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# J-PARC Hadron Facility and Strangeness Nuclear Physics

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**J-PARC Facility  
(KEK/JAEA)**

**South to North**

**Linac**

**3 GeV  
Synchrotron**

**Neutrino Beams  
(to Kamioka)**

**Materials and Life  
Experimental  
Facility**

**50 GeV  
Synchrotron**

**Hadron Exp.  
Facility**

- CY2007 Beams**
- JFY2008 Beams**
- JFY2009 Beams**

Photo in July of 2009

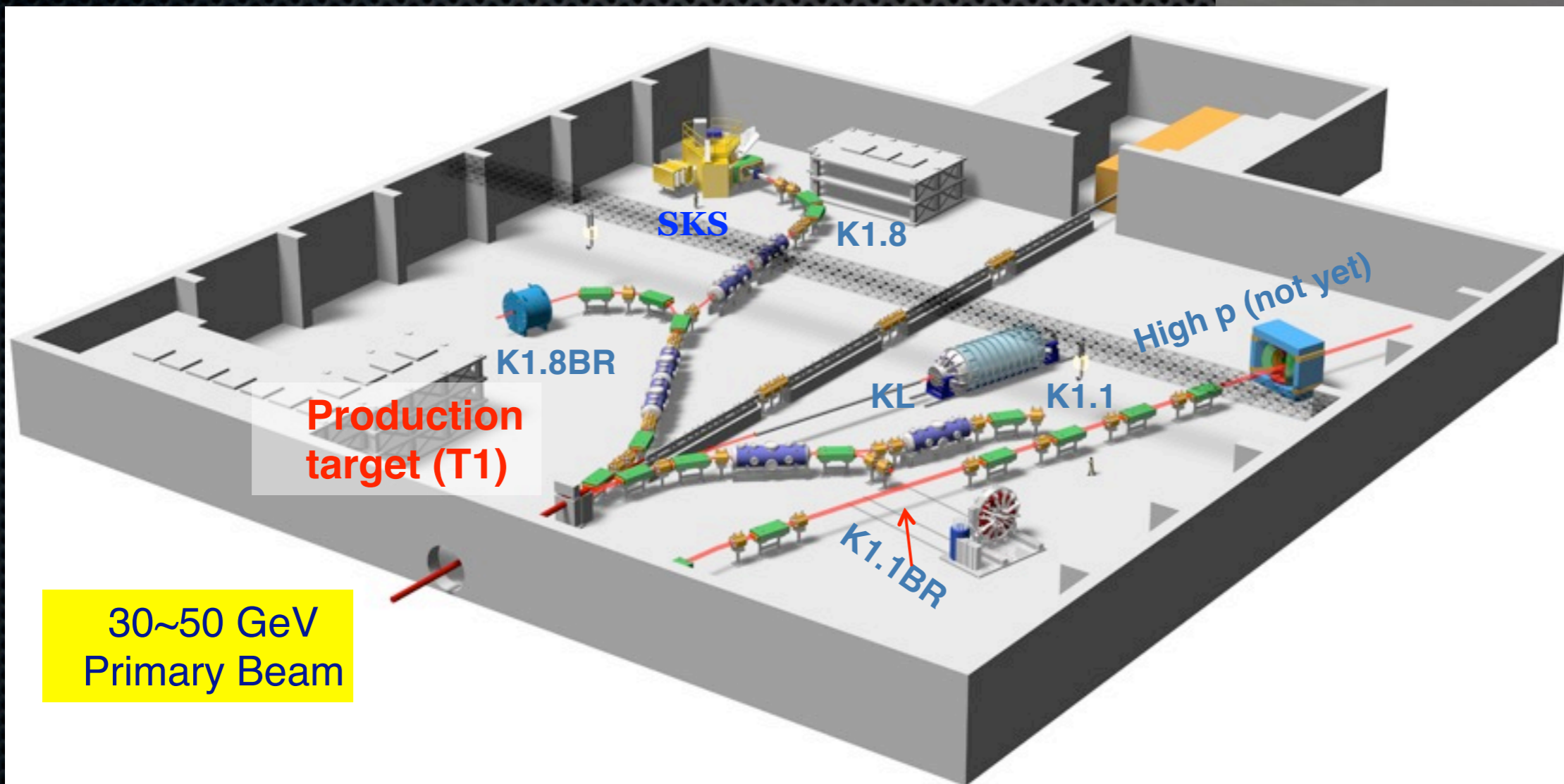
# Hadron Experimental Hall

World highest intensity Kaon beams !

First beam in Feb. 2009



60m x 56m



30~50 GeV  
Primary Beam

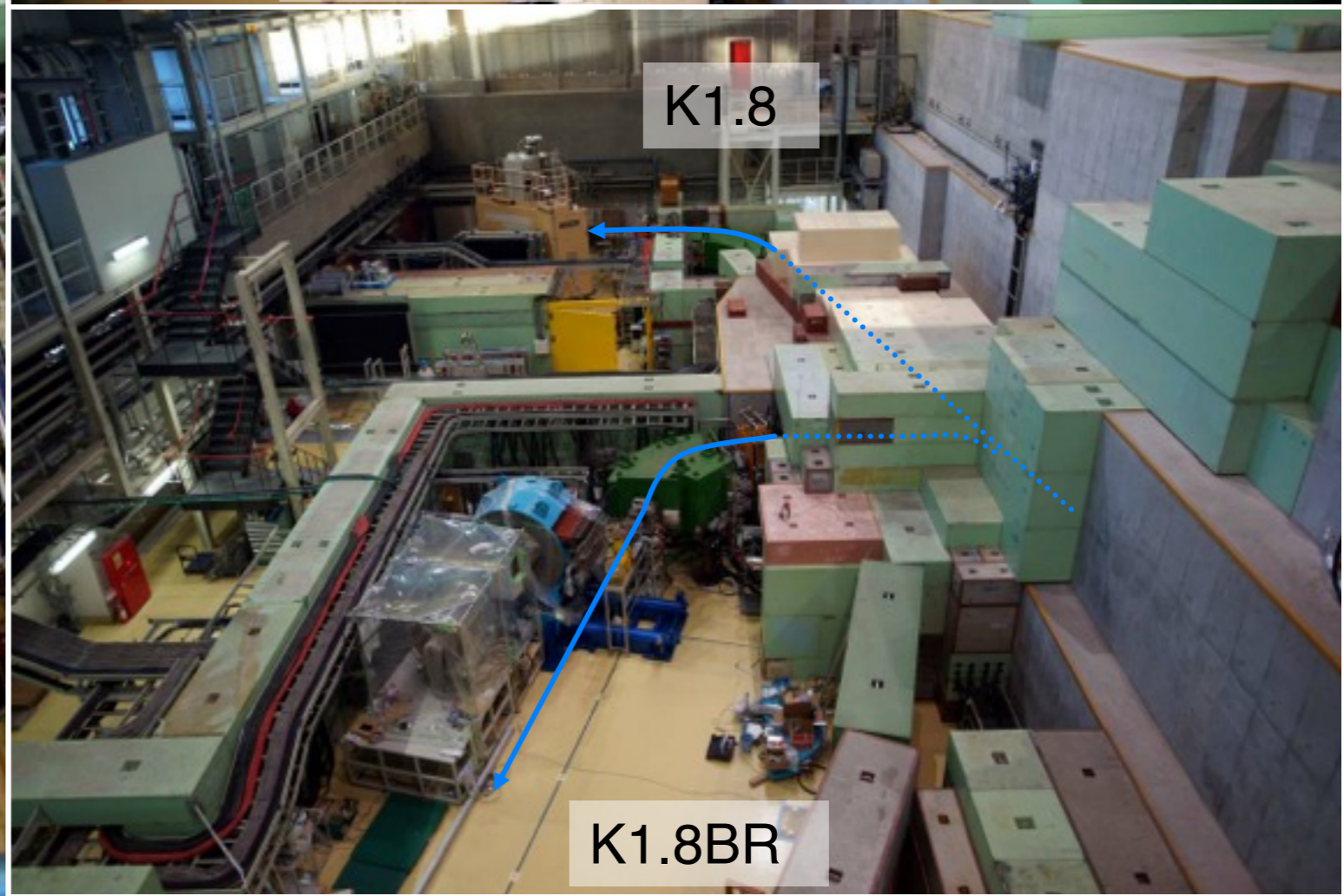
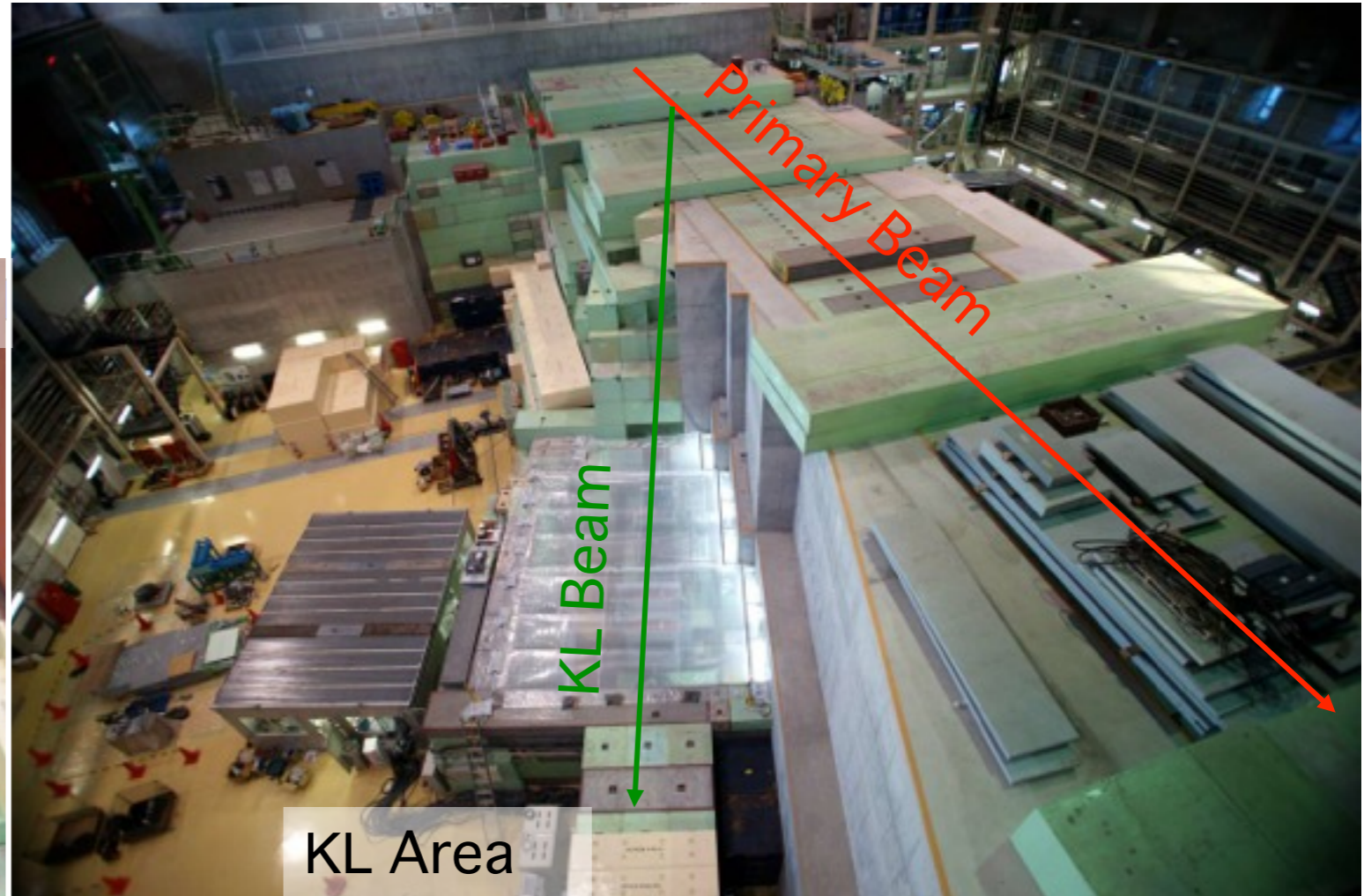
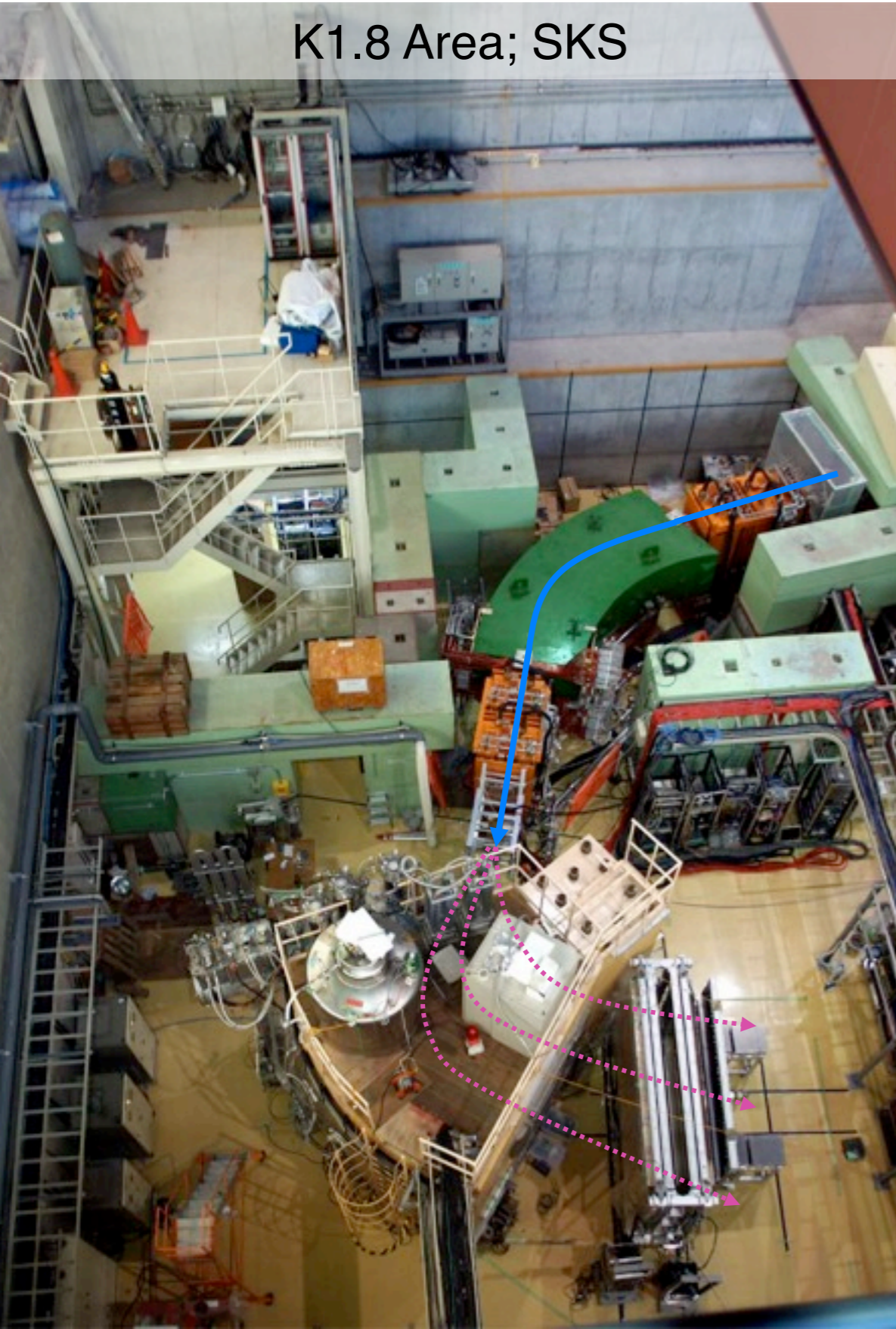
# Hadron Experimental Hall

60m x 56m  
Completed in  
June, 2007



# Hadron Area in the Fall of 2009

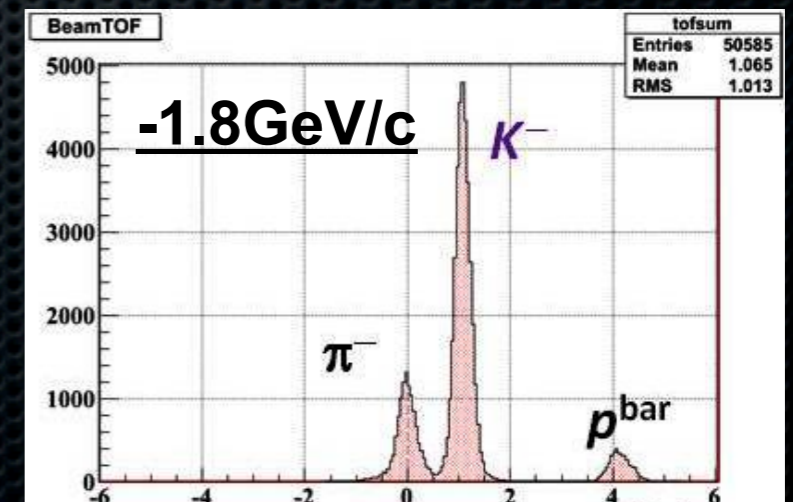
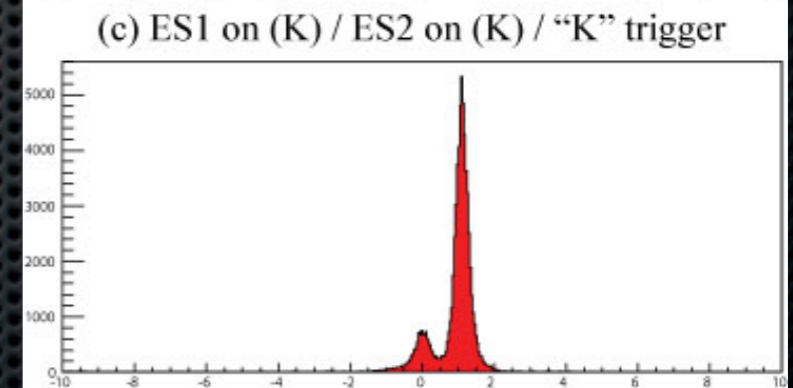
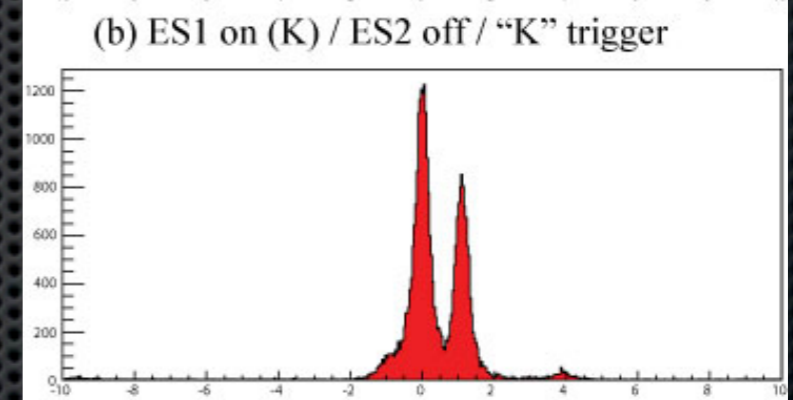
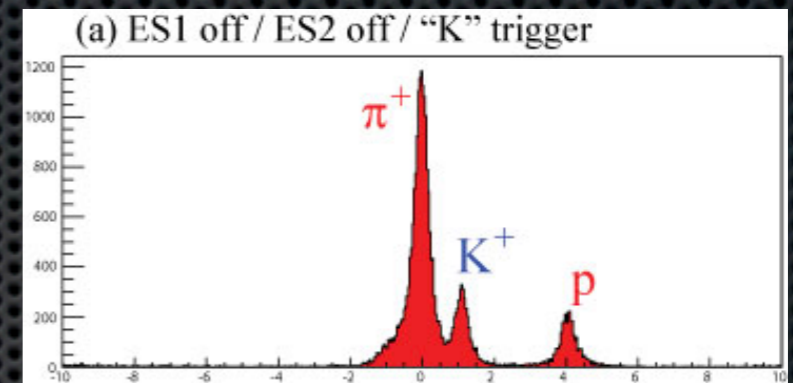
K1.8 Area; SKS



# Beam commissioning at Hadron Hall

In Winter 2009-10 at K1.8

- ✦ Good  $K/\pi$  ratio !!
  - ✦ Double-stage Electro-Static separator system works well.
- ✦ Beam intensity and time structure should be improved.
  - ✦ 3 - 5 kW on target
  - ✦ ~30% instantaneous duty



# Successful data taking of E19 in Oct. - Nov. 2010

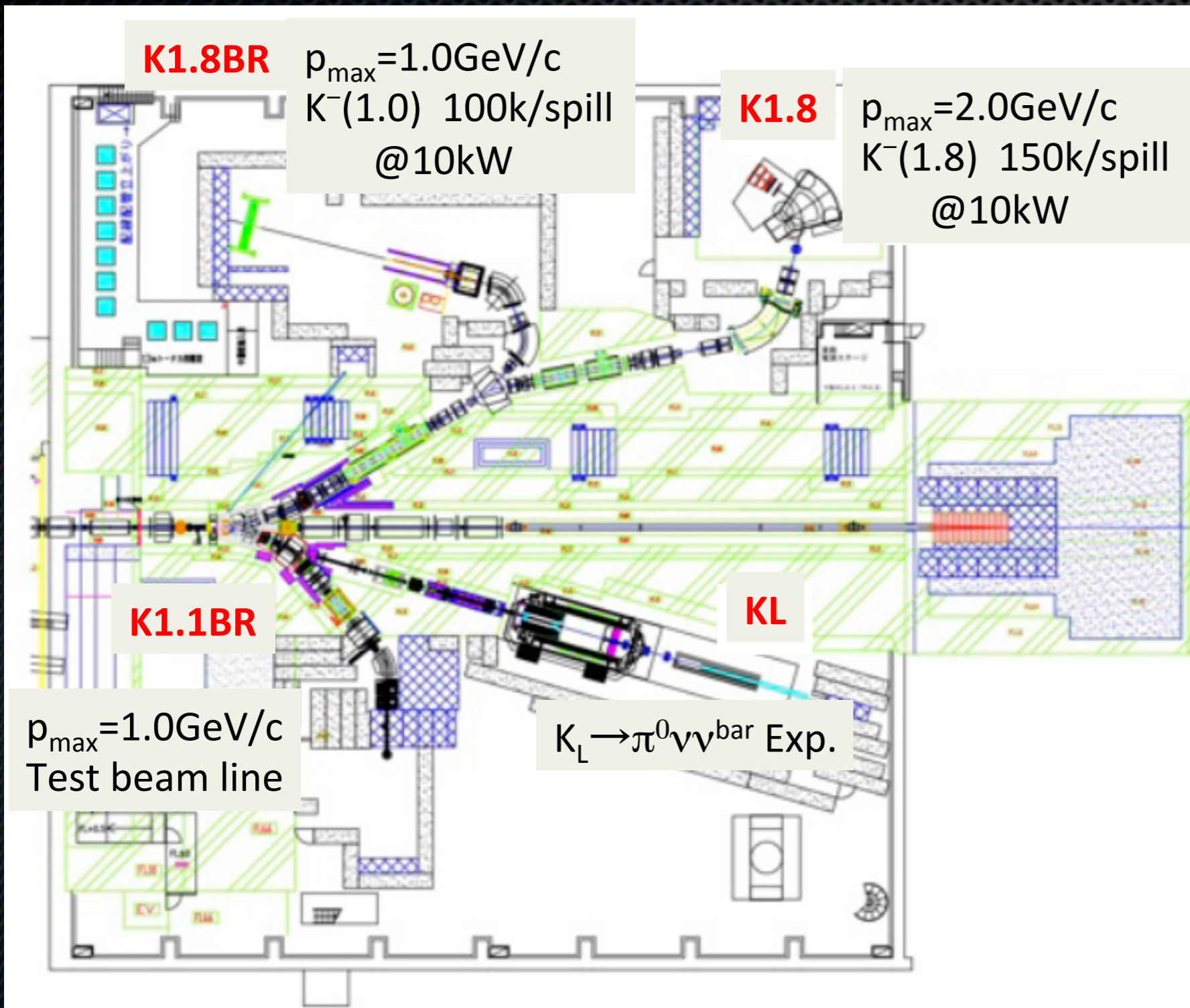
*using pion beam*

~272 hours

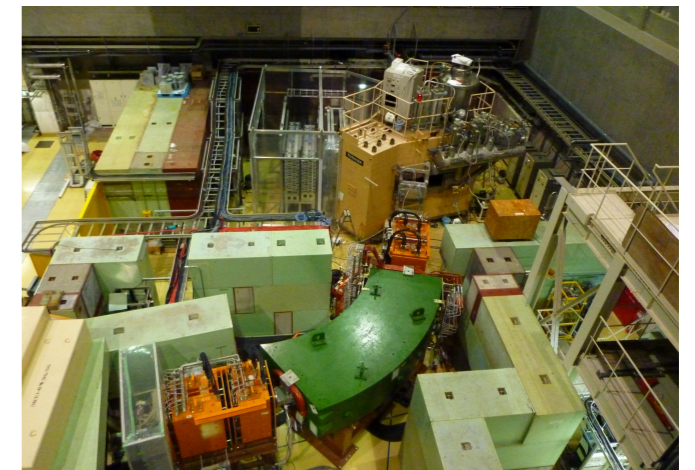


- ~40 people from KEK, Kyoto, Tohoku, Tokyo, Nara WU, Osaka, JAEA, UNM, INFN, Torino, Seoul, ITEP, JINR

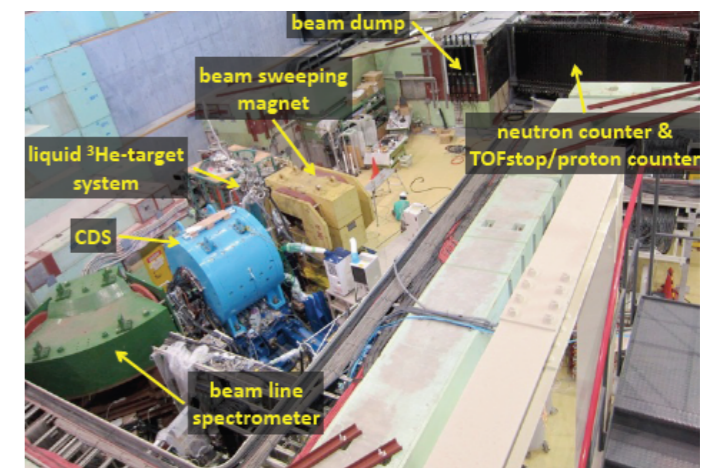
# Hadron Hall in 2013



**K1.8 & SKS**



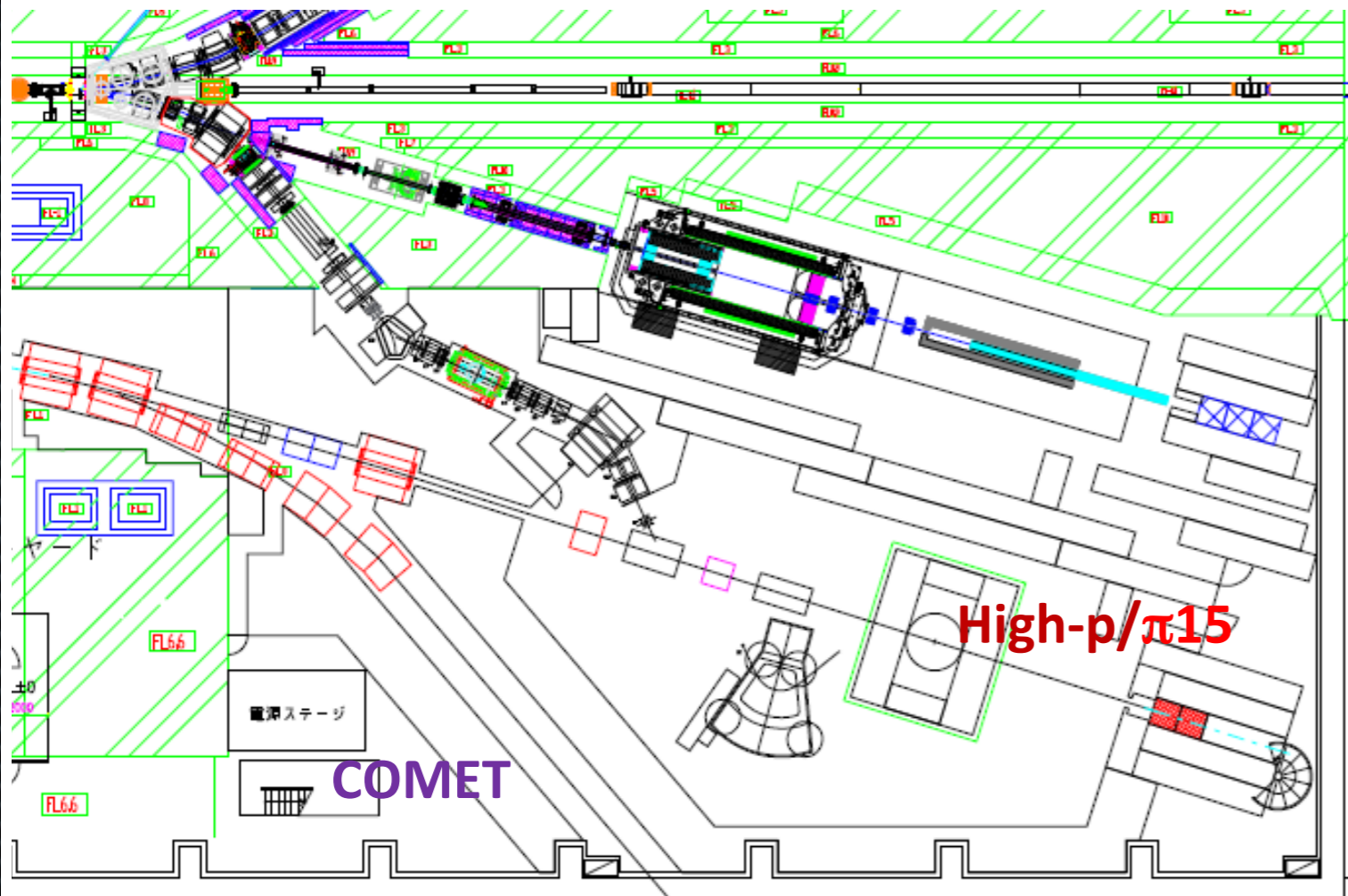
**K1.8BR & CDS, nTOF**



# New beam lines

*KEK is requesting to construct new primary beam lines in the south area with the highest priority.*

In the earliest case, beam lines will be constructed during 2013—2015.



Experiments at K1.1 can be carried out from Feb. 2014 to **June 2015** before the construction.

Experiments at K1.1 and High-p/ $\pi$ 15 can be carried out alternatively after the construction, by switching the setup annually or bi-annually.

8-GeV primary beam  
for COMET exp.

primary p beam —30GeV  
secondary (un-separated) beam —15GeV/c

# Future Extension

High-resolution ( $\sim 100\text{keV}$ )  
spectroscopy of  $\Lambda$  hypernuclei  
by the  $(\pi^\pm, K^+)$  reactions

*medium-/heavy-  $\Lambda$  hypernuclei*  
*neutron-rich  $\Lambda$  hypernuclei*

## HIHR

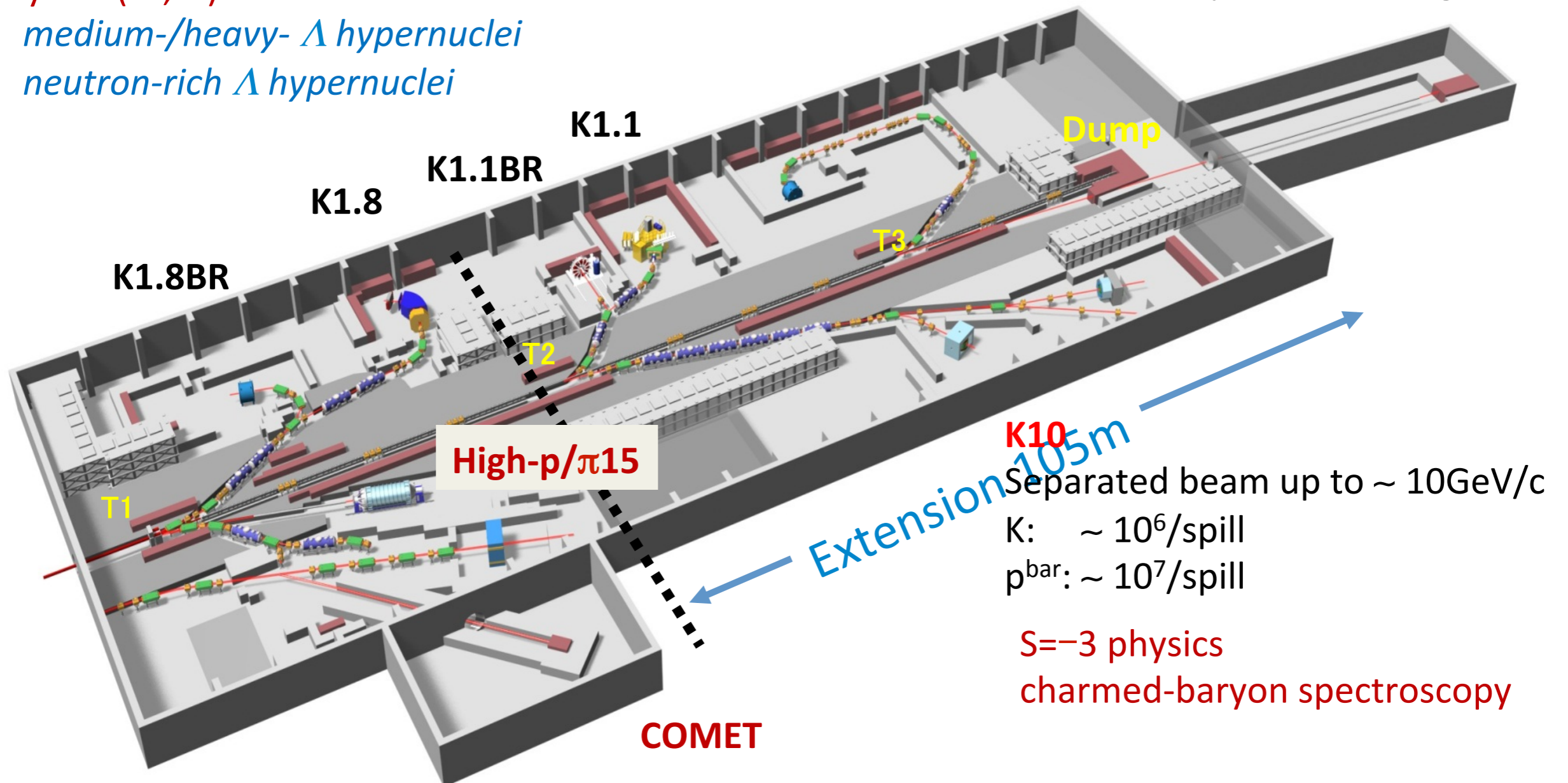
$\pi$  beam up to  $2\text{GeV}/c$

High-intensity  $\sim 10^9/\text{spill}$

High-resolution  $\Delta p/p \sim 10^{-5}$

## KL

$5^\circ$  production angle



## K10

Separated beam up to  $\sim 10\text{GeV}/c$

K:  $\sim 10^6/\text{spill}$

$p^{\text{bar}}$ :  $\sim 10^7/\text{spill}$

$S=-3$  physics

charmed-baryon spectroscopy

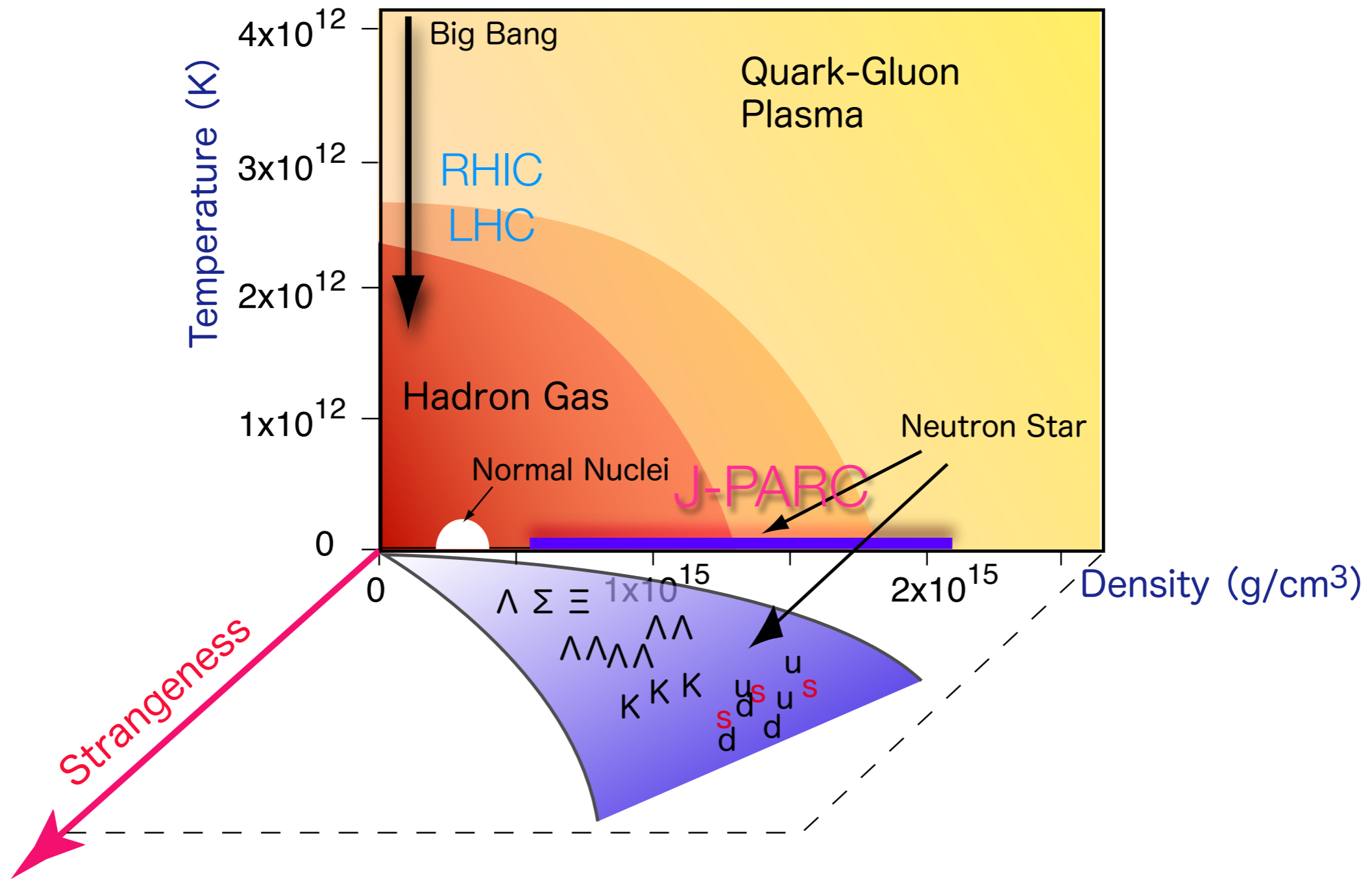


# SNP Program at J-PARC

# World Facilities in the 21st Century



# Role of strangeness in dense matter



# SNP Program Schedule

- ✦ 2010: Oct.-Nov.
  - ✦ E19: Penta-quark search in  $\pi^-p \rightarrow K^-X$  at 1.92 GeV/c
    - ✦ *First physics data taking in Hadron Hall*
- ✦ 2012: Feb. , *after the Earthquake*
  - ✦ E19:  $\pi^-p \rightarrow K^-X$  at 2 GeV/c
- ✦ 2012: June
  - ✦ E27:  $d(\pi^+, K^+)$  for  $K^-pp$  , *a pilot run*      5 kW / 270 kW

# SNP Program Schedule

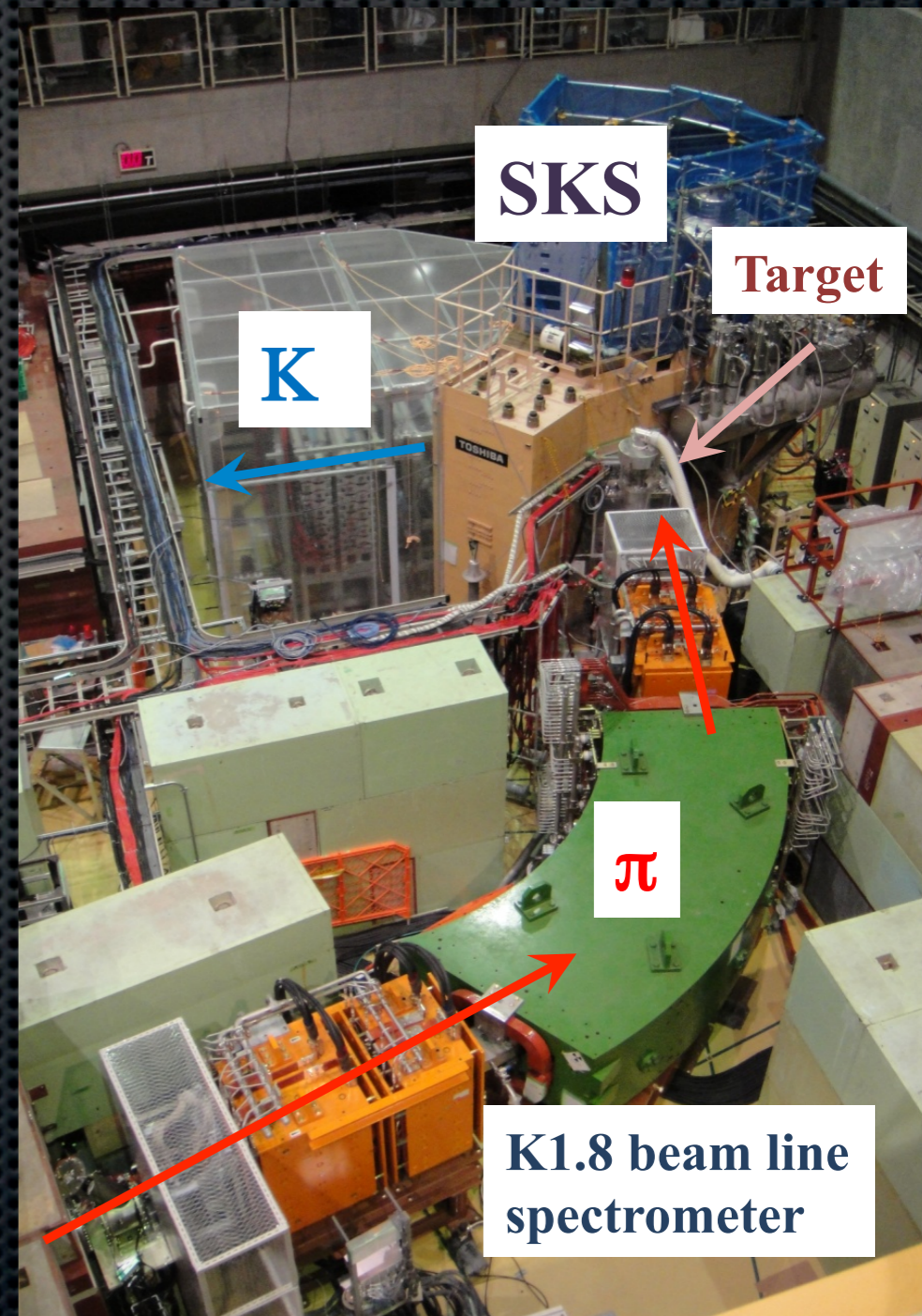
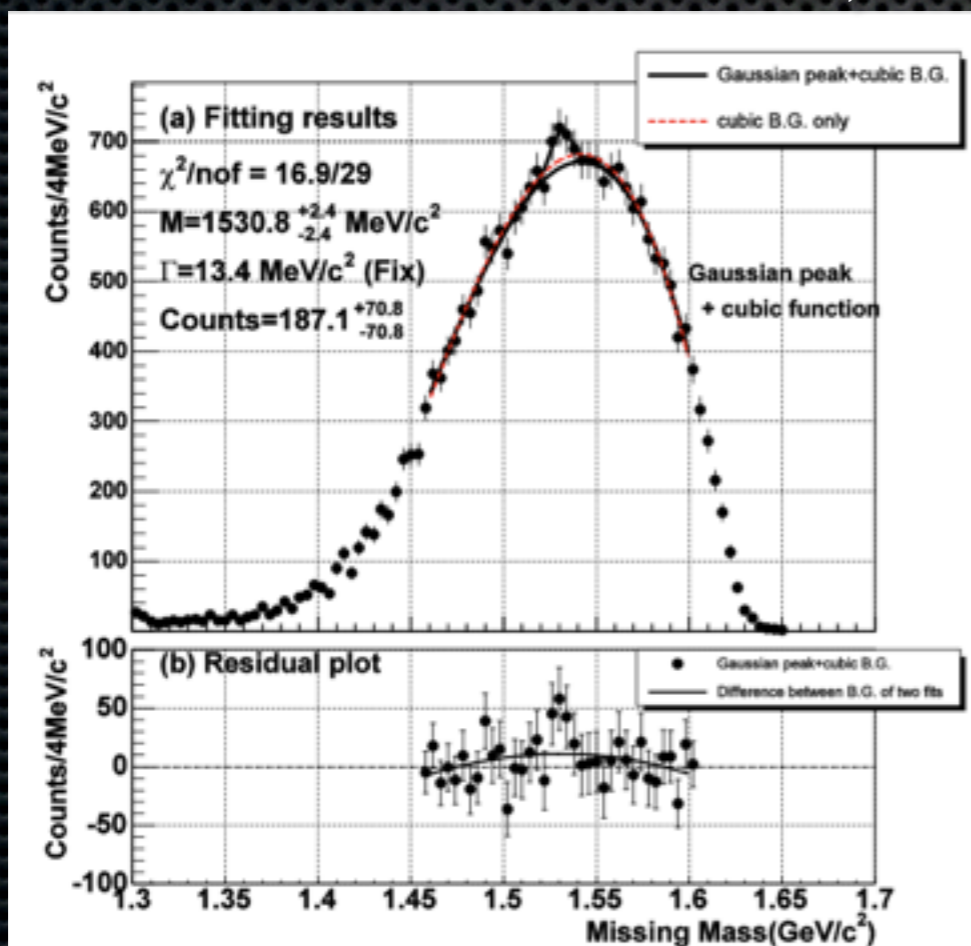
- ✦ In near future...
- ✦ 2012: Dec. 10 kW
  - ✦ E10:  $(\pi^-, K^+)^6_{\Lambda}H$
- ✦ 2013: March - June > 10 kW
  - ✦ E15:  ${}^3\text{He}(K^-, n)$  for  $K^-pp$
  - ✦ E13: Hypernuclear  $\gamma$ -ray spectroscopy;  ${}^4_{\Lambda}\text{He}$ ,  ${}^{19}_{\Lambda}\text{F}$
  - ✦ E05:  $\Xi$  hypernuclei;  ${}^{12}\text{C}(K^-, K^+)$

# High-resolution search for $\Theta^+$ in

## $\pi^- p \rightarrow K^- X$ reaction: E19 M. Naruki et al.

- $\pi^- p \rightarrow K^- \Theta^+$  at 1.92 GeV/c
- SKS Spectrometer at K1.8
  - $\Delta E = 13.4$  MeV  $\rightarrow$  1.4 MeV

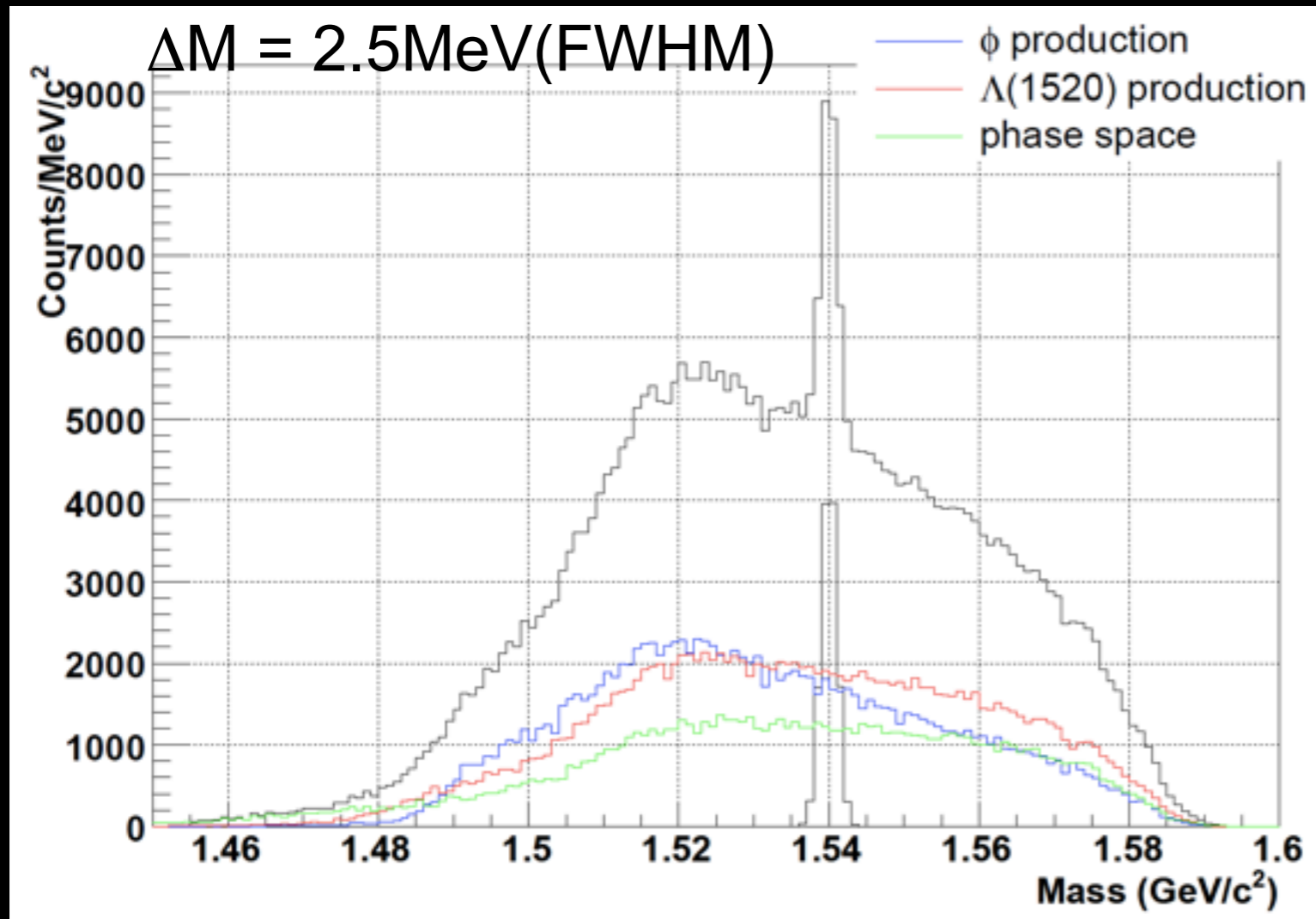
KEK PS E522: K. Miwa et al., PLB635 (2006) 72.



S/N = 2.5  $\sigma$   
 $d\sigma/d\Omega = 1.9 \mu\text{b}/\text{sr}$ , if true.

# Expected Missing Mass Spectrum

assuming  $d\sigma/d\Omega = 1.9\mu\text{b/sr}$  (lab)



we aim to;

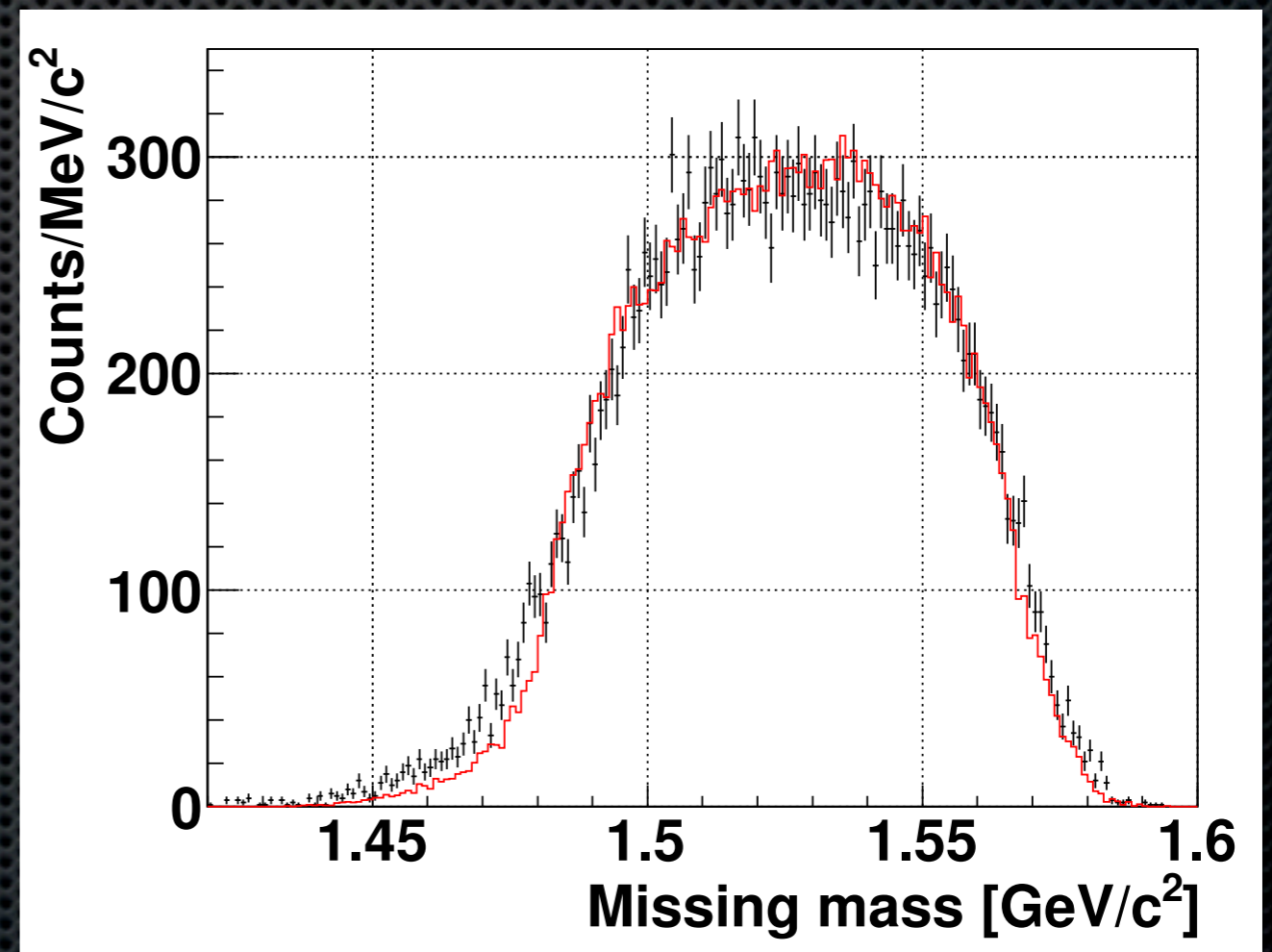
- confirm  $\Theta^+$  with high statistics
- study momentum dependence of cross section

Background sources

$\phi$	$\phi n \rightarrow K^+K^-n$	$30.0 \pm 8.0 \mu\text{b}$
$\Lambda$	$\Lambda(1520)K^0 \rightarrow K^-K^0p$	$20.8 \pm 5.0 \mu\text{b}$
phase space	$K^-KN$	$26 \mu\text{b}$

# Result of the 1st run

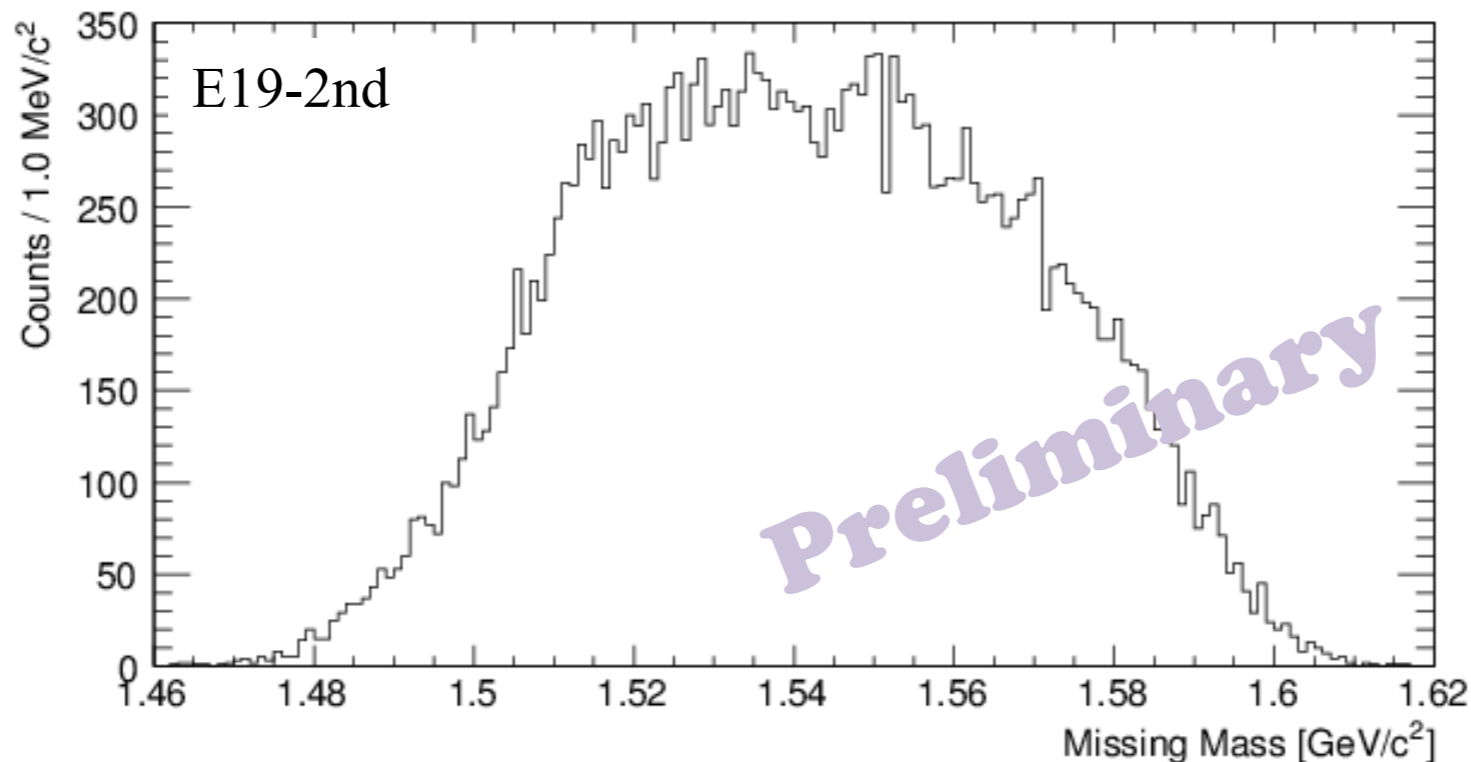
- ✦  $\pi^- p \rightarrow K^- X$  at 1.92 GeV/c
- ✦  $7.8 \times 10^{10}$   $\pi^-$  in total
- ✦  $\Delta E = 1.4$  MeV <sub>FWHM</sub>
- ✦ No prominent peak structure !
- ✦ 2nd data taking at 2 GeV/c completed.



K. Shirotori et al., PRL 109 (2012) 132002.

# Preliminary result of E19-2nd run

Missing Mass :  $p(\pi^-, K^-)X$  @  $p_\pi = 2.0$  GeV/c

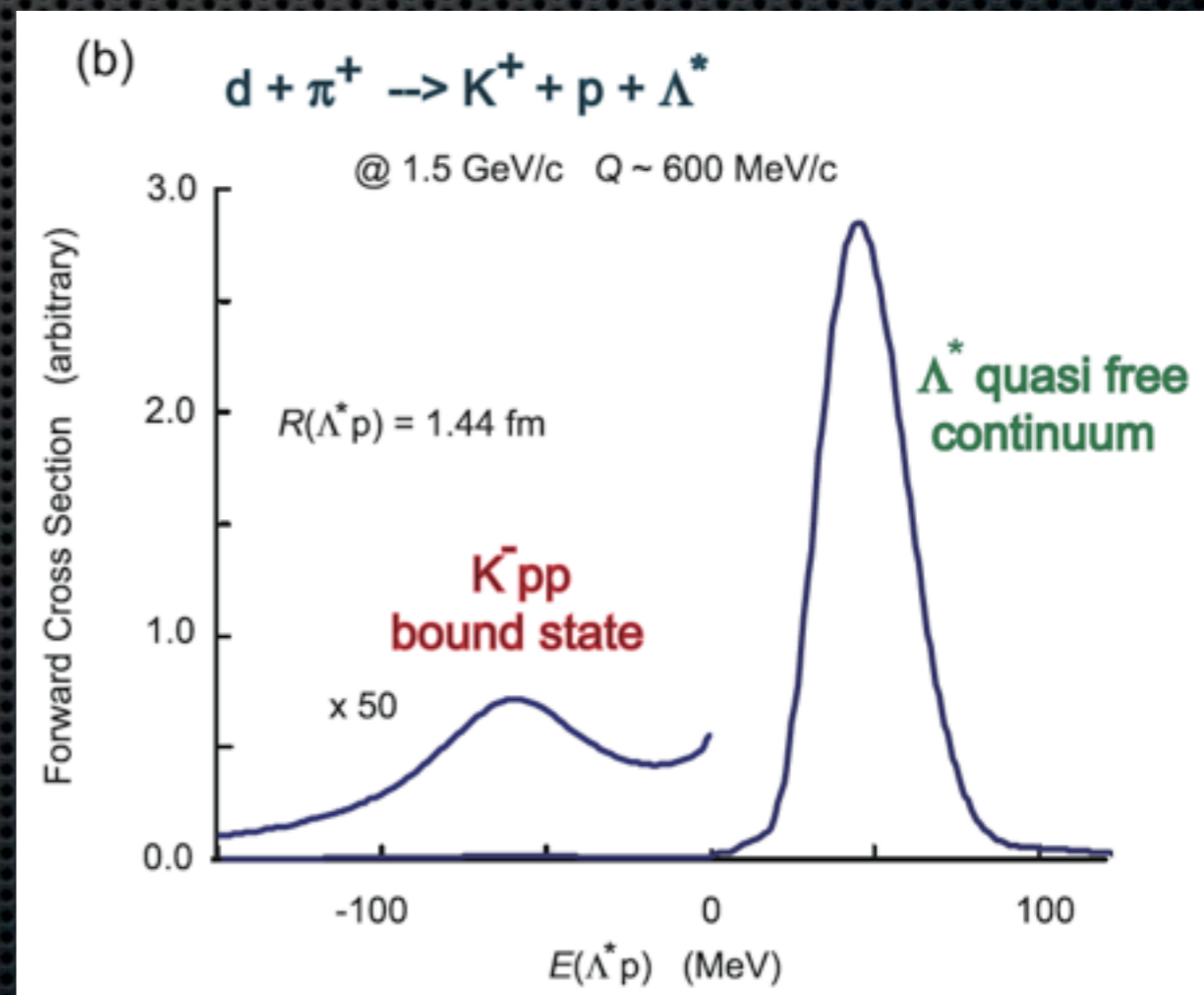
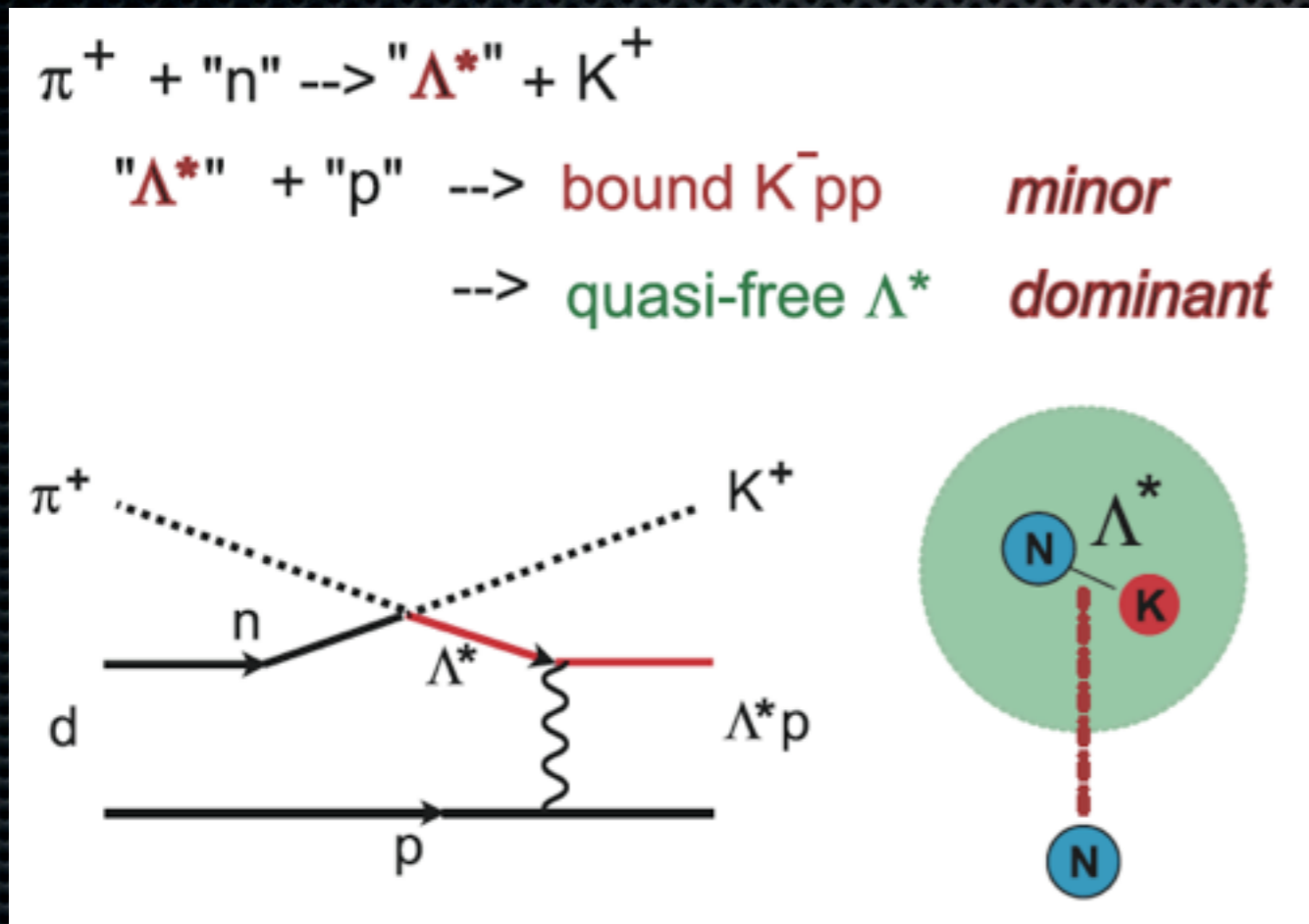


- Analysis parameters were not finally tuned yet.
- No clear peak structure was observed.
- Efficiency evaluation is on-going.
- Tentative expected sensitivity  $\sim 0.3 \mu\text{b}/\text{sr}$ .

# Search for $K^-pp$ in the $d(\pi^+, K^+)$ reaction

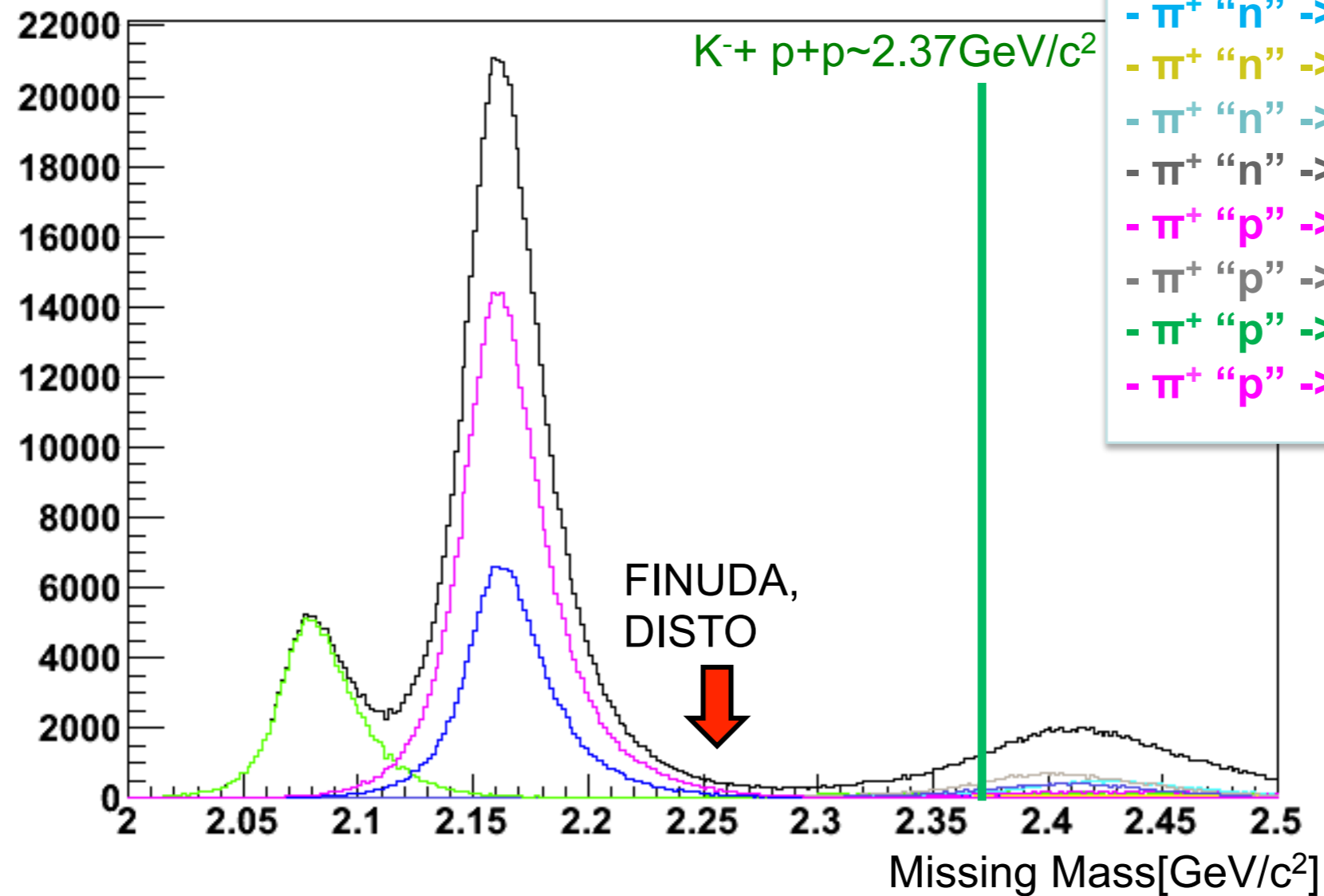
E27

T. Nagae et al.



# Expected inclusive spectrum

## Simulation

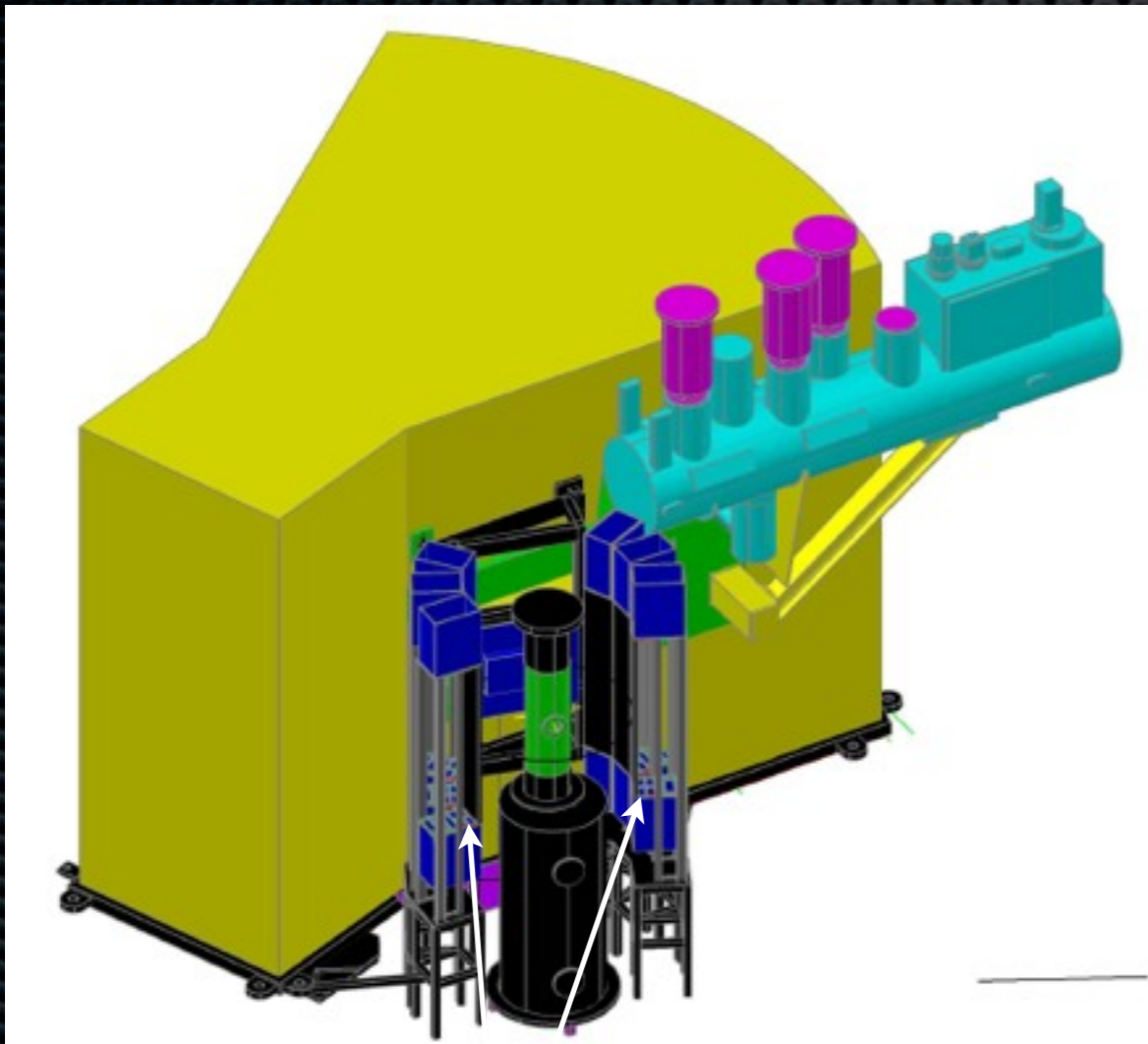


- $\pi^+$ "n" $\rightarrow \Sigma^0 K^+$	120.6 $\mu\text{b}$
- $\pi^+$ "n" $\rightarrow \Lambda K^+$	174.7 $\mu\text{b}$
- $\pi^+$ "n" $\rightarrow \Lambda(1405) K^+$	20.6 $\mu\text{b}$
- $\pi^+$ "n" $\rightarrow \Sigma\pi K^+$	40 $\mu\text{b}$
- $\pi^+$ "n" $\rightarrow \Sigma^0(1385)K^+$	76.7 $\mu\text{b}$
- $\pi^+$ "n" $\rightarrow \Lambda\pi K^+$	13.7 $\mu\text{b}$
- $\pi^+$ "p" $\rightarrow \Sigma^+ K^+$	470 $\mu\text{b}$
- $\pi^+$ "p" $\rightarrow \Sigma^+(1385)K^+$	124 $\mu\text{b}$
- $\pi^+$ "p" $\rightarrow \Lambda\pi K^+$	40 $\mu\text{b}$
- $\pi^+$ "p" $\rightarrow \Sigma\pi K^+$	28.9 $\mu\text{b}$

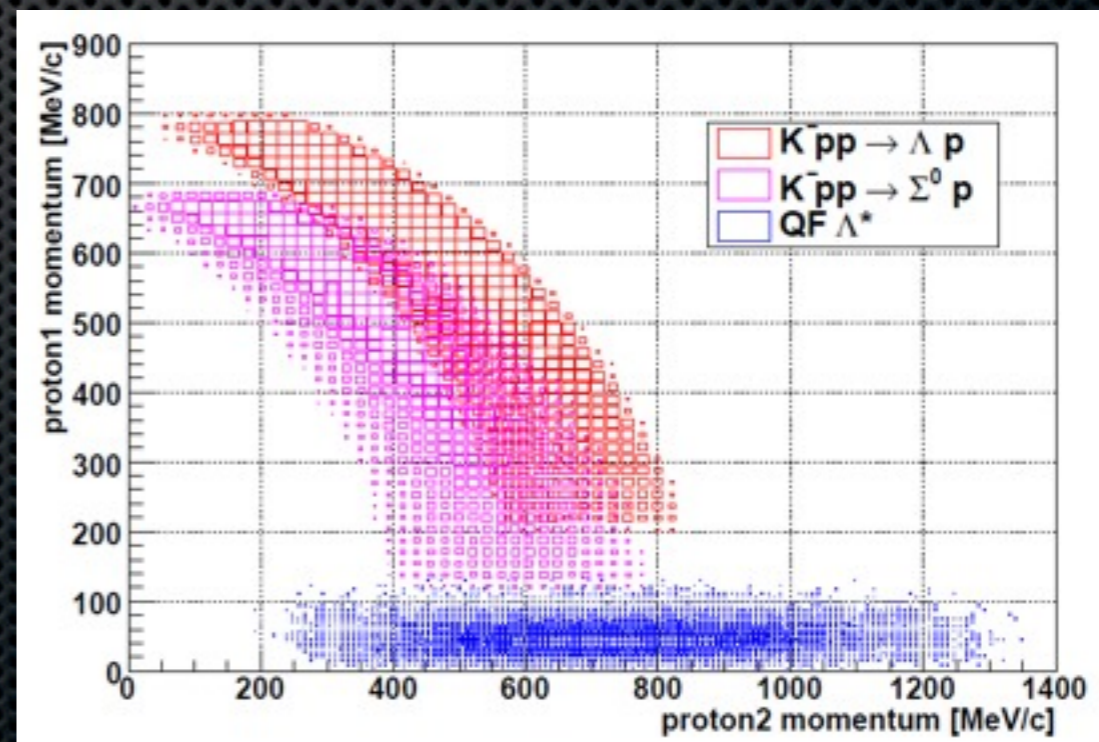
# Proton tagging

## ✦ Quasifree backgrounds

- $\pi^+d \rightarrow \Lambda + K^+ + p_s$
- $\rightarrow \Sigma^0 + K^+ + p_s$
- $\rightarrow \Sigma^+ + K^+ + n_s$
- $\pi^+d \rightarrow \Lambda + \pi + K^+ + N_s$
- $\rightarrow \Sigma + \pi + K^+ + N_s$

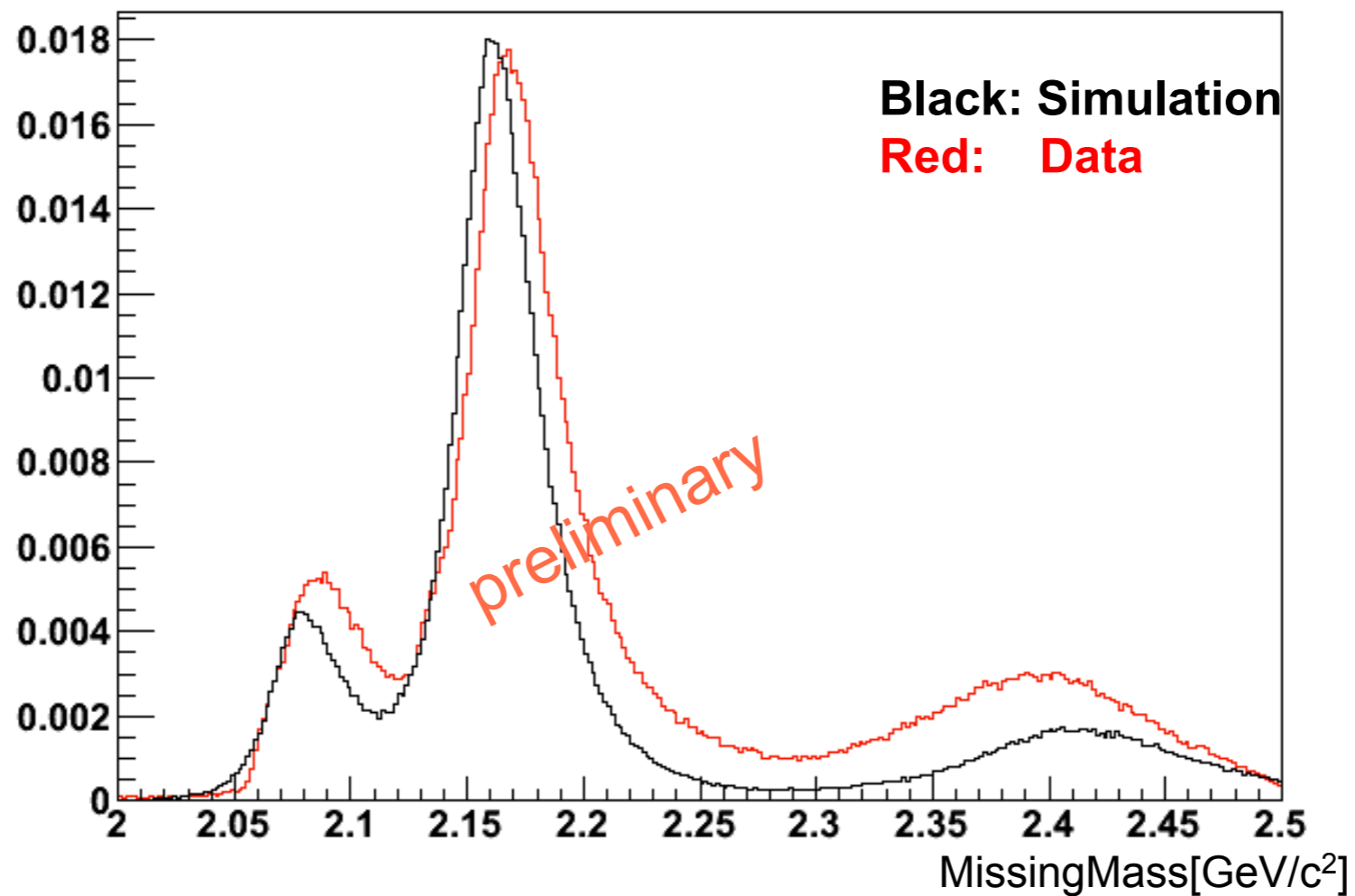


Range Counters



# $d(\pi^+, K^+)$ at 1.7 GeV/c

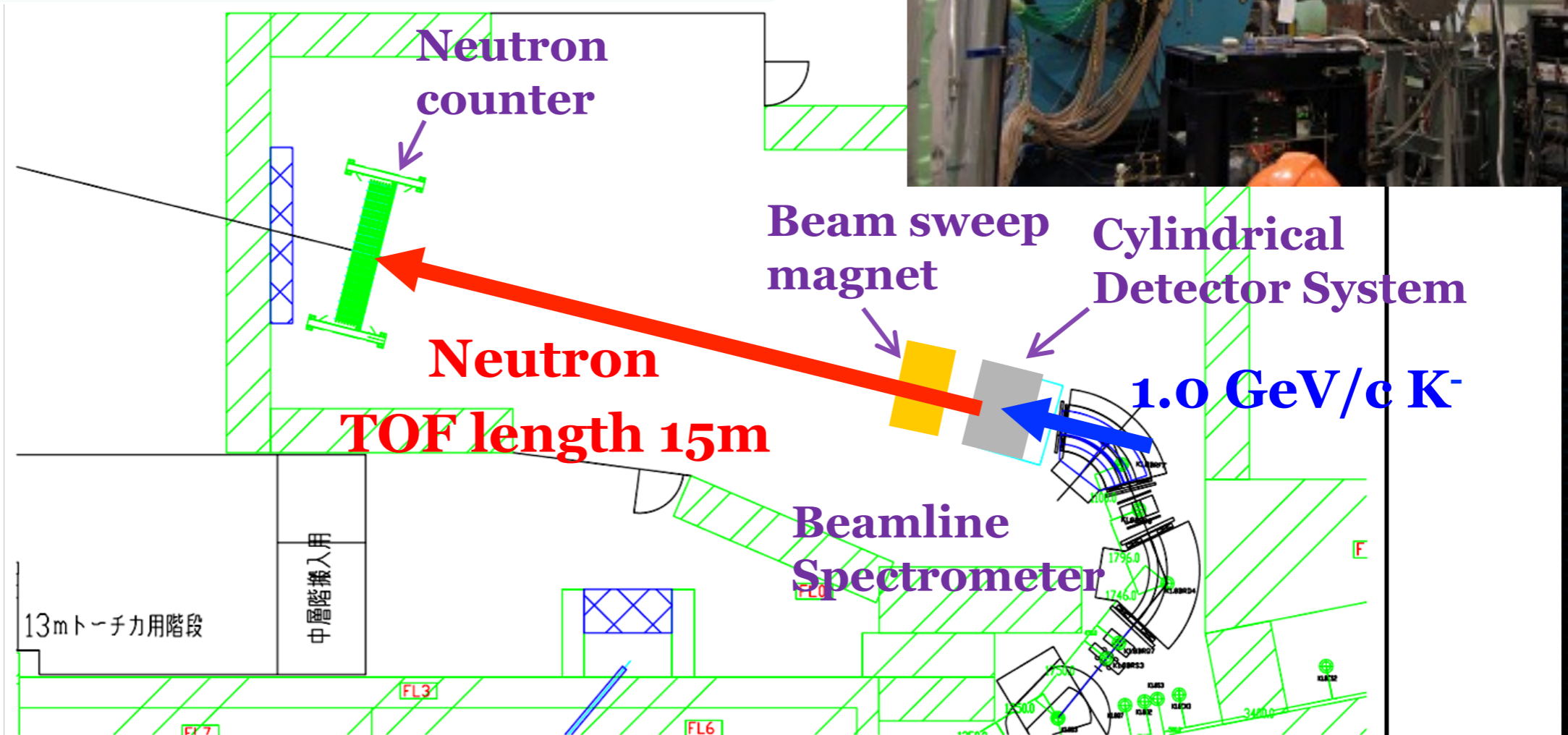
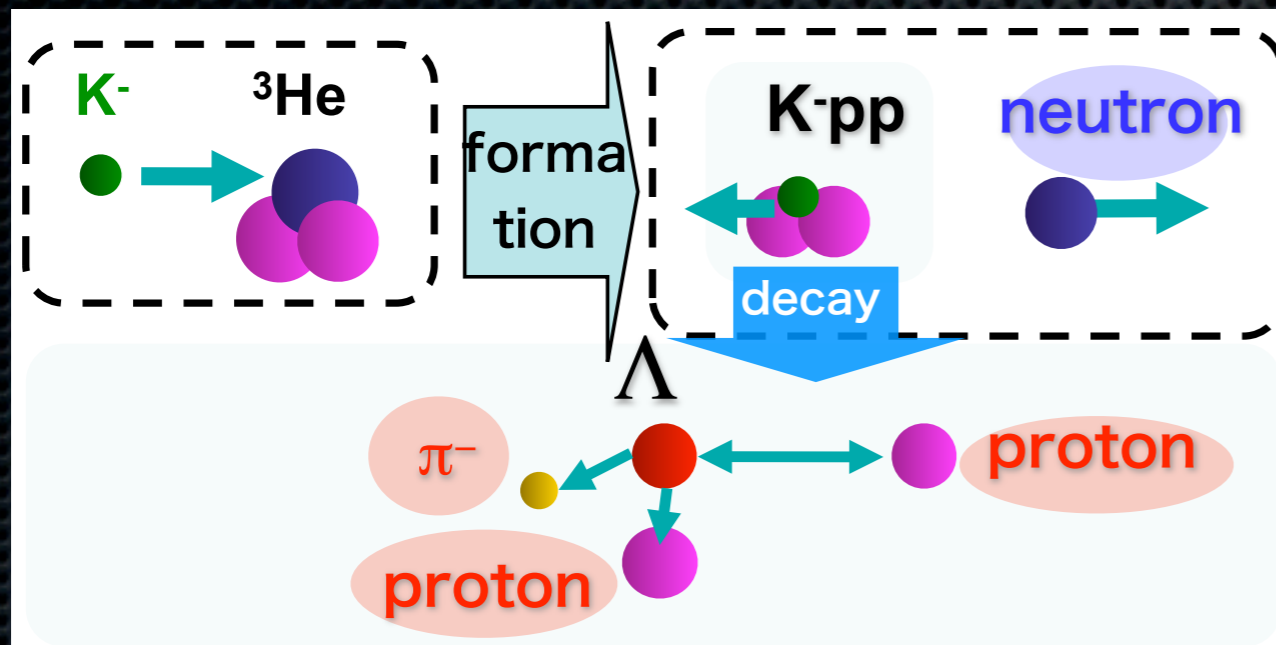
- Inclusive  $d(\pi^+, K^+)$  spectrum



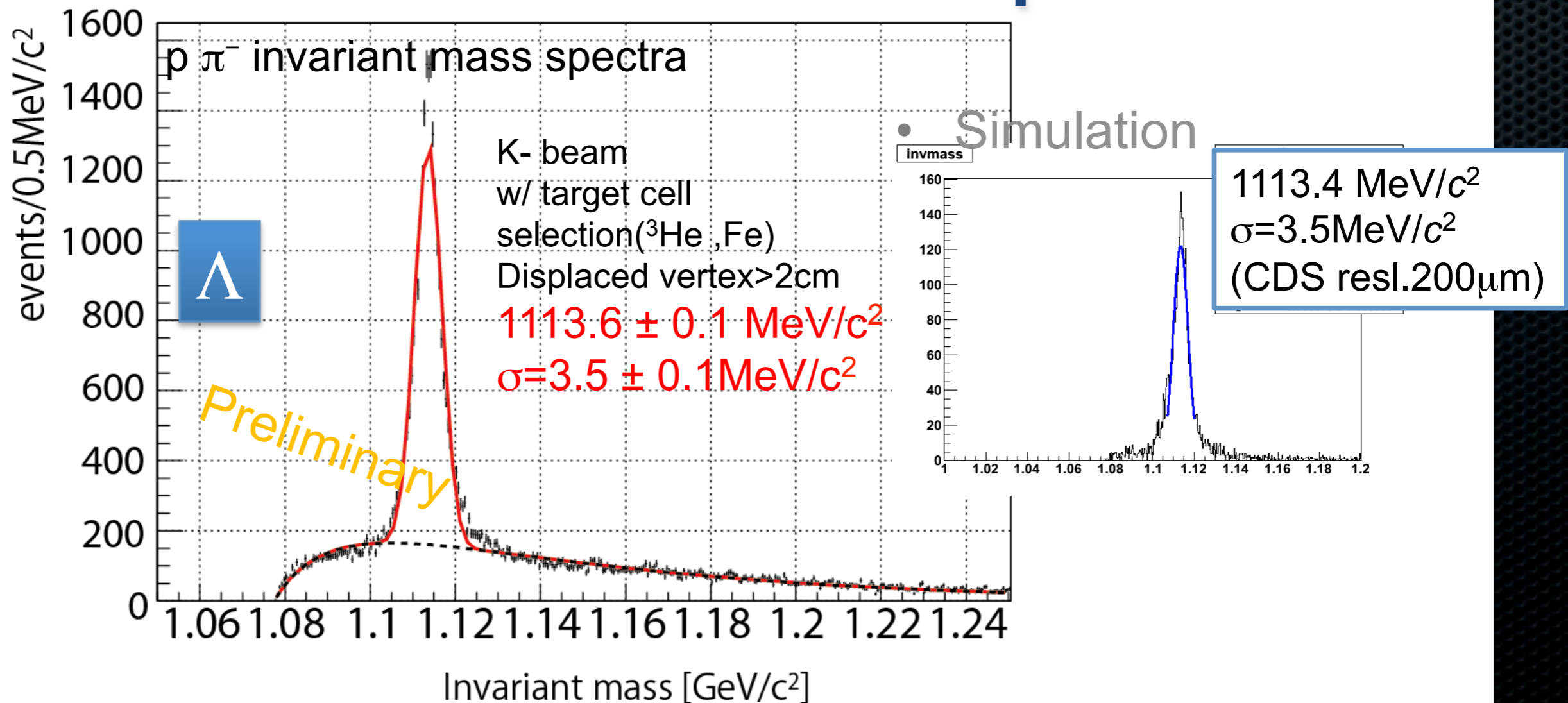
# A Search for deeply-bound kaonic nuclear states by in-flight ${}^3\text{He}(K^-,n)$ reaction at 1 GeV/c

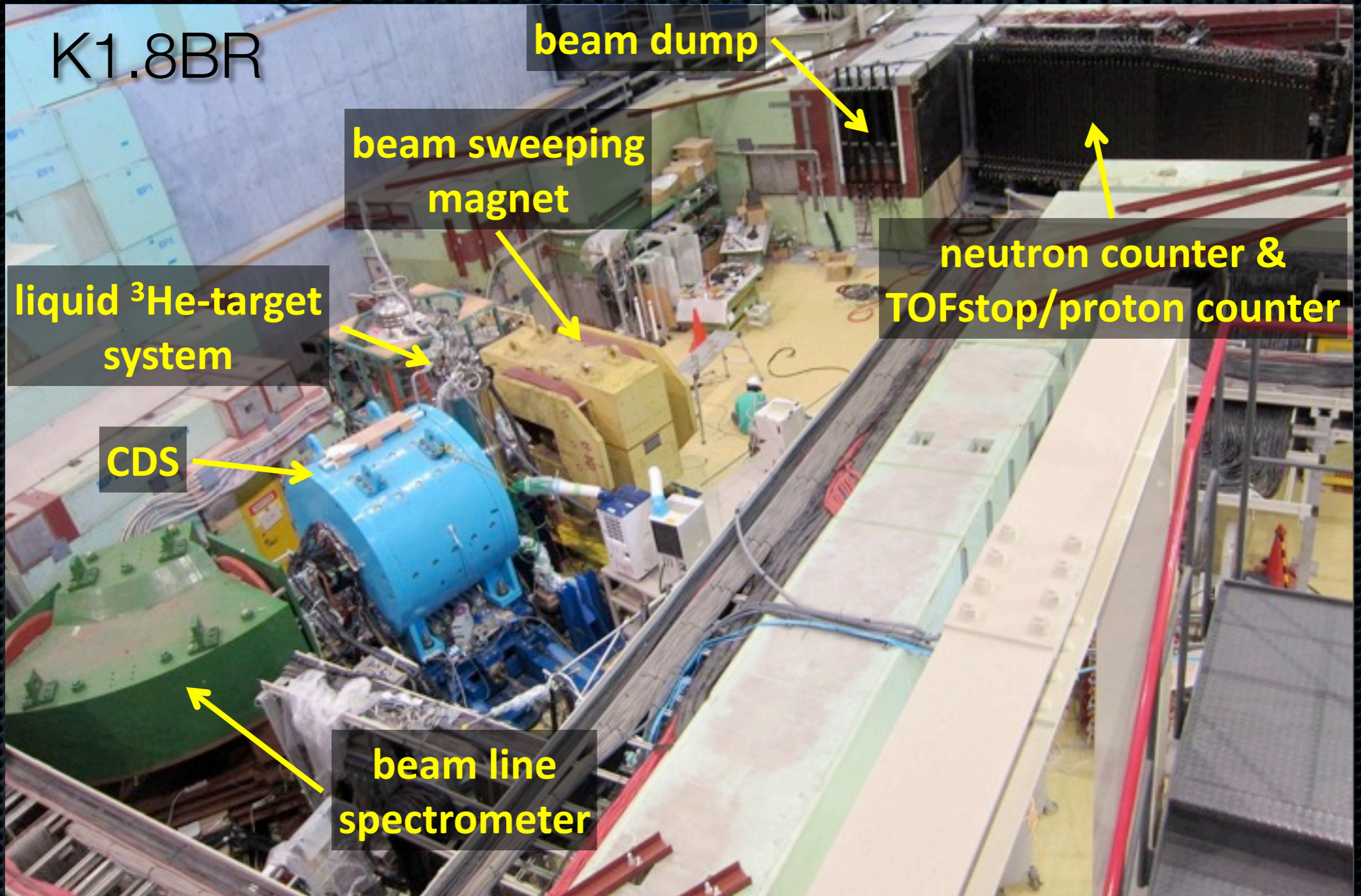
E15

M. Iwasaki et al.



# Invariant mass spectra

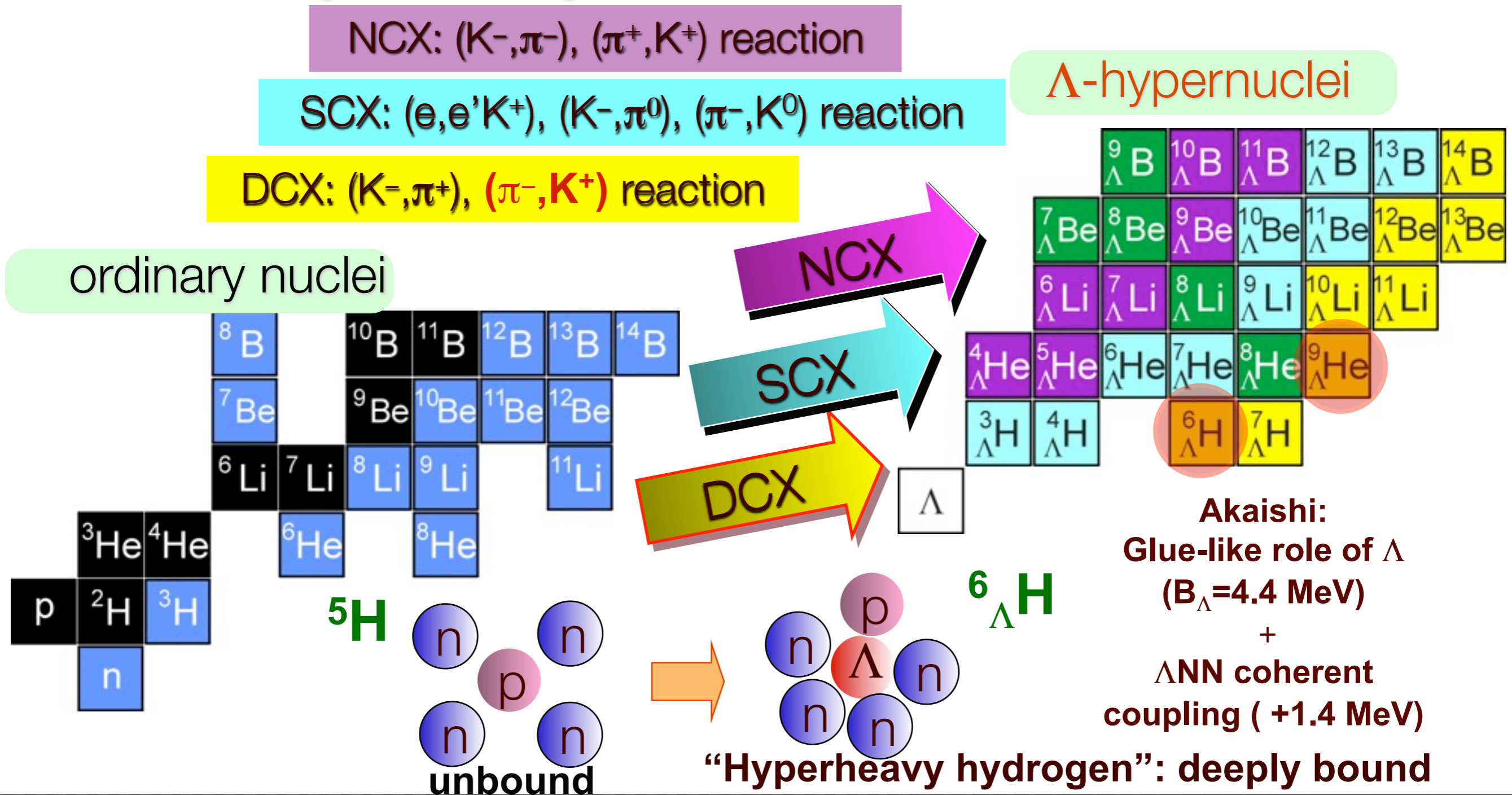




- ✦ E15 is ready for data taking.

# Neutron-rich Hypernuclei with $(\pi^-, K^+)$ reaction

J-PARC E10  
A. Sakaguchi et al.



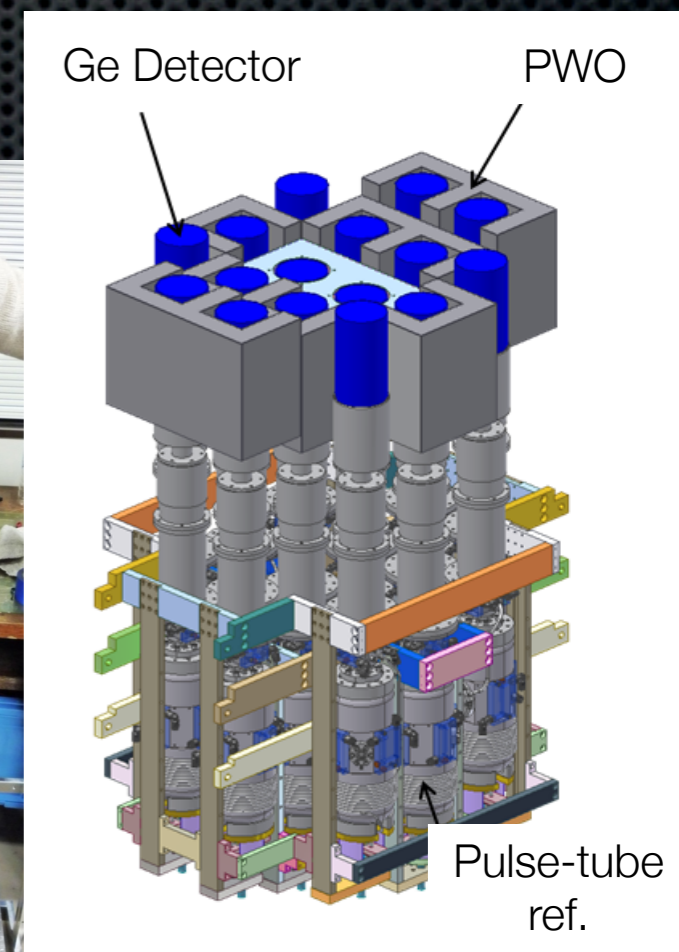
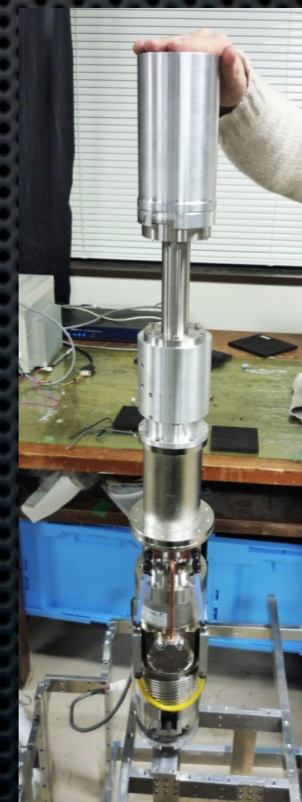
# Gamma-ray Spectroscopy of Light Hypernuclei

J-PARC E13  
H. Tamura et al.

- $\Lambda N$  interaction in sd-shell hypernuclei
  - $^{19}_{\Lambda}\text{F}$ : easiest in sd-shell
- Charge Symmetry Breaking
  - $^4_{\Lambda}\text{He} - ^4_{\Lambda}\text{H}$
- Spin-flip  $B(M1)$  measurement for  $g_{\Lambda}$  in nuclei
  - $^7\text{Li}(K^-, \pi^-\gamma)^7_{\Lambda}\text{Li}$  at 1.5 GeV/c:  
M1( $3/2^+ \rightarrow 1/2^+$ )

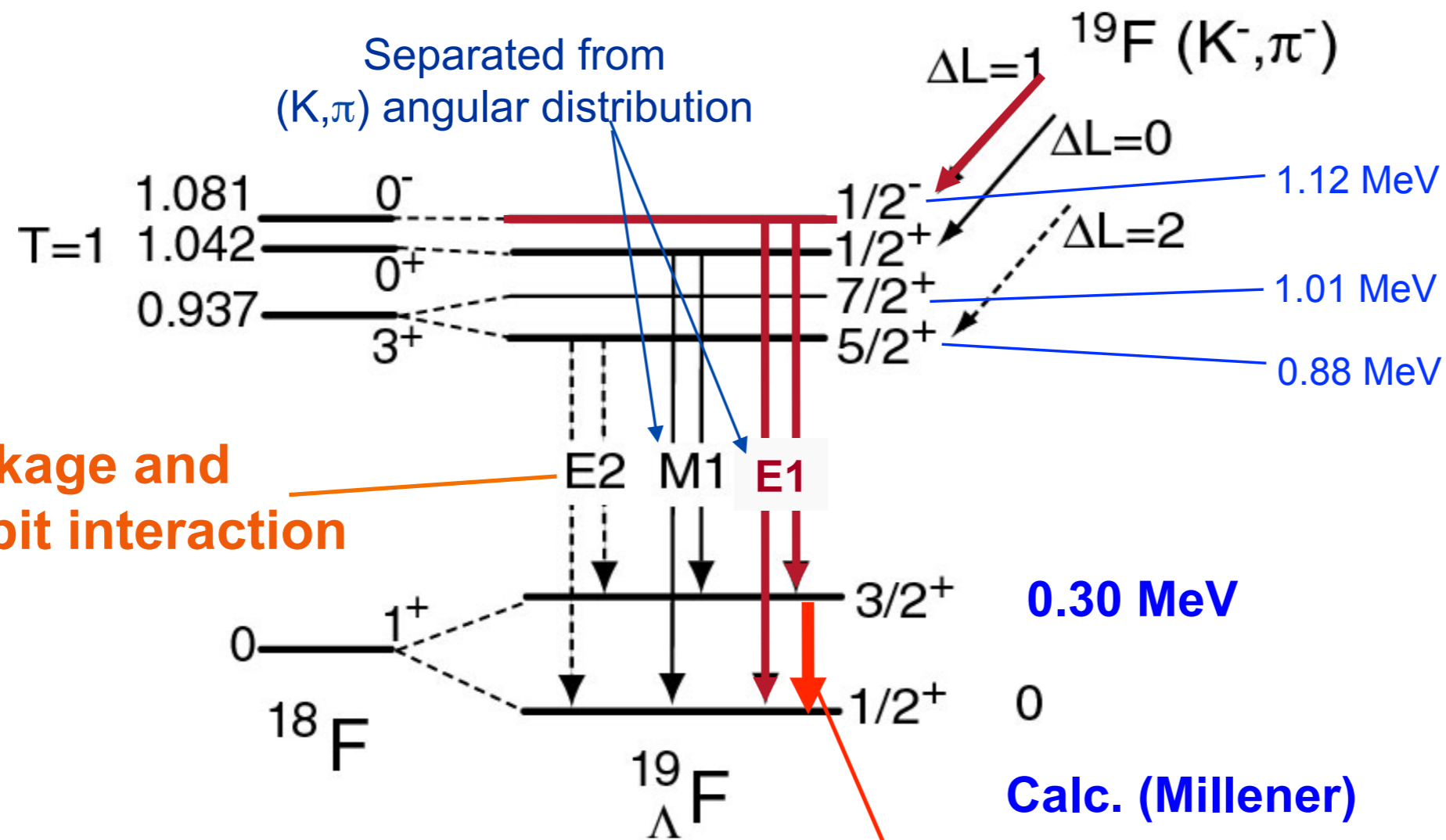
Ge x32;  $\epsilon \sim 6\%$  at 1 MeV  
 $\rightarrow \gamma\text{-}\gamma$  coincidence

**Hyperball-J**



# $^{19}_{\Lambda}\text{F}$ Spectroscopy

- The first study on sd-shell hypernuclei



$\Lambda\text{N}$  spin-spin interaction

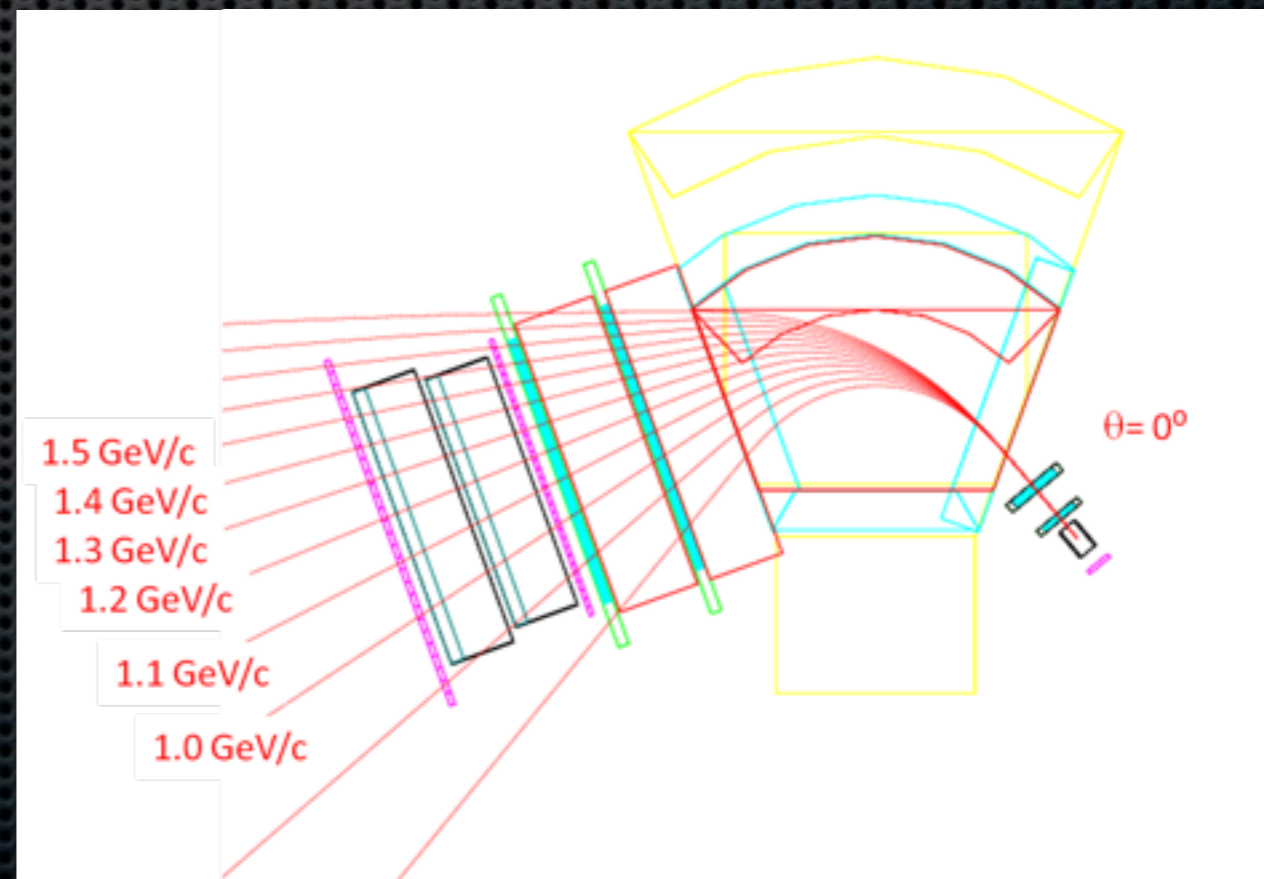
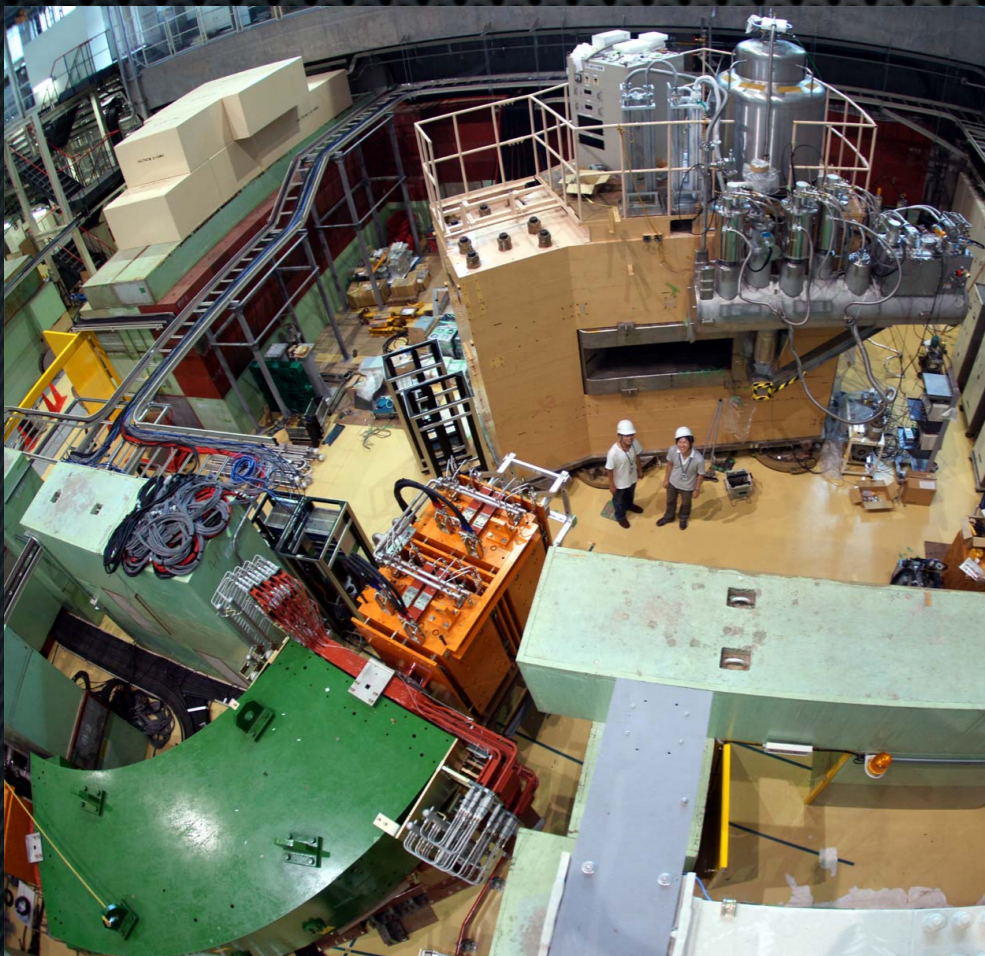
+ spin-flip B(M1) (test data)

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

J-PARC E05  
T. Nagae et al.

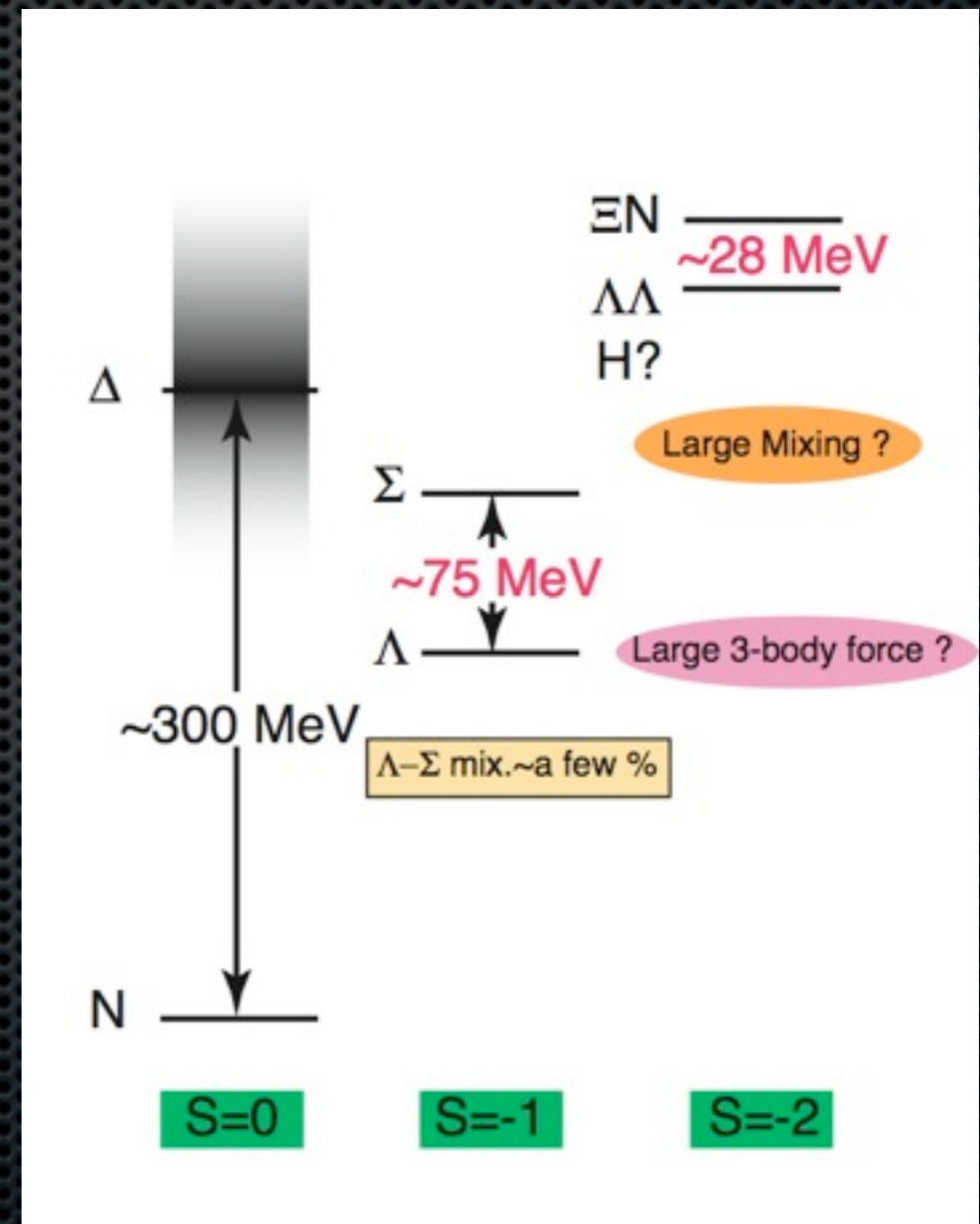
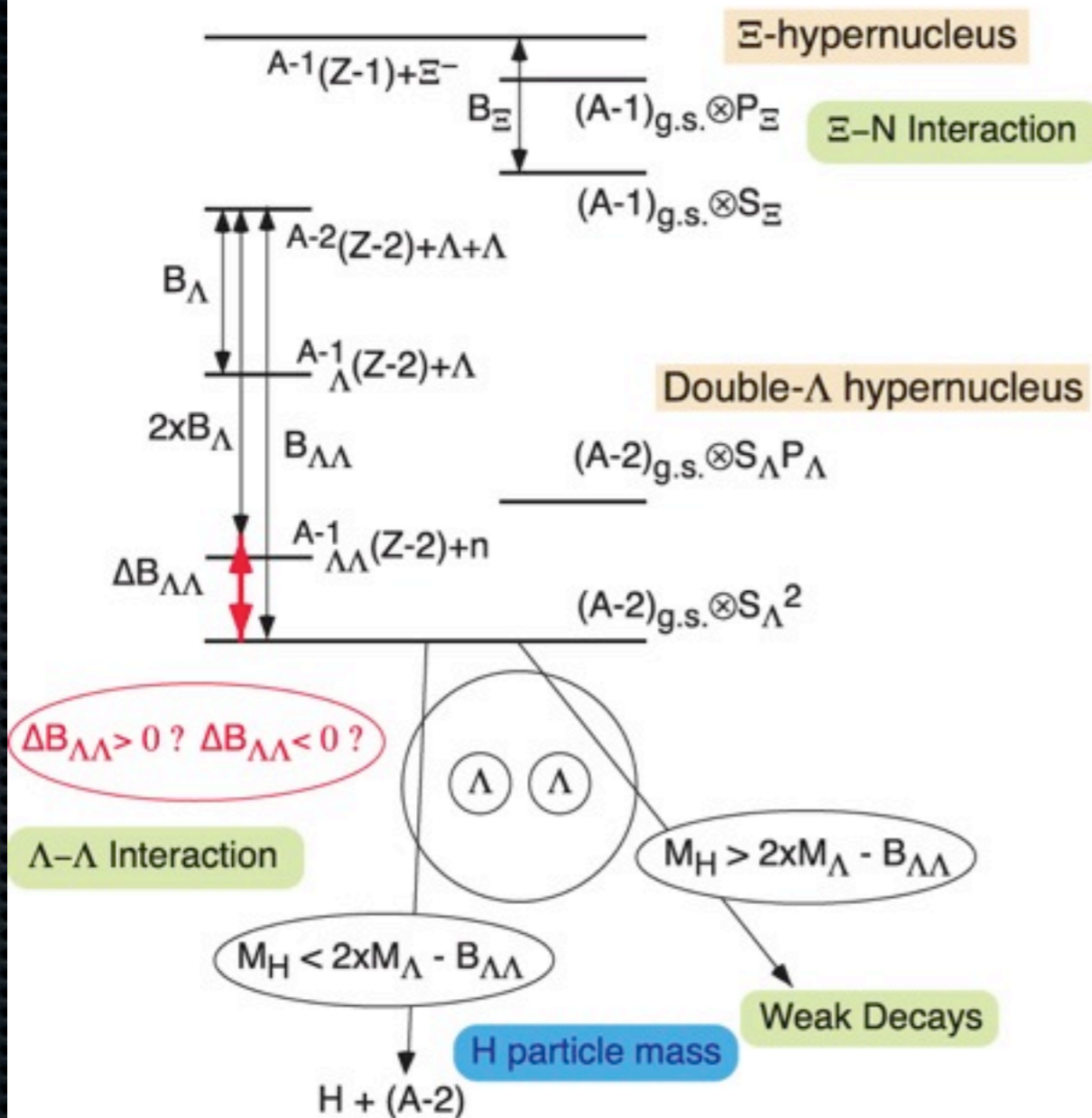
- ✦ Discovery of  $\Xi$ -hypernuclei
- ✦ Measurement of  $\Xi$ -nucleus potential depth and width

of  $^{12}_{\Xi}\text{Be}$   $S=-1$   $\longrightarrow$   $S=-2$  (Multi-Strangeness System)



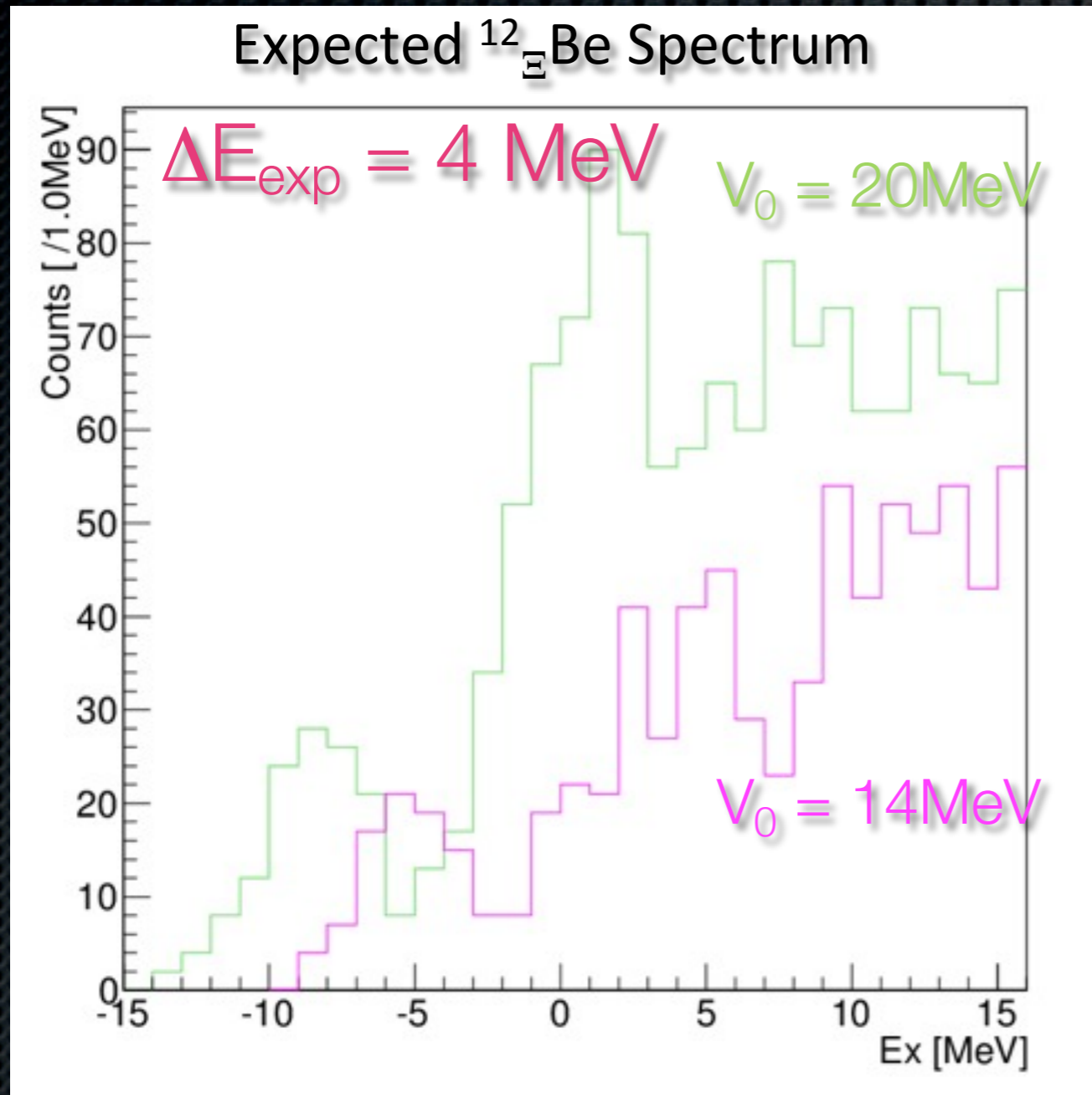
# S=-2 World

Energy Spectrum of S=-2 systems

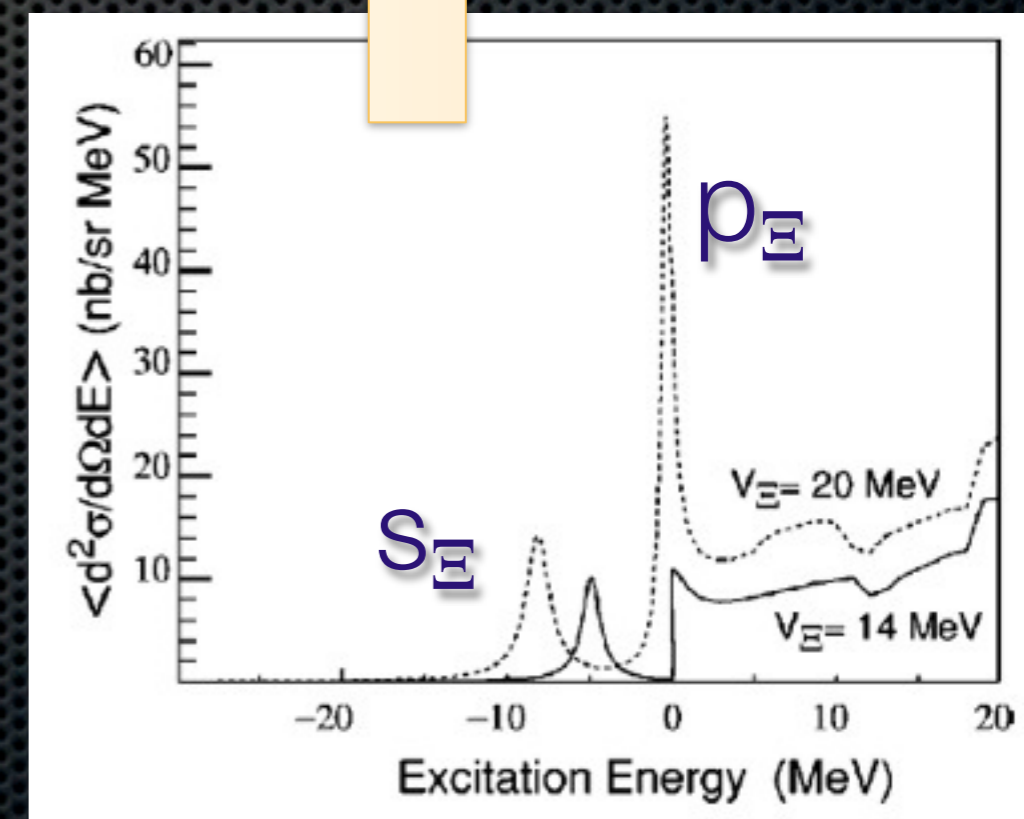


# E05 (@30 kW) : Expected Spectrum

in case of W.S. potential



DWIA spectra from  
*P.Khaustov et al.,  
PRC 61 (2000) 054603*

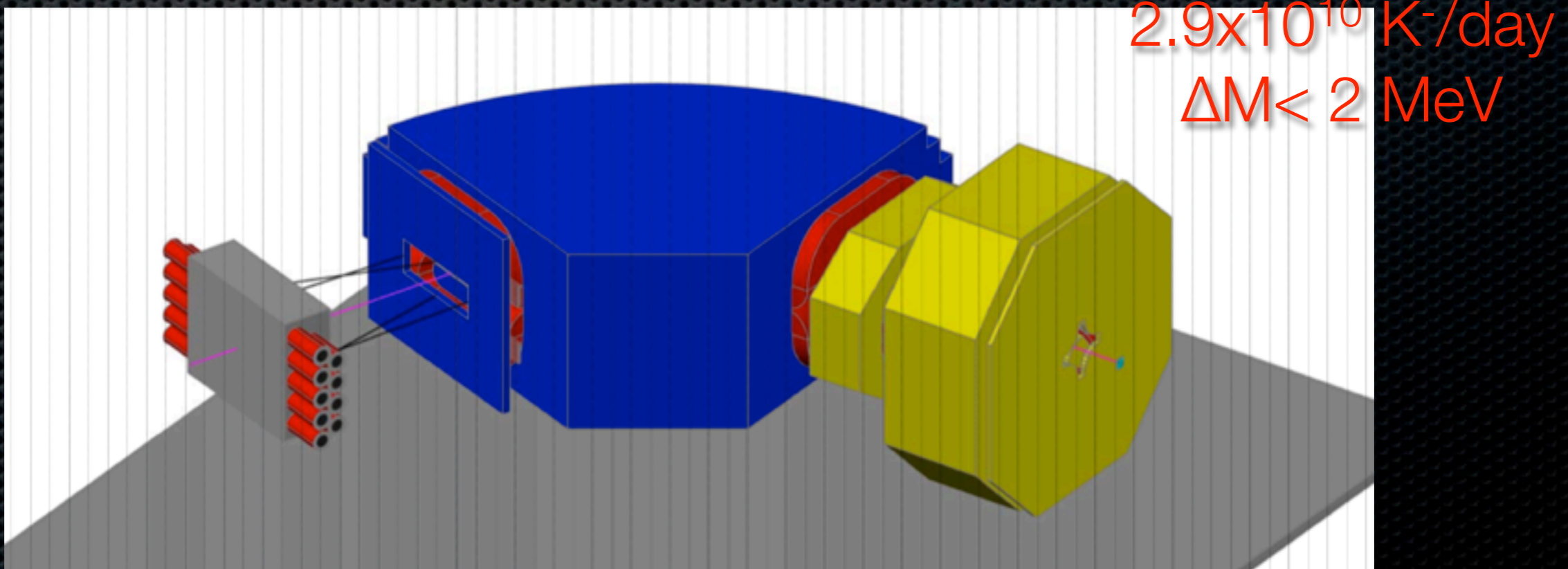


✓ can identify bound state.

simple peak structure

# E05 Phase 2 with S-2S

- ✦ Grant-In-Aid for Specially promoted research: 2011 – 2015
- ✦ 60 msr,  $\Delta p/p=0.05\%$  →  $\Delta M=1.5$  MeV
- ✦ Construction of S-2S(QQD): ~3 years
  - ✦ Installation in 2014
  - ✦ Data taking in 2015 with  $> 150$  kW !!



# Summary

- ✦ J-PARC Beam recovery after the earthquake: Feb. 2012
- ✦ Day-1 Experiments; data-taking in progress
  - ✦ E19: penta-quark search; 2nd run completed.
  - ✦ E27:  $K$ -pp search in  $d(\pi^+, K^+)$ ; pilot run finished.
  - ✦ E10: Neutron-rich hypernuclei
  - ✦ E15:  $K$ -pp search in  ${}^3\text{He}(K^-, n)$  reaction
  - ✦ E13: Hypernuclear gamma-ray spectroscopy
  - ✦ E05:  $\Xi$  hypernuclei
  - ✦ etc.