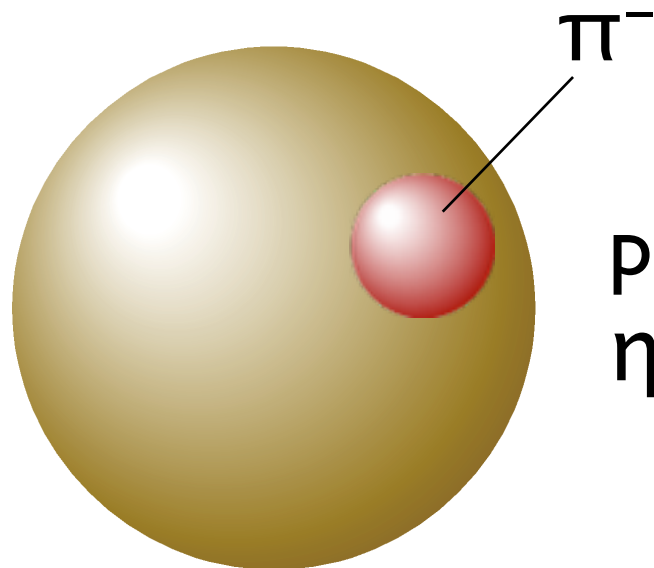


Pionic Atom 分光実験@理研

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Spectroscopy of bound meson to nucleus



pionic atom = negative pion bound to nucleus
 η' -mesic nuclei = η' meson bound to nucleus



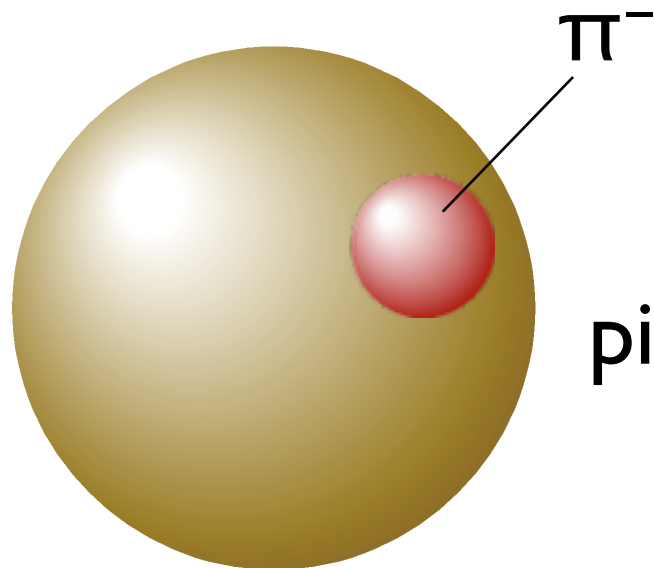
pionic atoms
 π bound to nucleus

- meson-nucleus interaction
 π -nucleus potential
- meson properties in nuclei
Mass reduction of η' -meson
- ...



Low energy QCD
Origin of hadron mass

Pionic Atoms and piA interaction



pionic atoms
π bound to nucleus

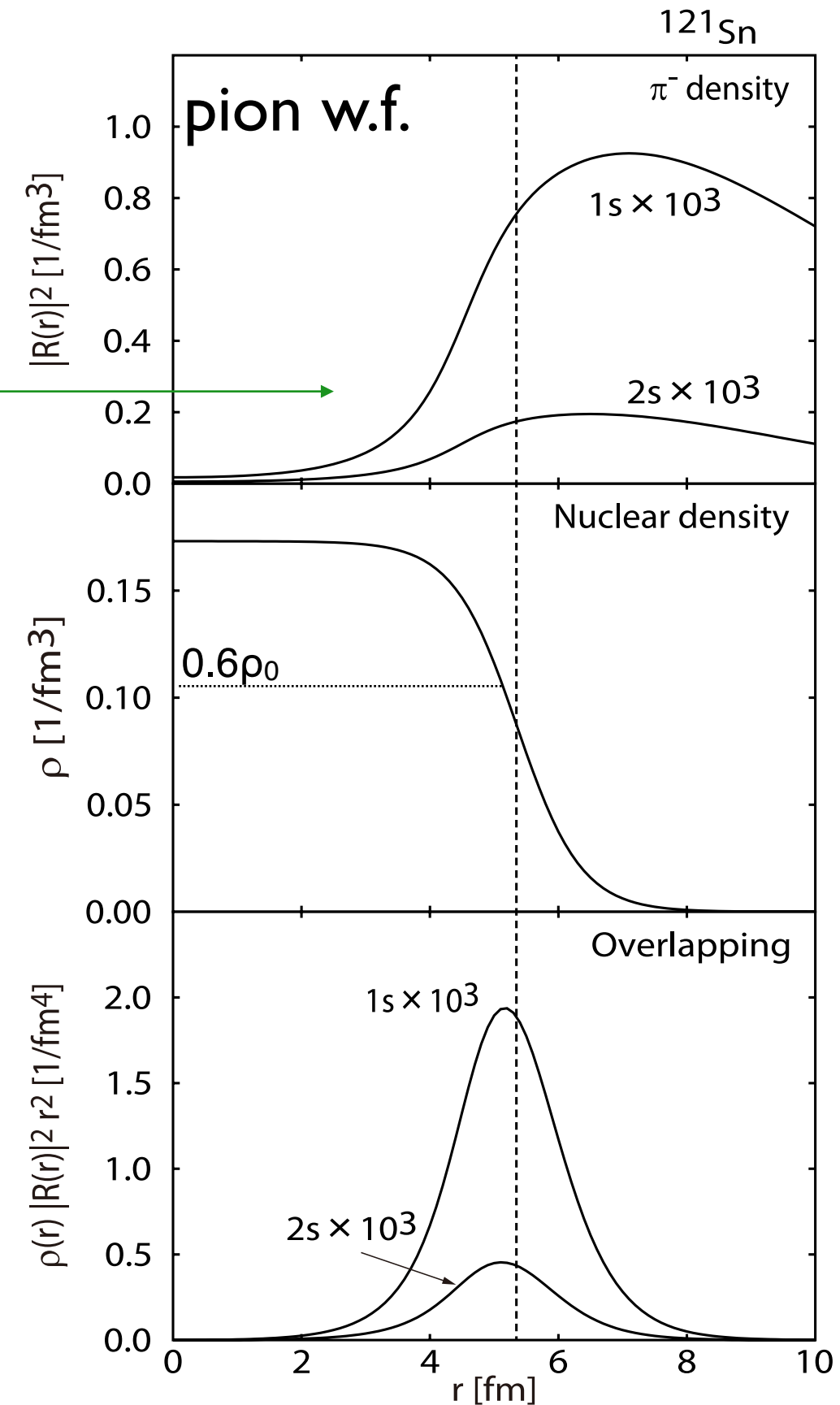
pion wave function locates
at vicinity of nucleus



Sensitivity to
π-nucleus s-wave potential

$$V_{\text{s-wave}} = b_0 \rho + b_1 (\rho_n - \rho_p) + B_0 \rho^2$$

for $\rho_e = 0.6 \rho_0$



Chiral symmetry at finite density

Jido, Hatsuda, Kunihiro, Phys.Lett.B670:109-113,2008.
Kolomeitsev, Kaiser, Weise, Phys. Rev. Lett. 90(2003)092501

M. Gell-Mann et al., PRL75(1968)2195.

Gell-Mann-Oakes-Renner relation

$$f_\pi^2 m_\pi^2 = -2m_q \langle \bar{q}q \rangle$$

f_π : pion decay constant

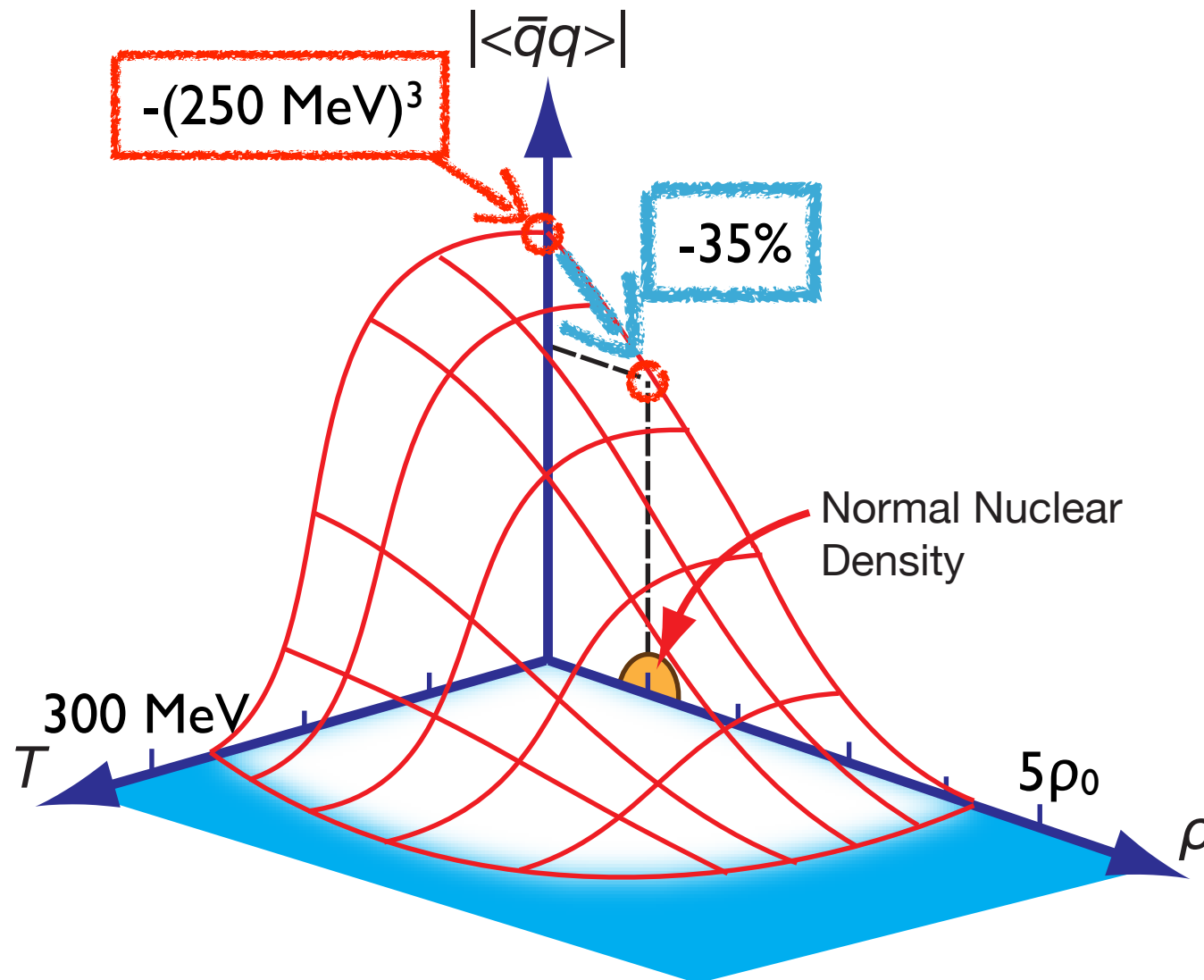
Y.Tomozawa, NuovoCimA46(1966)707.
S.Weinberg, PRL17(1966)616.

Tomozawa-Weinberg relation

$$b_1 = -\frac{m_\pi}{8\pi f_\pi^2}$$

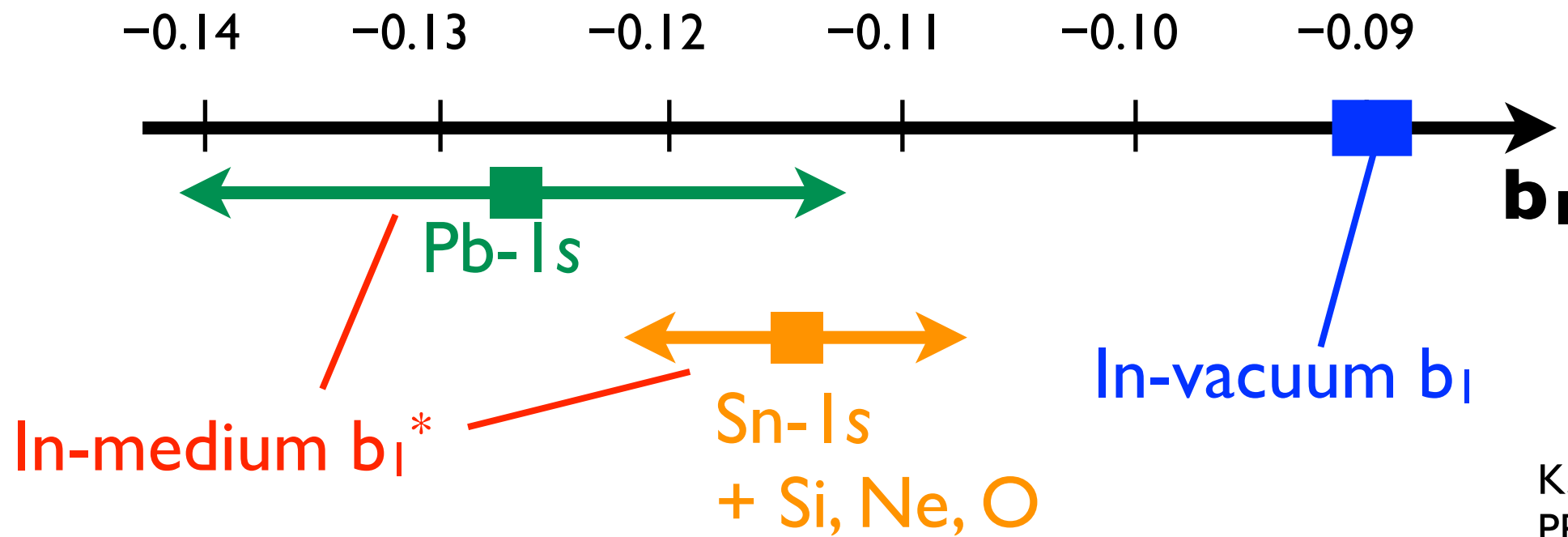
b_1 : isovector πN scattering length

$$\frac{\langle \bar{q}q \rangle_\rho}{\langle \bar{q}q \rangle_0} \approx \frac{b_1^{\text{free}}}{b_1(\rho)}$$



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Present b_1 precision



b_1^* still has a large error

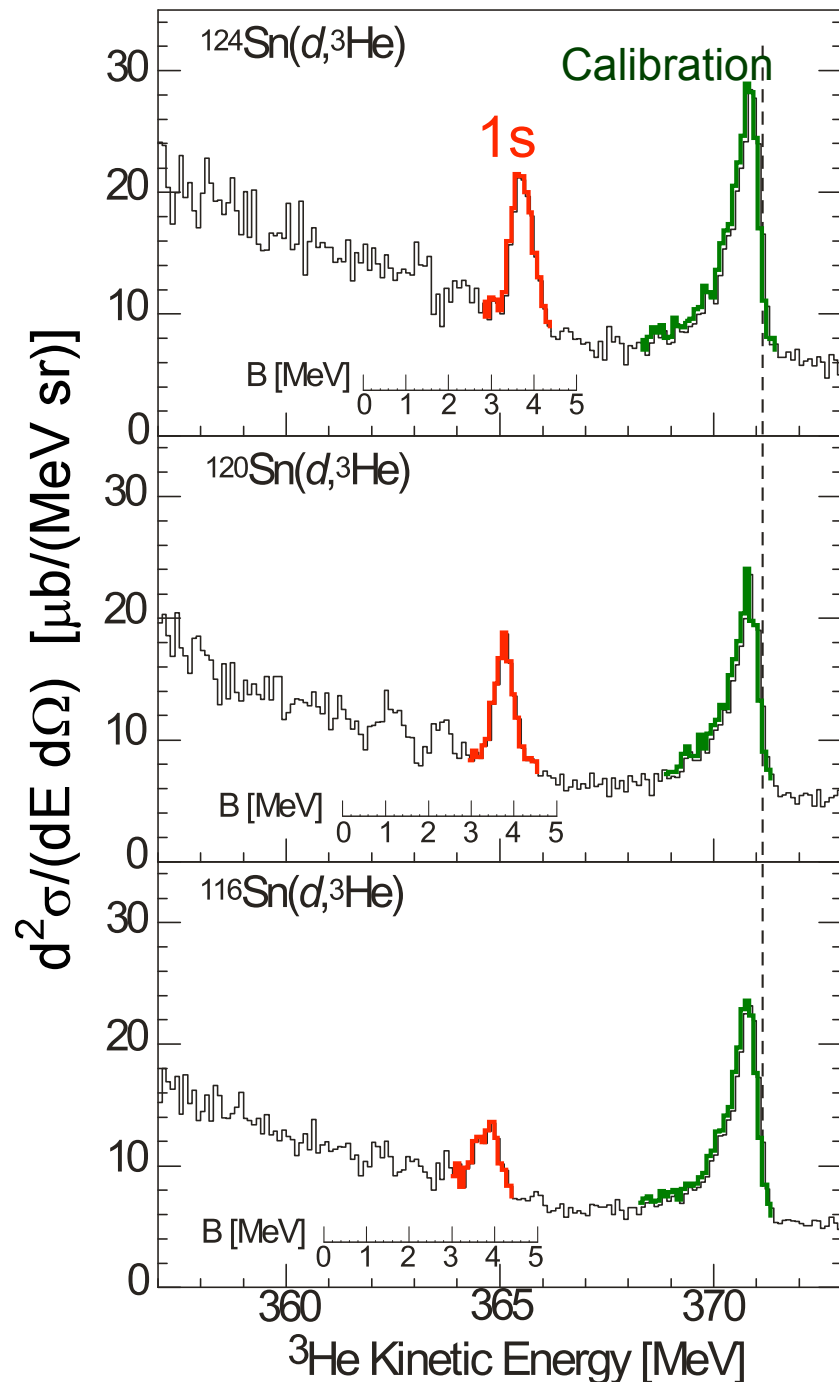
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← spectroscopy of pionic atoms

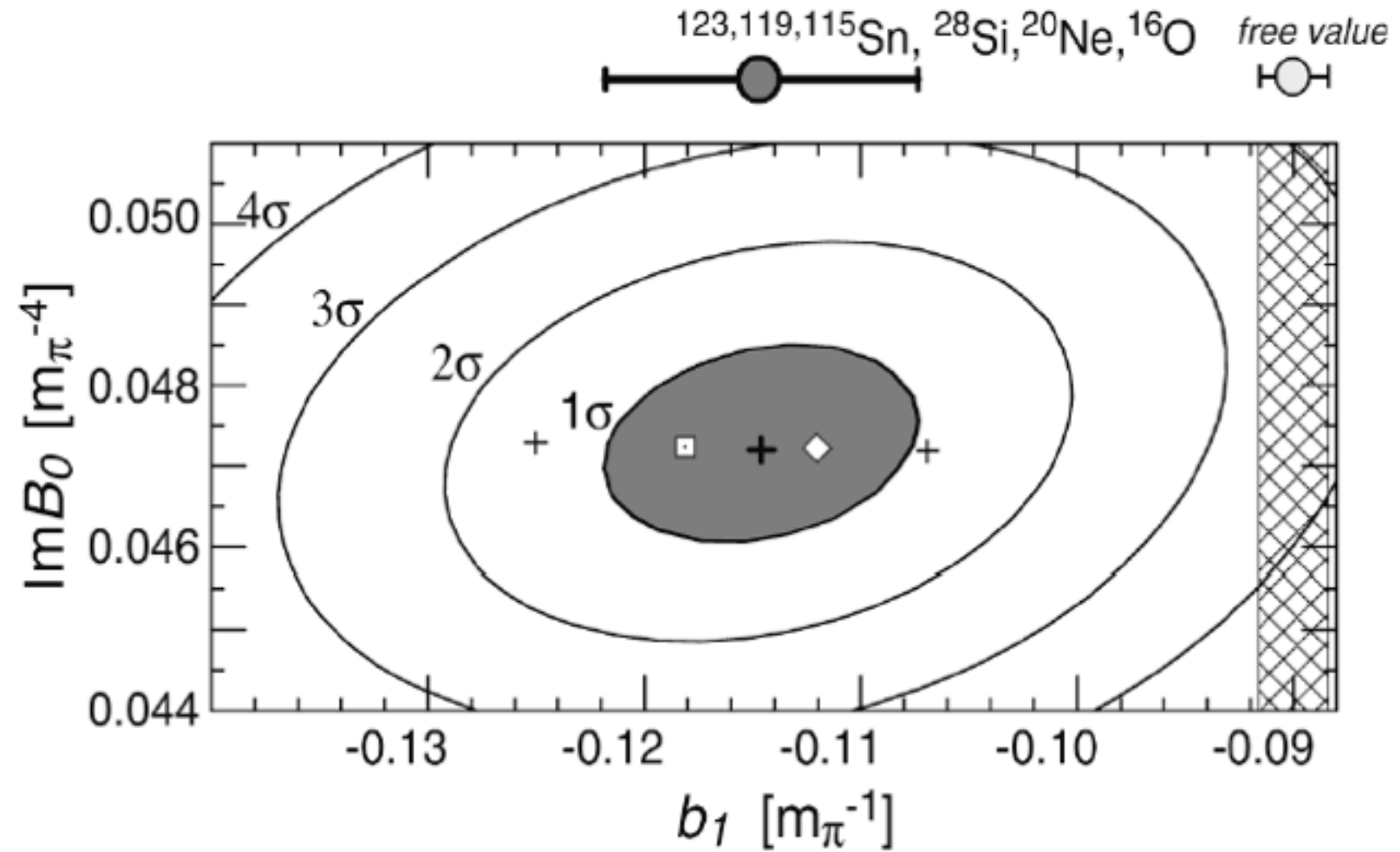
In-medium b_1 is calculated based on deeply bound pionic states data combined with light spherical pionic atom data.

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Present b_1 precision



K. Suzuki et al.,
PRL92(04)072302.



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Present b_1 precision

Γ_{1s} [MeV]

$$^{115}\text{Sn} \ 0.441 \pm 0.087$$

$$^{119}\text{Sn} \ 0.326 \pm 0.080$$

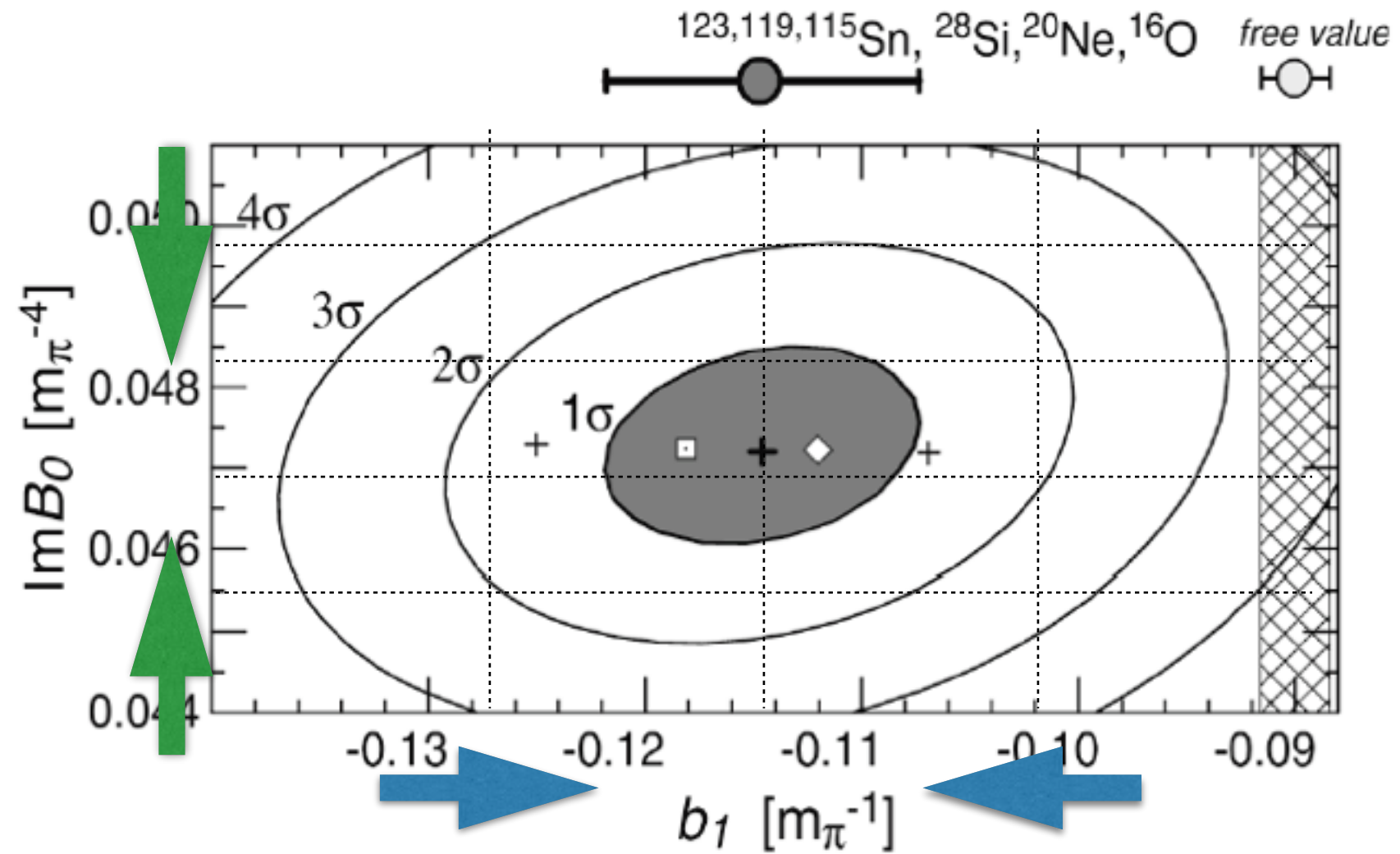
$$^{123}\text{Sn} \ 0.341 \pm 0.072$$

B_{1s} [MeV]

$$^{115}\text{Sn} \ 3.906 \pm 0.024$$

$$^{119}\text{Sn} \ 3.820 \pm 0.018$$

$$^{123}\text{Sn} \ 3.744 \pm 0.018$$



$$V_{\text{s-wave}} = b_0 \rho + \mathbf{b_1} (\rho_n - \rho_p) + B_0 \rho^2$$

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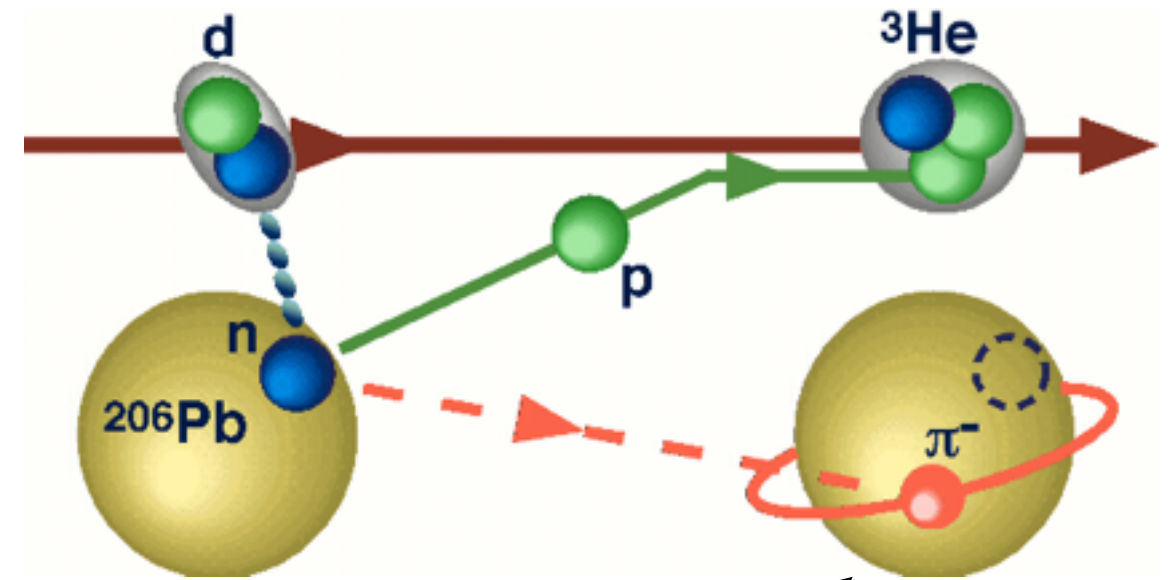
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Spectroscopy of pionic atoms

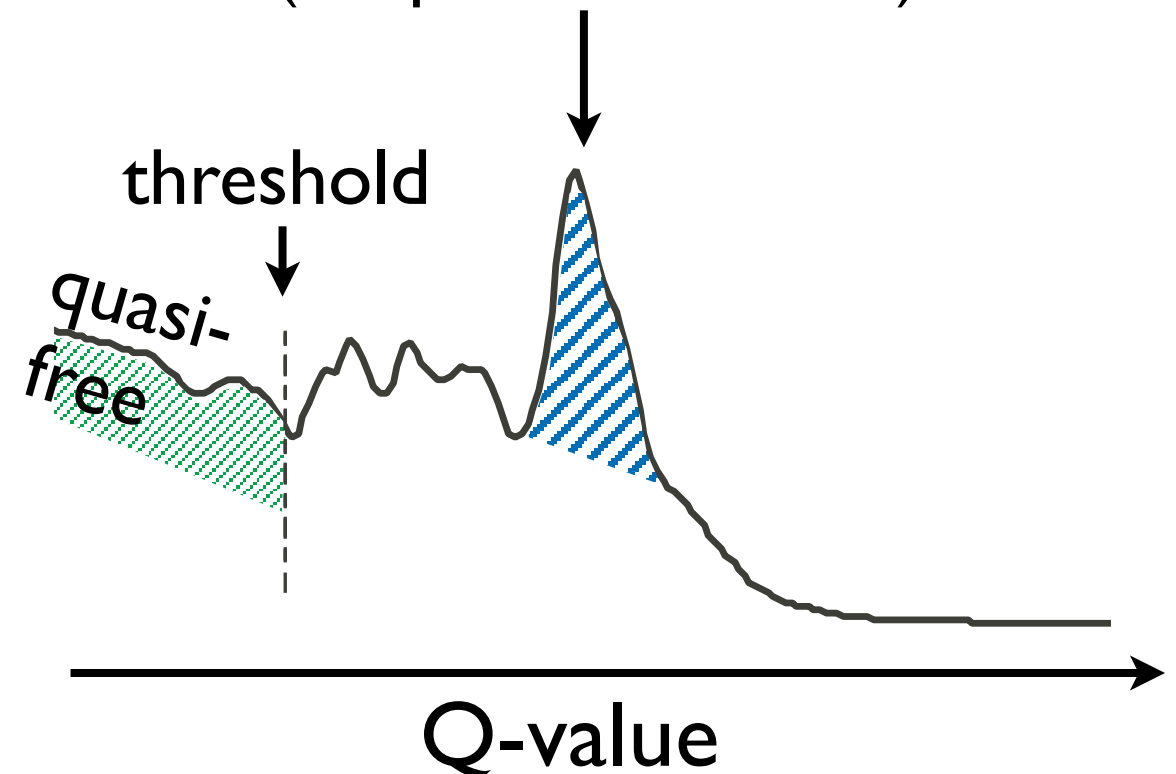
Direct production
in $(d, {}^3\text{He})$ nuclear reaction

Missing mass spectroscopy
to measure excitation spectrum
in Q-value measurement

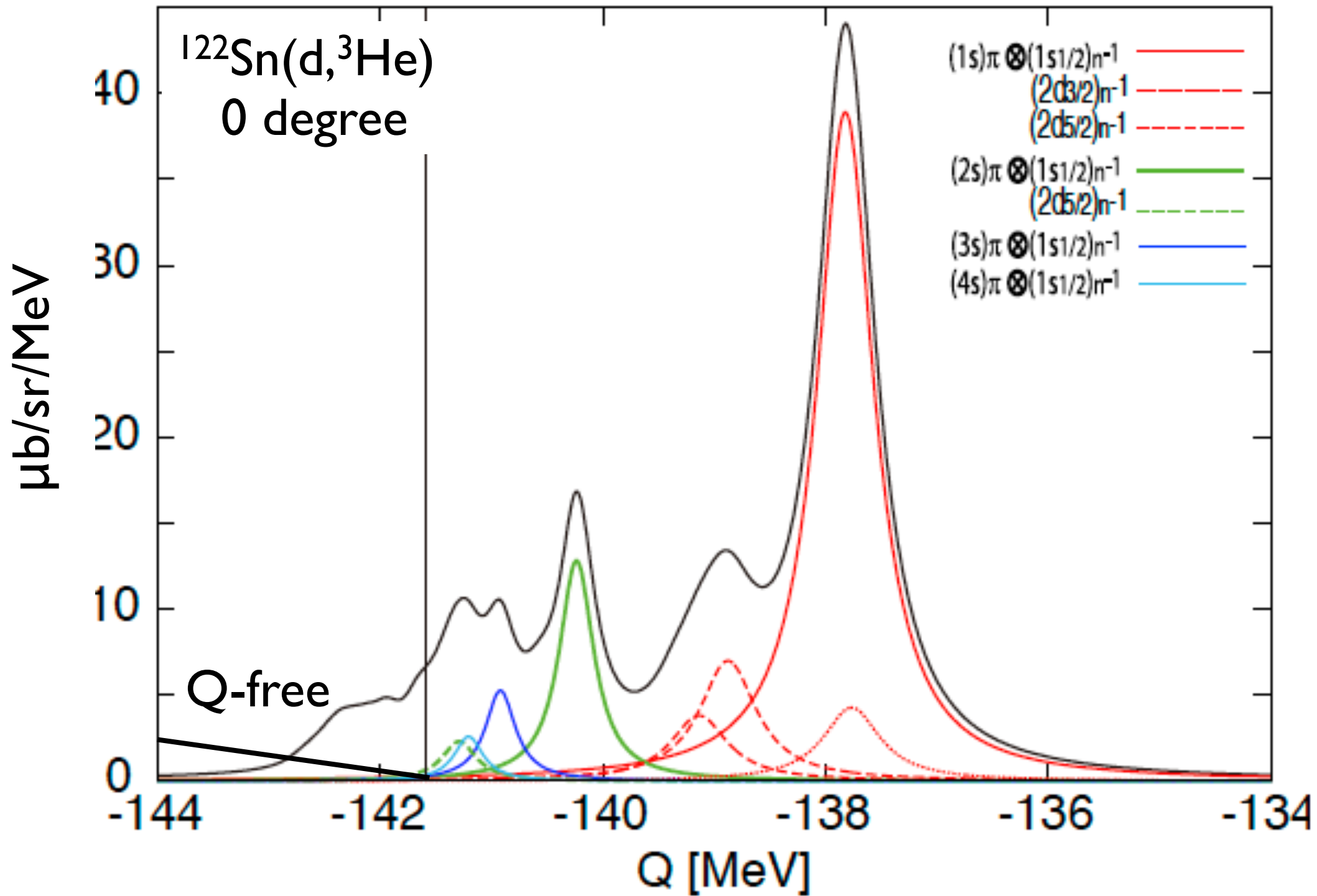
We are aiming at
300 keV (FWHM) resolution.
(prev. 400 keV)



Pion bound state
(coupled with n hole)



Theoretical Spectrum for $^{122}\text{Sn}(d,^3\text{He})$



N. Ikeno, Eur.Phys.J.A47 (2011) 161

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Precision measurement of deeply bound pionic Sn atoms in RIBF

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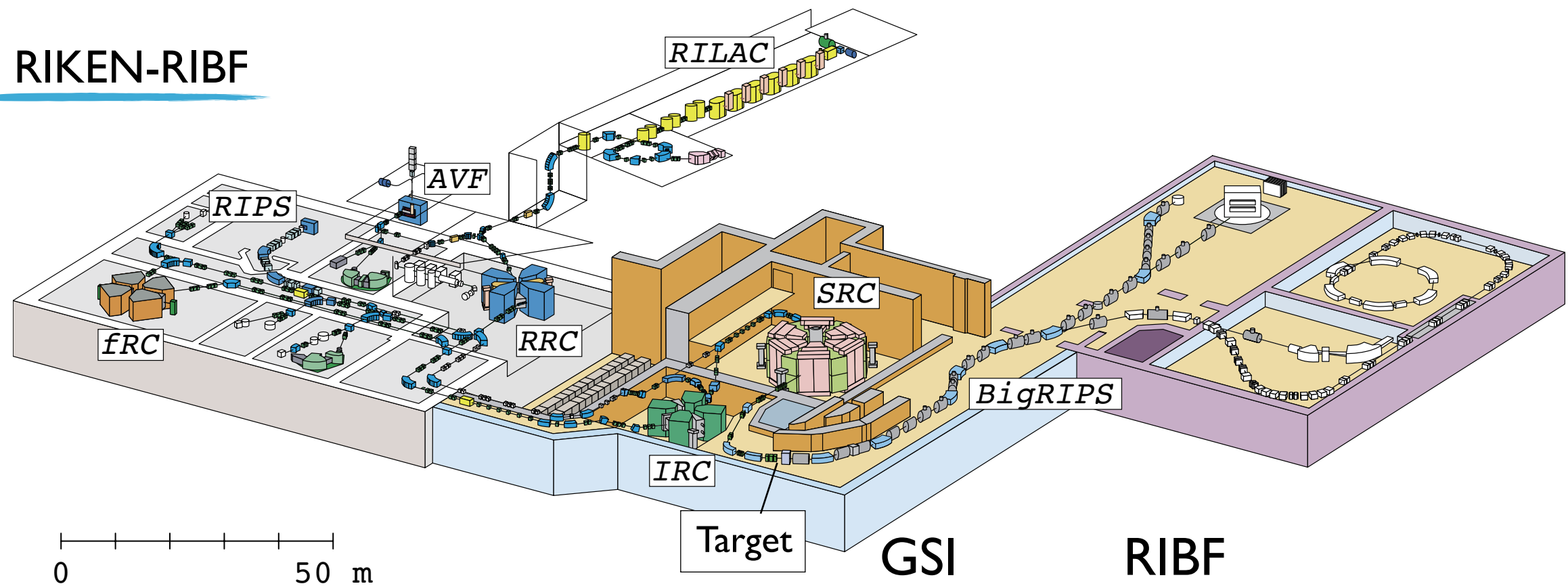
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Precision spectroscopy at RI Beam Factory

RIKEN-RIBF



	GSI	RIBF
d beam Intensity	10	10
Target	20 mg/cm	10 mg/cm
Δ	0.03%	0.06%
Resolution (FWHM)	400 keV	< 300 keV
Acceptance (mrad)	15H, 10V	40H, 60V

Resol. Matching

RIBF-54 Objectives

- 2010 Pilot run (~3 days)

Establish experimental methods

(calibration, optics, detectors etc.)

Take a short production run w. Sn target for **overall test**

- 2014 Main run (~10 days)

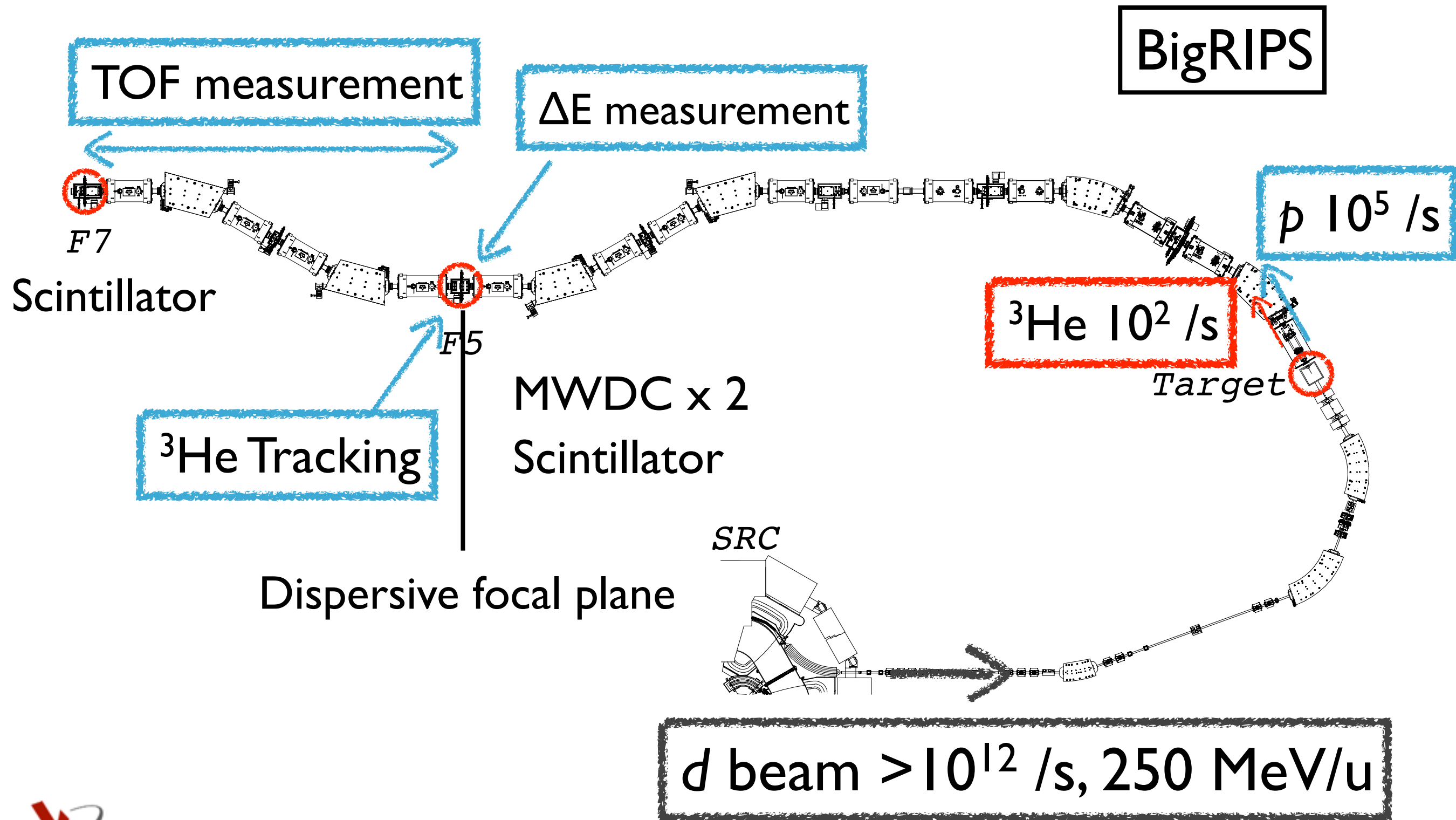
Achieve world highest resolution < 400 keV

First observation of $1s + 2s$ pionic Sn states

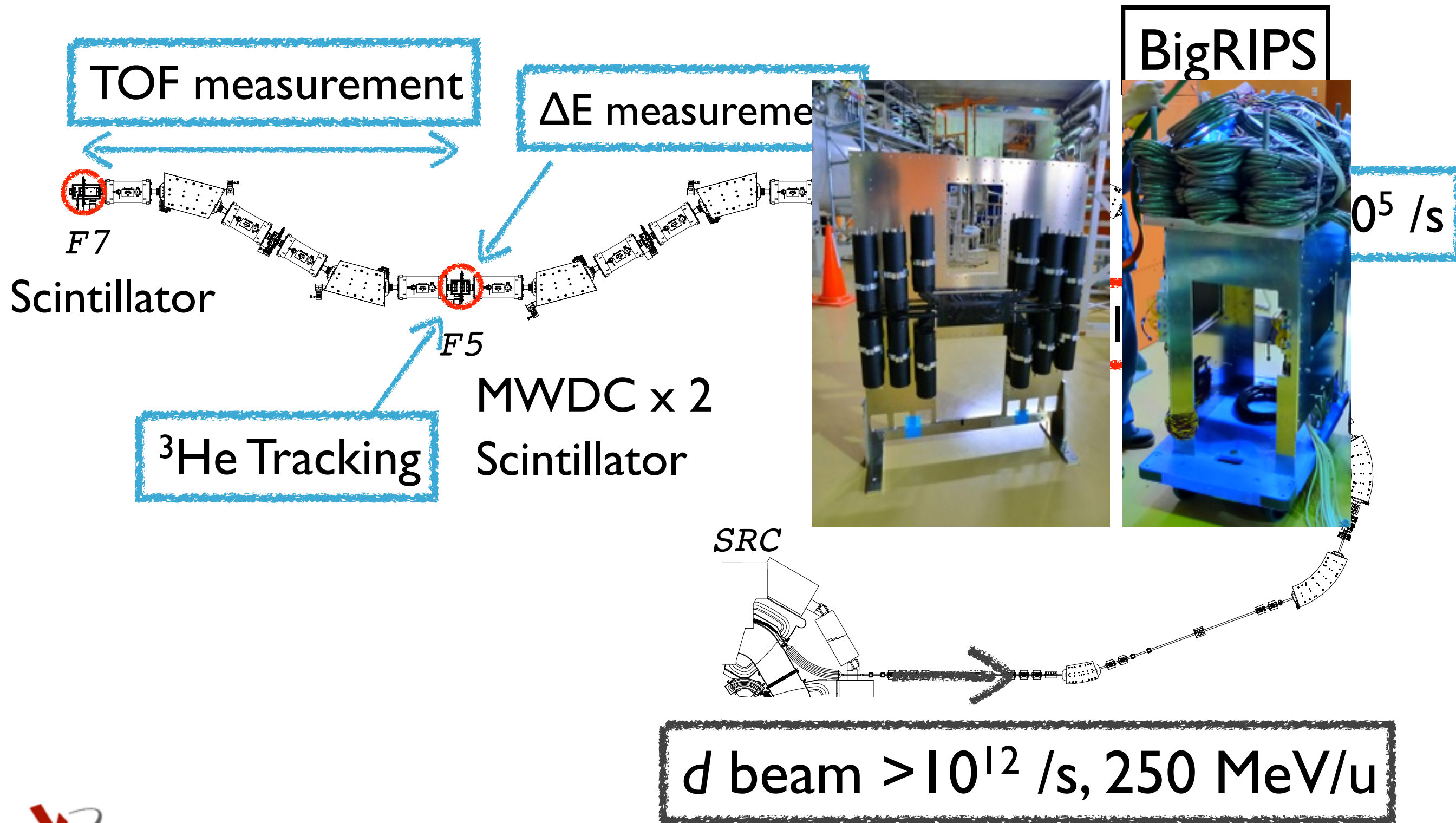
→ better precision + better sys. error for B and Γ

First data for pionic even N Sn atom

Experimental setup



Experimental setup



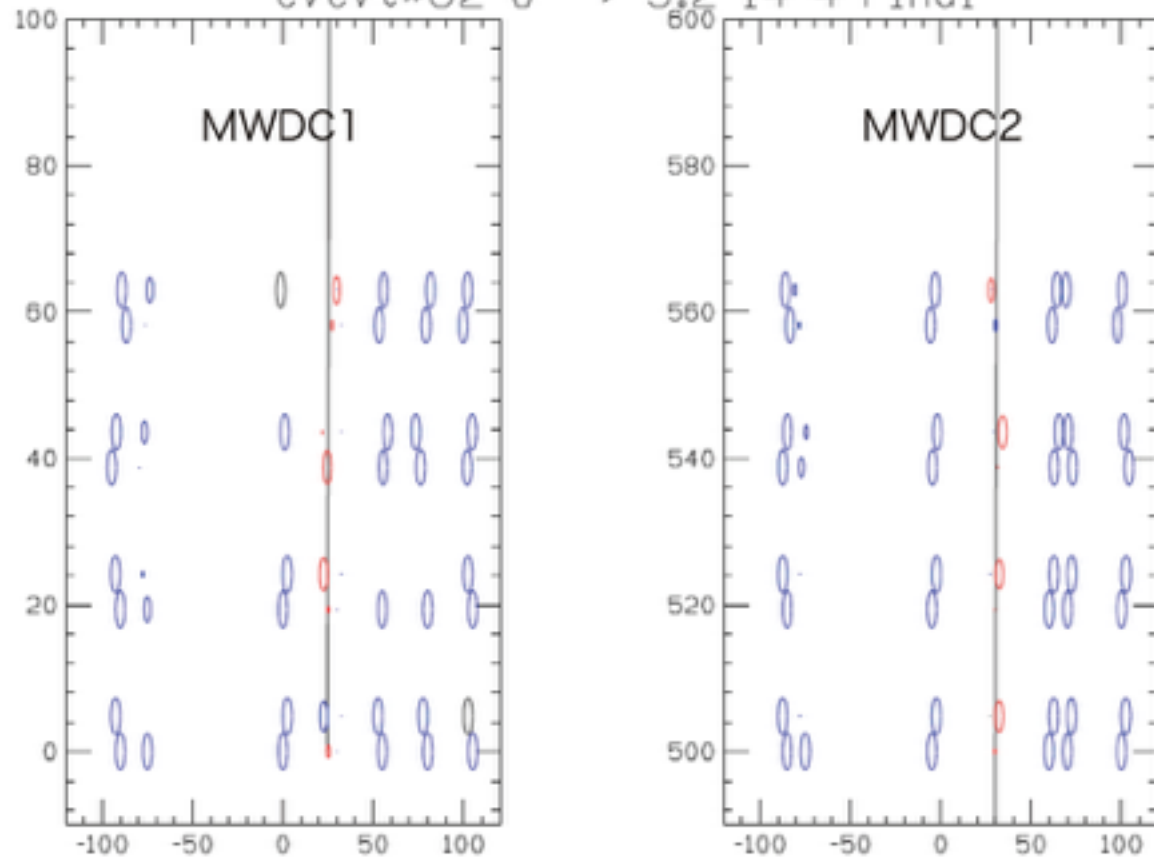
Instruments and analysis

MWDC as PID device

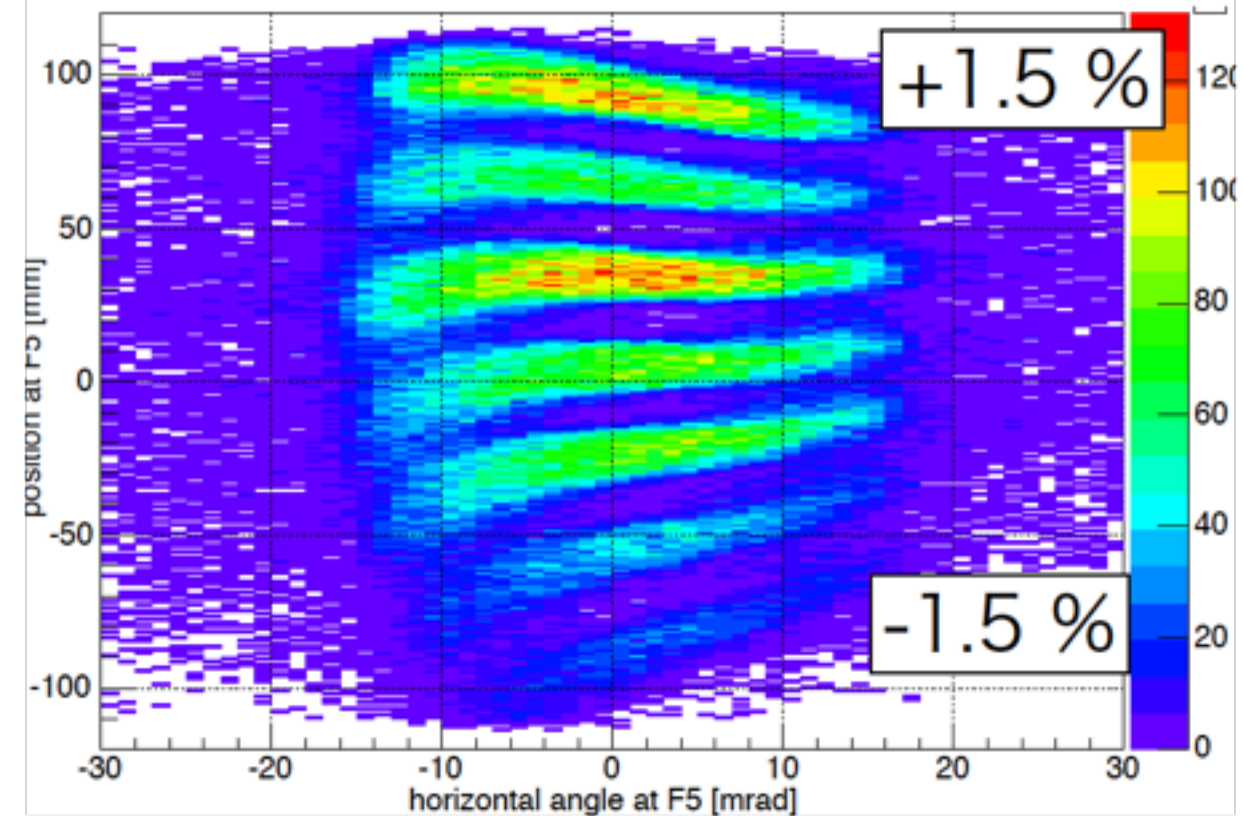
higher order aberration
($x, \alpha \alpha \alpha \delta \delta \delta$) correction

^3He Track is reconstructed

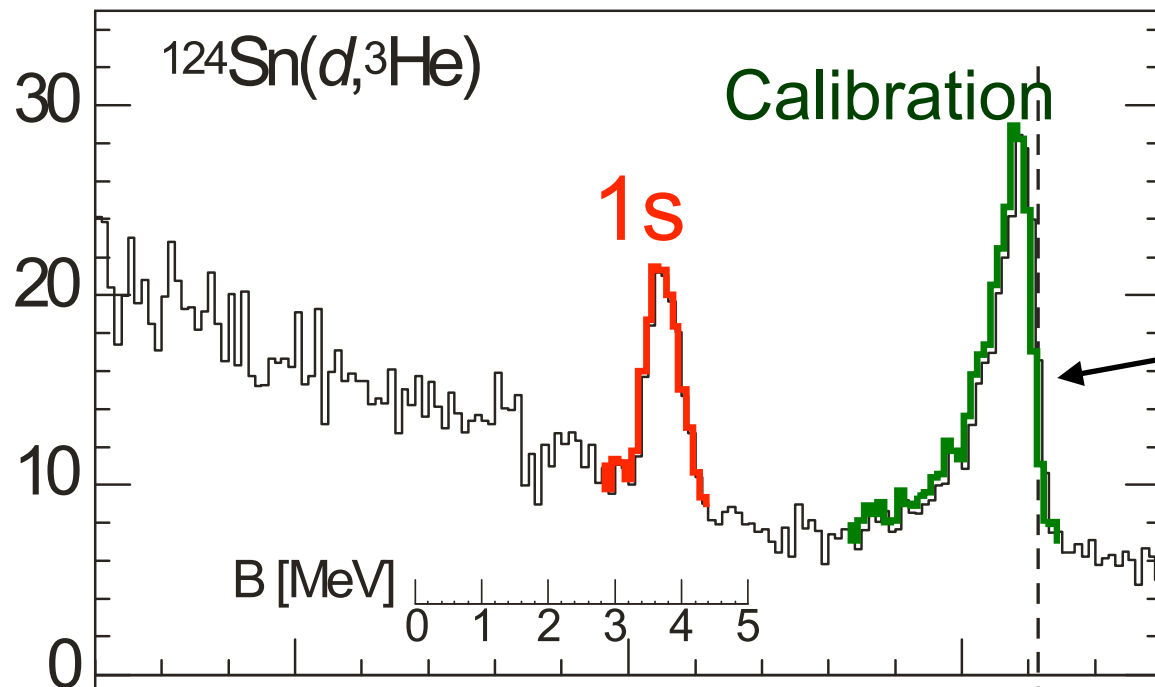
event#62-0 --> 3.2 14 4 final



AX image @F5
(measured by PPAC)



Experimental resolution / systematic errors



K. Suzuki et al.,
PRL92(04)072302.

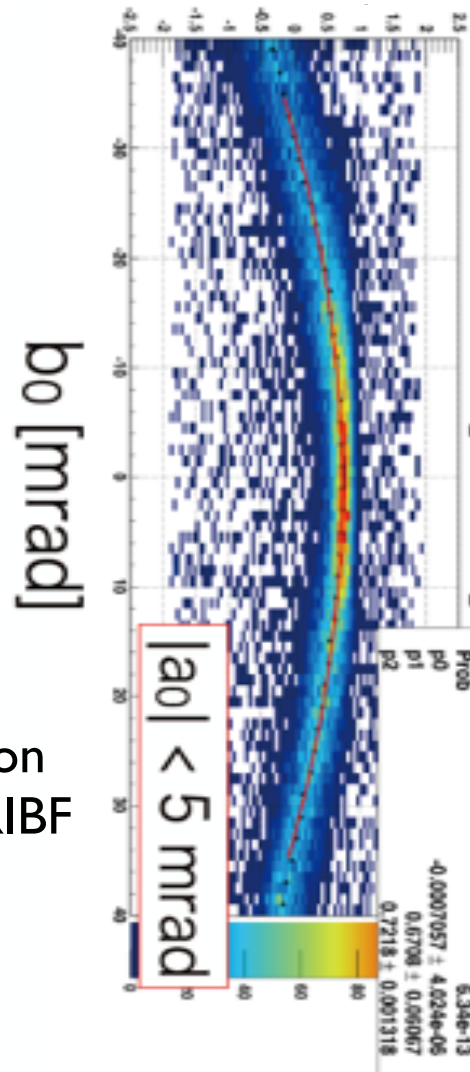
in-situ Calibration
 $p(d,^3\text{He})\pi^0$

using CH2 pasted Sn target

Resolution ~ 400 keV
(beam p spread, target thickness)

Systematic errors
in absolute energy scale
(**calibration**, incident energy, dx/dp ...)

Figure based on
data taken at RIBF



We want to improve precision.

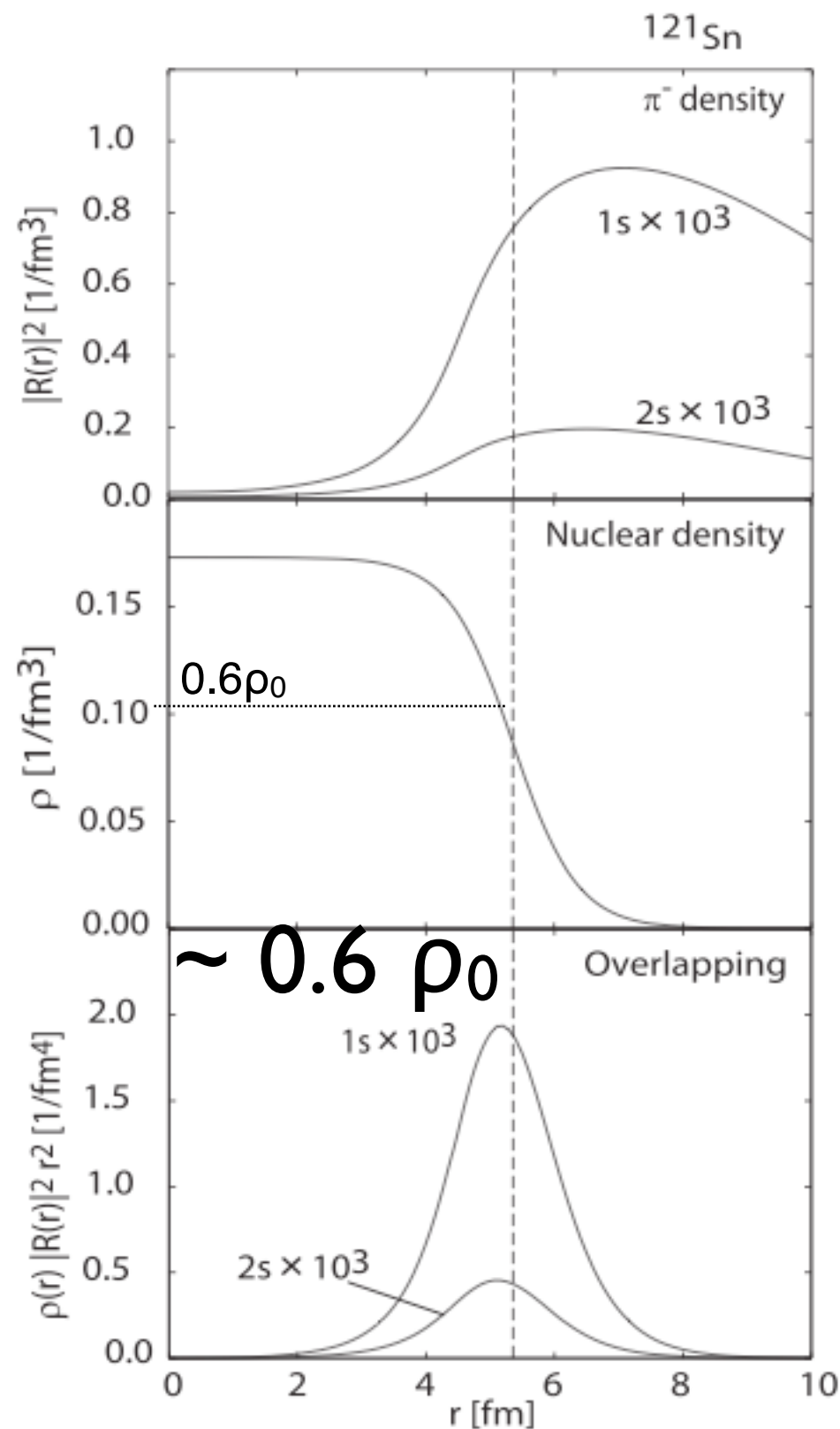
Feasibility study has started for

Deeply-Bound Pionic Atoms with Unstable Nuclei

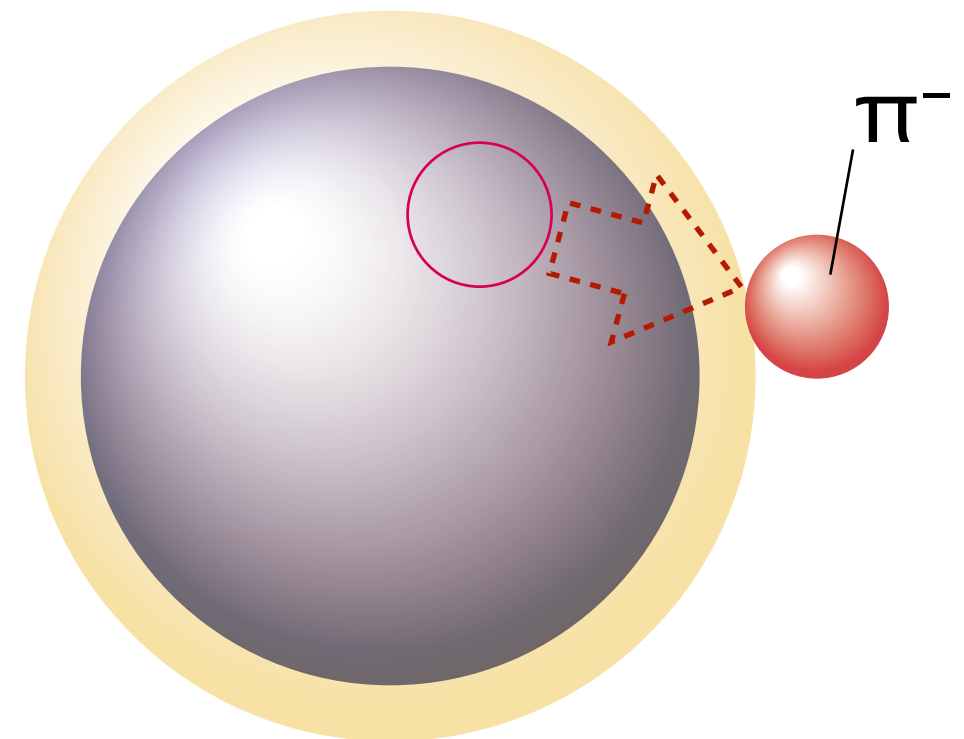
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Deeply-Bound Pionic Atoms with Unstable Nuclei



neutron rich nucleus



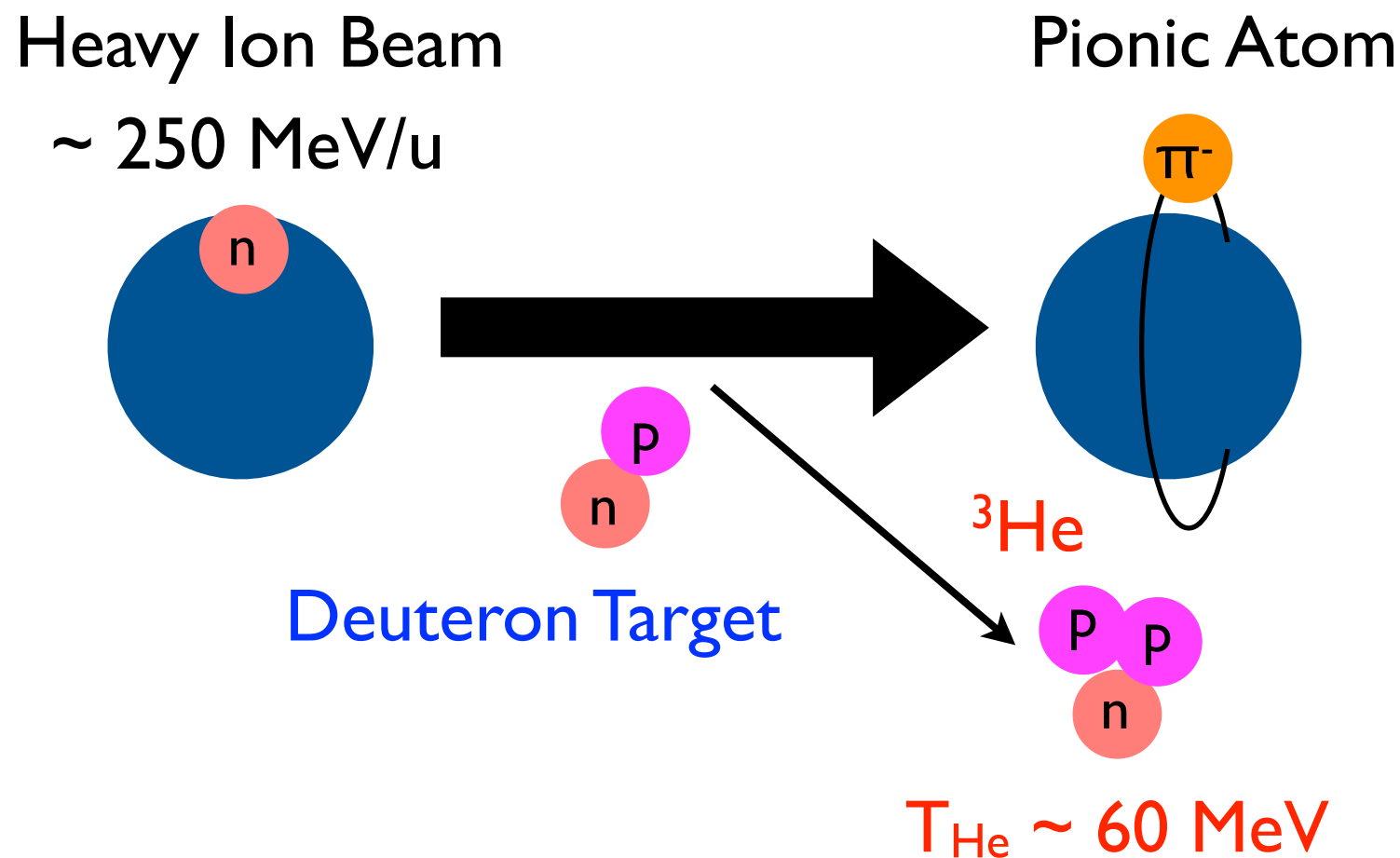
neutron skin

Pion bound at $\rho < 0.6 \rho_0$
 ρ_0 : normal nuclear density
**Density dependence
of $\langle \bar{q}q \rangle$**

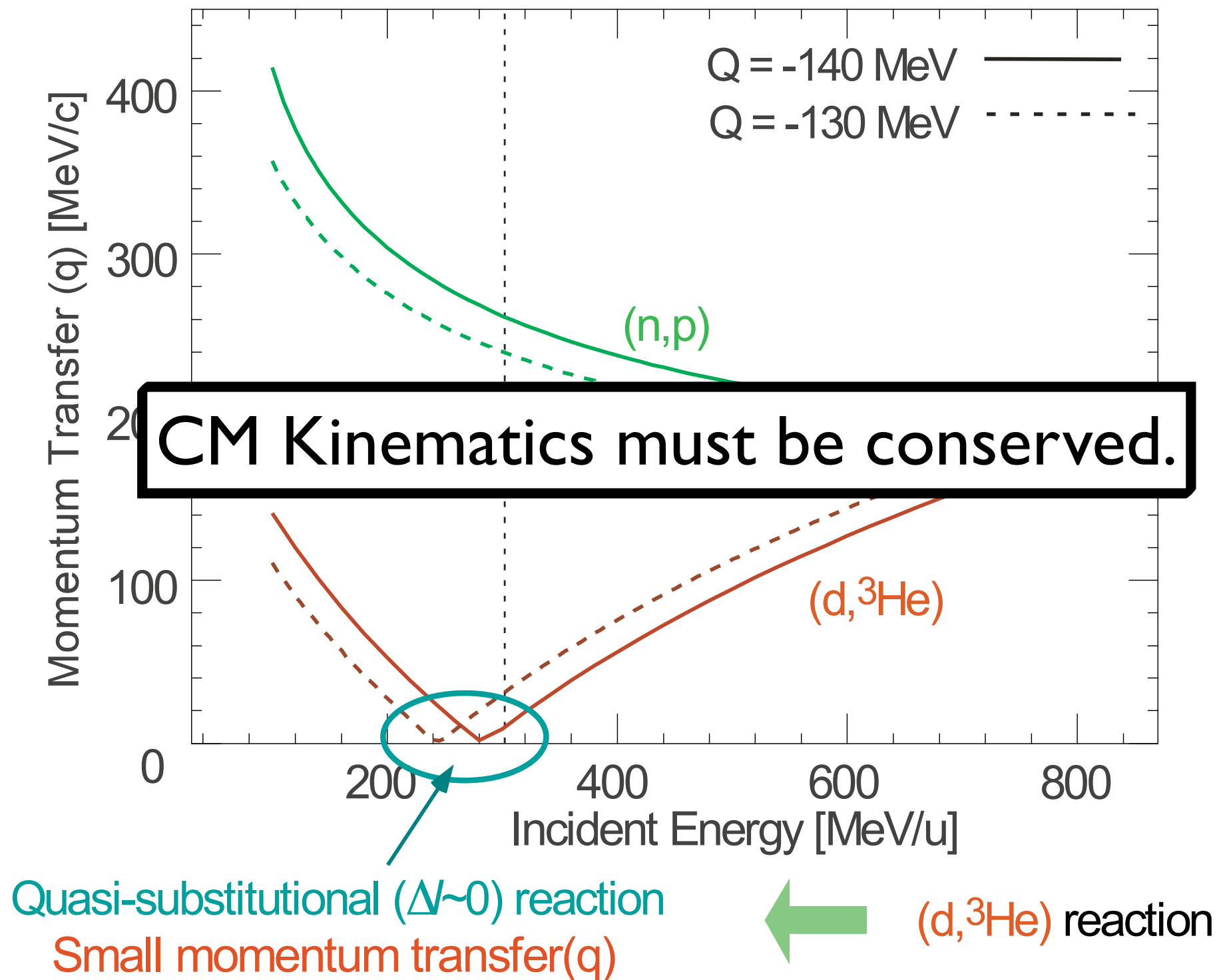
N. Ikeno *et al.*, PTP126(2011)483.

Missing mass spectroscopy in $d(\text{HI}, {}^3\text{He})$ reaction

Keeping the same kinematical condition
as normal kinematics !!



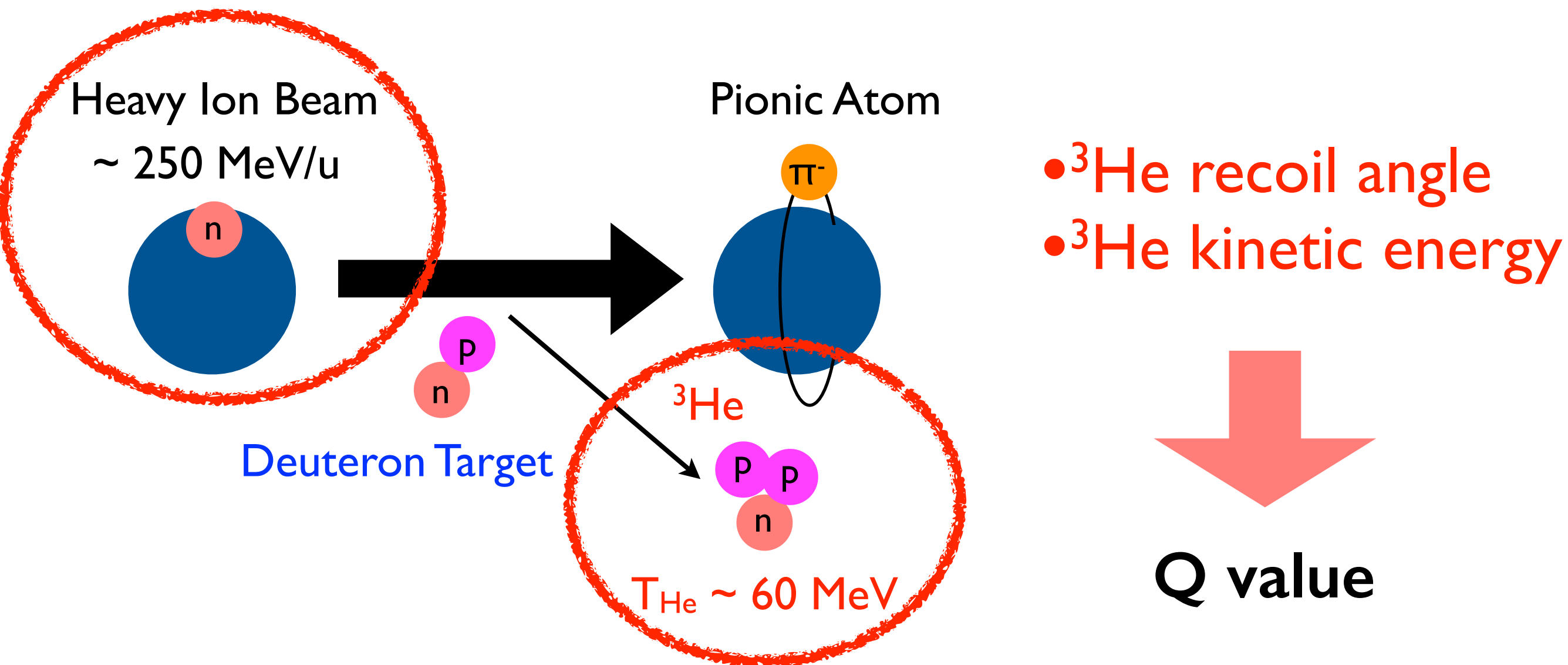
Momentum Transfer



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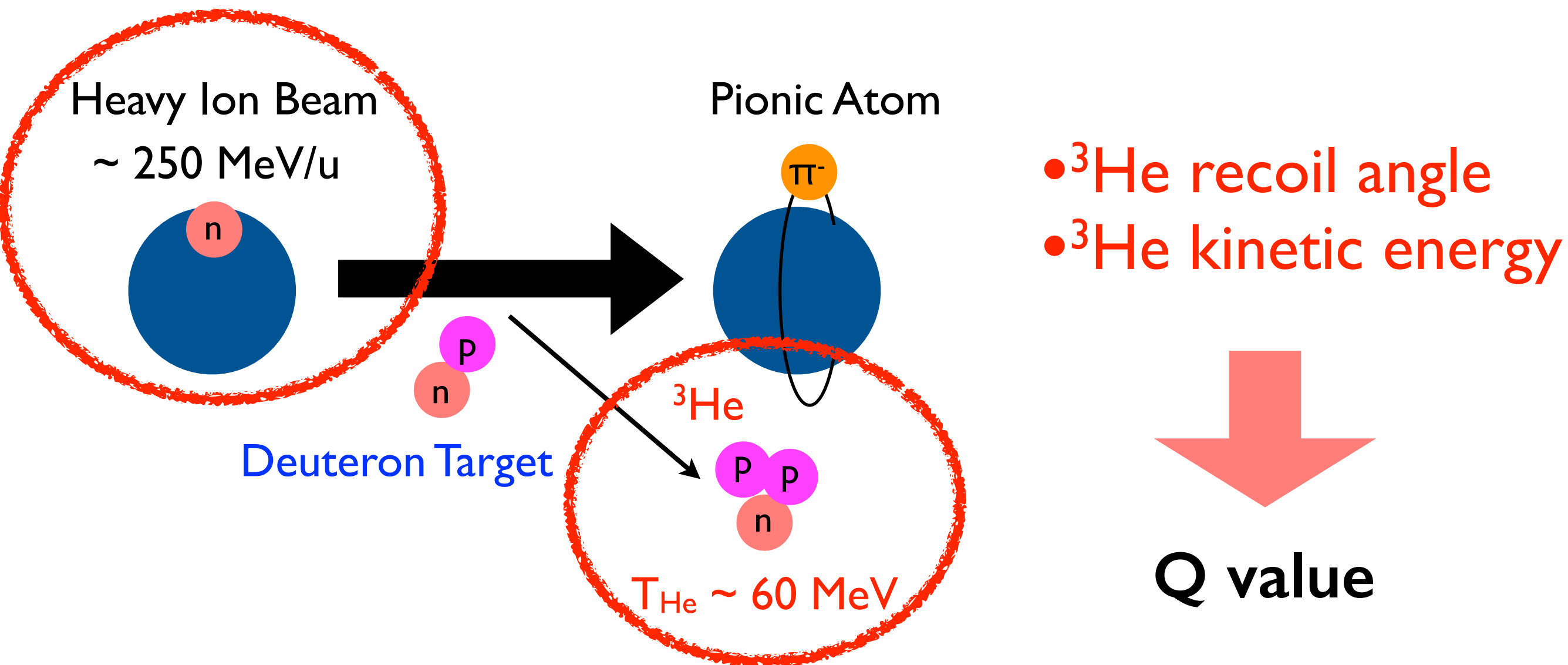
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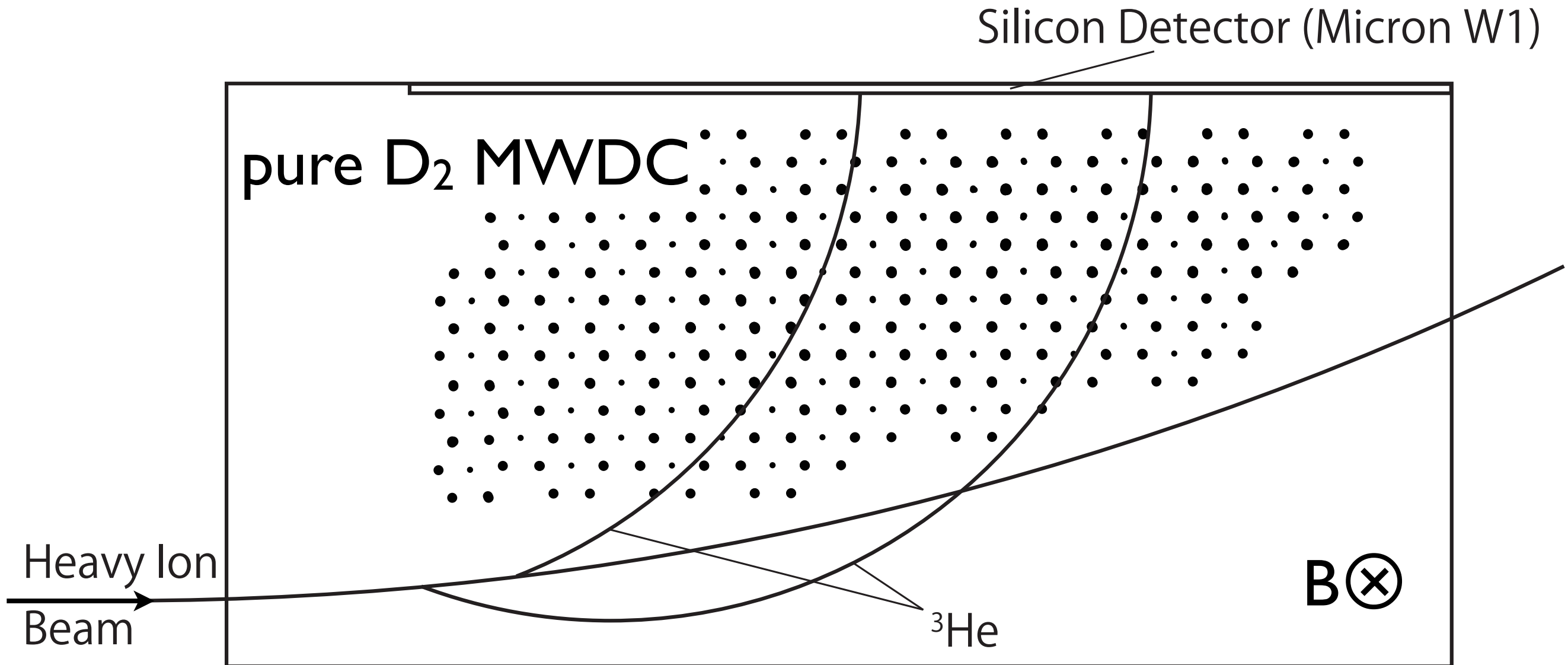
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60 MeV ${}^3\text{He}$ range is 1.8 mm in Silicon
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Conceptual design at RIBF as a first step

Experimental Setup



- ^3He recoil angle
- ^3He kinetic energy
- vertex point

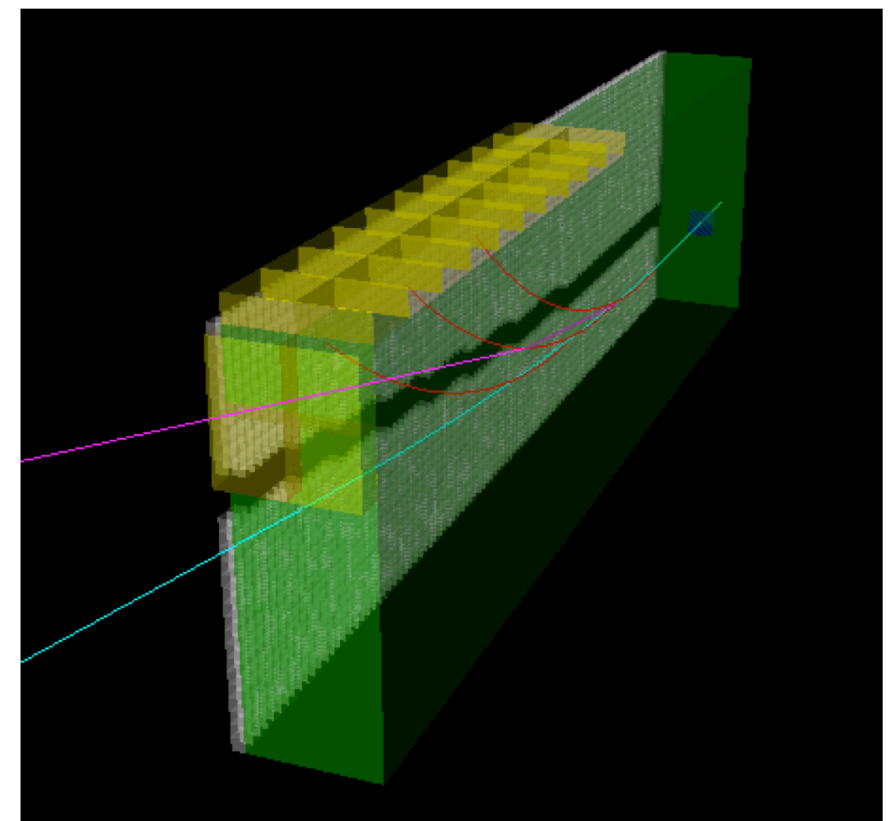
ΔE , Full Energy by Si +
Trajectory by MWDC
Incident beam $< 10^6/\text{s}$

Yield and resolution estimation (simulation)

	requirement
yield	10
resolution	$\Delta Q < 1 \text{ MeV (FWHM)}$

input parameter

intensity	~ 10
TPC resolution	$\sim 500 \mu\text{m}$
Si resolution	$0.1\% @ 60 \text{ MeV}$



GEANT4 simulation

Q Value Resolution

Cause	ΔQ (FWHM) [keV]
Energy Resolution of Si at $T_{\text{He}} \sim 60 \text{ MeV}$ $\sigma_{\text{Si}} = 0.1 \%$	~ 350
Energy Straggling of ^3He in TPC	~ 350
Vertex Reconstruction With Incident Beam $\sigma_{\text{TPC}} = 500 \mu\text{m}$	~ 130
Total	~ 500

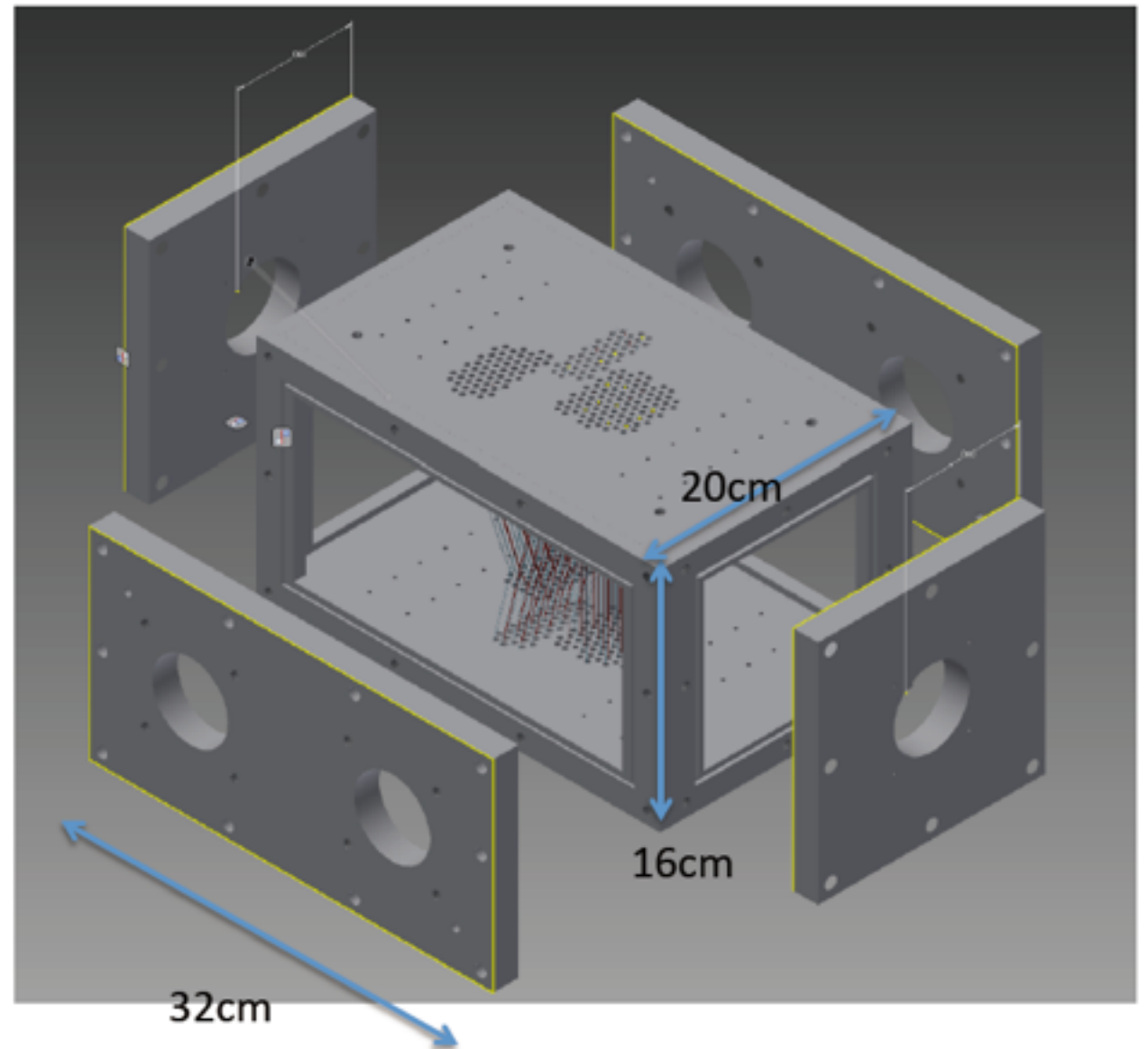
cf. 400 keV for normal kinematics

Detector Development

Silicon in deuterium test
+ pure deuterium GEM-TPC
(w. CNS) development.



prototype MWDC in construction

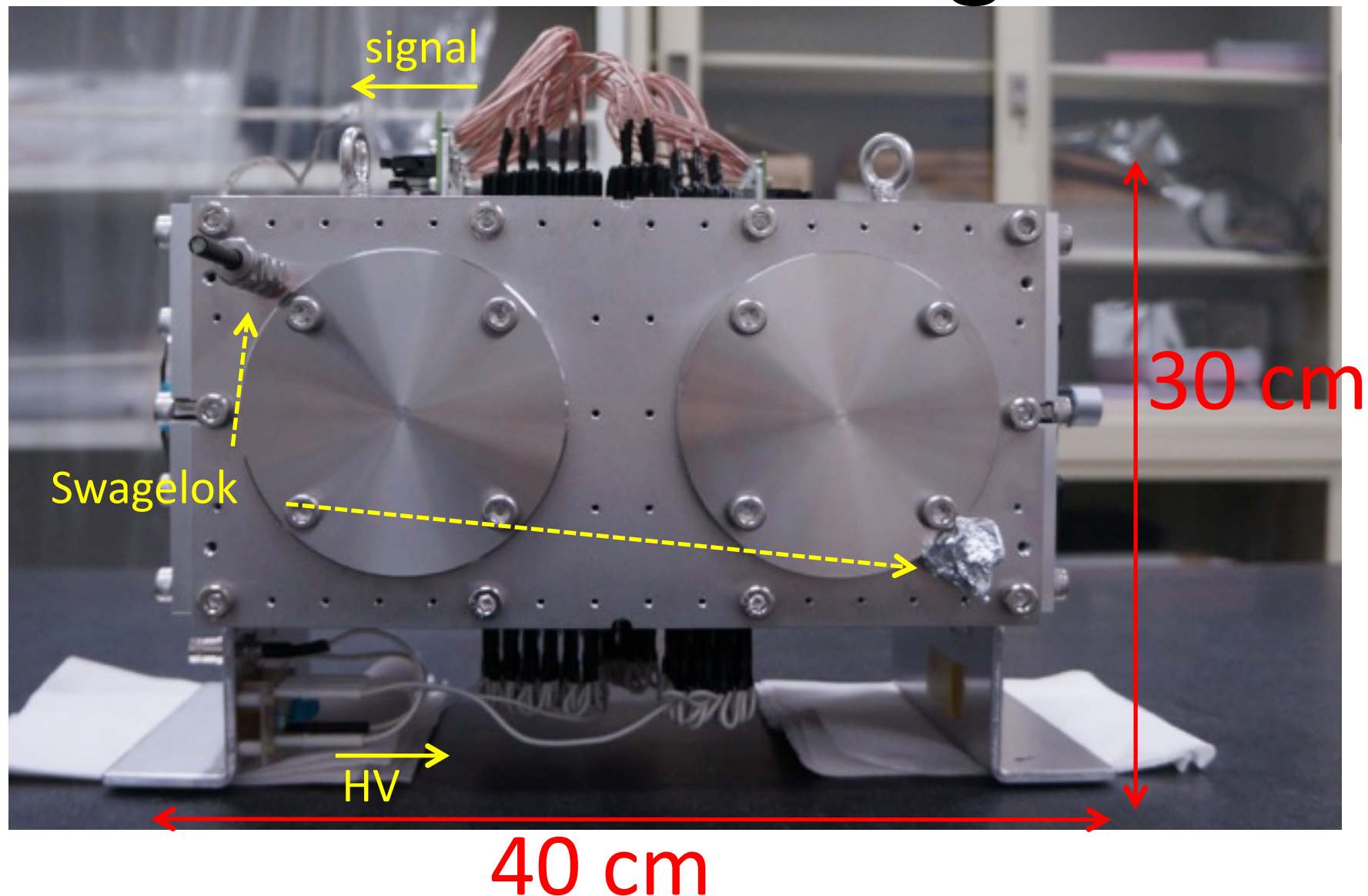


First test run with
stable nuclei in HIMAC

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Y.N. Watanabe and S. Ogawa

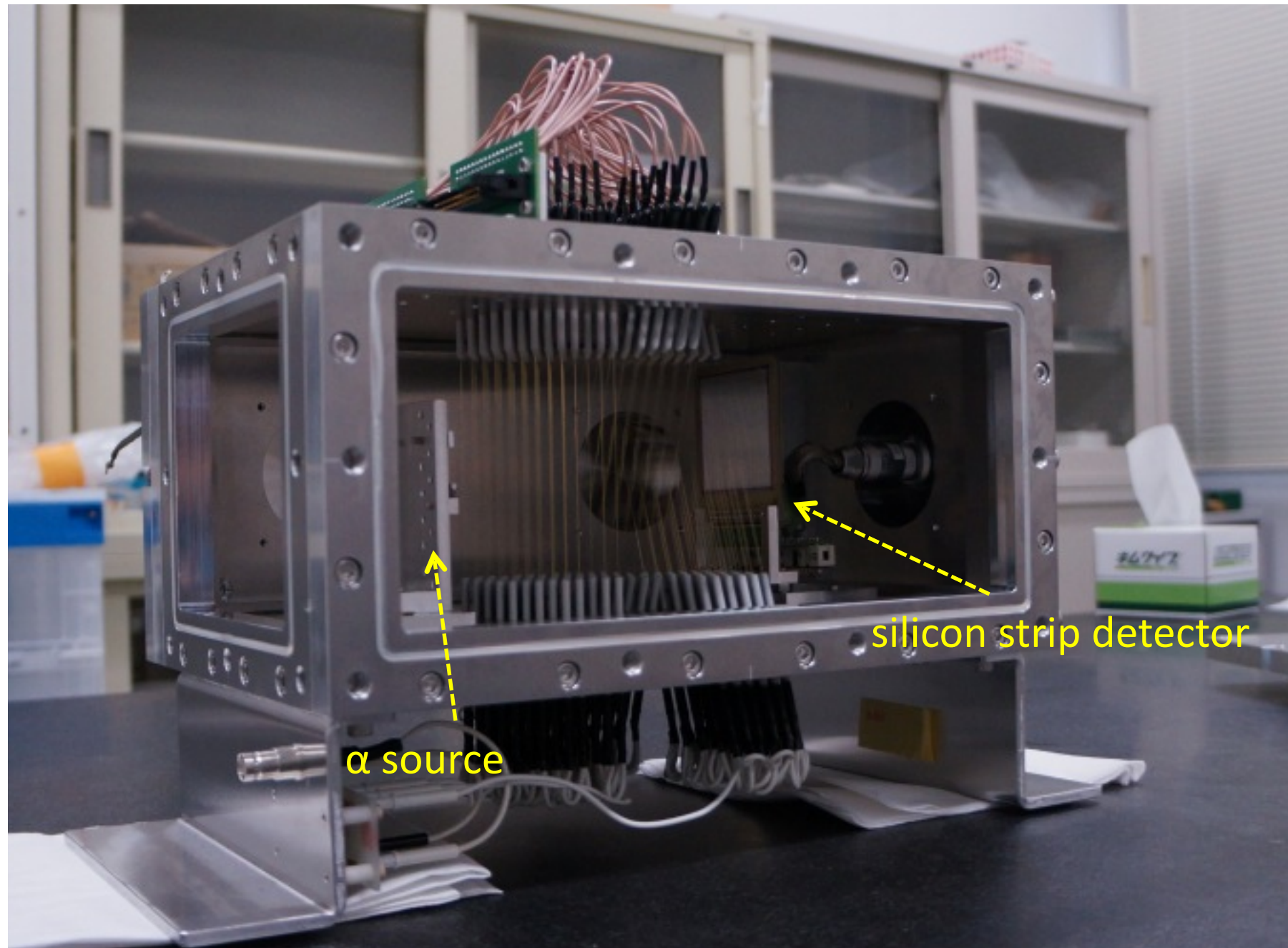
Detector Design



- Wire feedthrough, hexagonal wire geometry
- Raw material is Al
- Side walls are flange

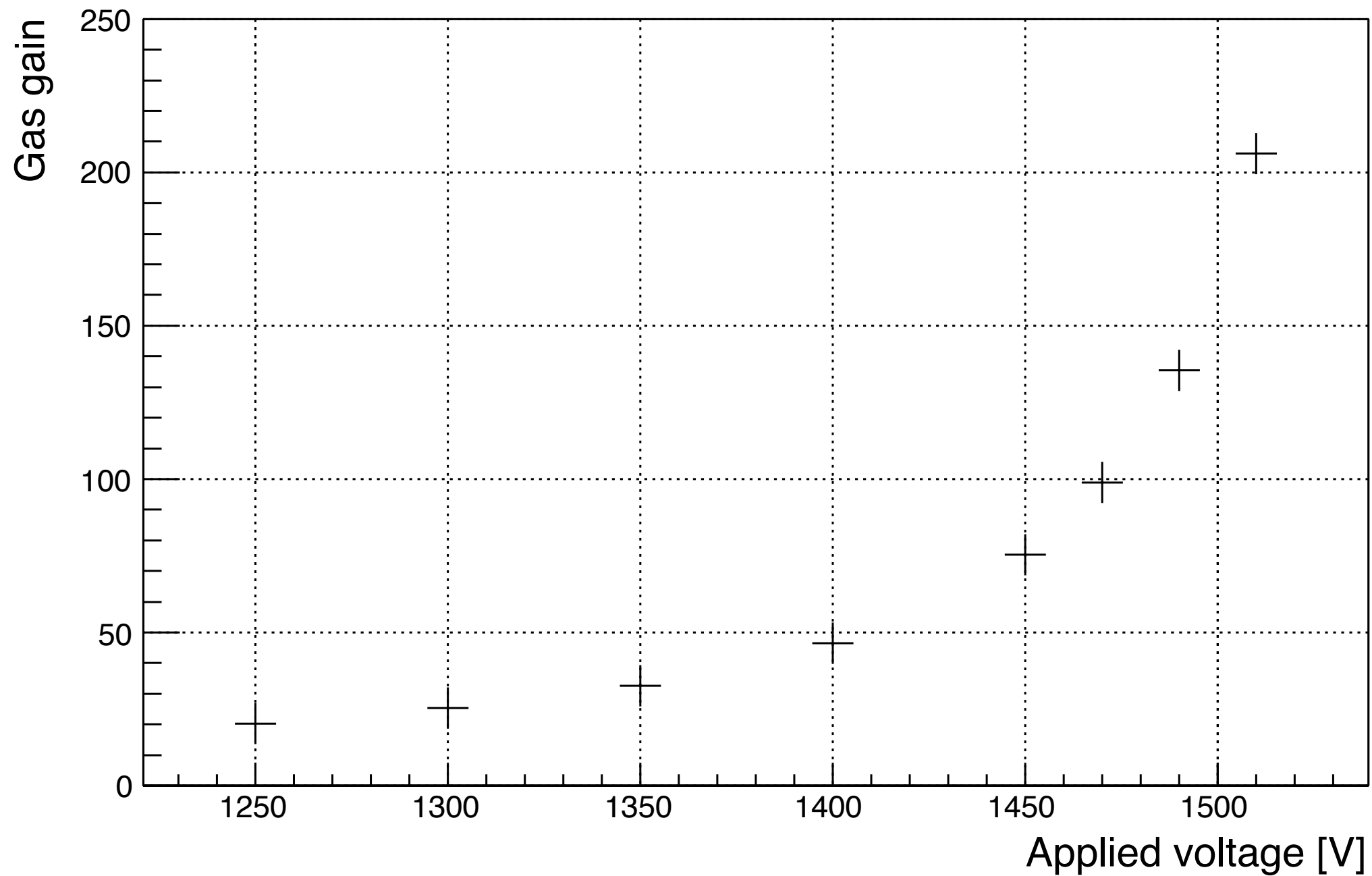
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Detector Design



- Inside the drift chamber, SSD and α source were installed

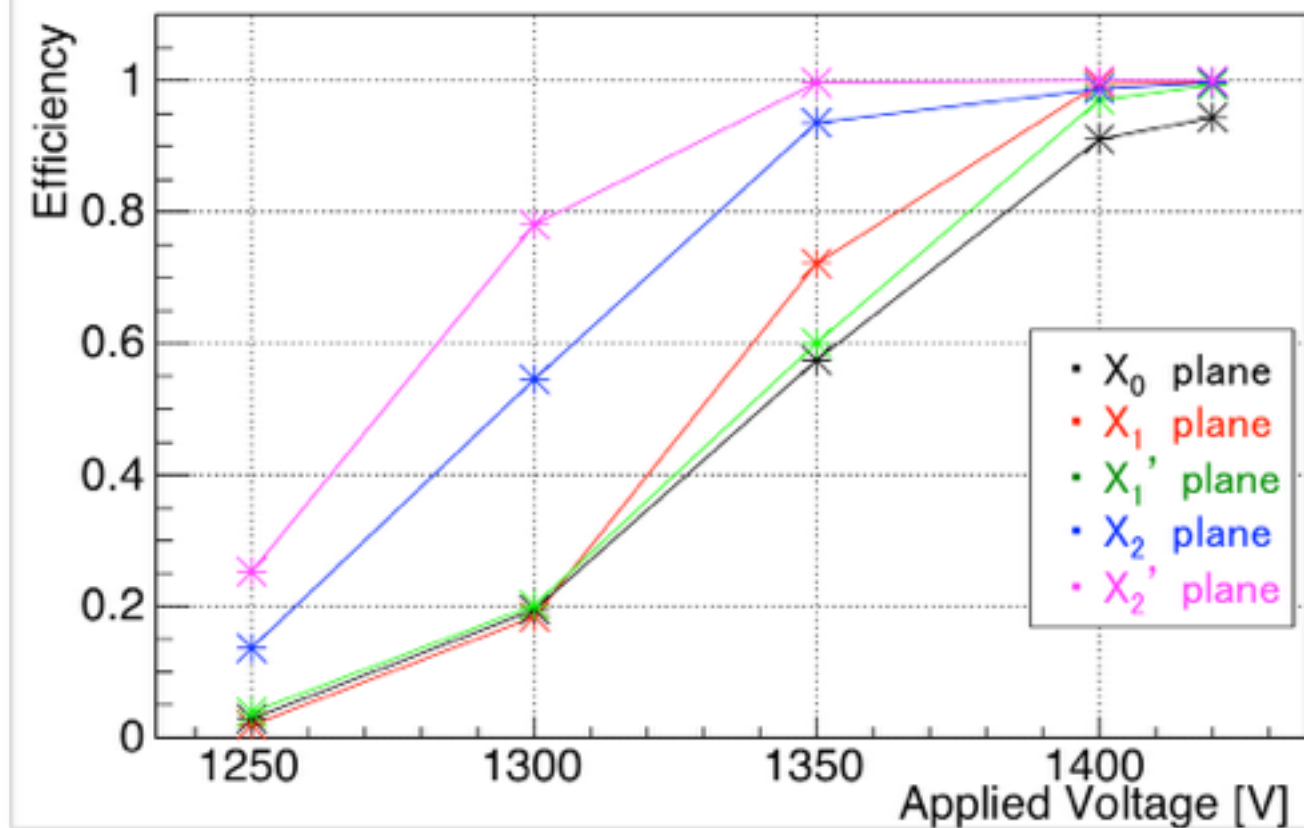
Gas Gain



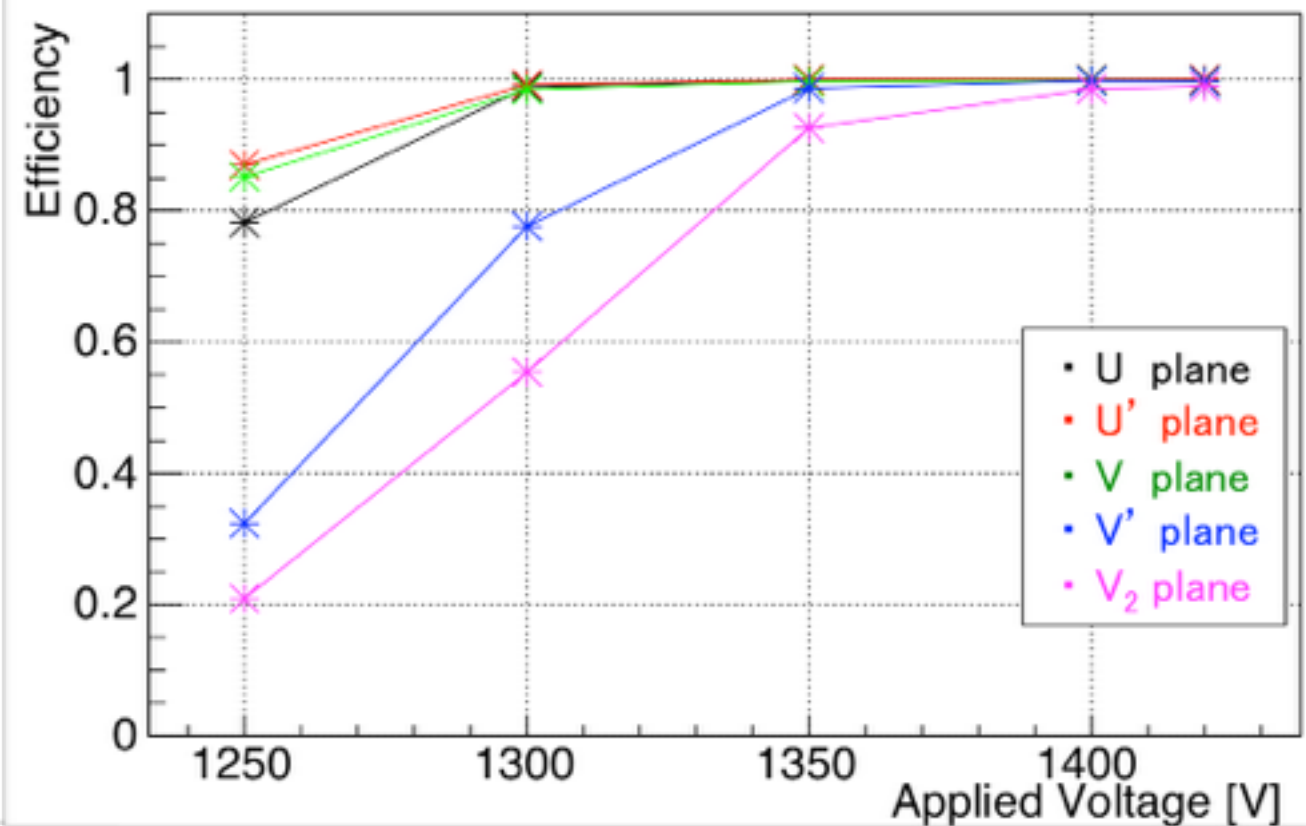
Maximum gas gain was about 200
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Efficiency for α rays

Efficiency for X planes



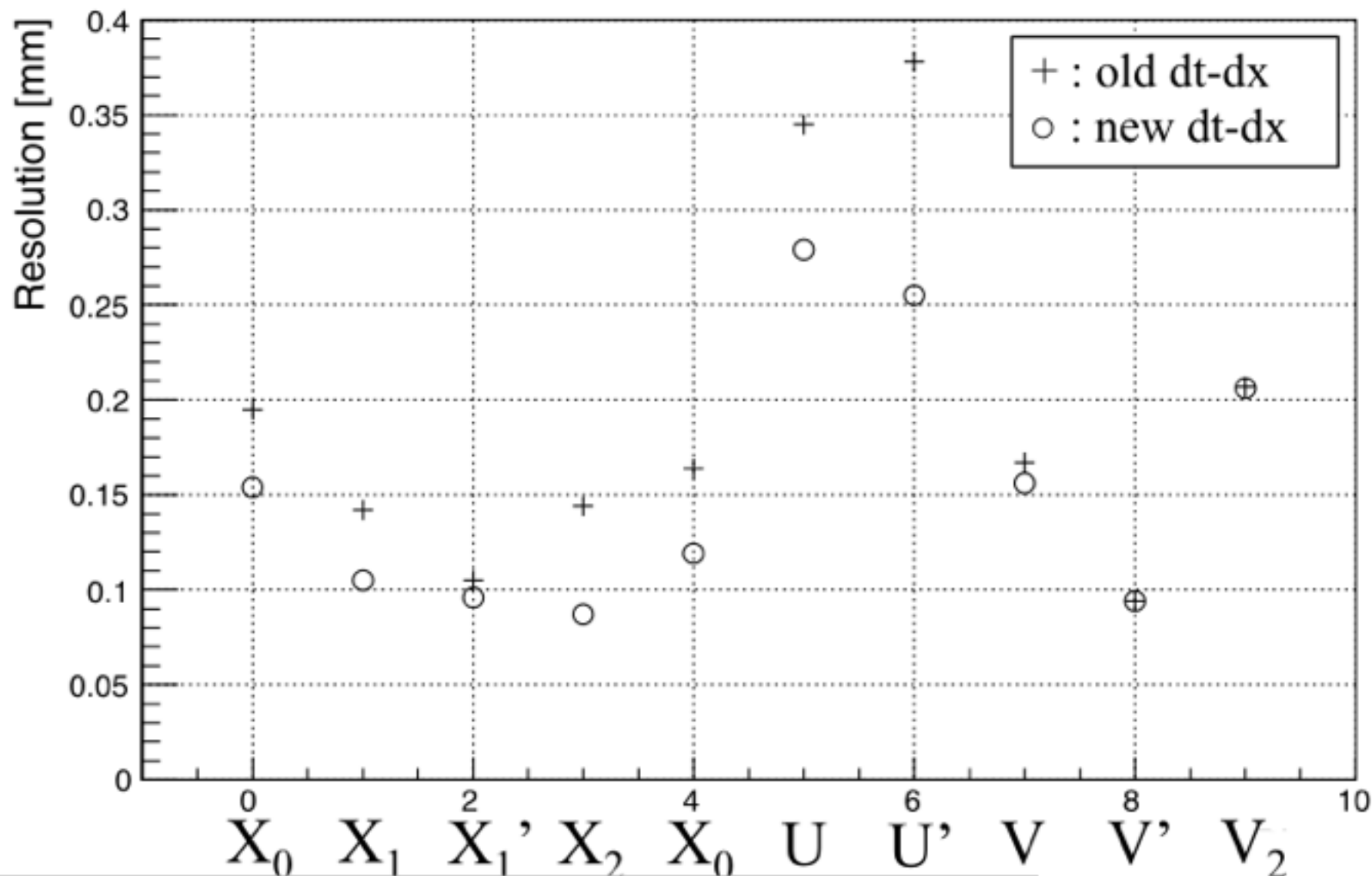
Efficiency for UV planes



Efficiency = $1 - (\text{no hit event in each plane}) / (\text{number of trigger})$

- Efficiency in X_2' , U, U' , V was higher
- Efficiency > 99% except for X_0 plane @ HV = -1420 V

Resolution



- Resolution is better than required resolution of 500 μm
- good enough for the experiment

Summary for piAF

- World highest resolution + potential to improve by 1/2-1/3
- Extremely good statistics for ^{121}Sn -pi
- First data for pionic even N pi-atom
- Analysis is ongoing now (by T. Nishi)
 - better χ condensate estimation
- First paper in short
- Proposing exp. to complete pionic tin isotopes
- We are also working on piA with unstable nuclei