

Highlights from J-PARC

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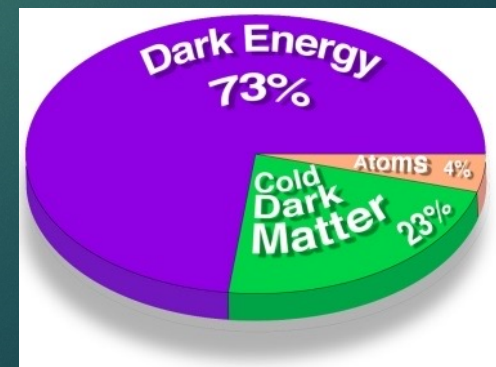
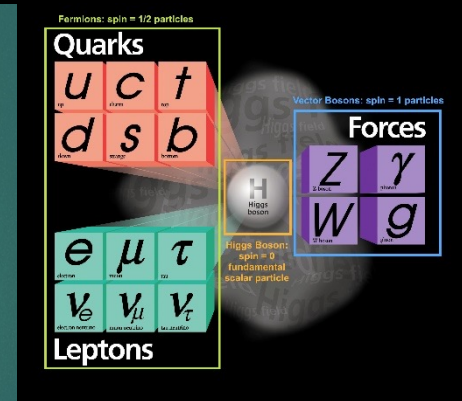
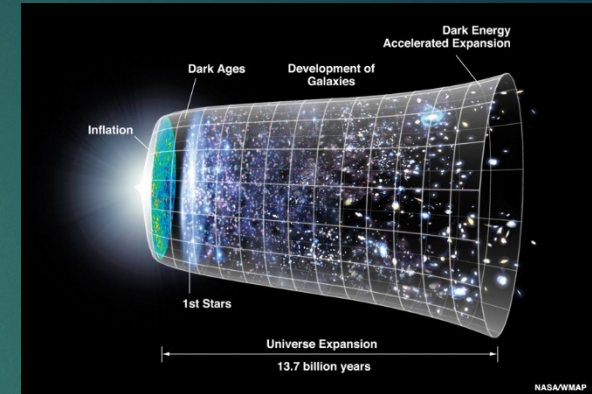


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Fundamental questions in our universe

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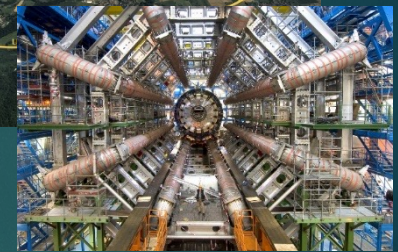
- ▶ Origin/fate of our universe
- ▶ Origin of matter
 - ▶ Where necessary CP violation comes from?
 - ▶ B-L non-conservation
- ▶ Origin of mass:
 - ▶ Higgs is really what we ordered?
- ▶ What is beyond standard model?
- ▶ Dark matter
- ▶ Dark energy



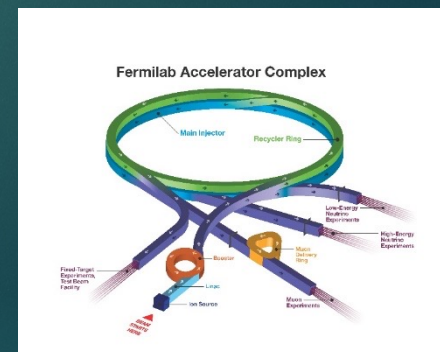
Approaches

- ▶ High energy
 - ▶ Direct search
 - ▶ Tevatron (1.9TeV) → LHC(14TeV) → ILC → ??
- ▶ **High intensity**
 - ▶ Indirect search through loop diagram
 - ▶ Can probe higher mass scale than beam energy
 - ▶ e^+e^- : KEKB, PEP-II → SuperKEKB
 - ▶ **Proton**: J-PARC, FNAL-MI, LBNF,

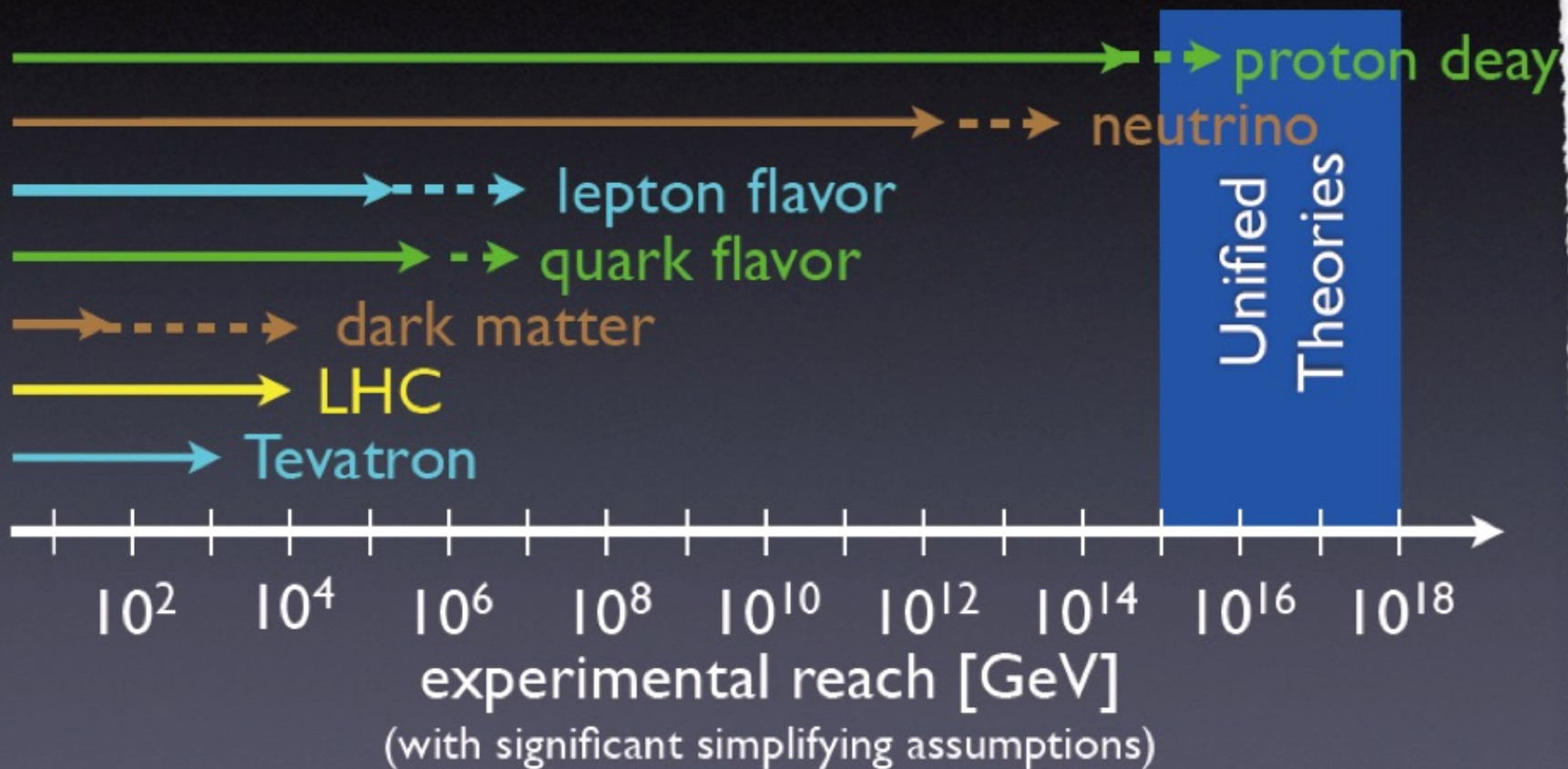
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 **Fermilab**



Power of Expedition



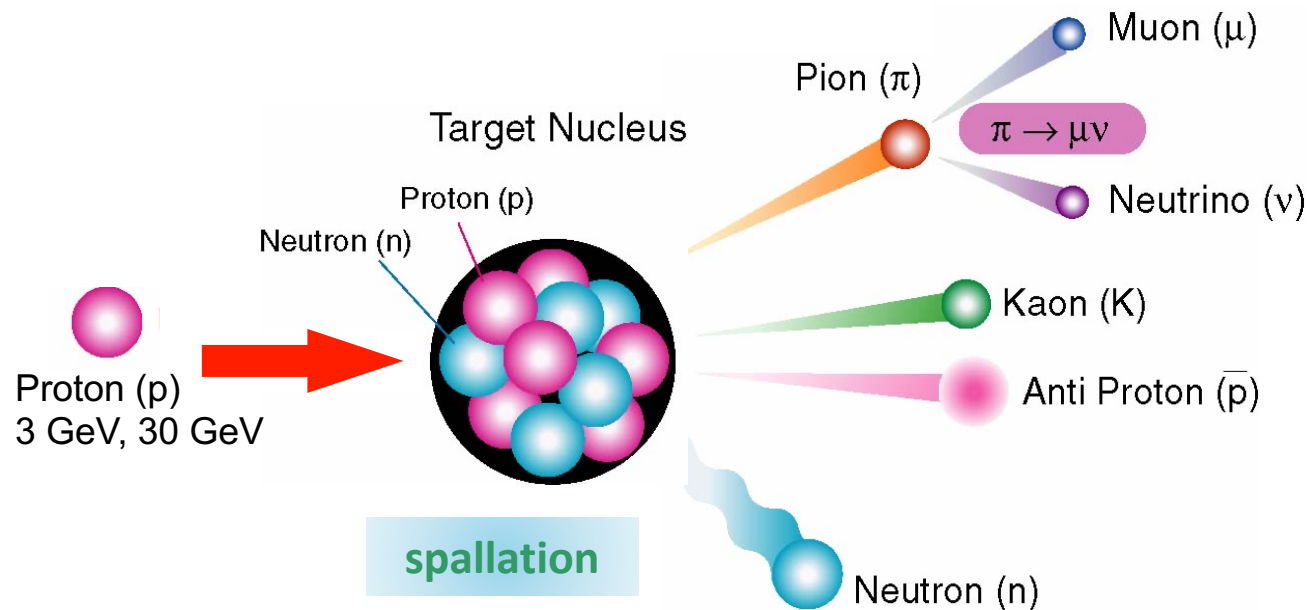
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a slide by Hitoshi Murayama



Japan Proton Accelerator Research Complex

Intensity-Frontier accelerators and
multi-purpose user facilities

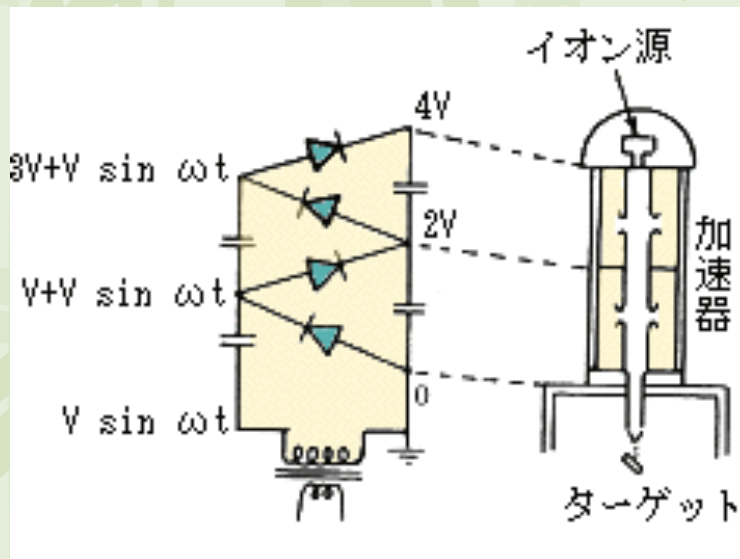
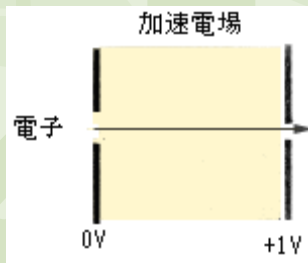


**Variety of secondary particles generated with
high-energy and high-intensity protons**

Acceleration

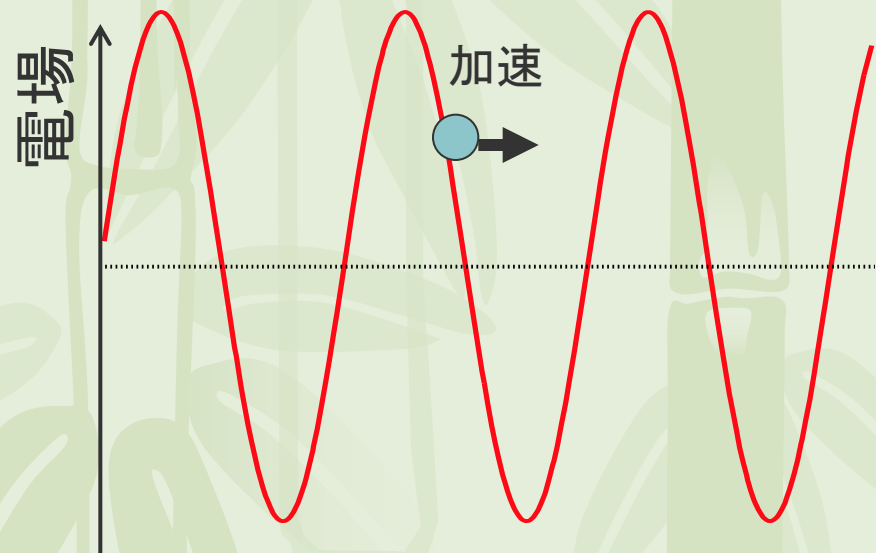
Principle of acceleration

DC acceleration



Cockcroft-Walton (CW) type high-voltage DC generator

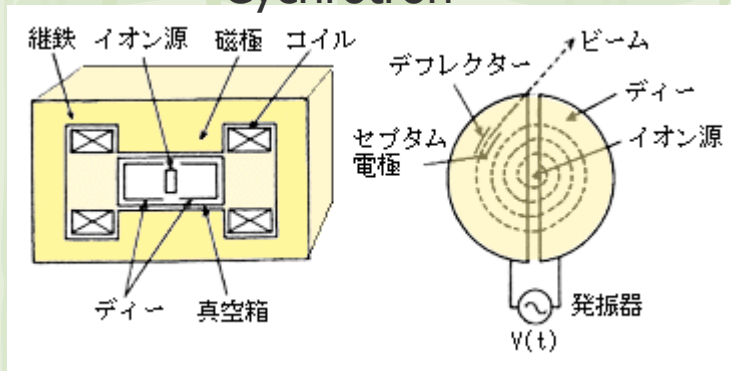
RF acceleration



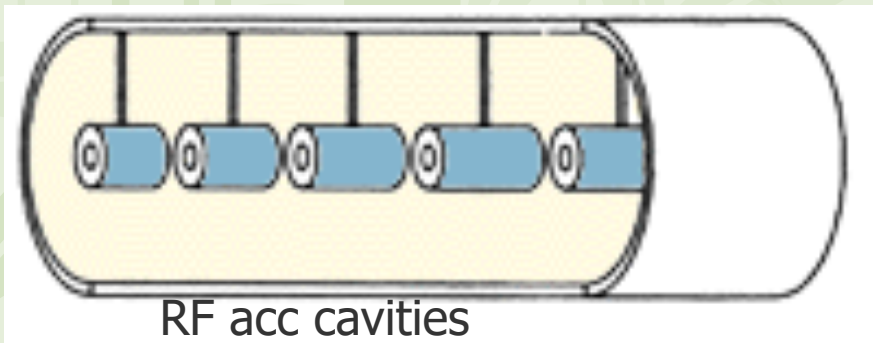
強力な電磁波を特殊な金属チューブ (RF空洞、RF cavity) 内に発生させる

Types of accelerators

Cyclotron



Linear accelerator



Synchrotron

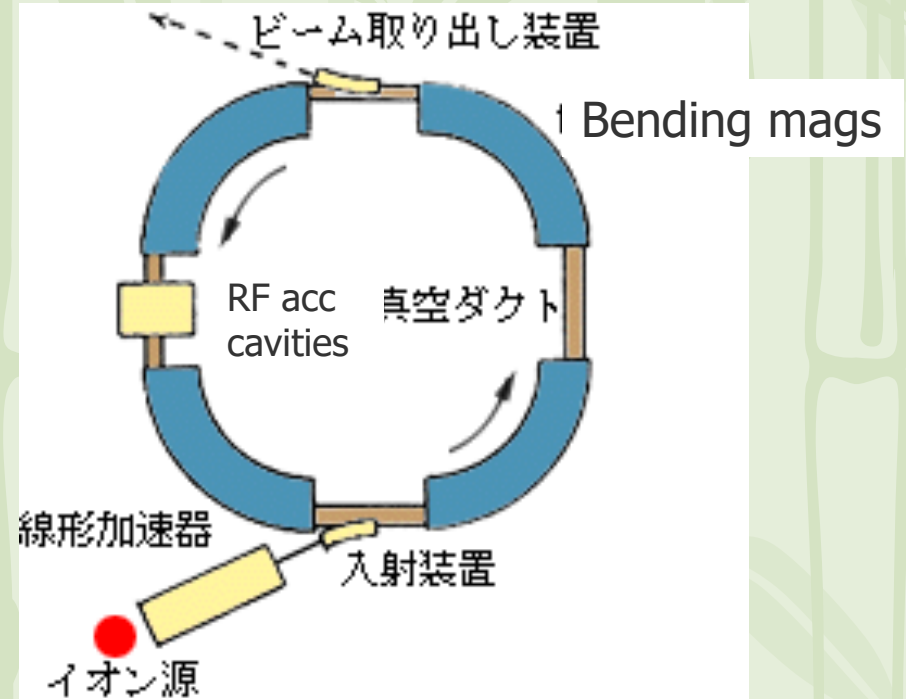


図1.シンクロトロン構成

Gradually accelerate by circulating beam by $\sim 10^5$ times with RF acceleration at one place ($\sim 10^5$ eV) @J-PARC

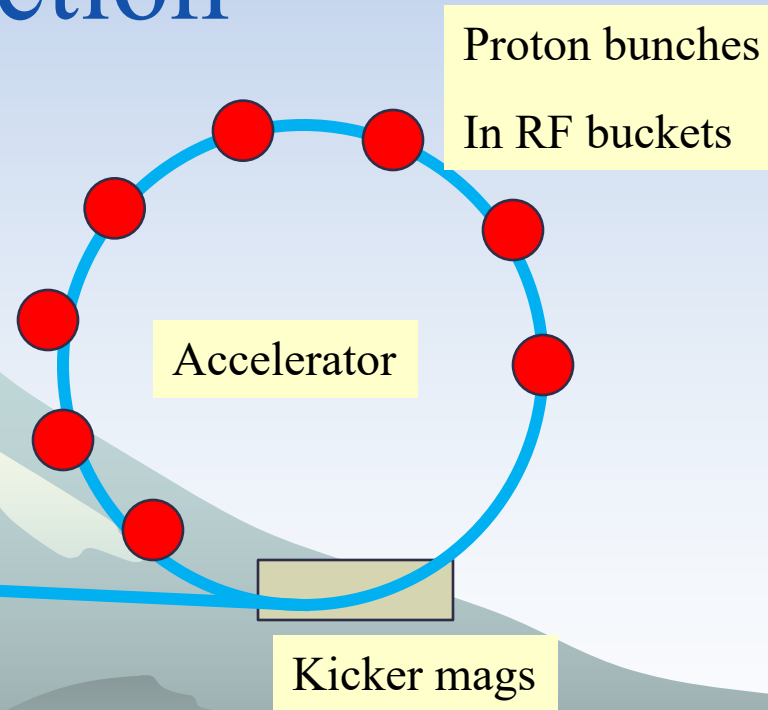
Beam power

- ▶ Precision/sensitivities of experiments \propto # of produced and used particles
 - ▶ Neutrino, pion, Kaon, neutron, etc,...
- ▶ # of produced particles
 - \propto [proton energy] x [# of protons/s] x [experiment time(s)]
$$\begin{array}{ccccccc}
 \text{eV (or Joule)} & \times & 1/\text{s} & \times & \text{s} \\
 = & & \text{Watt} & \times & \text{s} & = & \text{Joule}
 \end{array}$$
- ▶ We use Watt to represent beam intensity

Beam extraction from acc. ring

1. Fast extraction

- ◆ Immediately after reaching top energy, turn on very fast extraction kicker magnets (rising time of $\sim 100\text{ns}$) and extract all the circulating proton beams in single turn
- ◆ Very short pulse proton beam (μs)
- ◆ Bunched by acc RF
- ◆ Suited for long baseline neutrino experiments
 - ❖ Identify ν event in far detector by timing information
 - ❖ Good for ν production (pion focusing device “Horn” need pulsed operation)



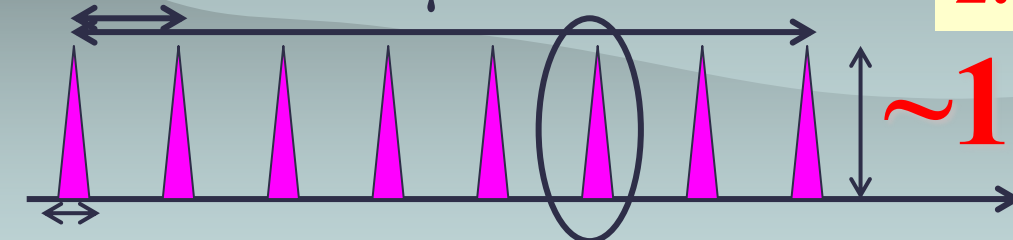
T2K case

581ns

4.2 μs

2.6MJ in $\sim 4\mu\text{s}$!

$\sim 10\text{TW}$!

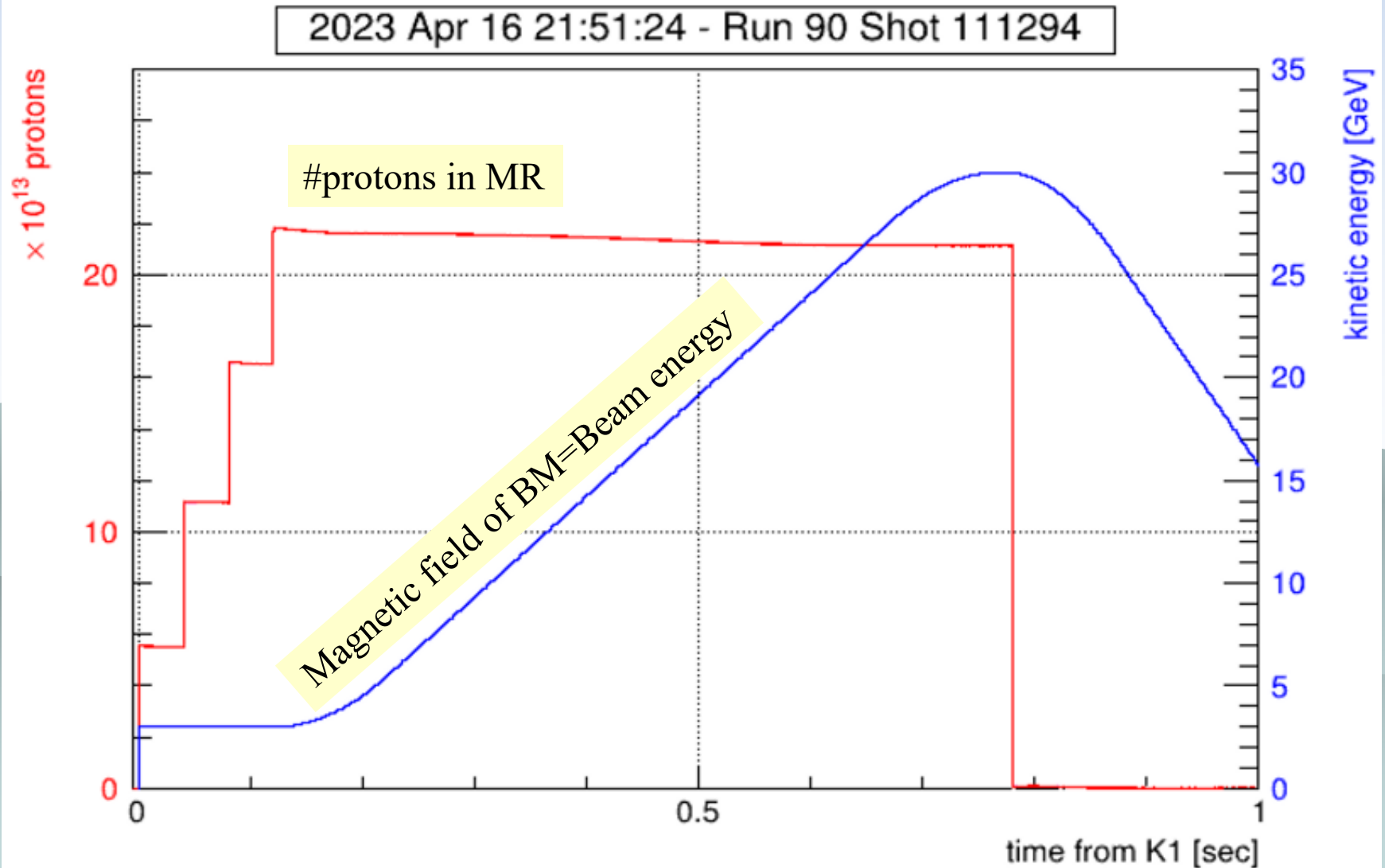


$\sim 60\text{ns}$

330kJ

3.3×10^{14} protons in 8 bunches in $\sim 4\mu\text{s}$

Typical acc pattern (J-PARC) of fast extraction



Beam extraction from acc. ring

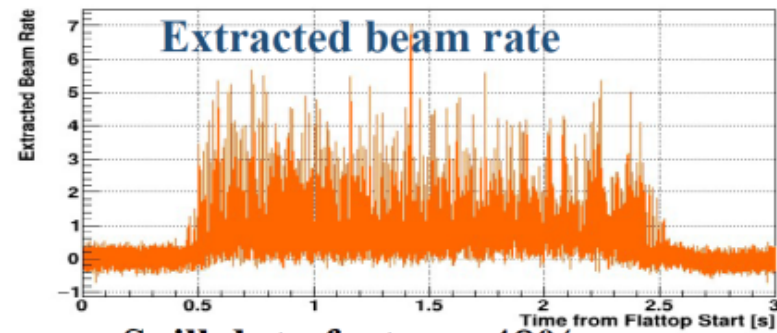
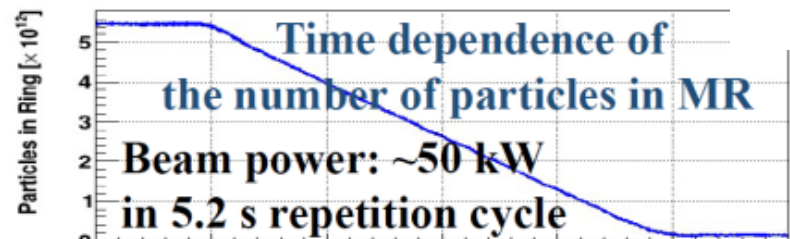
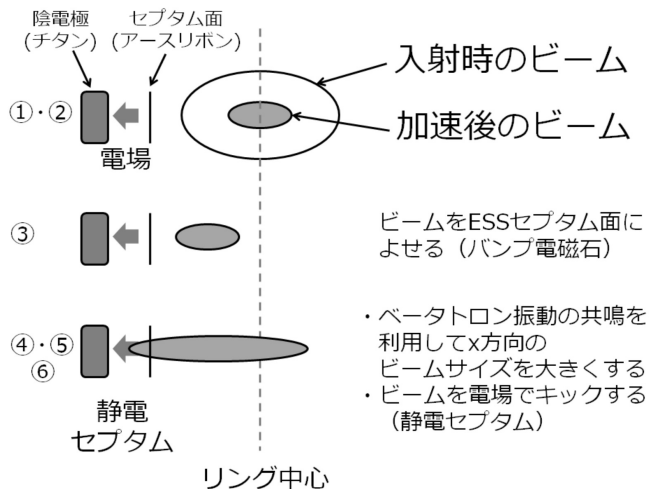
2. Slow extraction

Proton bunches

In RF buckets

- ◆ Semi-DC beam of \sim seconds
- ◆ After reaching top energy
- ◆ Turn off RF acc voltage
- ◆ wait \sim O(s) \rightarrow Bunch structure disappear
- ◆ Move beam closer to “peeler”= electrostatic septum
- ◆ Gradually “scrape” proton beam and extract

Under construction



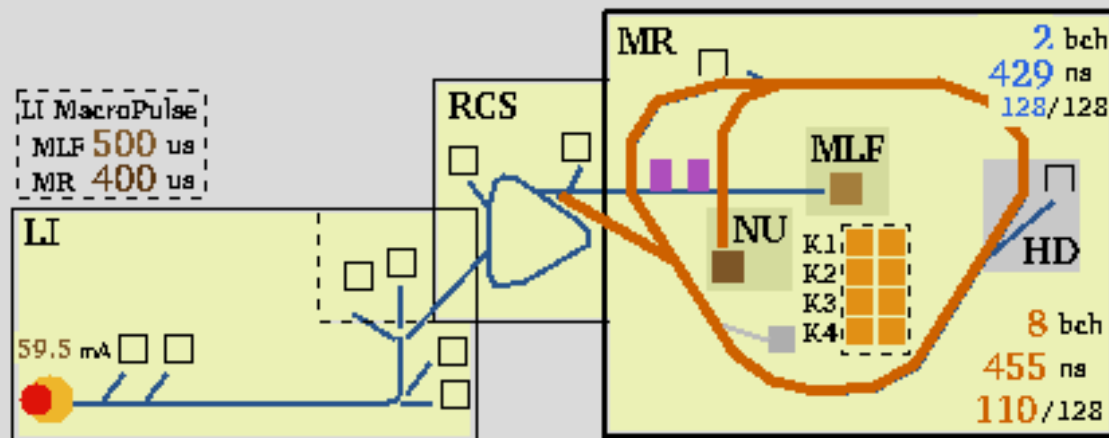
MR 800kW FX operation achieved



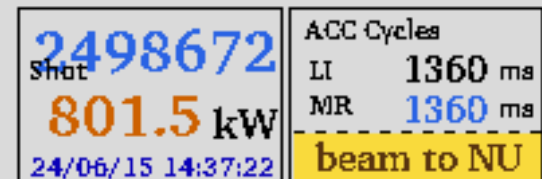
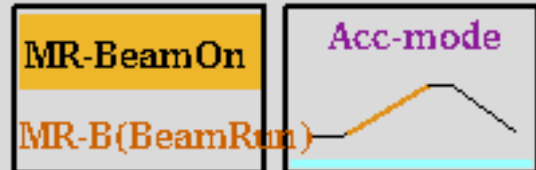
Beam Destinations of Accel. Run 91

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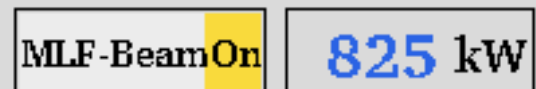
Ver.2.15 (Jan.2024)



MR Beam Cycle and Mode



MLF Beam Information

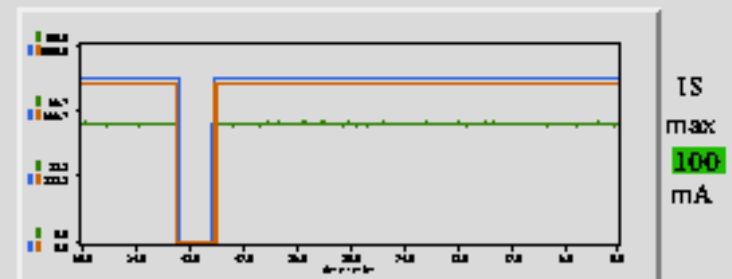


LI
LI BD 90deg
LI BD100deg
LI BD 30deg
LI BD 0deg
LI MEBT1
LI LEBT

RCS
3NBTD AC
3NBTD DC
RCS H0 Dmp
MLF
MLF TGT

MR
MR ExtAbt
MR InjDmp
NU
NU(N TGT)
HD
HD(K TGT)

Power Trend (1 hour) <MLF 1MW/MR 1MW>



Main ring upgrade plan

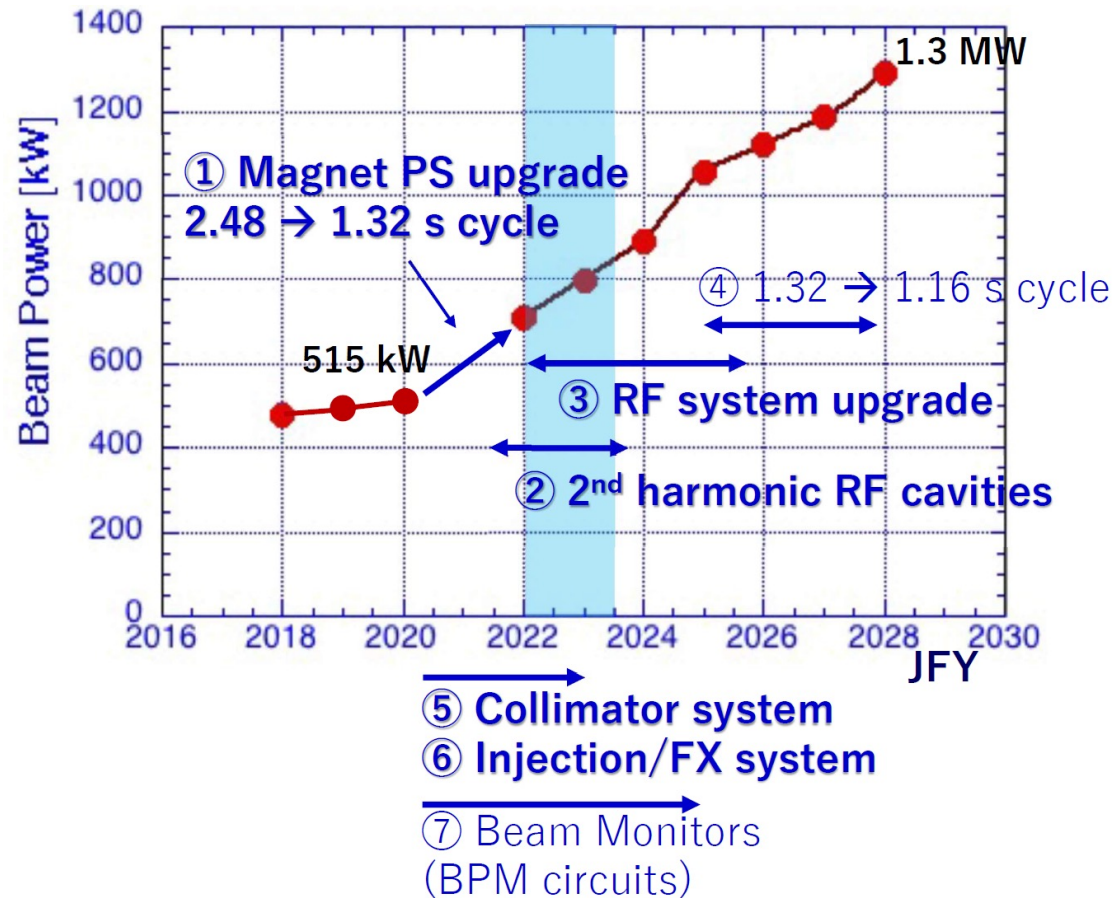
More Rapid Cycle:

2.48 s \rightarrow 1.32 s \rightarrow 1.16 s

- Main Power Supply to be renewed
- High gradient RF Cavity
- Improve Collimator
- Rapid cycle pulse magnet for injection/extraction

More Protons / Pulse :

- Improve RF Power
- More RF Systems
- Stabilize the beam with feedback



In April 2023

Successful demonstration of
MR-FX 30 GeV acceleration
766 kW eq. (2.17×10^{14} ppp) in 1.36 s cycle¹⁴

Japan Proton Accelerator
Research Complex : J-PARC

J-PARC Facility
(KEK/JAEA)

South to North

400MeV LINAC

3 GeV RCS

Neutrino Beams
(to Kamioka)

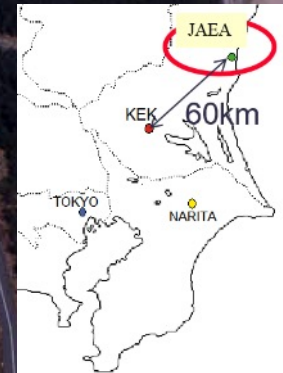
Materials and Life
Experimental Facility

Design intensity
RCS for MLF: 1MW
MR for PN : 750kW → 1.3MW

30GeV MR

Hadron Exp.
Facility

— CY2007 Beams
— JFY2008 Beams
— JFY2009 Beams



Bird's eye photo in January of 2008

Science at MLF w/ n/mu

物質や Materials and life sciences 起源を探る



Hadron experiments

Explore origin of matter formation

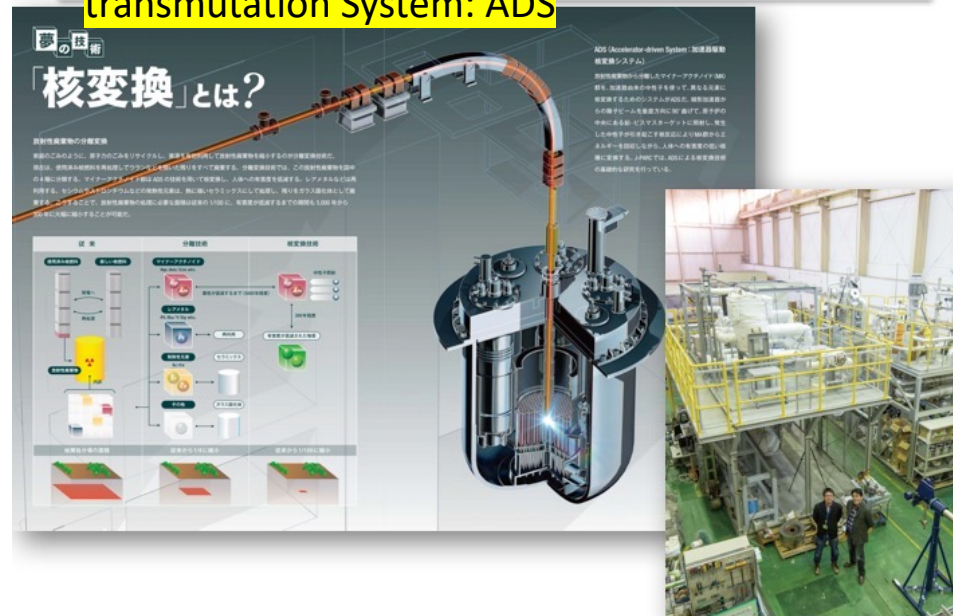


Neutrino experiment

Explore origin of matter in the universe



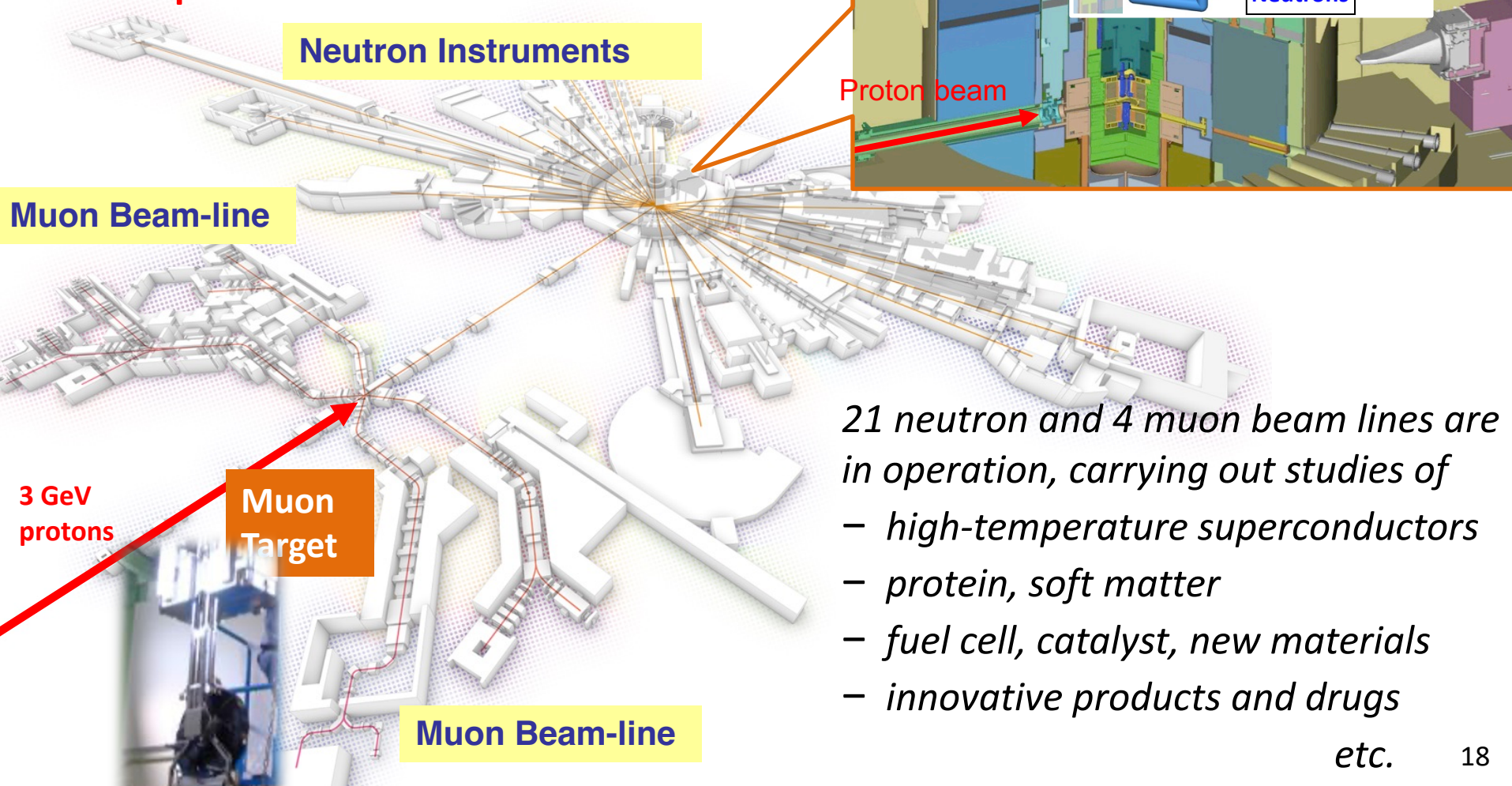
Development Accelerator Driven nuclear transmutation System: ADS



Experiments at MLF

Materials and Life Science Experimental Facility (MLF)

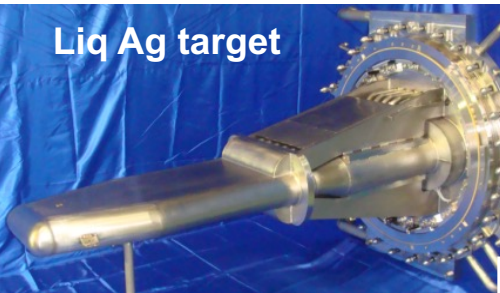
- **Neutron** and **muon** beams
 - materials science, life science, industrial applications
- **most powerful** neutron and muon sources



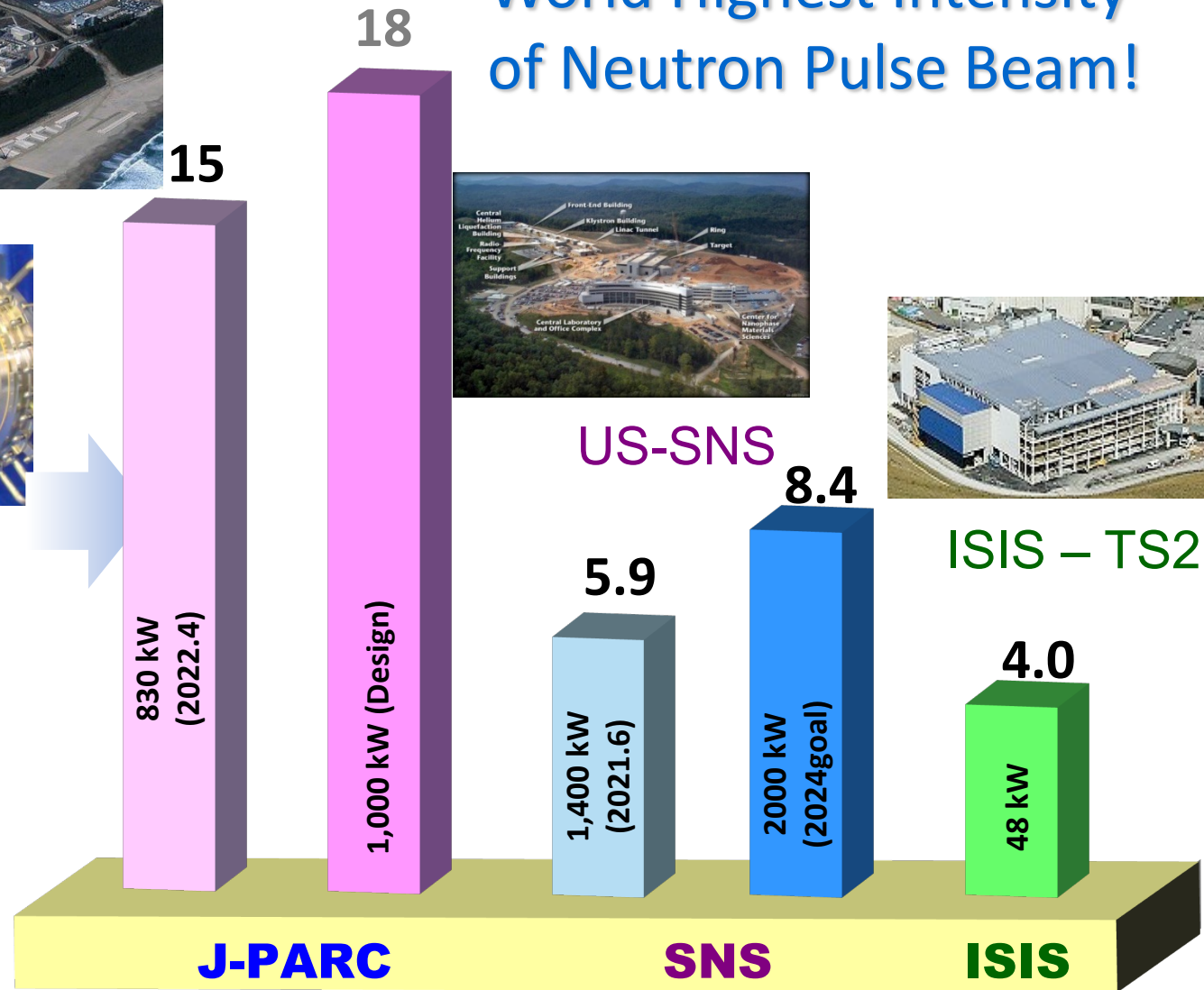
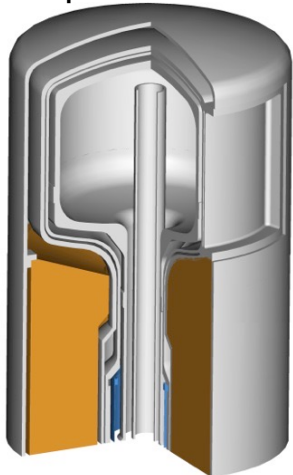
World leading neutron intensity



JAEA's technologies



Coupled moderator

Unit: 10^{12} n/(sr·pulse)

Only a few of recent outcome from MLF

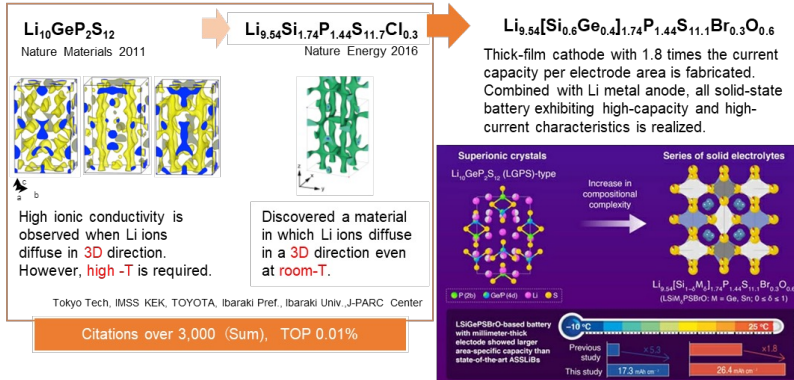


Neutron Science

Designing materials for All-Solid-State Li Batteries

Tokyo Tech., IMSS KEK, Univ. of Tokyo, J-PARC Center

Science 2023 IF : 63.832
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Analysis of the crystal structure containing Li by neutron diffraction leads to an understanding of the Li ion diffusion mechanism, contributing to the development of all solid-state batteries

Elucidates that the super ionic conductivity of the new material originates from a crystal structure with a complex and highly disordered atomic distribution (High-entropy material).



Neutron Science

Development of high-strength magnesium alloy

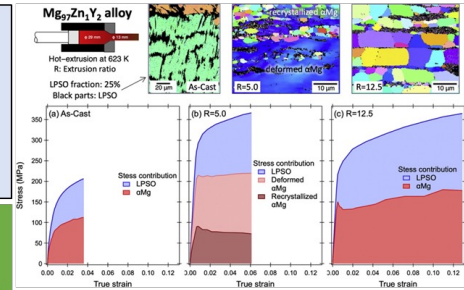
[15 Aug. 2023 Press Release] Why Are High-Strength Magnesium Alloys Developed in Japan So Strong?
In-situ Neutron Diffraction Experiments Elucidate the Behavior of Each Constituent Phase during Deformation
JAEA, Kumamoto Univ., J-PARC Center

IF:9.209

Acta Materialia (2023) Citation : 7

- Because of their **lightweight and high strength per density**, Mg-alloys (LPSO-Mg alloys) developed at Kumamoto Univ. are expected to have various applications.
- The strength of LPSO-Mg alloys is greatly enhanced by high-T extrusion processing, but the mechanism has not yet been clarified.

In-situ neutron diffraction experiments revealed that the extrusion conditions affected the overall strength and ductility of the alloy due to different micro-structural development.



(upper) Mg alloys used in this study and EBSD images after high-T extrusion process, (lower) Contribution of each of the LPSO-Mg alloy constituent phases to strength during tensile deformation.

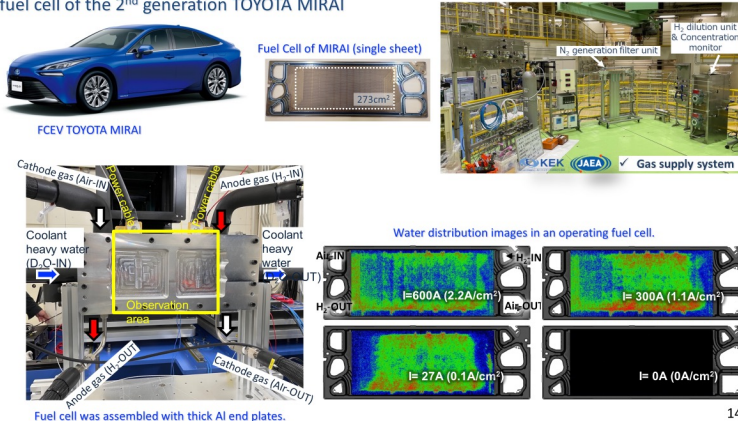
- Provides guidelines for the development of **lightweight, high-strength Mg alloy materials with ductility, rigidity suitable for specific purposes.**
- Contribution to **energy saving and safety of aircraft and automobiles** through practical use of lightweight and high-strength materials.

Water visualization in a fuel cell used in FCEV

Supported by NEDO FC-Platform Program



Visualization of water distribution inside an operating fuel cell of the 2nd generation TOYOTA MIRAI

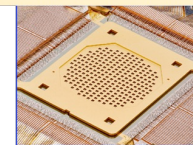


D line: High-resolution X-ray spectroscopy of muon atoms

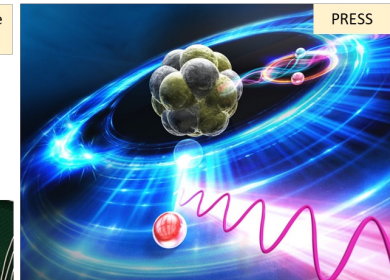
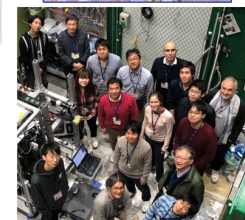
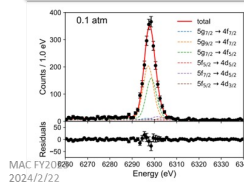
Physics under ultra-high electric field opened up by Muon Atoms

The energy of muonic X-rays was determined **with extremely high accuracy using a TES detector** with an energy resolution 10 times higher than that of conventional semiconductor detectors

Superconducting Transition-Edge Sensor (TES) Microcalorimeter



Quantum Electrodynamics Verified with Muonic Atoms

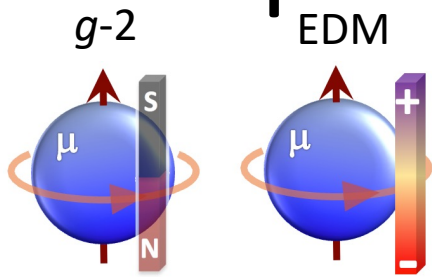


Proof-of-Principle Experiment for Testing Strong-Field Quantum Electrodynamics with Exotic Atoms: High Precision X-Ray Spectroscopy of Muonic Neon

T. Okumura *et al.*, Phys. Rev. Lett. 130, 173001 (2023)

~500 experiments/year

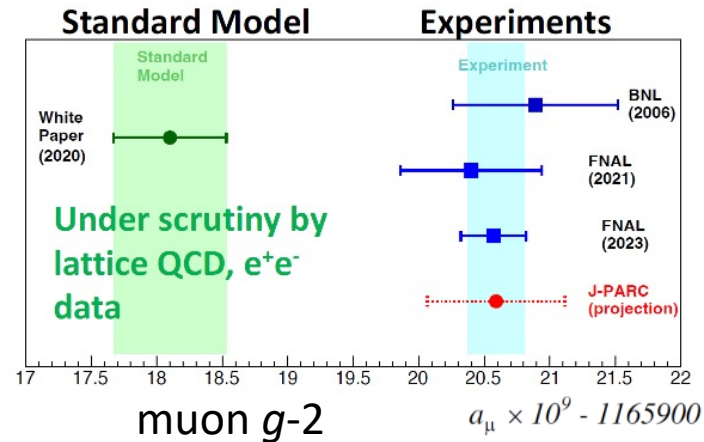
J-PARC muon $g-2$ /EDM experiment



• Aim to reach

- μ $g-2$: 450ppb
- μ EDM: $1.5e-19$

• Aiming for data taking from 2028



J-PARC MLF

Constructed in 2021

Muon beam

μ^+ (4 MeV)

Cooking

25 meV 4 MeV

Acceleration

210 MeV

Storage

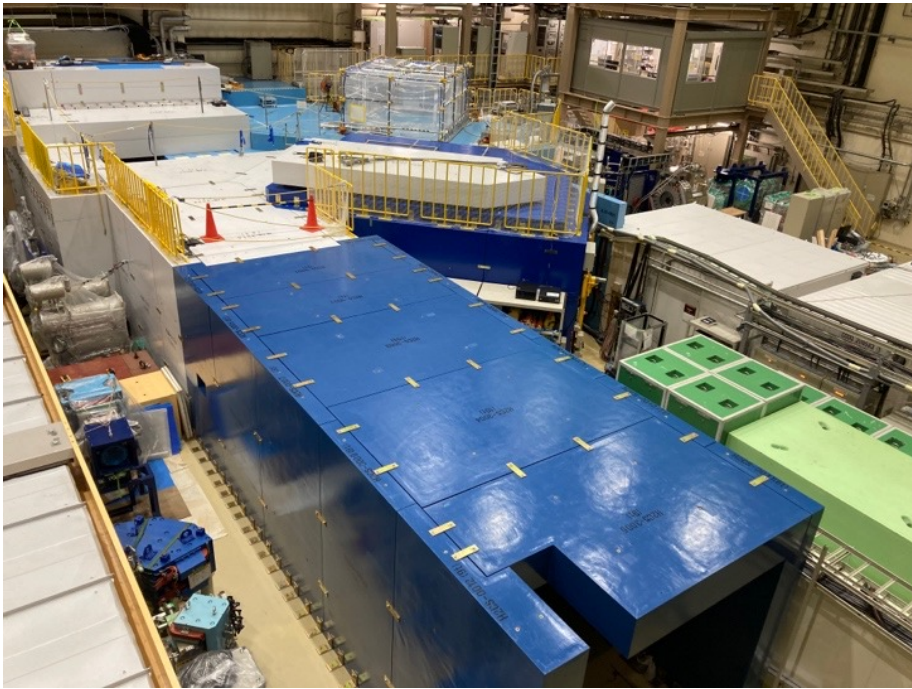
Features:

- Low emittance muon beam (**1/1000**)
- No strong focusing (**1/1000**) & good injection eff. (**x10**)
- Compact storage ring (**1/20**)
- Tracking detector with large acceptance
- Completely new method (different from BNL/FNAL)

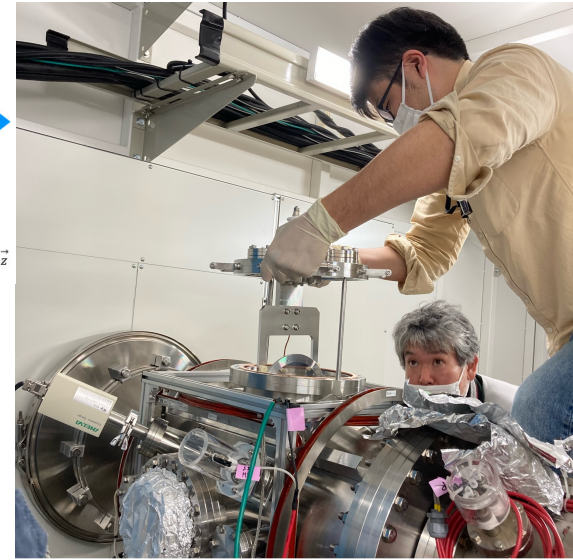
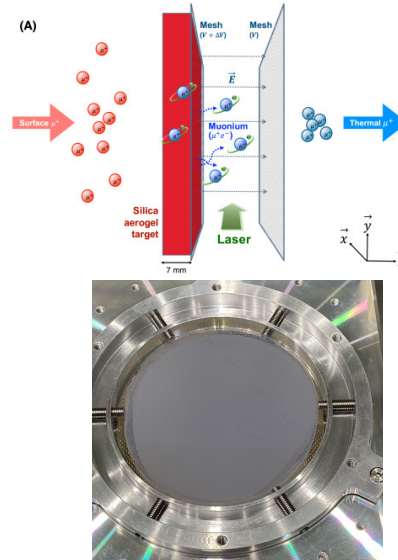
J-PARC is the only experiment to check FNAL/BNL results.

J-PARC muon $g-2$ /EDM experiment

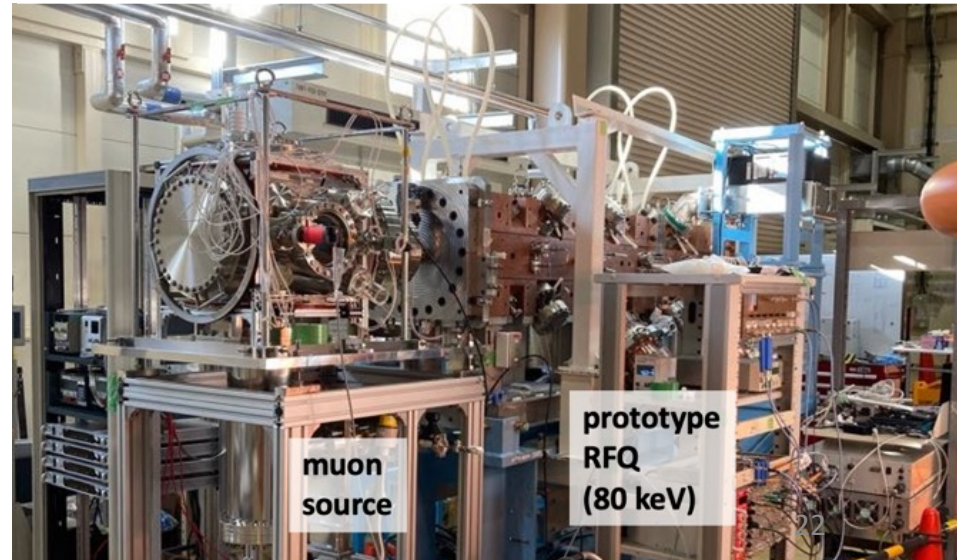
New radiation shields for beamline extension (2022)



Muon cooling test (2022~)



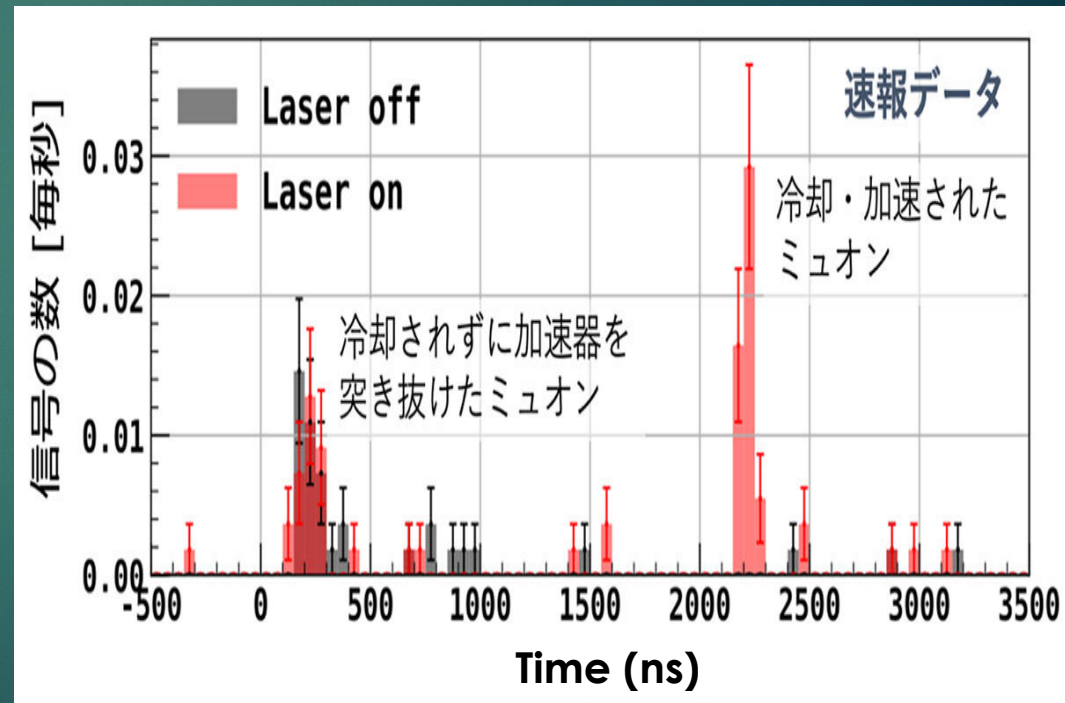
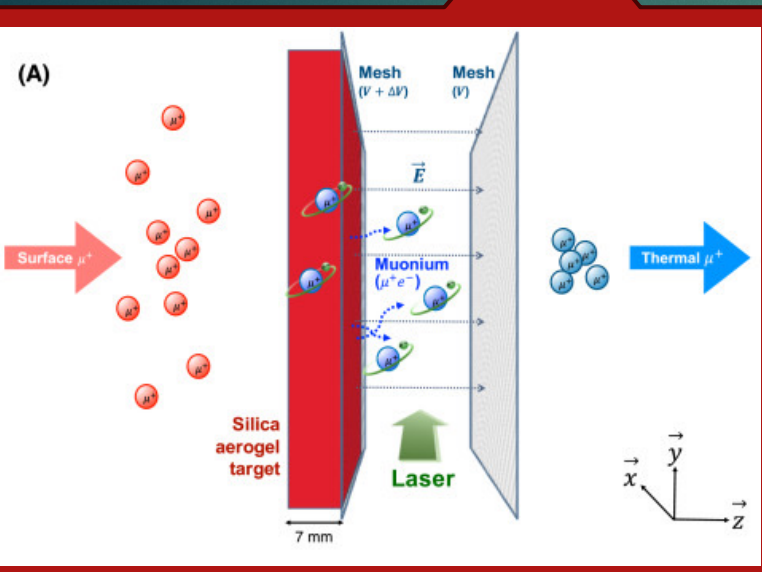
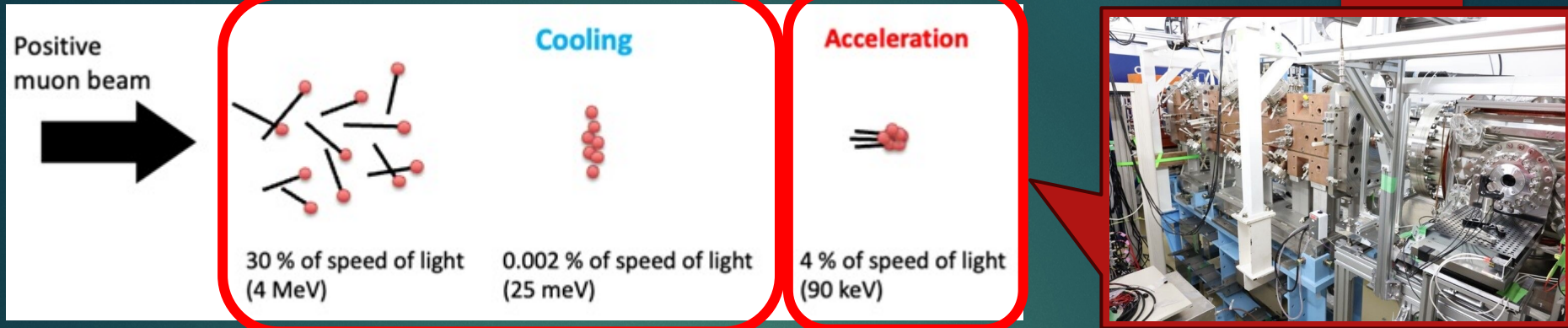
Muon cooling + acceleration test (2024~)



The collaboration (114 members fro 10 countries)



World first acceleration of muons (May 2024)



7th Plenary Workshop of the Muon $g-2$ Theory Initiative

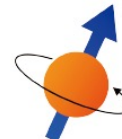
September 9-13, 2024 @ KEK, Tsukuba, Japan

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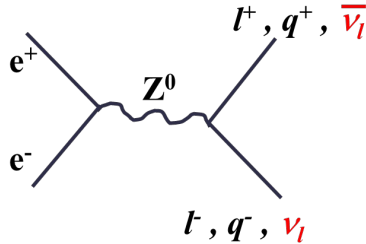
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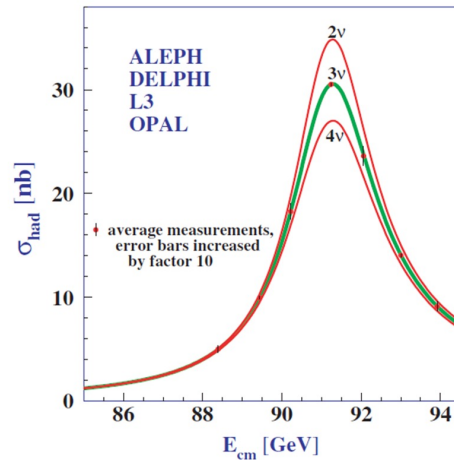
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Tsutomu Mibe (KEK)

4th (sterile) neutrino?

From solar&reactor&atm ν &acc ν



$$N_\nu = 2.994 \pm 0.012$$

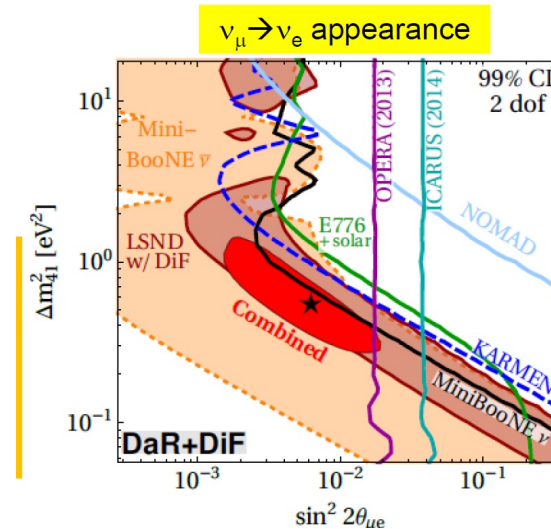
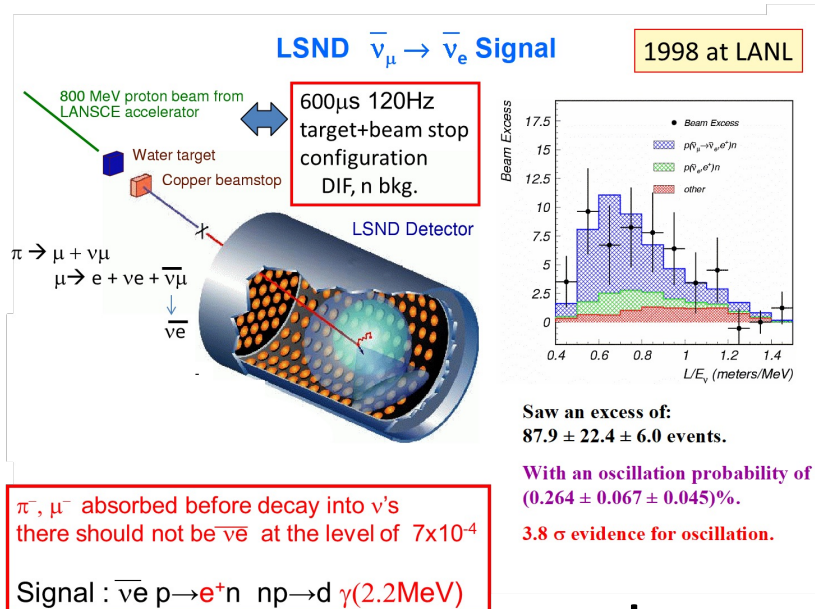


ν mass eigenstates

$$\Delta m^2 \sim 25$$

$$\Delta m^2 \sim 1$$

$$(\times 10^{-4} \text{eV}^2)$$



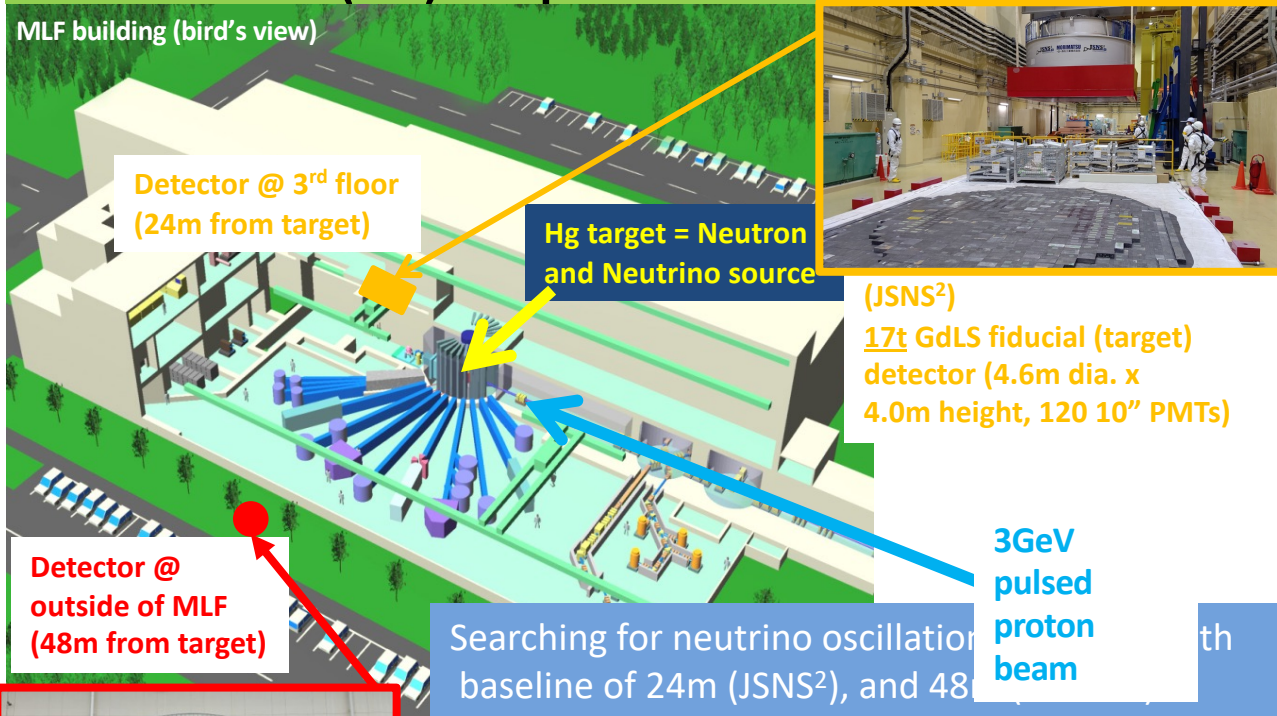
$$\Delta m^2 \sim 1 \text{eV}^2$$

$$\sim 10000 \times 10^{-4} \text{eV}^2$$

New mass diff?

Long standing unresolved question

JSNS²(-II) experiment : Search for sterile neutrinos



(JSNS²)
17t GdLS fiducial (target) detector (4.6m dia. x 4.0m height, 120 10" PMTs)

(JSNS²) : 1MW x 3 years

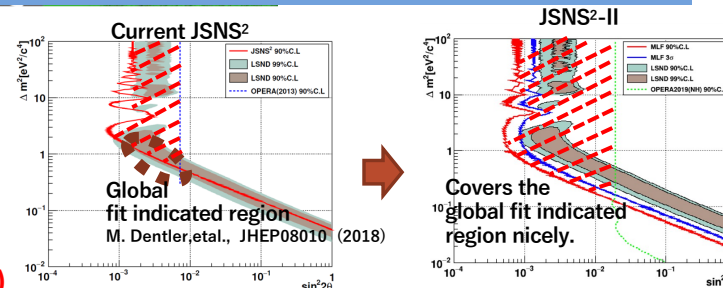
- The long physics runs (2021-2024)
 - In total, ~19 months.
 - 0.88 MW beam now.
 - 4.093×10^{22} POT so far
 - Sterile ν analyses are on-going
 - Will continue data taking !!

(JSNS²-II): 1MW x 5 years

- 2nd phase of the experiment
 - new far detector : 32 tons fiducial in 48m baseline.
 - Improved the sensitivity, especially in low Δm^2 region.
 - Stage-2 approval was granted.
 - Will take data soon !



(JSNS²-II: New detector)
32t GdLS fiducial
(6.2m dia. x 6.2m (h)
~230 10" PMTs)



Neutrino experiments

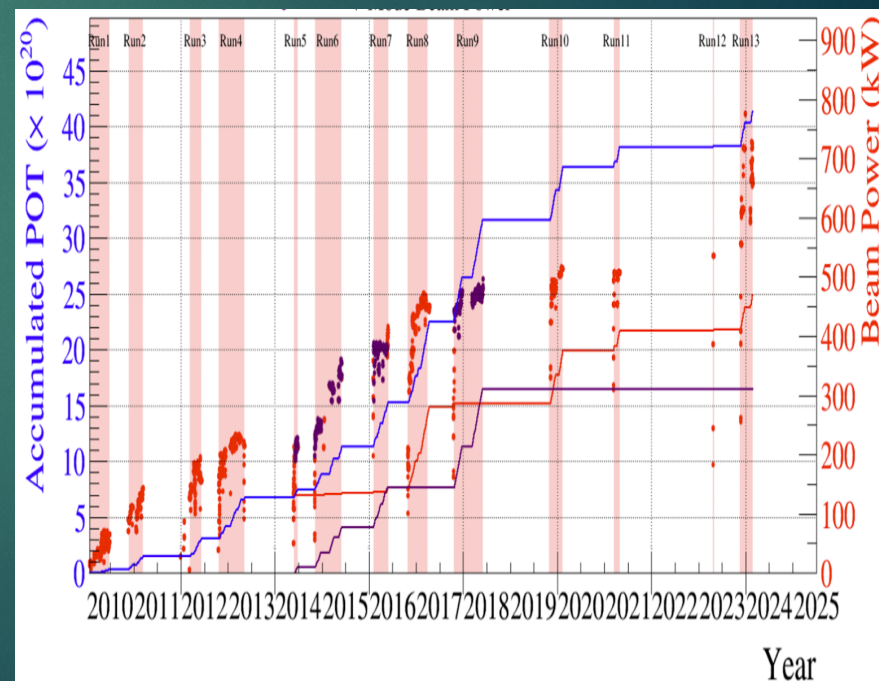
T2K (Tokai to Kamioka) experiment

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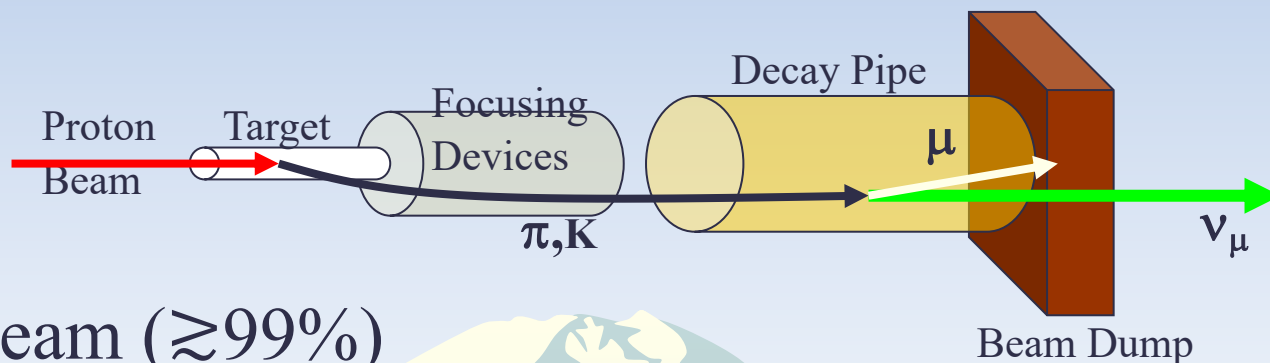
2010~ (Running)



- ▶ Evidence → Observation of $\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_e$ (2011-2013)
- ▶ Updated goals
 - ▶ **Measure CPV phase, contribution to mass hier. determ.**
- ▶ Operation status
 - ▶ 800kW operation achieved (2024)
 - ▶ Delivered POT: $\sim 4e21$

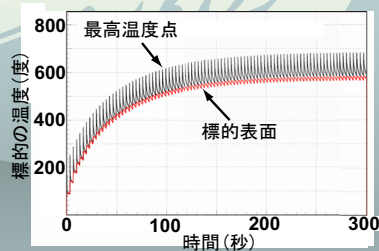


Neutrino beam production



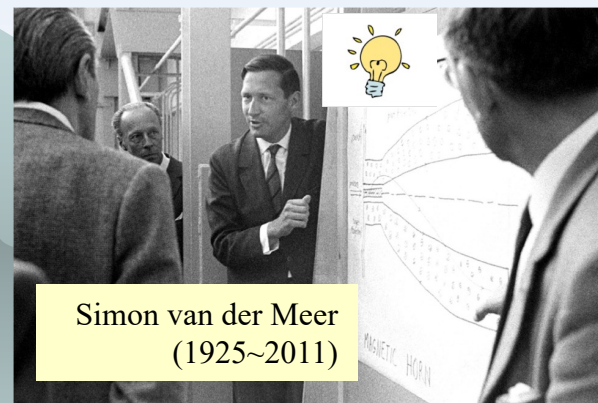
◆ Pure ν_μ beam ($\geq 99\%$)

Graphite target for T2K

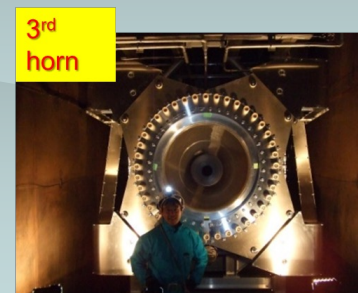
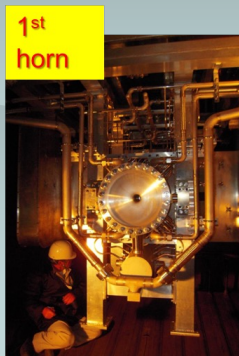


Electromagnetic horn

- 320kA/1ms pulse, 1.3sc rep.



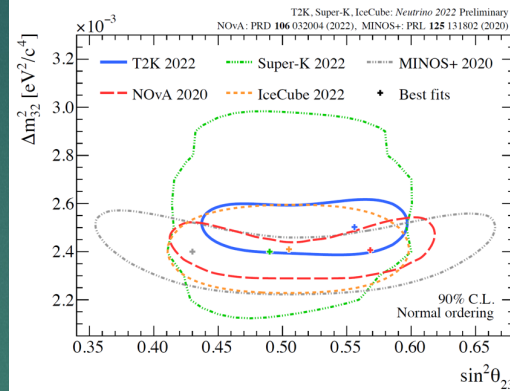
Simon van der Meer
(1925~2011)



T2K results (2022)

- ▶ 3.6×10^{21} POT (2010~2022) analyzed
 - ▶ Large area of δCP excluded at 3σ
 - ▶ CP conserving excluded at 90%
 - ▶ Weak preference of normal ordering
- New analysis will be presented in Nu2024
(Mon, June 17, 2024, tomorrow!)

Δm_{32}^2 vs. θ_{23} Atmospheric mixing parameters

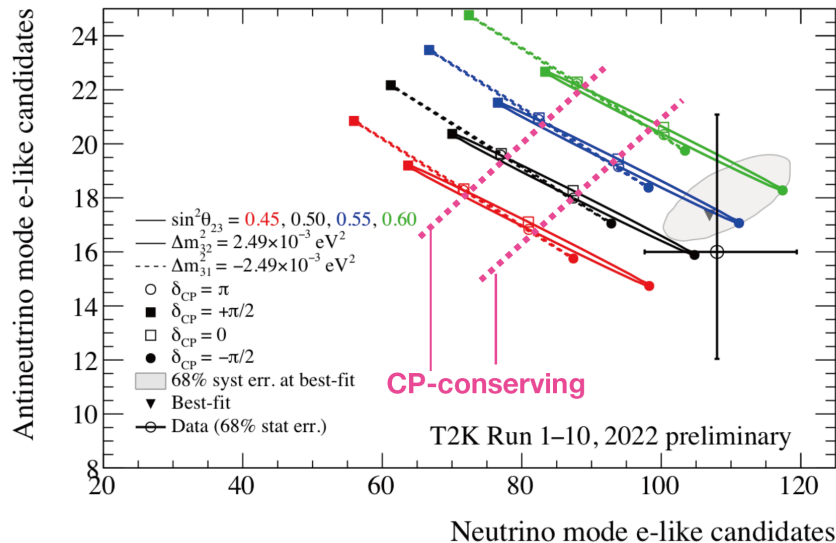


World-leading measurement of atmospheric params, still compatible with both θ_{23} octants

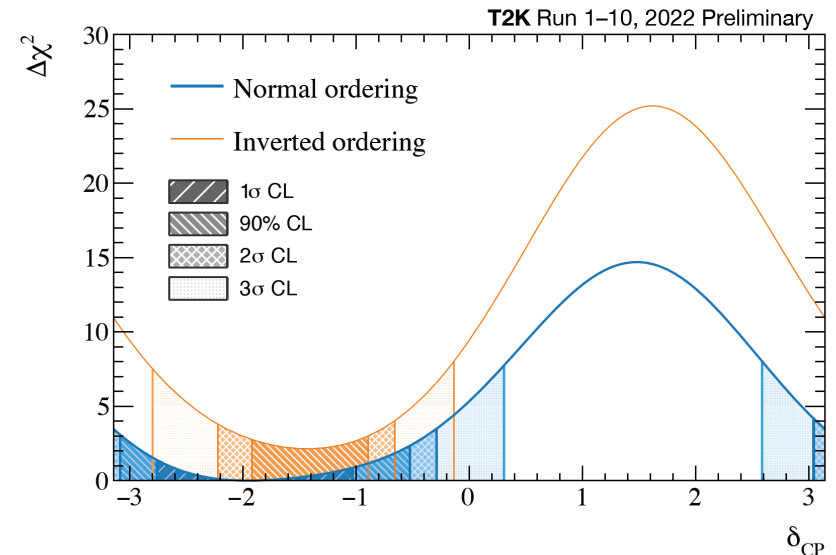
New interaction model and ND samples cause largest change compared to 2020

Multi-ring $\nu_\mu\text{CC}1\pi$ sample only gives small contribution due to being above oscillation maximum

δ_{CP}



Using θ_{13} constraint from reactor experiments: $\sin^2(2\theta_{13}) = 0.0861 \pm 0.0027$



T2K upgrade & prospect

- ▶ To improve further sensitivity
 - ▶ Upgrade ND280 for systematics
 - ▶ Beamline upgrade for higher beam power upto 1.3MW
- ▶ Aim to reach 99%CL (if maximal CPV) with 10×10^{21} POT

New horn magnet

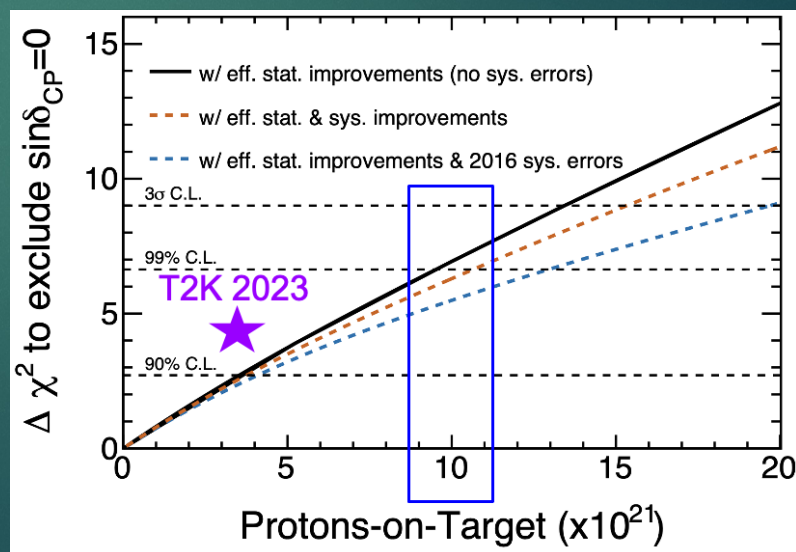
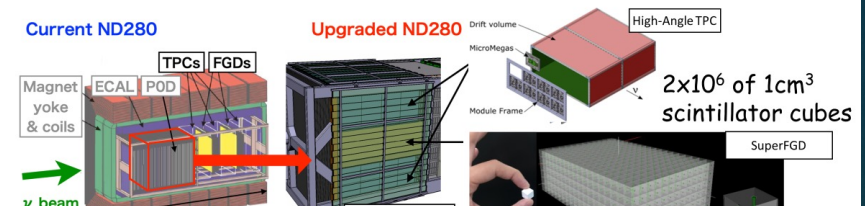


250kA → 320kA

New target

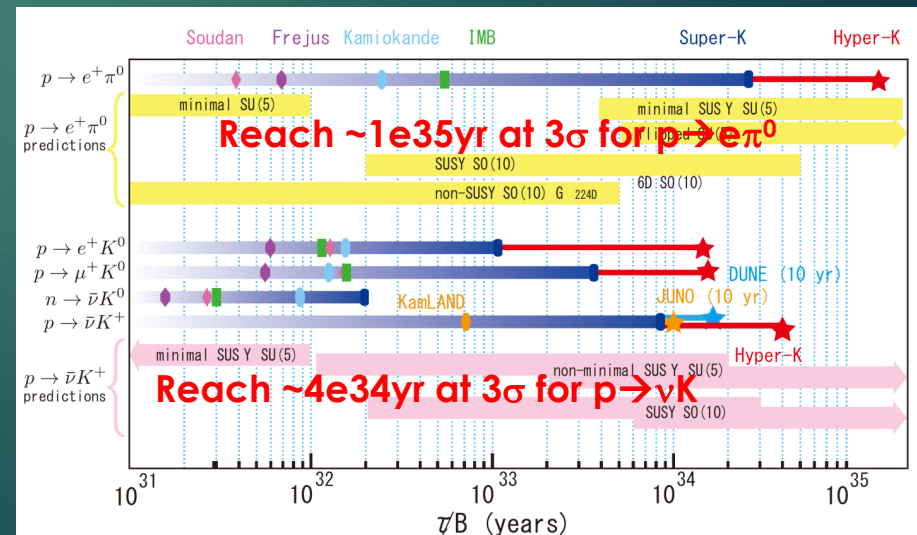
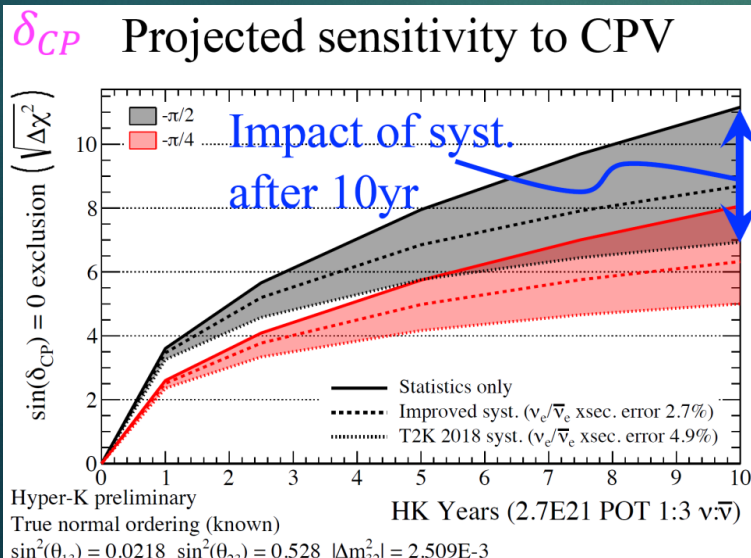
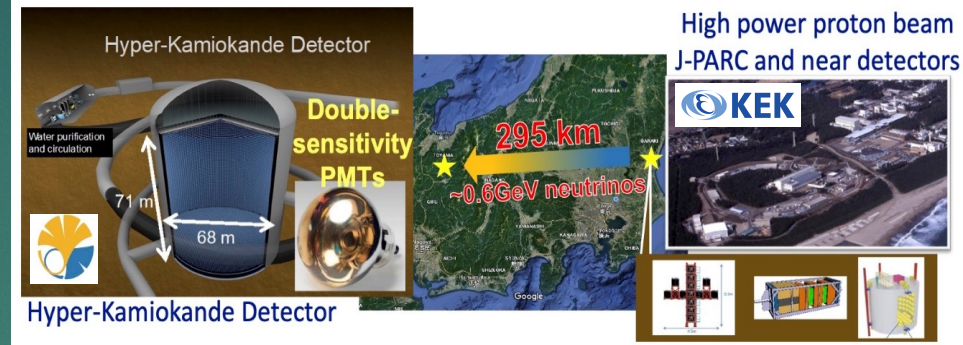


T2K ND280 upgrade



Hyper-Kamiokande project

- Project consists
 - New 190kt Hyper-Kamiokande det
 - Beam power upgrade to 1.3MW
 - Near detector upgrade
- Physics goals
 - CPV in neutrino sector
 - Search for proton decay
 - Atm-nu, solar-nu and supernova nu
- Construction started in 2020
- Aiming to start operation in 2027.**



Experiments at Hadron Experimental Facility w/ SX beam

Hadron Experiment Facility



K1.8

Strangeness
Nuclear Physics

K1.8BR

Hadron Physics

K Rare Decay
(CP violation)

KL

High Momentum
Beamline

Hadron Mass Shift

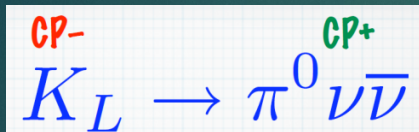
COMET Beamline

μ -e Conversion Search

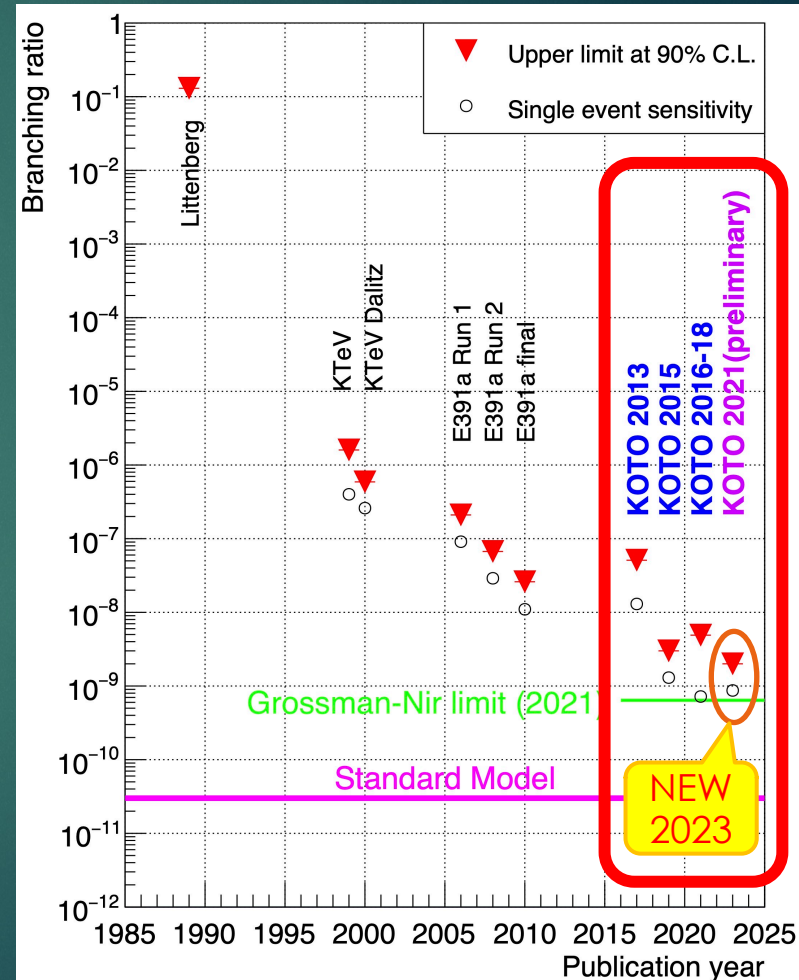
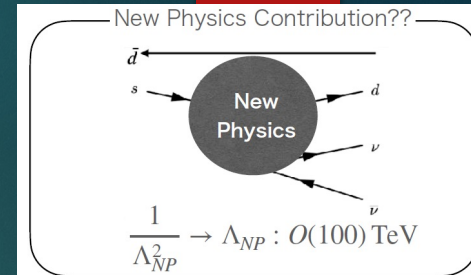
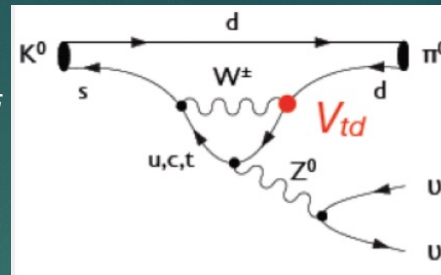
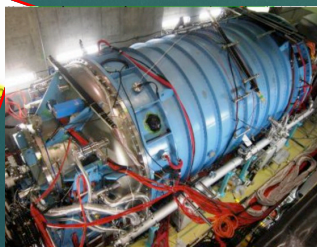
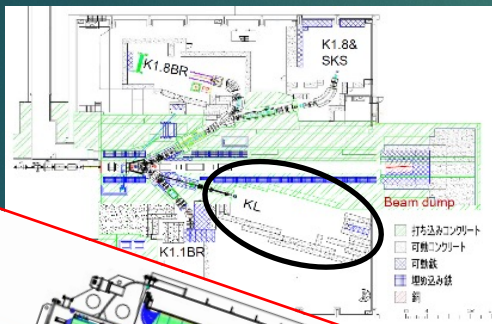
Hadron Experiment
Hypernuclear Physics

KOTO experiment

- Search for CP violating decay $K_L \rightarrow \pi^0 \nu \bar{\nu}$

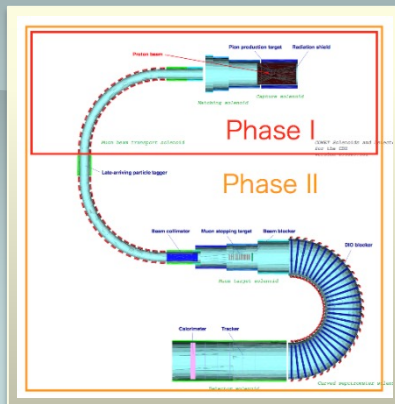
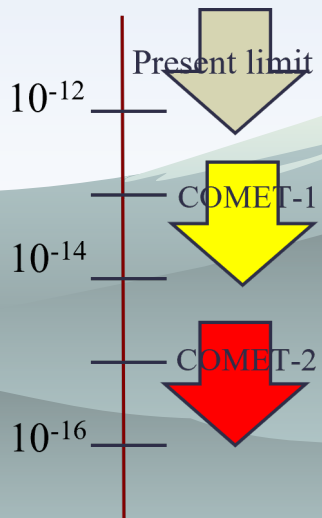
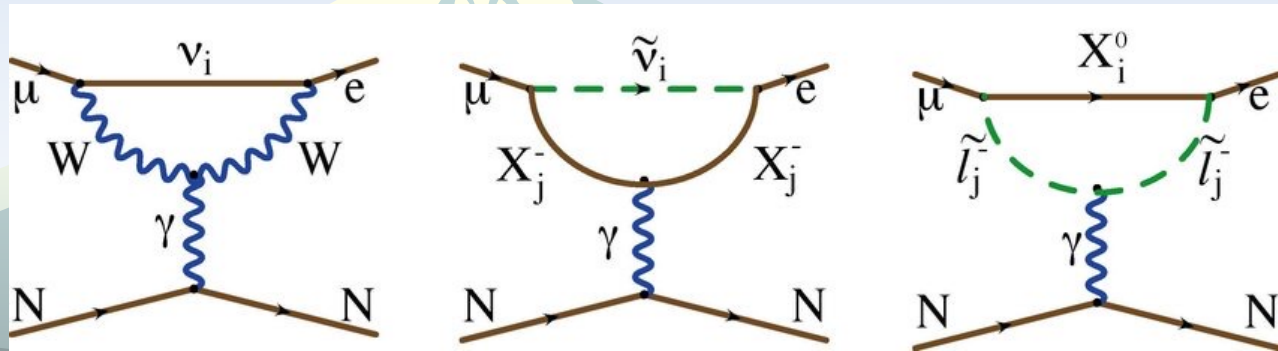
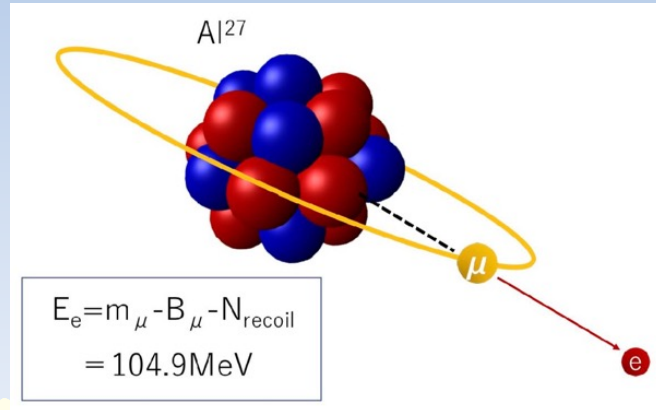


- SM pred. is very small $\sim 3e-11$
→ **Sensitive to New Physics**
- Latest result (Sept.2023)
 - $BR < 2.0 \times 10^{-9}$ @ 90% C.L.**
- Aim sensitivity better than 1×10^{-10}



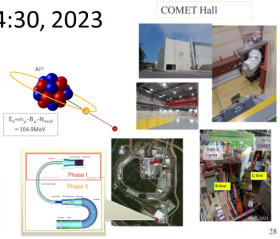
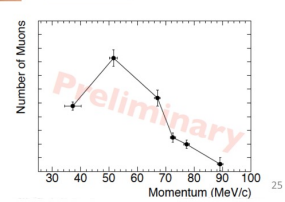
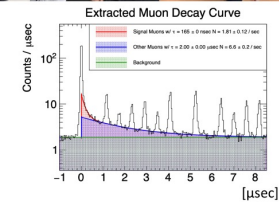
COMET experiment

- ◆ $\mu \rightarrow e$ conversion search
 $\mu^{-} + (A, Z) \rightarrow e^{-} + (A, Z)$
 - ◆ Very small $O(10^{-54})$ in SM
 - ◆ **Discovery = New Physics!**
- ◆ First commissioning in FY2022



First beam to C-line for COMET!!

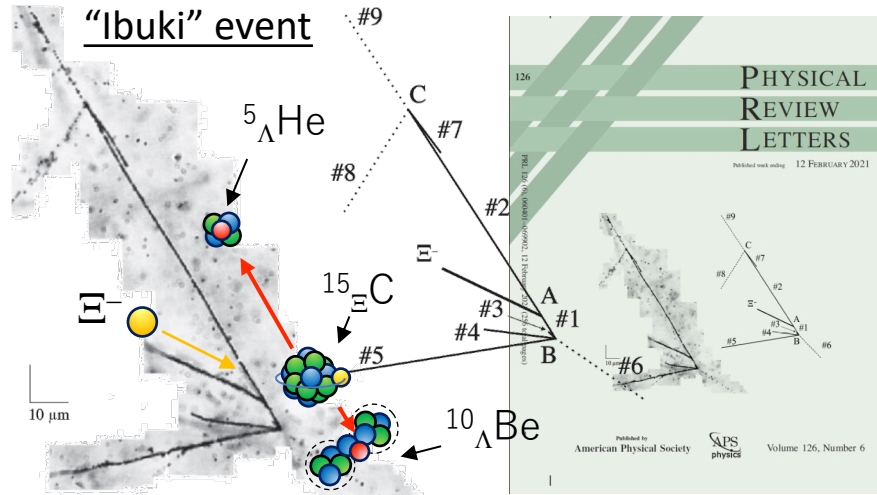
First beam on target @ Feb.9,19:44:30, 2023



【Nuclear physics at Hadron Experimental Facility】

Elucidation of the property and origin of “generalized nuclear force” including strangeness

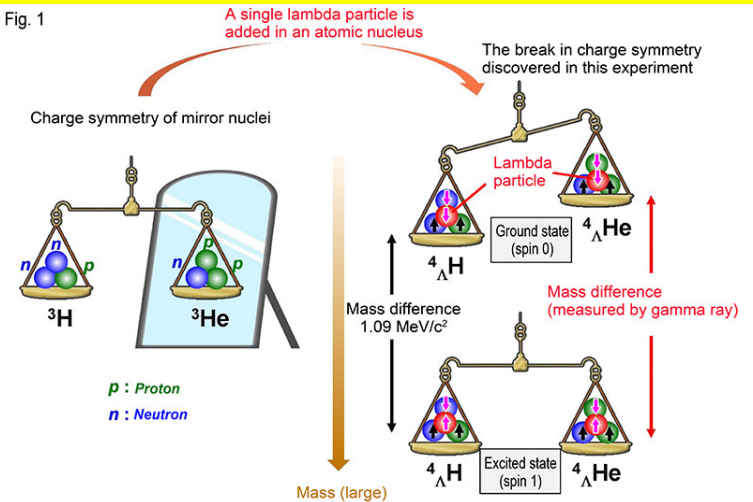
Mass measurement of Ξ hypernuclei



→ **confirm** the force between Ξ (Ξ) and nucleon is **attractive**

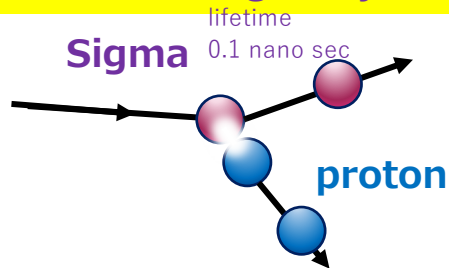
Discovery of **charge symmetry breaking** in the force between **Lambda(Λ)** and **nucleon**

Fig. 1

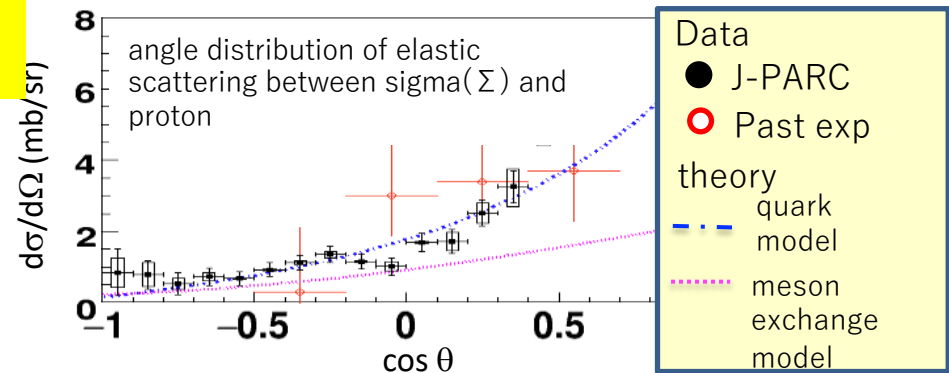


${}^3\text{H}$ and ${}^3\text{He}$ are the same on mass and structure in mirror images. If a single lambda particle is added, it is found that a large difference appears in mass of ground state and excited state.

Establishment of scattering experiments between **strange baryon** and **proton**



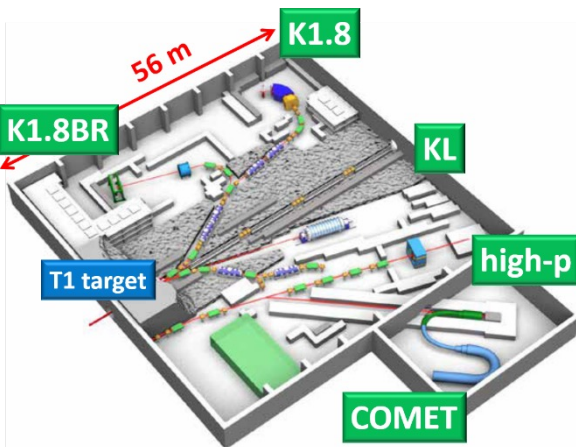
→ **improve the precision** of scattering angle distribution **by x10** for the first time in 50 years



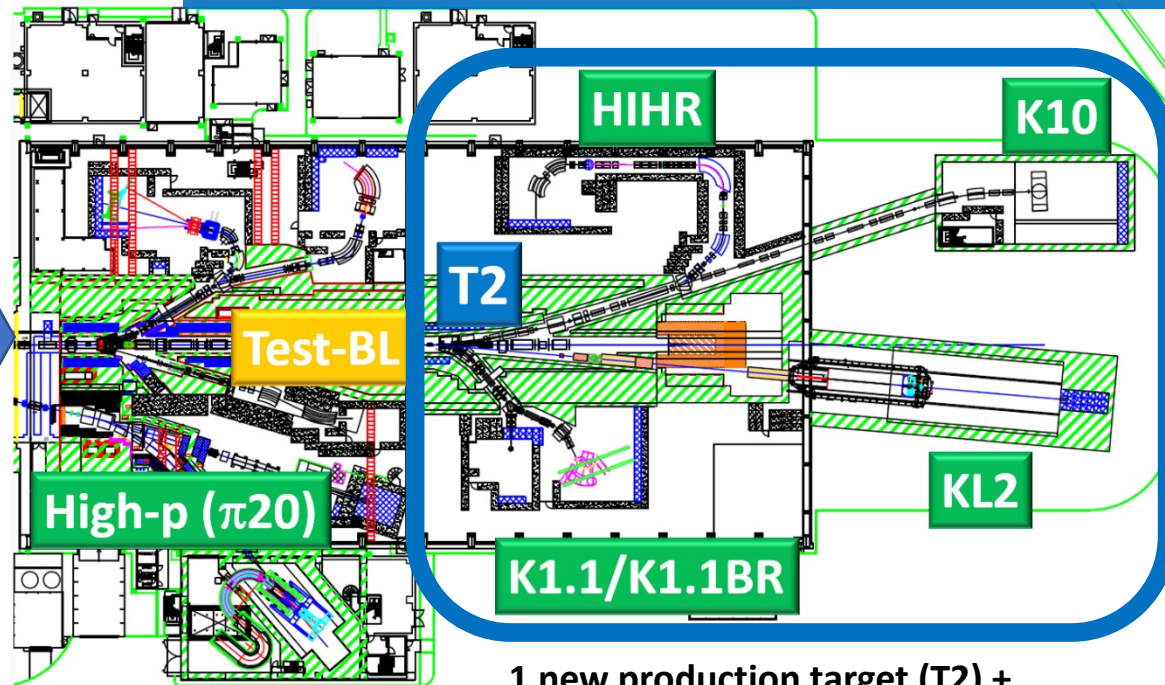
H_{adron} E_{xperimental} F_{acility} E_xtension (HEF-ex) project

Open new physics that cannot be implemented at the existing facility

Present facility



1 production target (T1) +
2 charged beamlines (K1.8/1.8BR, High-p)
1 neutral beamline (KL)
1 muon beamline (COMET)



1 new production target (T2) +
4 new beamlines (HIHR, K1.1/K1.1BR, KL2, K10) +
2 modified beamlines (High-p ($\pi 20$), Test-BL)

KEK-PIP 2022 Priory Number 1

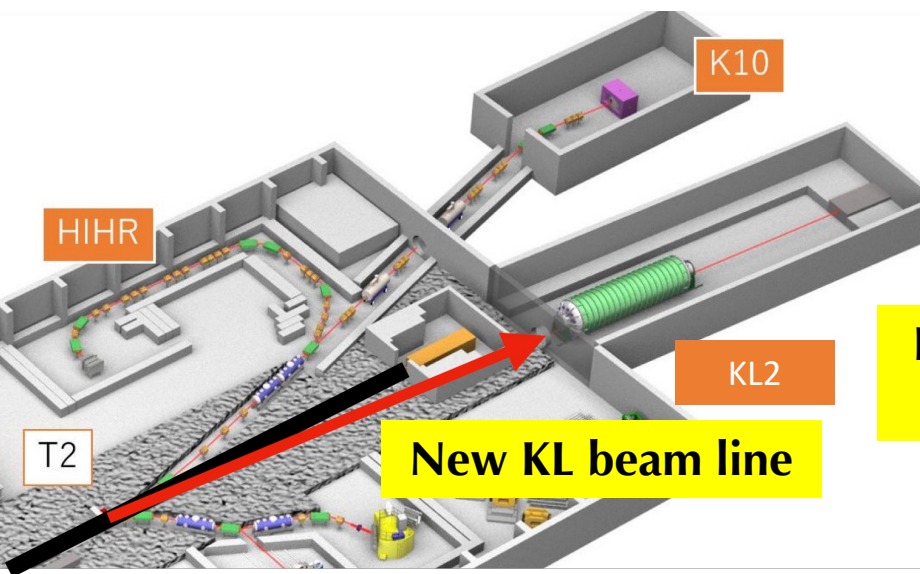
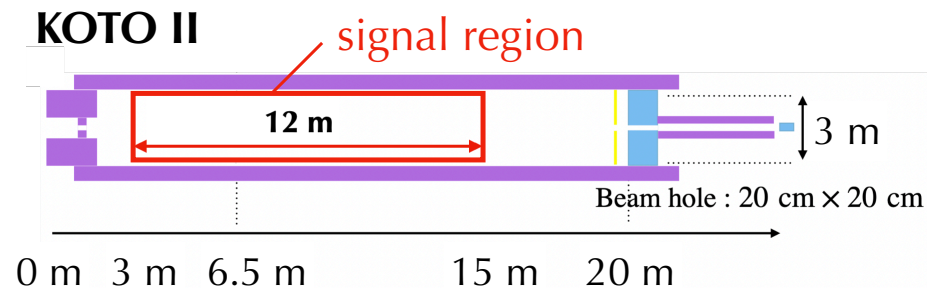
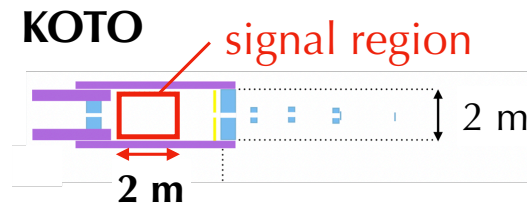
*Search for new source
of CP violation beyond
Standard Model (SM)*

KOTO II @ HEF-ex

New Phase of the $K_L \rightarrow \pi^0 \nu \bar{\nu}$ study

- From “Search” to “Measurement of the branching ratio” -

- More K_L
 - Smaller extraction angle
(16° for KOTO $\rightarrow 5^\circ$ for KOTO II)
- Larger detector
- More signal acceptance



**KOTO II detector behind dump
at the end of extended hall**

*Search for new source
of CP violation beyond
Standard Model (SM)*

KOTO II @ HEF-ex

New Phase of the $K_L \rightarrow \pi^0 \nu \bar{\nu}$ study

Expect 35 SM signal / 40 background events

assuming 100kW beam, and 3×10^7 s running
(corresponding to 6.3×10^{20} P.O.T.)

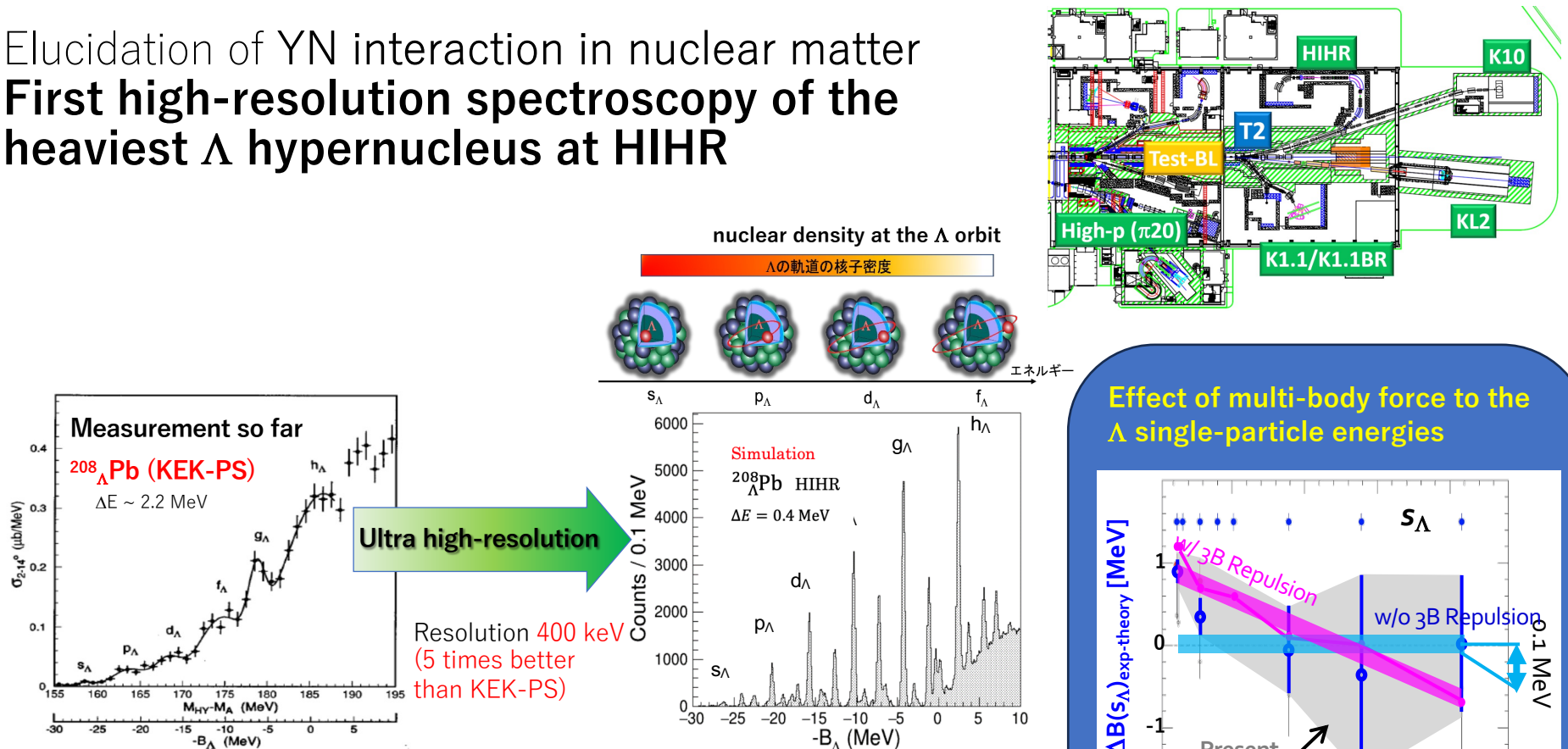
- Single Event Sensitivity (SES) = 8.5×10^{-13}
- 5.6σ observation of $K_L \rightarrow \pi^0 \nu \bar{\nu}$ (SM)
- 25% precision for the branching ratio
- If 44% deviation from SM prediction is observed
→ Indication of New Physics at 90% confidence level



**KOTO II detector behind dump
at the end of extended hall**

A Highlight of future nuclear physics at extended HD hall

Elucidation of YN interaction in nuclear matter
First high-resolution spectroscopy of the heaviest Λ hypernucleus at HIHR

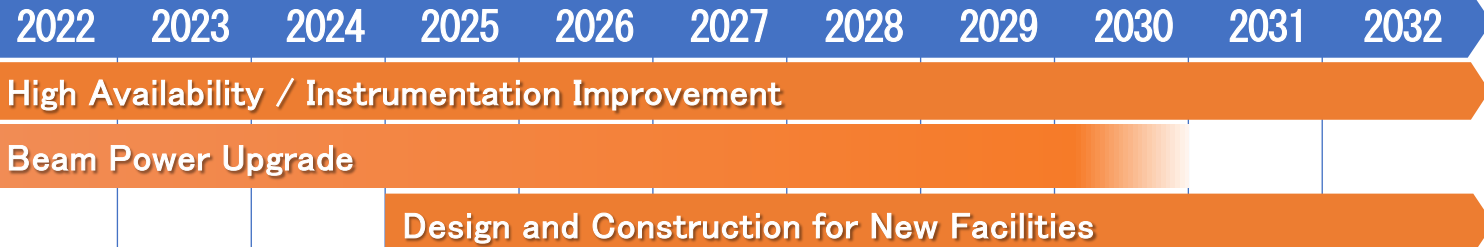


Clarify **density-dependent Λ interaction** and **multi-body force** via the systematic measurements for the **understanding high-density matter and neutron stars**.



J-PARC future plan

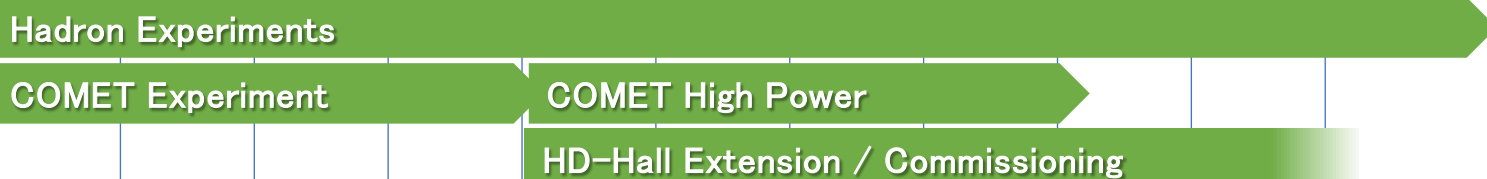
Accelerator 加速器施設



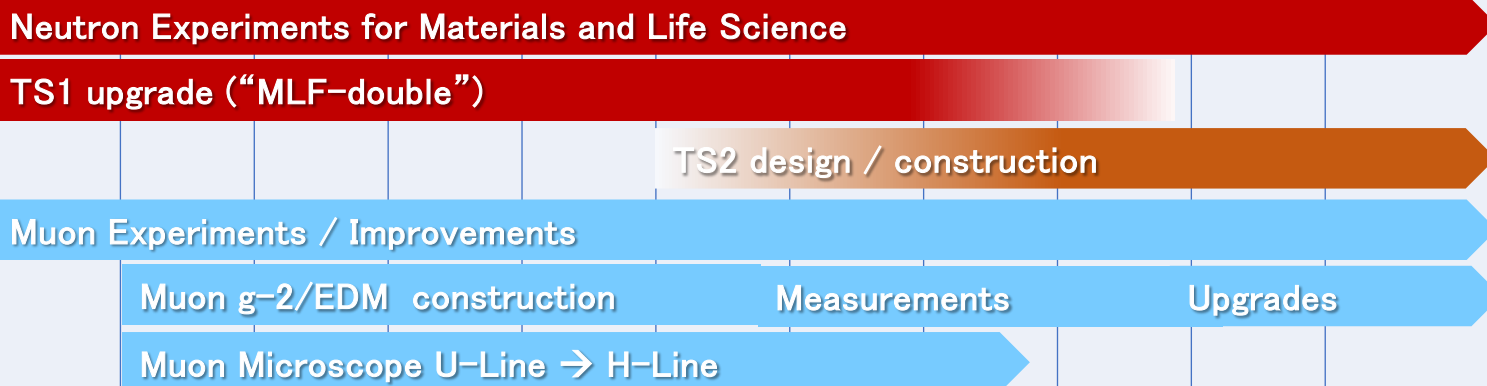
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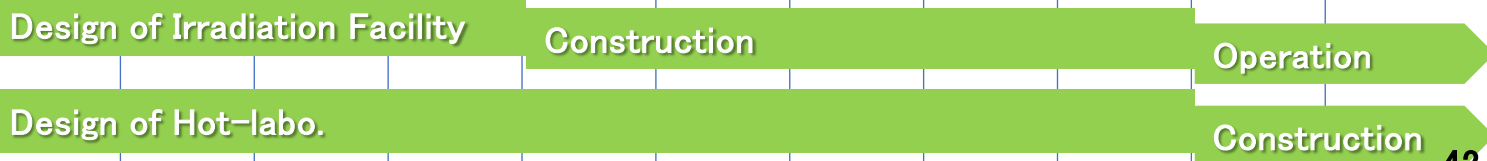
Hadron ハドロン実験施設



MLF 物質・生命科学 実験施設



ADS-R&D 陽子ビーム照射施設



J-PARC Symposium 2024

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- ▶ Discuss
 - ▶ Scientific output/achievements in the last 15 years
 - ▶ Future projects for coming 30 years
- ▶ Oct 14-17, 2024 @ Mito (new city culture center)
- ▶ Registration will start soon!
- ▶ Come & enjoy science discussions and Mito/Japan



<https://j-parc.jp/symposium/j-parc2024/>

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- ▶ J-PARC is the world leading intensity frontier proton accelerator research complex
 - ▶ 3GeV RCS/MLF: reached at 840kW stable operation
 - ▶ 30GeV MR: 800kW stable operation achieved
- ▶ J-PARC is unique facility covering wide range of research fields
 - ▶ Particle, nuclear physics, material and life sciences and industrial applications, Archeology, planetary science
- ▶ Many exciting projects are being conducted/prepared

Discoveries would come tomorrow

**Your participations for the discoveries
are highly welcome!**