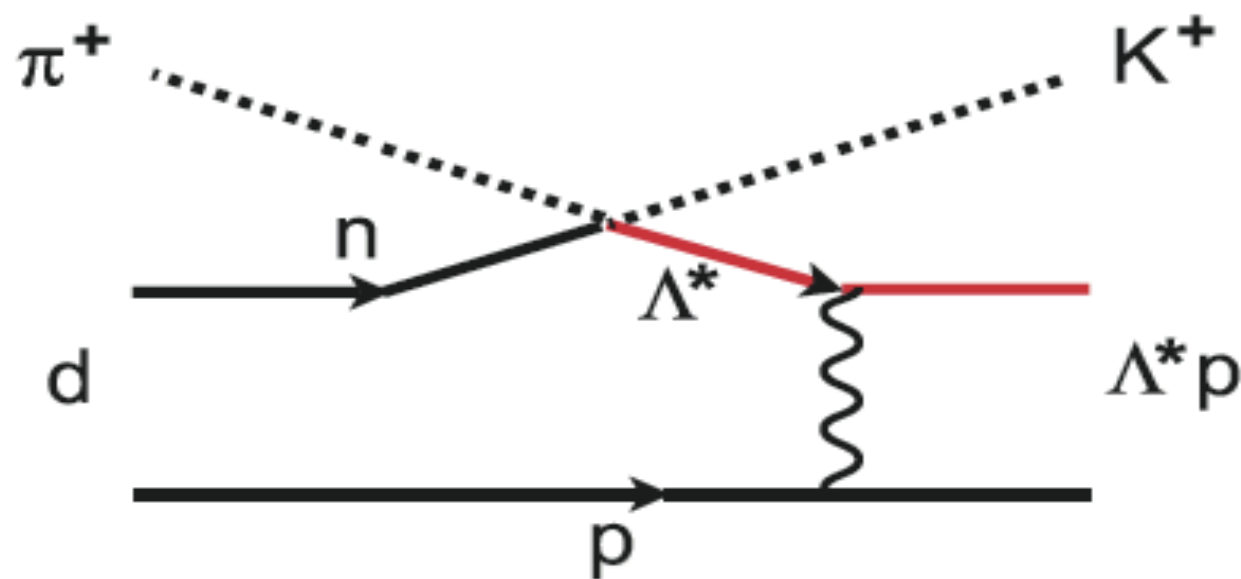
- ▶ $K^- + {}^3\text{He} \rightarrow n + (K^-pp)$
- ▶ $(K^-pp) \rightarrow \Lambda + p$



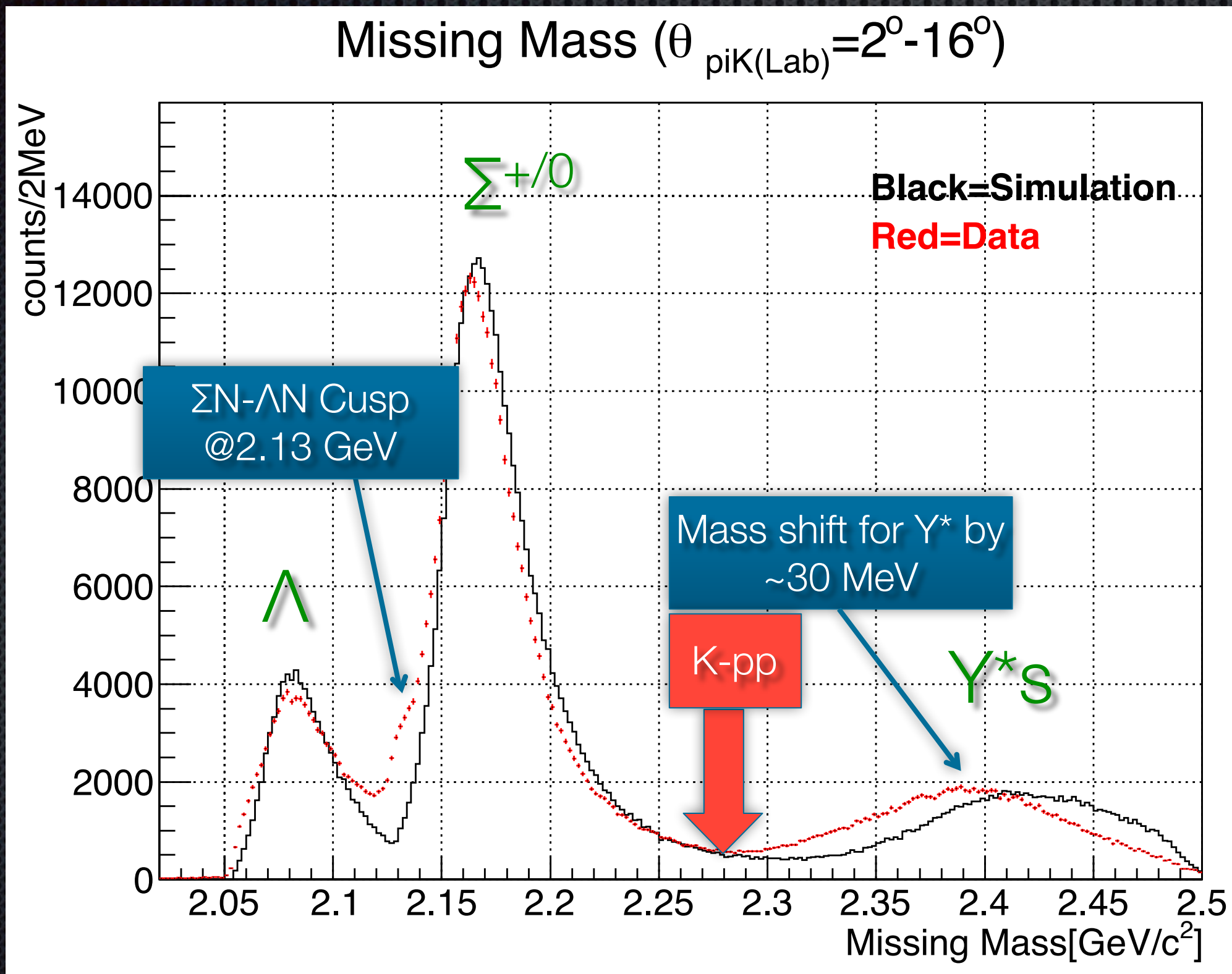
E27: $d(\pi^+, K^+)$ reaction

$$\pi^+ + "n" \rightarrow "\Lambda^*" + K^+$$

$$\begin{aligned} "\Lambda^*" + "p" &\rightarrow \text{bound } K^- pp && \text{minor} \\ &\rightarrow \text{quasi-free } \Lambda^* && \text{dominant} \end{aligned}$$

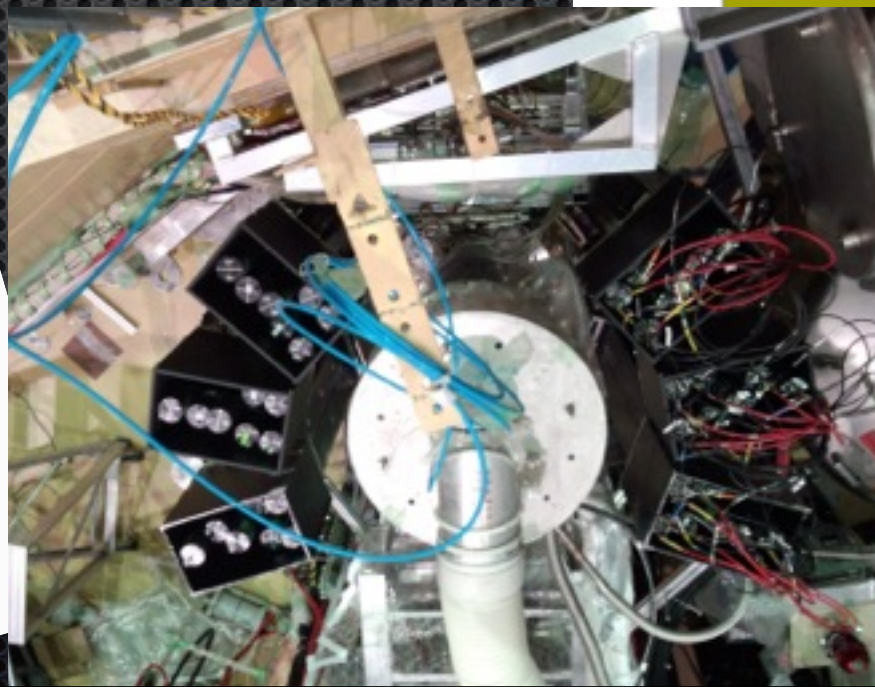
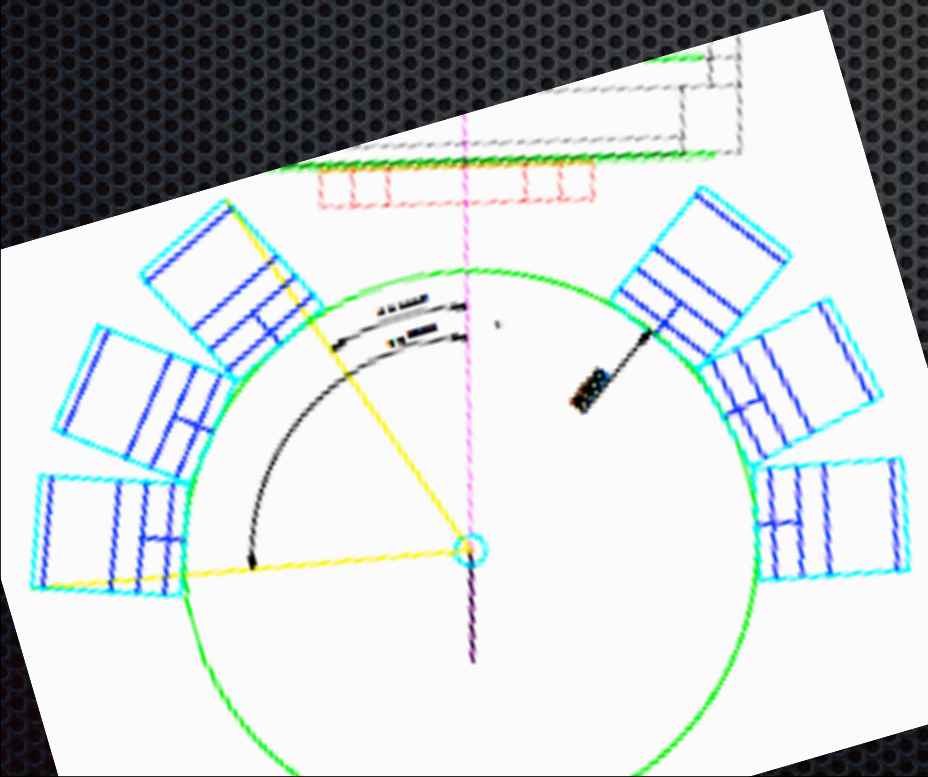
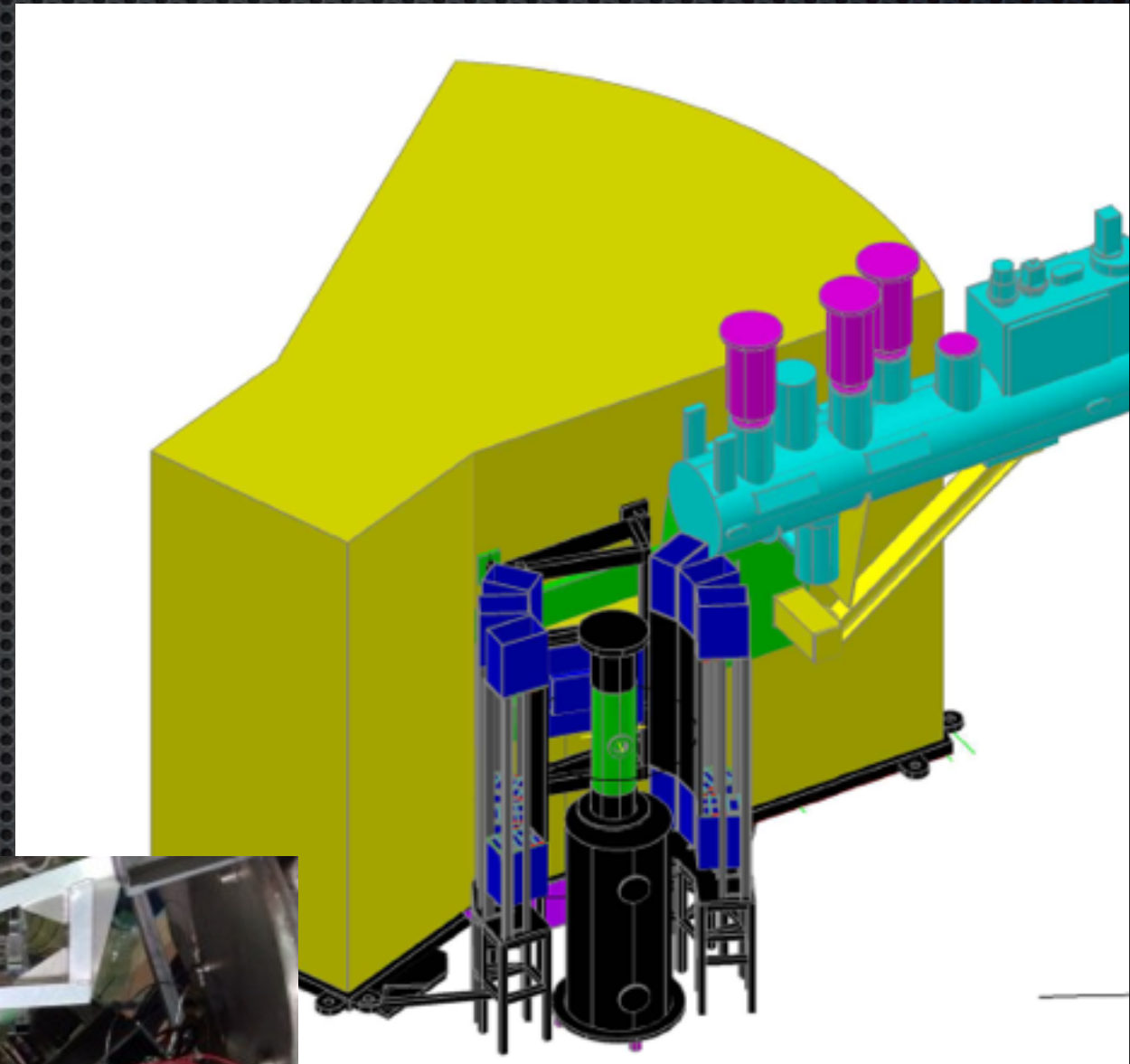


$d(\pi^+, K^+) @ 1.7 \text{ GeV/c}$

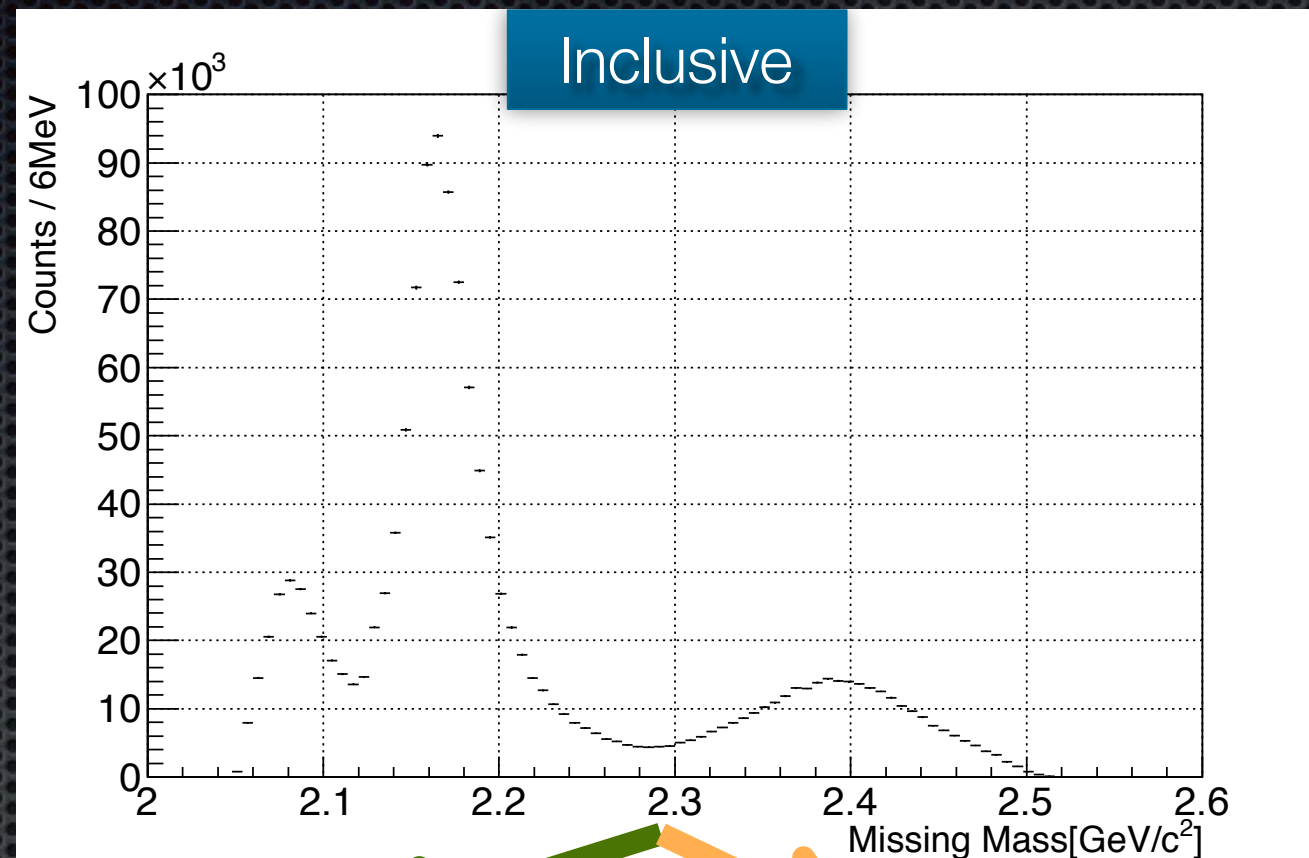


Range Counter System for E27

- ✦ 5 layers (1+2+2+5+2 cm) of plastic scinti.
- ✦ 39 - 122 degrees(L+R)
- ✦ 50 cm TOF

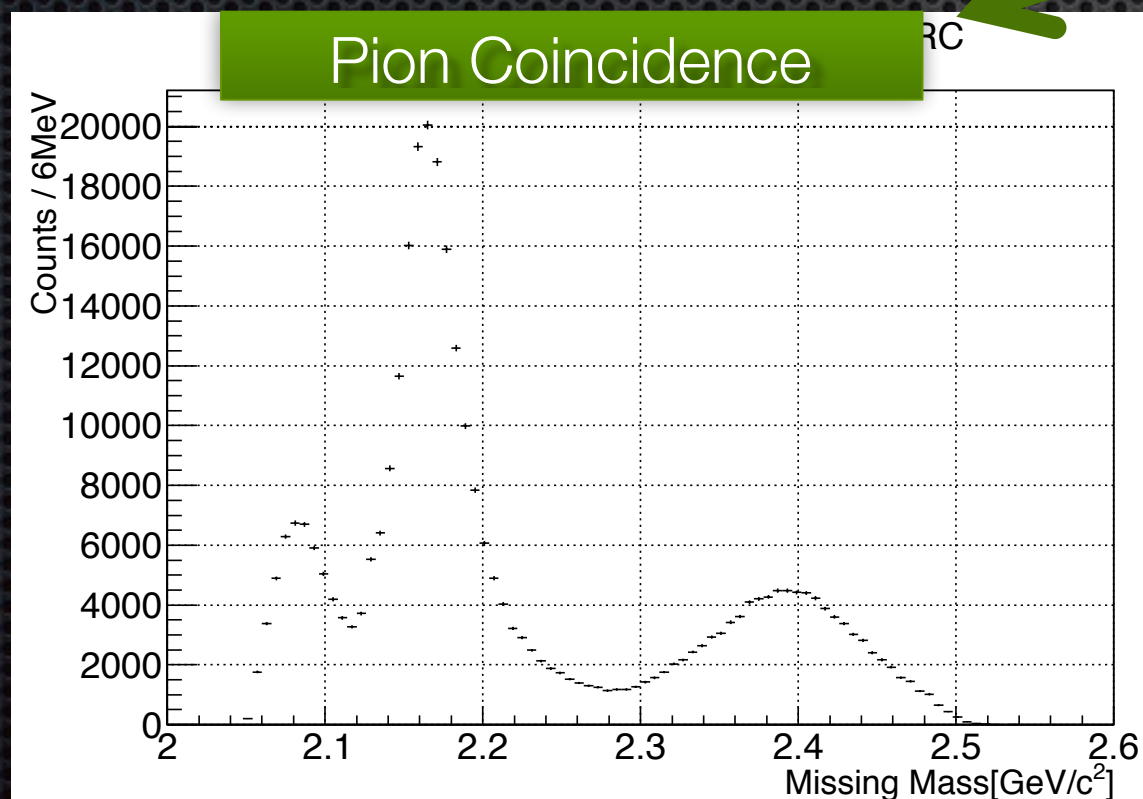


Coincidence study

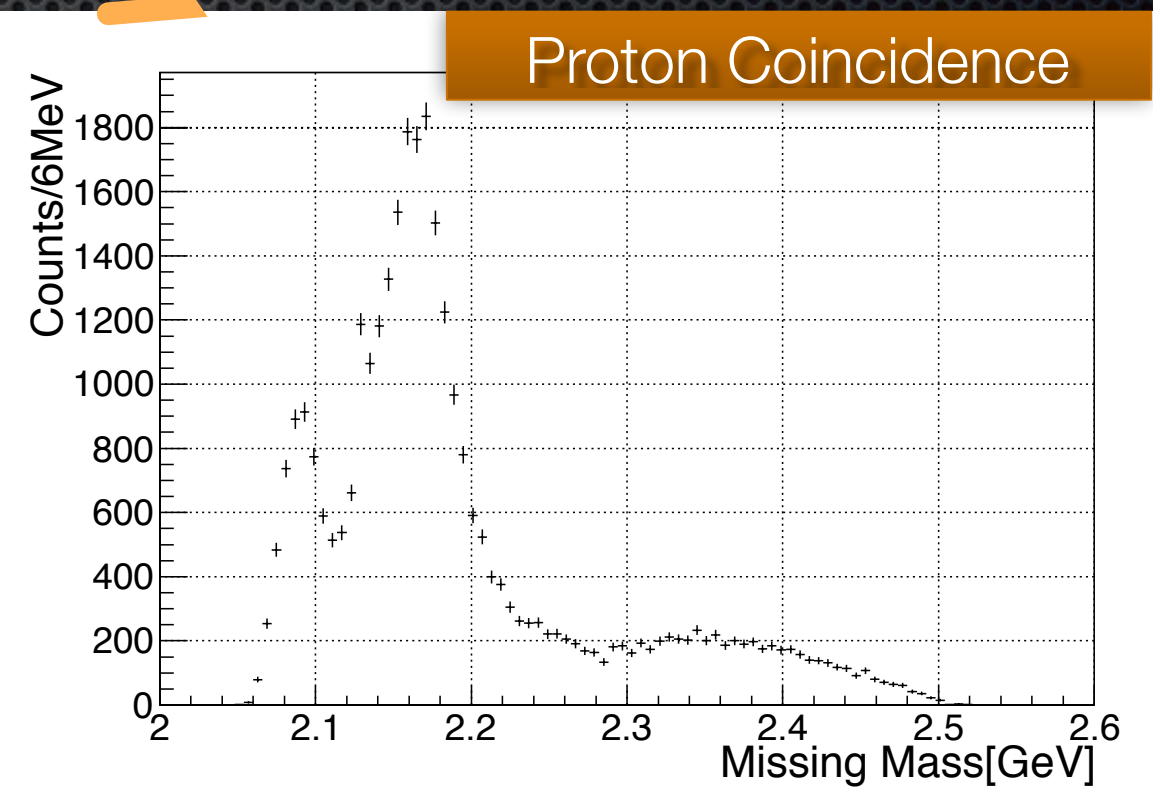


“pion” = π or
slow p

“proton” = $p > 280 \text{ MeV}/c$

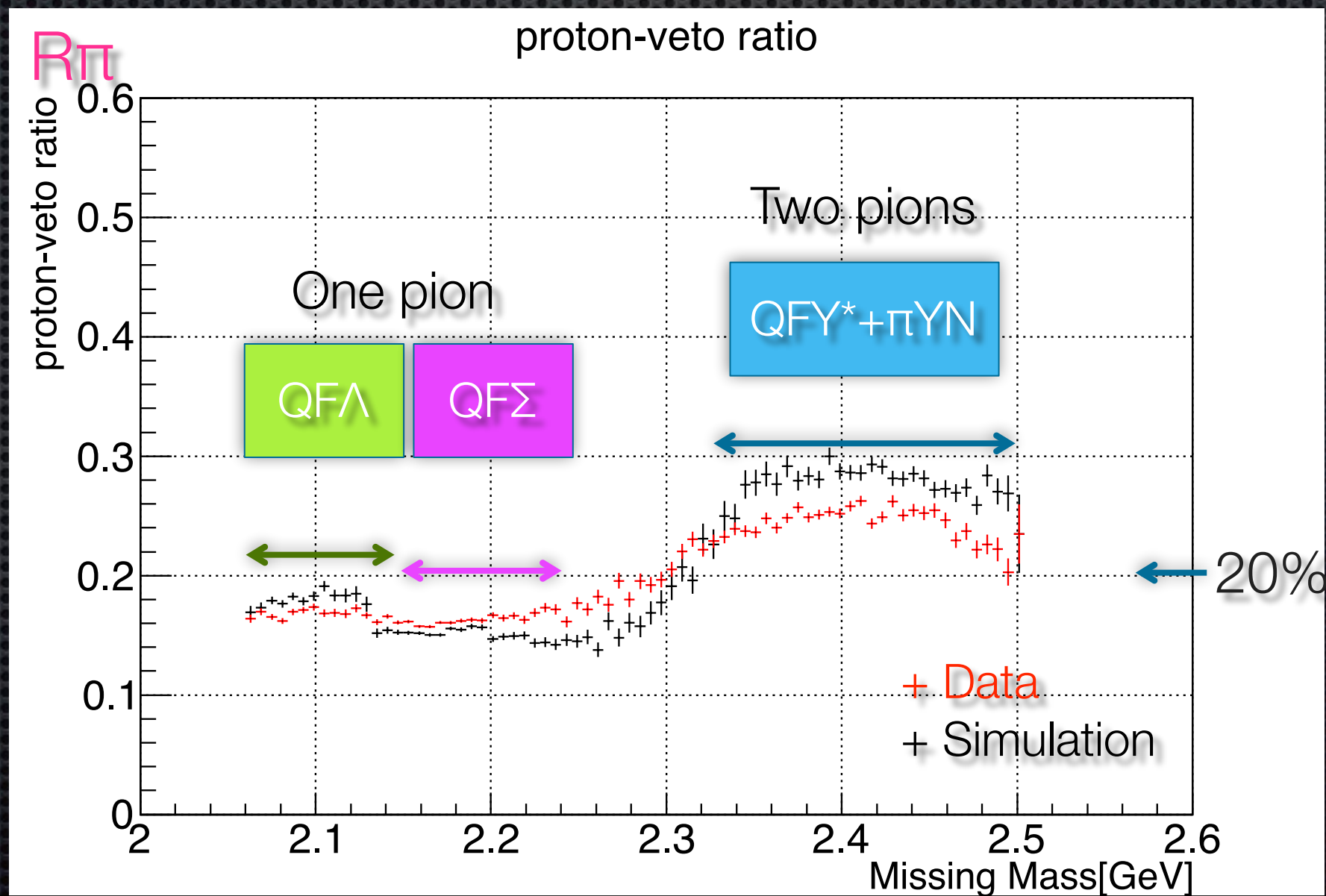


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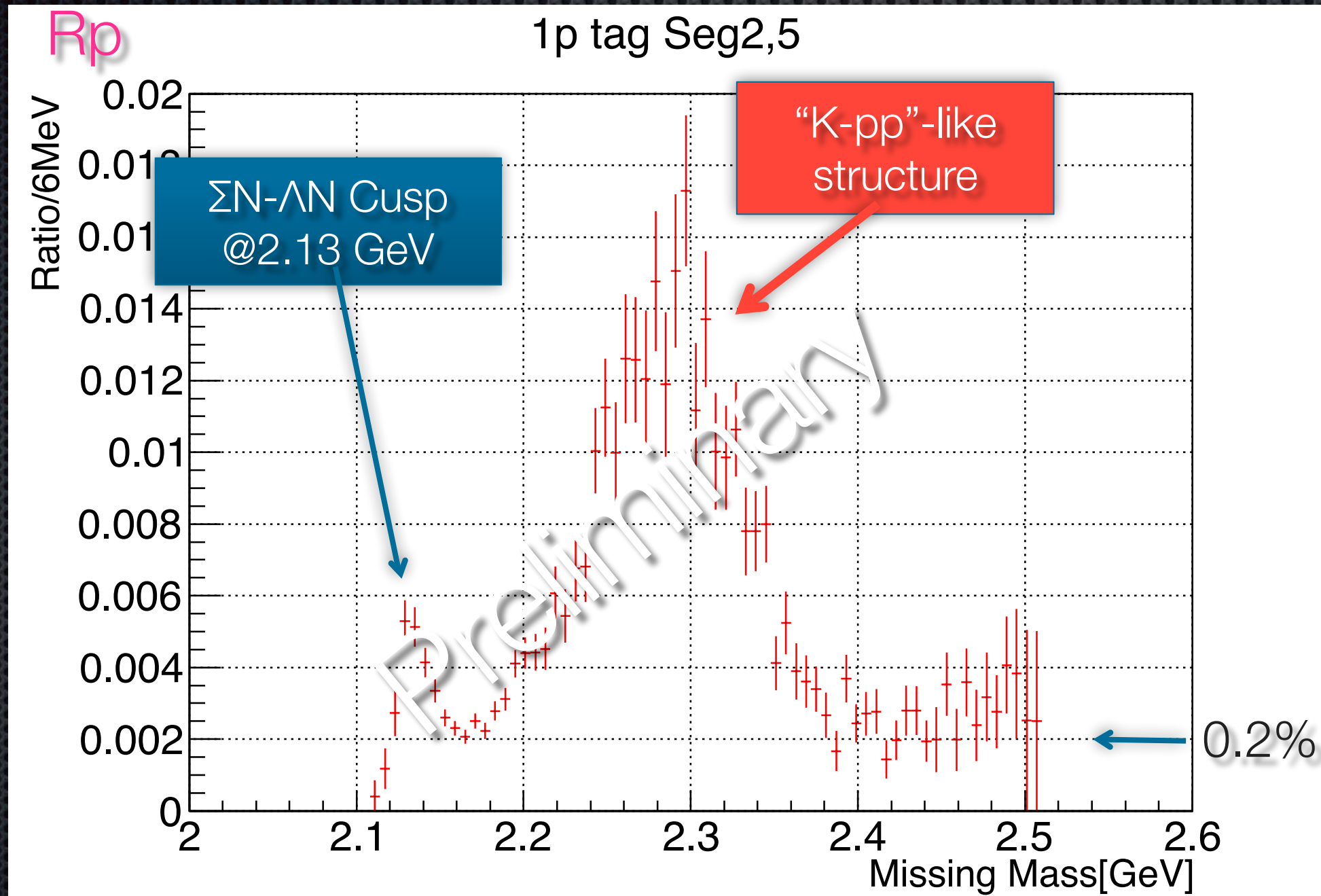


Pion Coincidence Rate

- ✧ $R_{\pi} = (\text{Pion coincidence spectrum})/(\text{Inclusive spectrum})$
- ✧ $R_{\pi} \propto (\pi \text{ emission BR}) \times (\pi \text{ detection efficiency})$



Proton Coincidence Rate

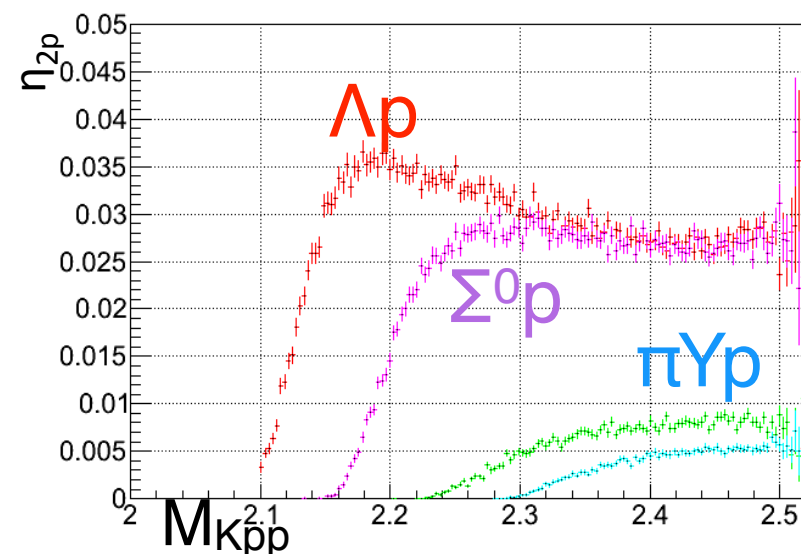
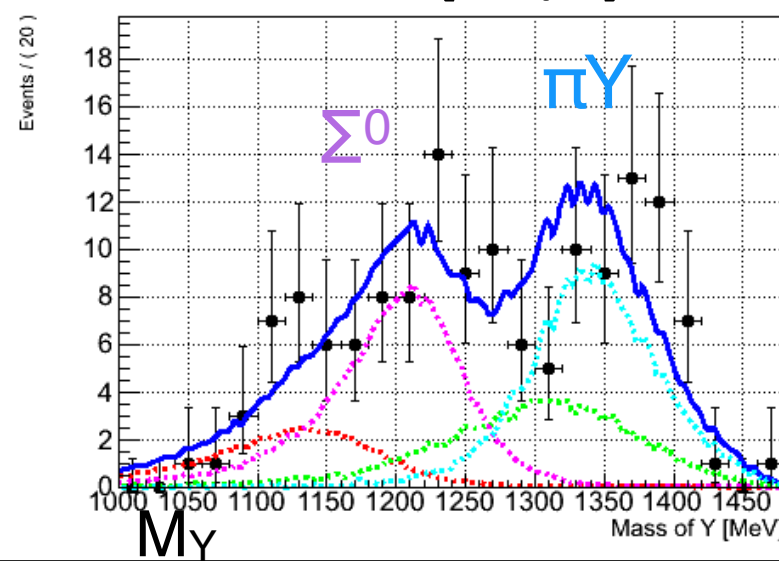
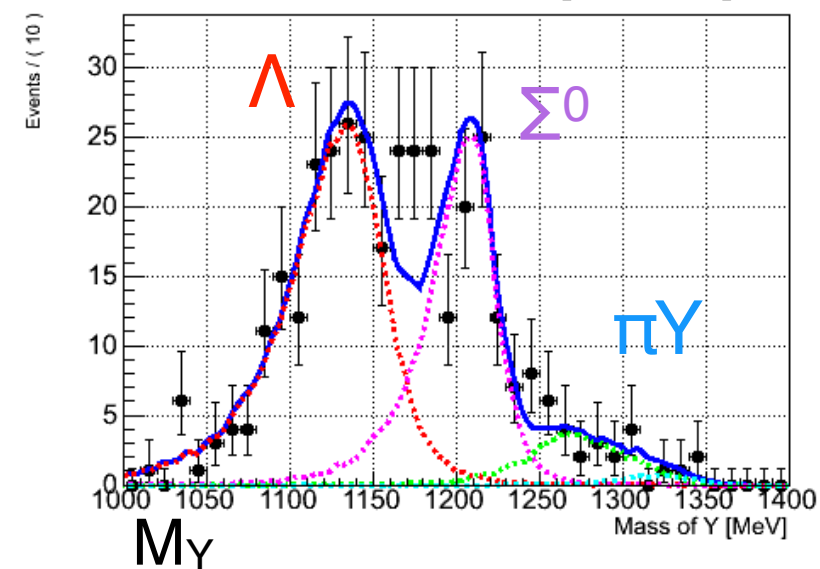
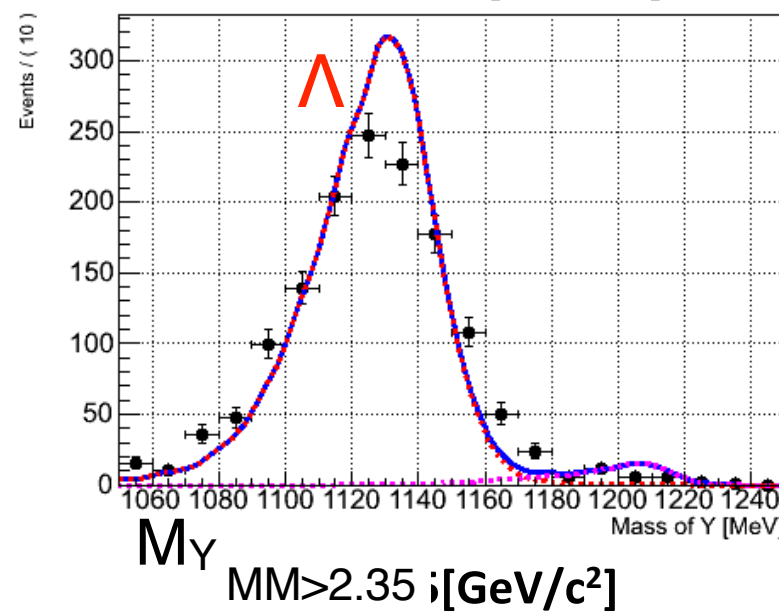


Hyperon mass with two protons

• $d(\pi^+, K^+)K^-pp; \quad K^-pp \rightarrow Y + p, \quad Y \rightarrow \pi + p(+\pi)$

• $M_Y^2 = (E_\pi + M_d - E_K - E_p)^2 - (p_\pi - p_K - p_p)^2$

Black: Data , Red: Λp , Pink: $\Sigma^0 p$, Green: $\Lambda \pi^0 p$, Sky: $\Sigma^+ \pi^- p$, Blue: All component
 $2.1 < MM < 2.22 [\text{GeV}/c^2]$ $2.22 < MM < 2.35 [\text{GeV}/c^2]$



Summary

- ✧ Λ -Hypernuclei

- ✧ E10: Neutron-rich hypernuclei; ${}^6_{\Lambda}\text{H}$

- ✧ E13: Hypernuclear γ -ray spectroscopy; ${}^{19}_{\Lambda}\text{F}$, ${}^4_{\Lambda}\text{He}$

- ✧ $\Lambda\Lambda$ -Hypernuclei

- ✧ E07: Hybrid-emulsion experiment

- ✧ Ξ -Hypernuclei

- ✧ E05: (K^-, K^+) spectroscopy with S-2S

- ✧ Kaonic Nuclei (K^-pp bound state)

- ✧ E15: ${}^3\text{He}(K^-, n)$

- ✧ E27: $d(\pi^+, K^+)$