

# J-PARC muon facility



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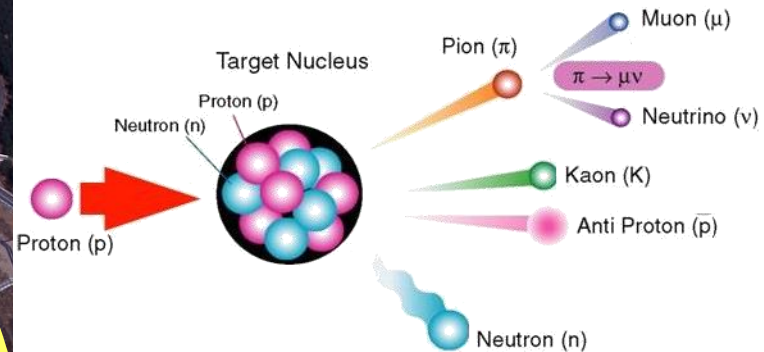
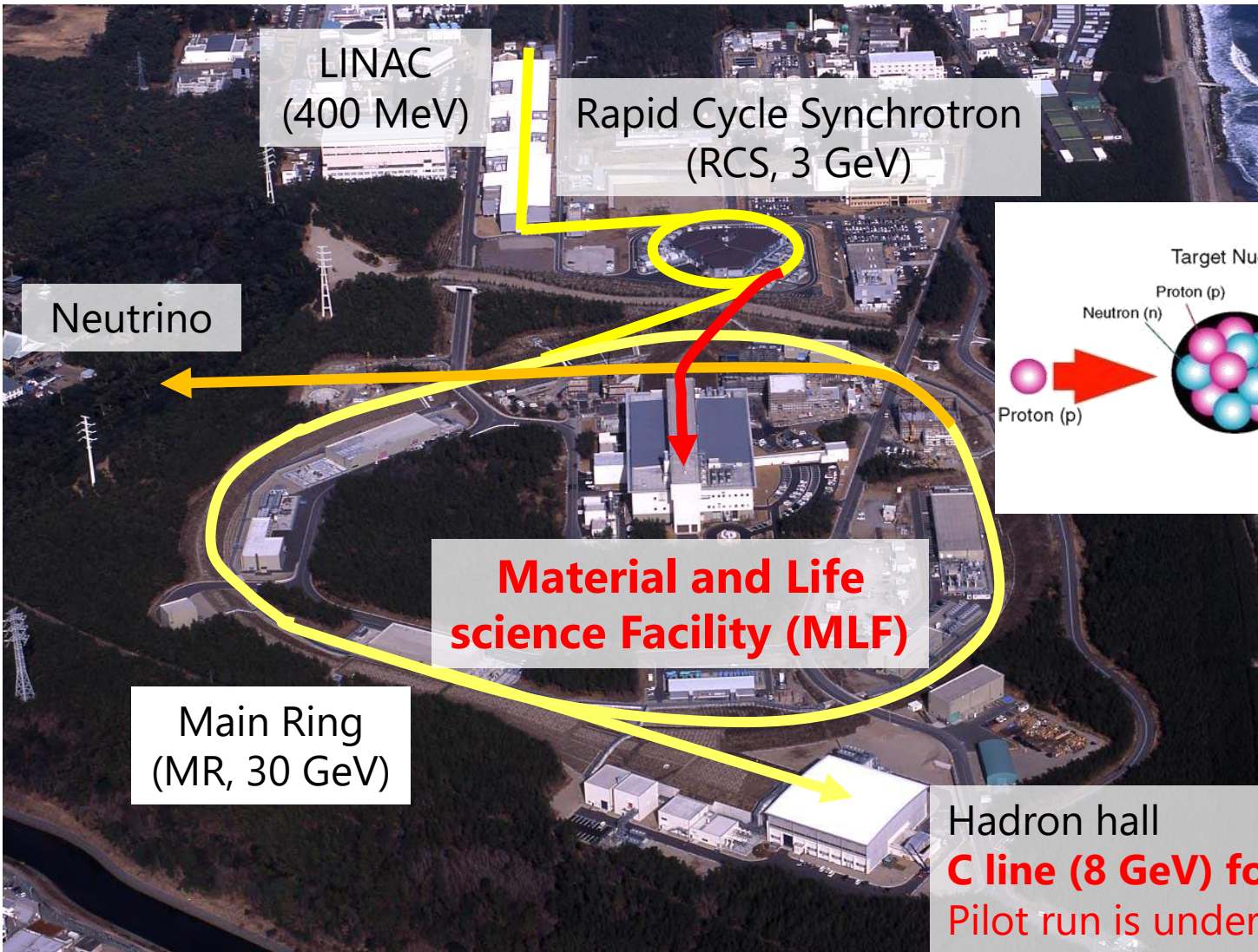
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  - H line: Muonium HFS (MuSEUM),  $\mu^-N \rightarrow e^-N$  (DeeMe)
- Future extension of H-line
  - Low emittance muon beam for muon g-2/EDM and transmission muon microscope
- Future program: 2<sup>nd</sup> target station

# **J-PARC muon facility**



# J-PARC

J-PARC (Japan Proton Accelerator Research Complex)

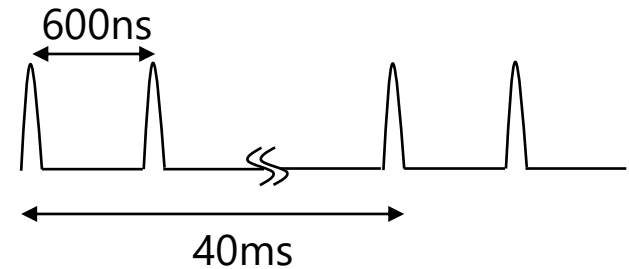


**C line (8 GeV) for COMET**  
Pilot run is underway

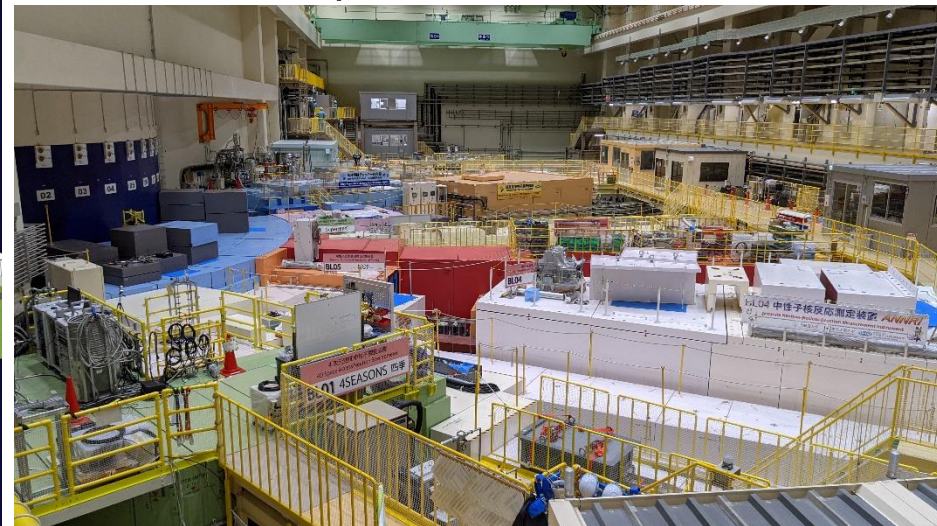
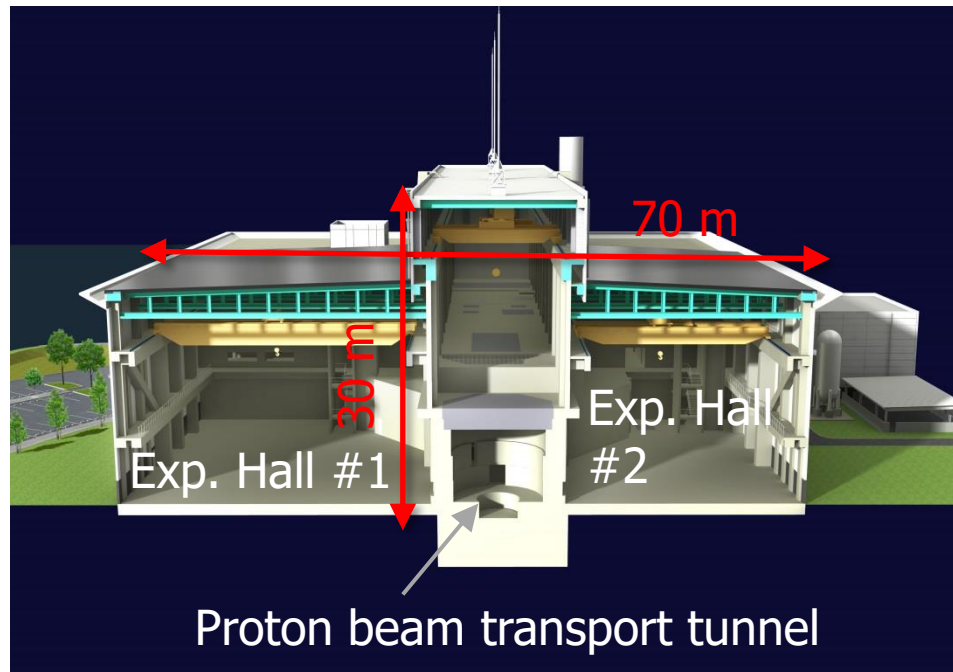
# MLF

MLF (Material and Life science Facility)

- Beam power 1 MW ( $\sim 840$  kW stable operation at present)
- Repetition rate 25 Hz, double bunches
- Tandem target: 5% for  $\mu$ , 95% for n



Experimental hall #1





# J-PARC muon facility

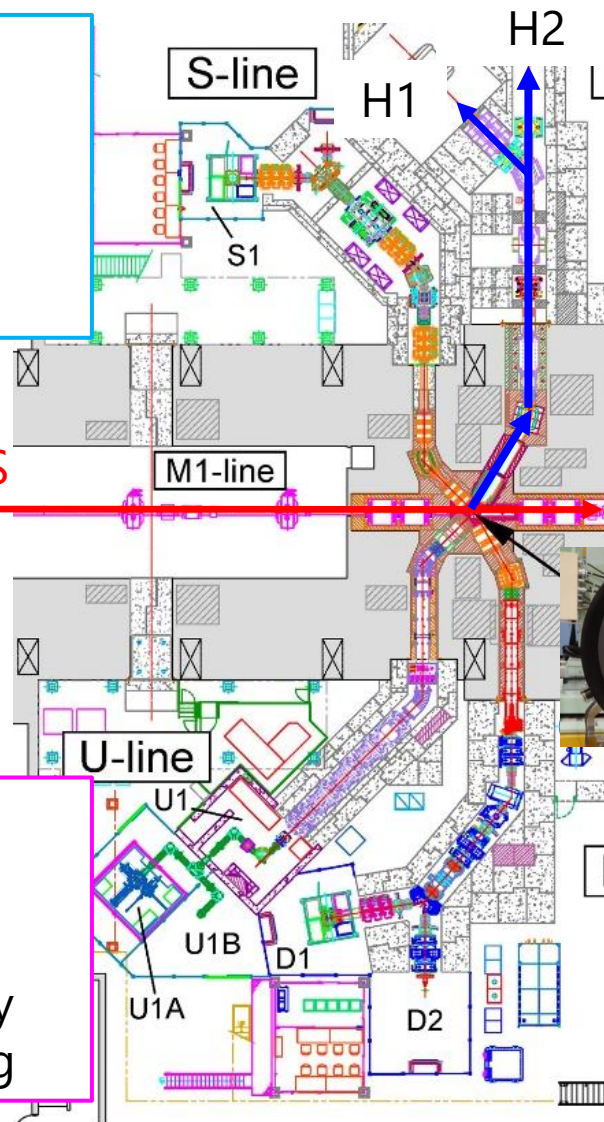
- MUSE (MUon Science Establishment) in MLF

## S line

- surface  $\mu^+$
- S1 for  $\mu$ SR
- **S2 for Mu 1S-2S**
- S3/S4 are planned

3GeV proton from RCS

$2e15$  /s @1MW



## H line

- surface  $\mu^+$  ( $10^8 \mu^+$ /s), cloud  $\mu^+/\mu^-$  (up to 120MeV/c)
- for high intensity & long beamtime experiments
- **H1 for Mu HFS &  $\mu^-N \rightarrow e^-N$**
- **H2 for g-2/EDM &  $T\mu M$ , under construction**

## **Muon target**

(graphite,  $t=20\text{mm}$ )  
Rotating target

## U line

- ultra slow  $\mu^+$
- U1A for nm- $\mu$ SR
- U1B for  $\mu$  microscopy
- under commissioning

## D line

- decay  $\mu^+/\mu^-$ , surface  $\mu^+$
- D1 area for  $\mu$ SR
- D2 for various sciences

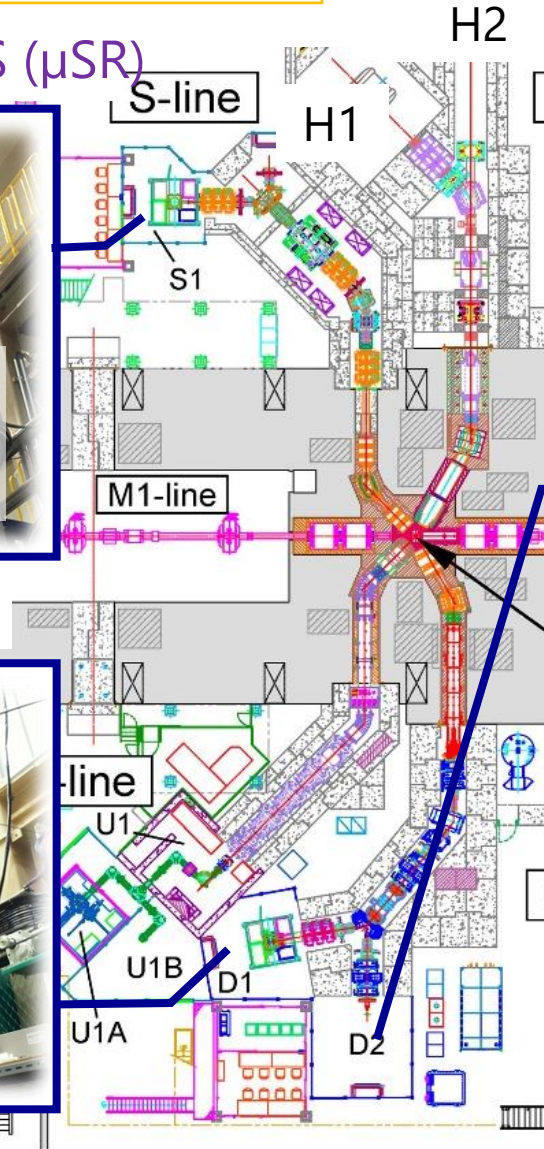
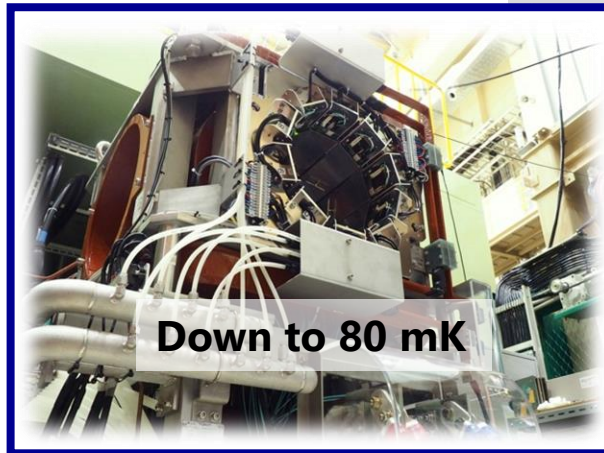
# Beamlines for material science

$\mu$ SR Spectrometers at D1 and S1 areas

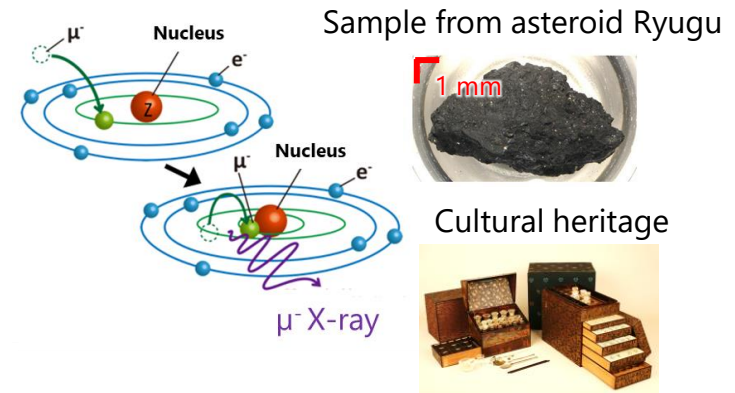
S1 Instrument: ARTEMIS ( $\mu$ SR)



D1 Instrument:  $\mu$ SR



D2 Instrument: elemental analysis using  $\mu^-$  X-ray



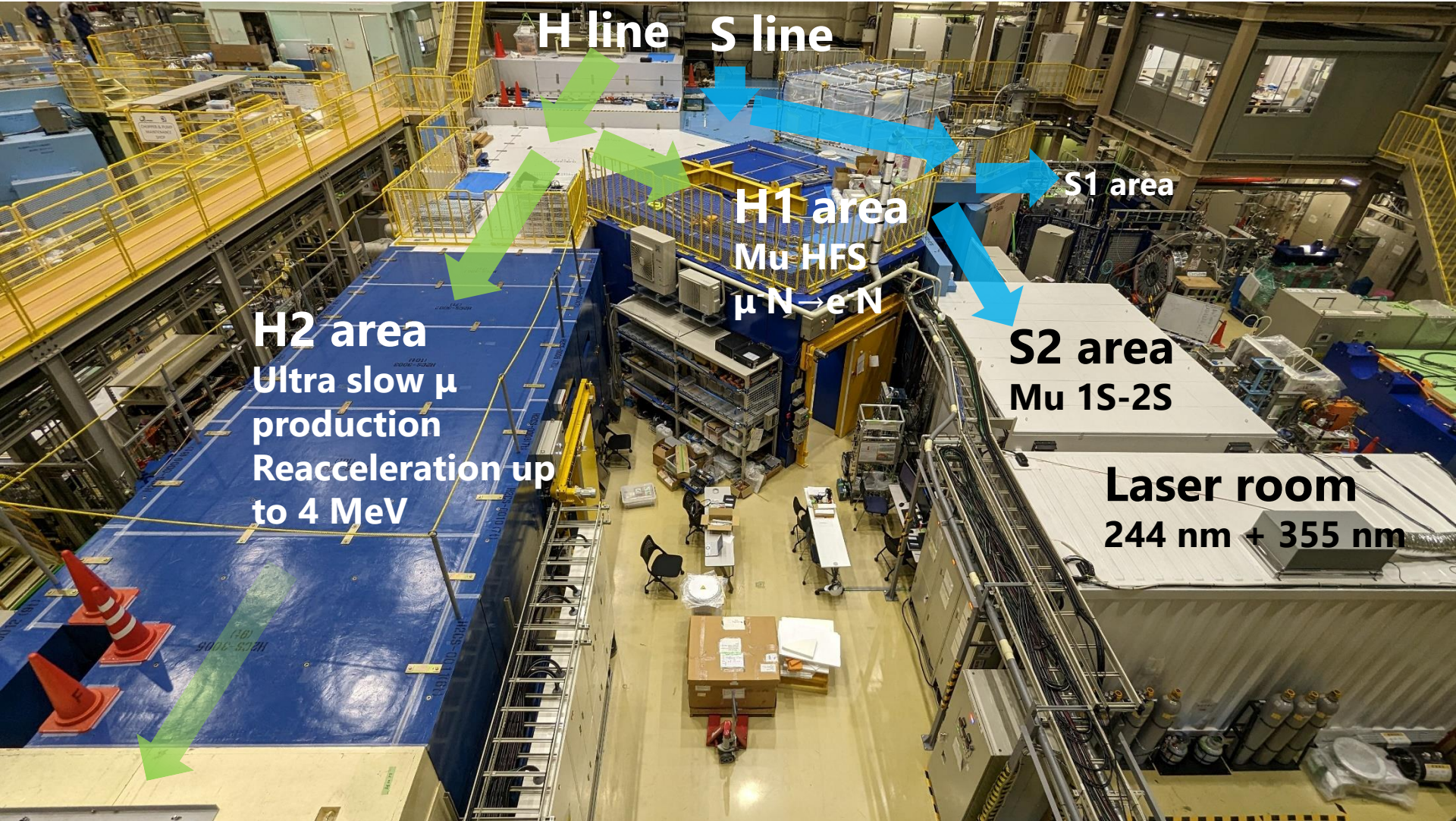
D2 area is also available for user-made one-time setup.

# **New beamlines for fundamental physics**



# H line and S2 area

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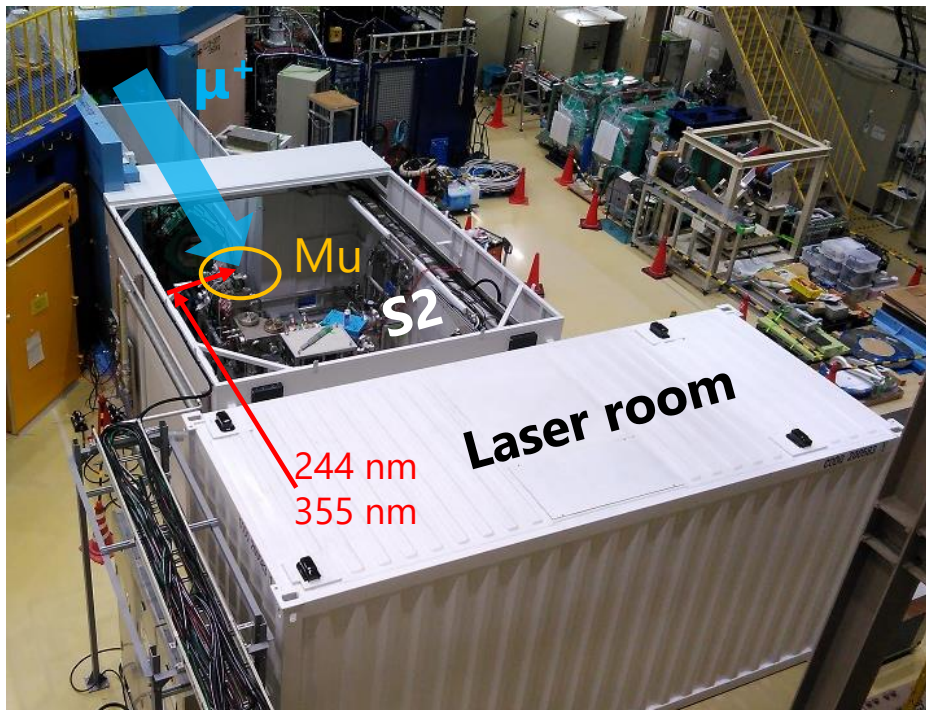


**Future extension to accelerate up to 212 MeV**  
For muon g-2/EDM and transmission muon microscope

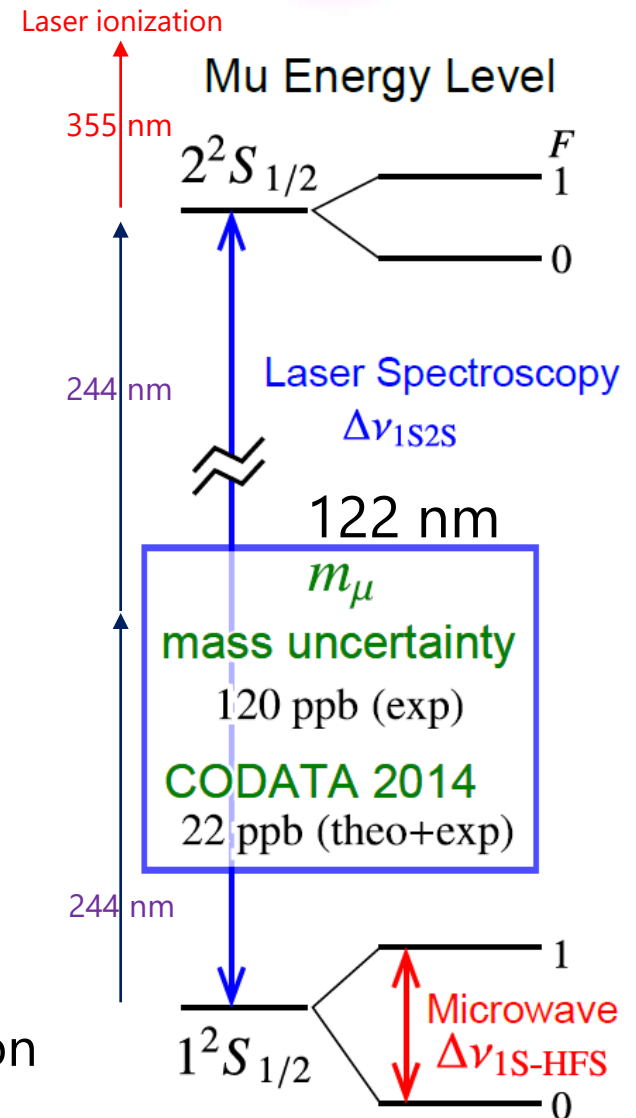
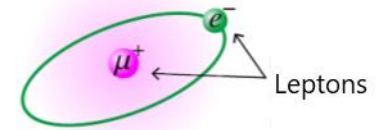


# S2 area and Mu 1S-2S

- 2<sup>nd</sup> branch of S line for Mu 1S-2S spectroscopy
  - ✓ Surface muon beamline:  $2 \times 10^6 \mu^+/\text{s}$
  - ✓ In operation since FY2021



Muonium (Mu)



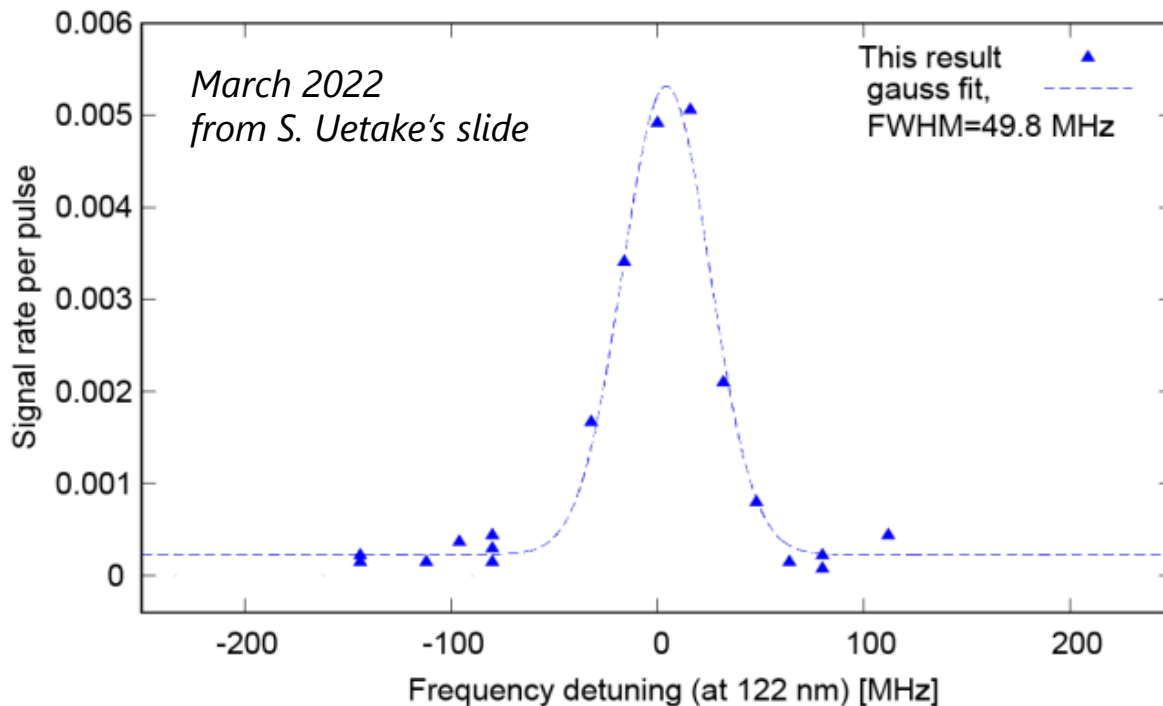
$$\Delta\nu_{1S2S} \simeq \frac{3\alpha^2}{8h} m_e c^2 \left( 1 + \frac{m_e}{\underline{m_\mu}} \right)^{-1}$$

$m_\mu$   
mass

Goal:  
10 kHz precision  
 $\Delta m_\mu = 1$  ppb

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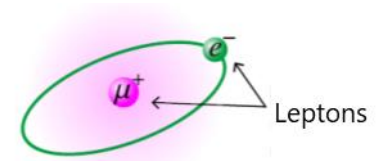
- Resonance signals were successfully observed in early 2022.
- Efforts are currently being made to reduce systematic errors.



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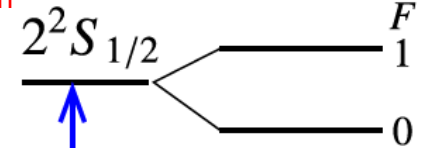
Muonium (Mu)



Laser ionization

355 nm

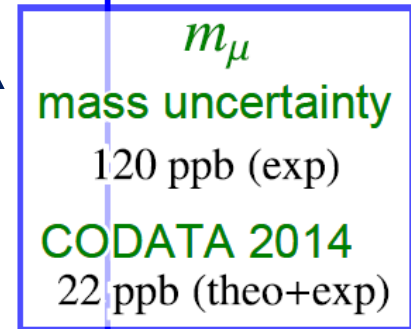
Mu Energy Level



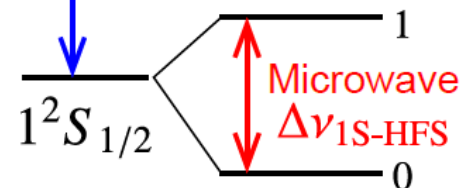
244 nm

Laser Spectroscopy

$\Delta\nu_{1S2S}$

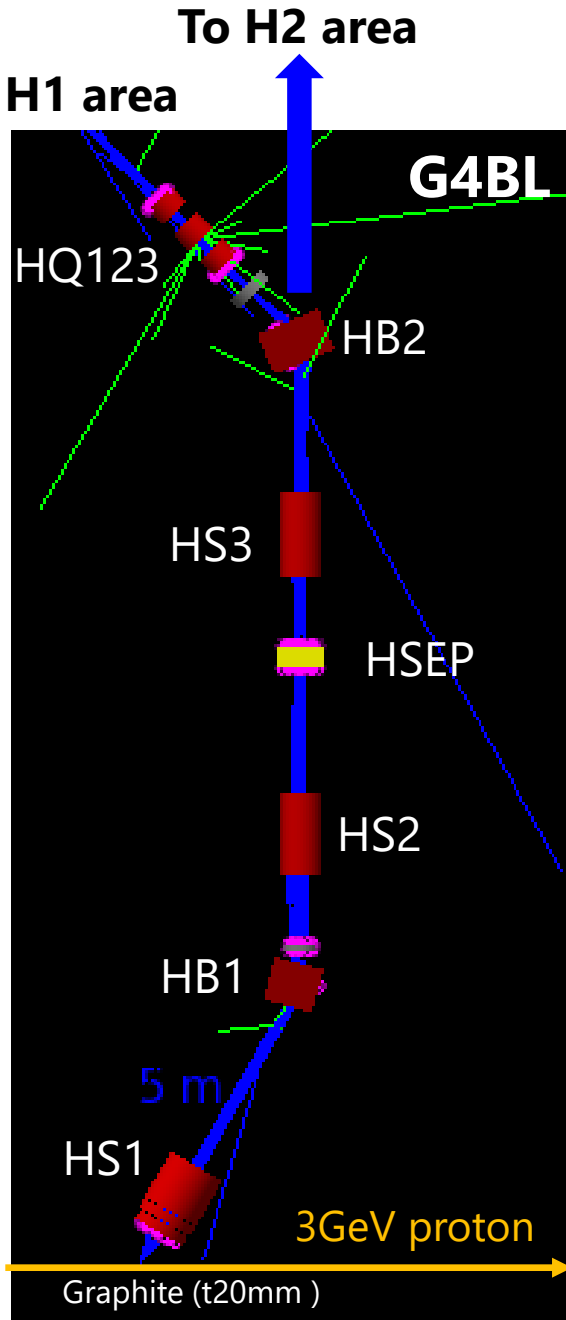


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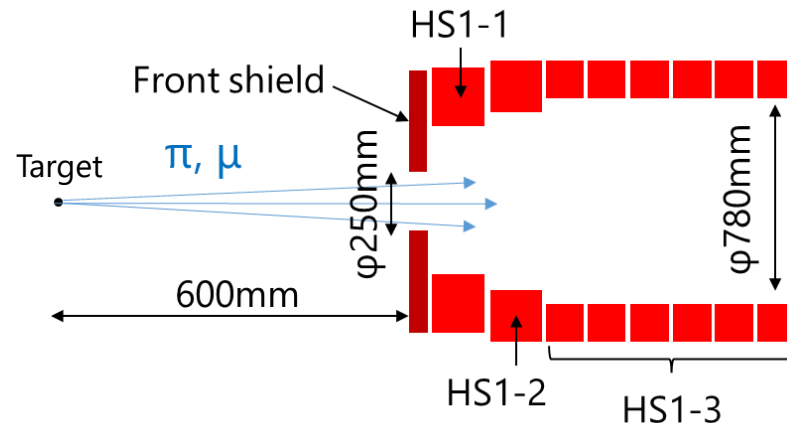
# H line



- H line is a high intensity muon beamline which can deliver both of surface  $\mu^+$  and cloud  $\mu^+/\mu^-$ .

- Beamline optics

- HS1 : large acceptance capture solenoid



## Spec.

HS1-1 : 0.37T

HS1-2 : 0.31T

HS1-3 : 0.60T

\*Normal conducting

\*Good radiation resistance (MIC)

- HS2,3 : Two superconducting solenoid with opposite polarities
- HSEP : Wien filter to reduce  $e^+/e^-$  background  
→ will be installed during the next summer shutdown

- Surface muons of  $10^8 \mu^+/\text{s}$  @1 MW

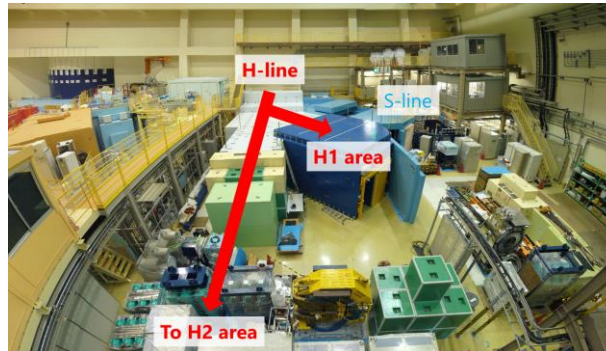
- **First beam to H1 area on 15 Jan. 2022!**

# H-line construction history

JFY2012  
Frontend devices



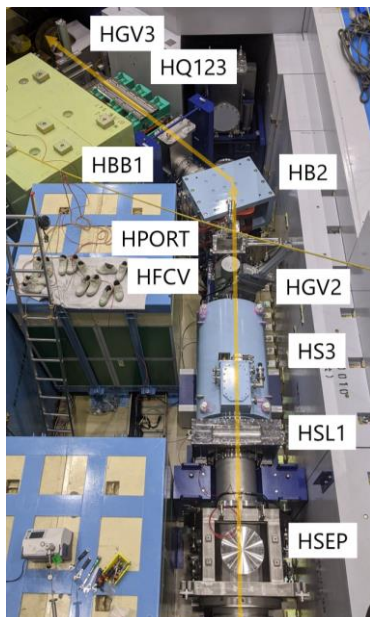
JFY2016 Radiation shield



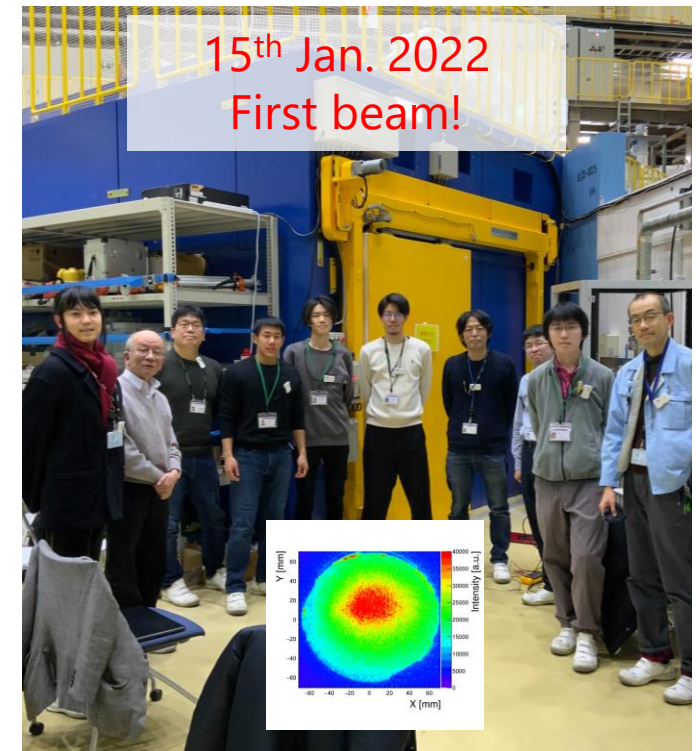
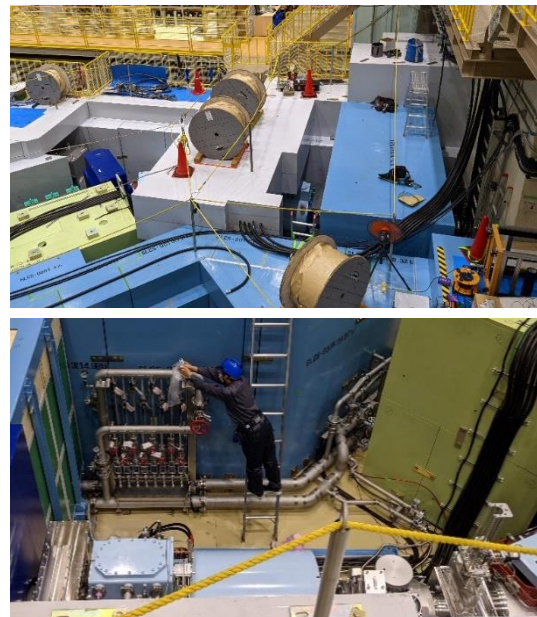
JFY2017~2019: Electric sub-station  
\* For the NC capture solenoid



JFY2020  
Install magnets

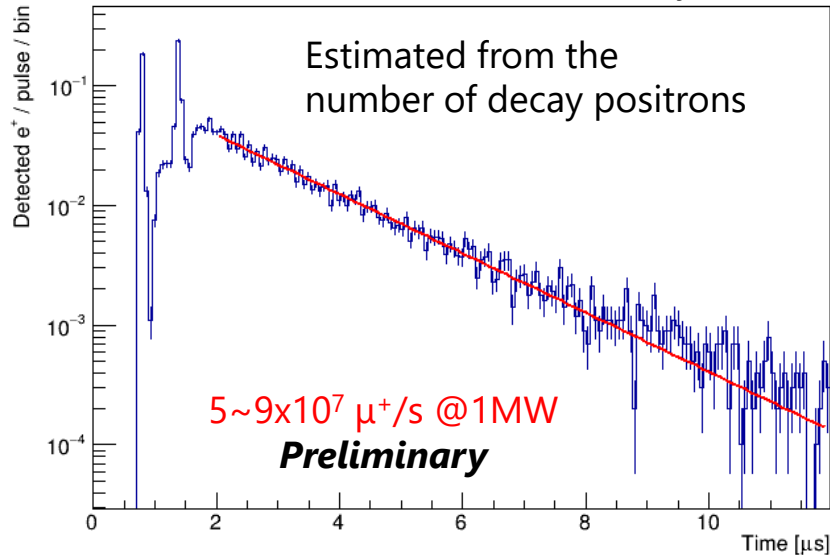


JFY2021  
Cabling, plumbing

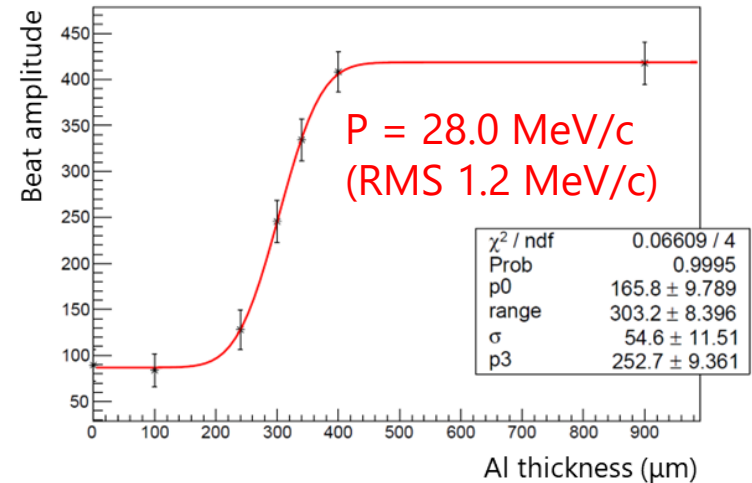


# H-line commissioning

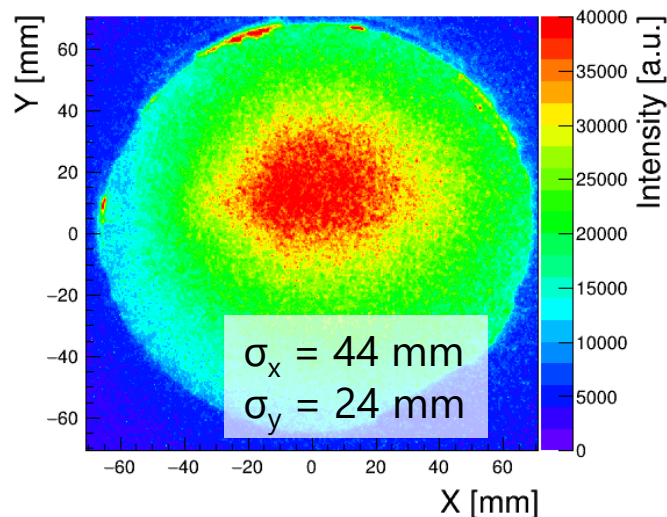
Surface muon intensity



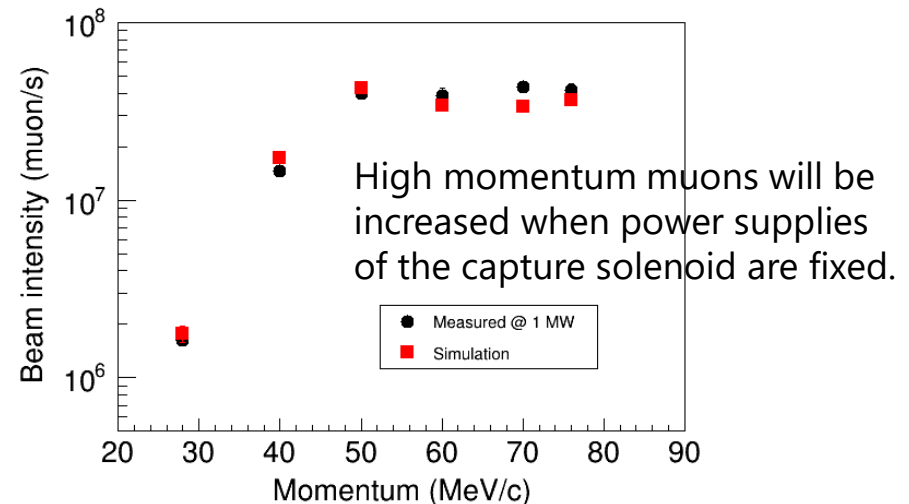
Momentum of surface muons estimated from  $\mu^+$  range in Al target



A typical profile of surface  $\mu^+$



Negative (cloud) muon intensity

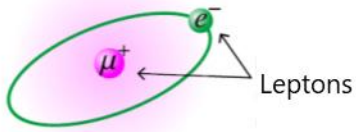




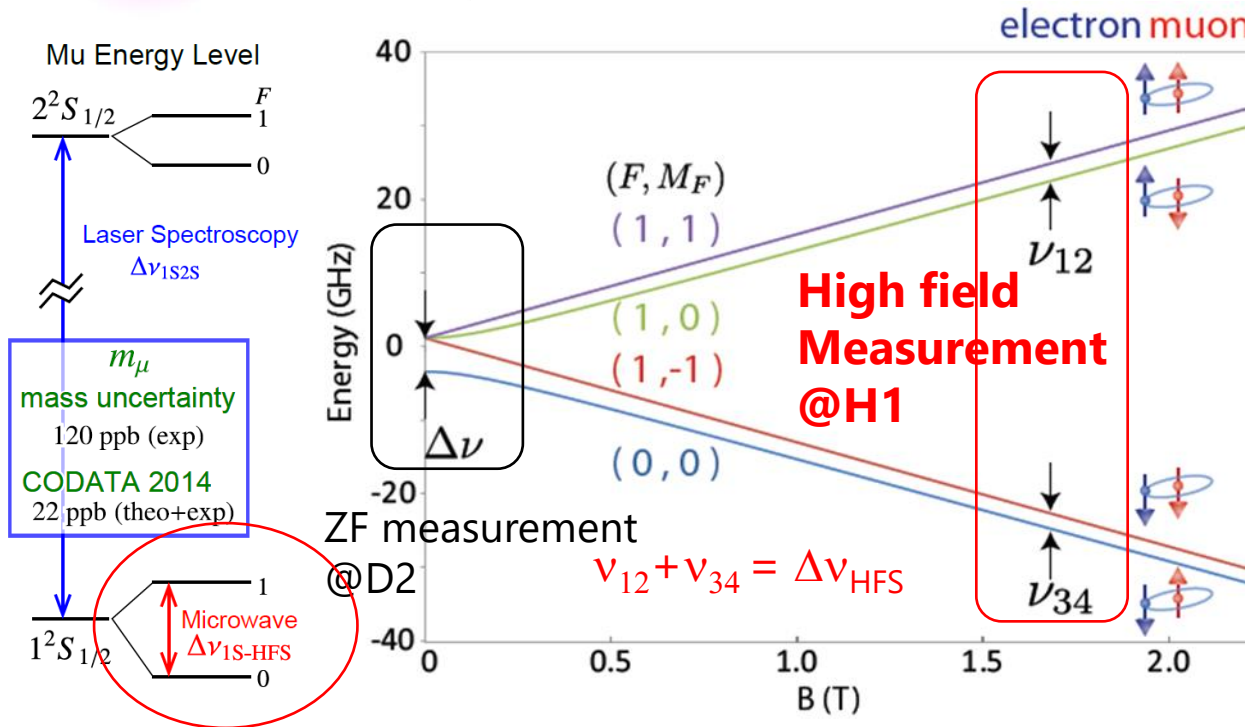
# Mu HFS @H1 area

Muonium (Mu)

→ Iwai-san's talk



- Precise measurement of the hyperfine structure of muonium
- MuSEUM: **M**uonium **S**pectroscopy **E**xperiment **U**sing **M**icrowave



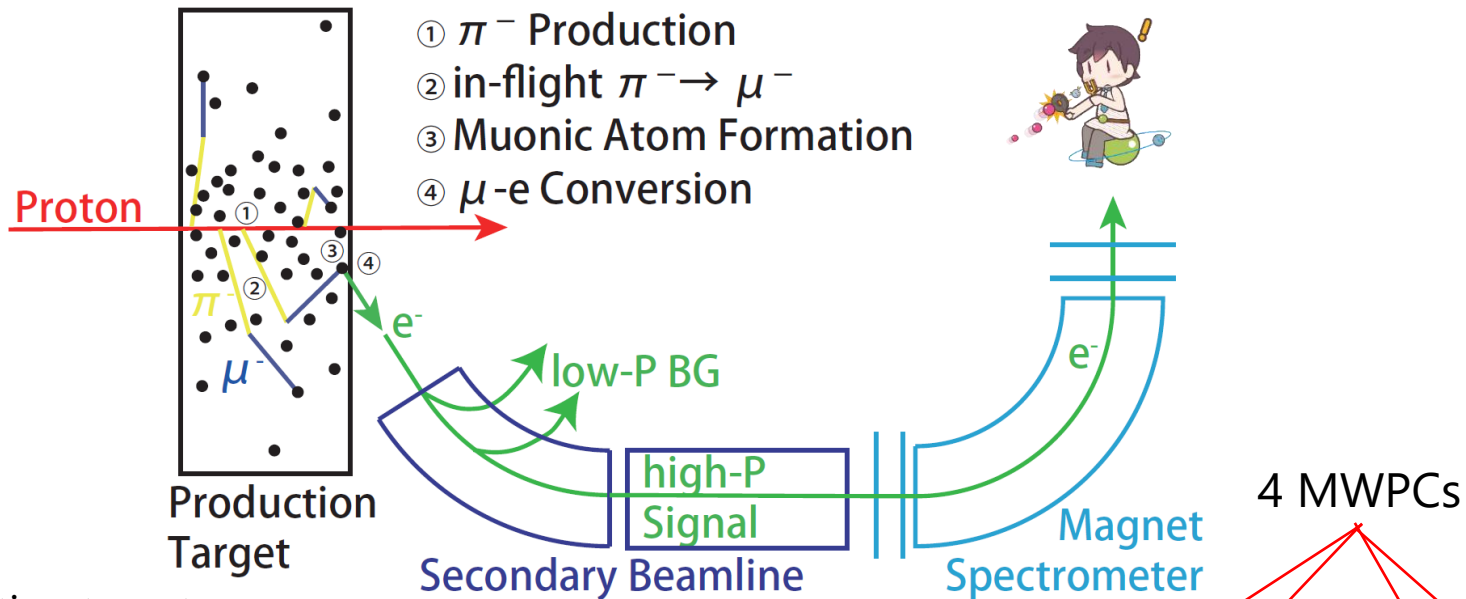
Previous experiment: 4 463.302 765 (53) MHz (LAMPF1999)

Precision of 8 Hz will be reached by a high field measurement at the H-line.

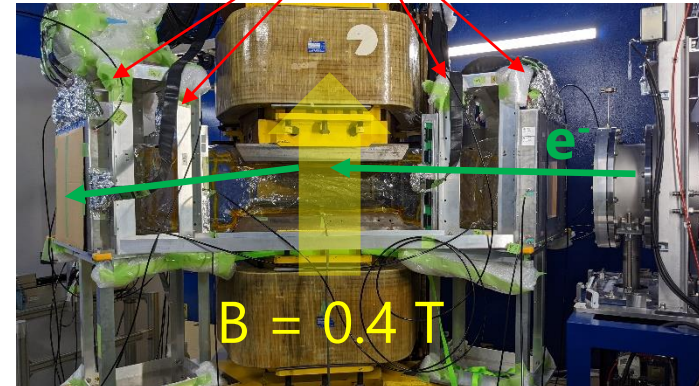
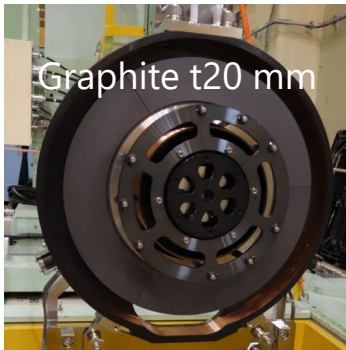
This experiment is going to be conducted after the Wien filter is installed.

# $\mu^- N \rightarrow e^- N$ @ H1 area

- Search for  $\mu$ -e conversion (sensitivity  $\sim 10^{-14}$ )
  - DeeMe: **D**irect **e**lectron **e**mission from **M**uon **e**lectron conversions
  - Detectors are installed in H1 area and pilot RUN is underway.



Production target



# **Future extension of H line**

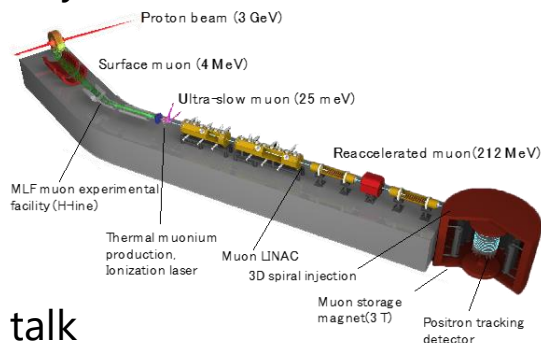


# Extension of H line

At the 2<sup>nd</sup> branch of H line, ultra-slow muons will be re-accelerated up to **212 MeV** to obtain a **low-emittance ( $1 \pi \text{ mm} \cdot \text{mrad}$ ) muon beam**.

## Muon g-2/EDM experiment

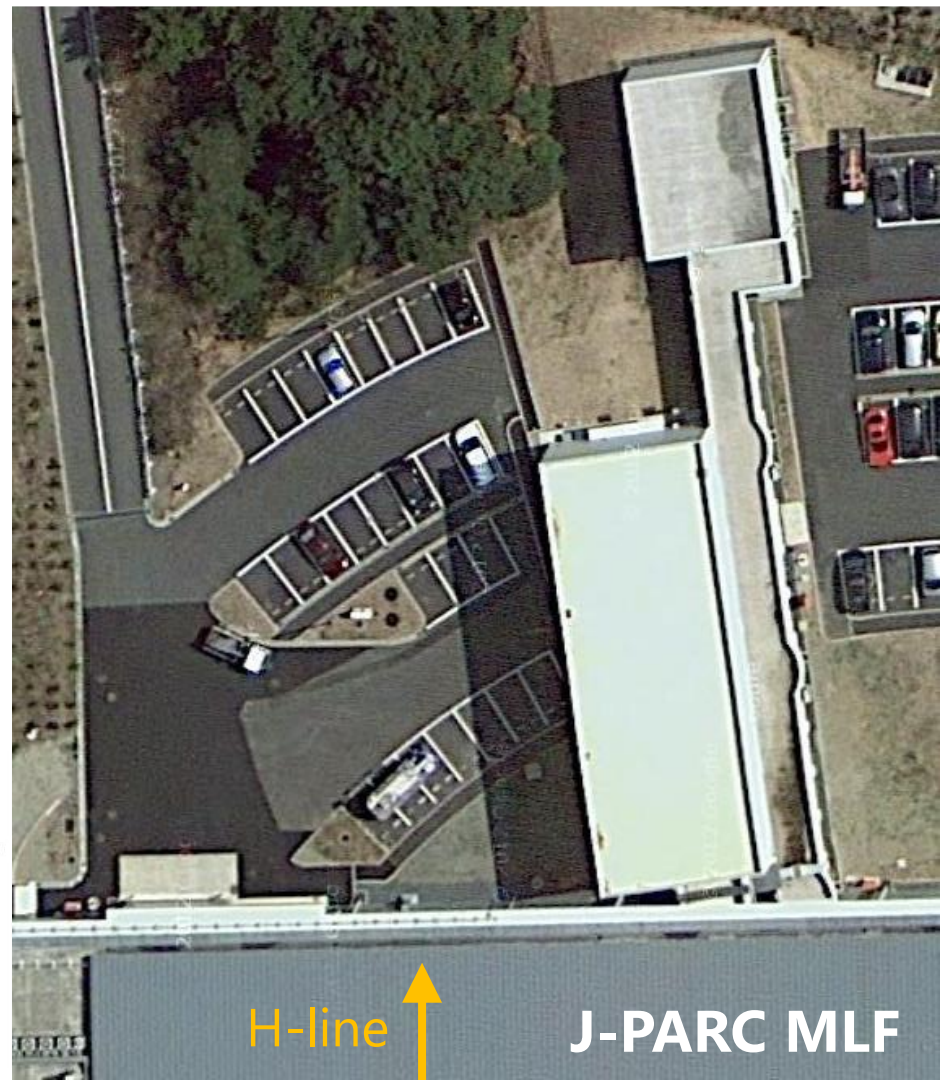
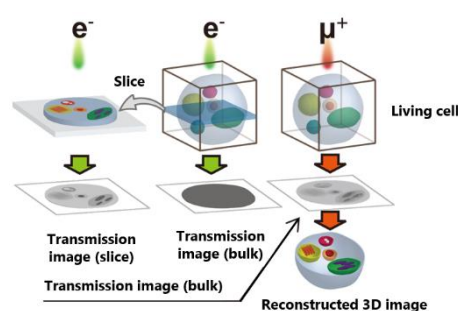
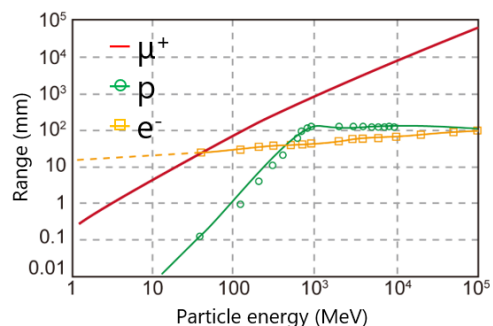
- ▷ The low-emittance muon beam enables us not to use a strong focusing E-field.
- ▷ Complementary method to check the discrepancy



→Gerco-san's talk

## Transmission muon microscope ( $T\mu M$ )

- ▷ Observe bulk samples utilizing the strong penetrative power of re-accelerated muons

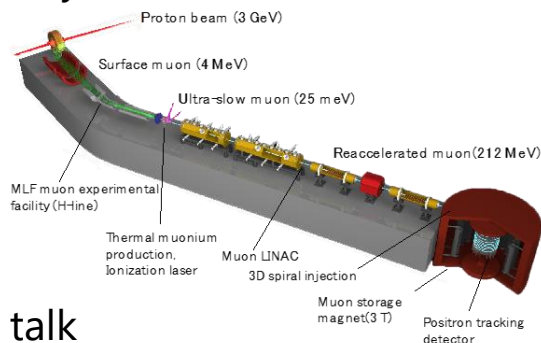


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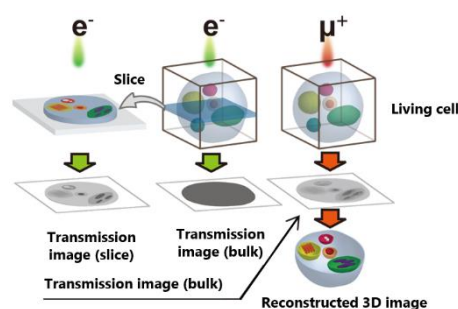
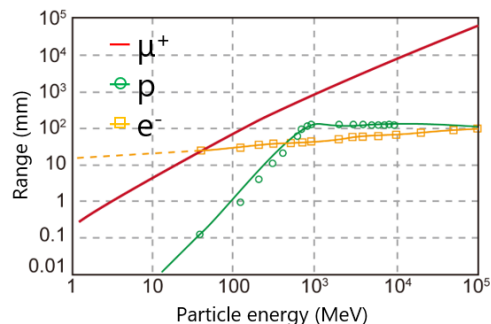
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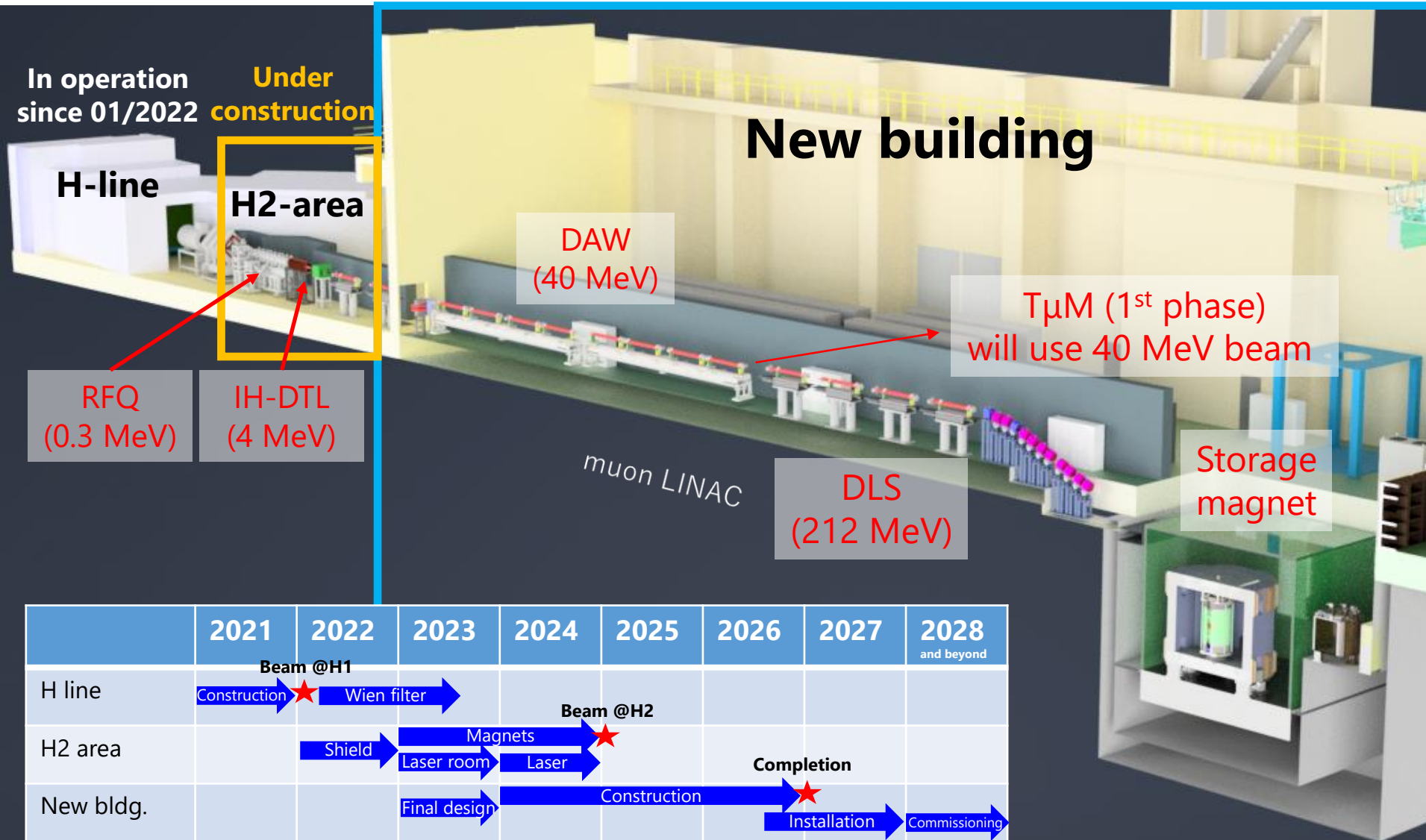


H-line

J-PARC MLF

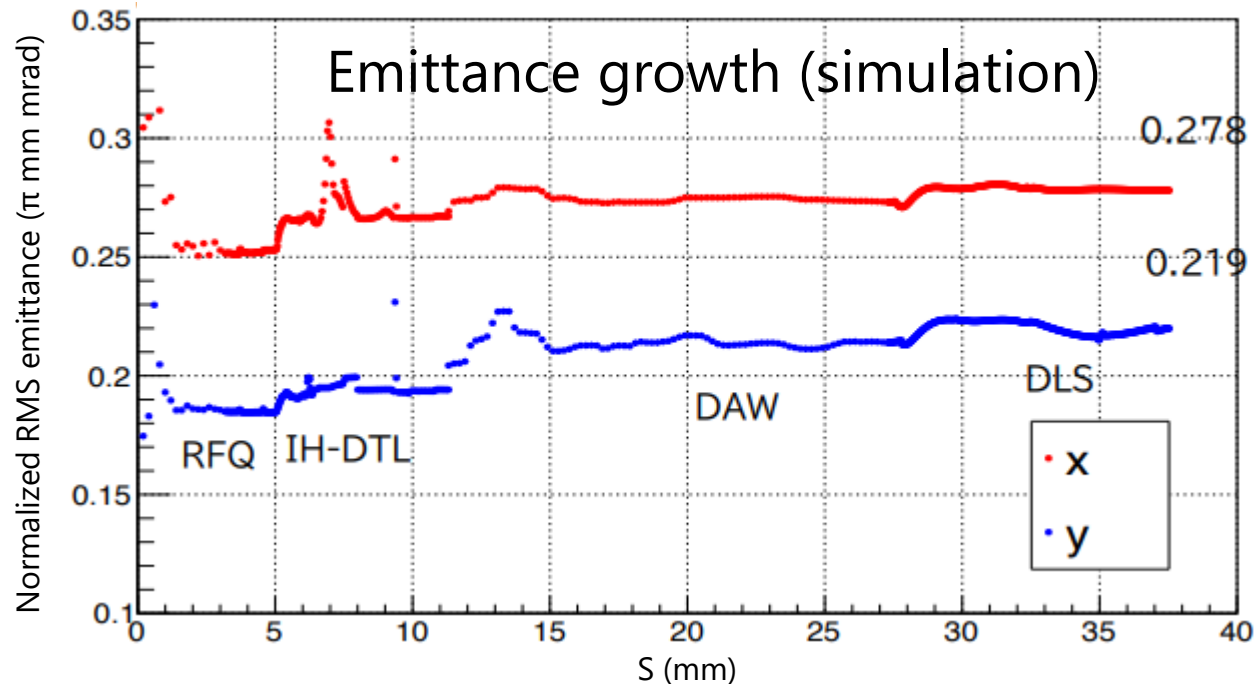
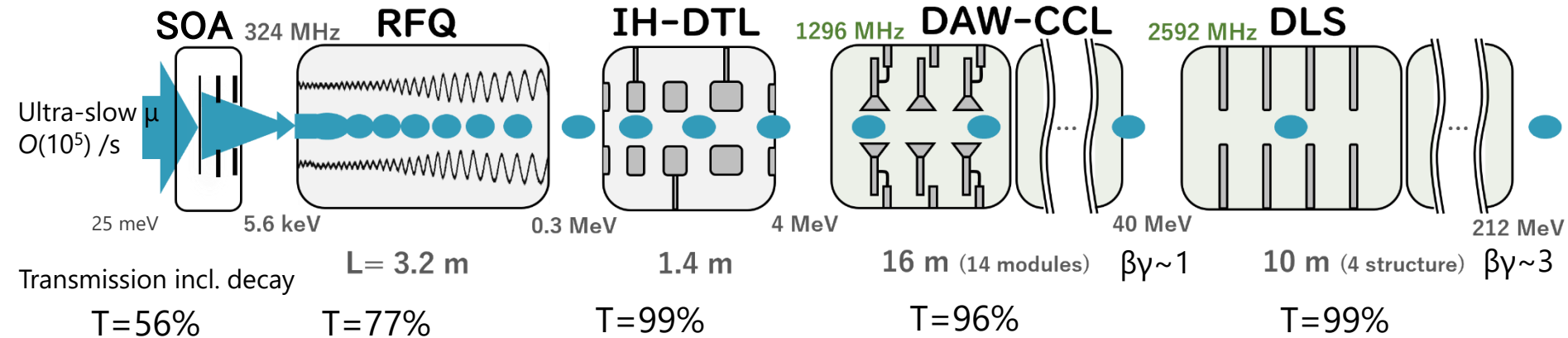


# H-line experimental bldg.



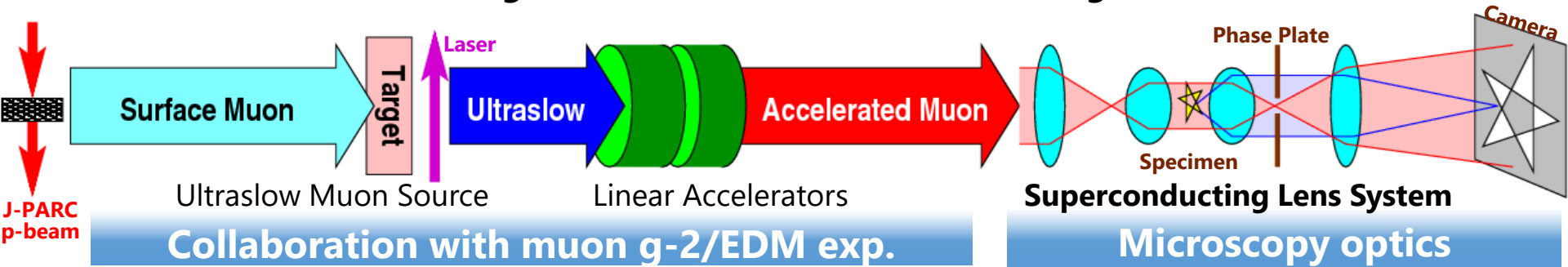


# Low emittance muon beam



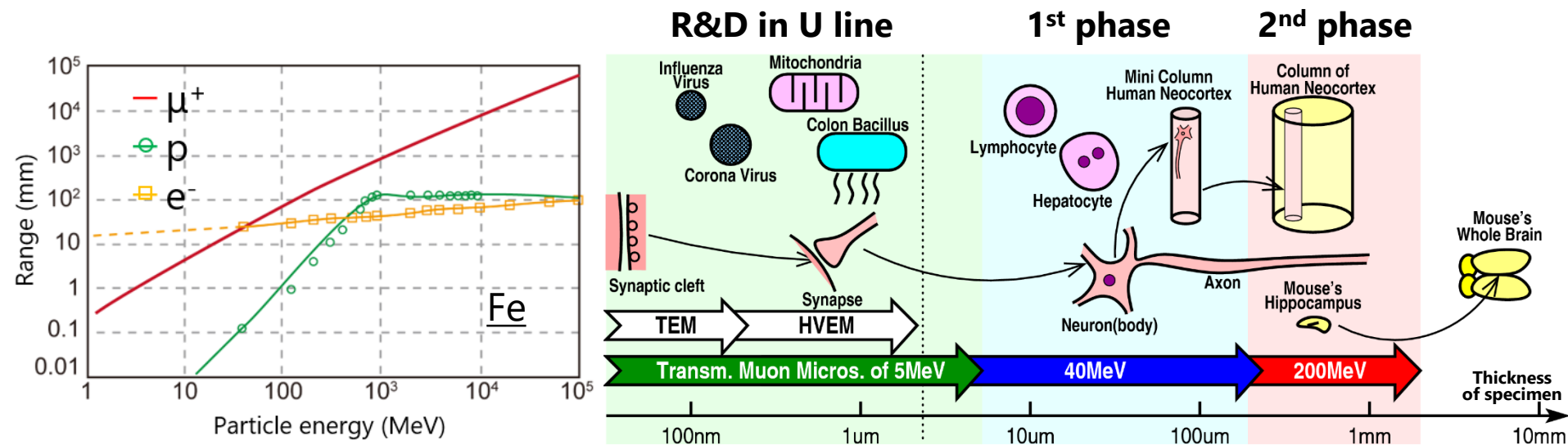
# Transmission Muon Microscope

= Accelerated Muon : Strong Penetration + Ultraslow Muon : High Luminance / Resolution

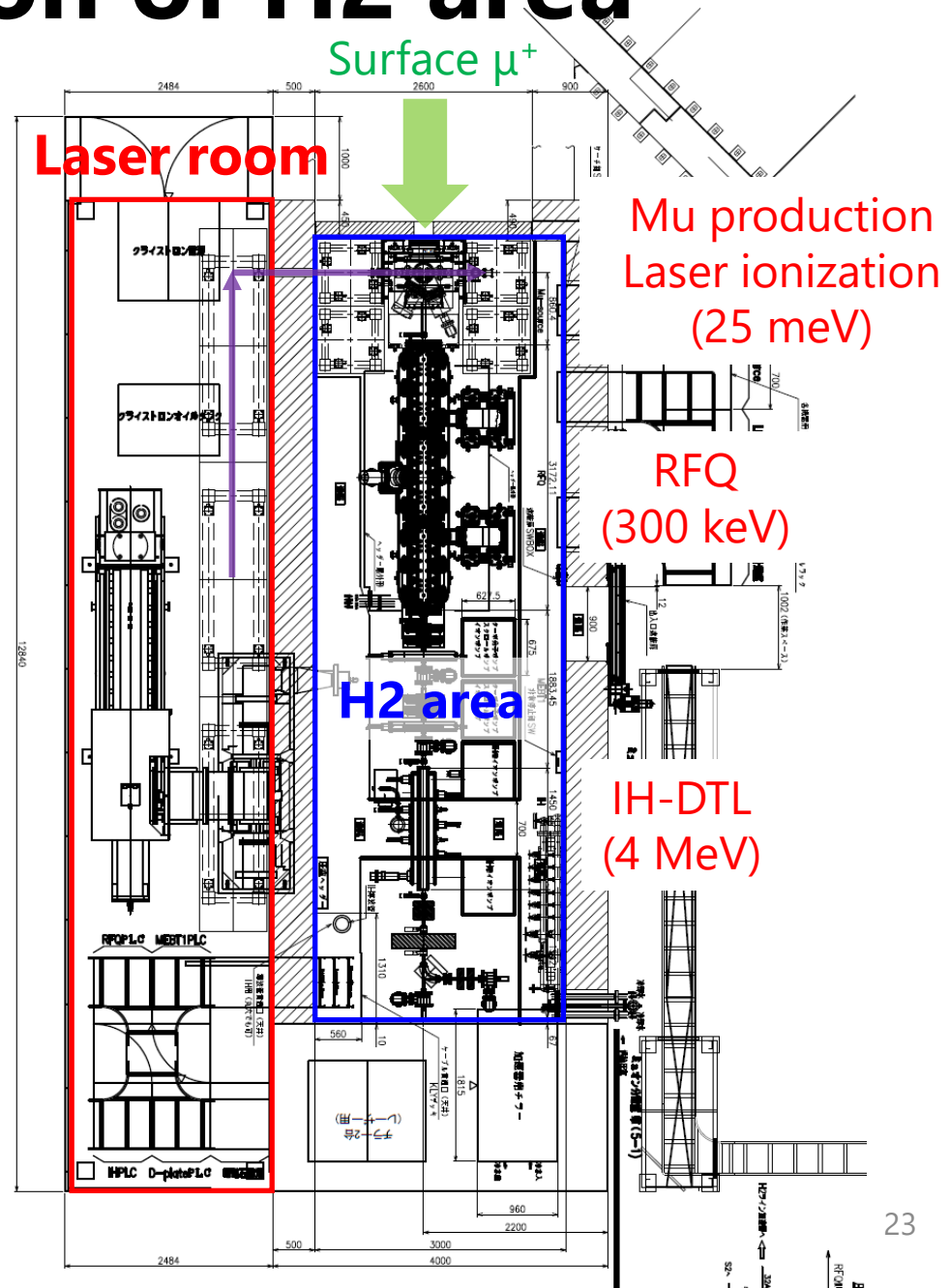
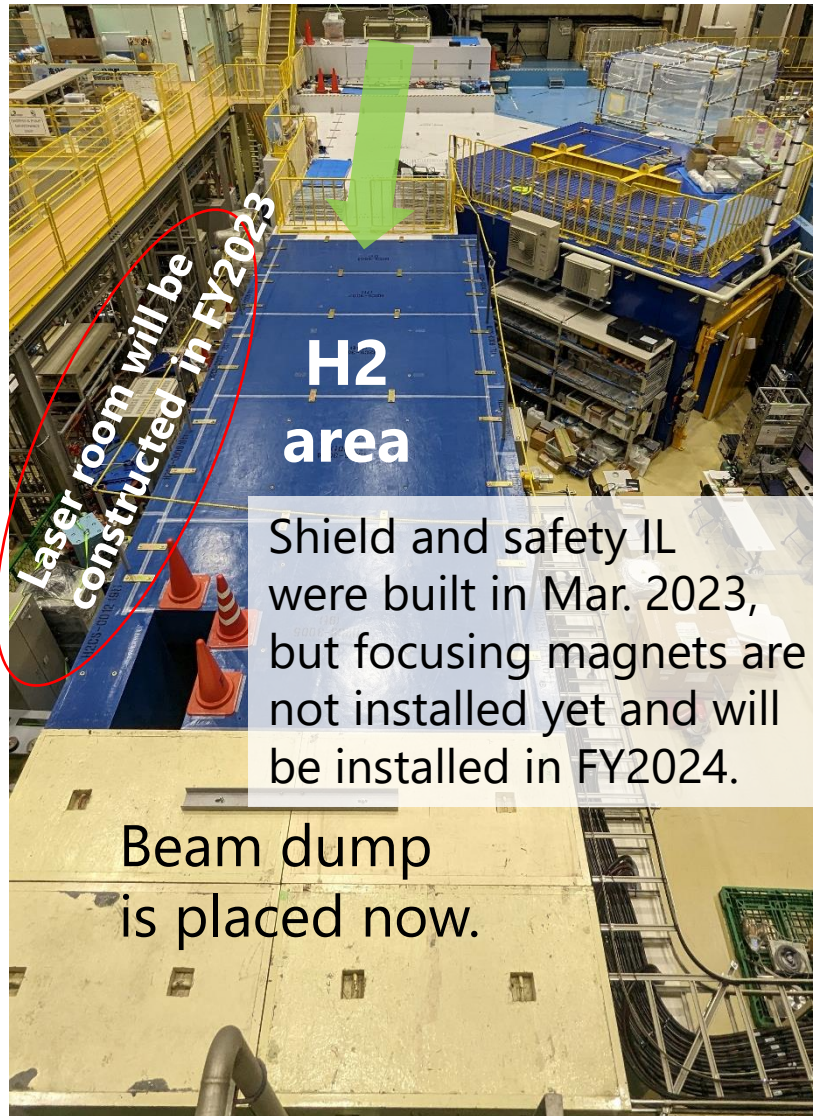


**Observe bulk samples utilizing the penetrative power of re-accelerated muons**

- Any methods for TEMs are applicable
- Functional imaging of living/cryo-tissues
- It can see EM fields in packaged IC/LSI, Li ion battery, solar cell, piezo, etc.

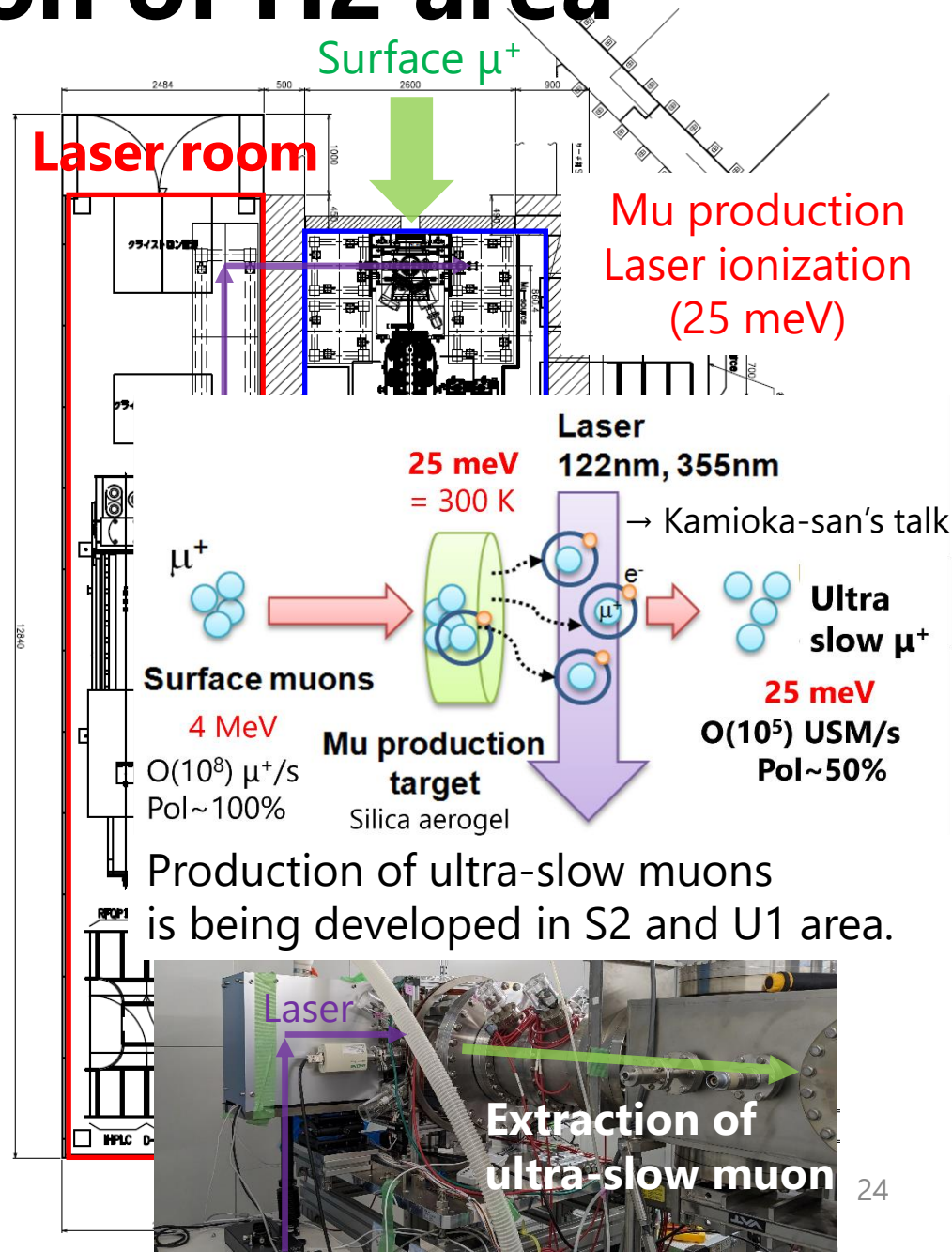
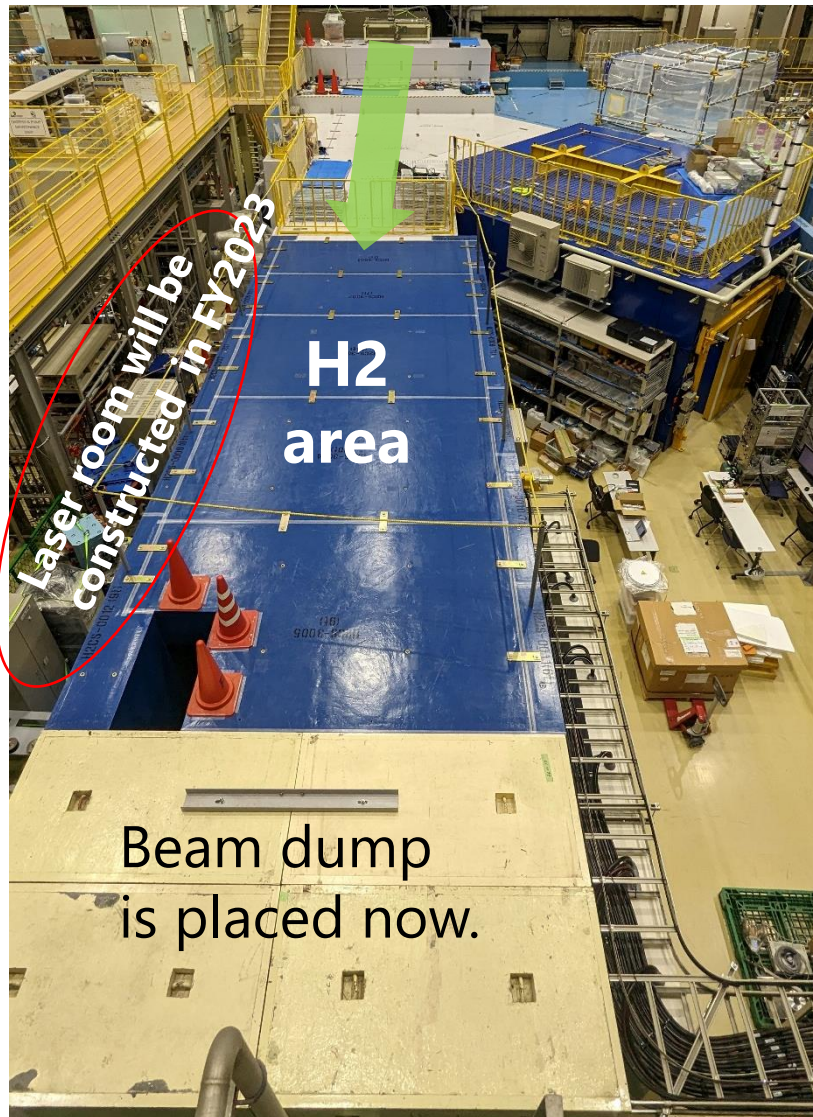


# Construction of H2 area



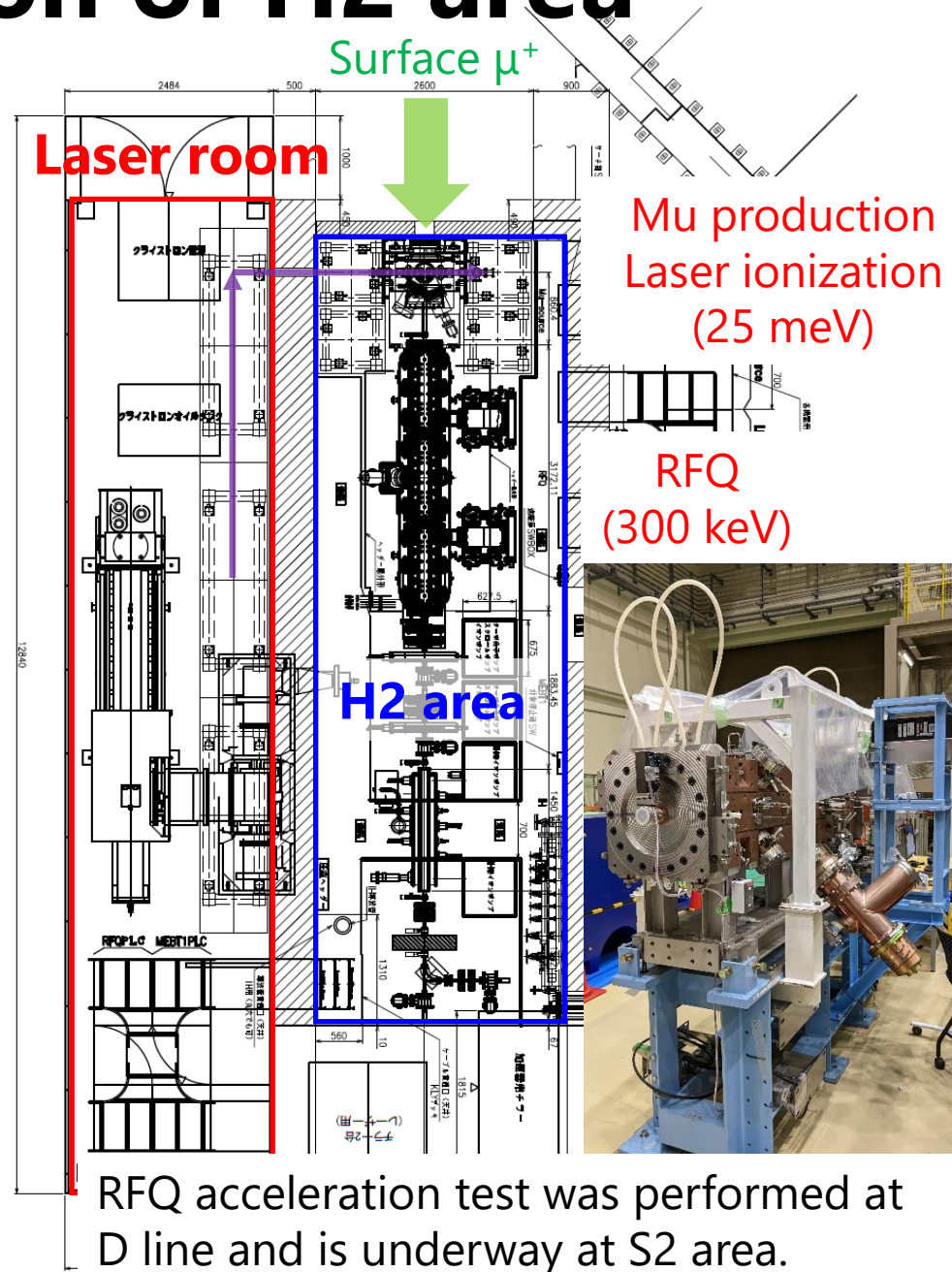
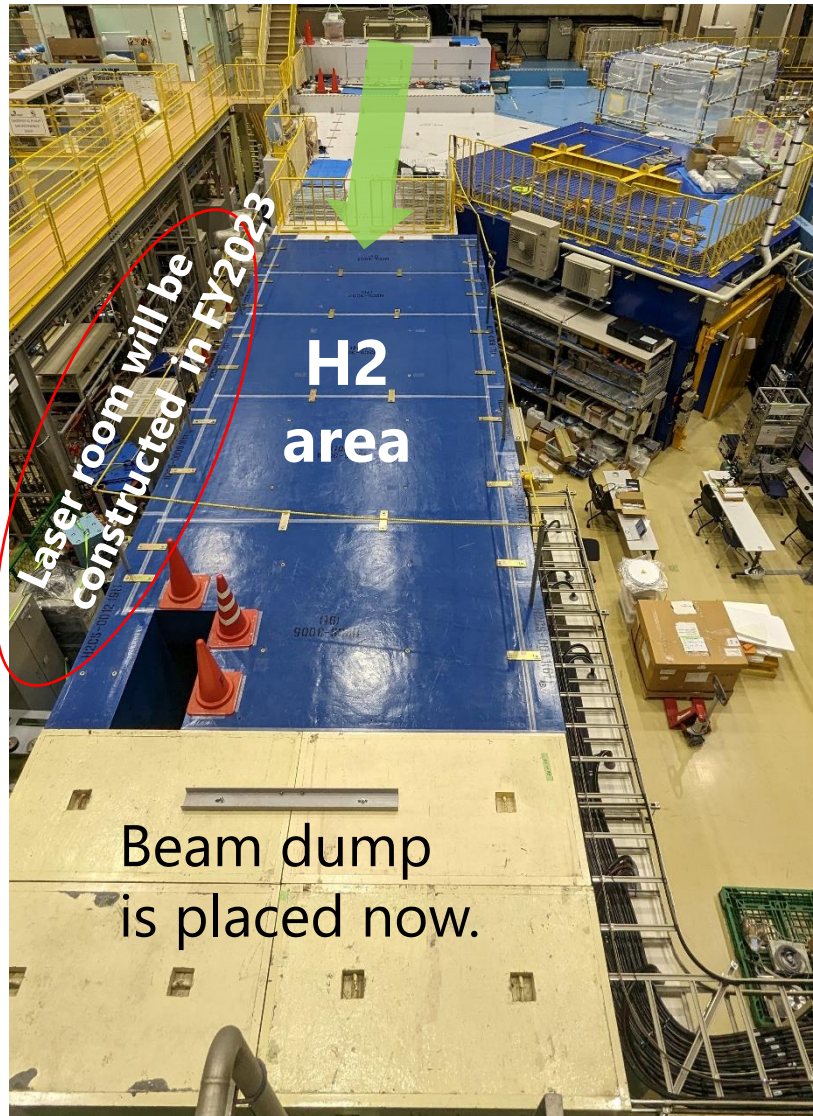


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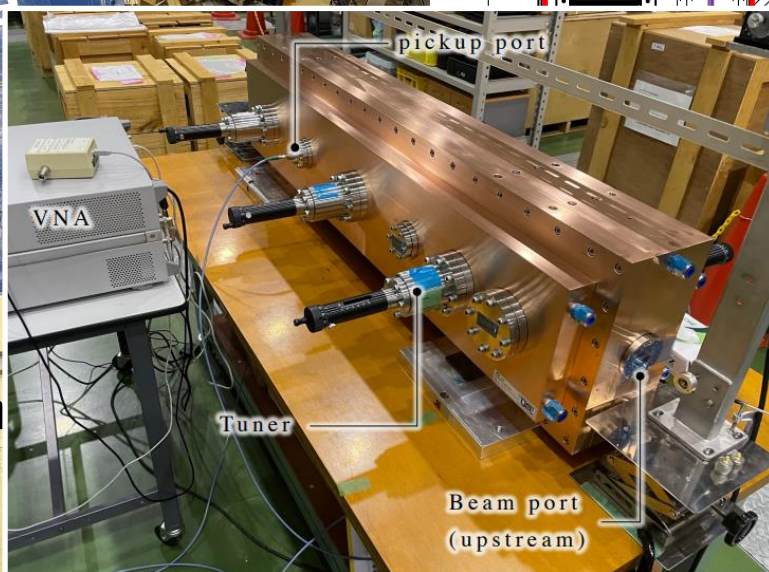
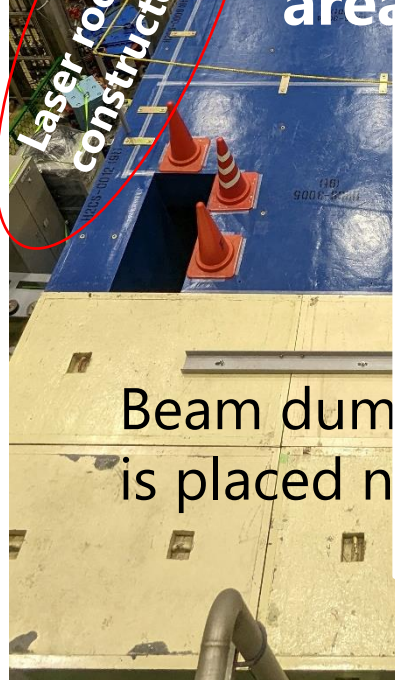
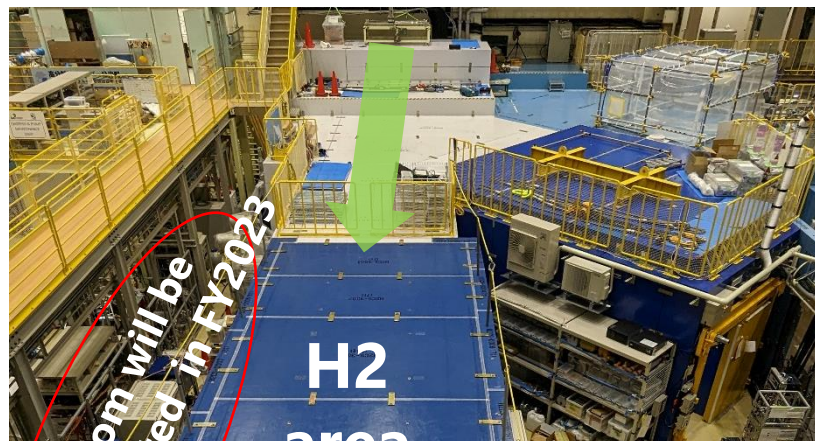


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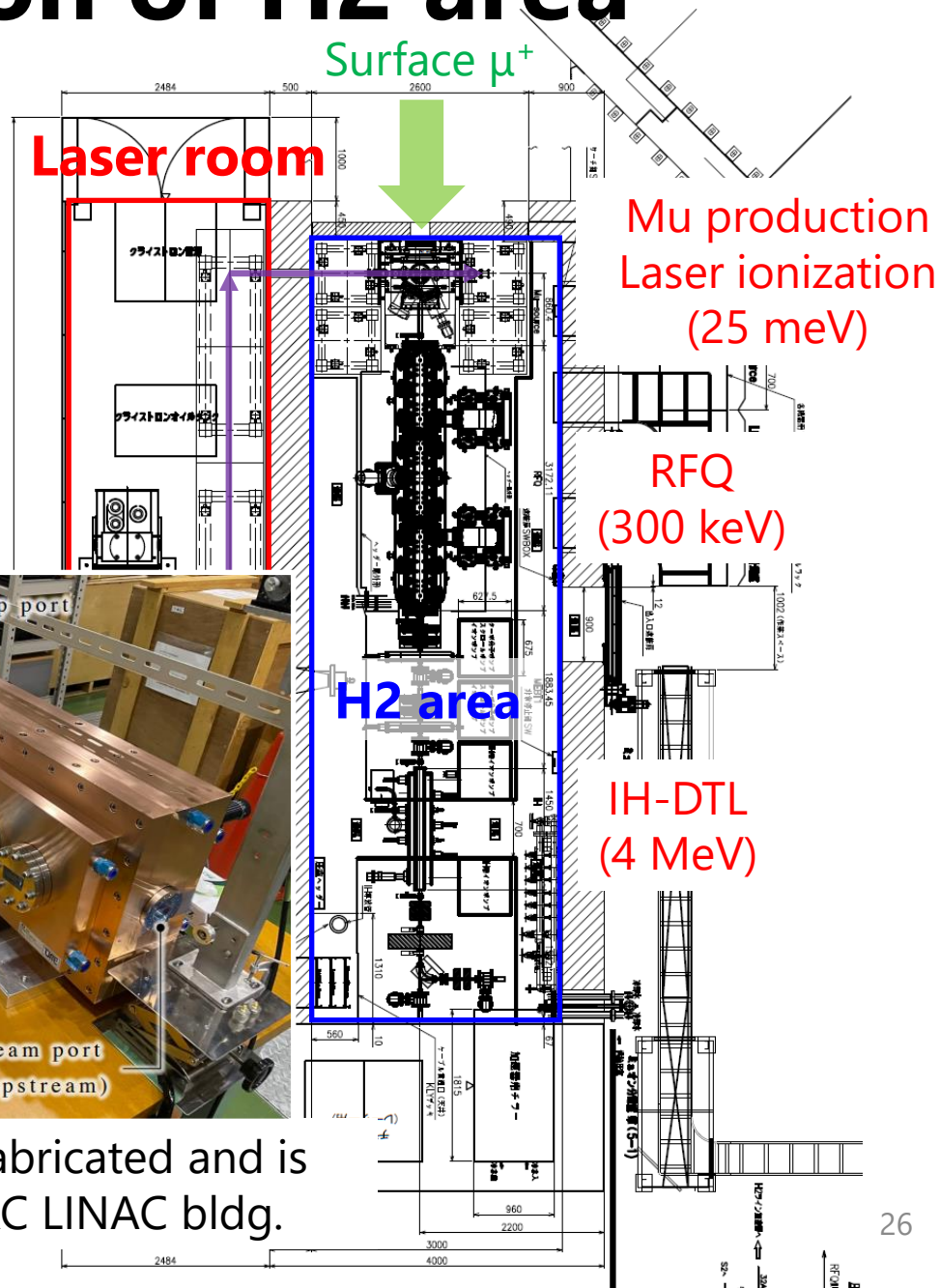




# Construction of H2 area



IH-DTL was already fabricated and is being tested in J-PARC LINAC bldg.



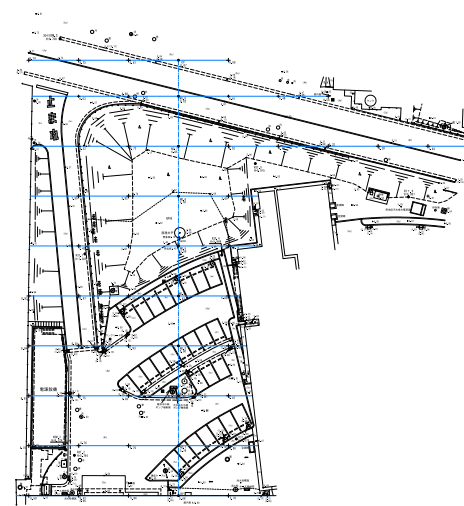


# Preparatory works for new bldg.

Geotechnical investigation



Survey of the construction site

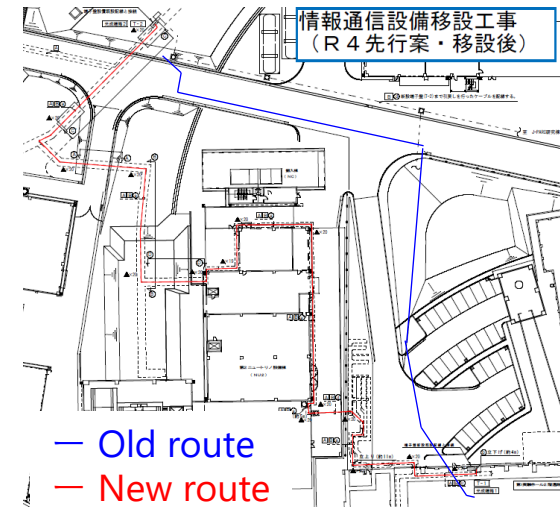


Research of buried cultural properties



No buried cultural properties were found.

Relocation of buried cables



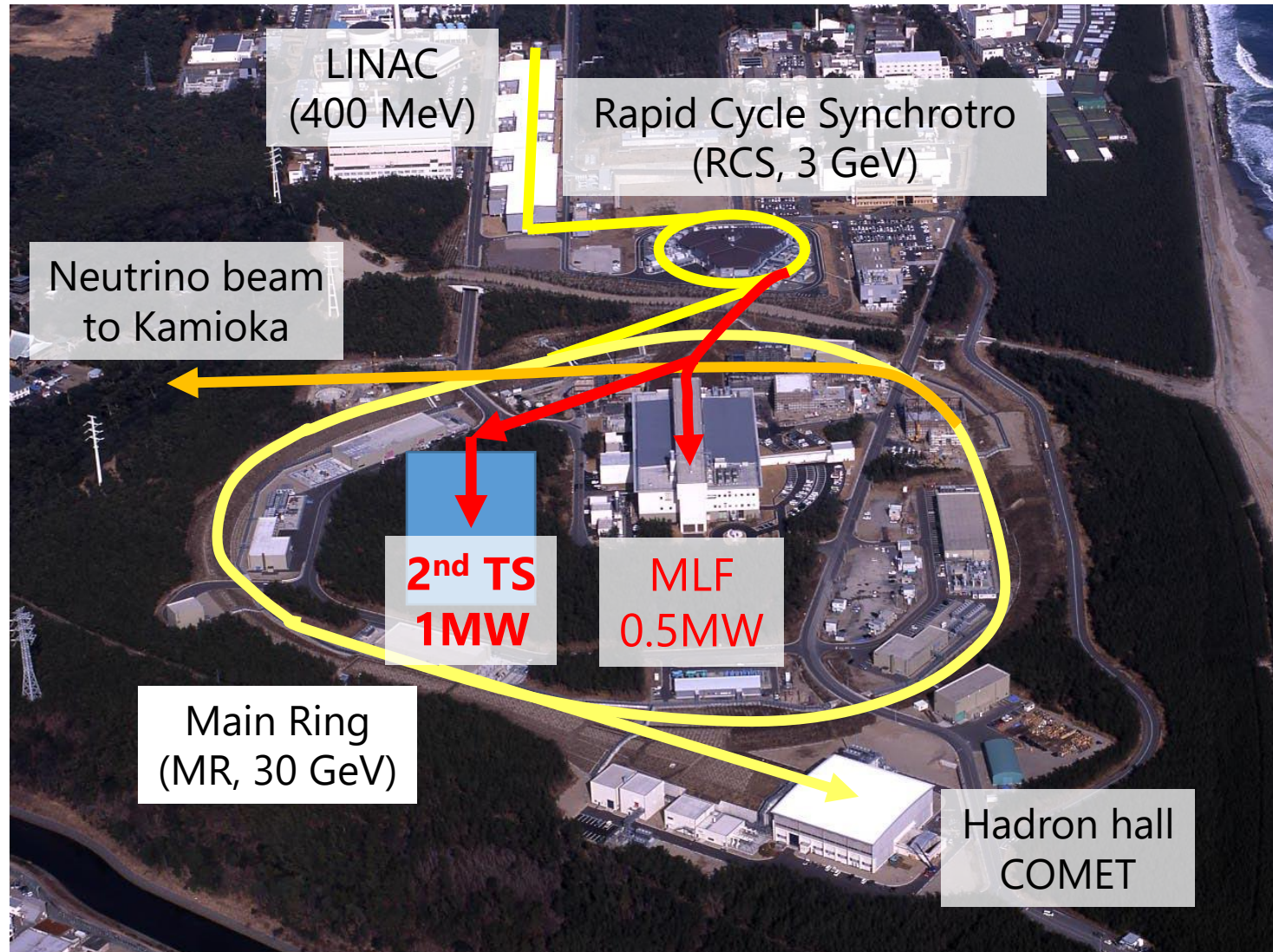
**Detailed design is going to be finalized in FY2023 to begin construction next year.**

**Future program:  
2<sup>nd</sup> target station**



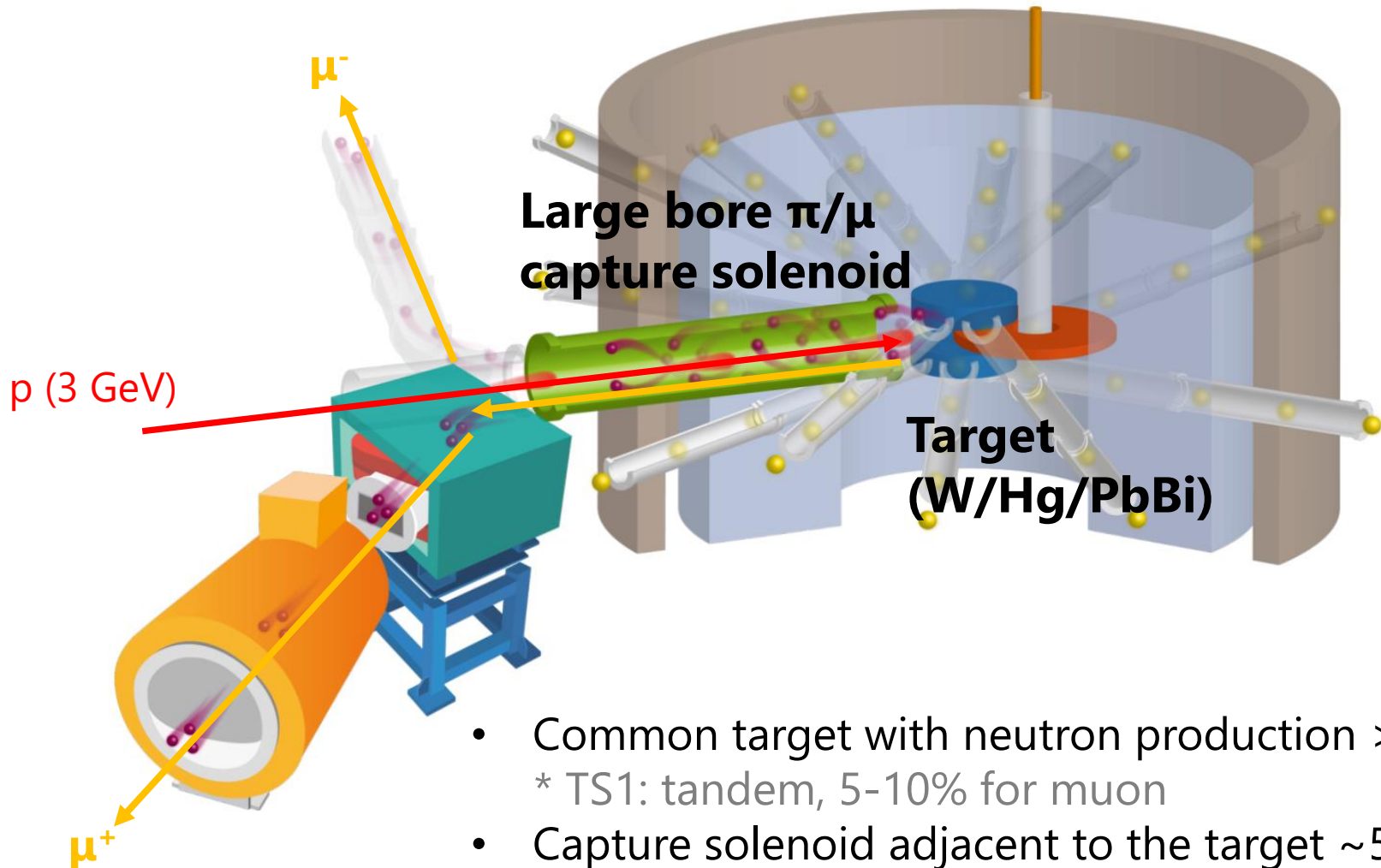
# J-PARC MLF 2<sup>nd</sup> target station

Conceptual Design report v1.2





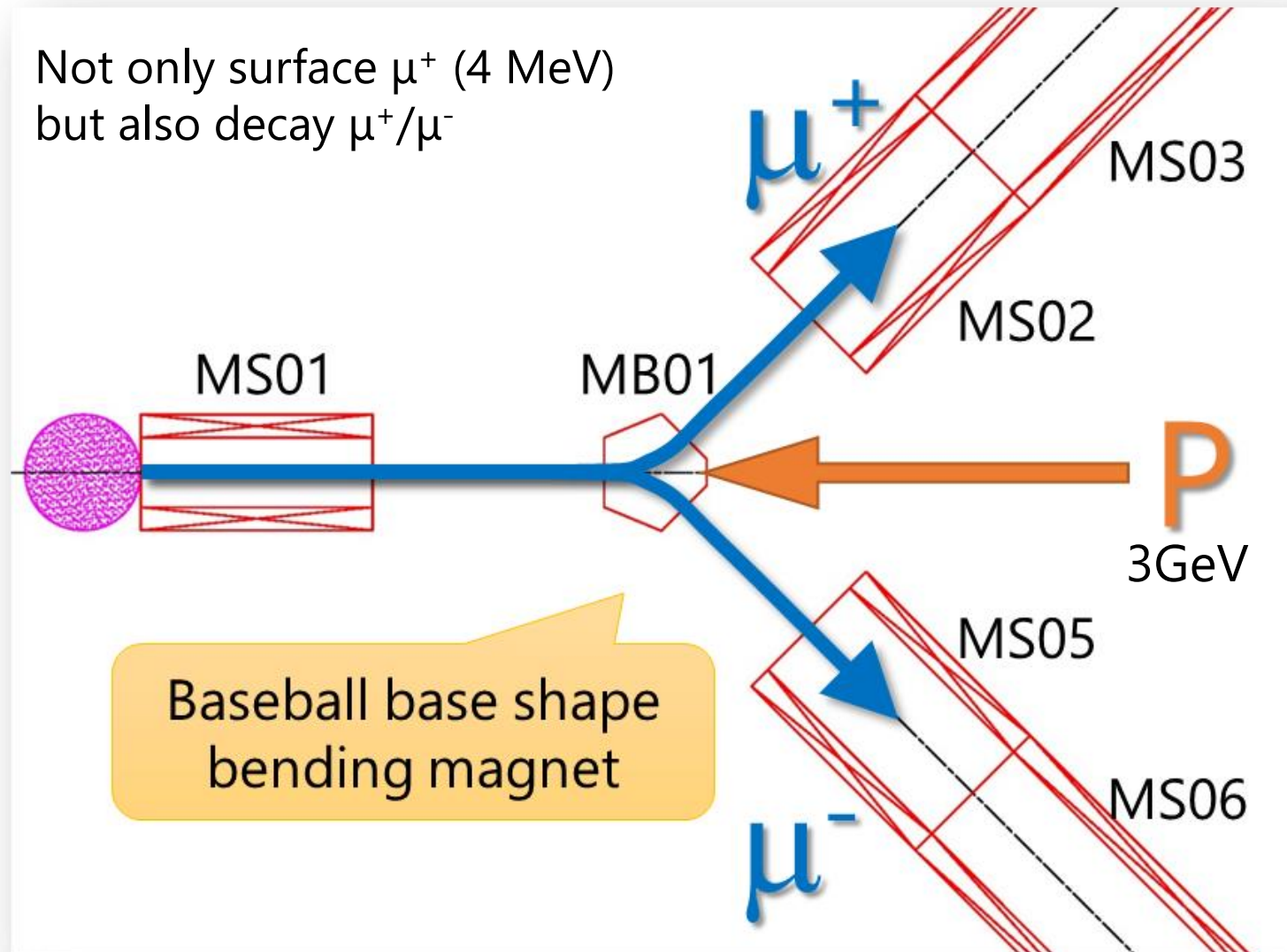
# Conceptual design



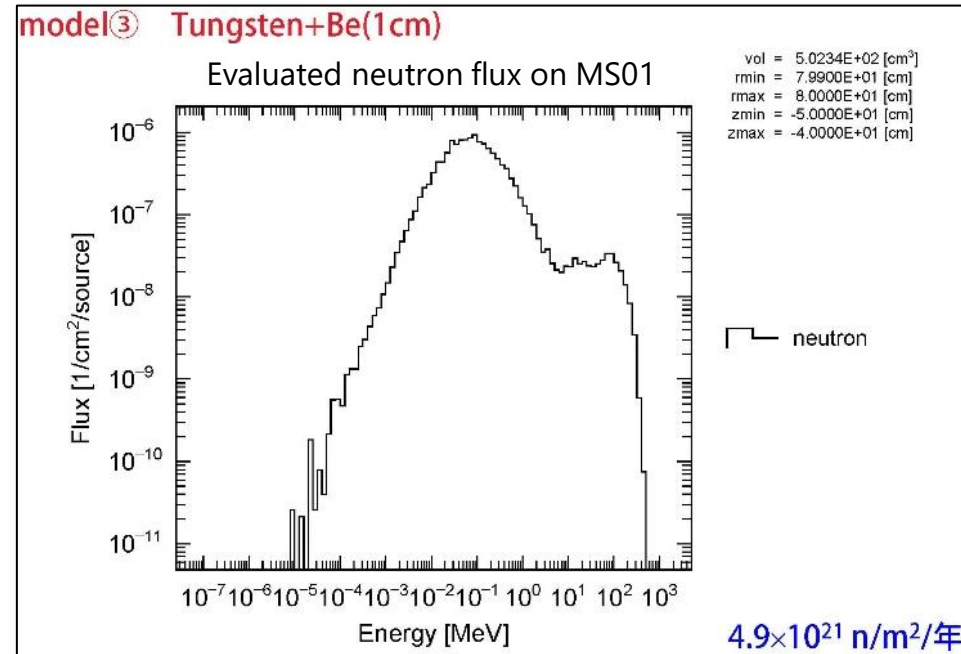
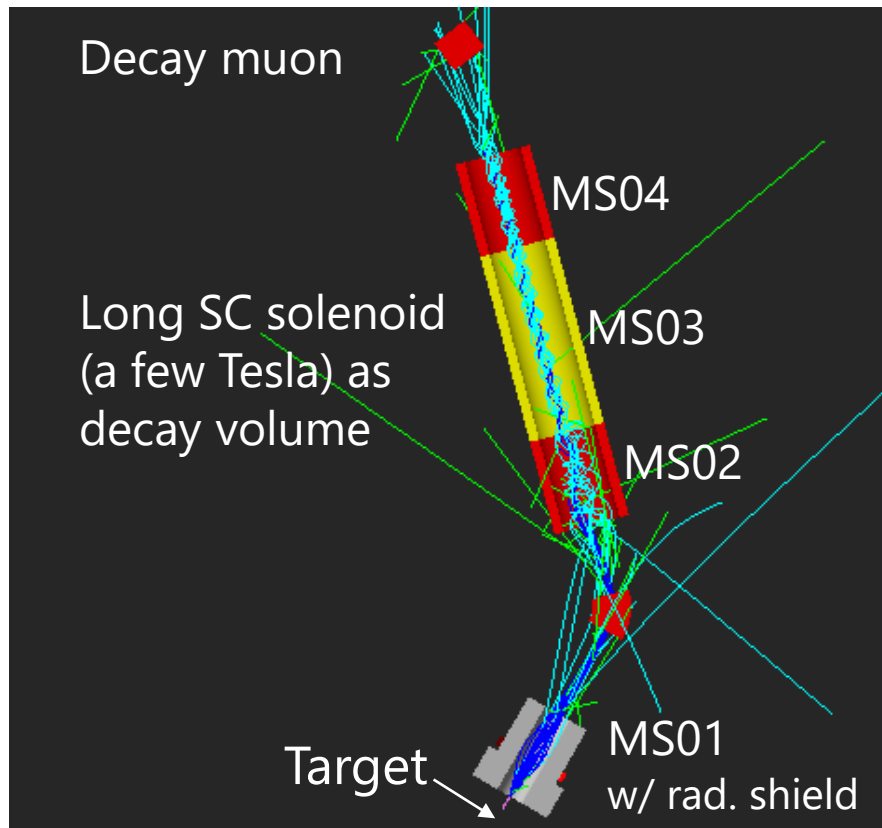
- Common target with neutron production  $>10\times$   
\* TS1: tandem, 5-10% for muon
- Capture solenoid adjacent to the target  $\sim 5\times$   
 **$>50$  times higher intensity of surface  $\mu \sim 10^{10} \mu/s$**

# Simultaneous extraction of $\mu^+/\mu^-$

Not only surface  $\mu^+$  (4 MeV)  
but also decay  $\mu^+/\mu^-$

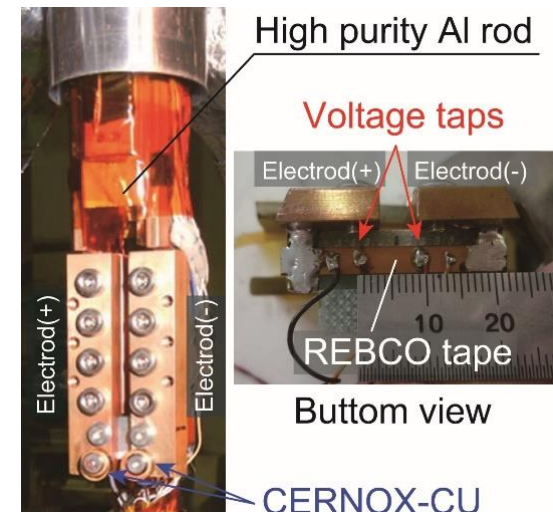


# Design of the frontend magnet



Studying with Prof. Ogitsu (KEK cryo center) and COMET group, use of a SC coil at the capture solenoid (MS01) was confirmed to be possible.

Irradiation test has been performed to the candidates of SC material (HTS).  
 T. Ogitsu *et al.*, Instruments 4 (2020) 30,  
 DOI: 10.3390/instruments4040030





# Summary

- New beamlines for fundamental physics joined the J-PARC muon facility recently.
  - H-line is a high intense muon beamline (surface  $\mu^+ \sim 10^8$  /s)
  - H1 and S2 areas in operation
- Extension of H line to produce low emittance beam is ongoing.
  - FY2024: Ultra-slow muon production at H2 area
  - Construction of the new building for muon g-2/EDM and T $\mu$ M could start next year (depends on budget situation)
- Conceptual design of the 2<sup>nd</sup> target station of the MLF is in progress.

**Backup slides**

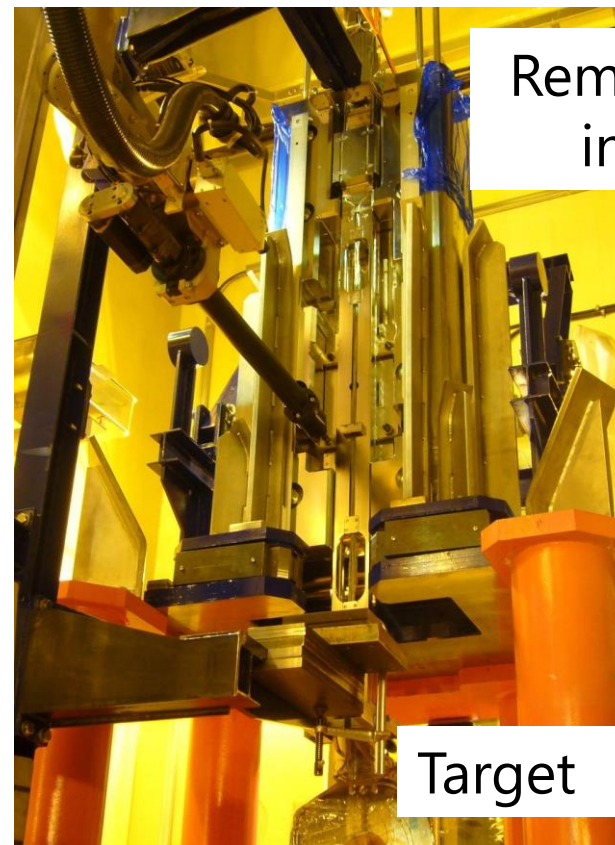
# New target

- Target and capture solenoid are the most important to get intense muon beam.
  - Near future: replace current target to enhance surface muons  $>2\times \rightarrow$  MuSEUM, DeeMe, 1S-2S, g-2/EDM
  - Future (10-20 years): target development for TS2



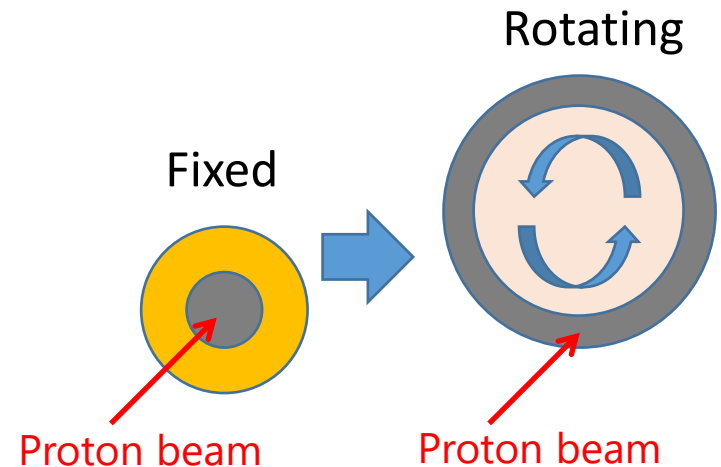
# Rotating target 1/2

- 1MW proton beam causes 1dpa/year.
- Radioactivation of muon target = 5Sv/h, so replacement of muon target needs a lot of time and money.



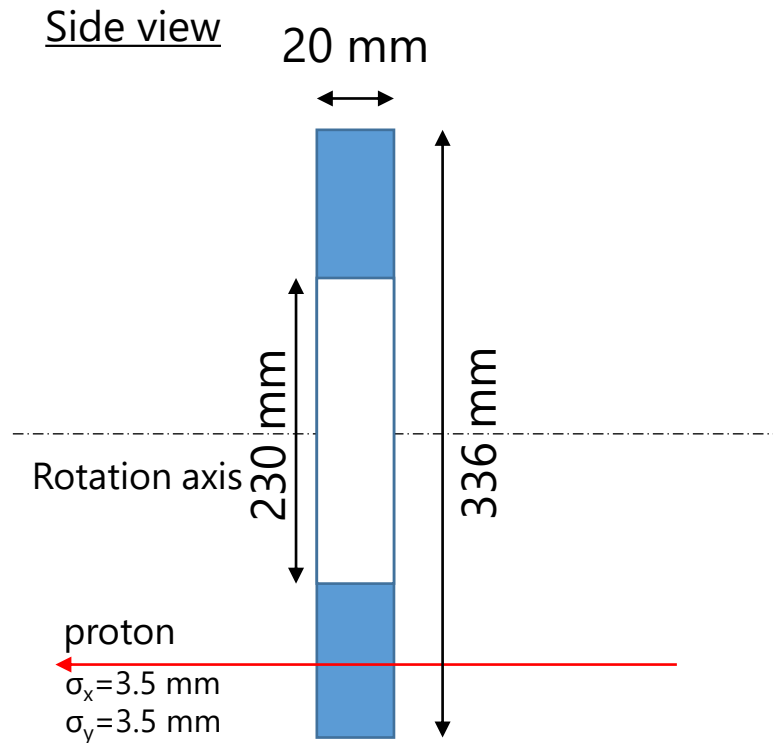
# Rotating target 2/2

- Rotating target
  - Like a muon target @PSI
  - Disperse heat and radiation damage
  - Prolong target's lifetime
    - ✓ Lifetime of graphite = 30 years
    - ✓ Target lifetime is determined by the lifetime of the bearing (~10 years)
  - Graphite (IG-430U)
  - Thickness = 20mm
  - Rotating speed = 15rpm



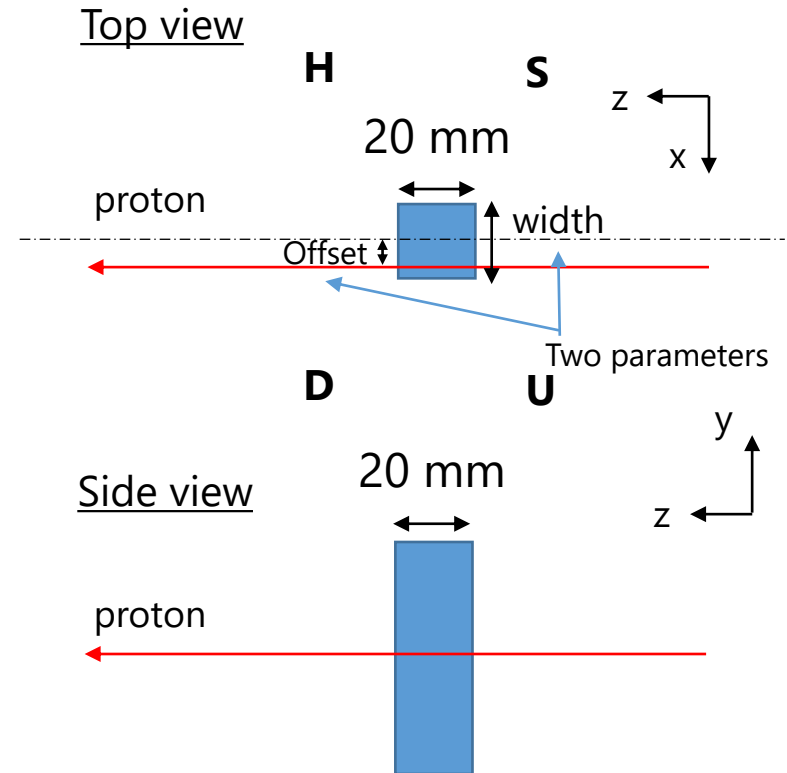
# Shape of new target

## Current rotating target



Rotation speed  
15 rpm ~ 222 mm/s  
To disperse heat & rad. damage

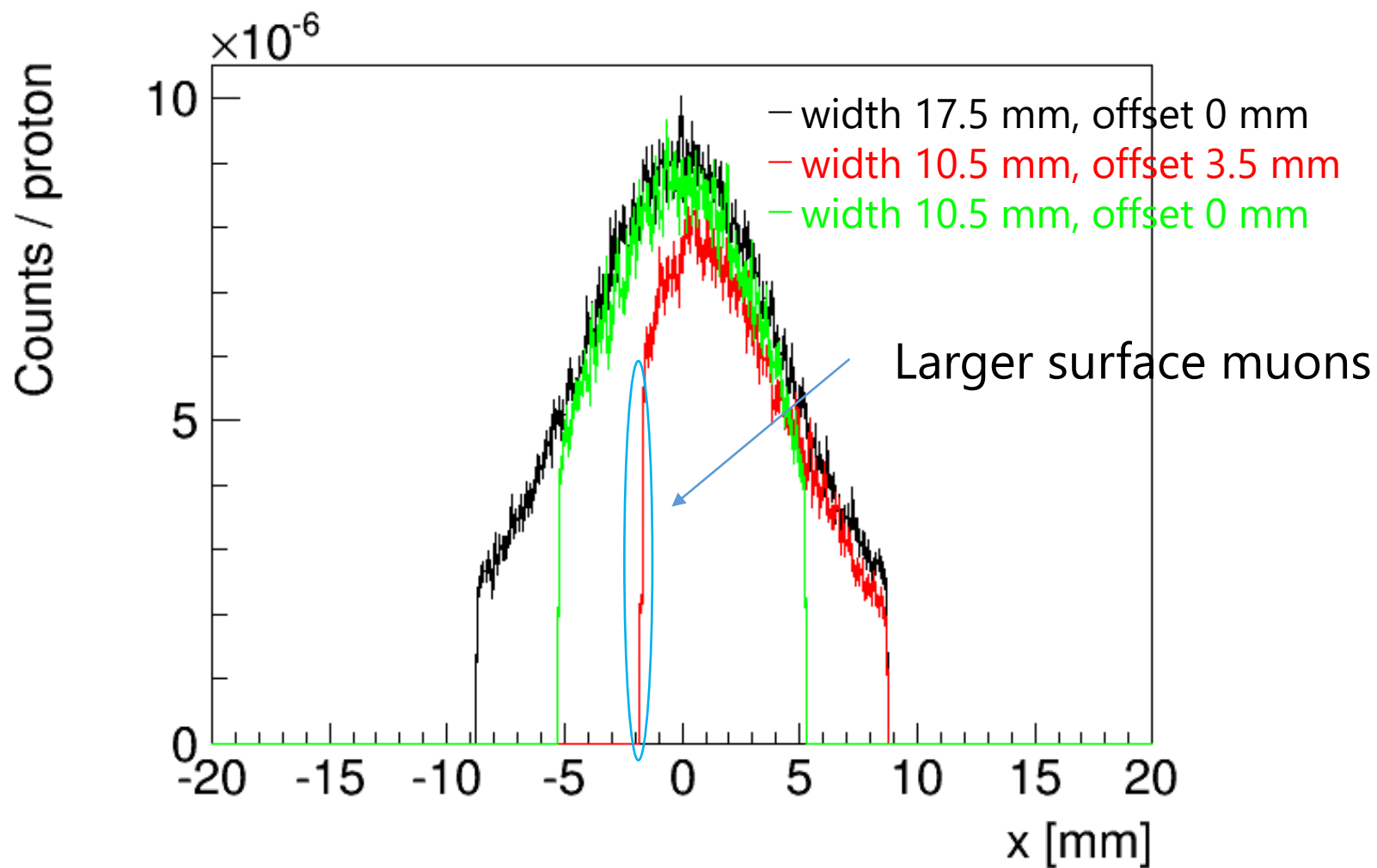
## New idea



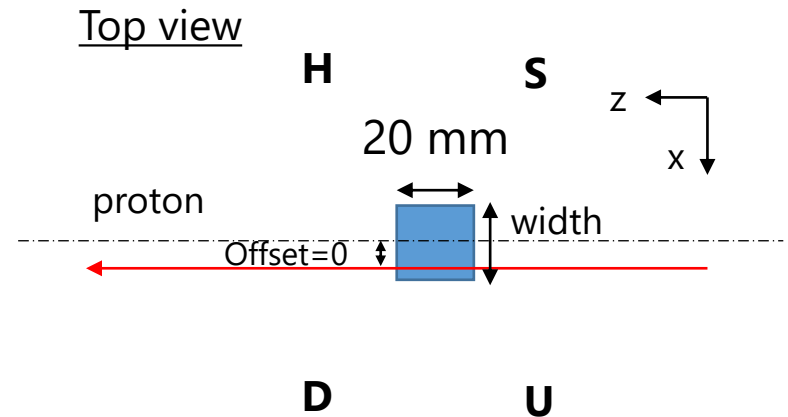
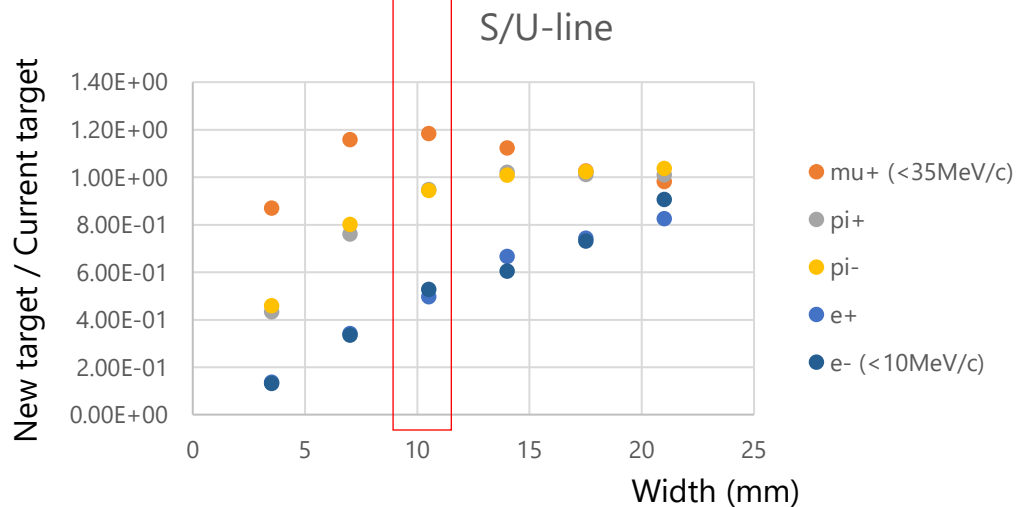
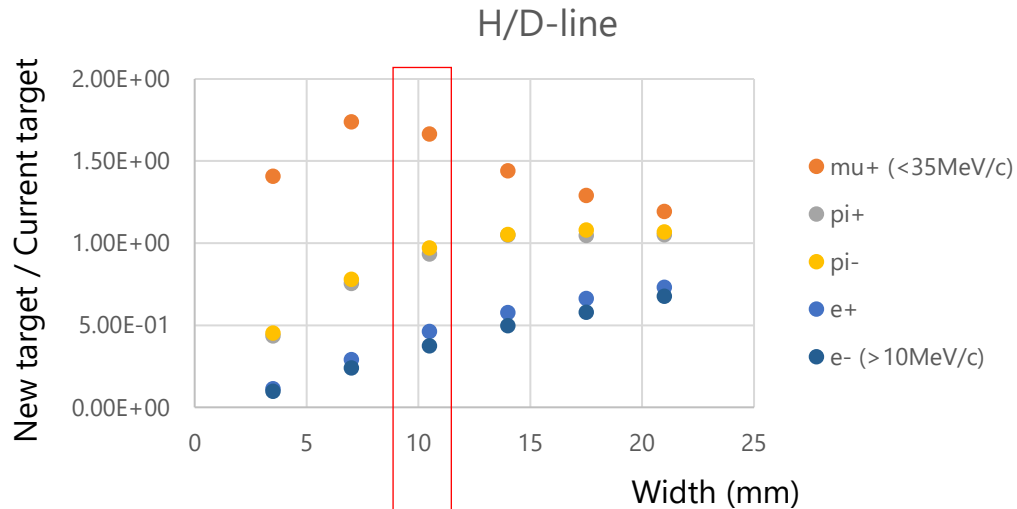
Q. How can we disperse damage?



# $\pi^+$ 静止位置

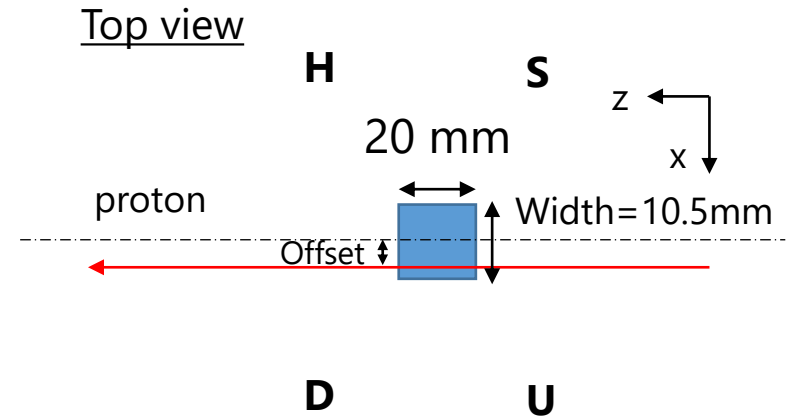
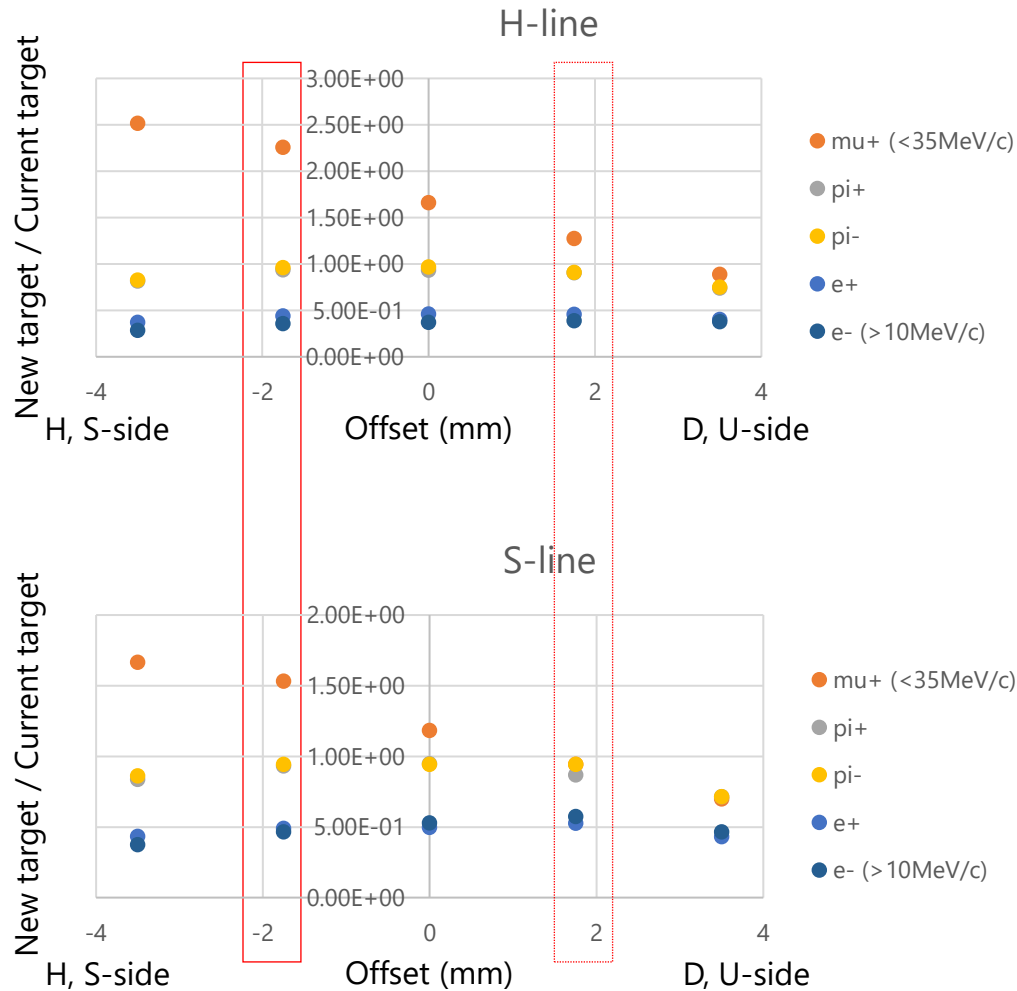


# Width dependence



- Model: QGSP\_INCLXX
- Intensity of decay muons (= pions) is also important for our facility
- Without offset, thickness of 10.5 mm seems best. Surface muons = 1.7x

# Offset dependence



- Model: QGSP\_INCLXX
- # of pions is not dependent strongly on offset.
- Offset = -1.75 mm, Surface muons are
  - ✓ H: 2.7x
  - ✓ D: 1.3x
  - ✓ S: 1.5x
  - ✓ U: 0.9x