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New Opportunity for Nuclear Symmetry Energy using LAMPS in Korea Rare Isotope Accelerator

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Outline

- Introduction to RISP (Rare Isotope Science Project)
- Plan for the symmetry-energy study with LAMPS
- Summary

Brief History of RISP

1. International Science-Business Belt (ISBB) plan (Jan. 2009)
2. Preliminary Design Report (Mar. 2009-Feb. 2010)
3. Conceptual Design Report (Mar. 2010-Feb. 2011)
4. International Advisory Committee (Jul. 2011)
5. Institute for Basic Science (IBS) established (Nov. 2011)
6. Rare Isotope Science Project (RISP) launched (Dec. 2011)
 - *Rare isotope accelerator complex is the representative facility of IBS*
7. Technical Advisory Committee (May 2012)
8. Baseline Design Summary (Jun. 2012)
9. International Advisory Committee (Jul. 2012)
10. Technical Design Report (present)

Site Plan

In Daejeon city, ~150 km south of Seoul

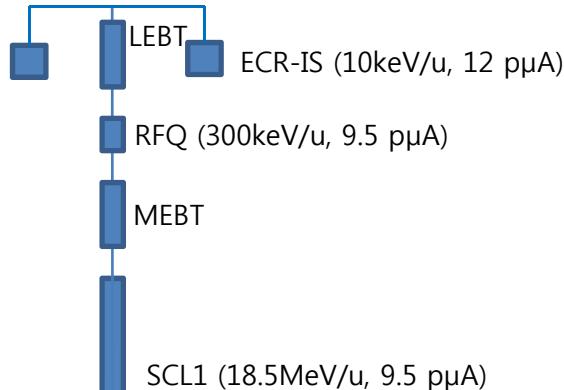
Rare Isotope Accelerator Complex



Technical Specification

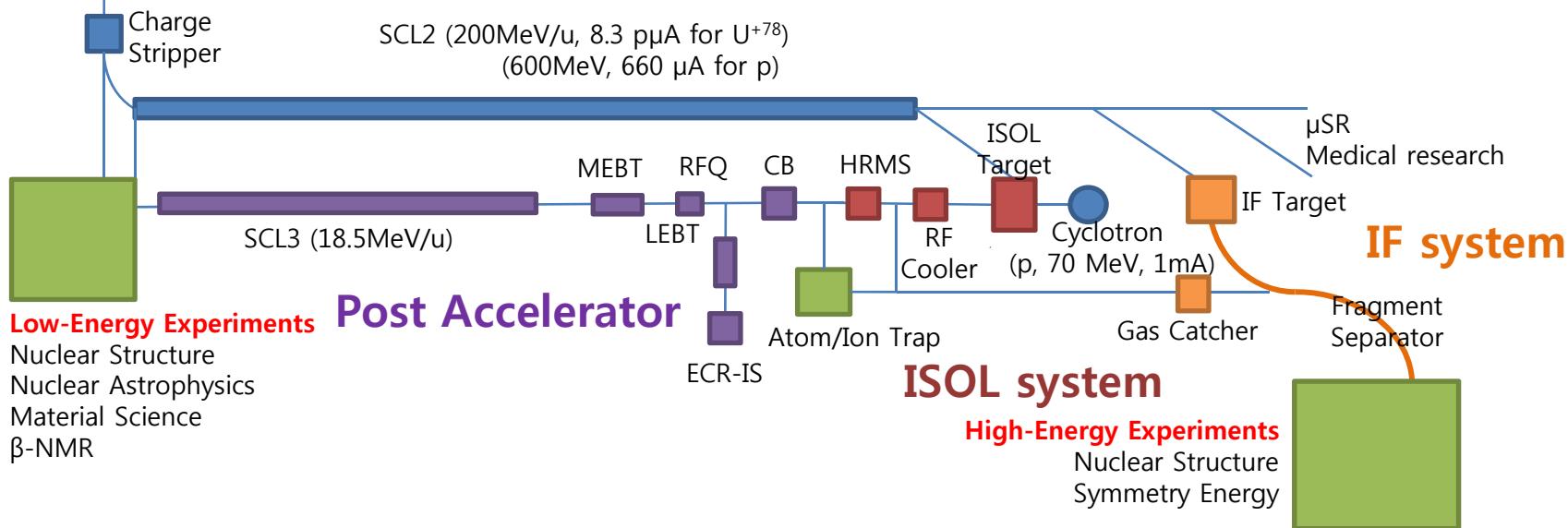
1. High-intensity RI beams by ISOL & IF
 - 70kW ISOL from direct fission of ^{238}U target induced by high-current proton beams (70 MeV, 1 mA)
 - 400kW IF by high-current ^{238}U beams (200 MeV/u, 8 p μA)
2. High-energy, high-intensity & high-quality neutron-rich RI beams
 - ^{132}Sn up to $\sim 10^8$ pps at 250 MeV/u
3. More exotic RI beams by combining ISOL & IF
4. Multiple operation modes for maximum use of the facility

RISP Accelerator Complex

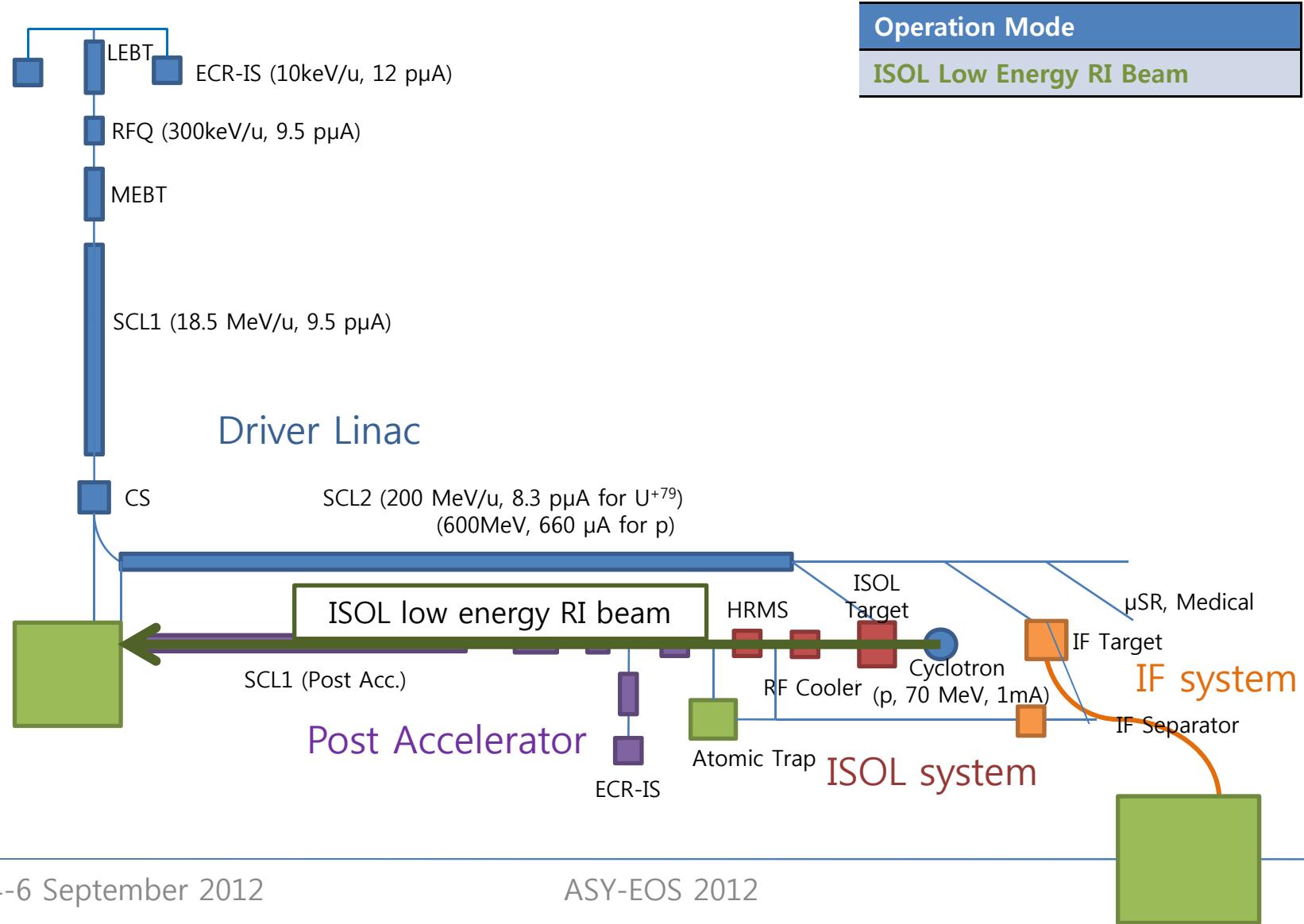


Accelerator	Driver Linac	Post Acc.	Cyclotron
Particle	proton	U^{+78}	RI beam
Beam energy	600 MeV	200 MeV/u	18.5 MeV/u
Beam current	660 μ A	8.3 p μ A	-
Power on target	400 kW	400 kW	-
			70 kW

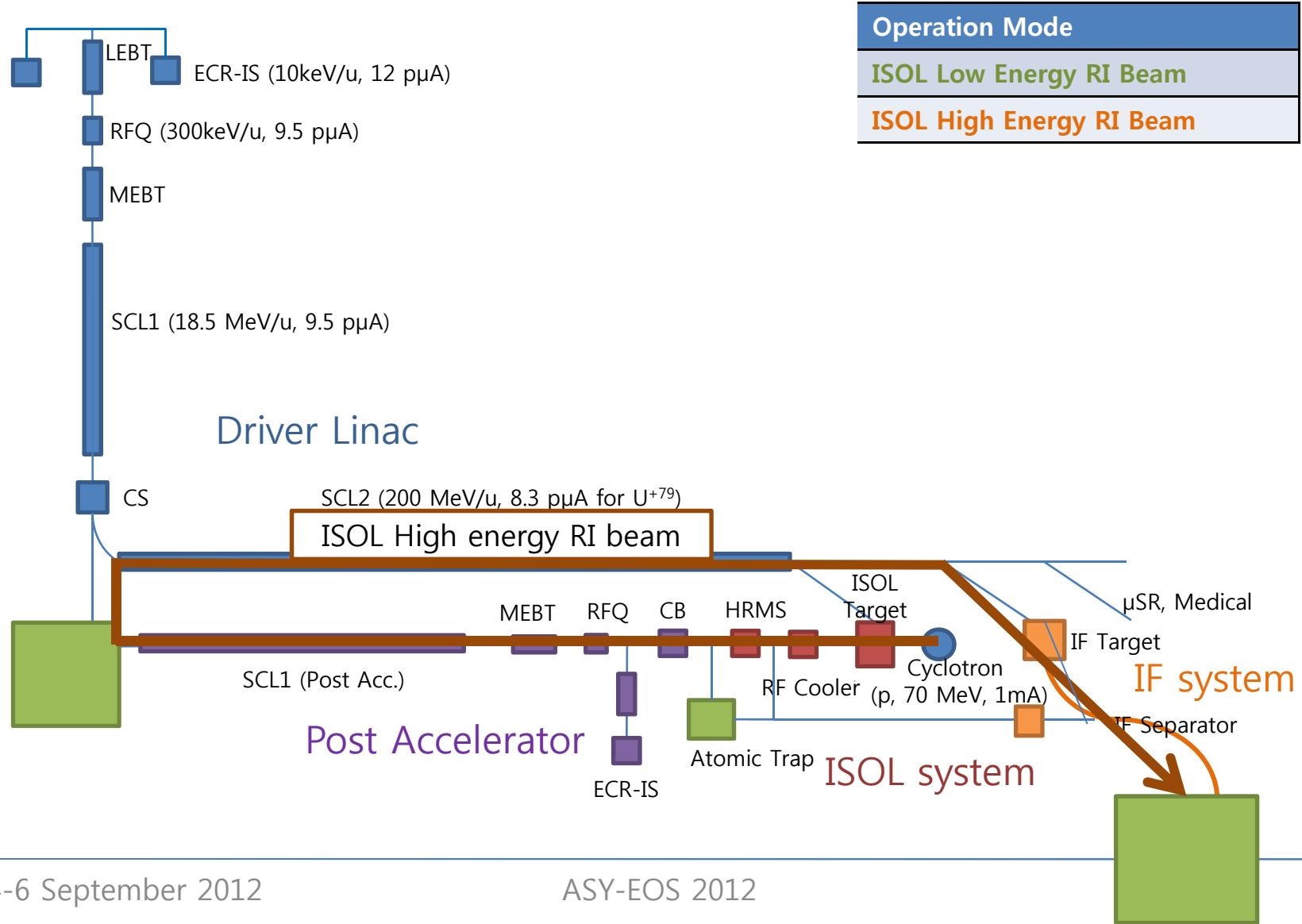
Driver Linac



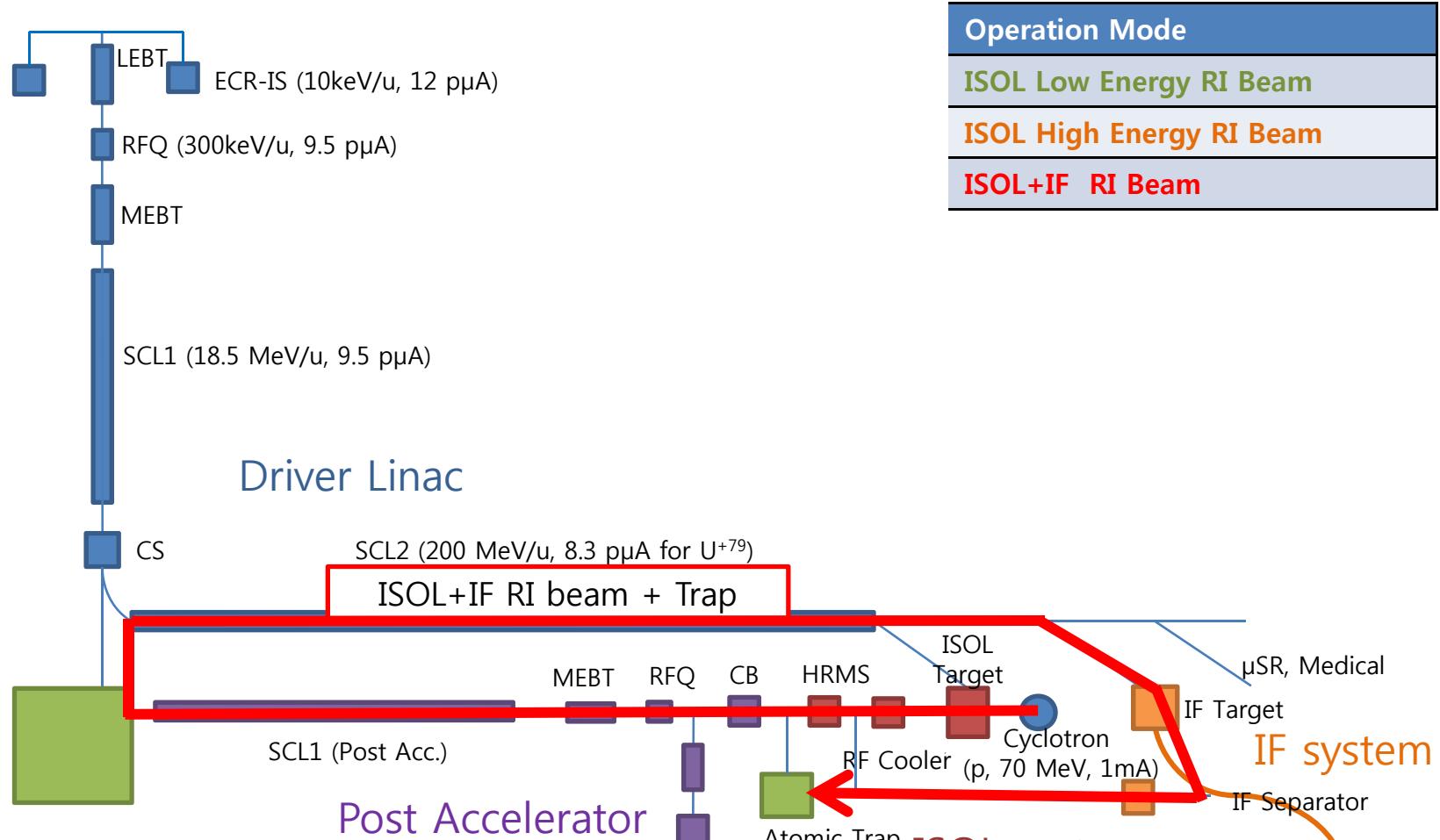
Operation Mode



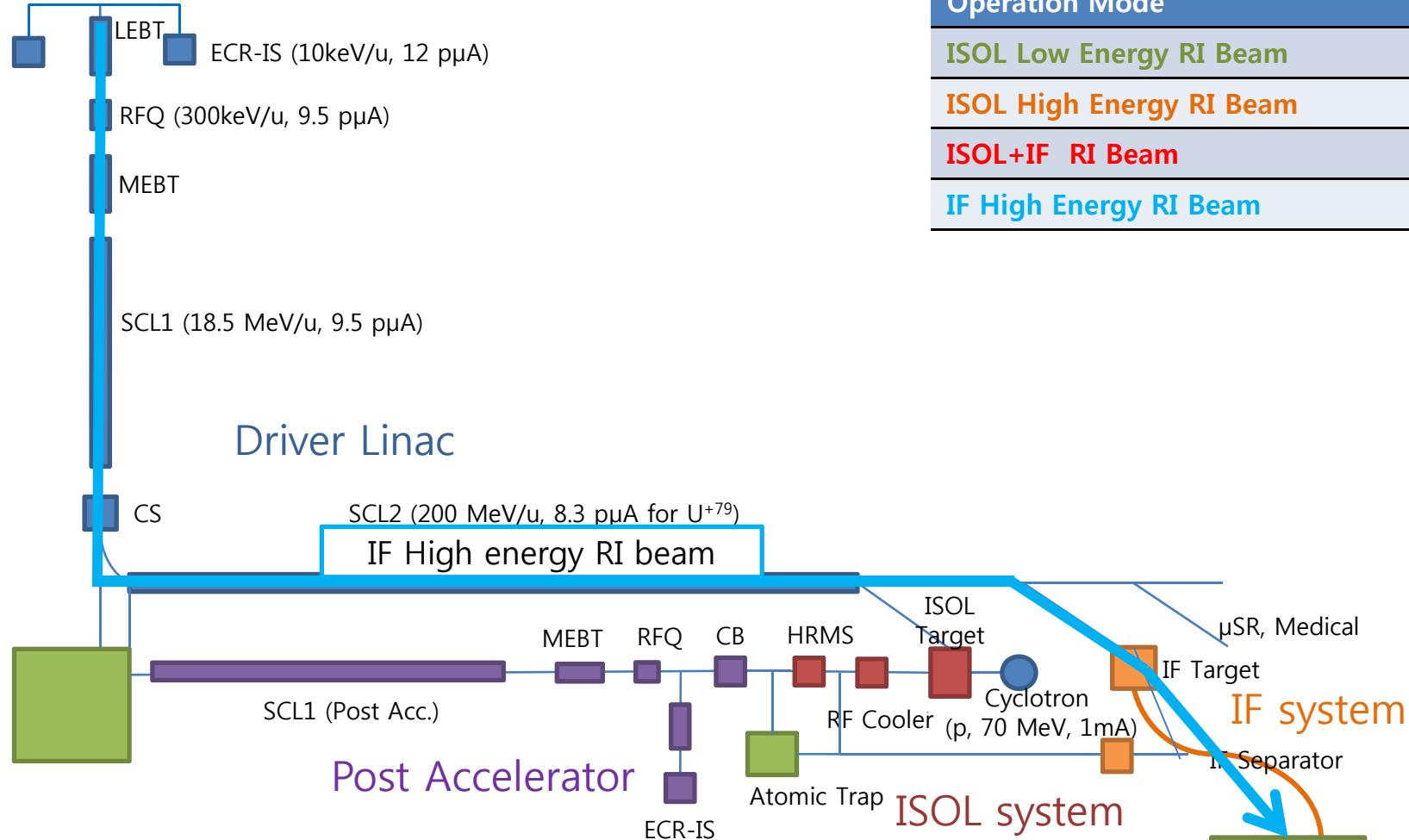
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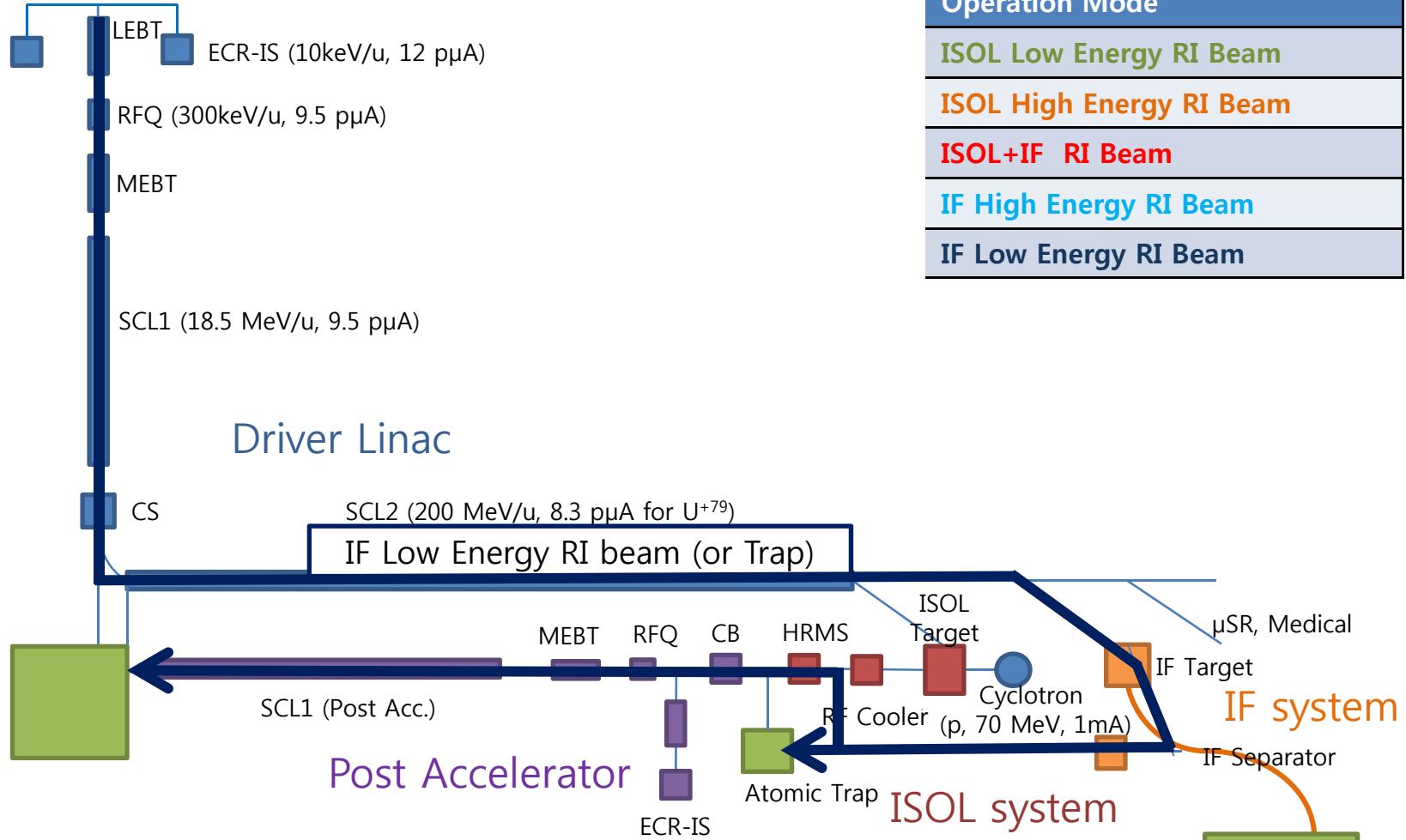
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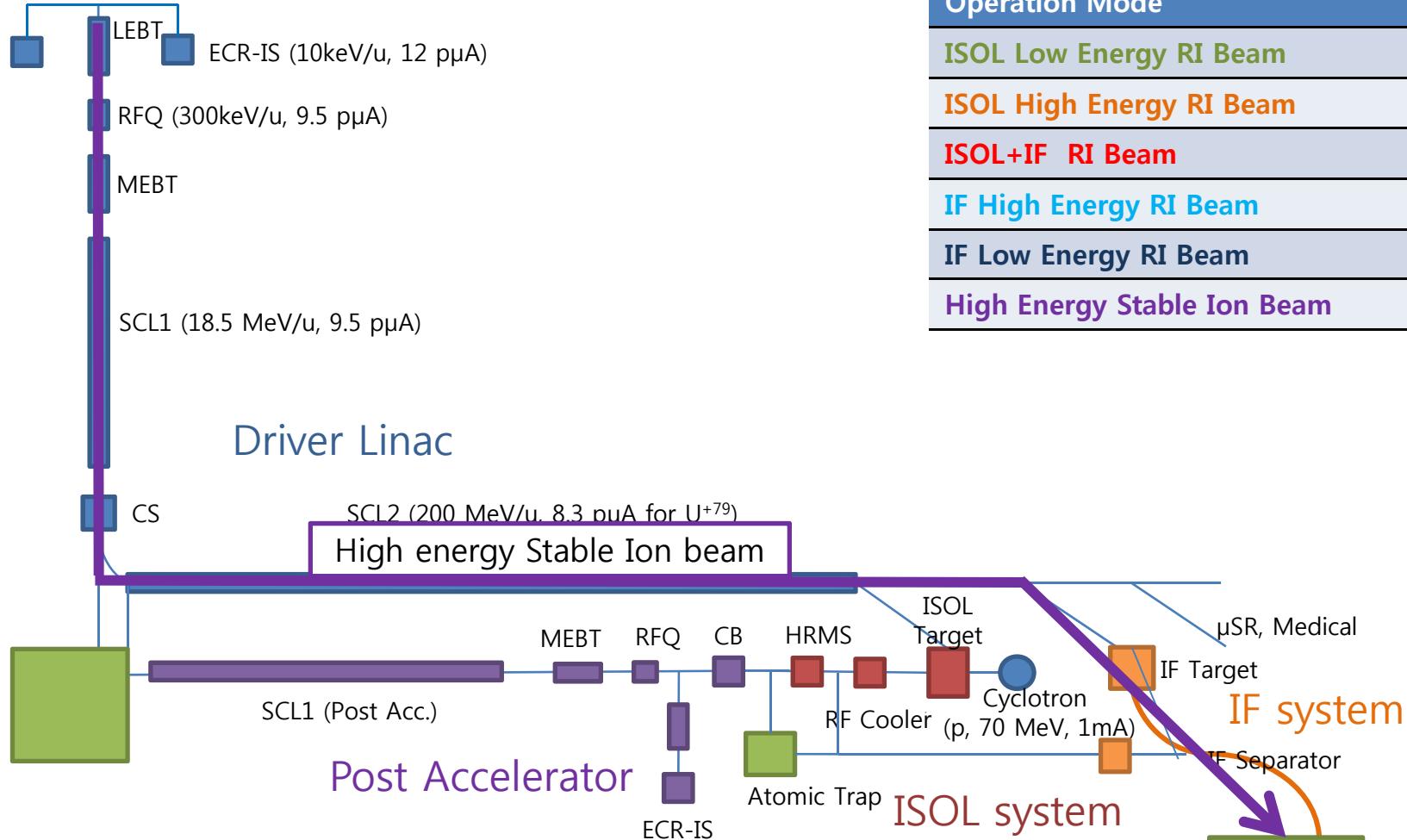
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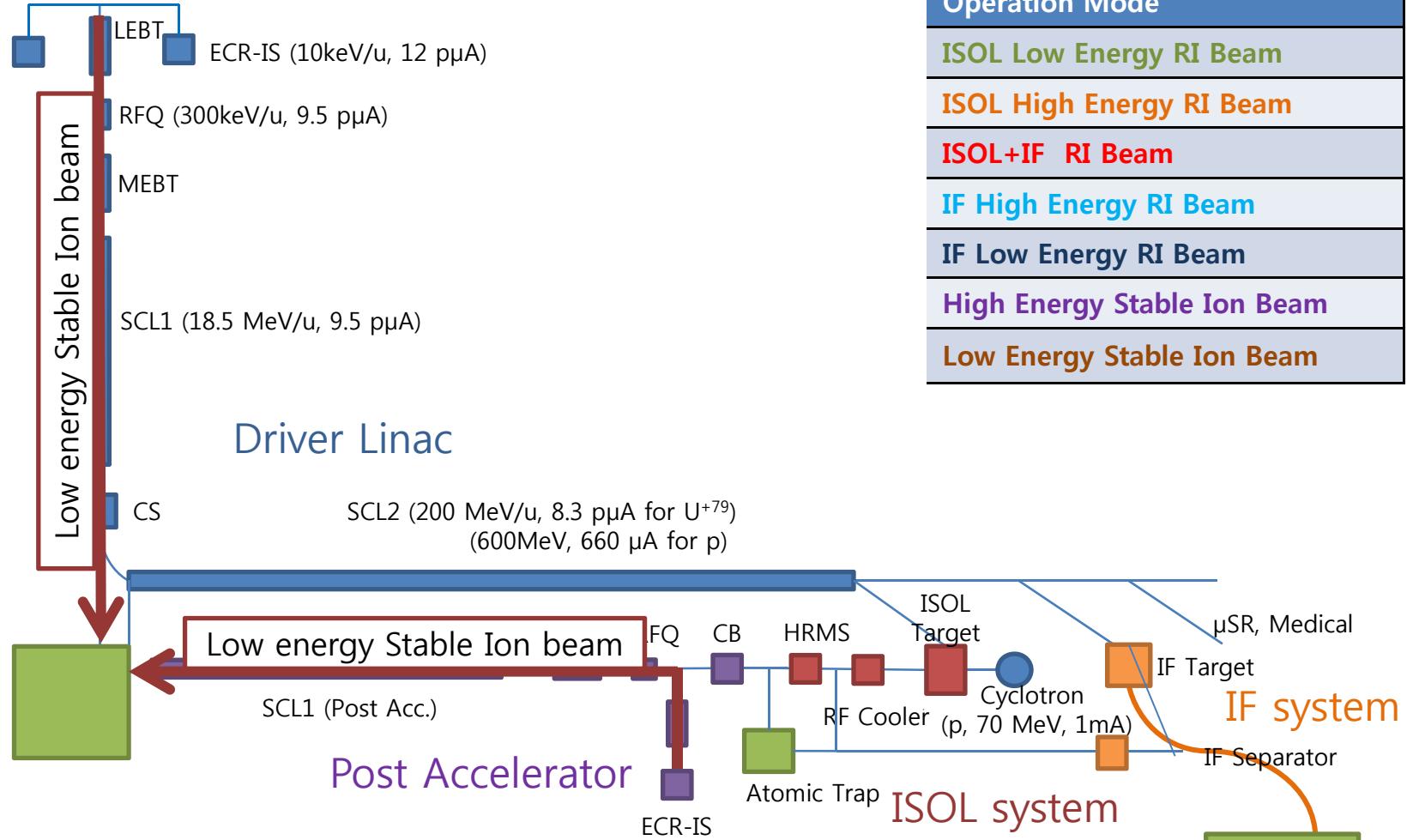
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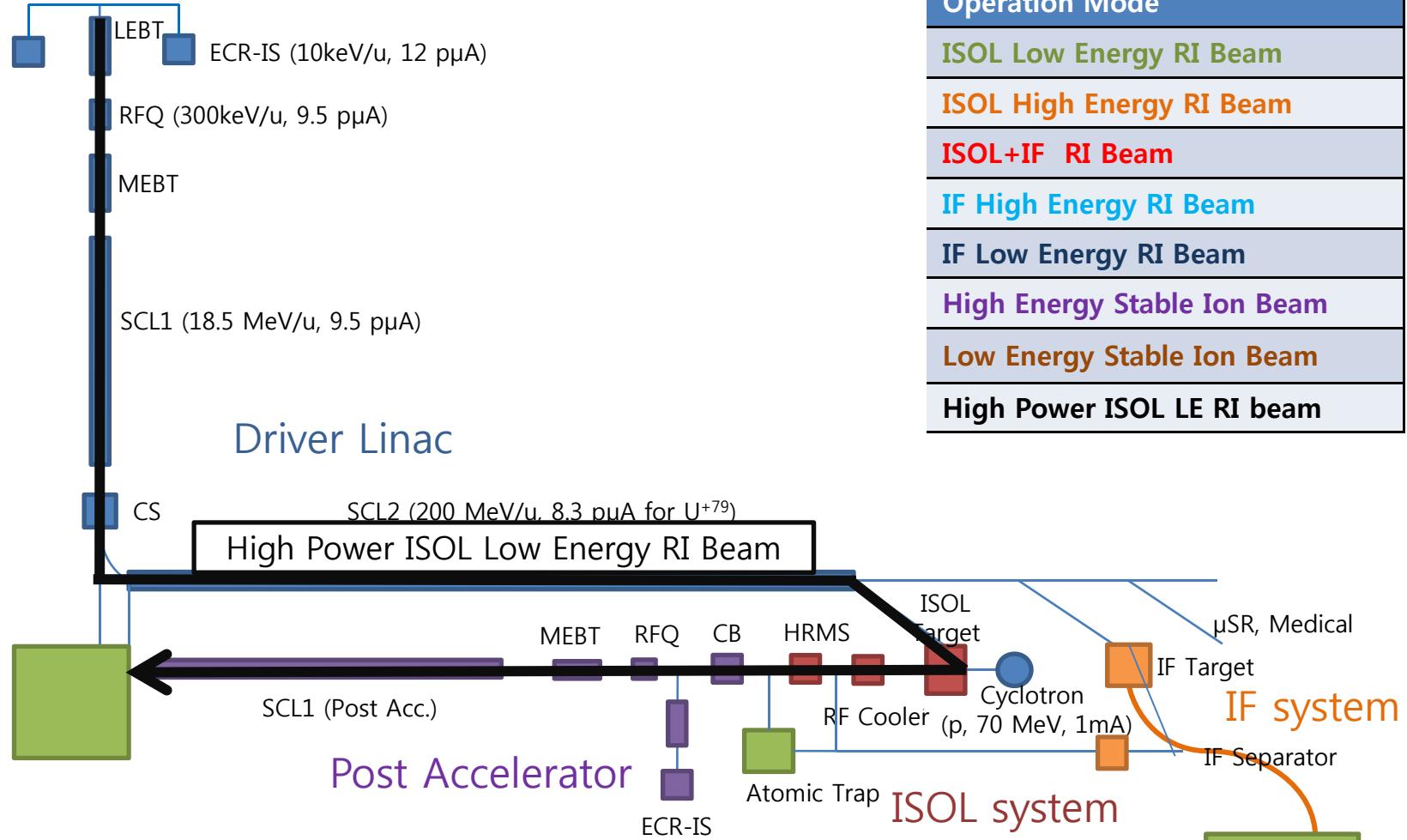
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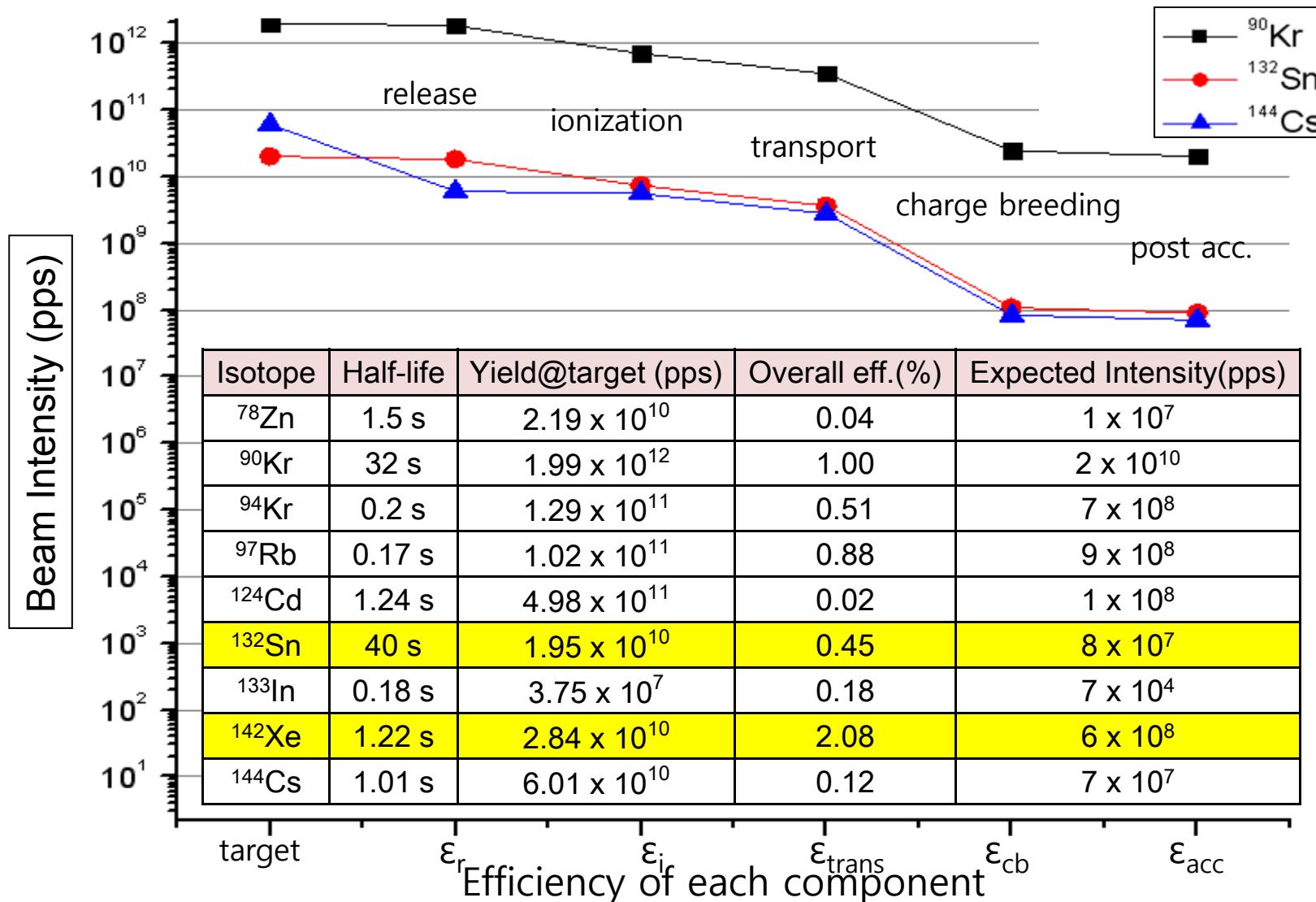
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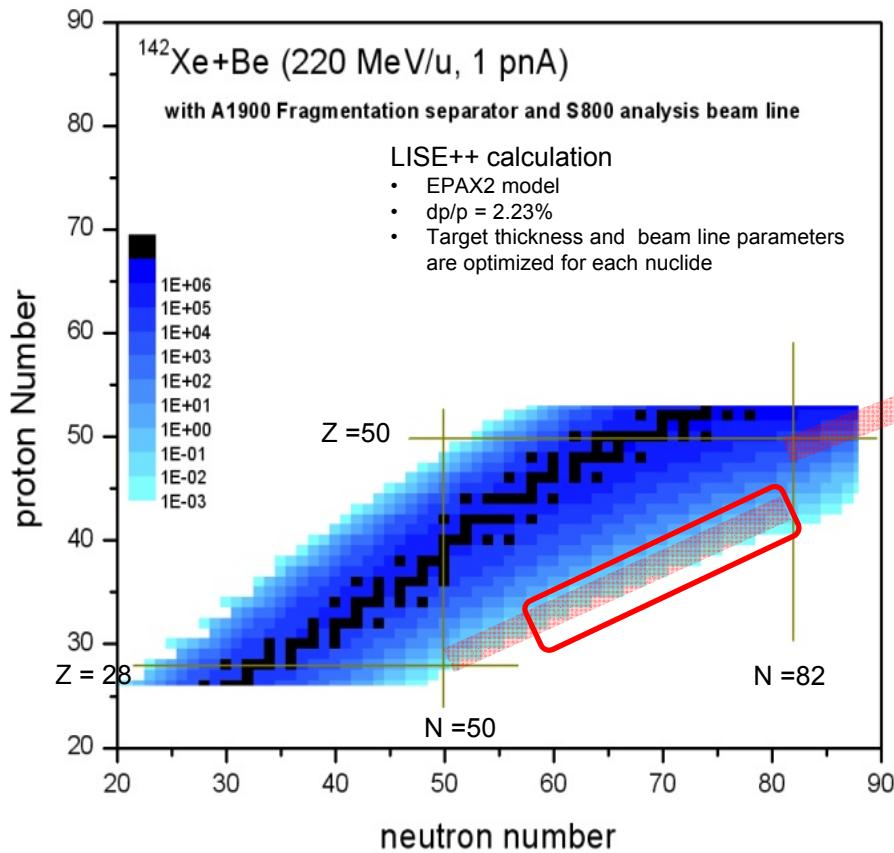


ISOL Yield Estimation



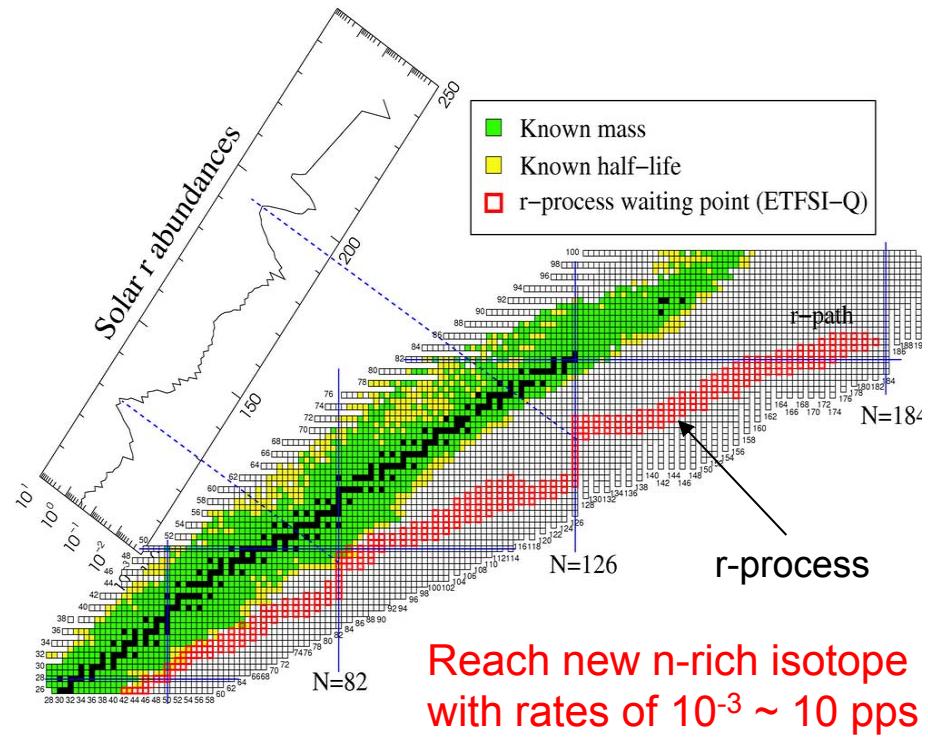
* Overall efficiency was estimated using the information from existing ISOL systems.
(HRIBF, CERN-ISOLDE, KEK-ISOL, etc.)

More Exotic RI Beams



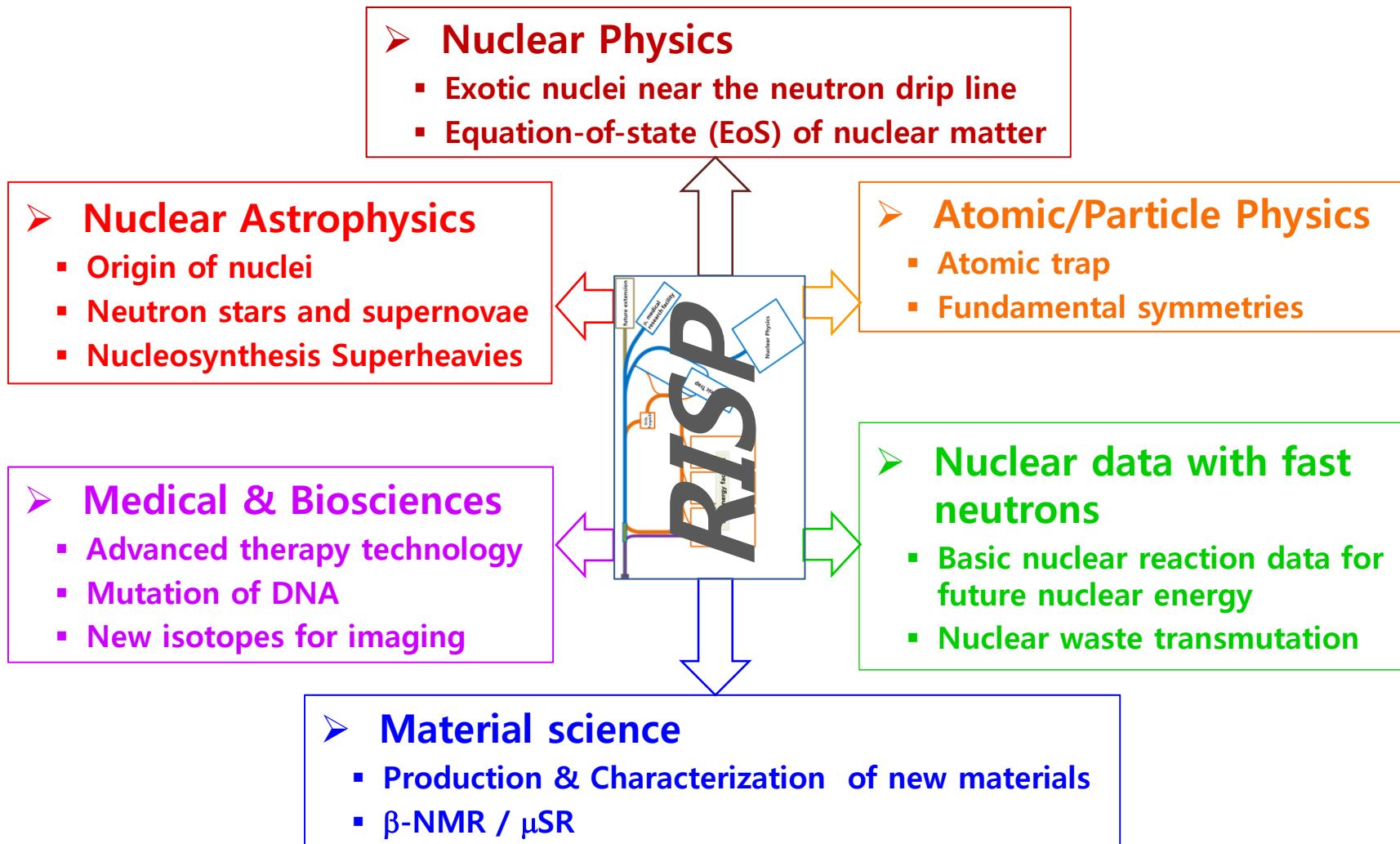
Operational mode: ^{142}Xe (ISOL) → Post-Accelerator → Driver Linac → IF target → Fragment Separator → Experiments

Note that $\sim 10^3$ times higher than ^{136}Xe (350 MeV/u, 10 pnA)+Be



nuclide	Estimated Intensity (pps)
^{110}Y	1.8
^{110}Zr	1.8
^{114}Nb	1.1
^{116}Mo	3.8
^{118}Tc	1.4

Research Topics



Research Topics

*Origin of Elements
Stella Evolution
Formation of Matter*

➤ Nuclear Physics

- Exotic nuclei near the neutron drip line
- Equation-of-state (EoS) of nuclear matter

➤ Nuclear Astrophysics

- Origin of nuclei
- Neutron stars and supernovae
- Nucleosynthesis Superheavies

➤ Atomic/Particle Physics

- Atomic trap
- Fundamental symmetries

➤ Medical & Biosciences

- Advanced therapy technology
- Mutation of DNA
- New isotopes for imaging

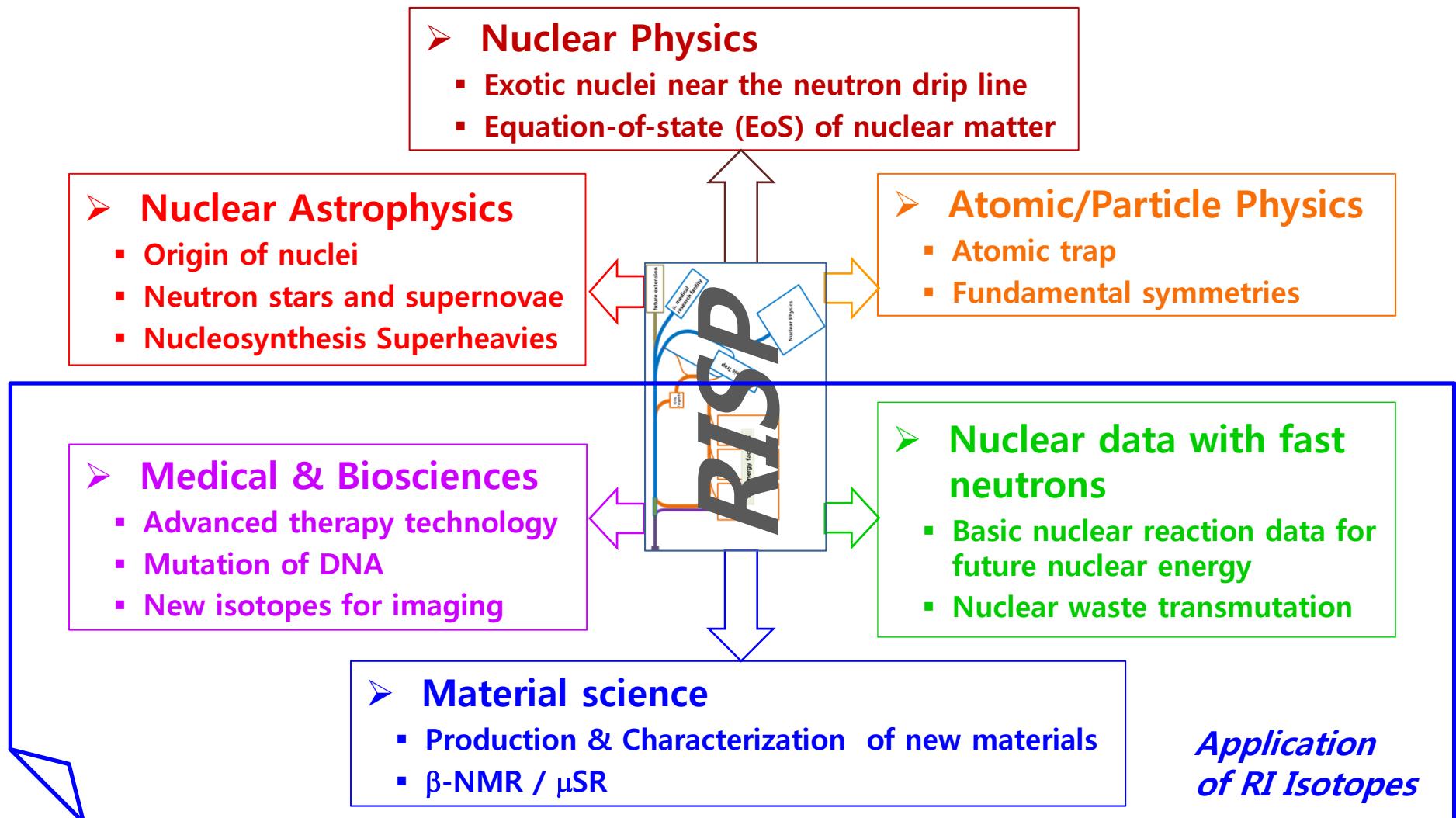
➤ Nuclear data with fast neutrons

- Basic nuclear reaction data for future nuclear energy
- Nuclear waste transmutation

➤ Material science

- Production & Characterization of new materials
- β -NMR / μ SR

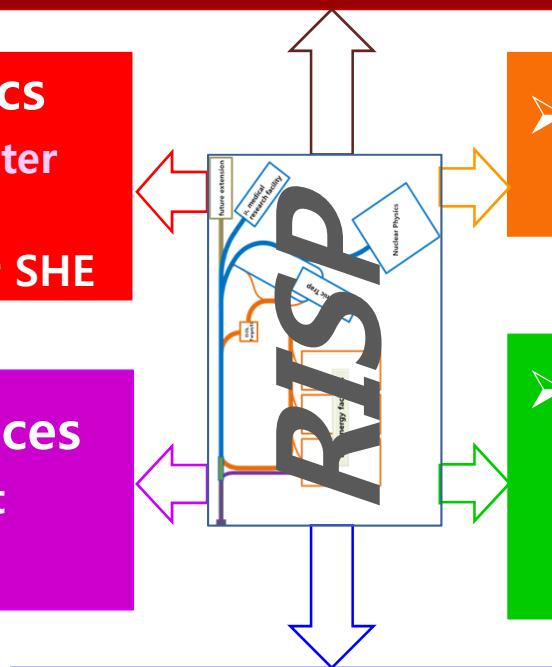
Research Topics



Experimental Systems

- Nuclear Physics
 - Large-Acceptance Multipurpose Spectrometer (LAMPS)

- Nuclear Astrophysics
 - Korea Recoil Spectrometer (KRS)
 - Gas-Filled Separator for SHE



- Atomic/Particle Physics
 - Atom & Ion Trap System

- Medical & Biosciences
 - Heavy-Ion Therapy Unit
 - Irradiation Facility

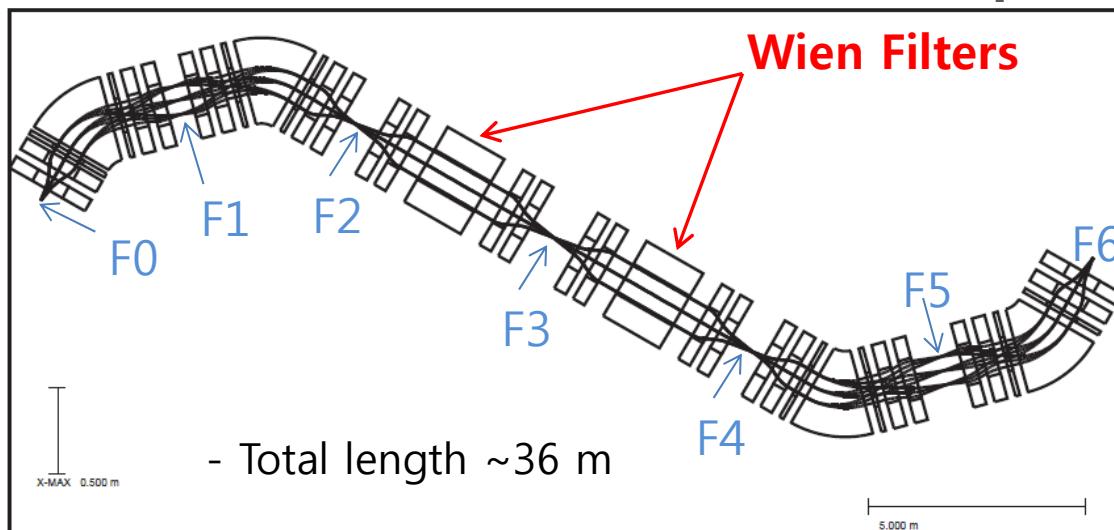
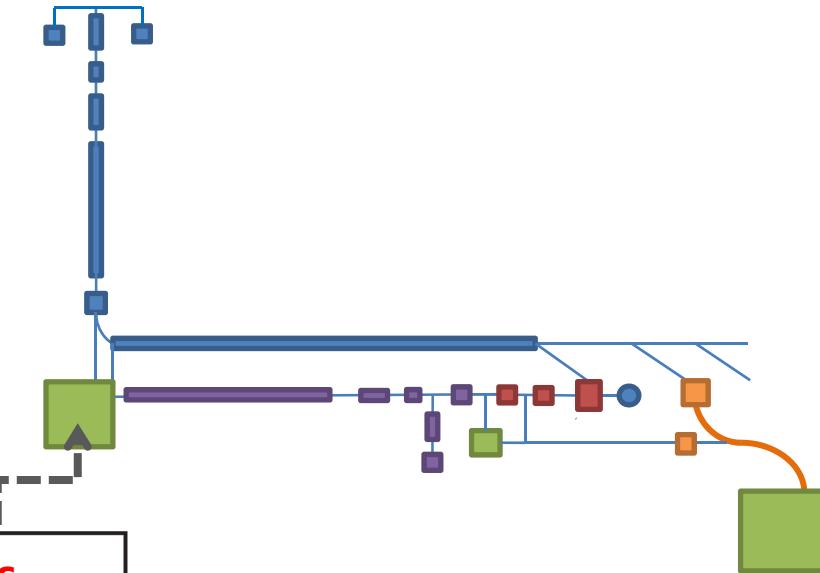
- Nuclear data with fast neutrons
 - Neutron Time-of-Flight System (n-TOF)

- Material science
 - β -NMR /NQR, μ -SR
 - Laser Selective Ionizer

Recoil Spectrometer (KRS)

▪ Specification

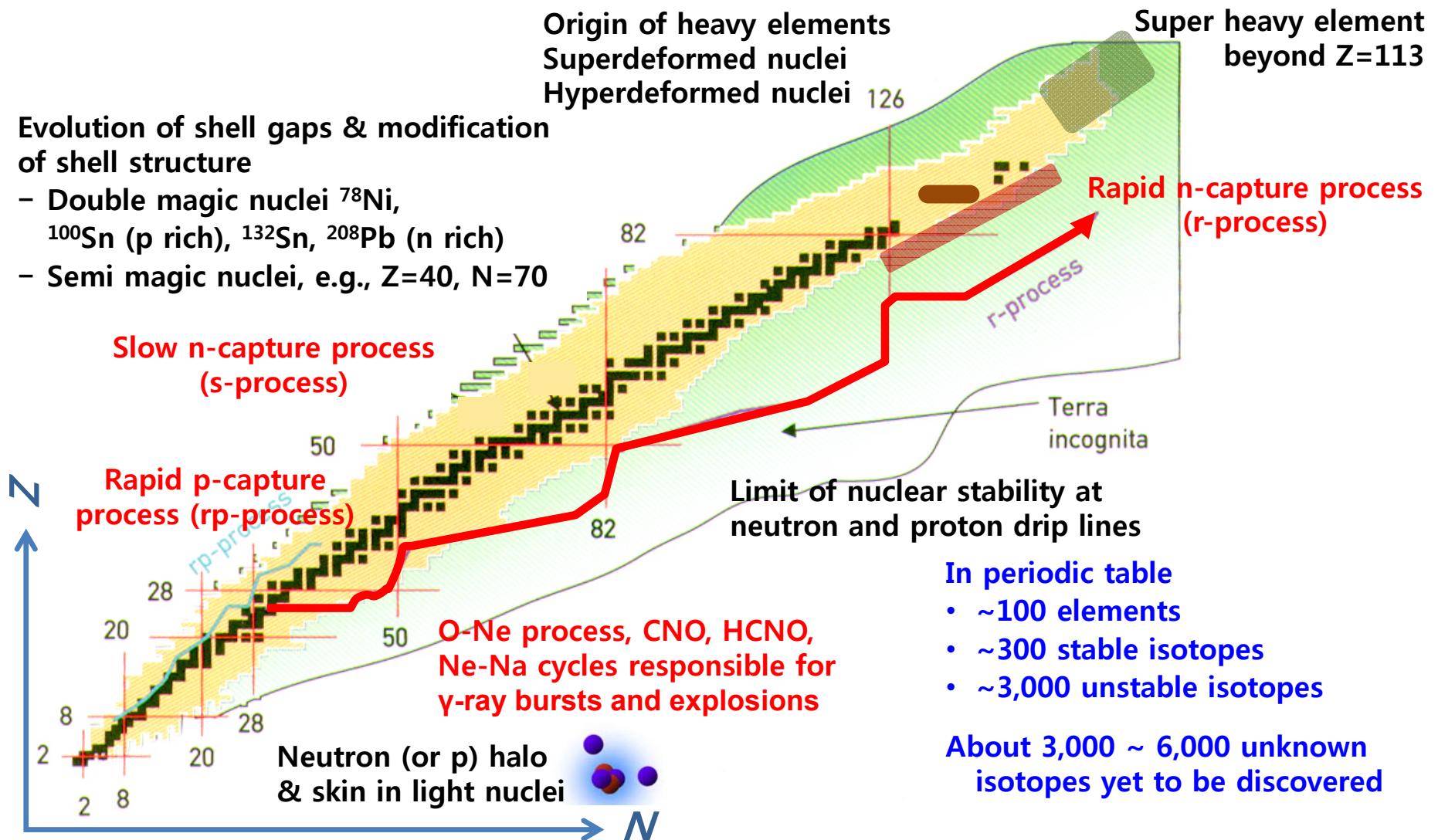
Maximum magnetic rigidity	$\sim 1.5 \text{ T}\cdot\text{m}$
Mass resolution ($\Delta M/M$)	< 0.5 %
Momentum resolution ($\Delta p/p$)	$\sim 0.05 \text{ %}$
Angular acceptance	< $\pm 100 \text{ mrad}$
Background reduction	< 10^{-15}



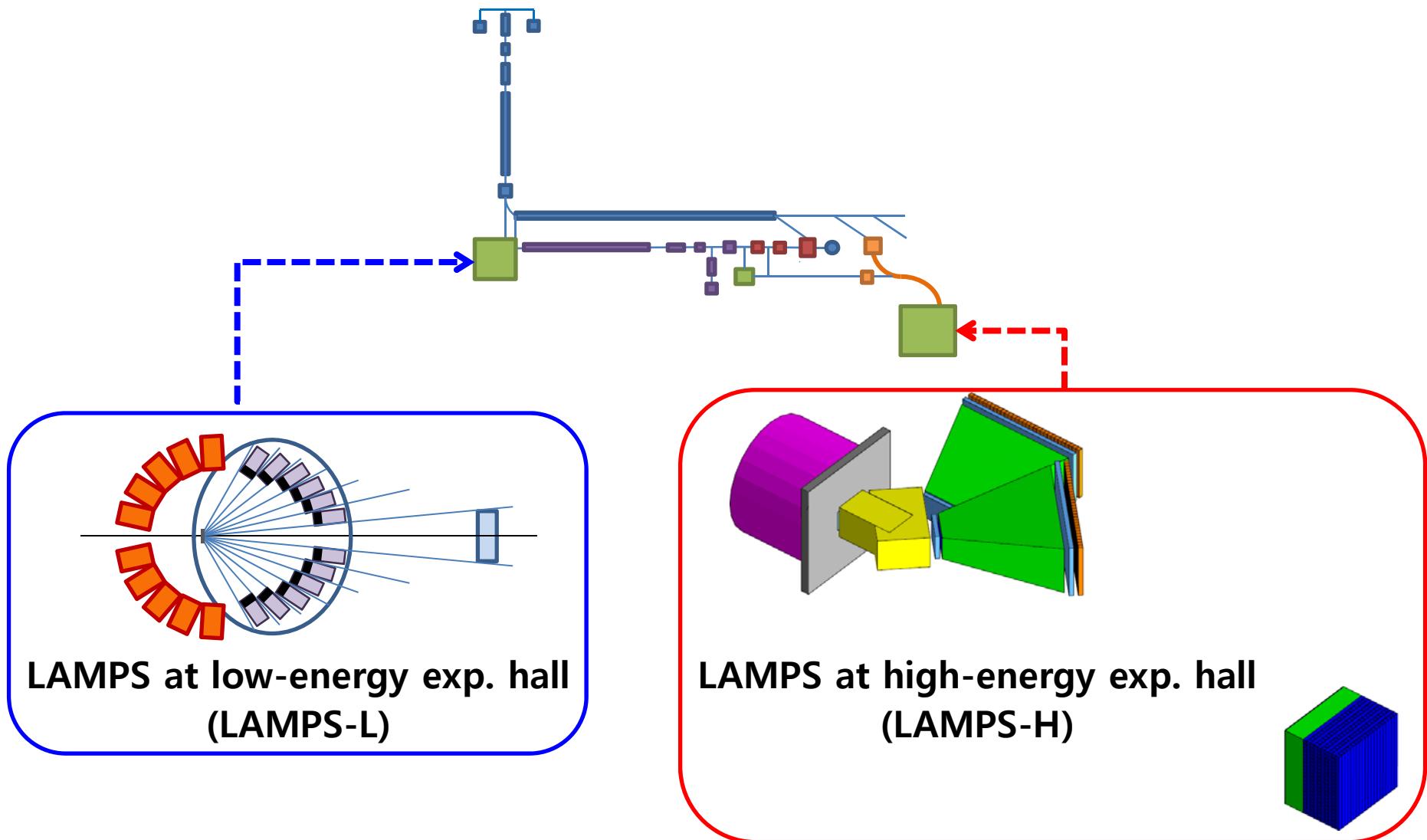
4 dipoles +
24 quadrupoles +
8 multipoles +
2 Wien filters

Double achromatic with
electrostatic components

Physics Program with KRS



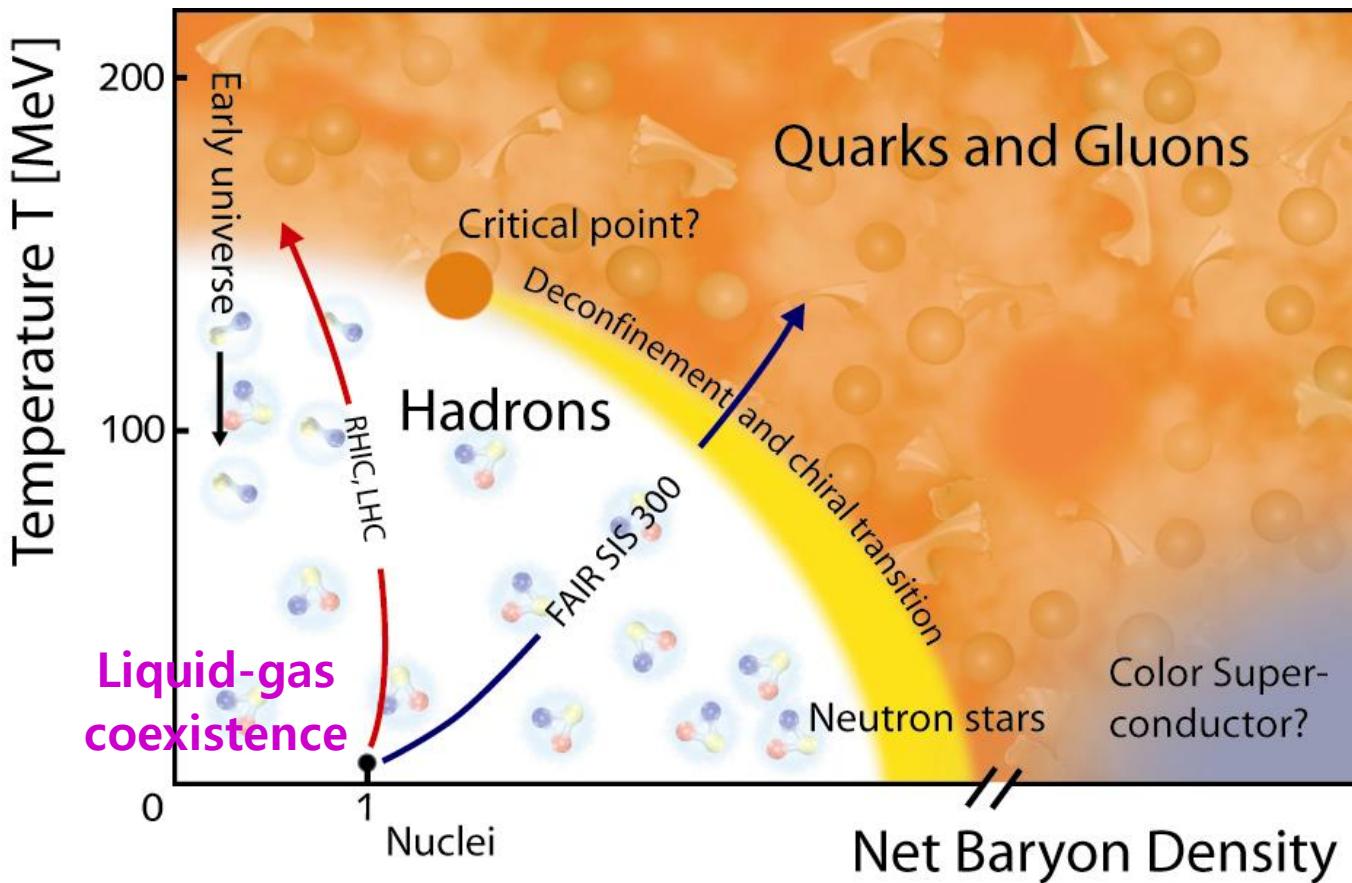
Large-Acceptance Multipurpose Spectrometer (LAMPS)



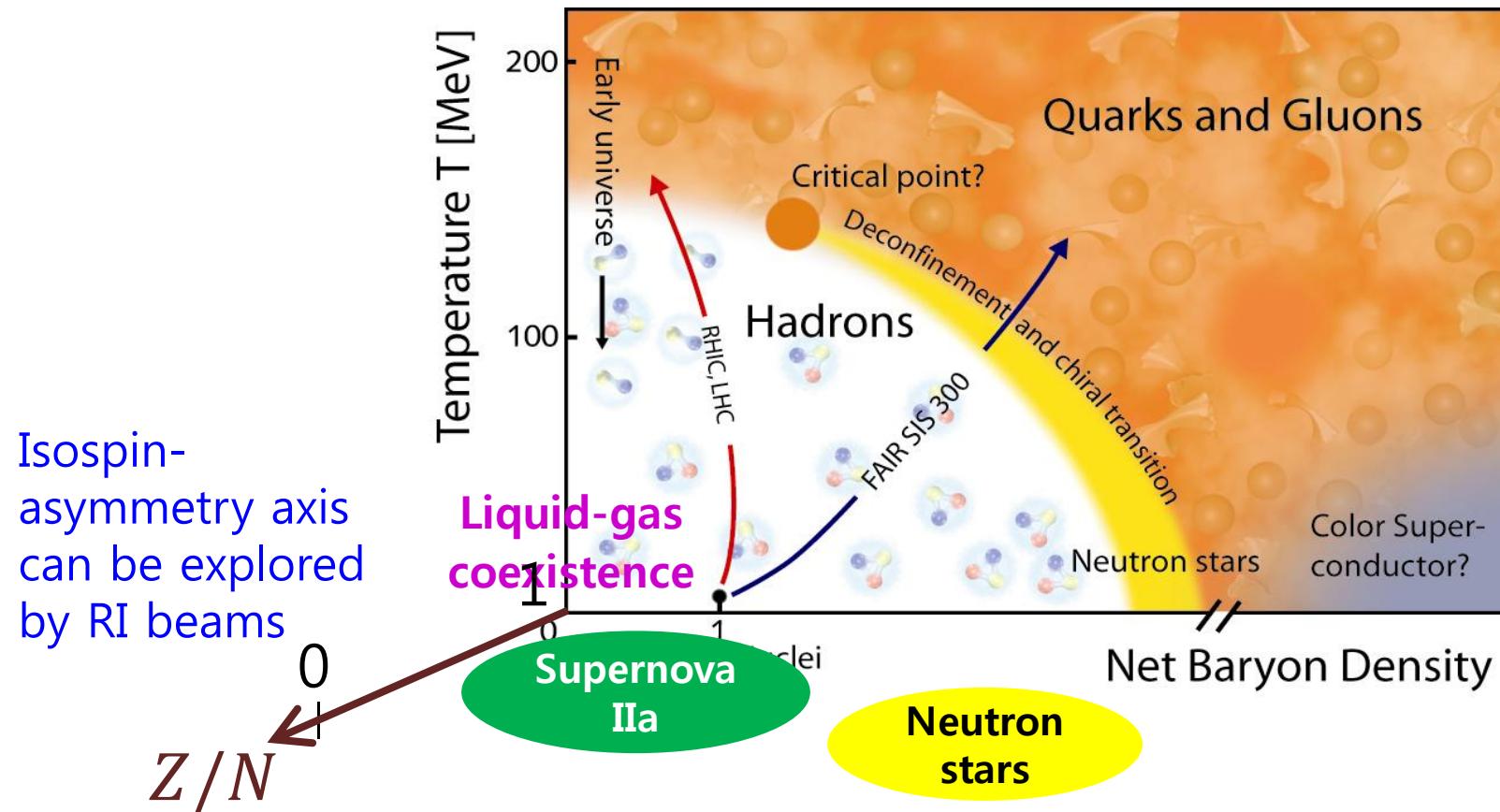
Purpose of Nuclear Matter Study

1. Exploring the phase diagram of strongly interacting matter
 - Phase transitions (liquid \leftrightarrow gas, hadron \leftrightarrow QGP)
2. Determining Equation of State (EOS) of the strongly interacting medium below and above the saturation densities
3. Modification of hadronic properties in dense medium
4. Important for astrophysics
 - Supernovae
 - Neutron stars

Nuclear Phase Diagram



Nuclear Phase Diagram



For the isospin dependence of EOS, nuclear symmetry energy will play an important role!

Experimental Observables for E_{sym}

1. Particle ratios

- n/p , ${}^3\text{H}/{}^3\text{He}$, ${}^7\text{Li}/{}^7\text{Be}$, etc.
- π^-/π^+

2. Collective flow

- ν_1 & ν_2 of n, p, and heavier clusters
- Azimuthal angle dependence of n/p ratio w.r.t. the R.P.

3. Pygmy dipole resonance

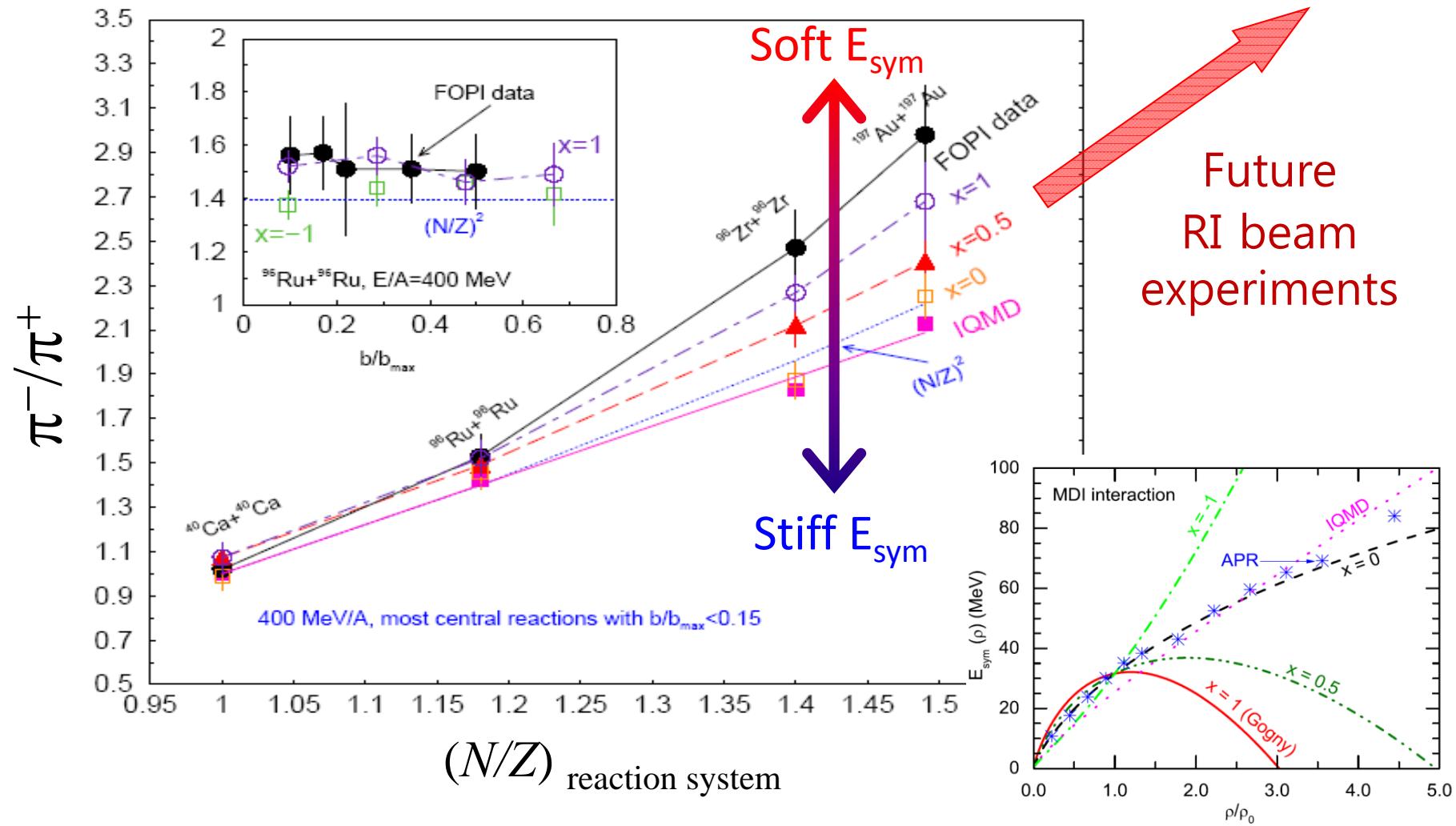
- Energy spectra of gammas
- Sizes of n-skins for unstable nuclei

4. Various isospin-dependent phenomena

- Isospin fractionation and isoscaling in nuclear multifragmentation
- Isospin diffusion (transport)

π^-/π^+ Ratio

Data: FOPI Collaboration, Nucl. Phys. A 781, 459 (2007)

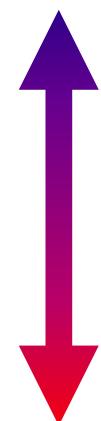


Directed Flow

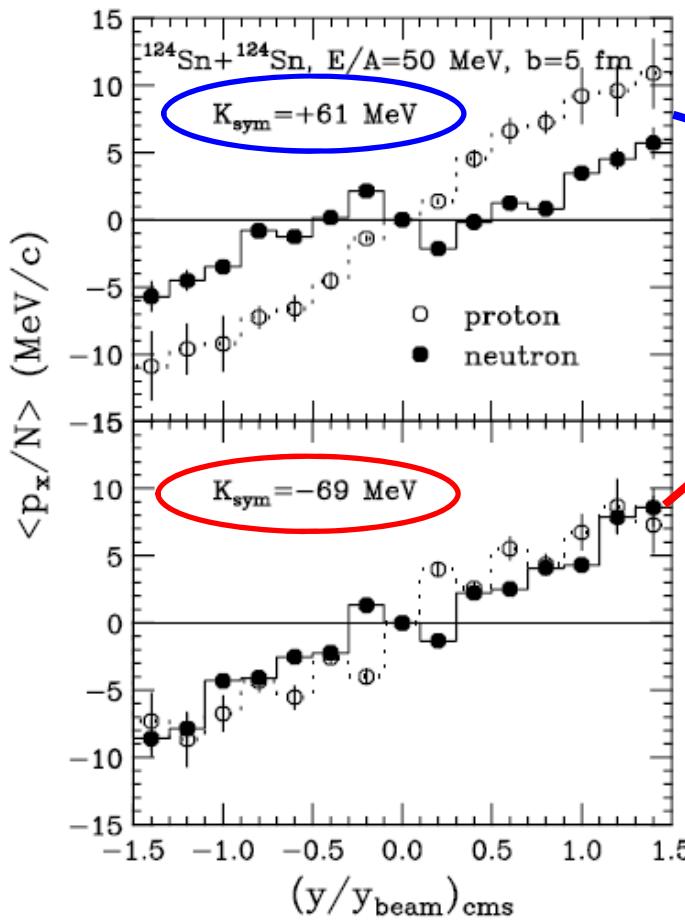
B.-A. Li,
PRL 85, 4221
(2000)

$$K_{sym} \equiv 9\rho_0^2 \frac{\partial^2 E_{sym}(\rho)}{\partial \rho^2} \Big|_{\rho=\rho_0}$$

Stiff

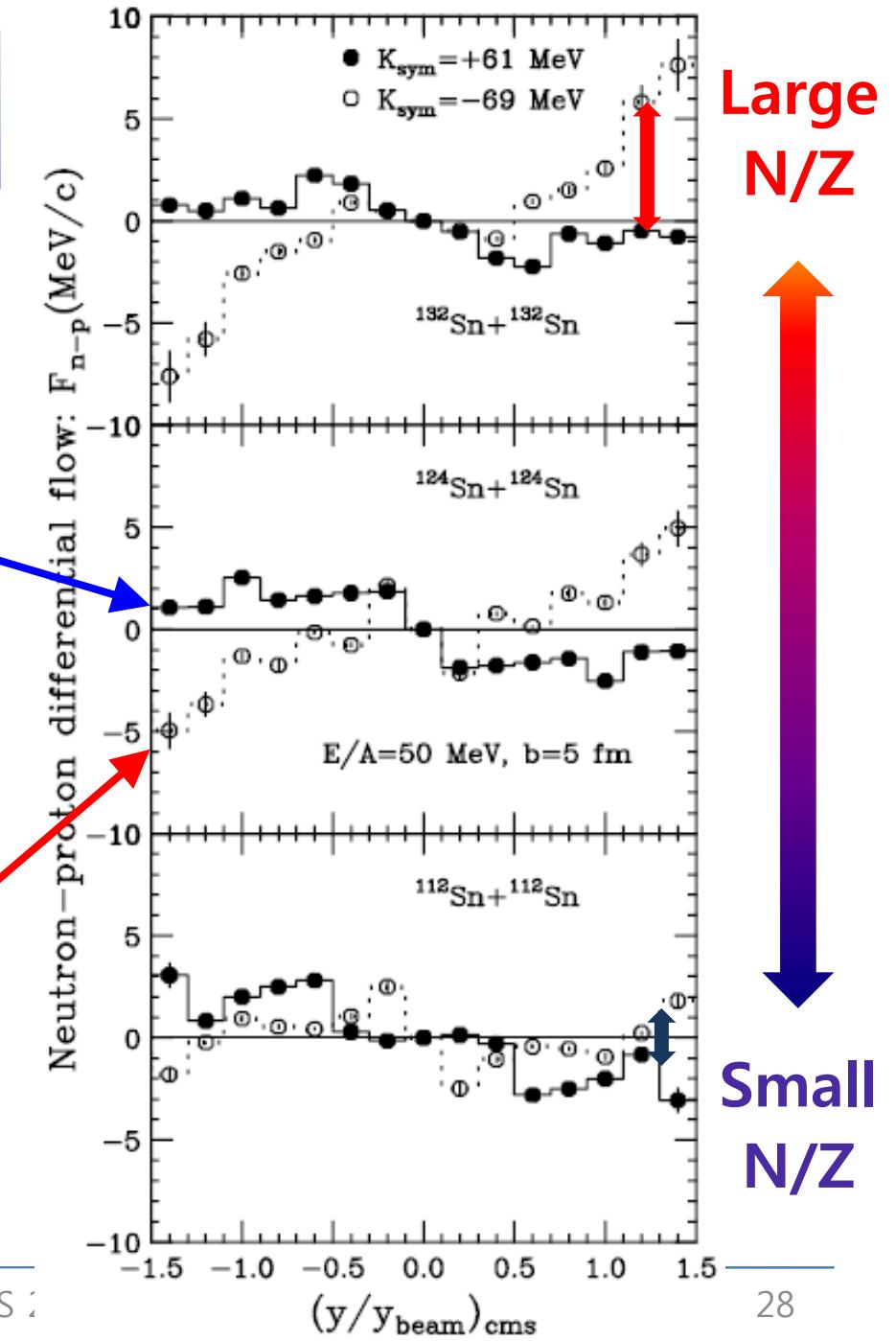


Also known as v_1



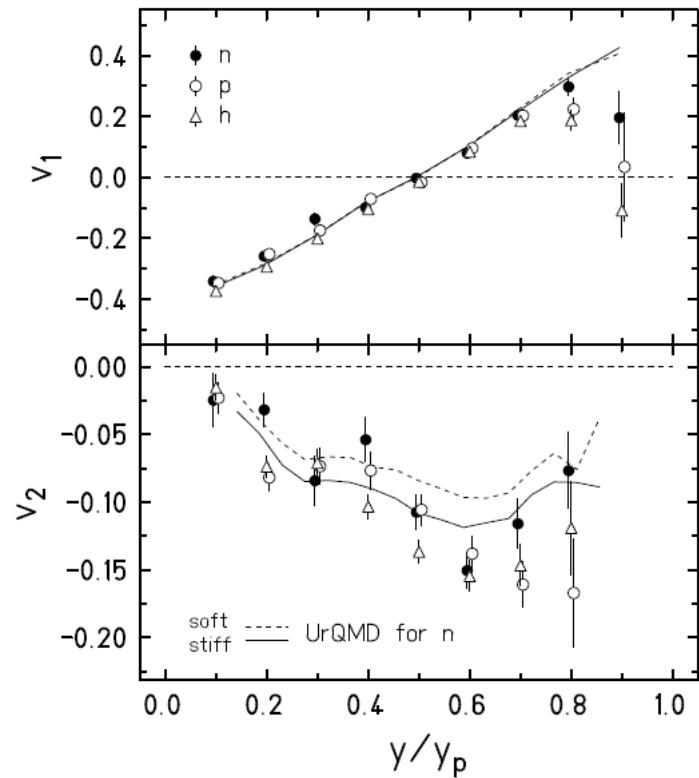
Super Soft

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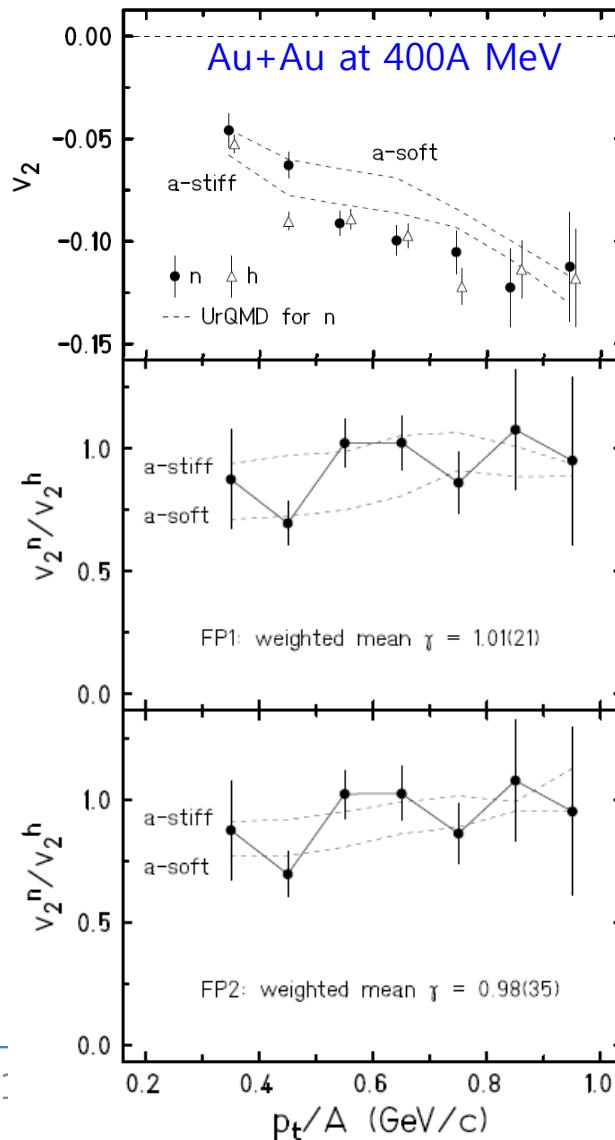
Elliptic Flow

But, ...



v_2 may be more sensitive!

P. Russotto et al., PLB 697, 471 (2011)



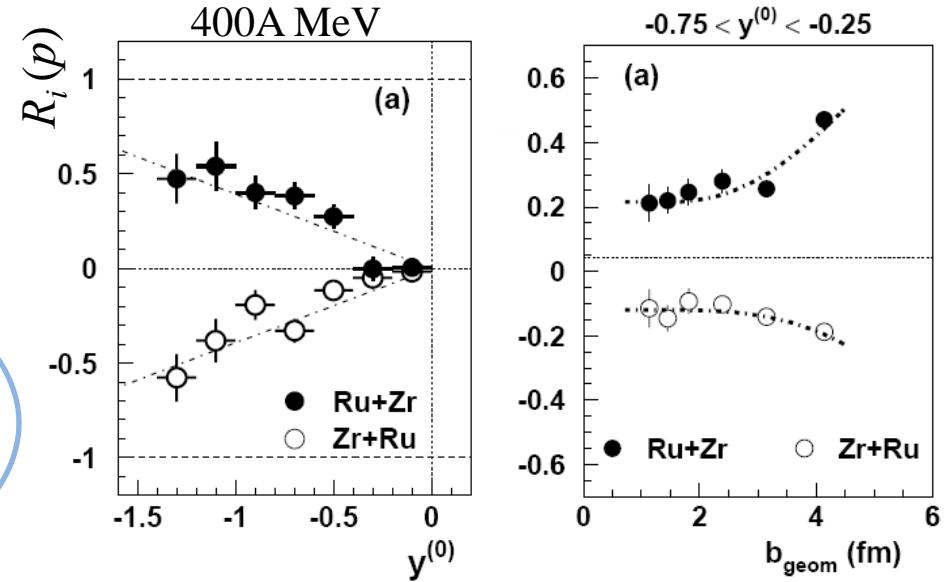
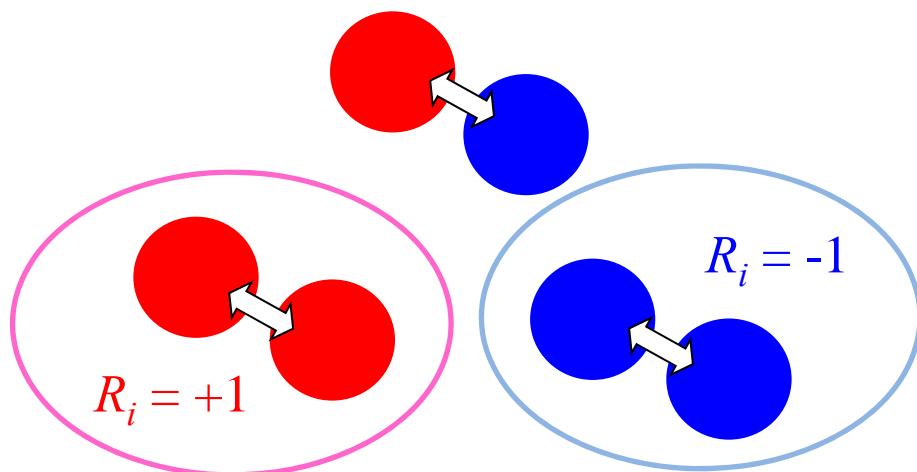
Isospin Diffusion Parameter: Isospin Tracer

Isospin diffusion occurs only in asymmetric systems A+B
(No isospin diffusion between symmetric systems)

$$R_i = 2 \frac{N^{AB} - (N^{AA} + N^{BB})/2}{N^{AA} - N^{BB}}$$

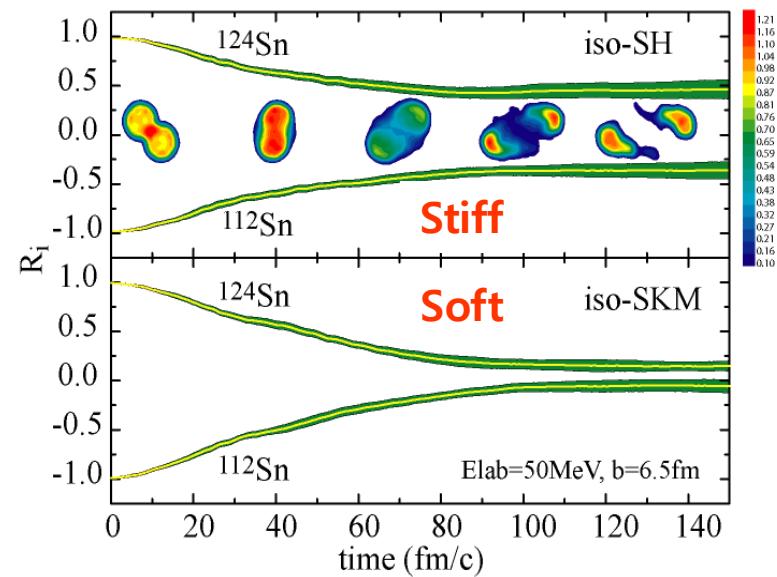
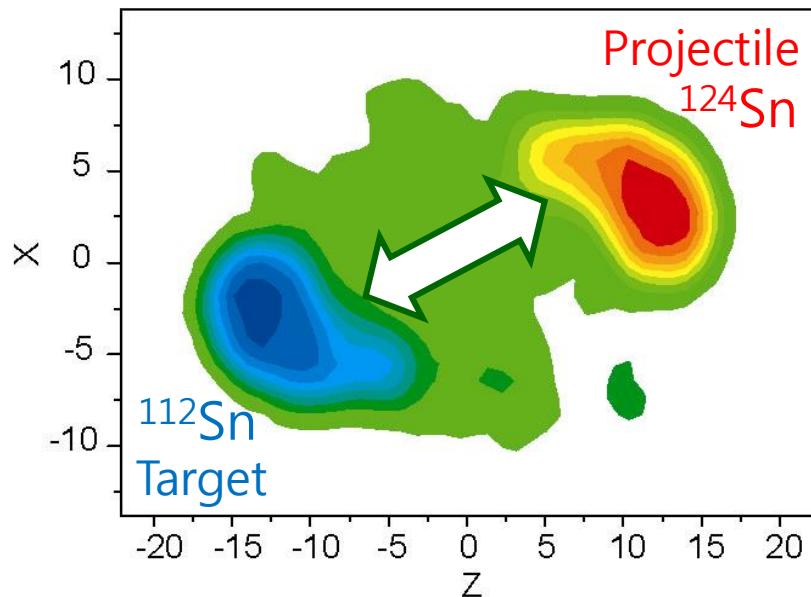
F. Rami et al., FOPI, PRL 84, 1120 (2000)
B. Hong et al., FOPI, PRC 66, 034901 (2002)

$R_i = 0$ for
complete isospin mixing



Isospin Diffusion Parameter

M.B. Tsang et al., PRL 92, 062701 (2004)



- Symmetry energy drives system towards equilibrium
 - stiff EOS : small diffusion ($|R_i| \gg 0$)
 - soft EOS : large diffusion & fast equilibrium ($R_i \rightarrow 0$)

Design of Detector System

1. We need to accommodate
 - Large acceptance
 - Precise measurement of momentum (or energy) for variety of particle species, including $\pi^{+/-}$ and neutrons, with high efficiency
 - Gamma detection for PDR
 - Keep flexibility for other physics topics
2. This leads to the design of **LAMPS**
 - **Large-Acceptance Multipurpose Spectrometer**
3. Current plan for construction
 - Low-energy LAMPS system: LAMPS-L
 - Also important for the day-1 experiment
 - High-energy LAMPS system: LAMPS-H

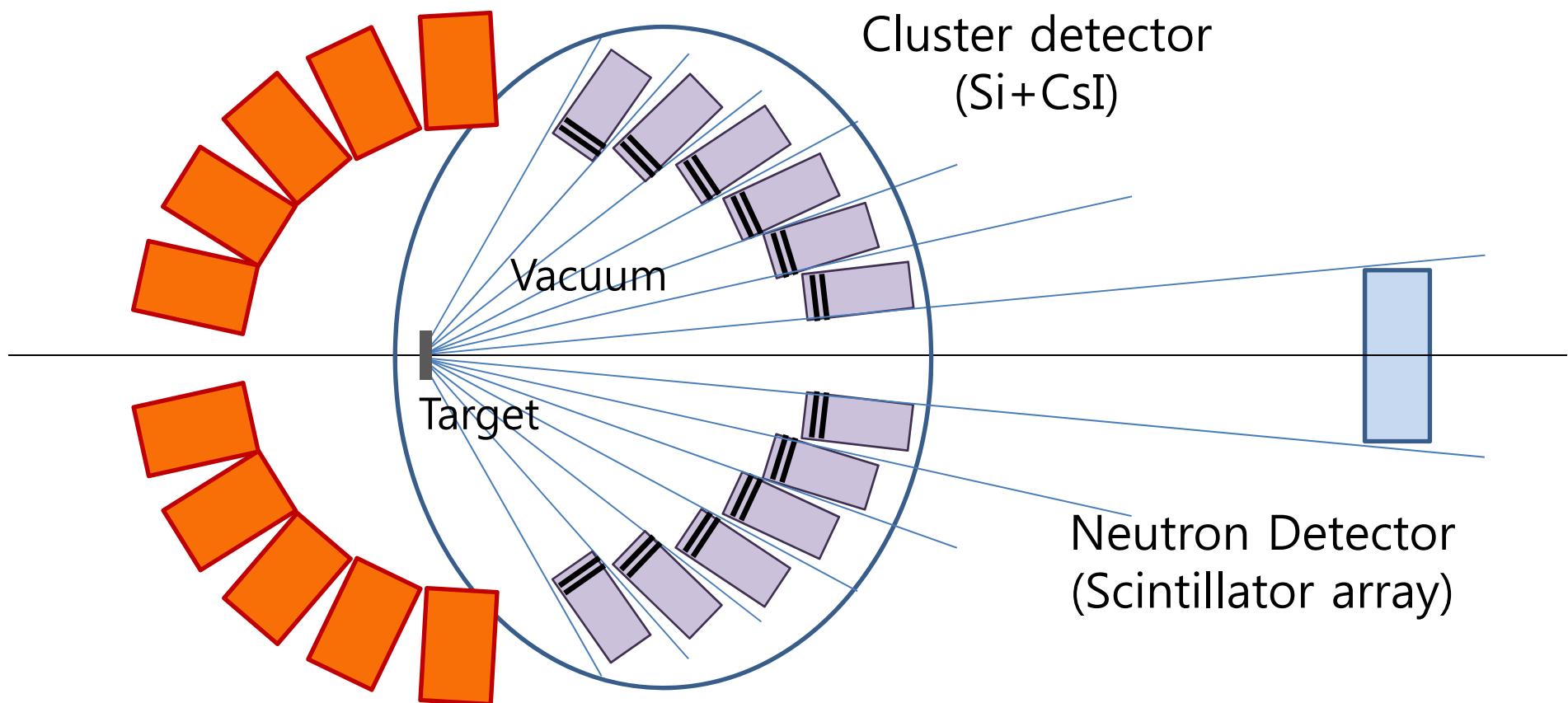
Conceptual Design of LAMPS-L

Gamma detector

For low-energy experiments

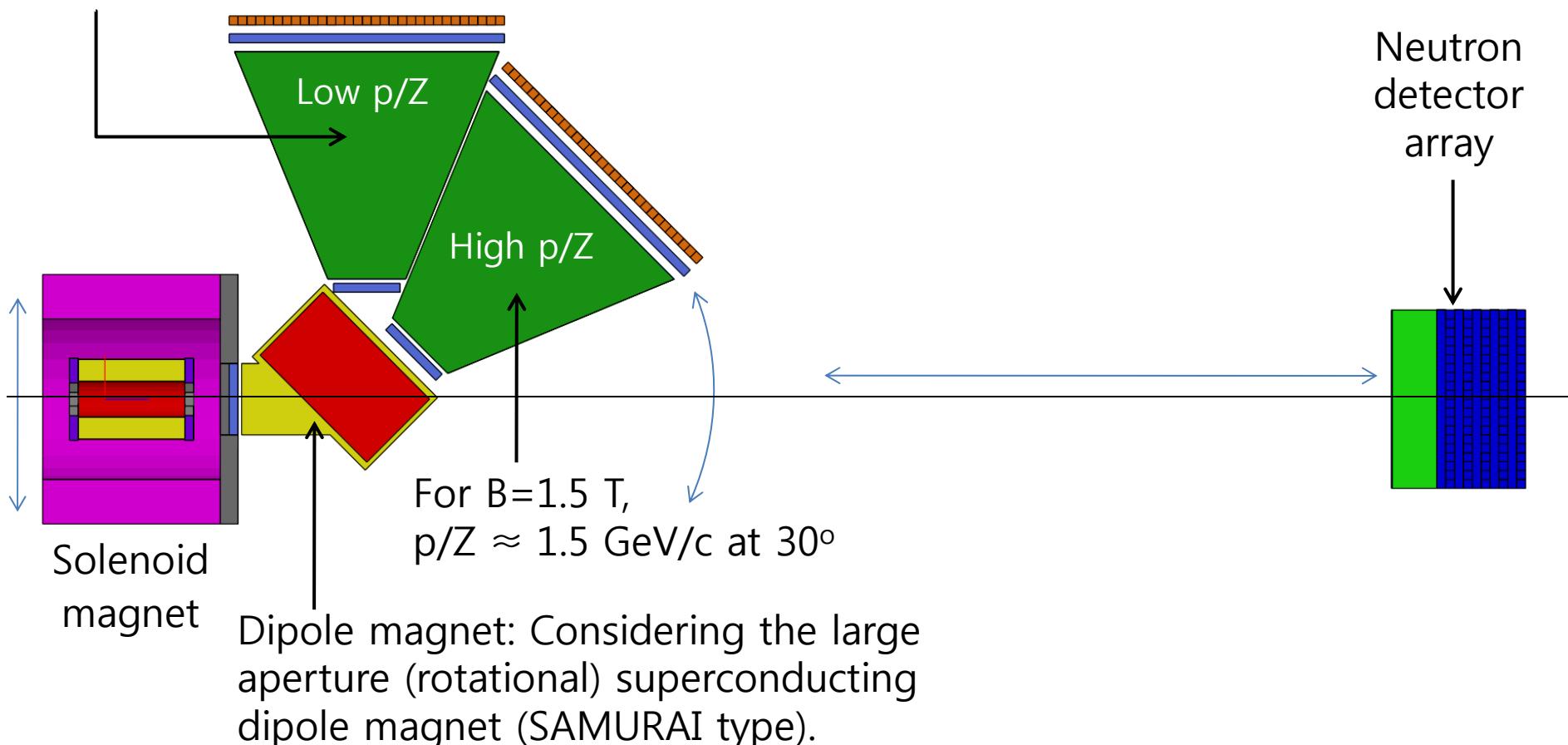
Cluster detector
(Si+CsI)

Neutron Detector
(Scintillator array)



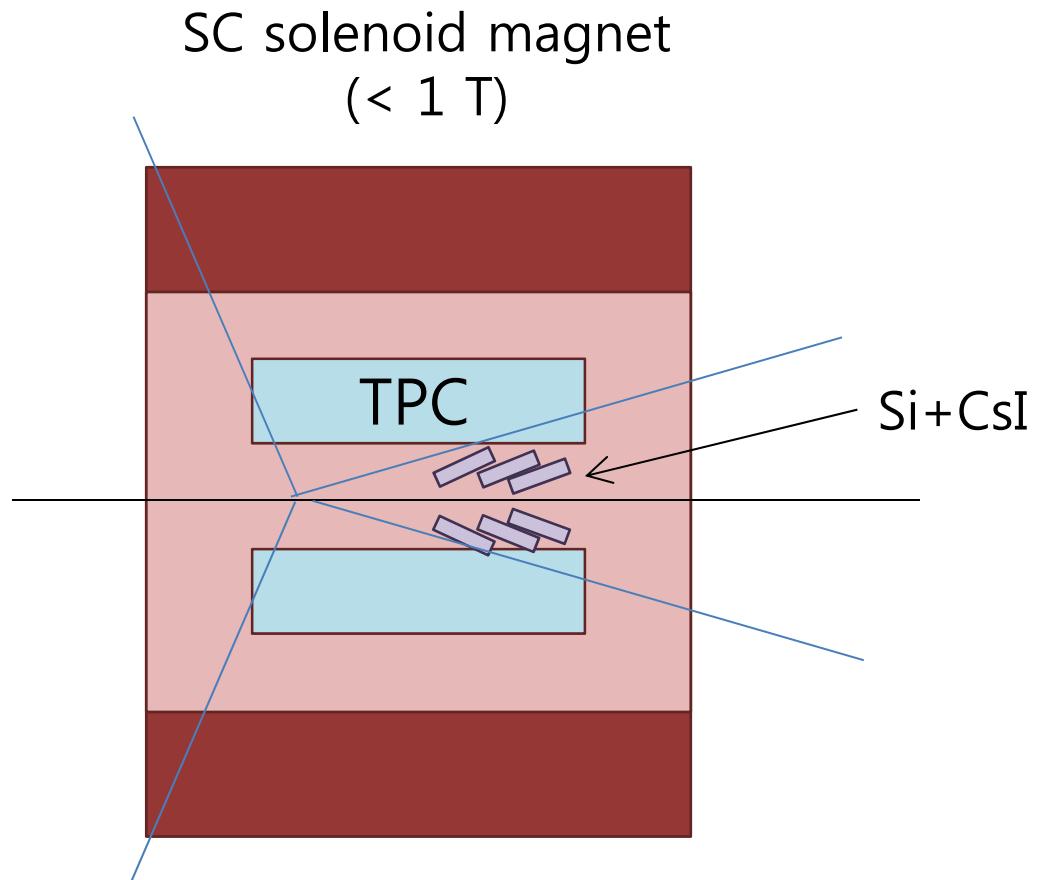
Conceptual Design of LAMPS-H

For $B=1.5$ T,
 $p/Z \approx 0.35$ GeV/c
at 110°

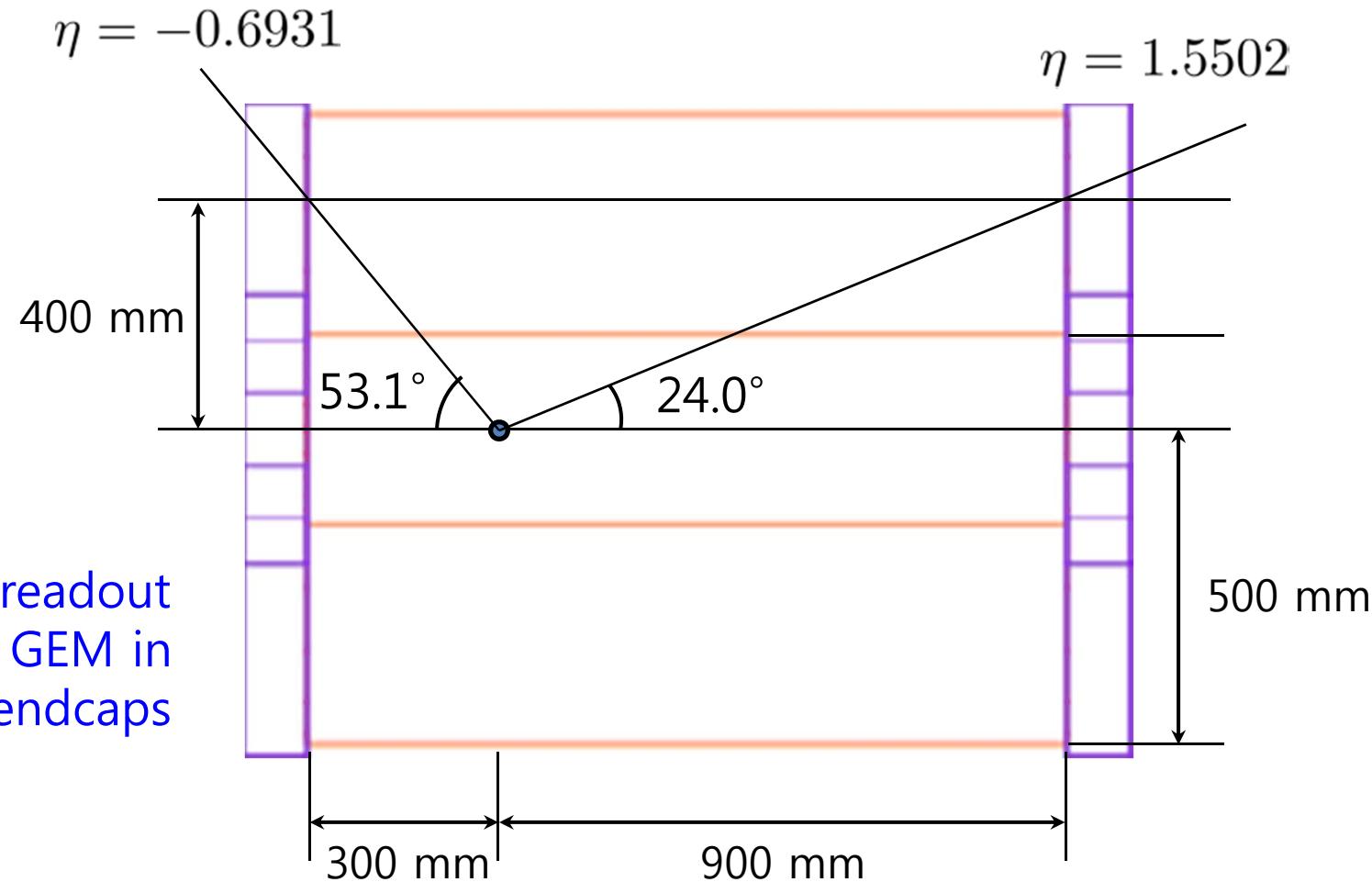


Solenoid Spectrometer

- TPC
 - Large acceptance ($\sim 3\pi$ Sr)
 - $\pi^{+/-}$
 - Light fragments
- Si+CsI
 - Si layers for ΔE
 - CsI(Tl) for E
 - Fragments
 - Also useful for event characterization



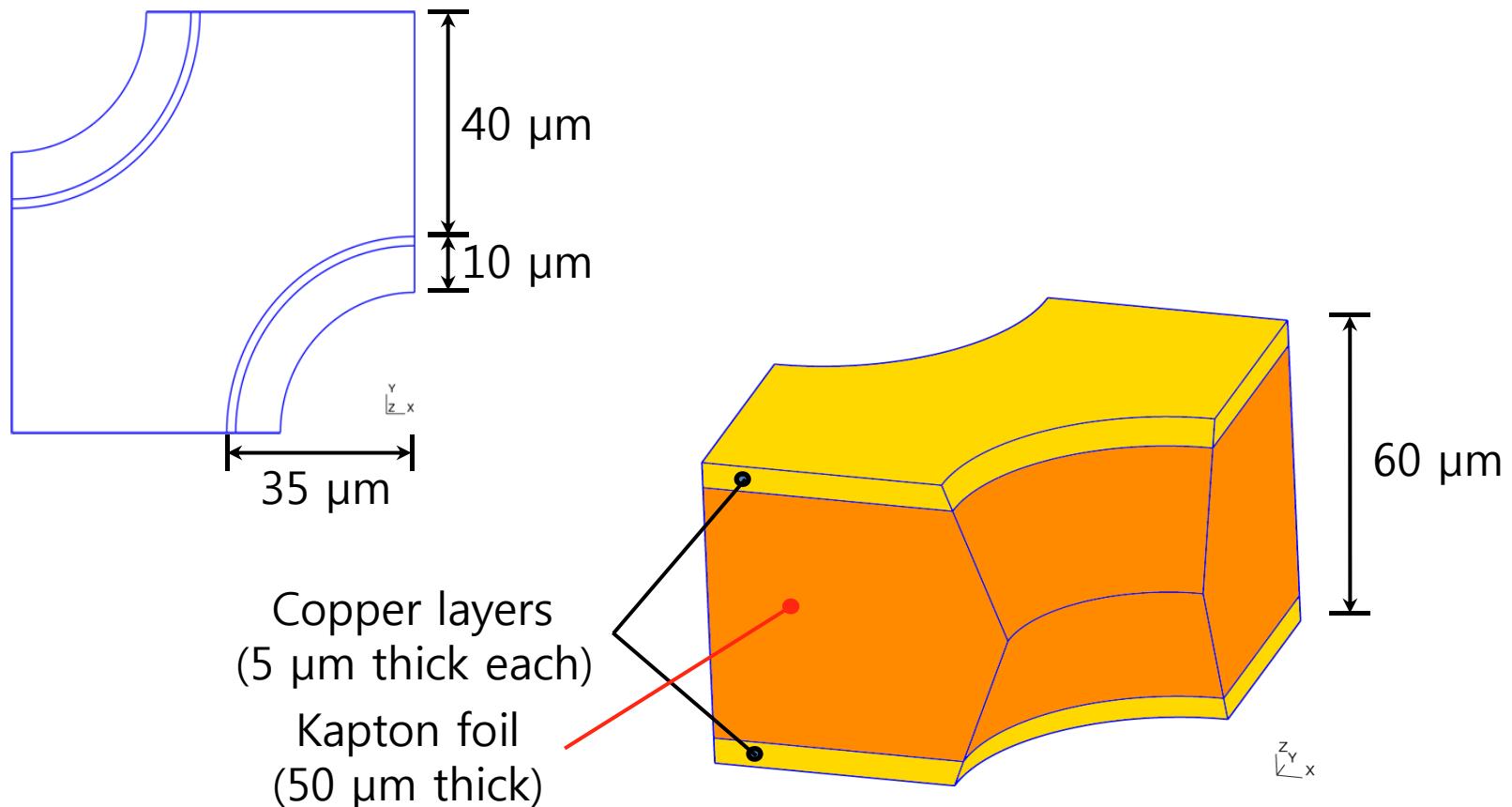
Time Projection Chamber



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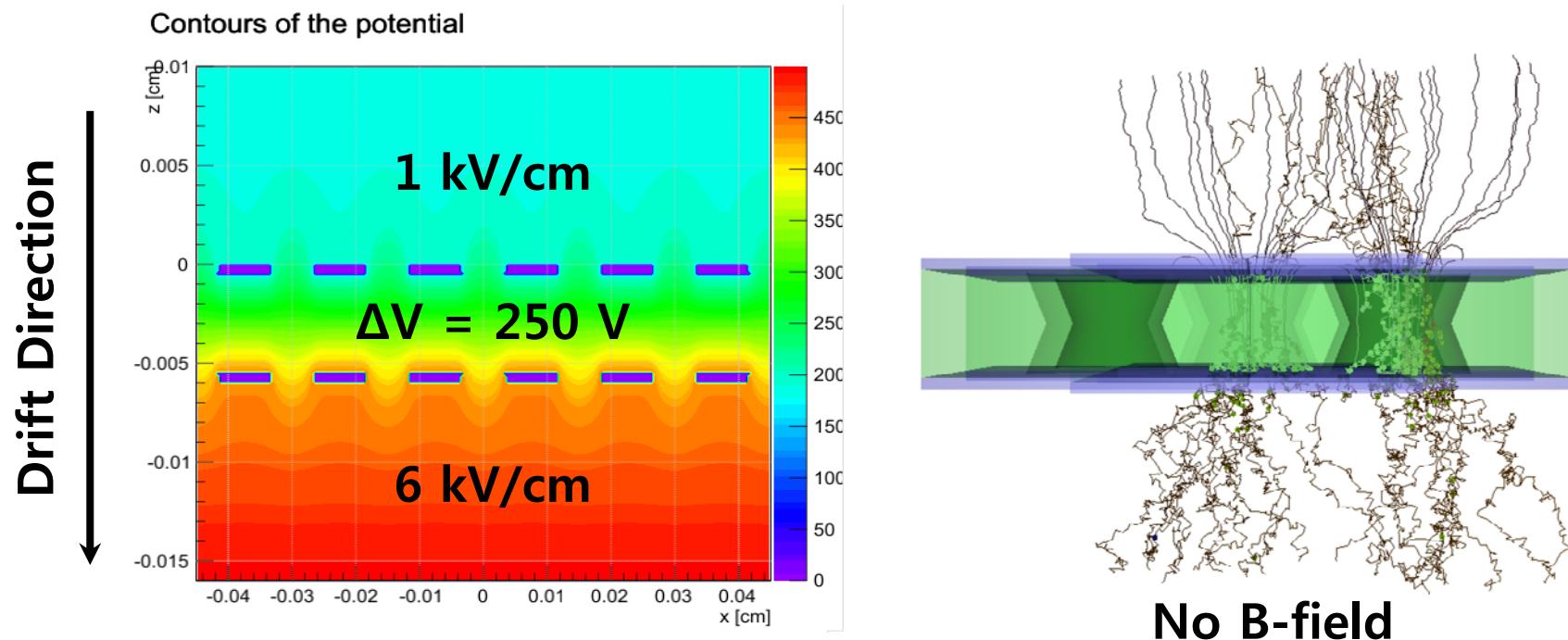
- GEM Simulation (geometry of the GEM hole)



Time Projection Chamber

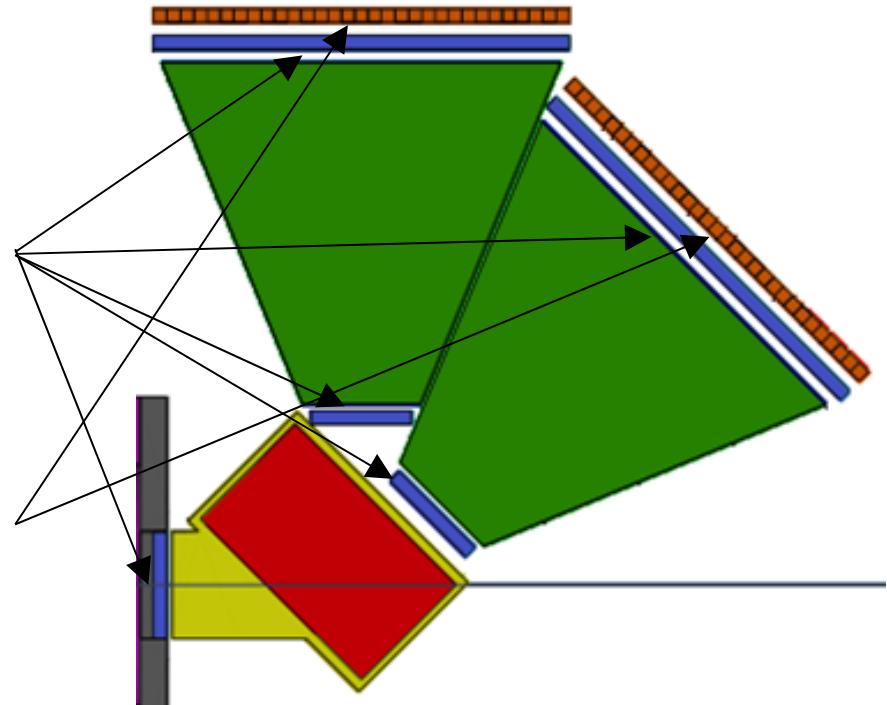
- GEM Simulation
 - E-field is approximated by the finite element method in Garfield++
 - Determination of gain and dispersion for fast TPC simulation

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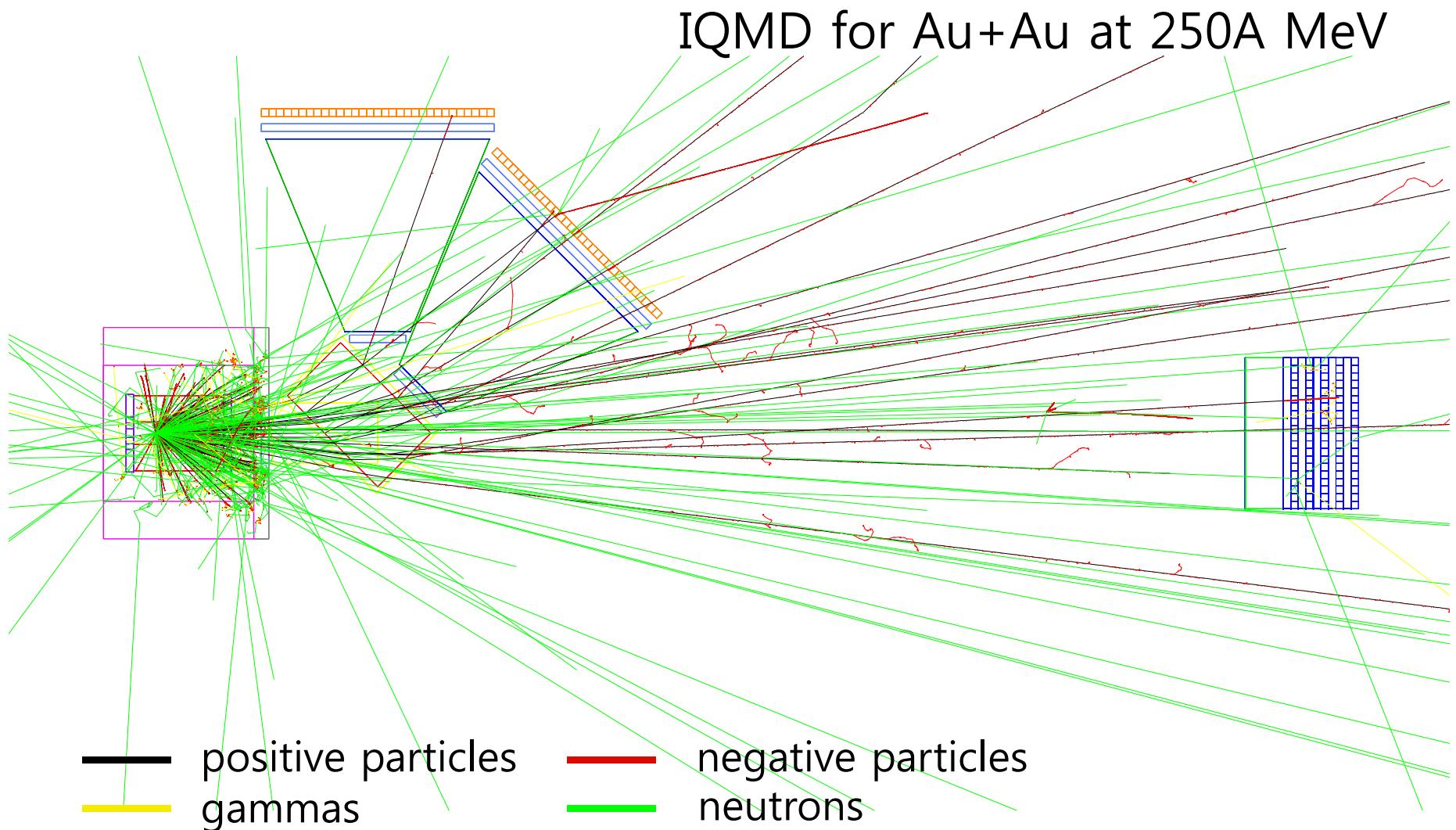


Dipole Spectrometer

- Multiparticle tracking capability
 - Isotopes for p, He, and heavier elements.
- Tracking chambers
 - ≥ 3 drift chamber stations for each arm
- ToF
 - Conventional plastic scintillator detectors
 - $\sigma_t < 100 \text{ ps}$, which is essential for $\Delta p/p < 10^{-3}$ @ $\beta=0.5$



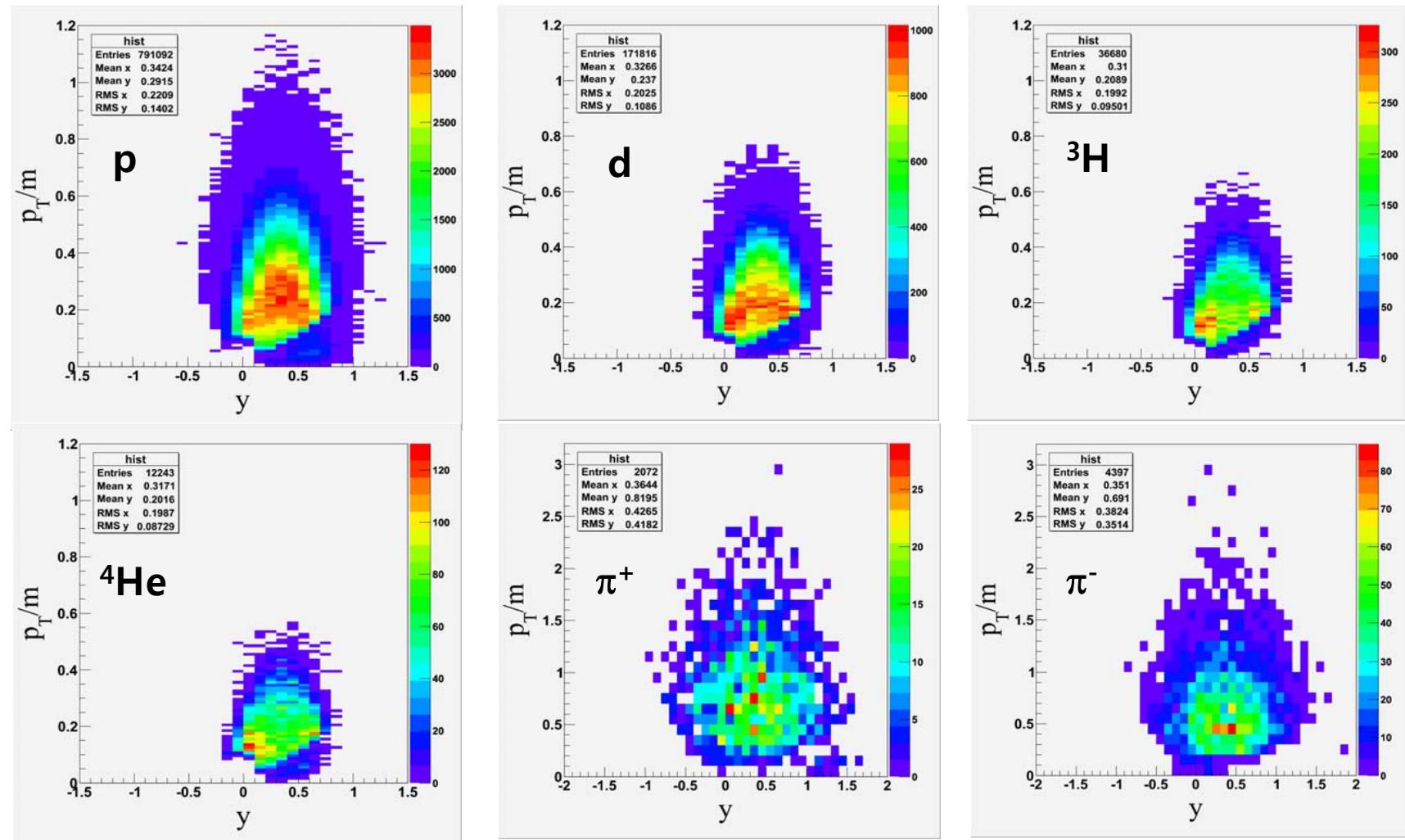
Event Simulation



Acceptance of LAMPS-H

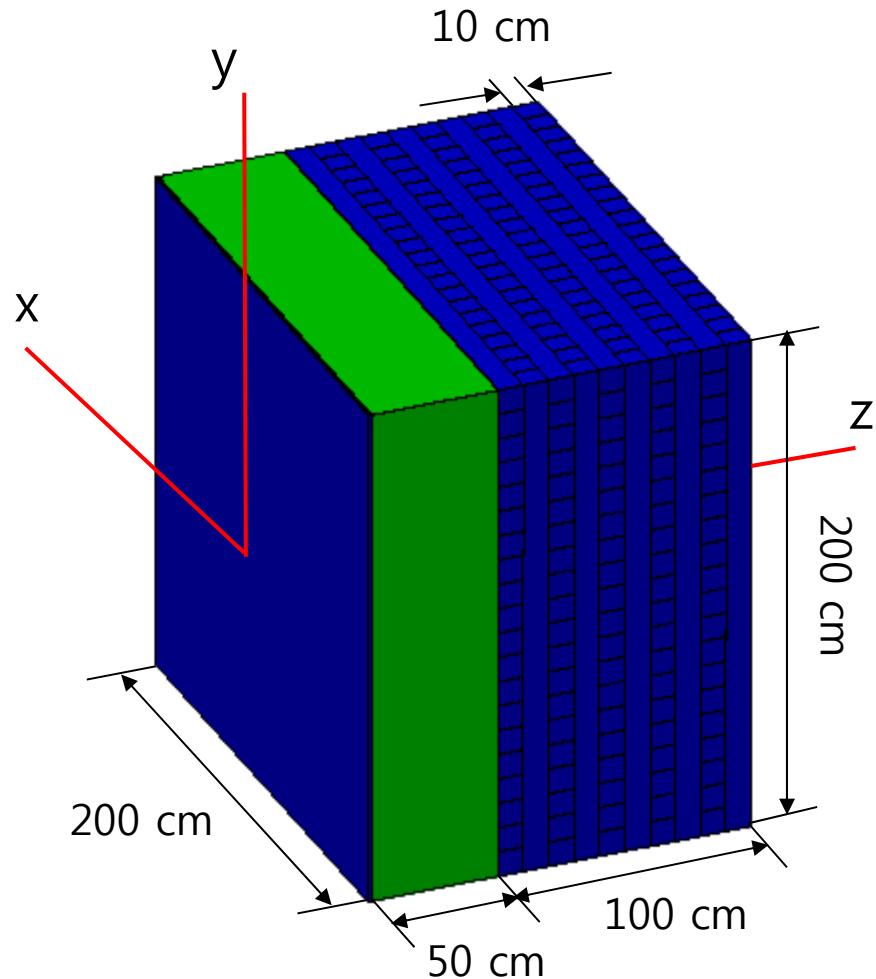
Au+Au @ 250A MeV

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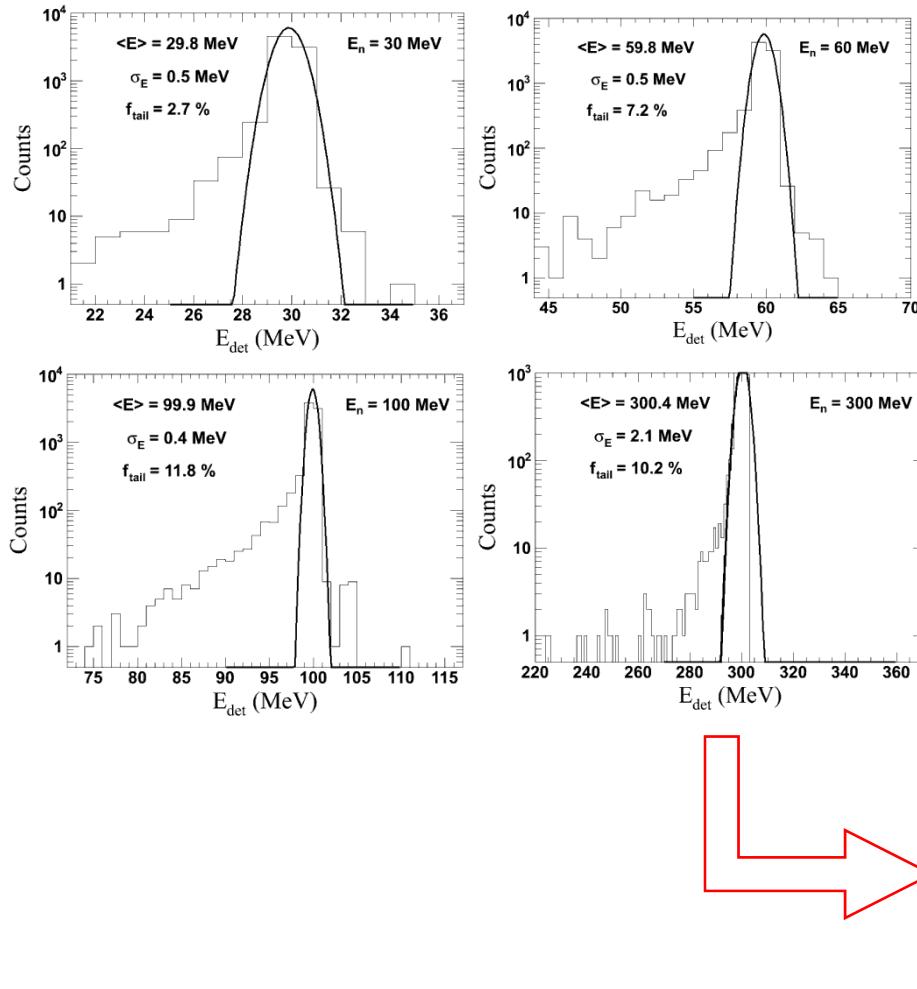
Neutron-Detector Array

- Important to measure neutrons for the nuclear symmetry energy
- Important to measure wide neutron-energy range
- Large veto and neutron detector array are composed of scintillator slats



Simulation: Neutron Detector

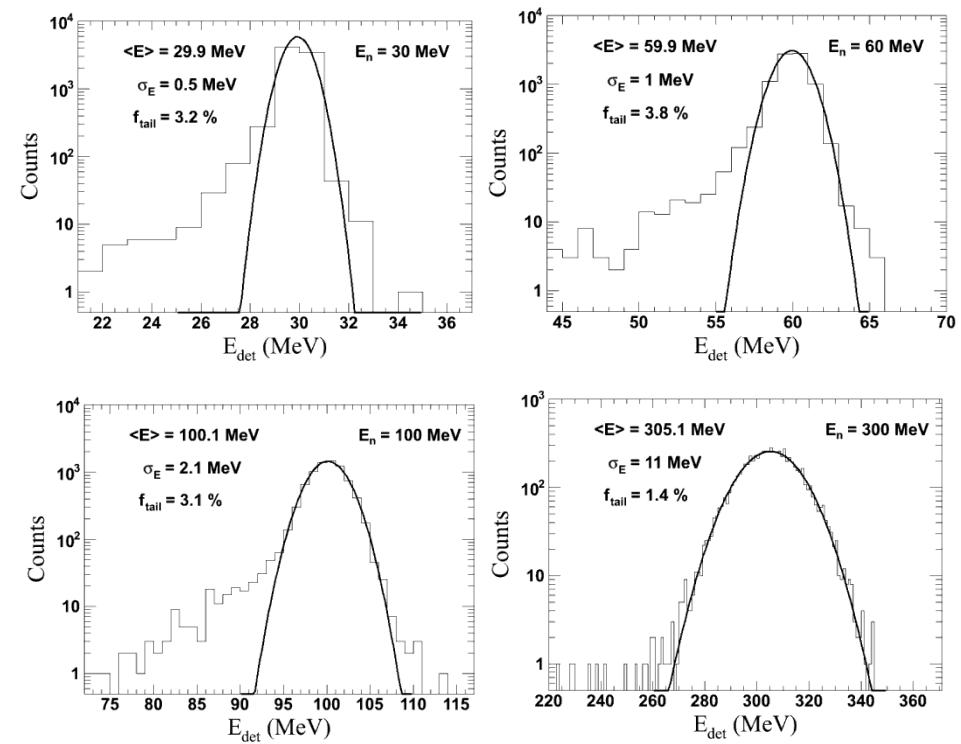
Assuming Perfect Time Resolution



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E_n estimated by ToF

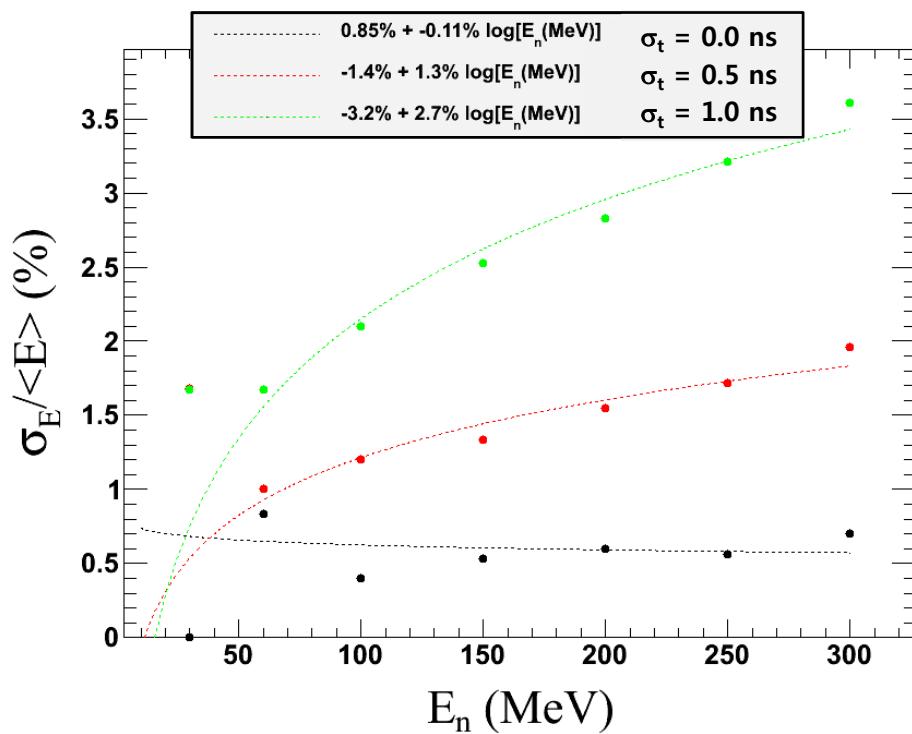
Assuming $\sigma_t = 1.0 \text{ ns}$



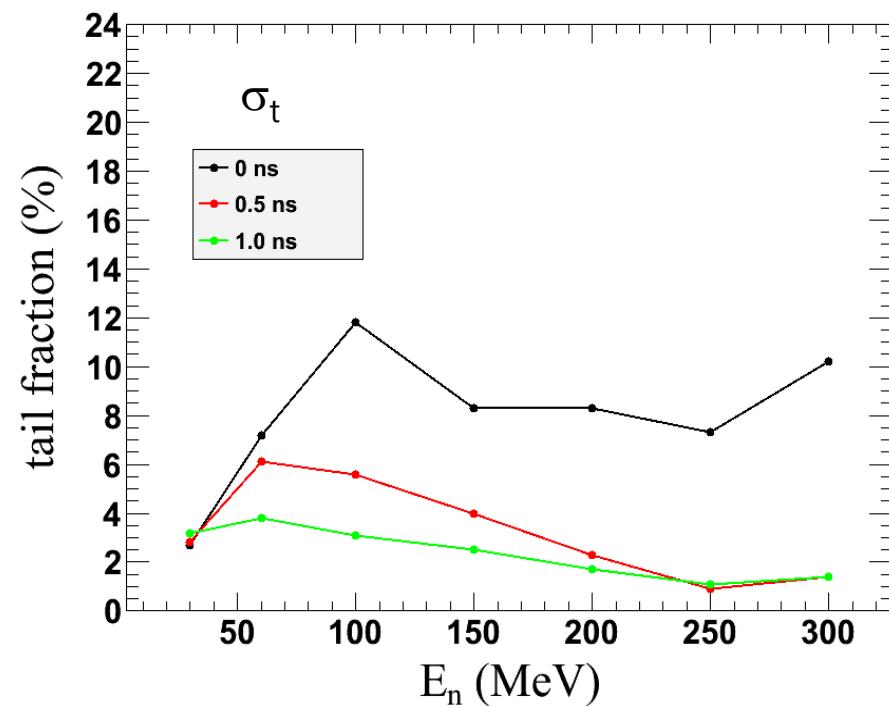
Simulation: Neutron Detector

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Energy Resolutions



Tail Fractions



Summary

1. Future Rare Isotope Accelerator in Korea
 - Plan to deliver more exotic high-current RI beams by combining ISOL and IF technologies
 - Keep the diverse operational modes
2. Symmetry Energy in EoS
 - Crucial to understand the neutron-rich matter & several astrophysical objects
 - Long-standing unsolved problem in nuclear physics
3. Large-Acceptance Multipurpose Spectrometer (LAMPS)
 - Low-energy system: important for day-1 experiment
 - Full high-energy system: combination of solenoid and dipole spectrometers with movable arms
4. We hope you can join us!