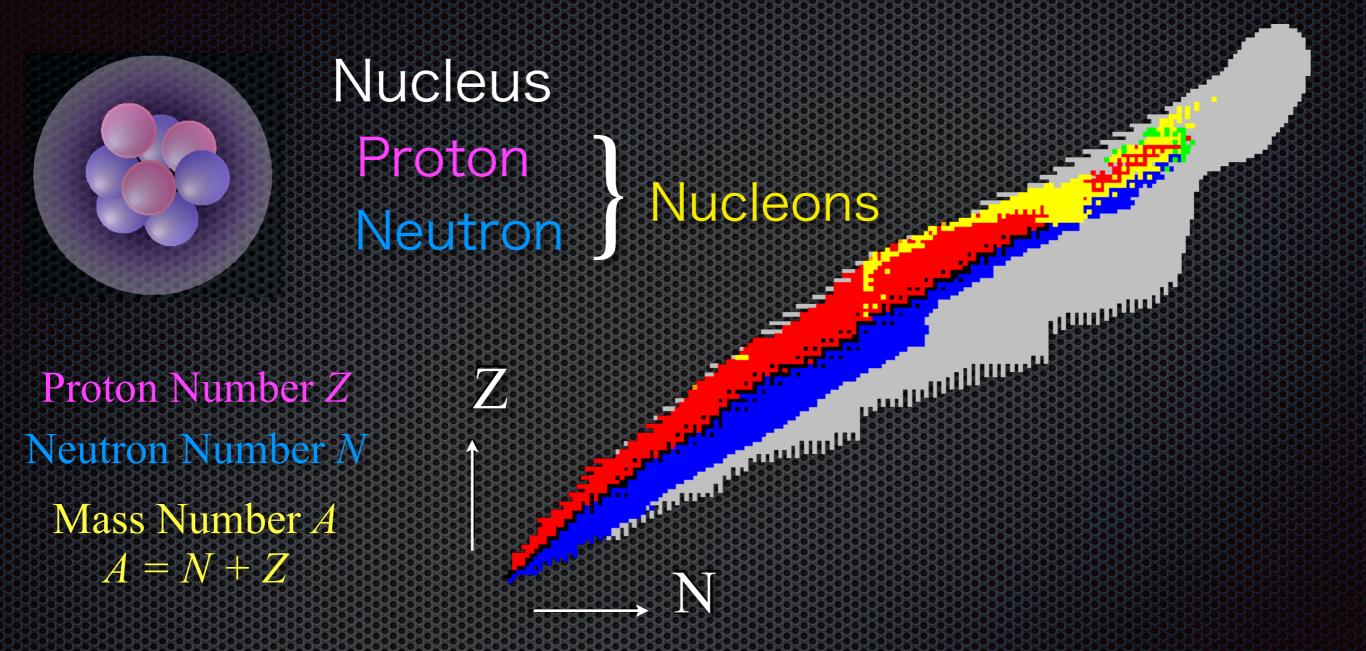
# Study of the Properties of Atomic Nuclei with RI Beam

Maya Takechi, Niigata University

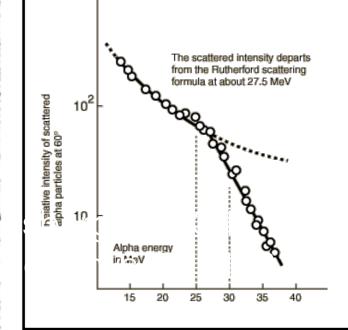
# **Atomic Nuclei**



Stable Nuclei ~300, Unstable Nuclei ~8000 Experimentally confirmed Unstable Nuclei ~ 3000

# **Nuclear Property : Size, Density**

# Known Properties from the Study of Stable Nuclei **Radius** Alpha particle scattering on Stable Nuclei Nuclear Radii ~ 1~10 fm

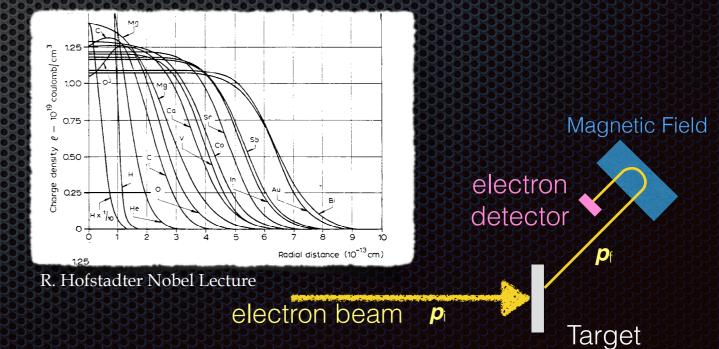


### **Electron Scattering**

Nuclear radii follow the function of mass number

 $R \propto r_0^* A^{1/3}$ 

Saturation Density  $m \rho_0 \approx 2.8 \times 10^{14} \text{ g} \cdot \text{cm}^{-3}$ 

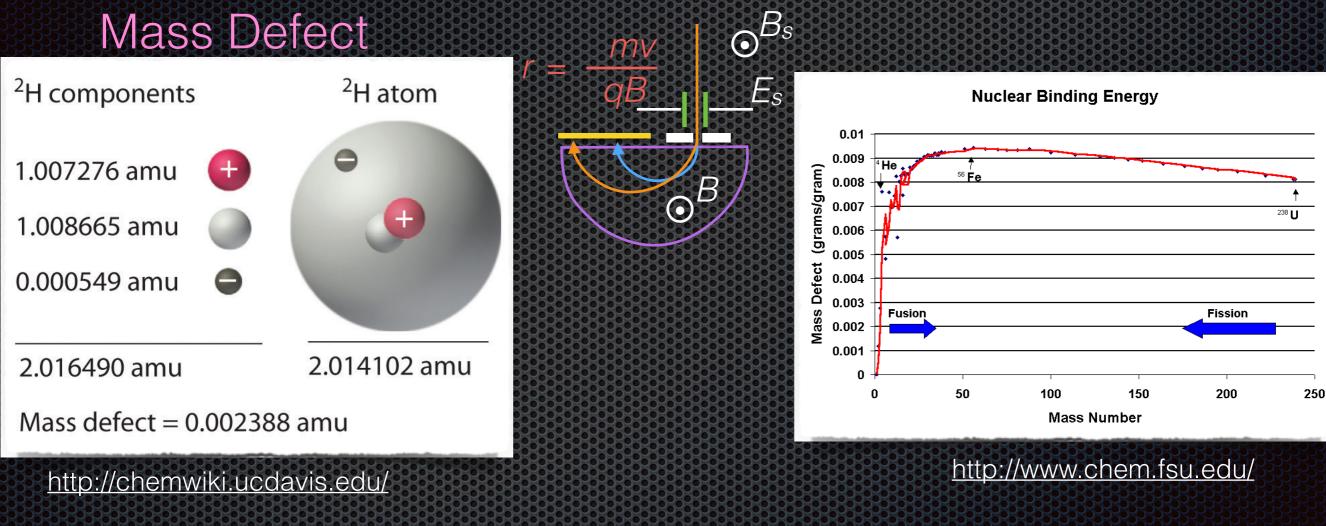


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Nuclear Property : Mass, Binding Energy Ion source Known Properties from the Study of Stable Nuclei Mass Measurements by Mass spectrometer

Bainbridge Mass spectrograph (1930s)

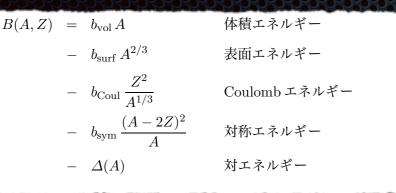


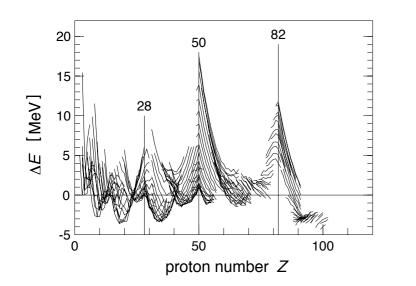
 $M(A, Z) = Z^* m_p + N^* m_n - B(A, Z)$ 

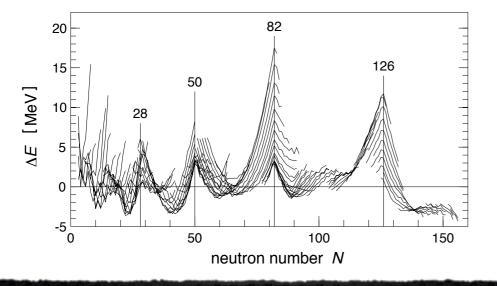
Binding Energy / nucleon ~8 MeV

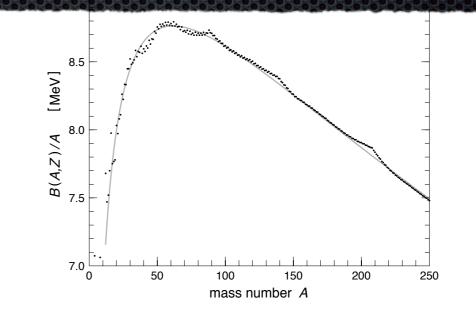
#### **Nuclear Structure : Magic Number**

Figures are from the lecture note of Prof. K. Muto, Tokyo Institute of Technology







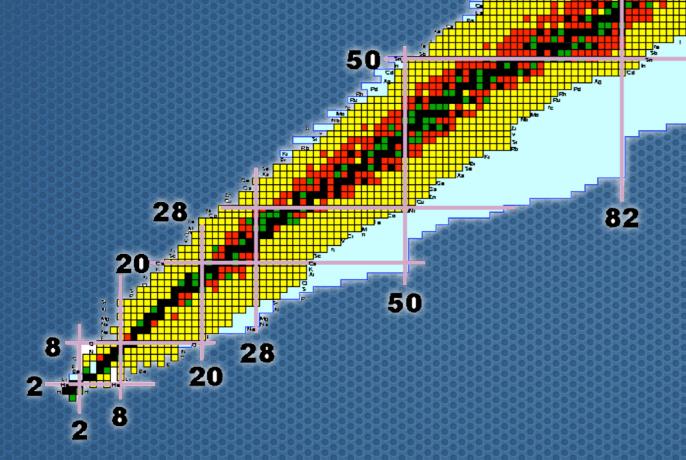


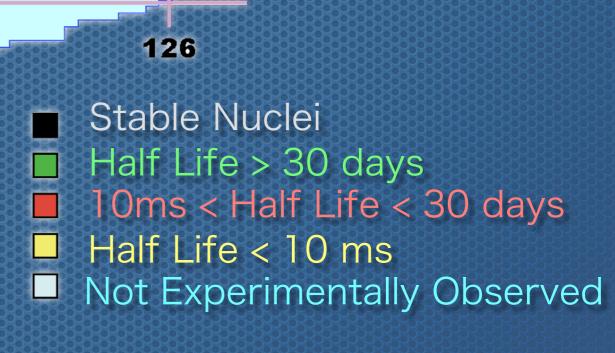
# $\Delta E = M_{Expt} - B(A, Z)$

Nuclei are more strongly bound when the number of constituent nucleons are certain magic numbers

*N* or *Z* = 8, 20, 28, 50, 82, 128 Closed Shell What will we find for unstable nuclei far from the stability line?

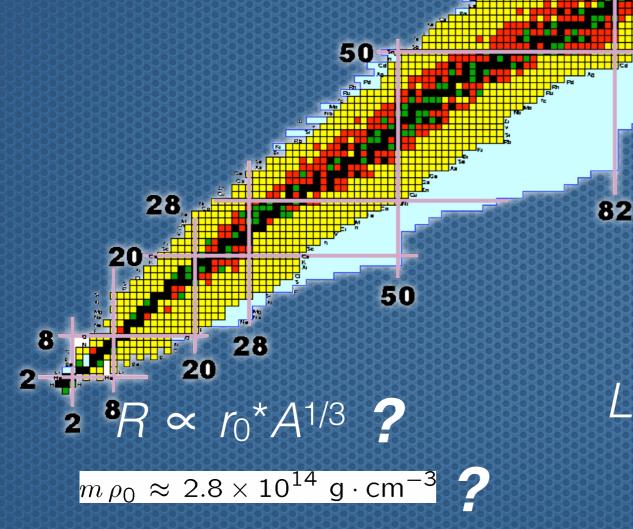
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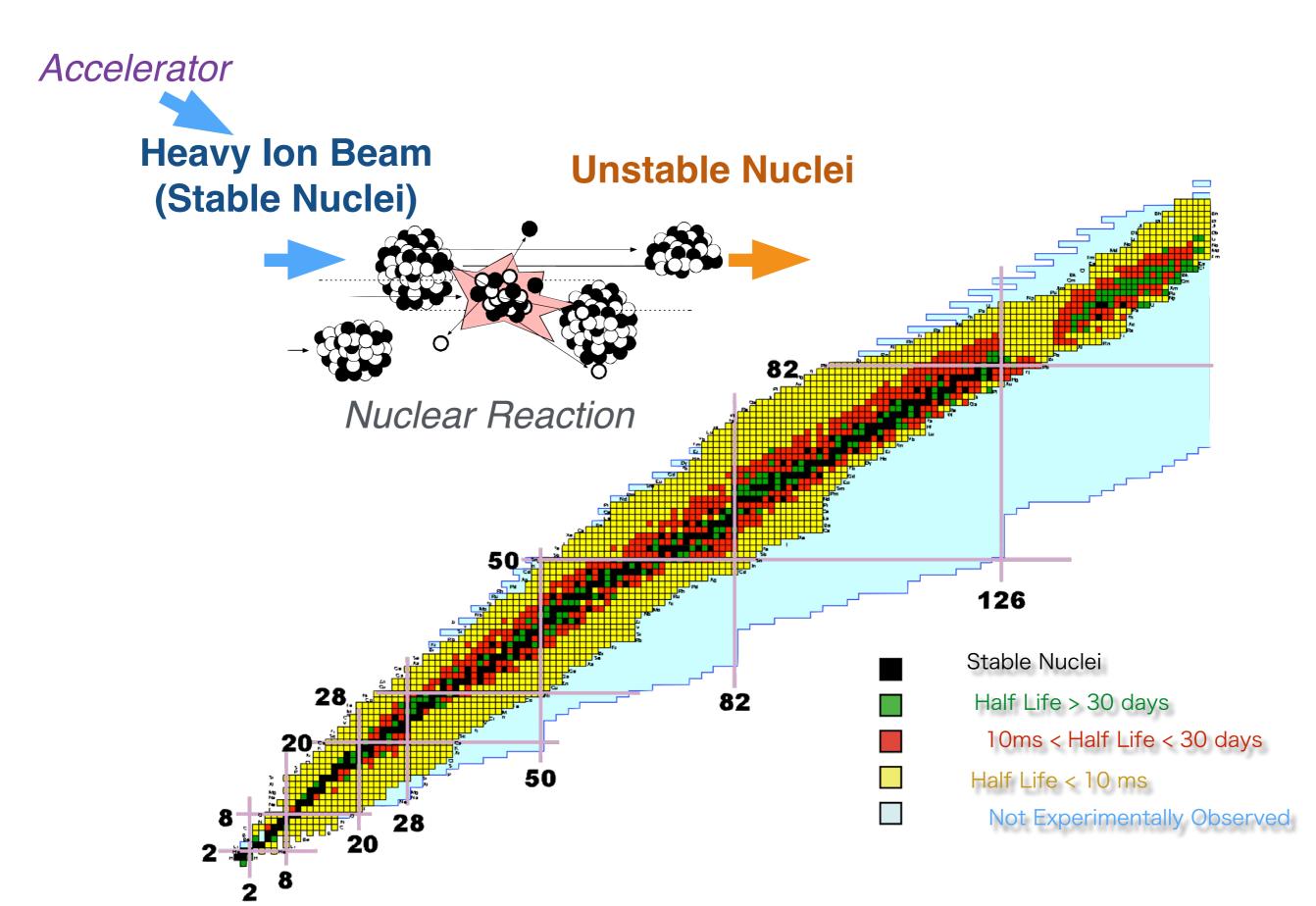
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126 Stable Nuclei ■ Half Life > 30 days ■ 10ms < Half Life < 30 days □ Half Life < 10 ms Not Experimentally Observed Loosely-bound, Drip Line Nuclei Weak Binding Energy How is the structure ?

How can we study Unstable Nuclei? Magic Number ?

#### **Experimental Approach to Unstable Nuclei**



### Accellerator

#### What is the accelerator?

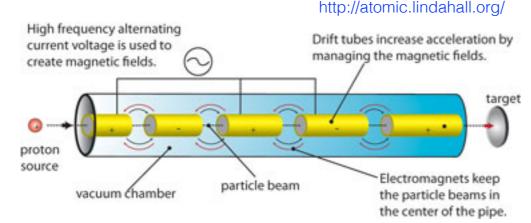
The machine which give certain kinetic energy to charged particles by accelerating and controlling them with the use of electro magnetic field.

#### **Unit of Energy**

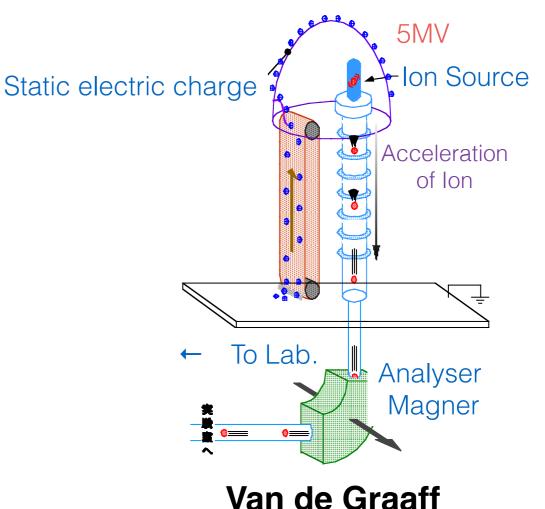
**eV**: Amount of energy gained by the charge of a single electron  $(1.6*10^{-19})$  accelerated by an electric potential difference of 1V.

 $1 \text{ eV} = 1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}$ 

- Electrostatic Accellerator
- Linear Accellerator

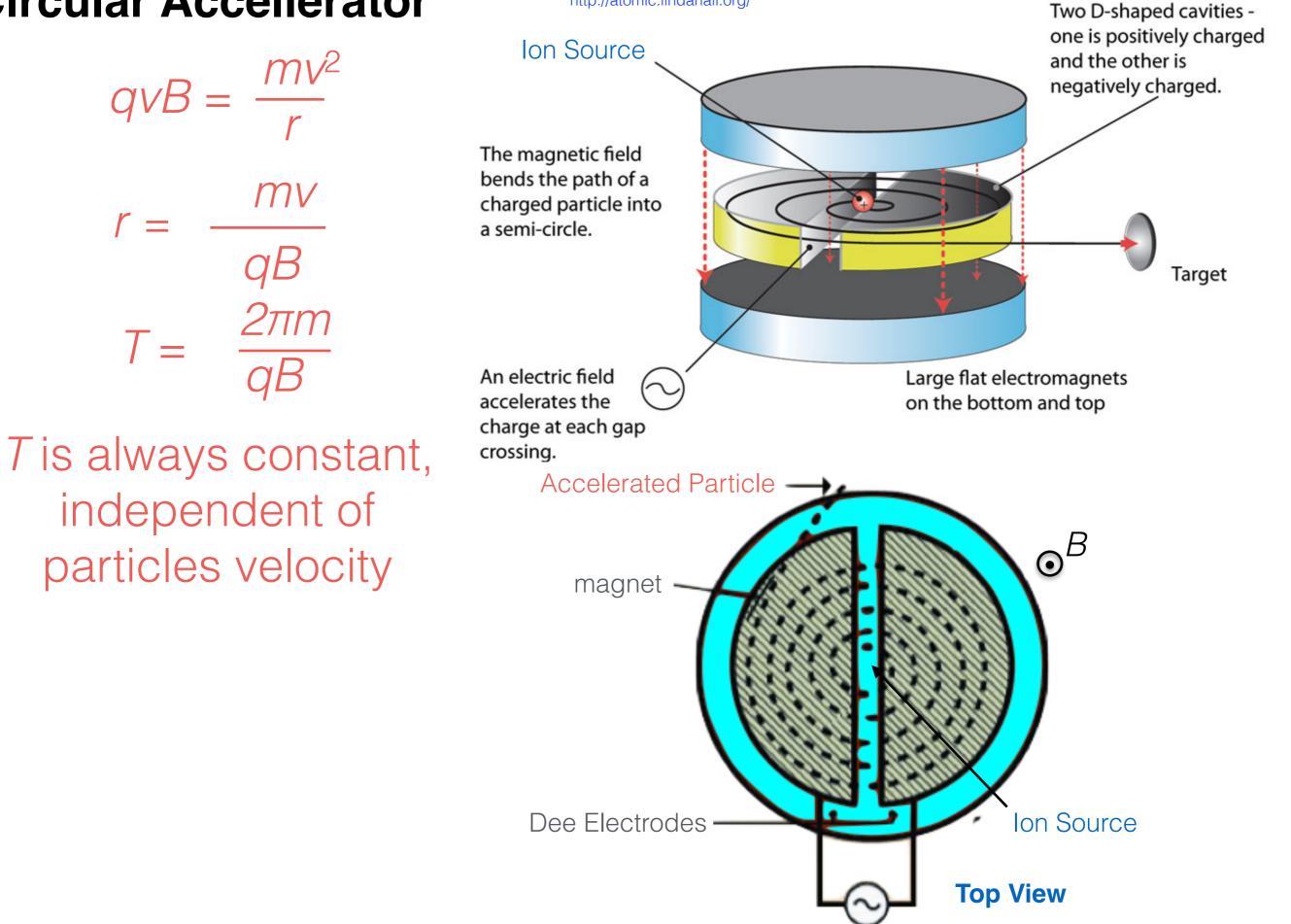


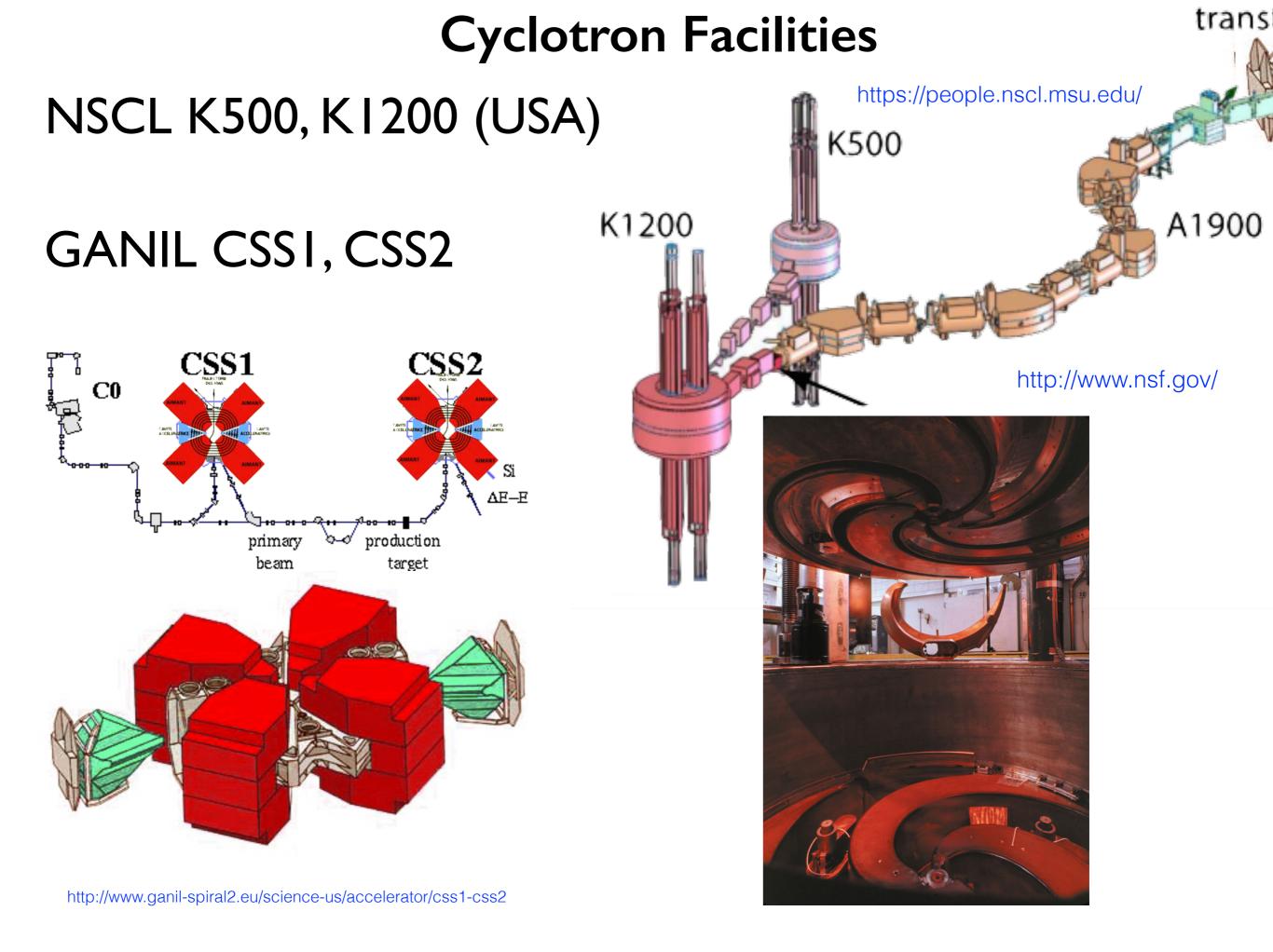
Circular Accellerator



#### **Circular Accellerator**

http://atomic.lindahall.org/





### **Cyclotron Facilities**

NSCL: K500, K1200 (USA)

GANIL: CSSI, CSS2

# RIKEN, RIBF RRC, FRC, IRC, SRC

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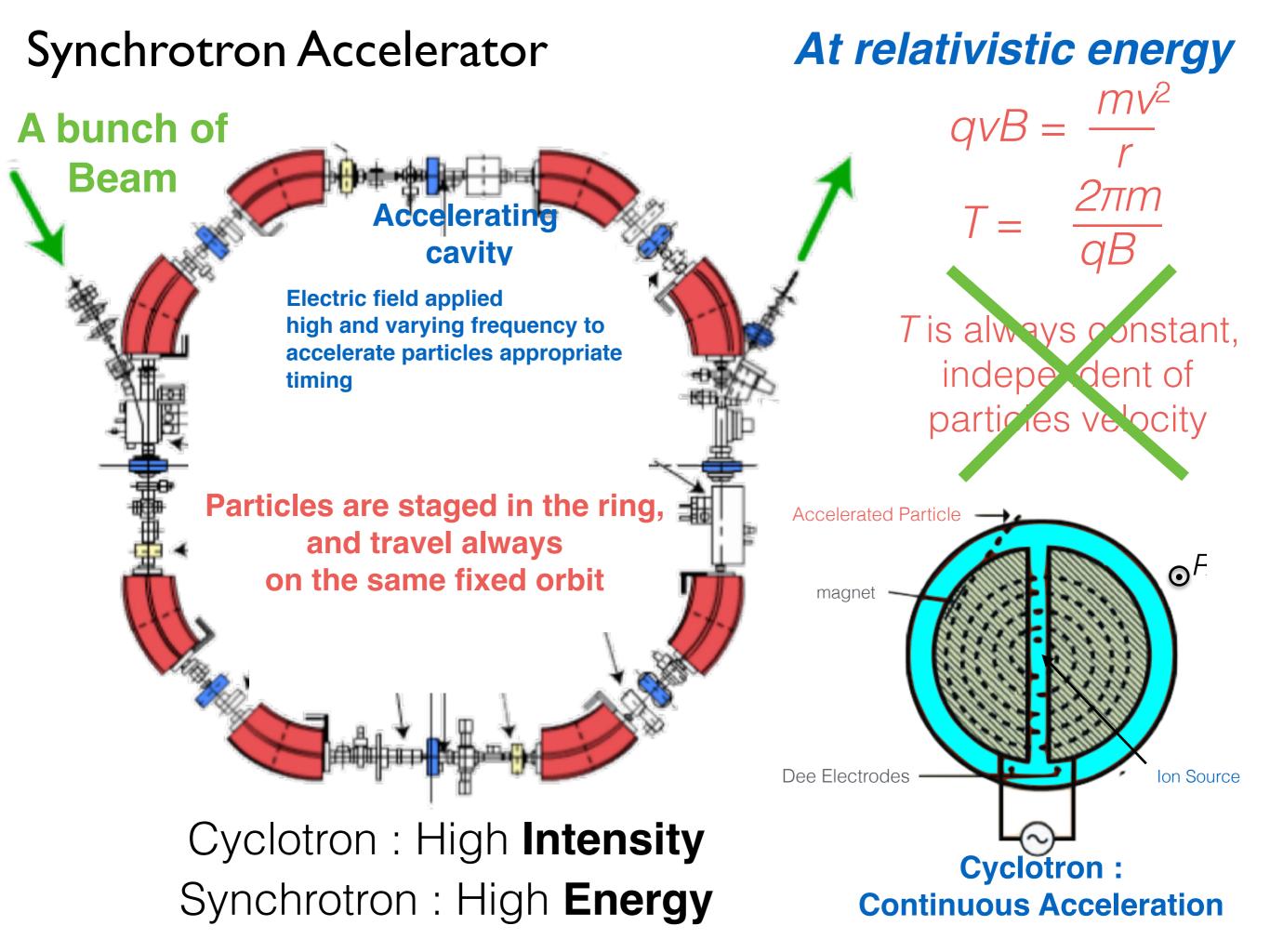
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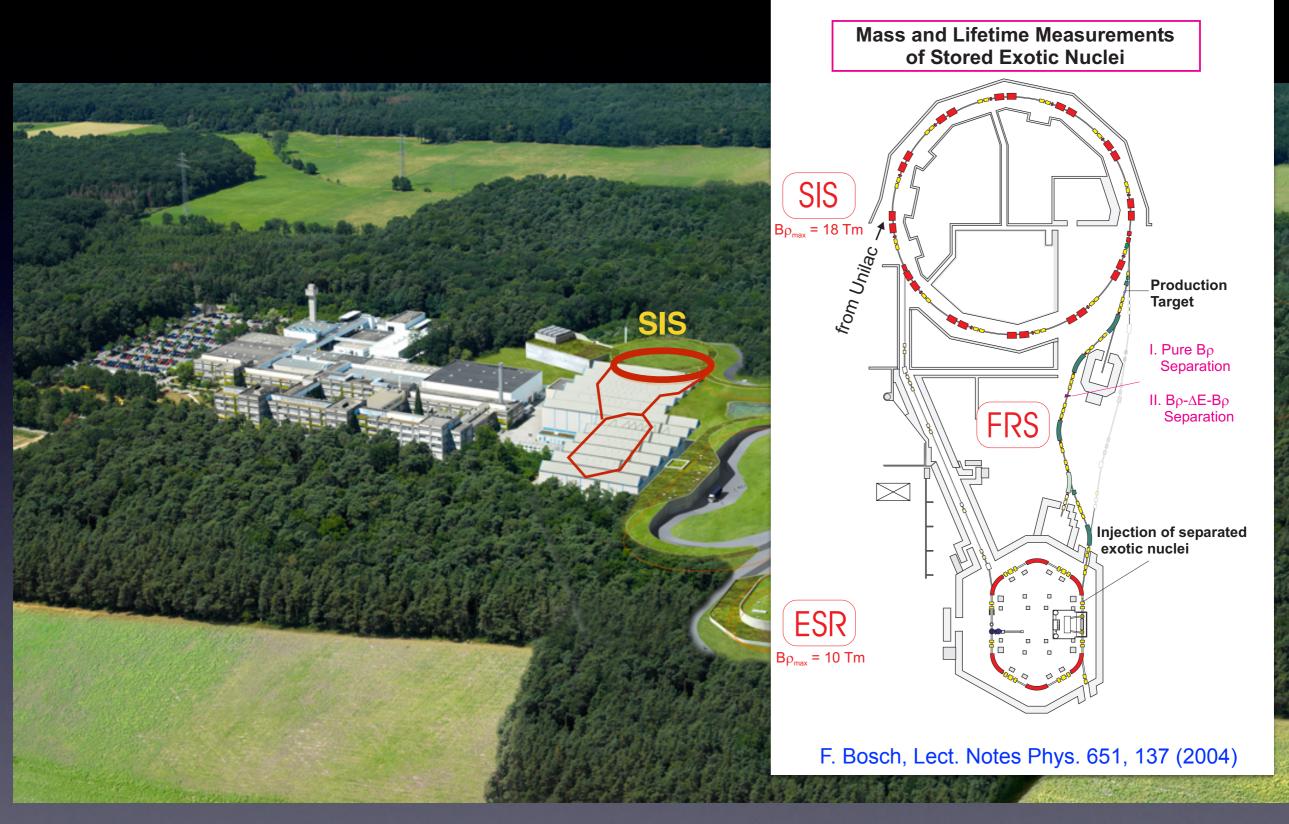
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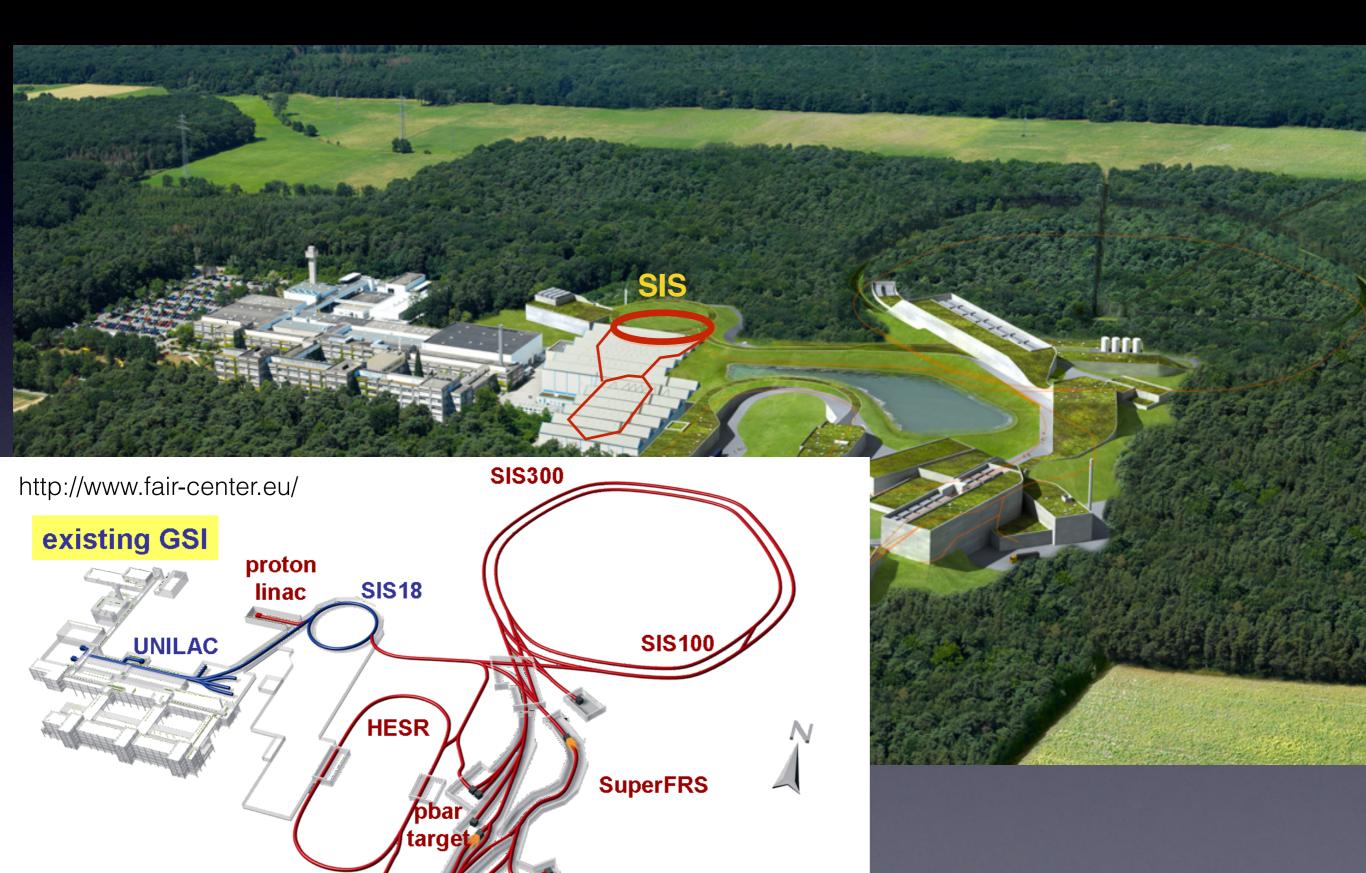




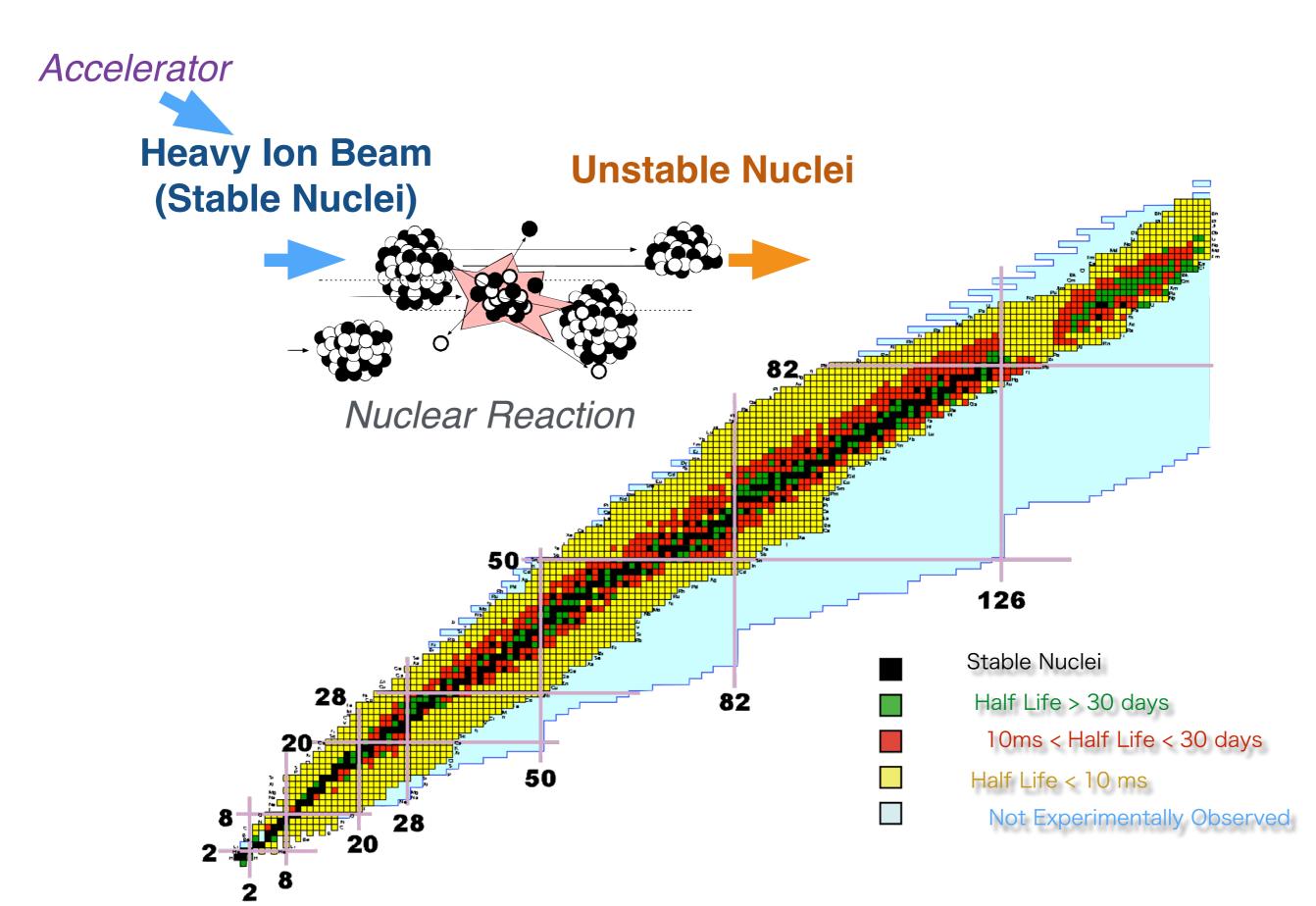
# • GSI, SIS



# • GSI, SIS and then SIS100, SIS300



#### **Experimental Approach to Unstable Nuclei**



# Production of Unstable Nuclei as Radioactive Isotope (RI) Beam

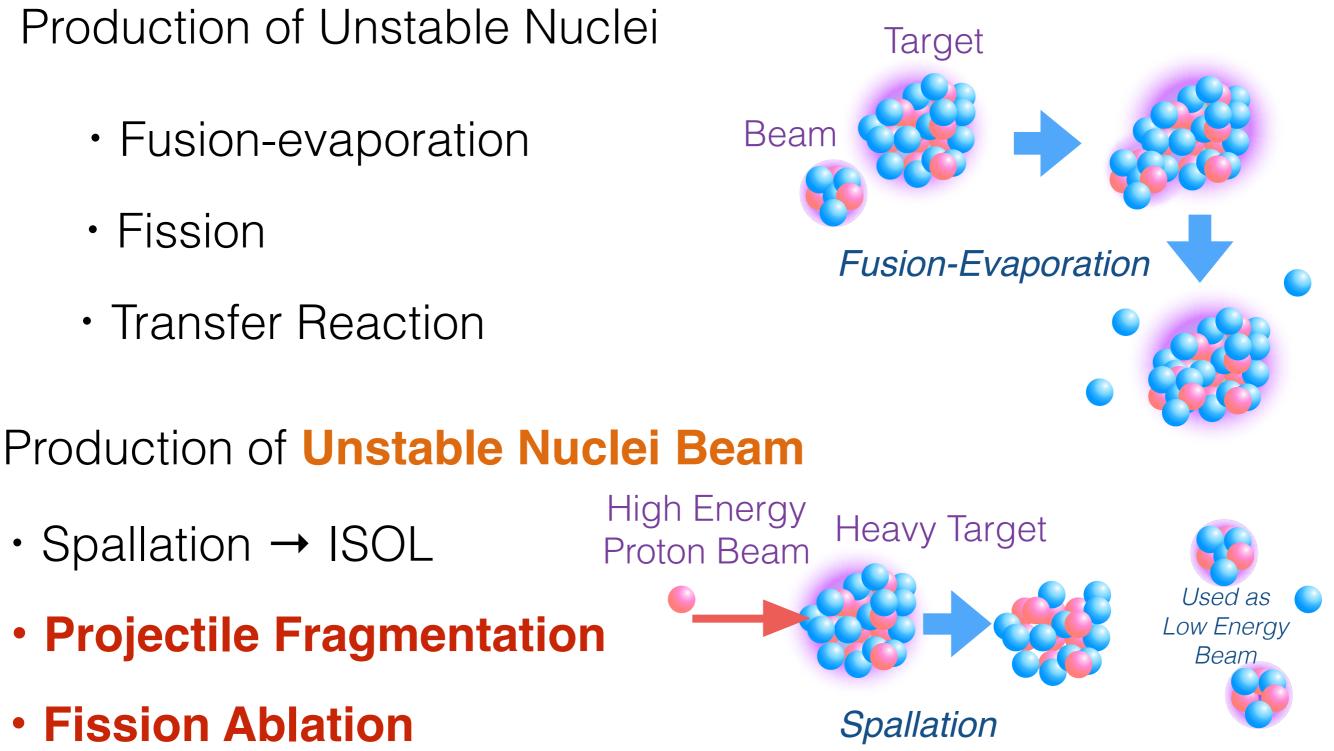
Production of Unstable Nuclei

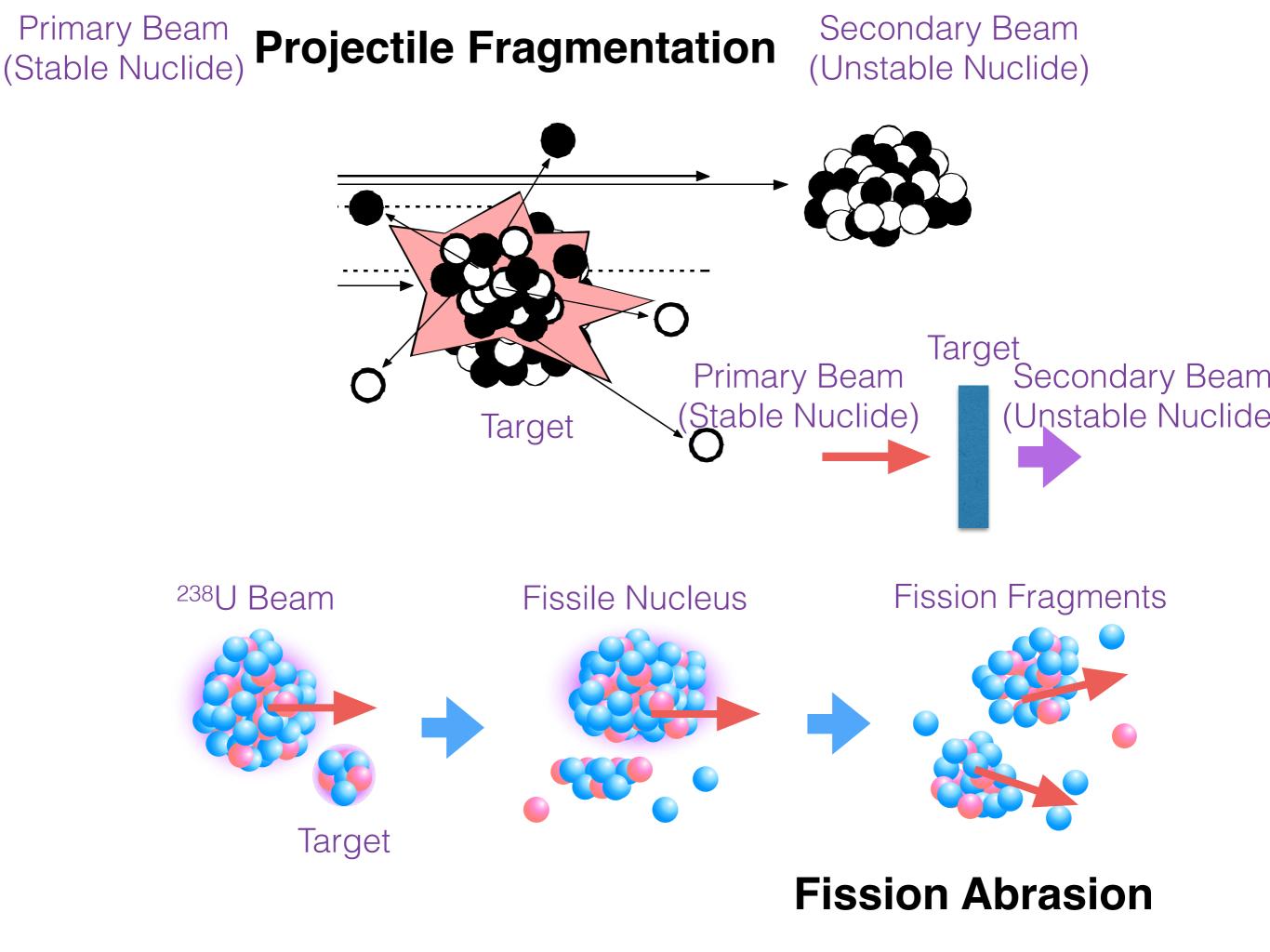
- Fusion-evaporation
- Fission
- Transfer Reaction

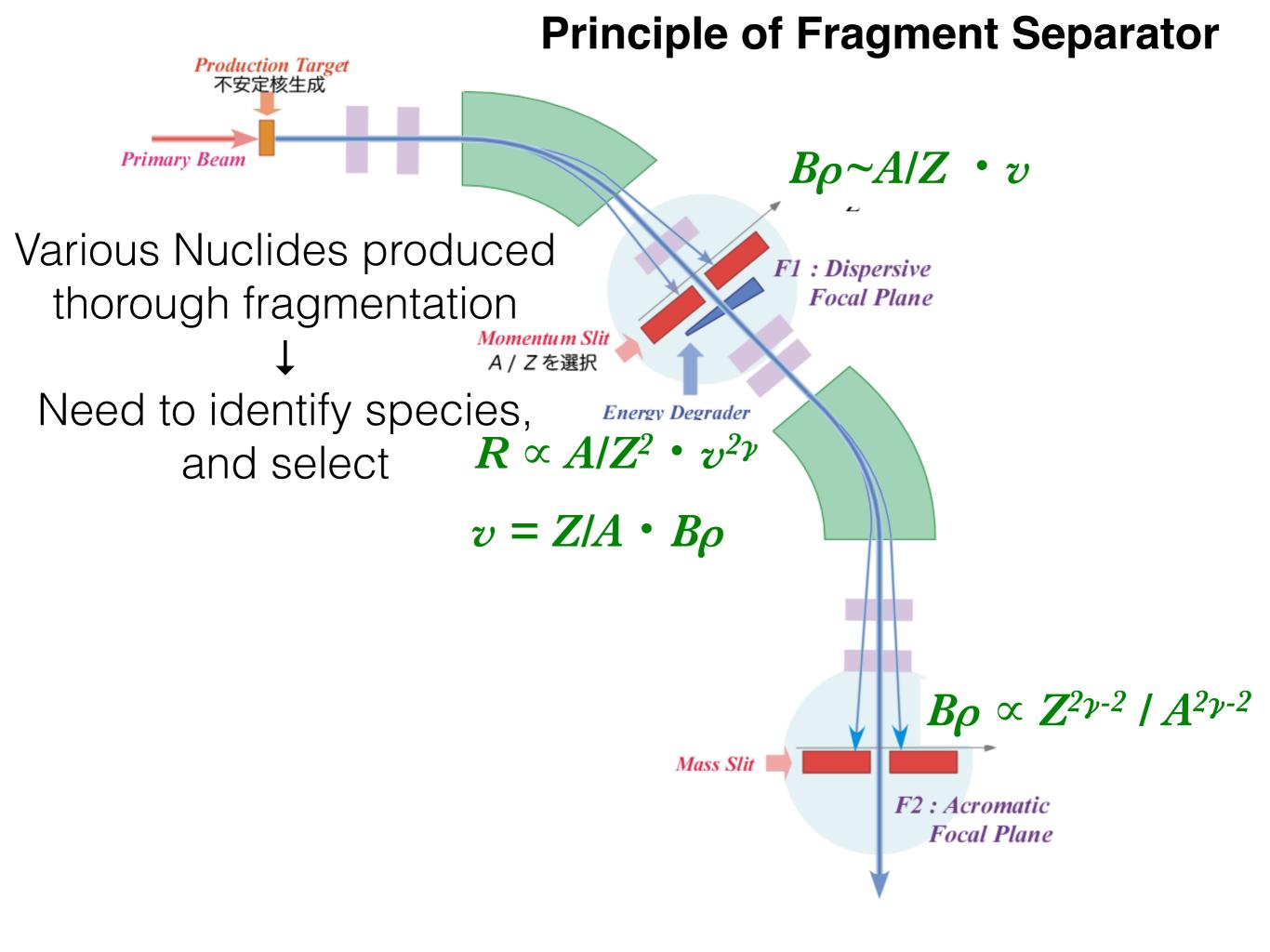
Projectile Fragmentation

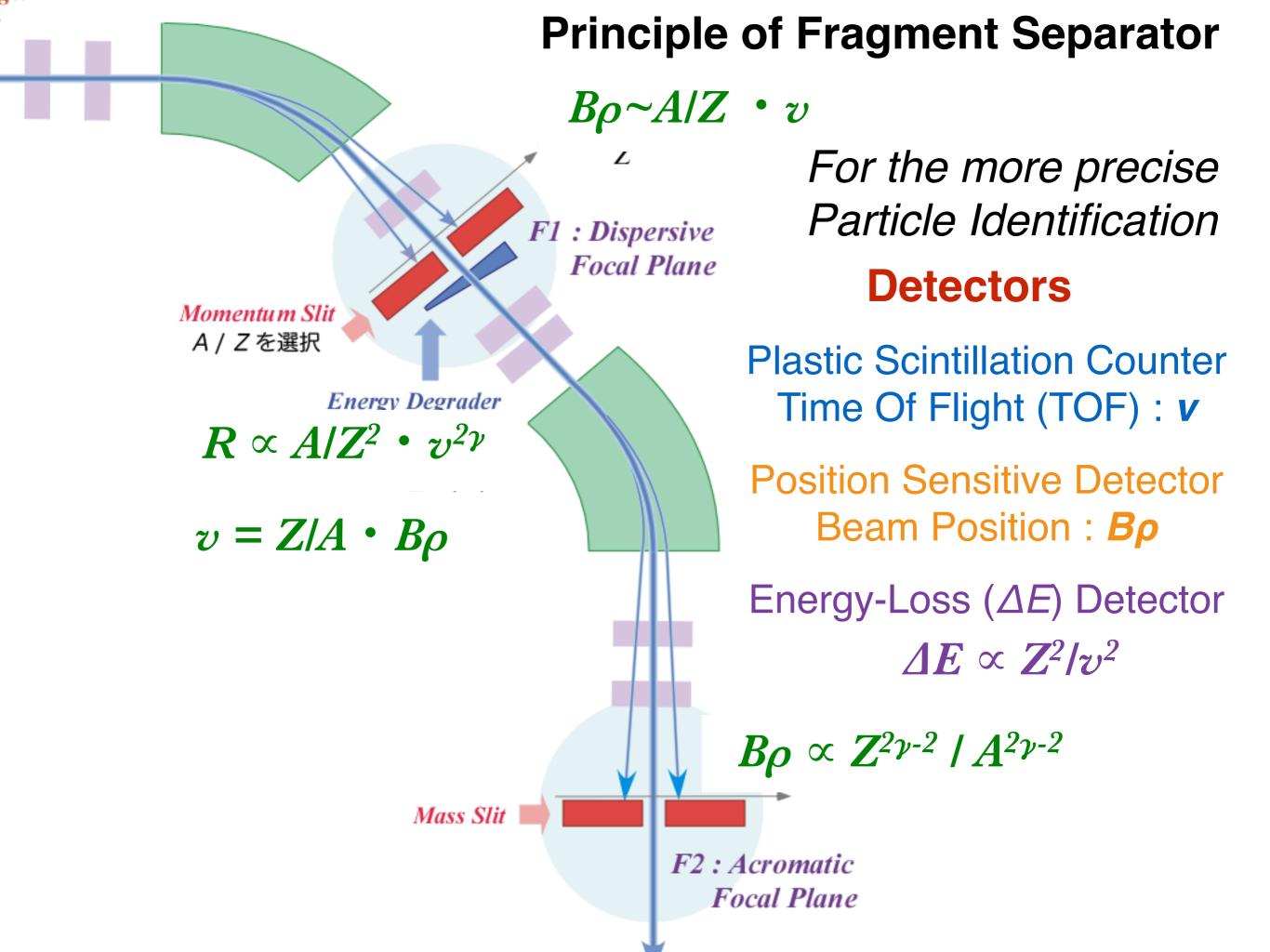
• Spallation  $\rightarrow$  ISOL

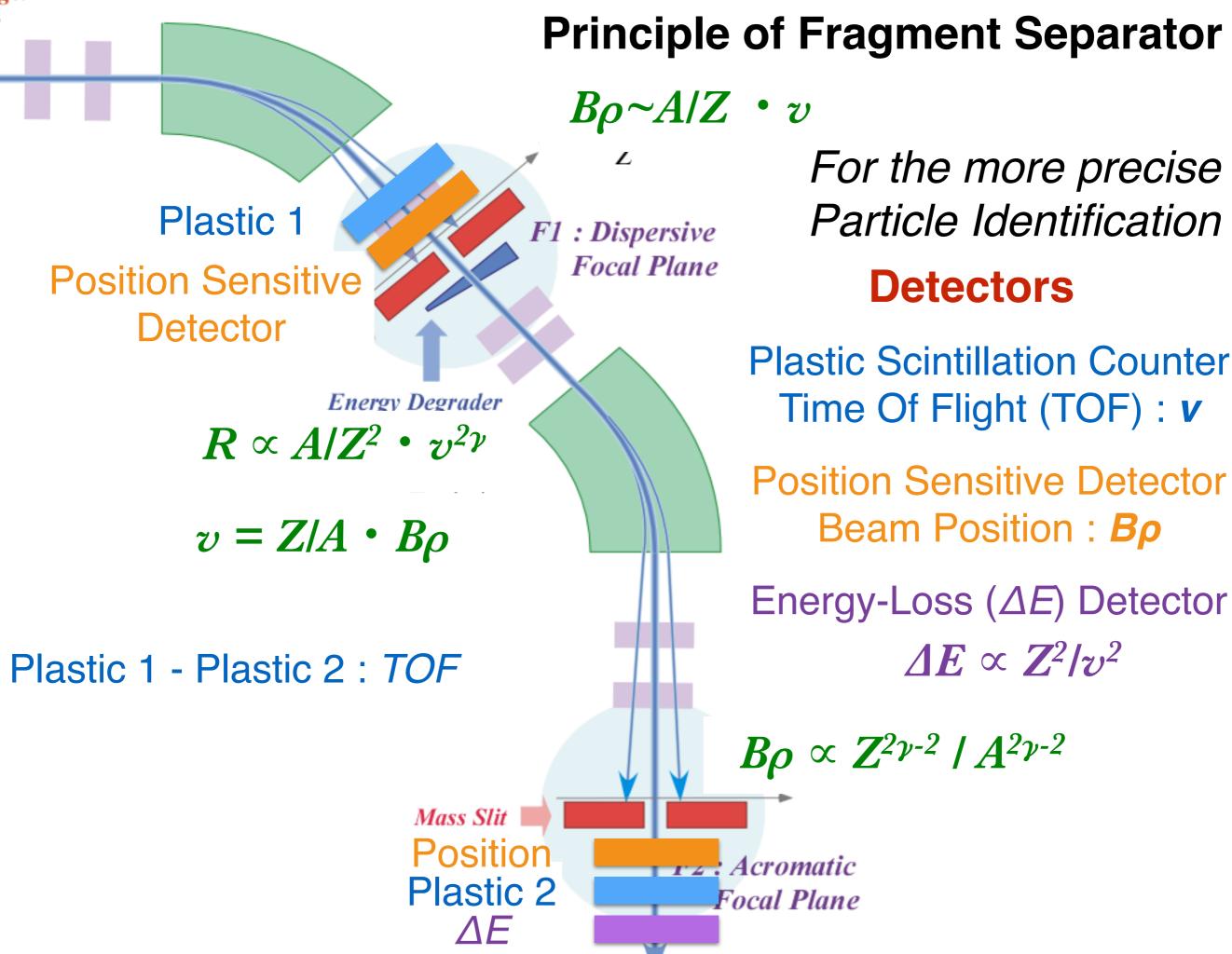
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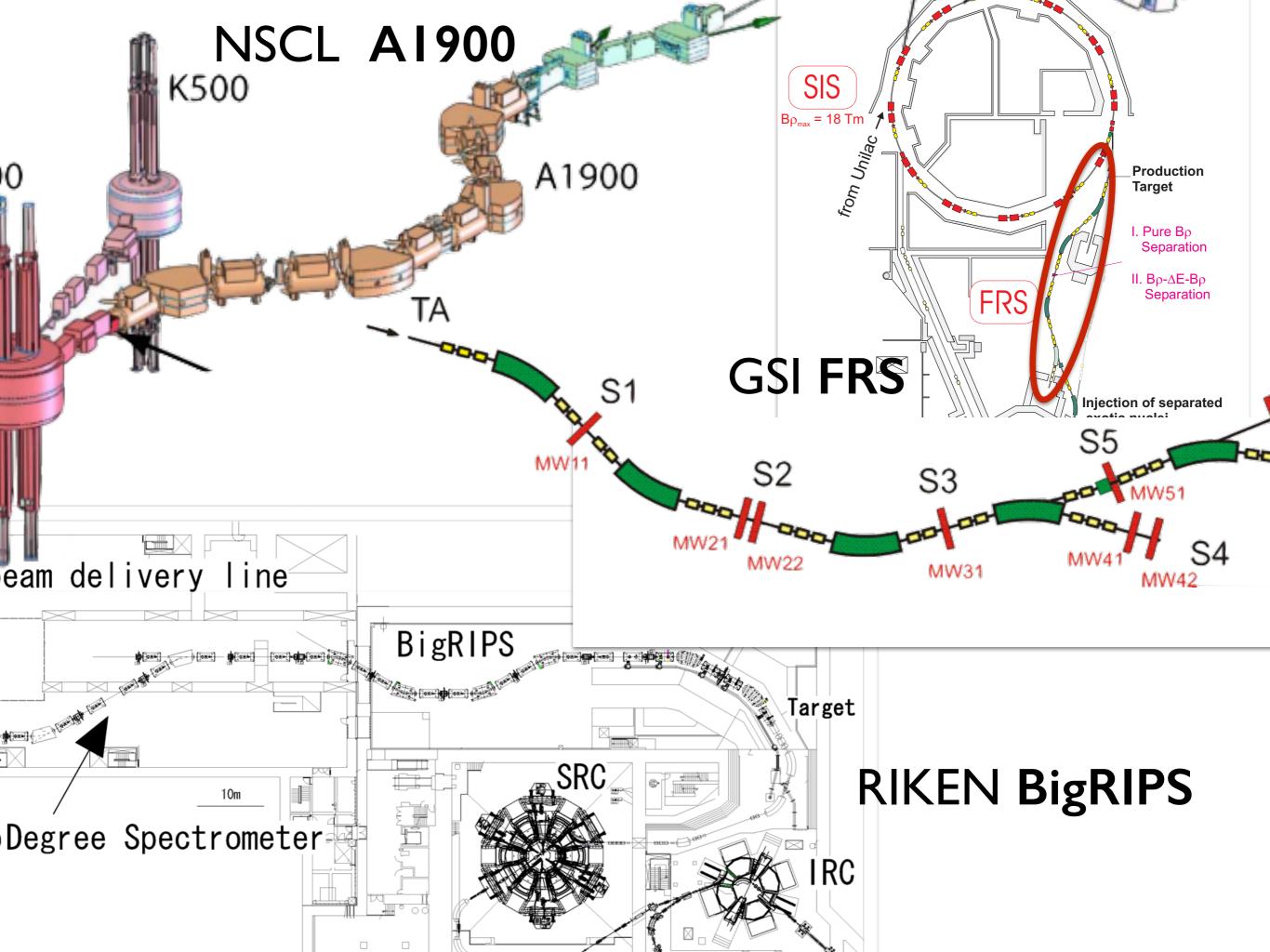


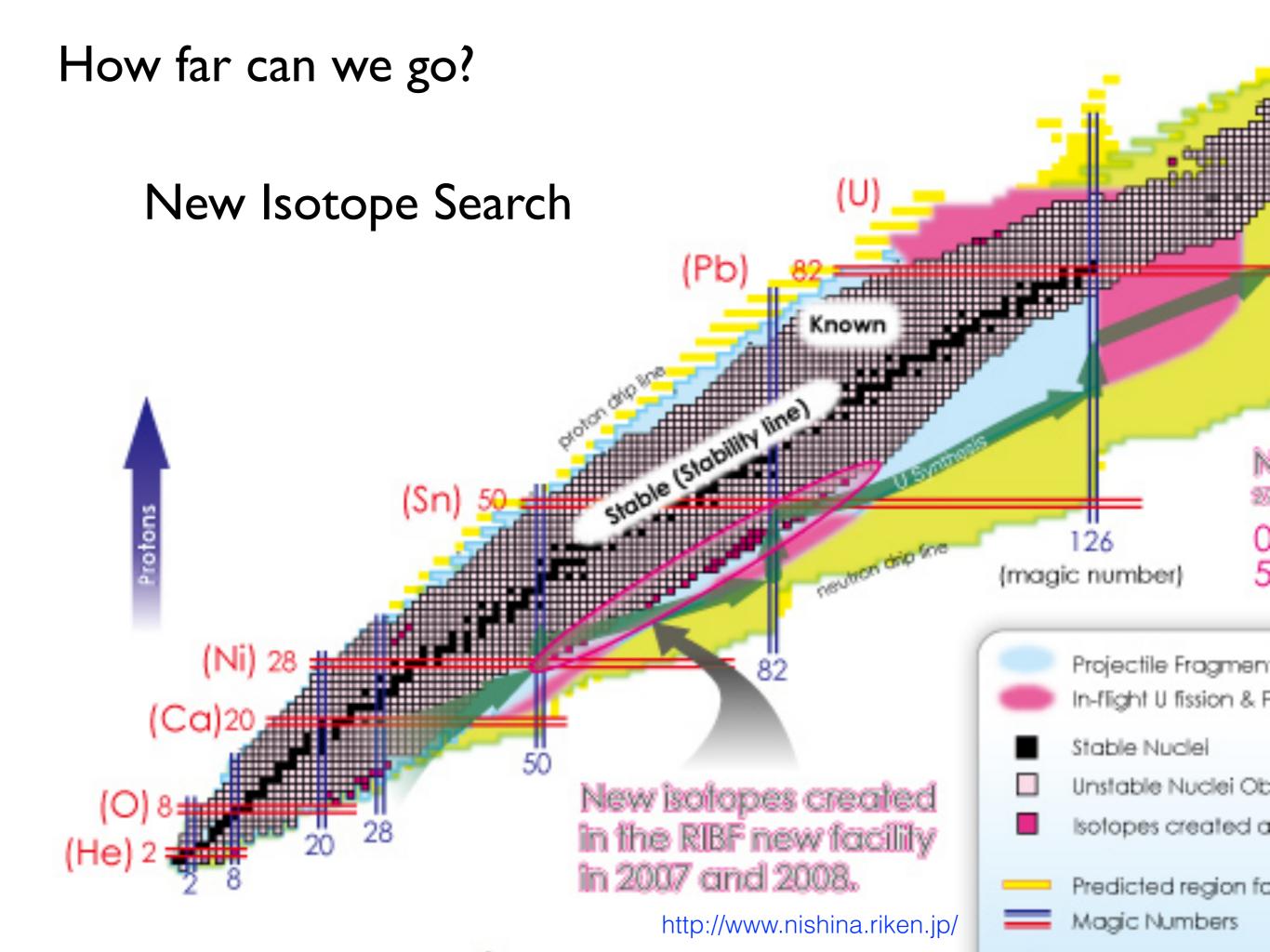








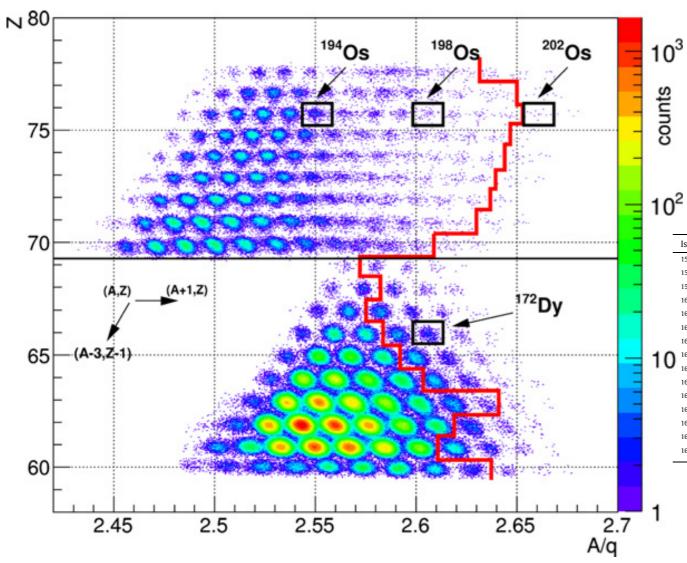


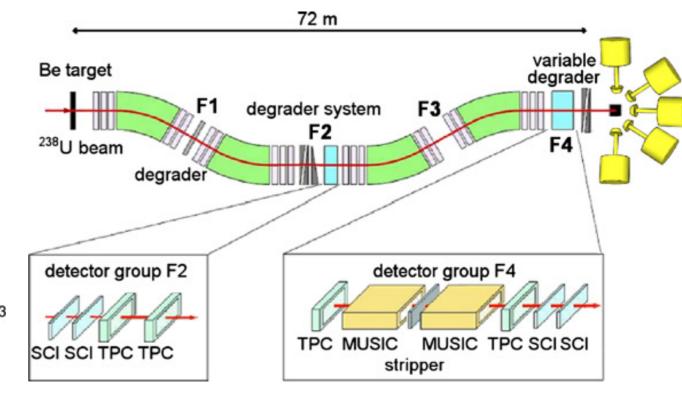


#### **Recent Works for New Isotope Search**

J. Kurcewicz et al., Phys. Lett. B 717 (2012) 371-375

# GSI (2012) <sup>238</sup>U 1GeV/u on Be Target fission abrasion



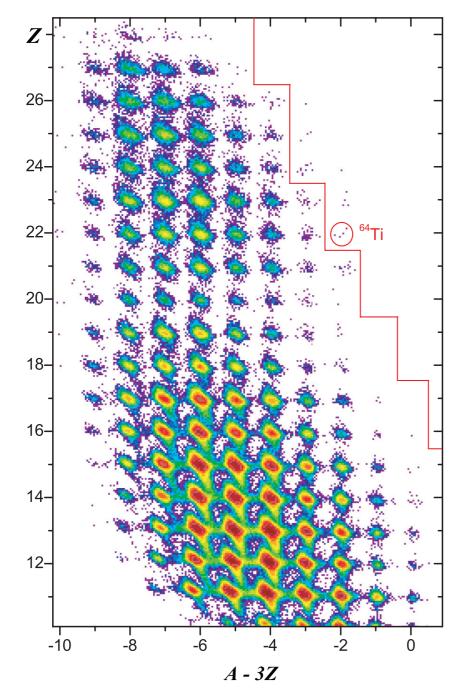


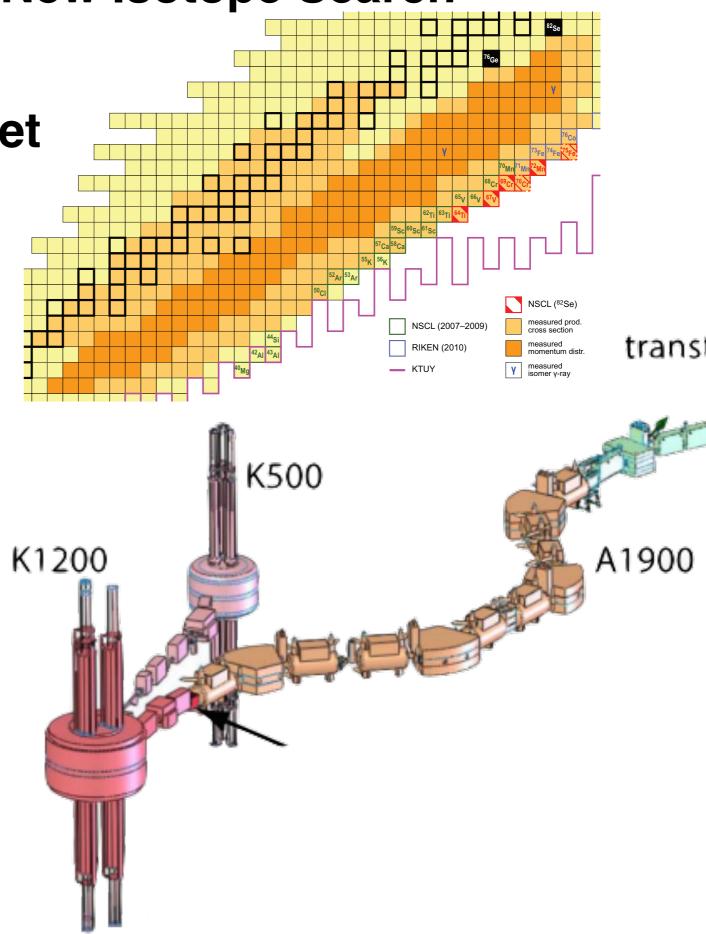
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_	<sup>157</sup> Nd*	980(40)	<sup>168</sup> Gd	78(5)	<sup>176</sup> Er	68(5)	<sup>188</sup> Lu	0.010(3)
	<sup>158</sup> Nd*	201(11)	<sup>169</sup> Gd	10.6(15)	<sup>177</sup> Er	18(2)	<sup>190</sup> Hf*	0.027(13)
	<sup>159</sup> Nd	39(4)	<sup>170</sup> Gd	2.6(8)	<sup>178</sup> Er	5.5(9)	<sup>193</sup> Ta	0.017(5)
	<sup>160</sup> Nd	9.5(22)	<sup>169</sup> Tb	751(28)	<sup>178</sup> Tm*	24(3)	<sup>194</sup> Ta	0.0037(19)
	<sup>161</sup> Nd	3.0(17)	<sup>170</sup> Tb	99(6)	<sup>179</sup> Tm	1.21(18)	<sup>195</sup> W*	0.049(1)
	<sup>160</sup> Pm	518(36)	<sup>171</sup> Tb	14(2)	<sup>180</sup> Tm	4.5(9)	<sup>196</sup> W	0.018(4)
	<sup>161</sup> Pm	161(9)	<sup>172</sup> Tb	1.0(4)	<sup>181</sup> Tm	0.6(3)	<sup>197</sup> W	0.0034(17)
0	<sup>162</sup> Pm	25(3)	<sup>171</sup> Dy	441(18)	<sup>181</sup> Yb*	2.3(3)	<sup>198</sup> Re*	0.028(7)
0	<sup>163</sup> Pm	4.5(15)	<sup>172</sup> Dy	121(7)	<sup>182</sup> Yb*	0.45(10)	<sup>199</sup> Re	0.0076(27)
	<sup>163</sup> Sm	134(11)	<sup>173</sup> Dy	18(2)	<sup>183</sup> Yb	0.21(5)	<sup>202</sup> Os	0.0044(20)
	<sup>164</sup> Sm	42(4)	<sup>174</sup> Dy	1.9(6)	<sup>184</sup> Yb	0.028(9)	<sup>203</sup> Os	0.0025(18)
	<sup>165</sup> Sm	7.8(16)	<sup>173</sup> Ho	341(15)	<sup>185</sup> Yb	0.007(3)	<sup>205</sup> Ir	0.003(2)
	<sup>167</sup> Eu	7.1(12)	<sup>174</sup> Ho	98(6)	<sup>185</sup> Lu*	0.22(7)	<sup>206</sup> Pt	0.033(11)
	<sup>168</sup> Eu	2.0(8)	<sup>175</sup> Ho	22(2)	<sup>186</sup> Lu*	0.15(4)	<sup>207</sup> Pt	0.008(3)
	<sup>167</sup> Gd	625(23)	<sup>176</sup> Ho	2.2(6)	<sup>187</sup> Lu	0.043(9)	<sup>208</sup> Pt	0.0027(15)

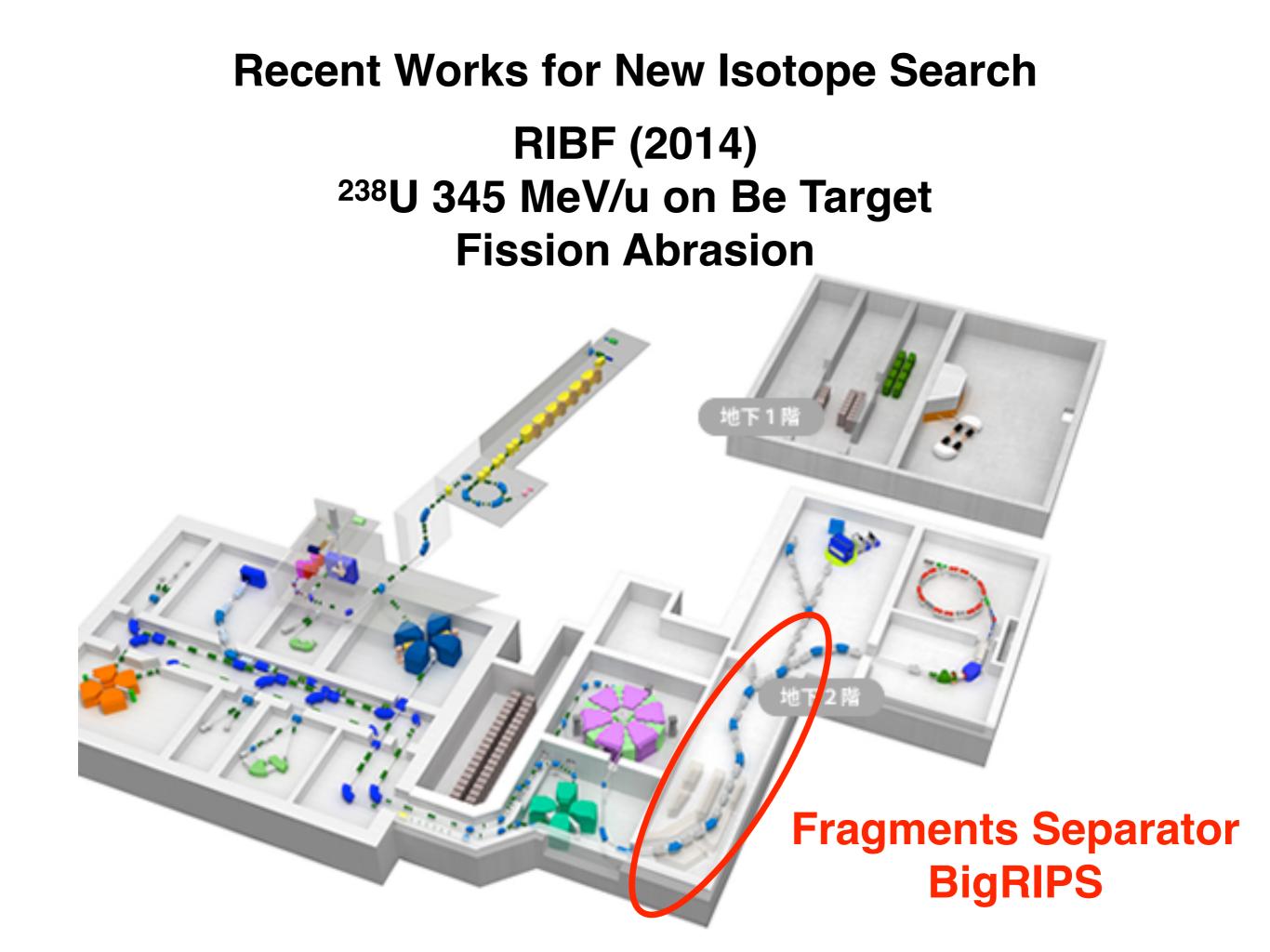
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#### NSCL (2013) <sup>82</sup>Se 139 MeV/u on Be Target Projectile Fragmentation

O. B. Tarasov et al., Phys. Rev. C 87, 054612 (2013)







# RI beams produced at BigRIPS (May 2007 – Dec. 2014)

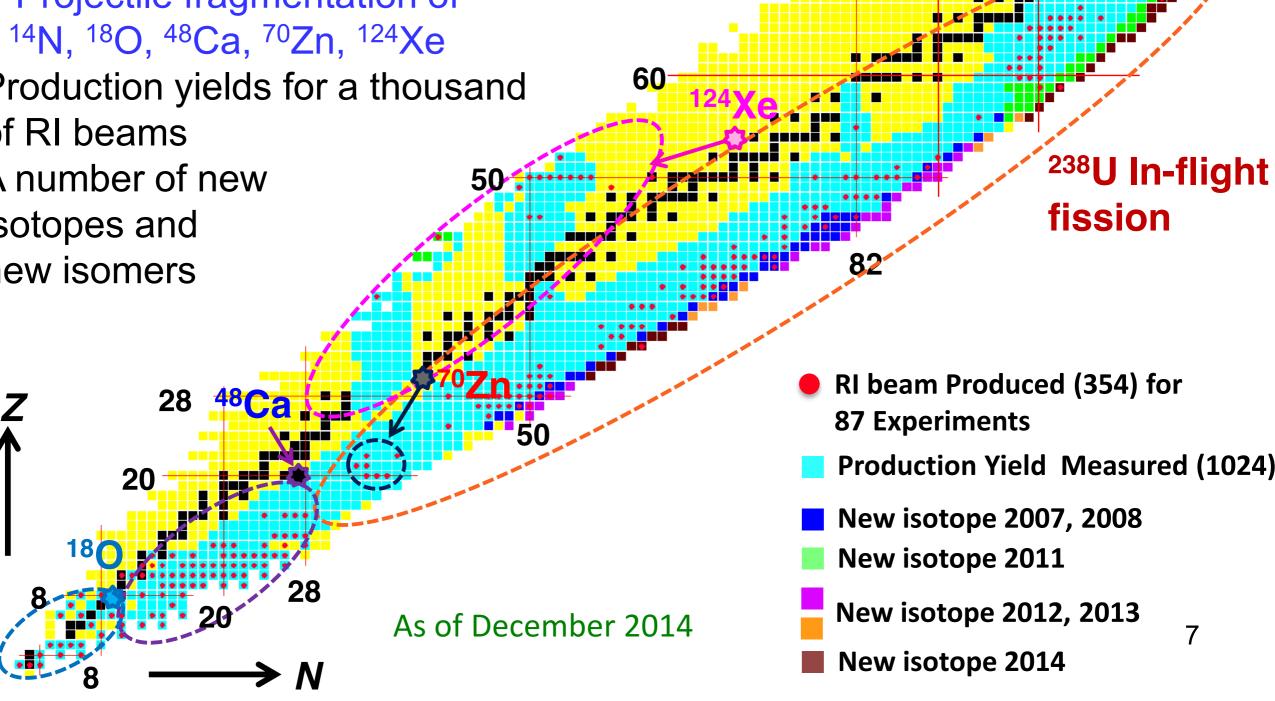
From presentation file of Prof. T. Kubo, RIKEN

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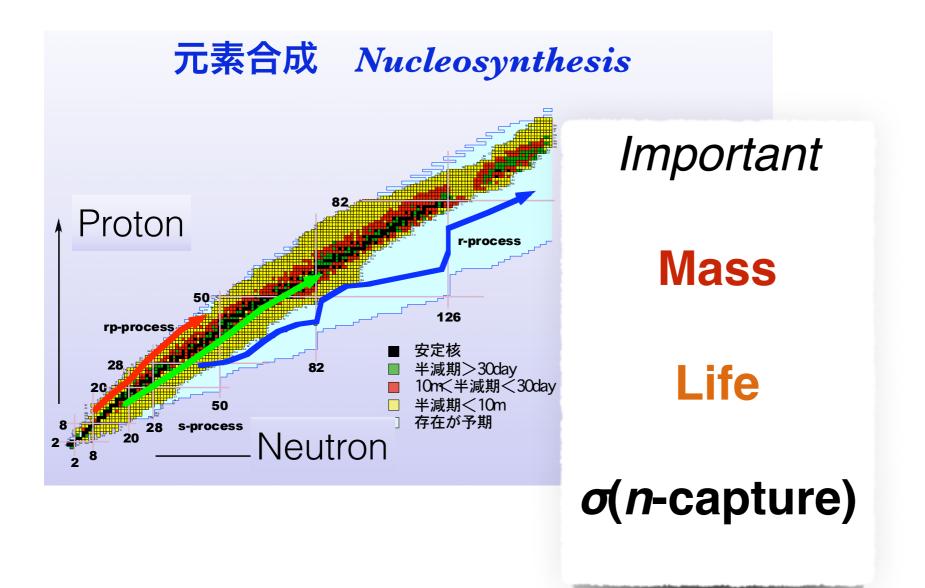
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- We have produced a total of 354 RI beams and delivered to 87 experiments.
- $\succ$  by using:
  - In-flight fission of <sup>238</sup>U
  - Projectile fragmentation of <sup>14</sup>N, <sup>18</sup>O, <sup>48</sup>Ca, <sup>70</sup>Zn, <sup>124</sup>Xe
- Production yields for a thousand of RI beams
- A number of new isotopes and new isomers

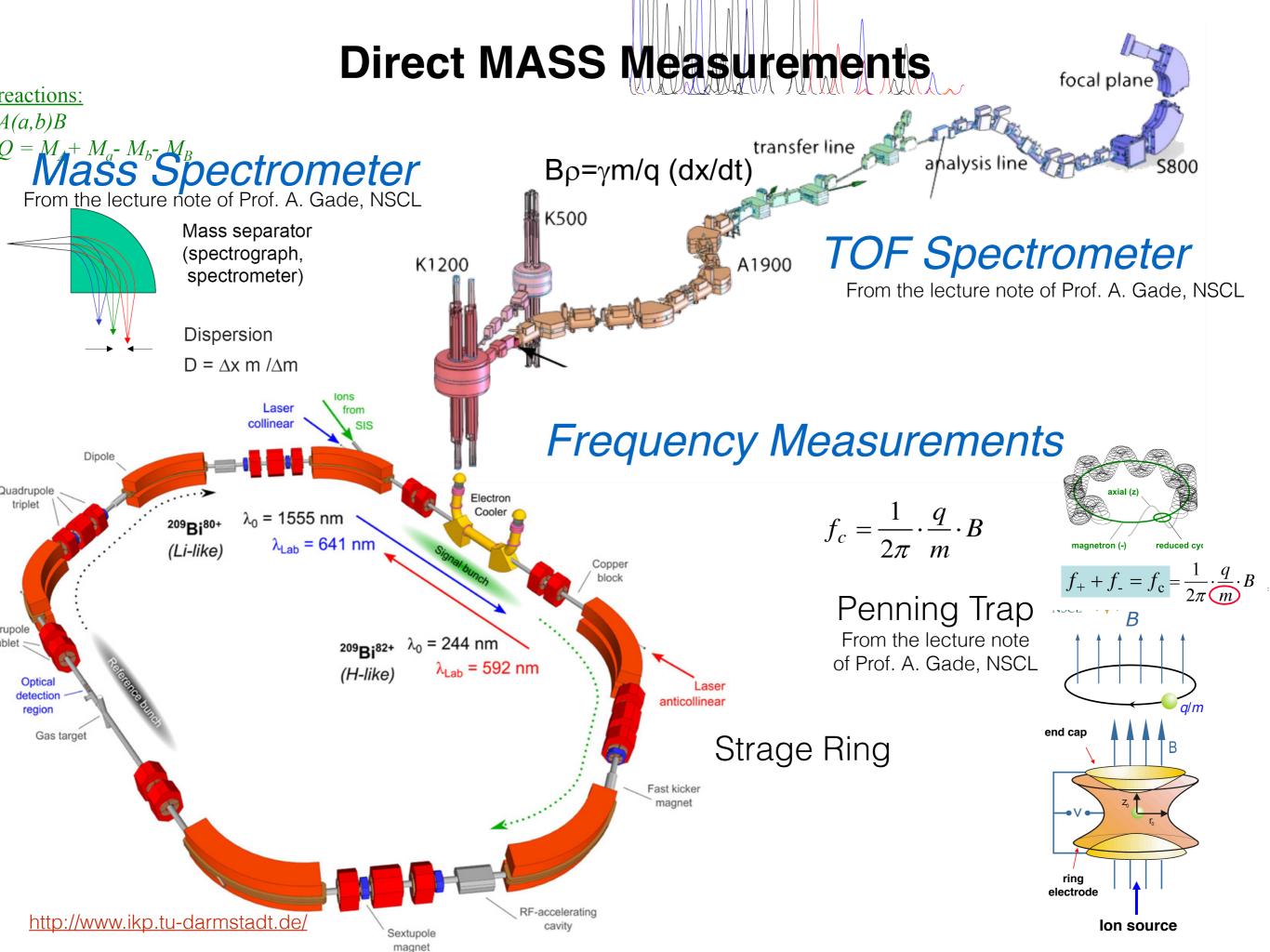


#### **Mass and Lifetime Measurements**

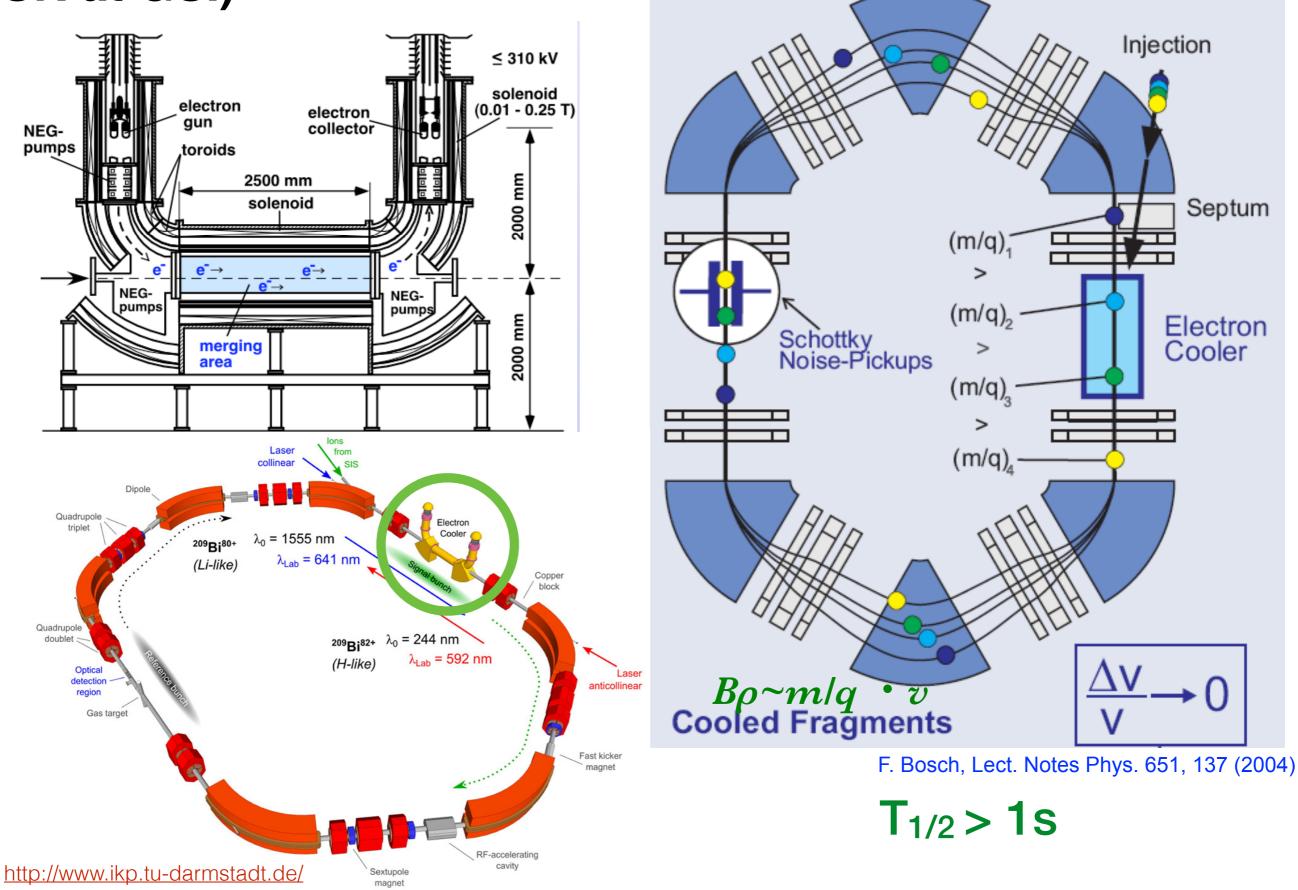


# Mass Measurements of unstable nuclei Lifetime of neutron-rich nuclei

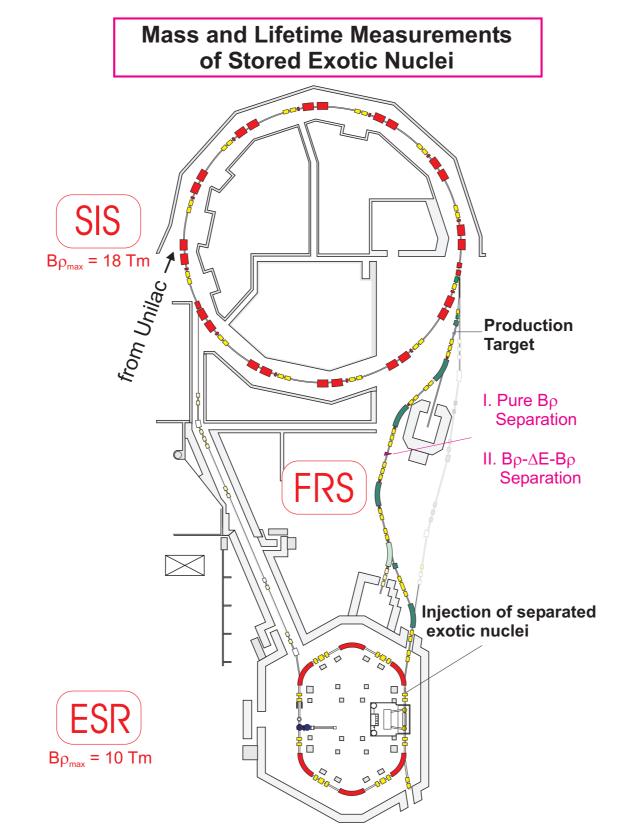
Lifetime of bare nuclei • • • Re/Os clock

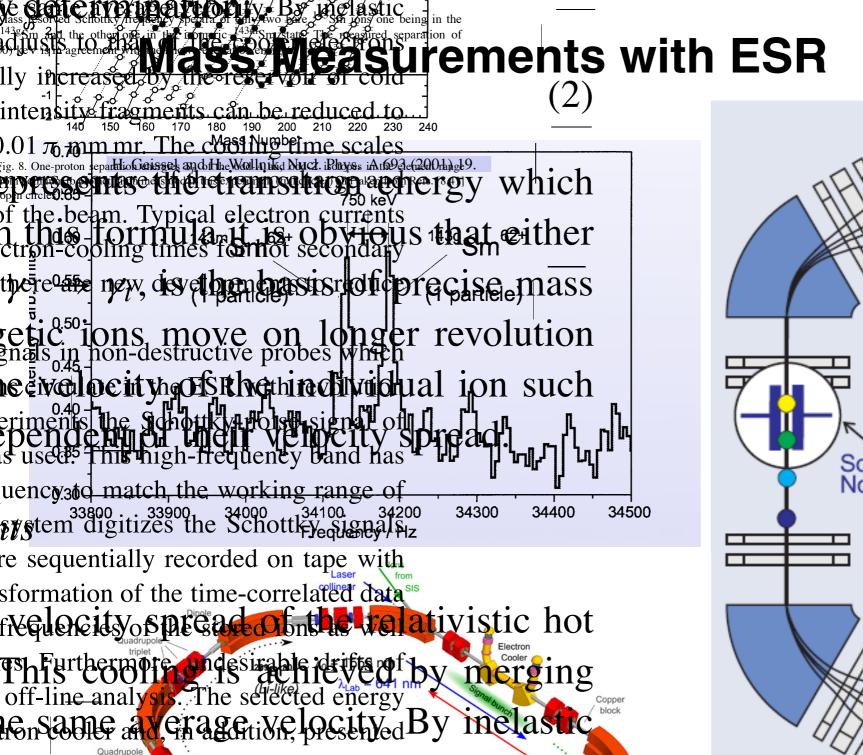


# Mass Measurements with Experimental Storage Ring (ESR at GSI)



# Mass Measurements with Strage Ring (ESR at GSI)





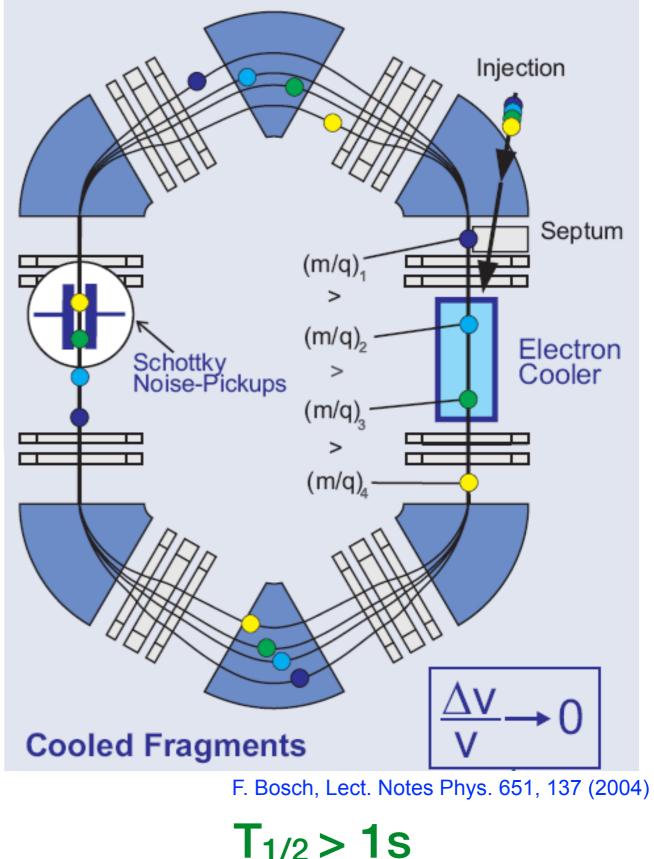
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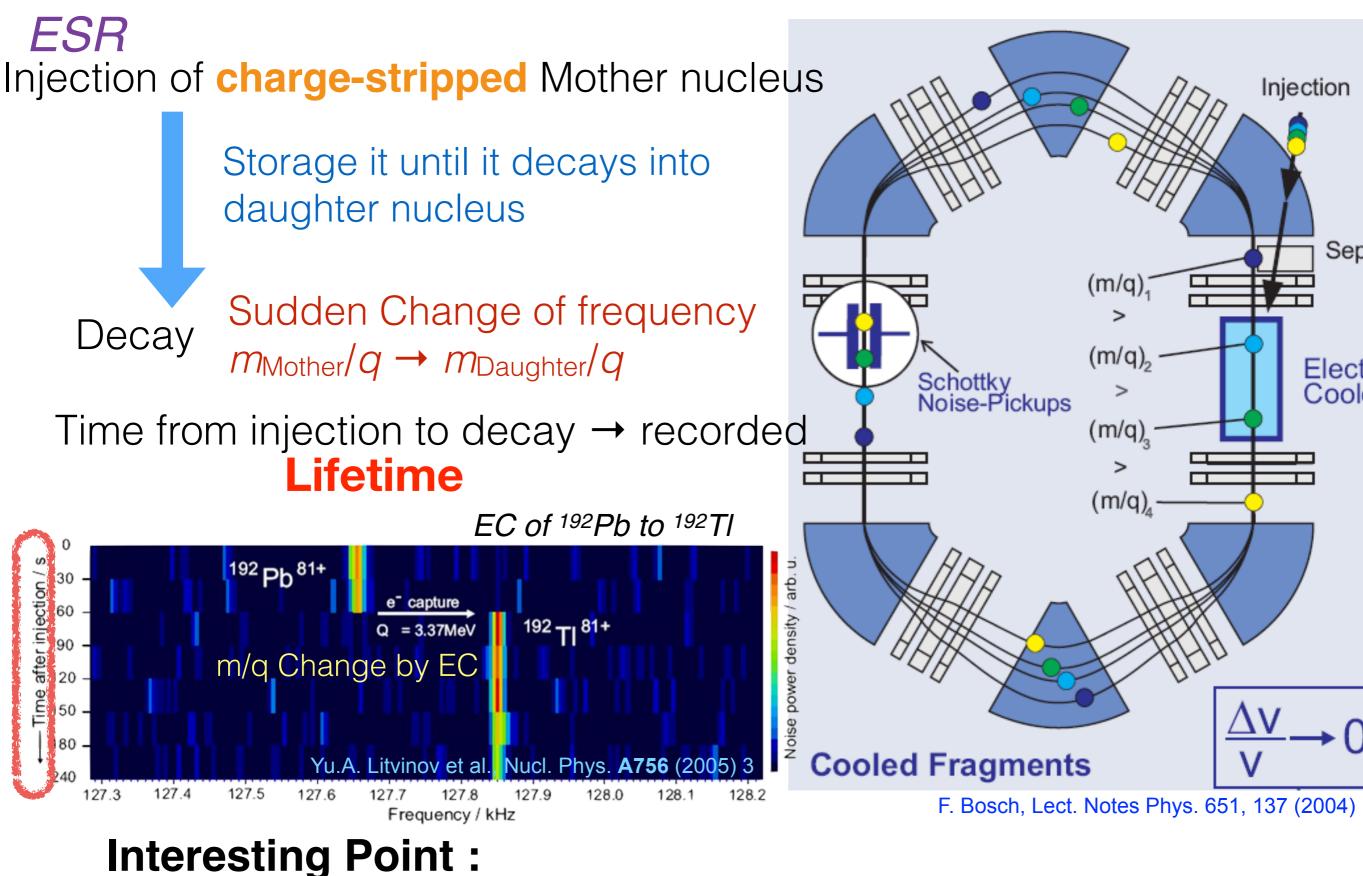
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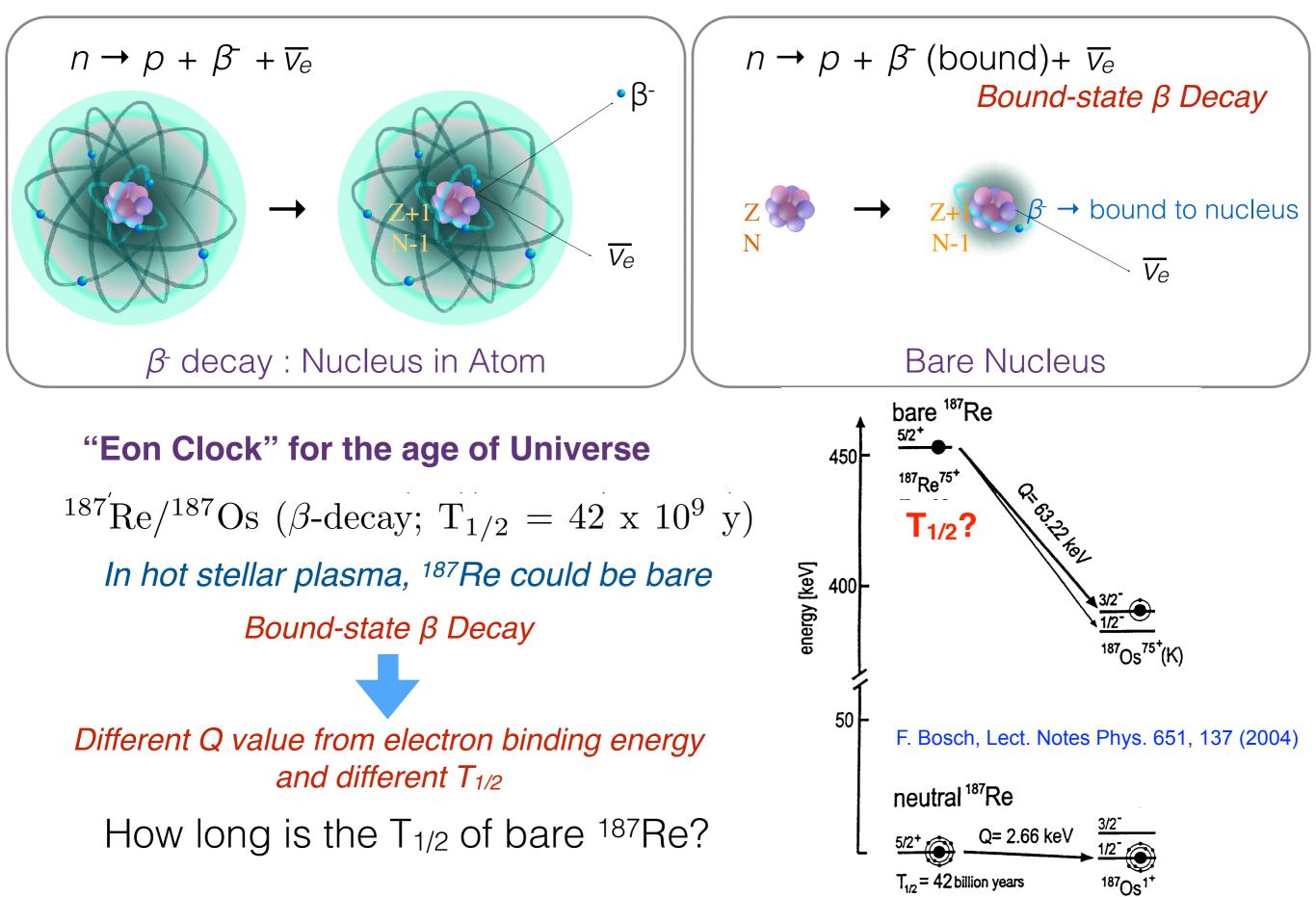


#### Lifetime Measurements with ESR



# Lifetime obtained using ESR = Lifetime of "Bare Nucleus"

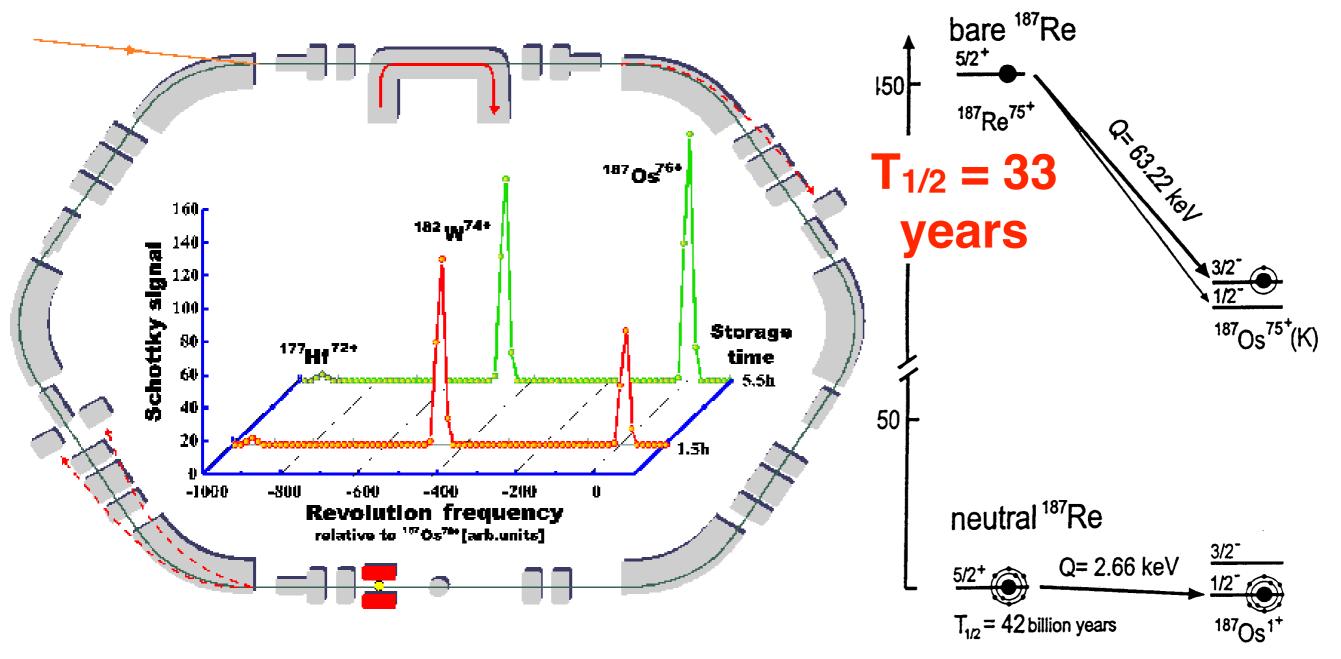
#### Lifetime Measurements with ESR



#### Lifetime Measurements of <sup>187</sup>Re

F. Bosch, Lect. Notes Phys. 651, 137 (2004)

Beam : 400 MeV/u full-strip <sup>187</sup>Re Primary Beam from SIS



 $10^8$  stored primary bare <sup>187</sup>Re ions, a few hundred <sup>187</sup>Os ions per hour were generated. From those numbers the impressively short half-life of 33 years for bare <sup>187</sup>Re has been determined.

# Lifetime Measurements at RIBF EURICA Project

# Lifetime Measurements at RIBF

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**EURICA** 

(Euroball-RIKEN Cluster Array)

EURICA

ZDS

# **EURICA Project**

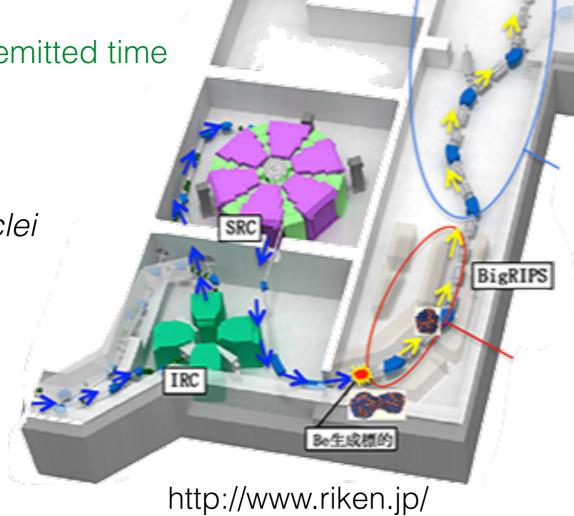
### PID tag : BigRIPS and ZDS

# Beta-ray detection WAS3ABi

- DSSSD
- → Tag the daughter which emits beta, from position information
- Measurements of beet-emitted time
- → Lifetime

Gamma-ray from Isomer and Daughter Nuclei EURICA

- Isomer tag
- $\beta$  delayed gamma



WAS3ABi

(Wide range Active Silicon-Strip Stopper Arra for Beta and ion detection)

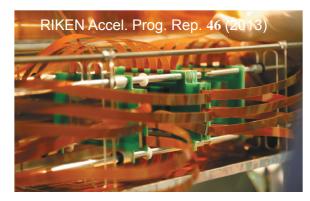
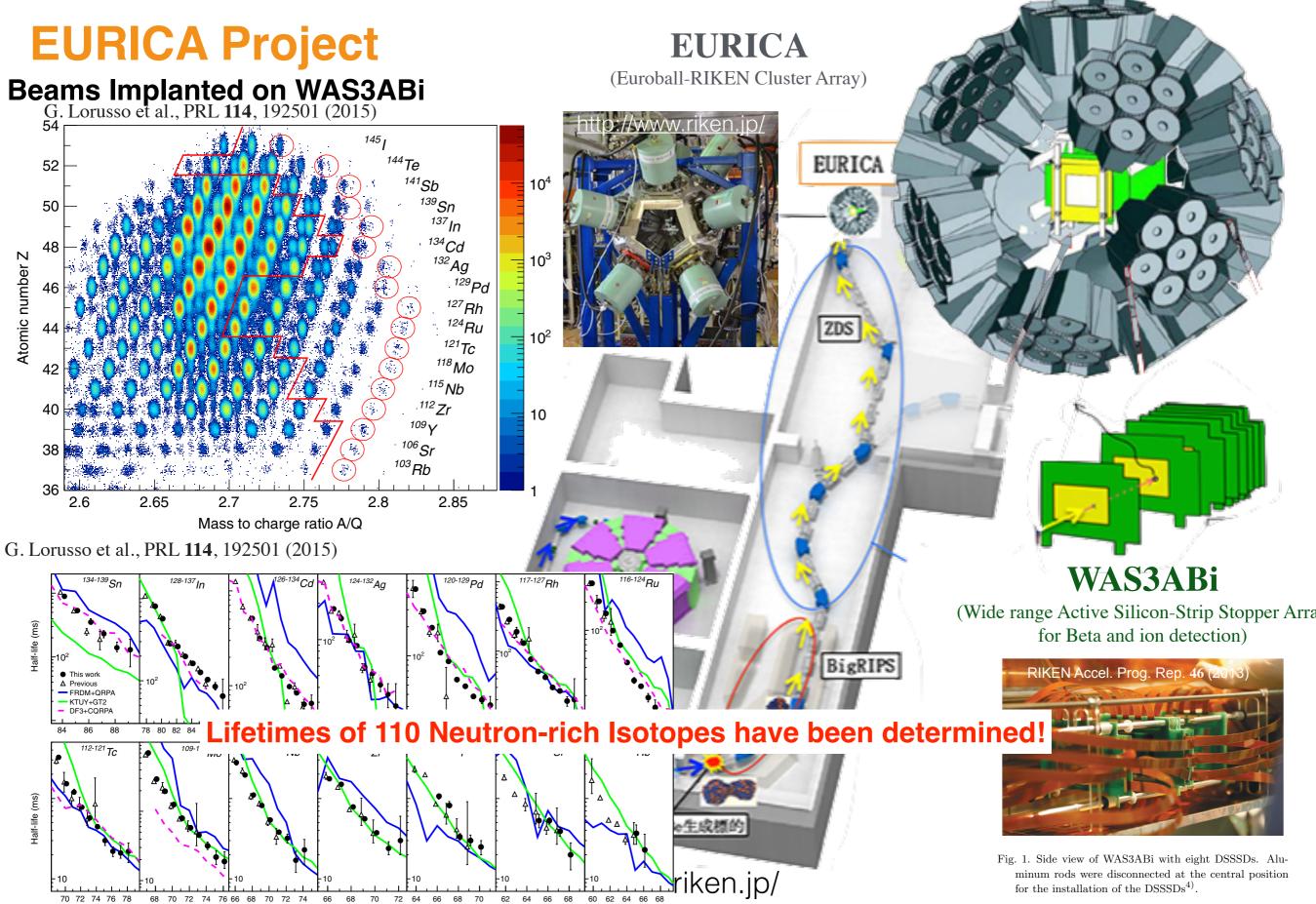


Fig. 1. Side view of WAS3ABi with eight DSSSDs. Aluminum rods were disconnected at the central position for the installation of the  $DSSSDs^{4)}$ .

# **Lifetime Measurements at RIBF**



## **Nuclear Radii Measurements**

# **Nuclear Radii Measurements**

Stable Nuclei :

Electron Scattering Experiment X-ray Measurements Muonic Atom

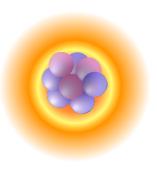
Unstable Nuclei : Isotope shift Measurements

Stable Nuclei or Unstable Nuclei Nuclear Reaction Elastic Scattering Cross Section Total Reaction Cross Section

With some model assumption

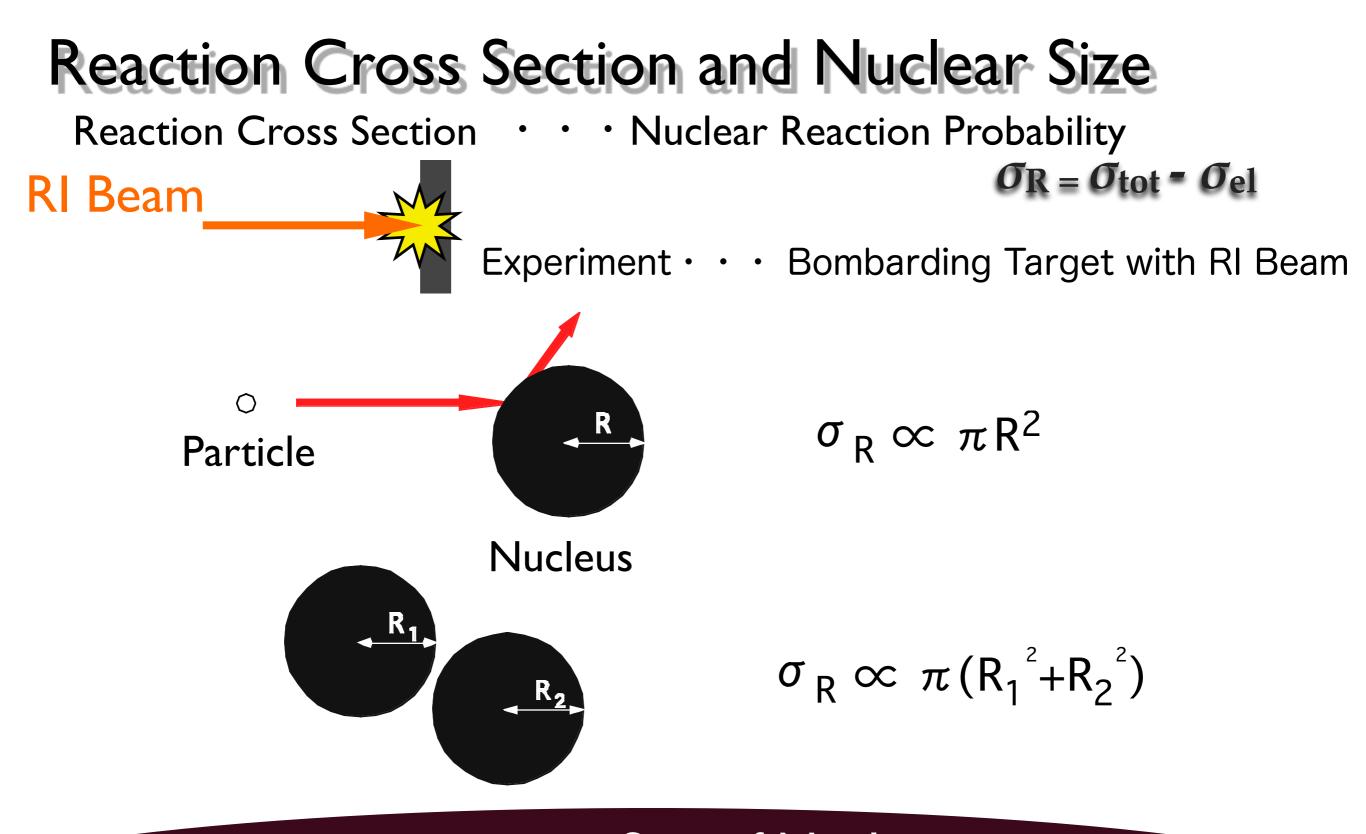
**Charge Radii** 

Sensitive to the Coulomb Potential of Protons



Matter Radii Sensitive to the

Nuclear Potential of Nucleons



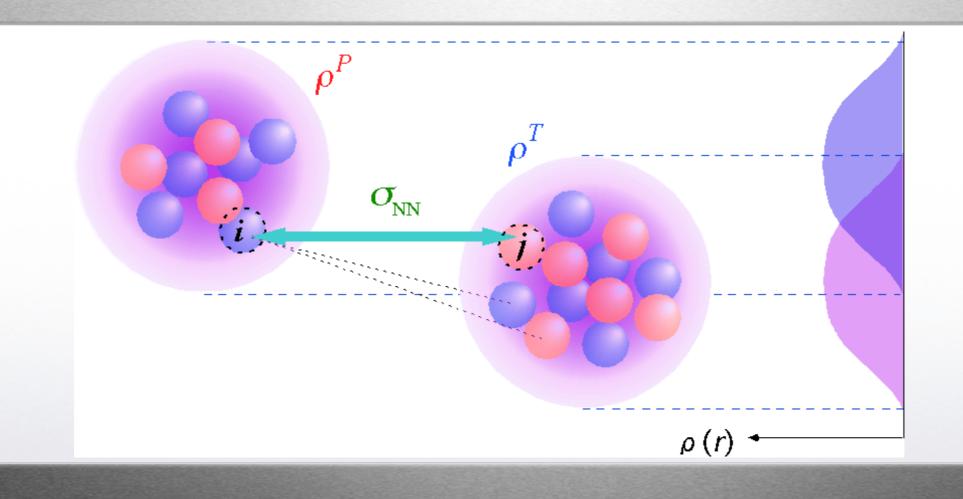
 $\sigma_R \cdot \cdot \cdot$  Size of Nuclei

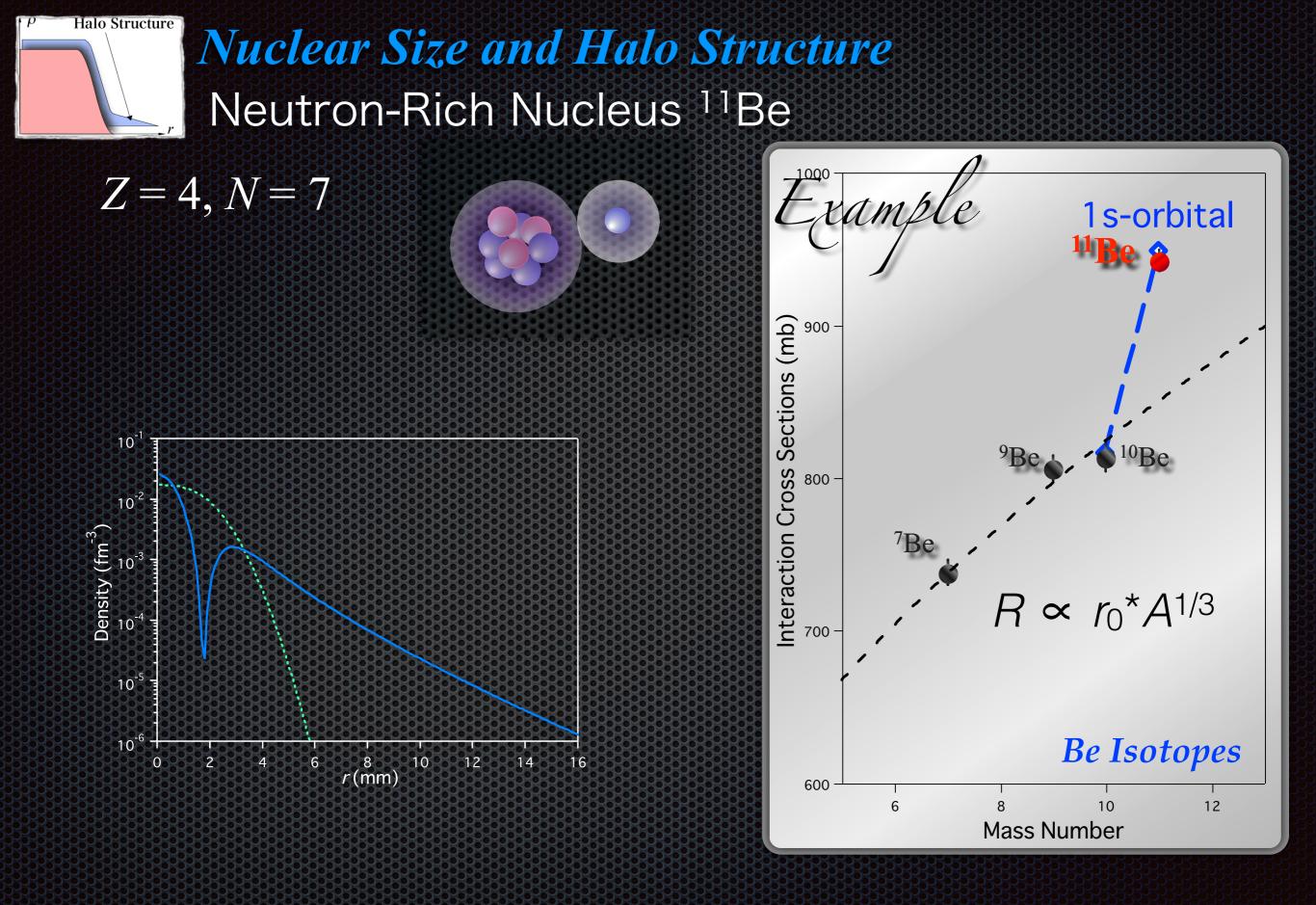
 $\sigma_{\rm I} \simeq \sigma_{\rm R}$  at high energies

**Glauber Model**  
$$\sigma_{R} = \int db \left[ 1 - \exp\left(-\int d^{2}r \sum_{i,j} \sigma_{NN}(E) \rho_{z}^{P_{i}}(r) \rho_{z}^{T_{j}}(r-b)\right) \right]$$

 $\sigma_{NN}$  Nucleon-Nucleon Total Cross Section  $\rho^{P}$  Projectile Nucleon Density Distribution  $\rho^{T}$  Target Nucleon Density Distribution

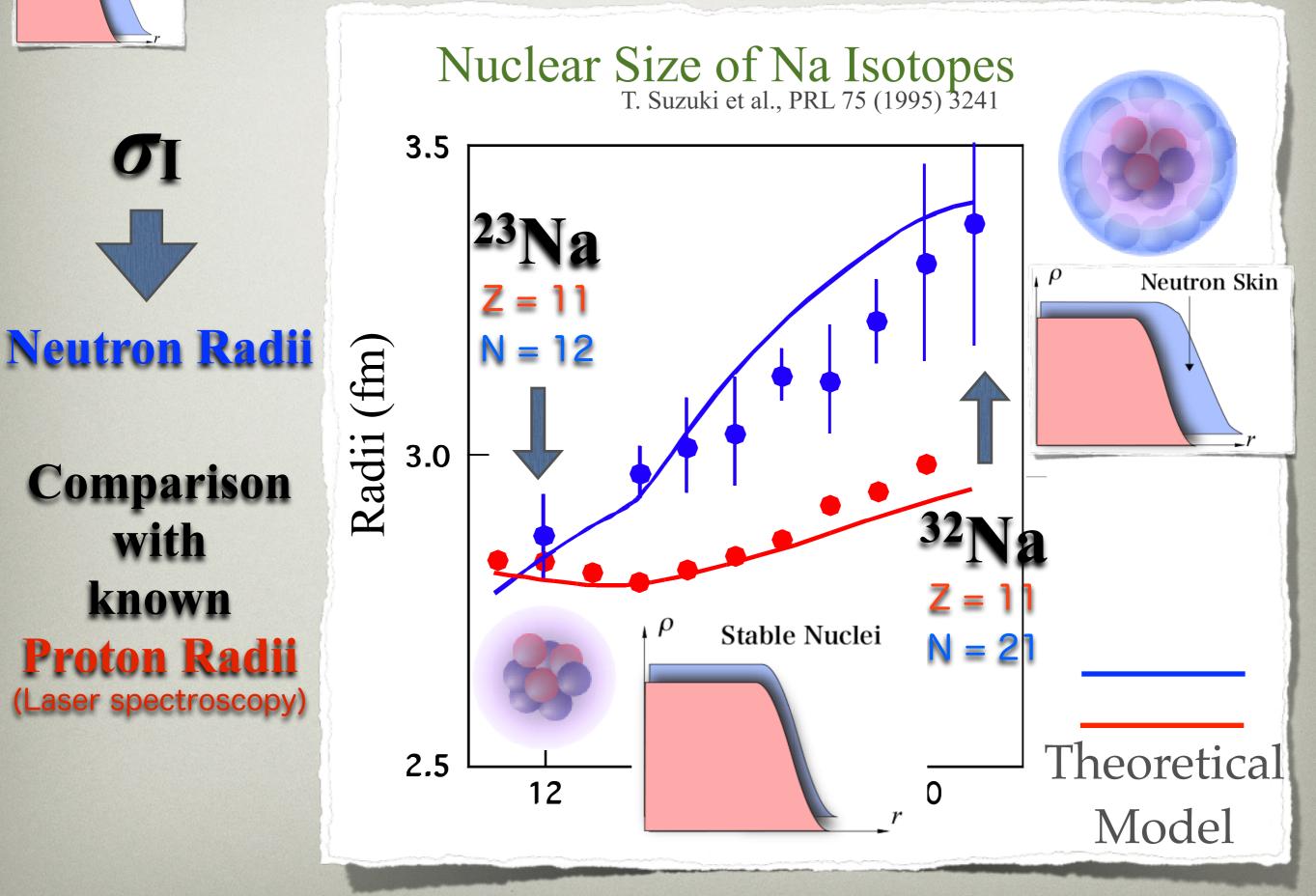




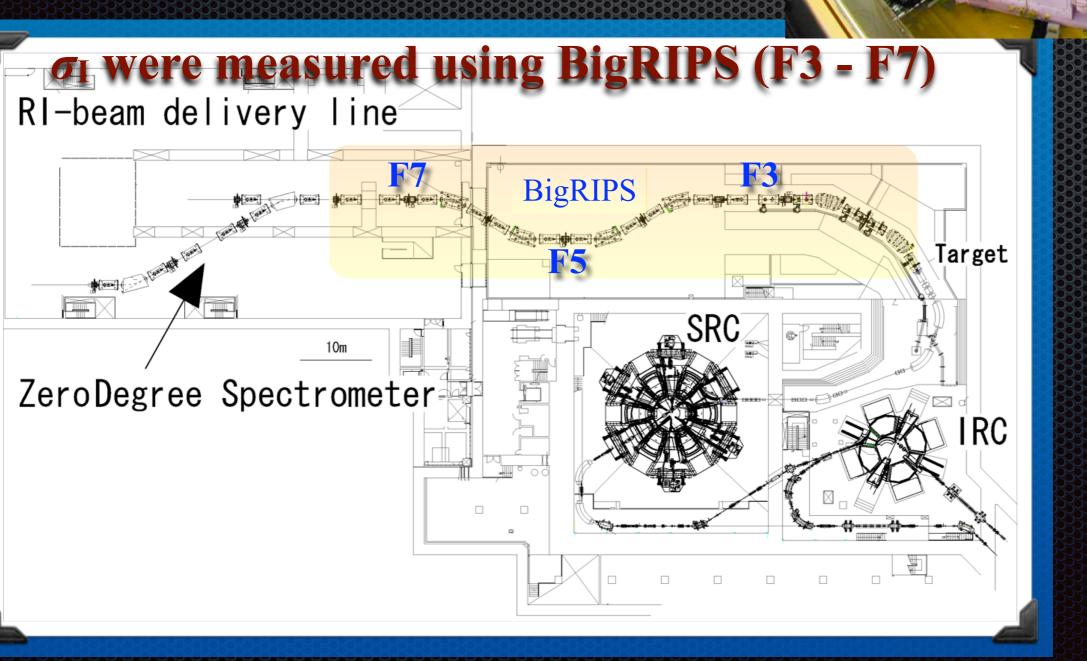


# Nuclear Size and Skin formation

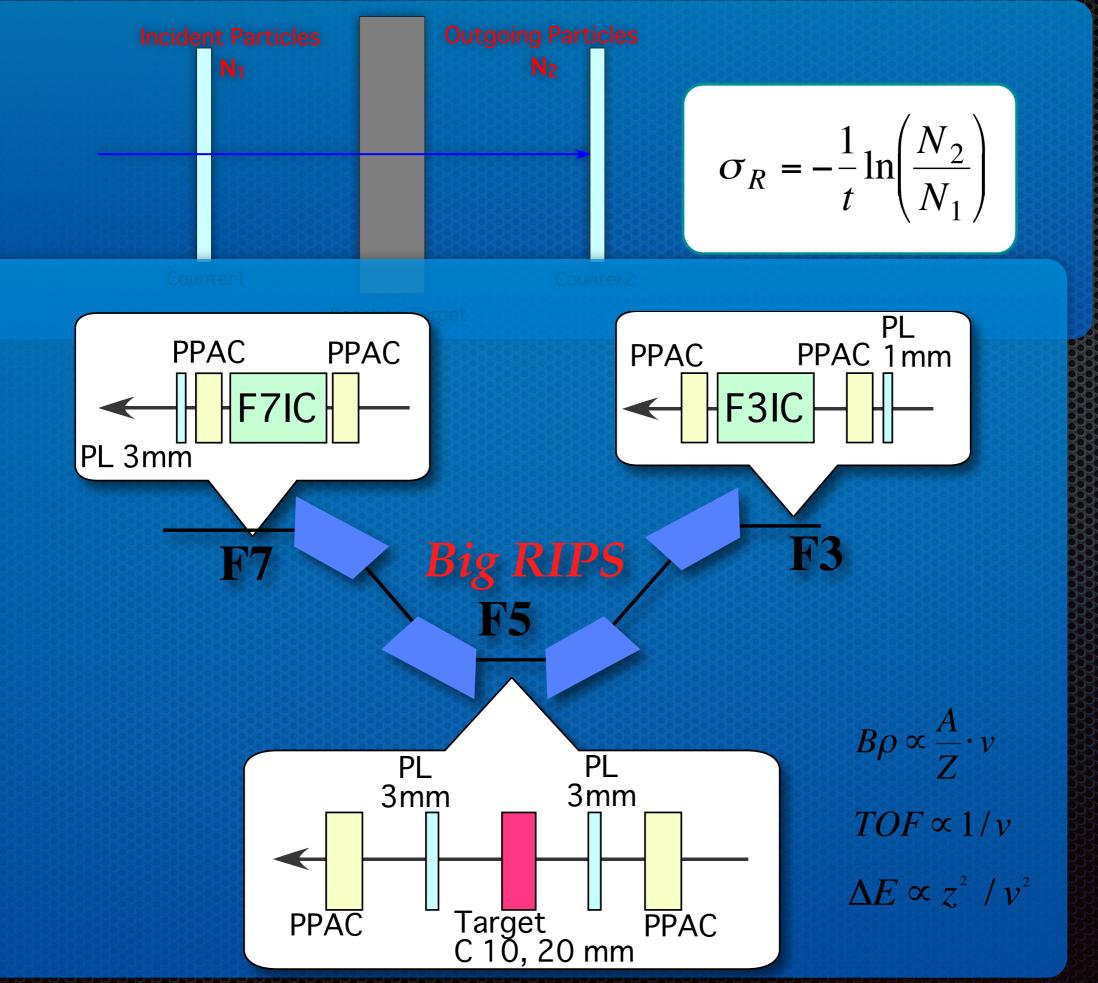
Neutron Skin



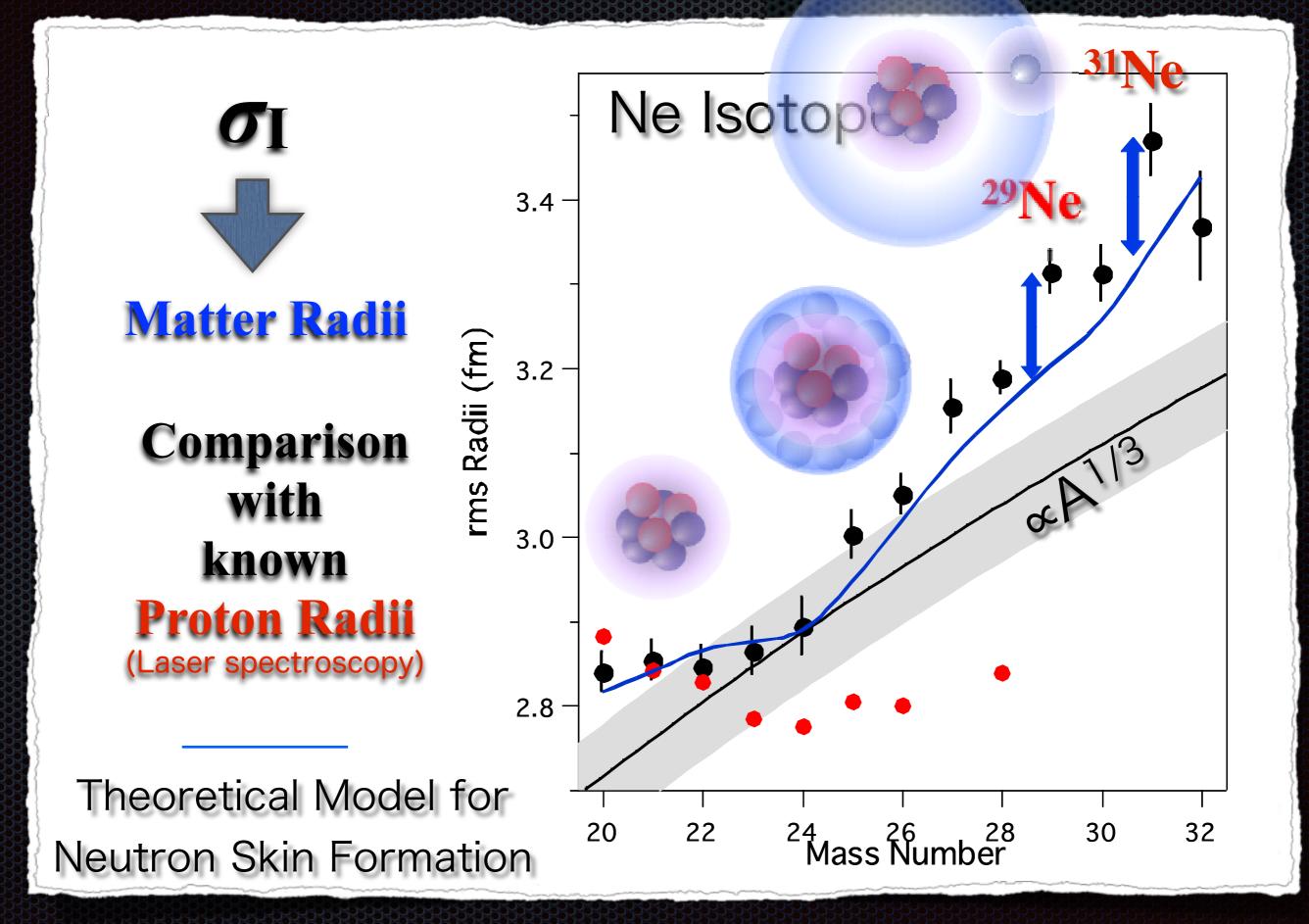
*Experiment : Measurements of RIBF, RIKEN* Primary Beam <sup>48</sup>Ca Secondary Beam <sup>20-32</sup>Ne



#### **Transmission Method**



# Neutron Skin Formation in Ne Isotopes



### Near Future Experiment Neutron Skin Determination for Ni isotope at RIBF

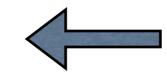
~ EOS for asymmetric nuclear matter ~

# Study of Nuclear Matter from Symmetric to Asymmetric

#### Symmetric nuclear matter

- Saturation density ~0.17 fm<sup>-3</sup>
- Energy per particle ~-16MeV
- Nearly incompressible

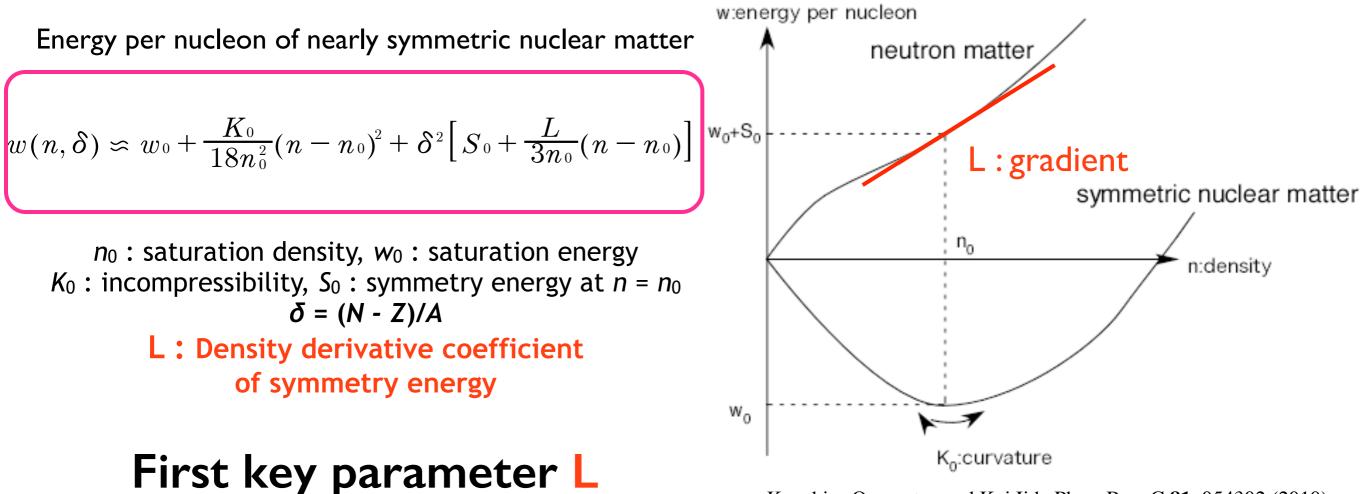
#### Asymmetric nuclear matter



From Radii, Mass, Collective Excitation data for stable nuclei

To describe the property of extreme matter

Neutron Star : Structure, Mass, Radius



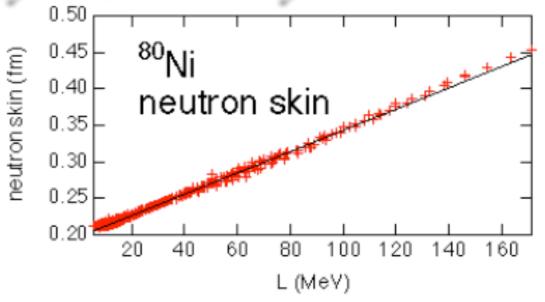
Kazuhiro Oyamatsu and Kei Iida Phys. Rev. C 81, 054302 (2010)

# Study of Nuclear Matter from Symmetric to Asymmetric

How to know L?

Information from atomic nuclei

Many theories indicate strong correlation between neutron skin thickness and L



Kazuhiro Oyamatsu and Kei Iida Phys. Rev. C 81, 054302 (2010)

**One Simple correlation** 

M. Centelles et al., PRL 102, 122502 (2009)

EOS around N=Z  $w(n, \delta) \approx w_0 + \frac{K_0}{18n_0^2}(n-n_0)^2 + \delta^2 \left[S_0 + \frac{L}{3n_0}(n-n_0)\right]$ Droplet Model  $E_B = a_V A - a_S A^{2/3} - a_C \frac{Z^2}{A^{1/3}} - \frac{a_A (A-2Z)^2}{A} - \delta(A, Z)$ 

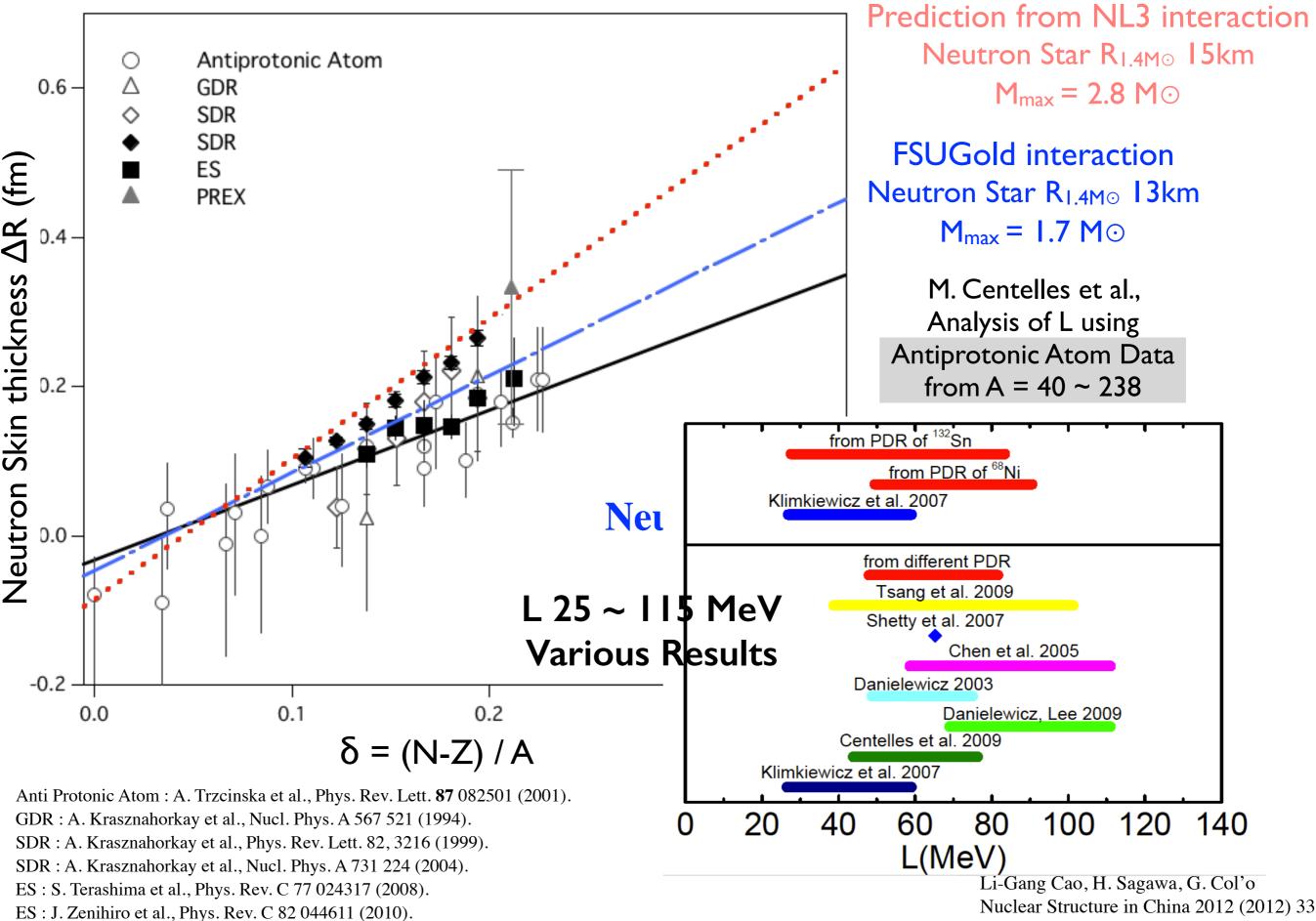
> When the density of nuclear matter is around nuclear surface density Symmetry term  $\mathbf{a}_{A} \simeq \text{symmetry term of EOS}$   $\sim 0.1 \text{ fm}^{-3}$

> > Neutron skin thickness  $\Delta R \sim L \times \delta + correction term \delta = (N - Z)/A, A > 40$

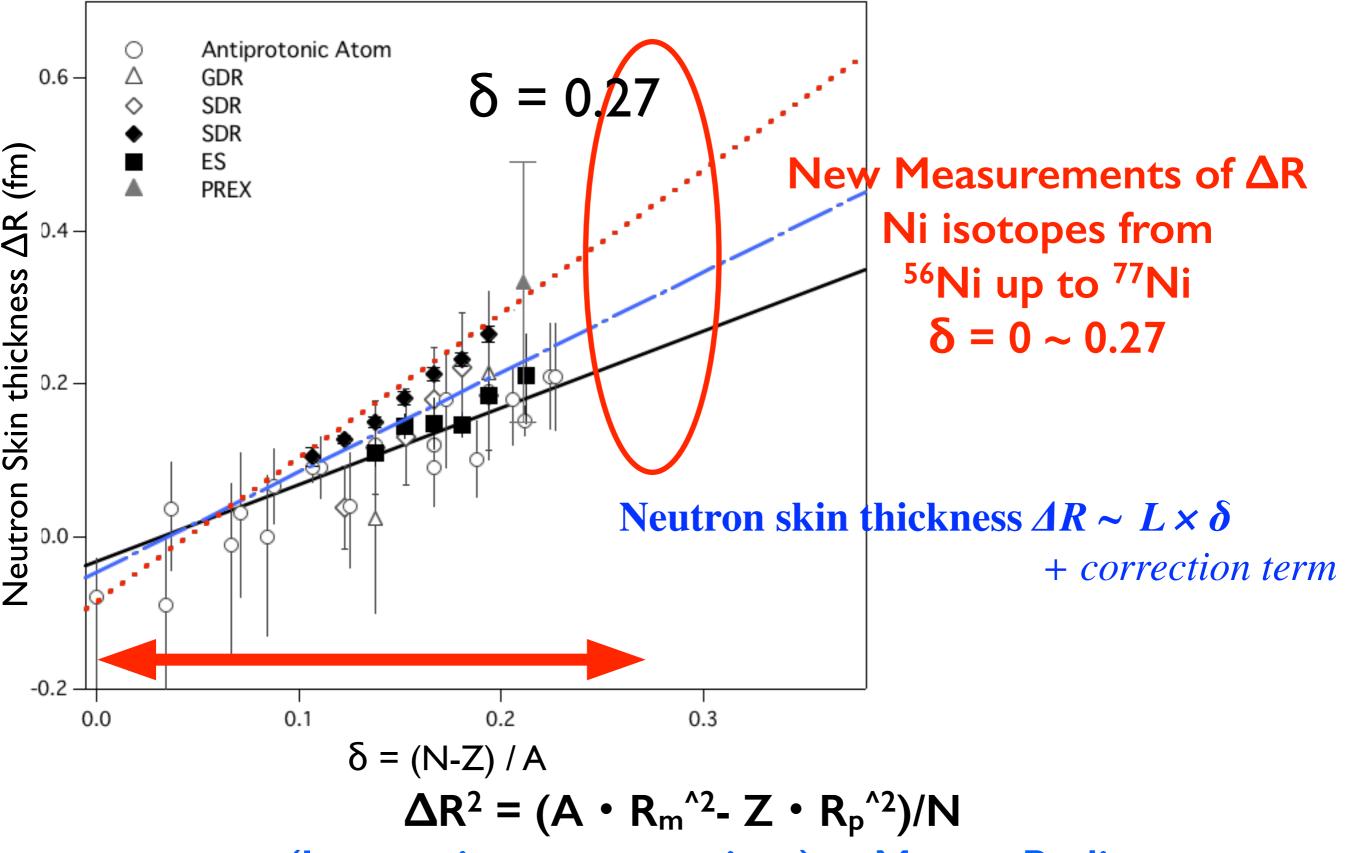
# Measurement of $\delta$ dependence of $\Delta R$



# Neutron Skin Measurements and Models



Neutron Skin Measurements and Models



 $\sigma_{I}$  (Interaction cross section )  $\rightarrow$  Matter Radius  $\sigma_{CC}$  (Charge changing cross section )  $\rightarrow$  Charge Radius