

# The use of storage rings and active targets in the study of giant resonances

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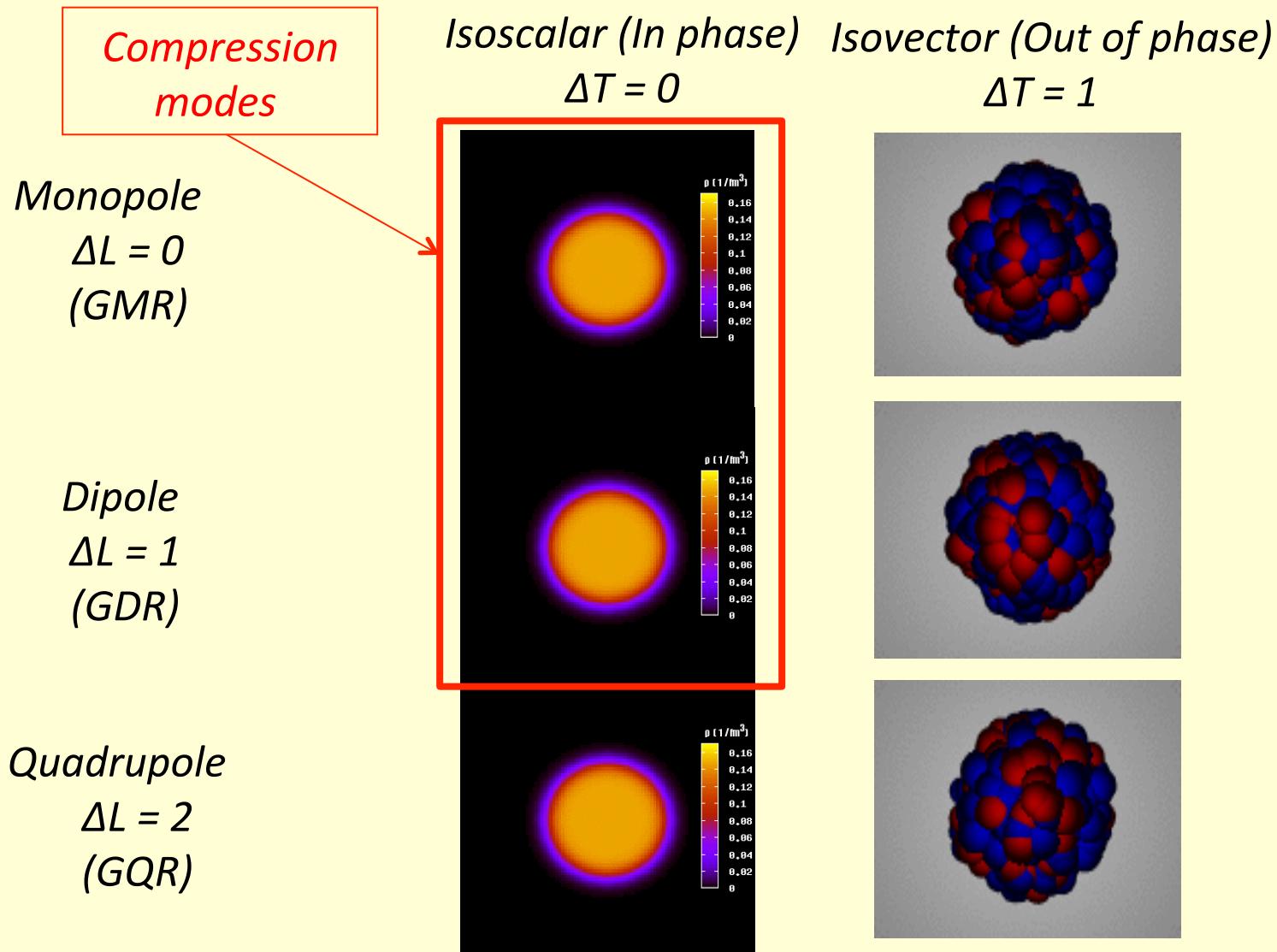
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# Bulk Properties



# Example: The Collective Response of the Nucleus: Giant Resonances



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Electric giant resonances

Dipole  
(GDR)

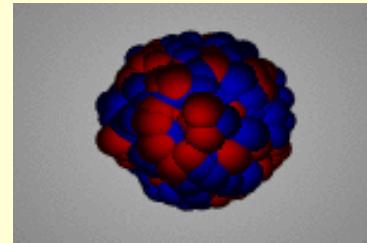
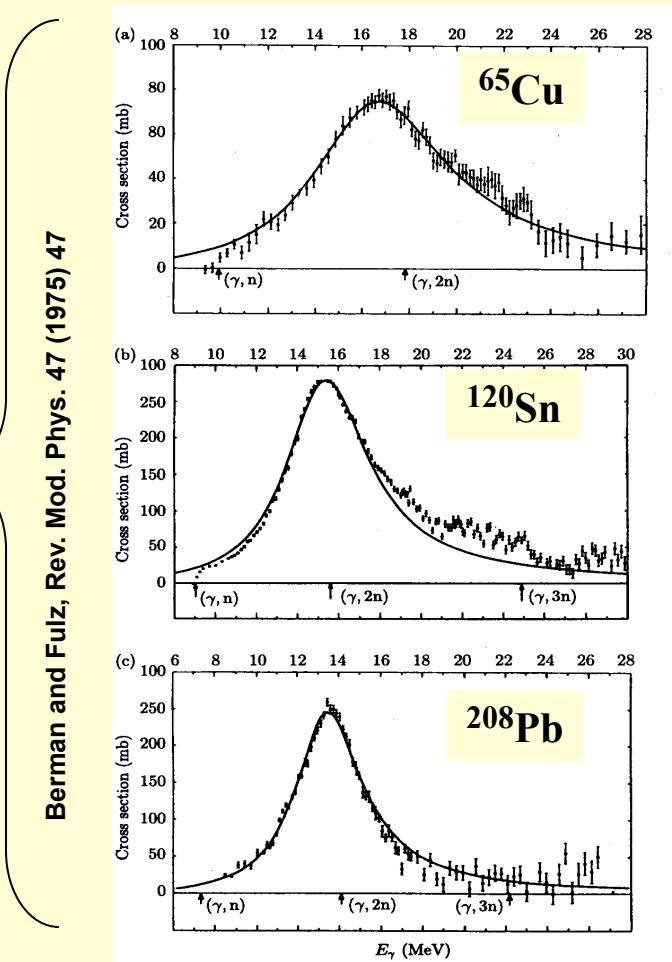
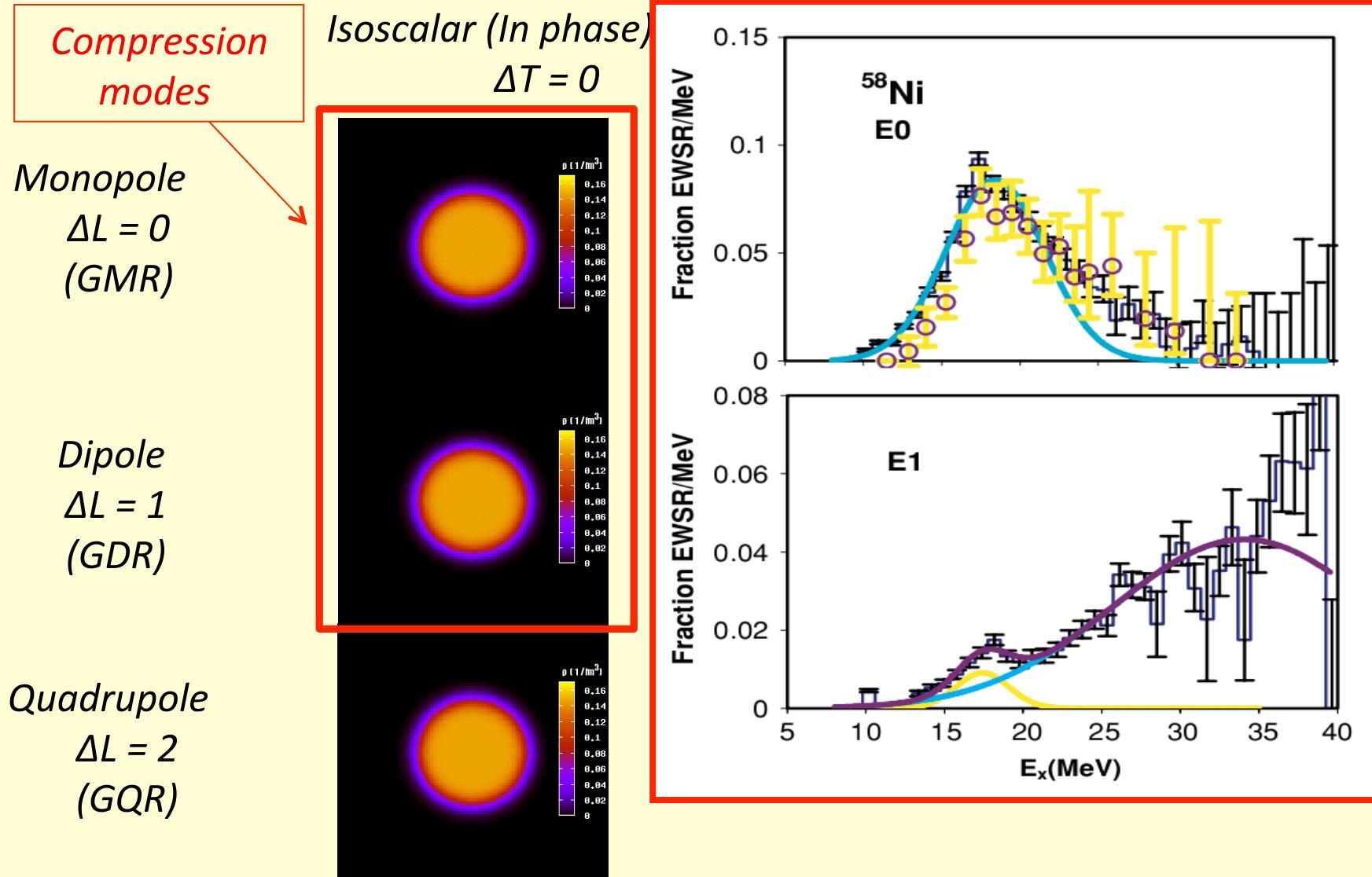


Photo-neutron  
cross sections



# Example:

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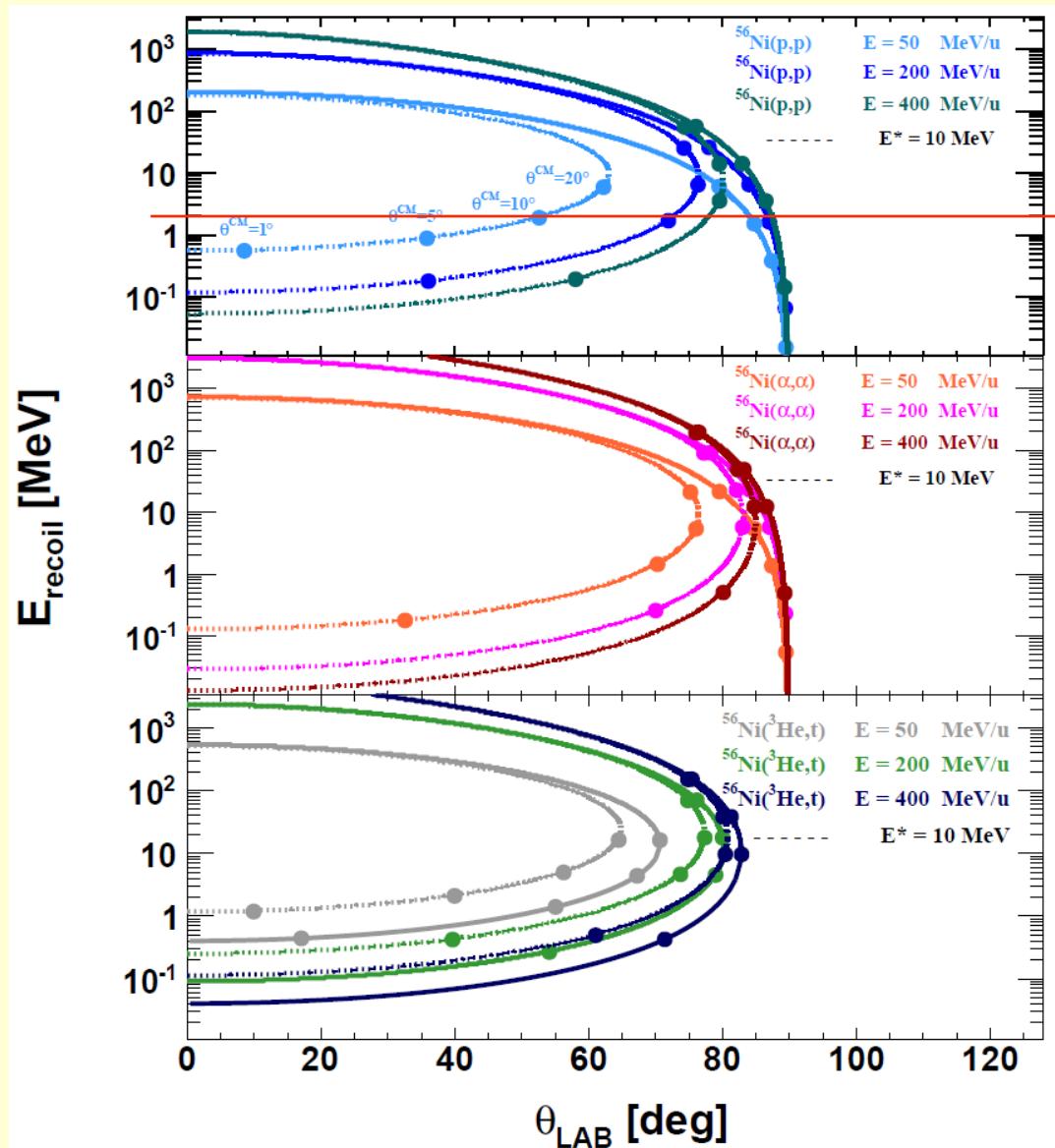


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# Why low momentum transfers hadronic scattering?

- ✓ Investigation of Nuclear Matter Distributions along Isotopic Chains:
  - ⇒ halo, skin structure
  - ⇒ probe in-medium interactions at extreme isospin (almost pure neutron matter)
  - ⇒ in combination with electron scattering (ELISe project @ FAIR):  
separate neutron/proton content of nuclear matter (deduce neutron skins)
- method: elastic proton scattering at low q: high sensitivity to nuclear periphery
- ✓ Investigation of Giant Monopole Resonance in Doubly Magic Nuclei:
  - ⇒ gives access to nuclear compressibility ⇒ key parameters of the EOS
  - ⇒ new collective modes (breathing mode of neutron skin)
- method: inelastic  $\alpha$  scattering at low q
- ✓ Investigation of Gamow-Teller Transitions:
  - ⇒ weak interaction rates for  $N = Z$  waiting point nuclei in the rp-process
  - ⇒ electron capture rates in the pre-supernova evolution (core collapse)
- method: ( $^3\text{He}, t$ ), ( $d, ^2\text{He}$ ) charge exchange reactions at low q

# Kinematics for inverse reaction for $^{56}\text{Ni}$



# The EXL Collaboration



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VTT Helsinki



IPN Orsay, CEA Saclay



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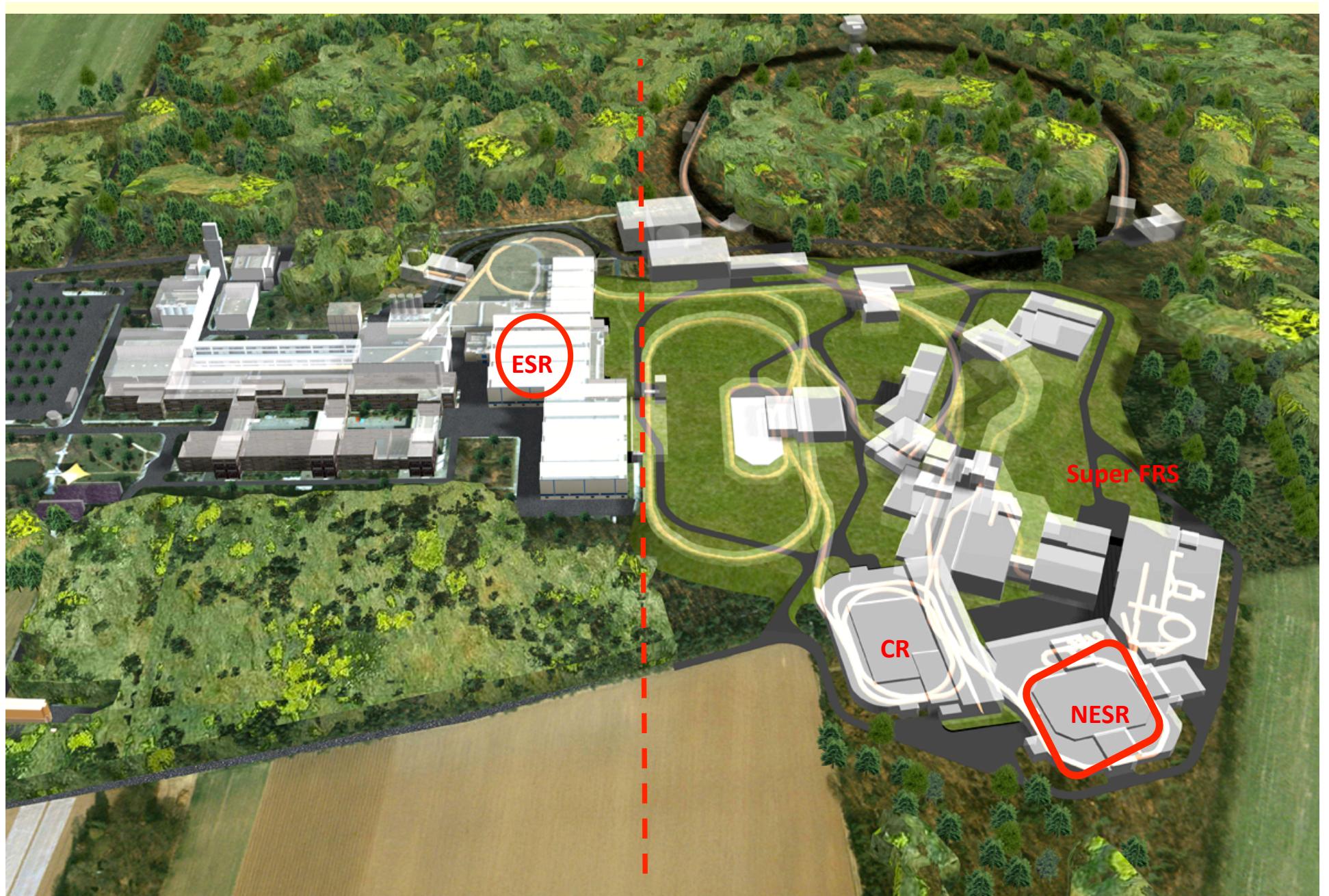


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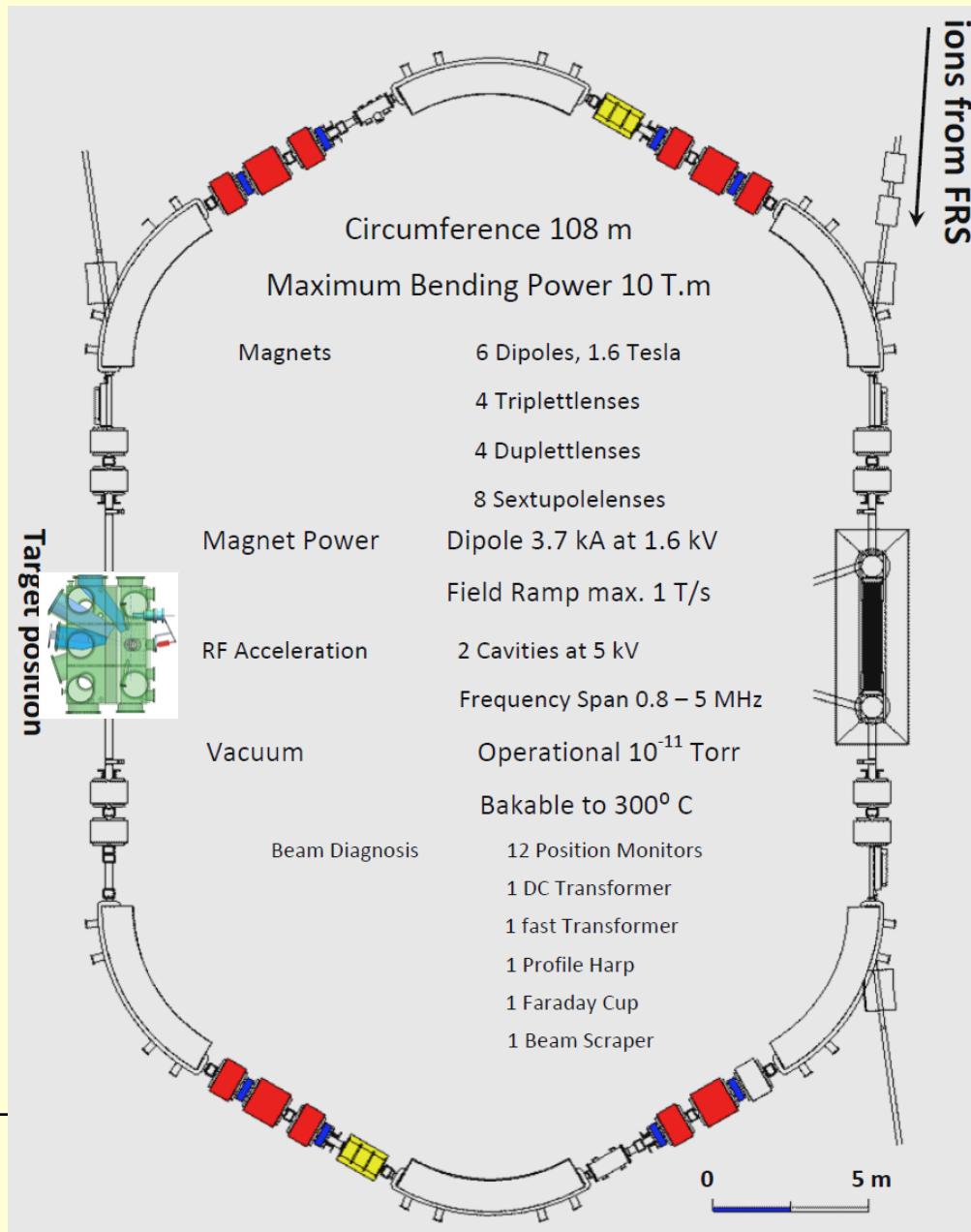
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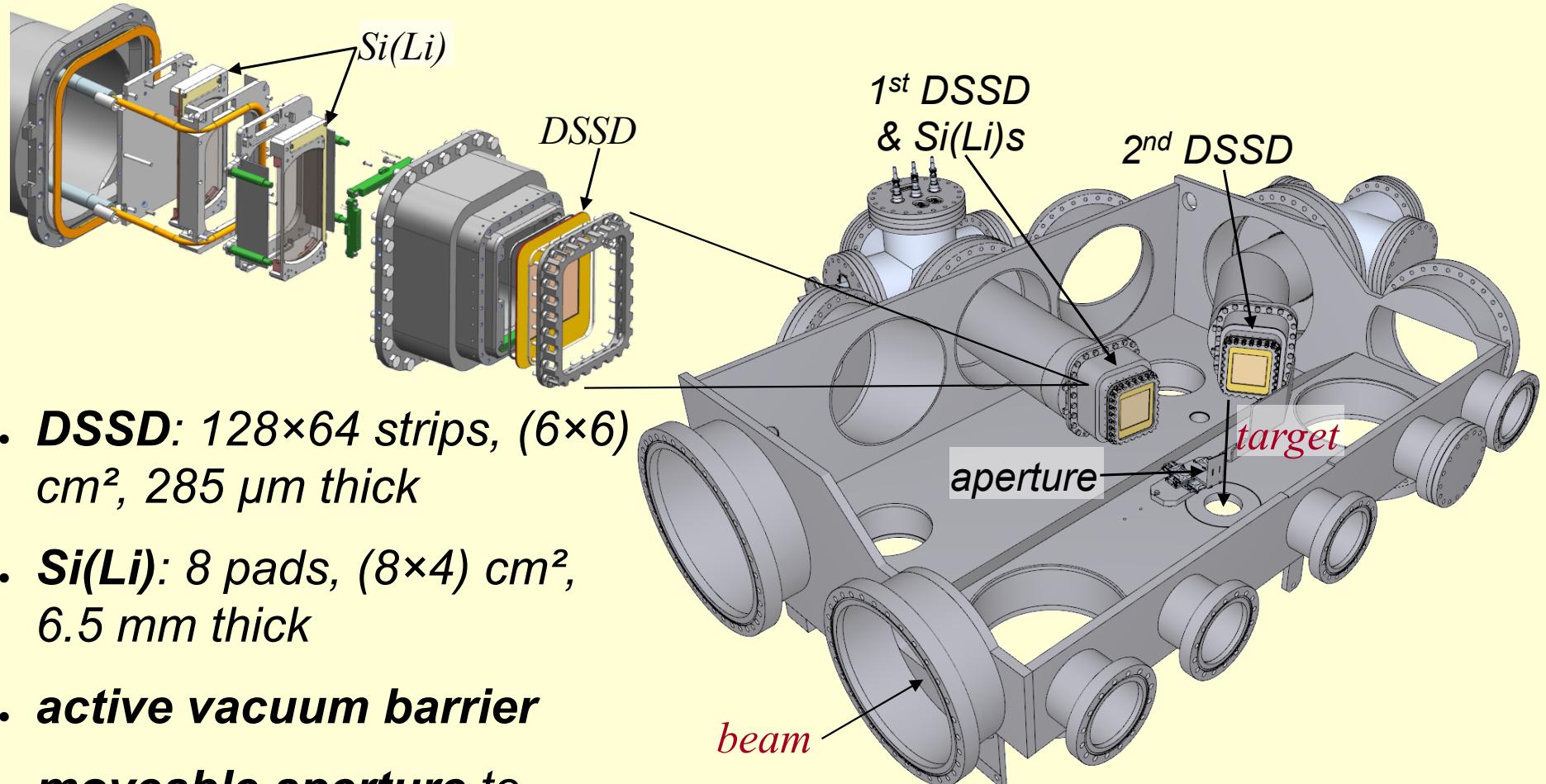


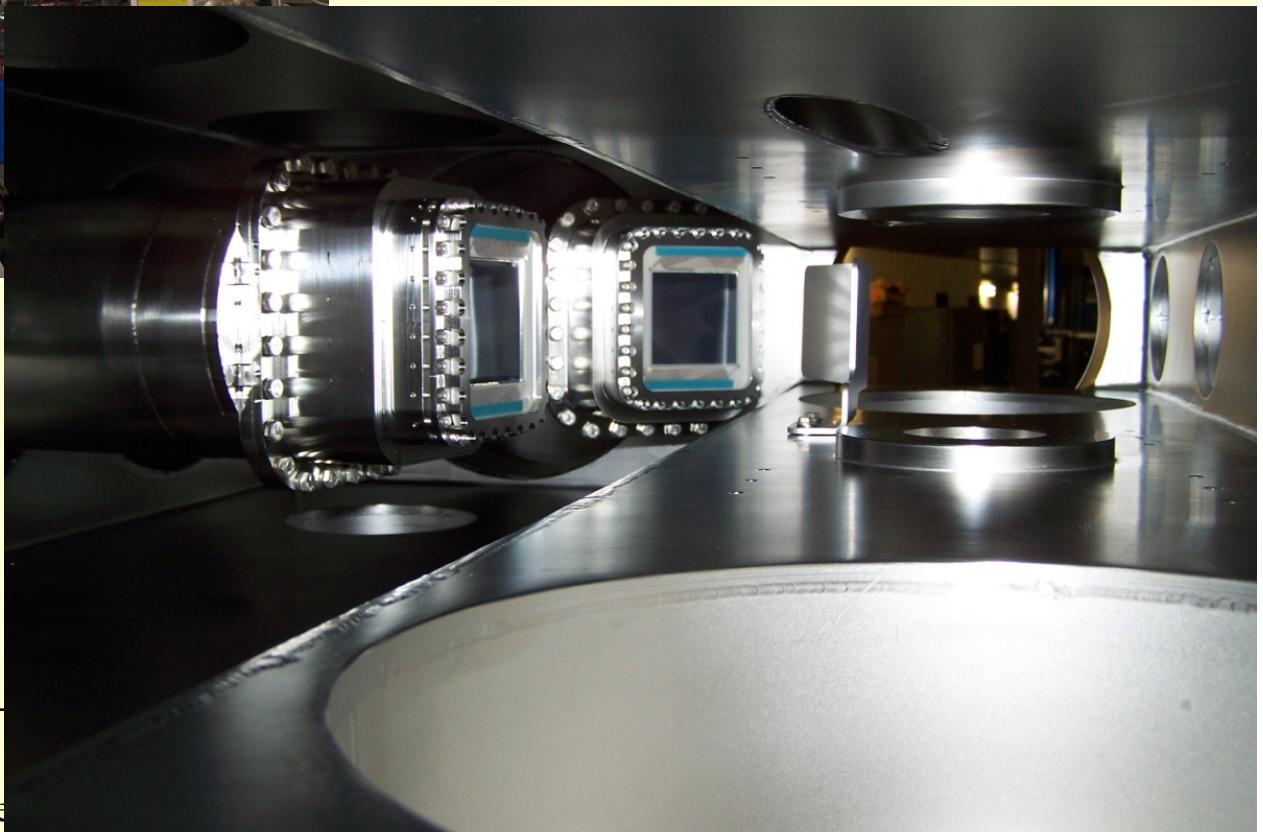
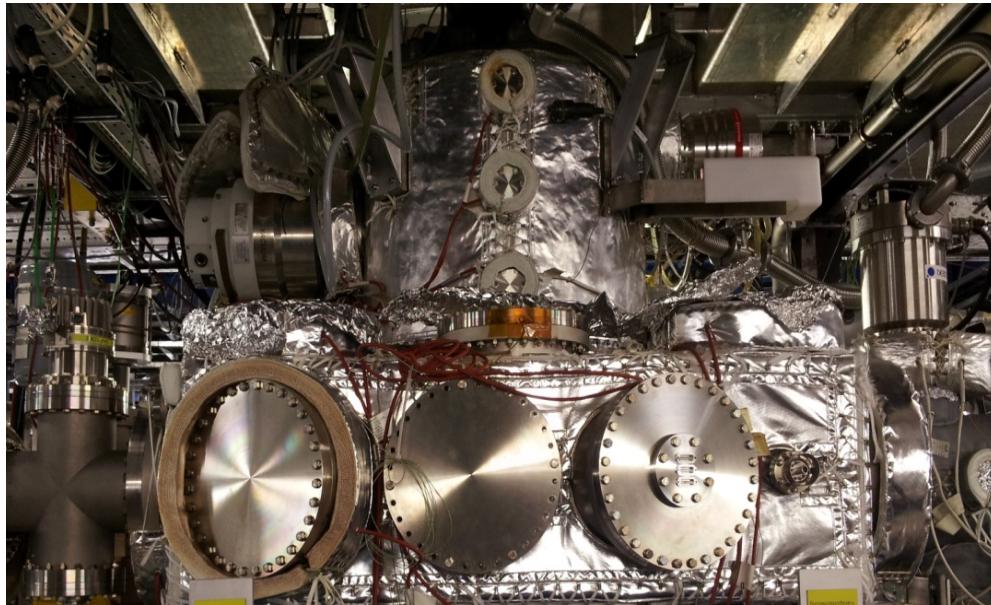
# First EXL experiment with the existing storage ring at GSI (ESR)

# Setup @ ESR



# The new ESR Scattering chamber



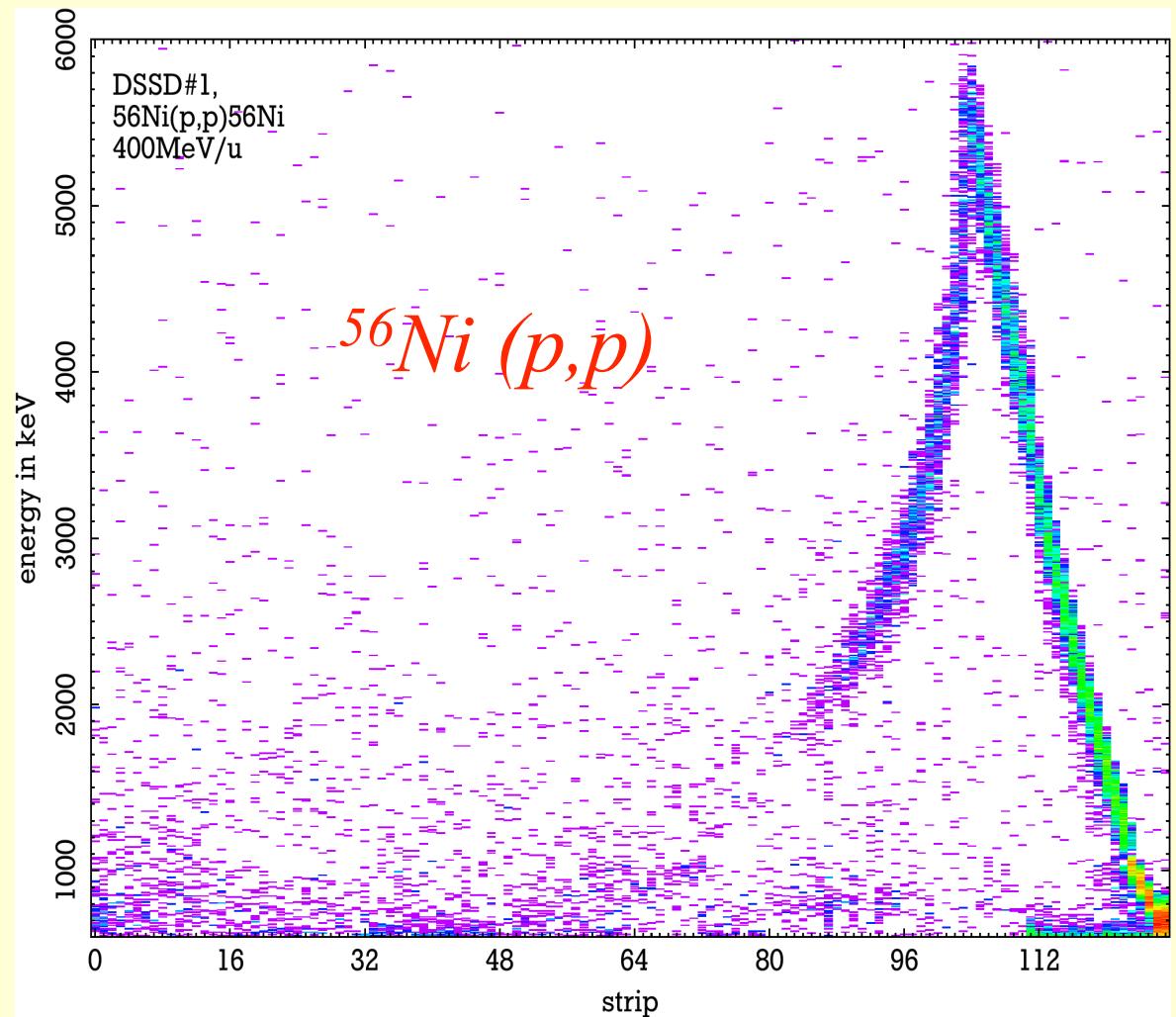


# First results with radioactive beam

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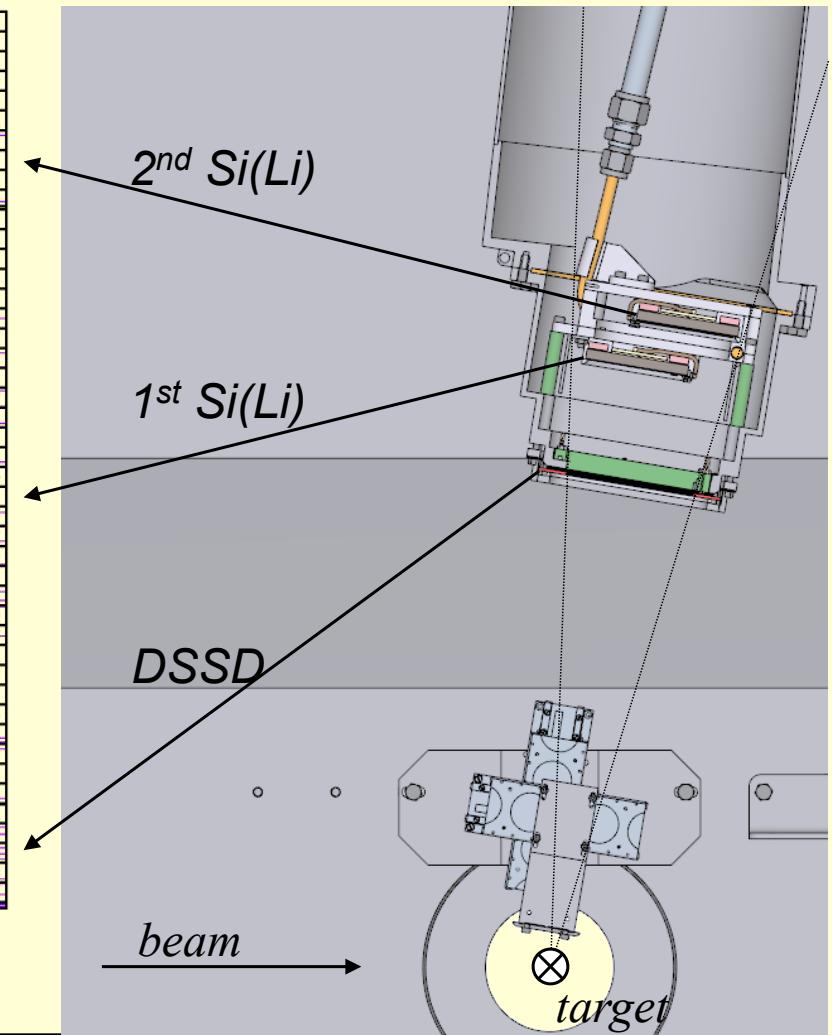
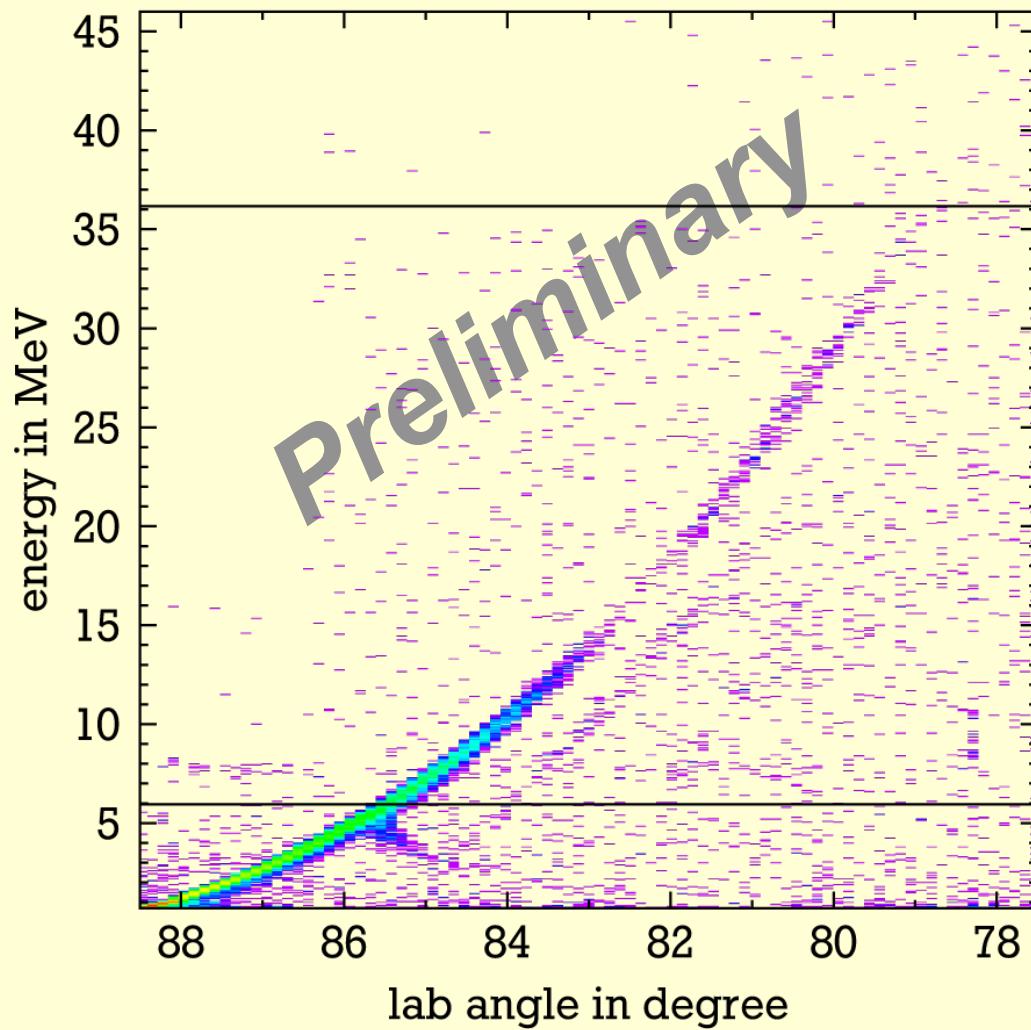
First Nuclear Reaction  
Experiment with Stored  
Radioactive Beam!!!!

Beam energy 400 MeV/u



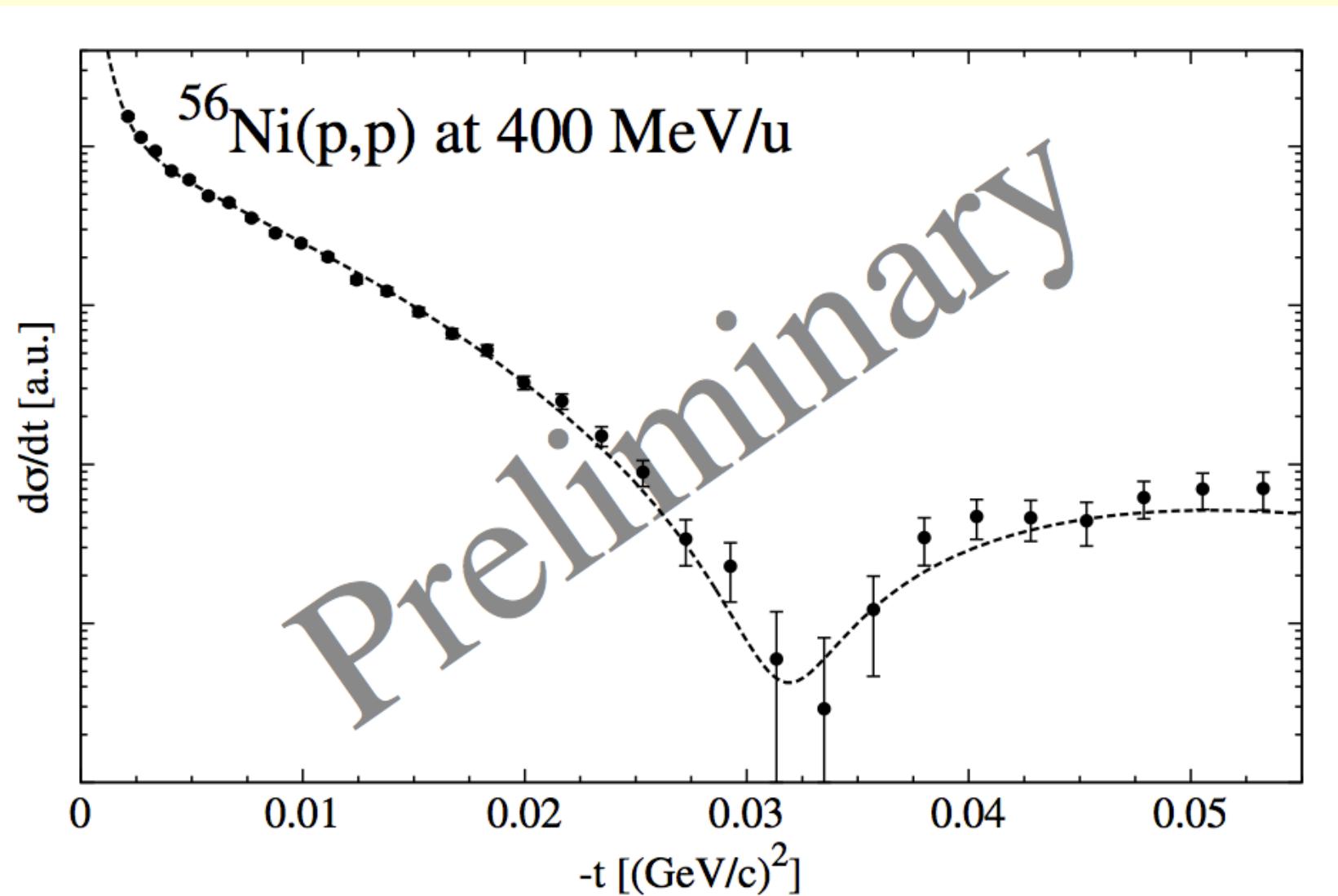
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$^{56}\text{Ni}(\text{p},\text{p})$ ,  $E = 400 \text{ MeV/u}$



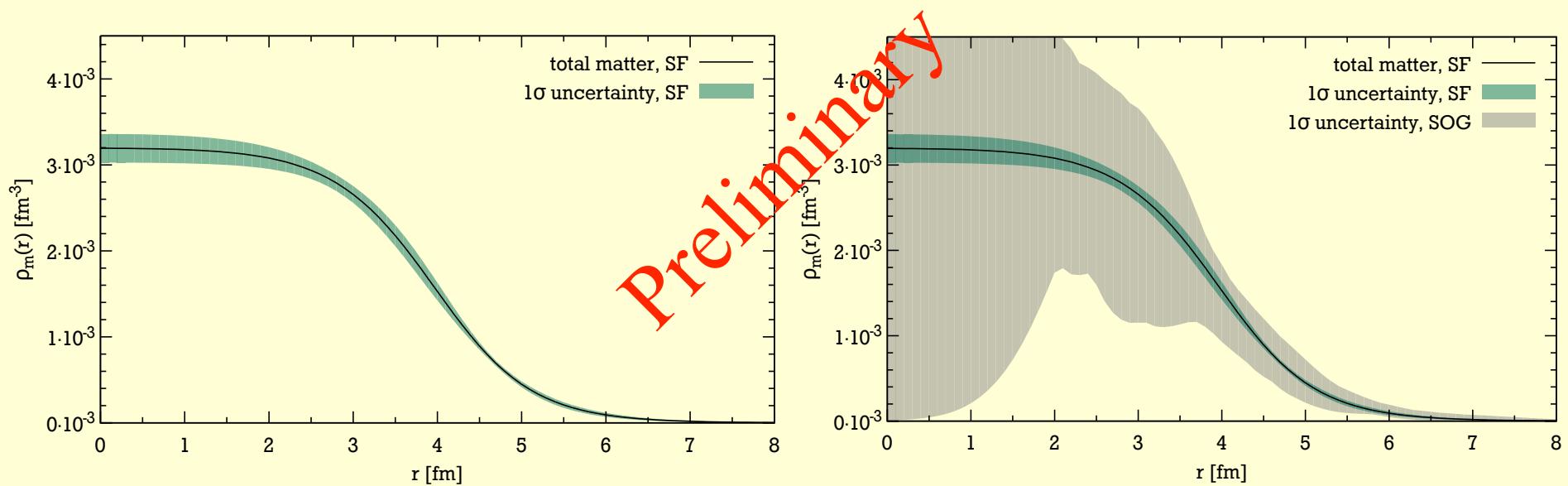
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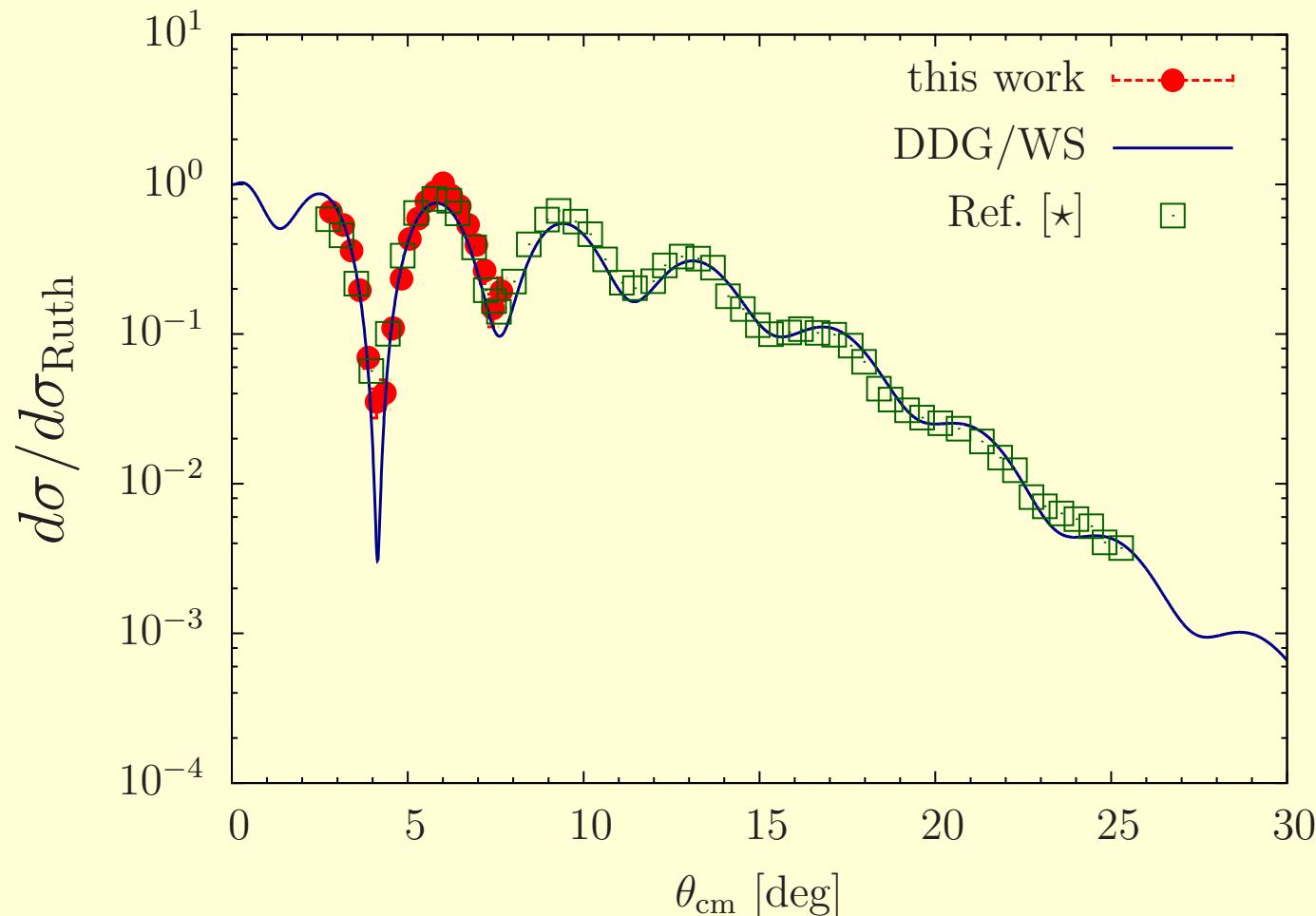
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Density par.: Sym. Fermi  
RMS matter rad.  $\approx 3.75$  fm

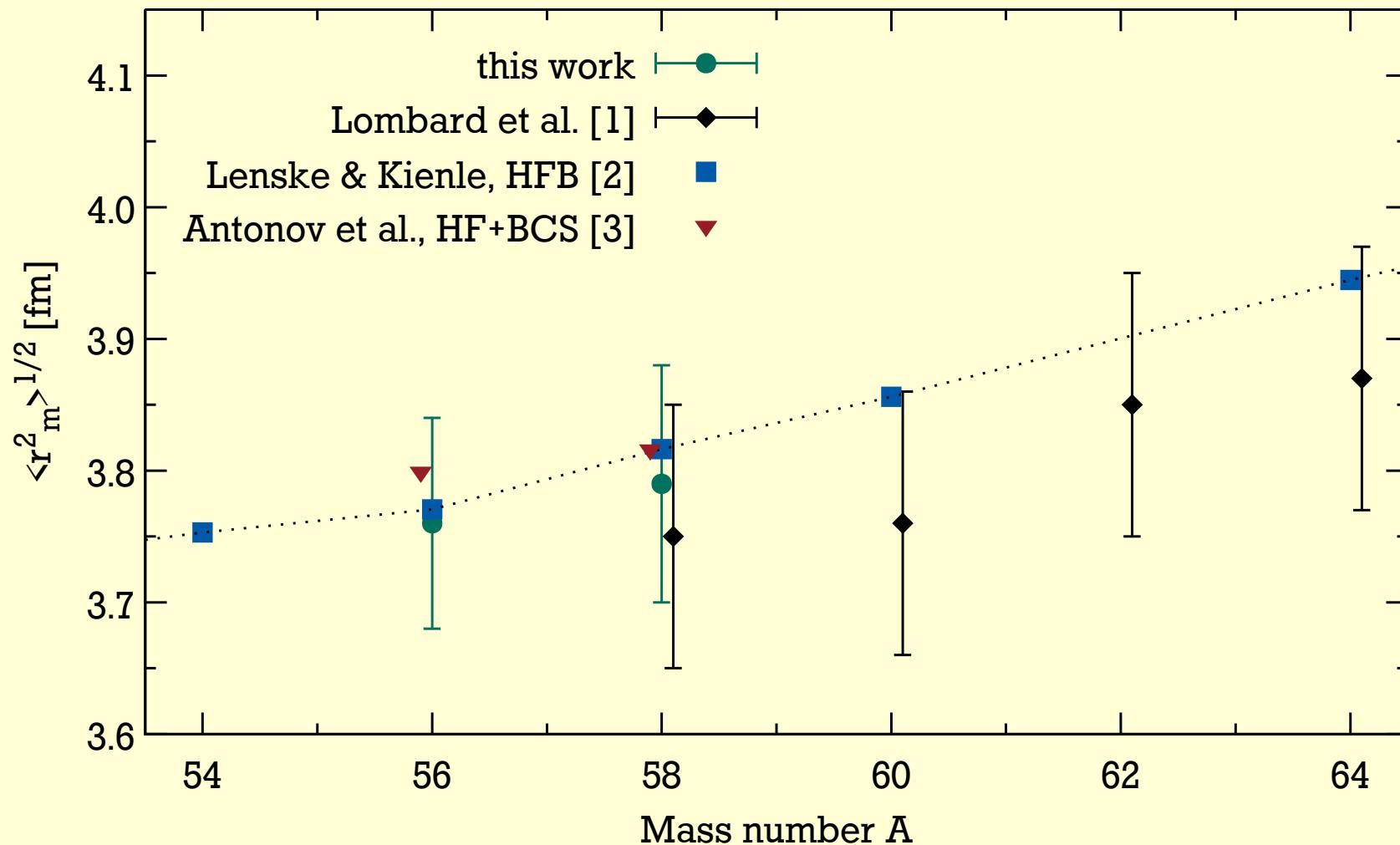
# First results with radioactive beam

- Elastic alpha-scattering off  $^{58}\text{Ni}$  (E105) at 100 MeV/u

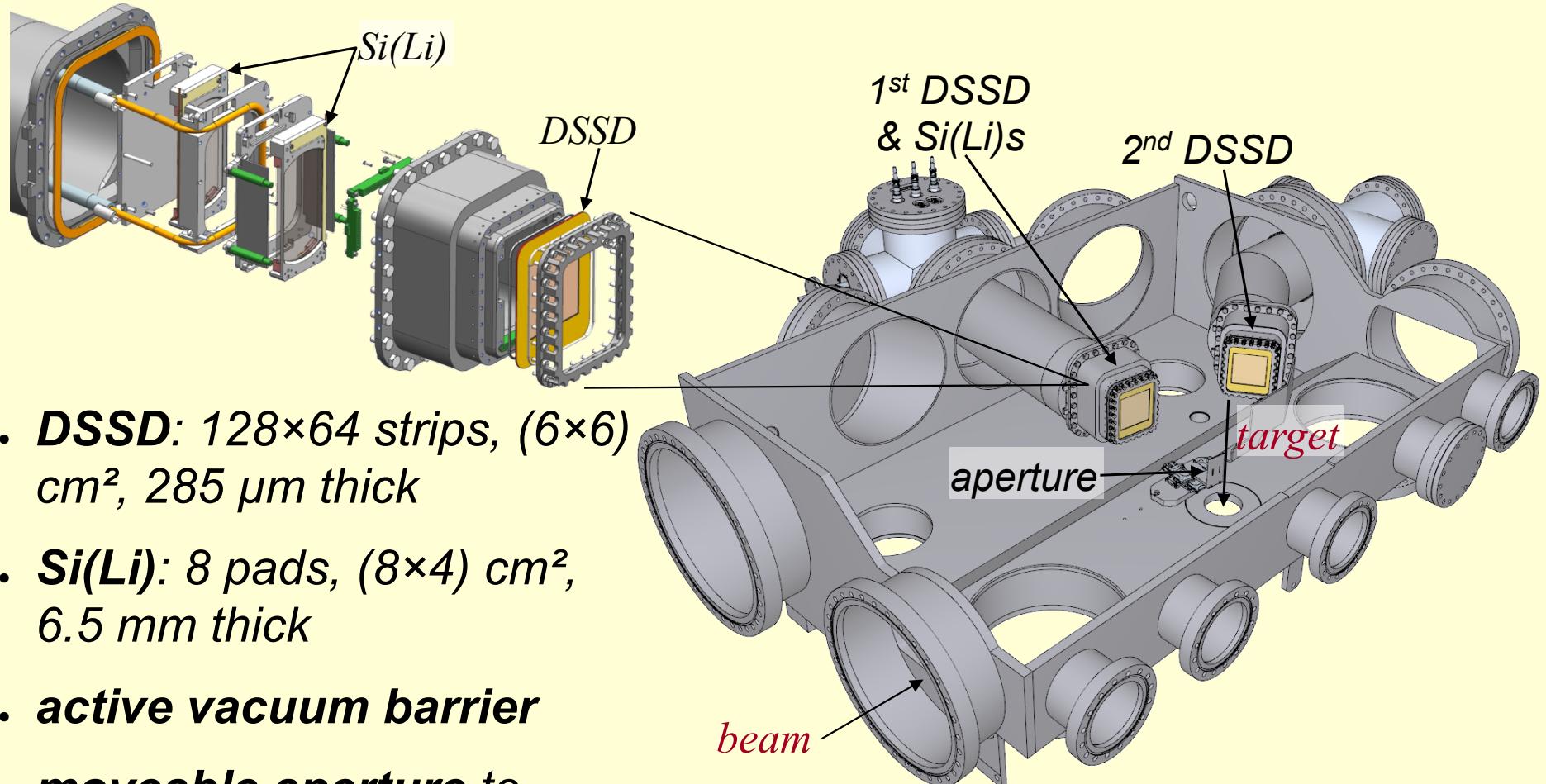


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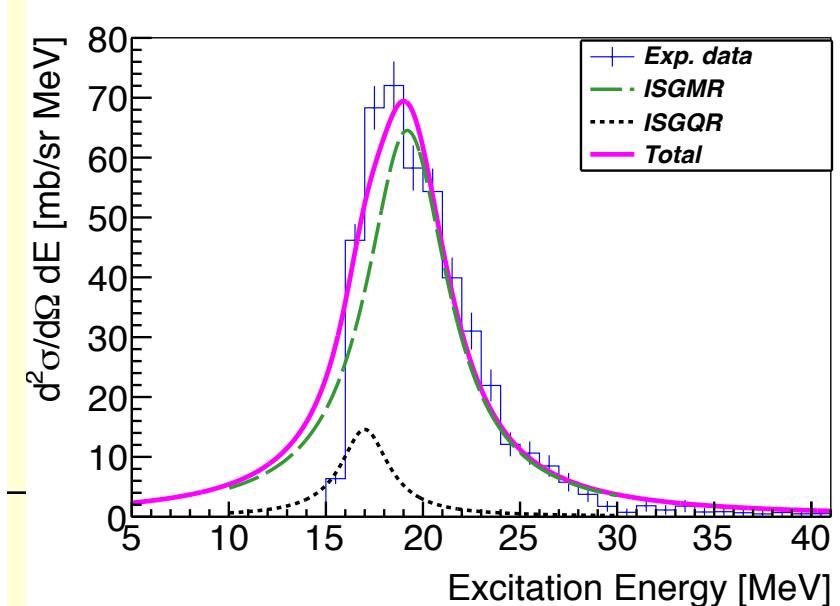
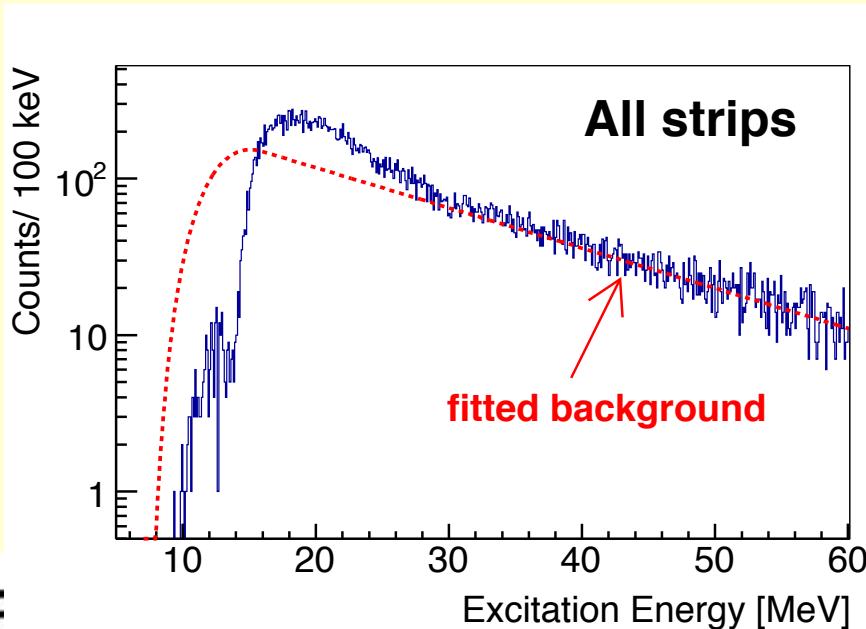
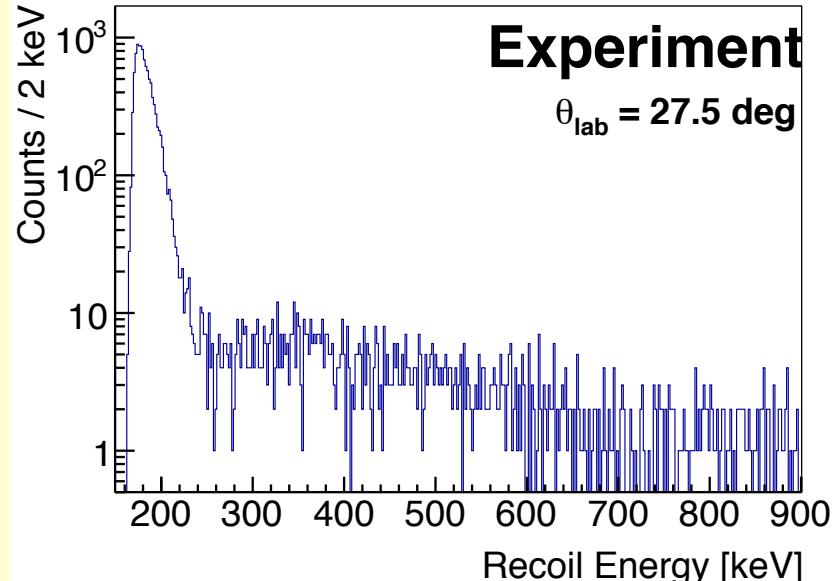
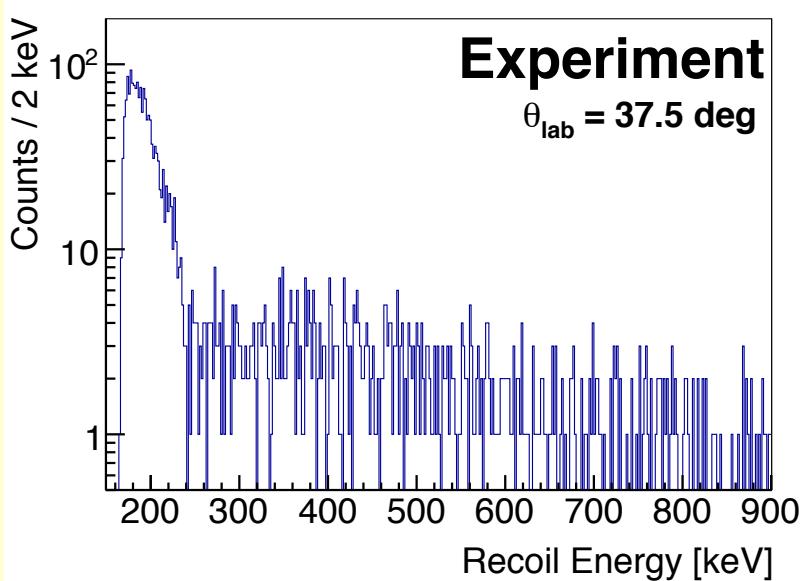
- Elastic p-scattering off  $^{56}\text{Ni}$  and alpha-scattering off  $^{58}\text{Ni}$  (E105)



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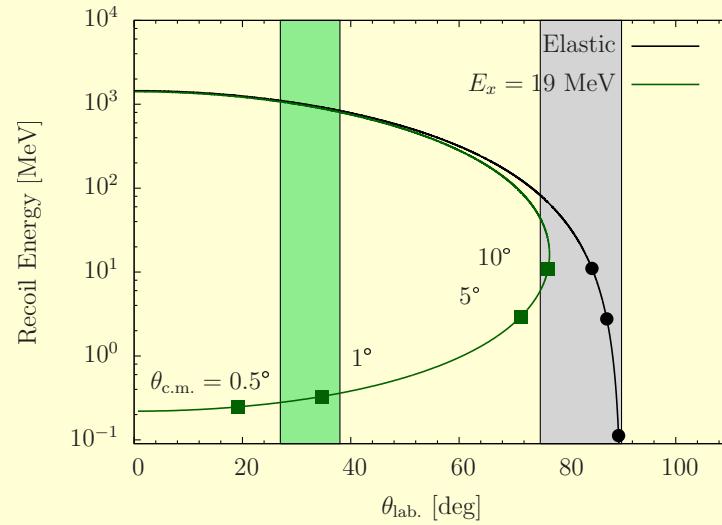
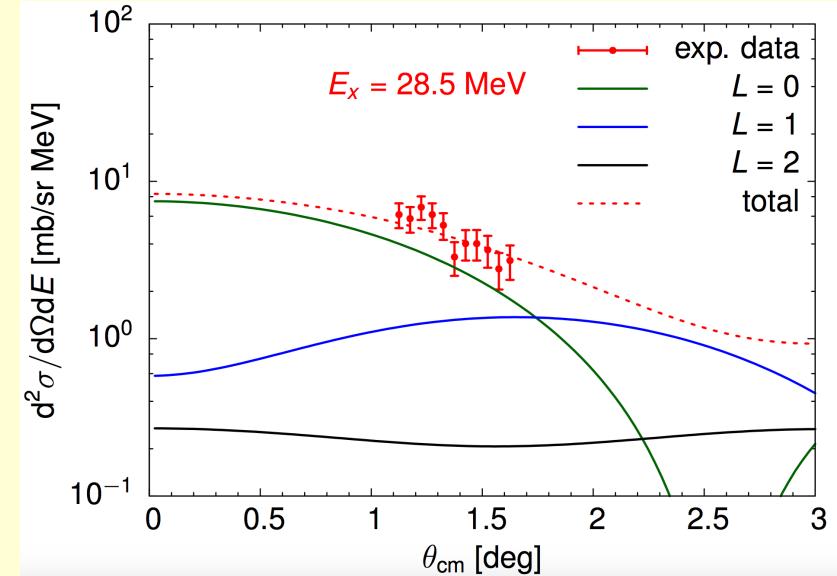
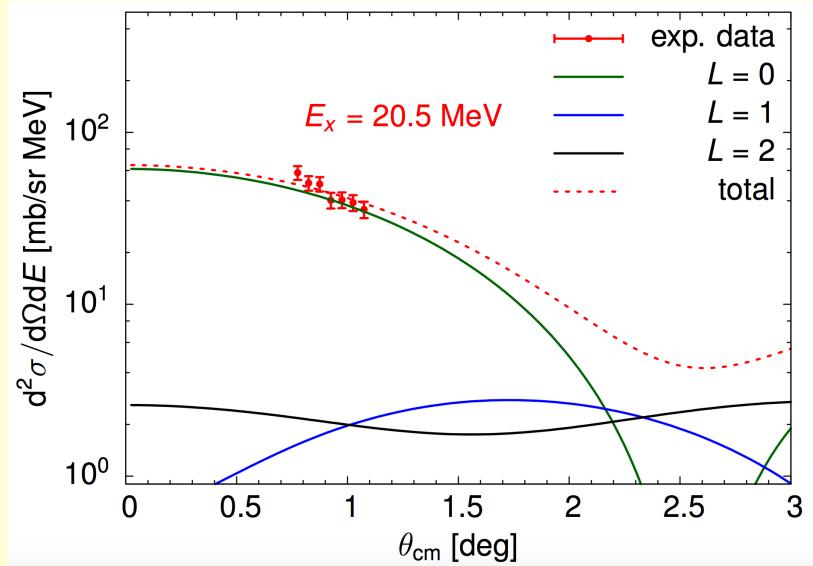


# Inelastic scattering, work of J.C. Zamora



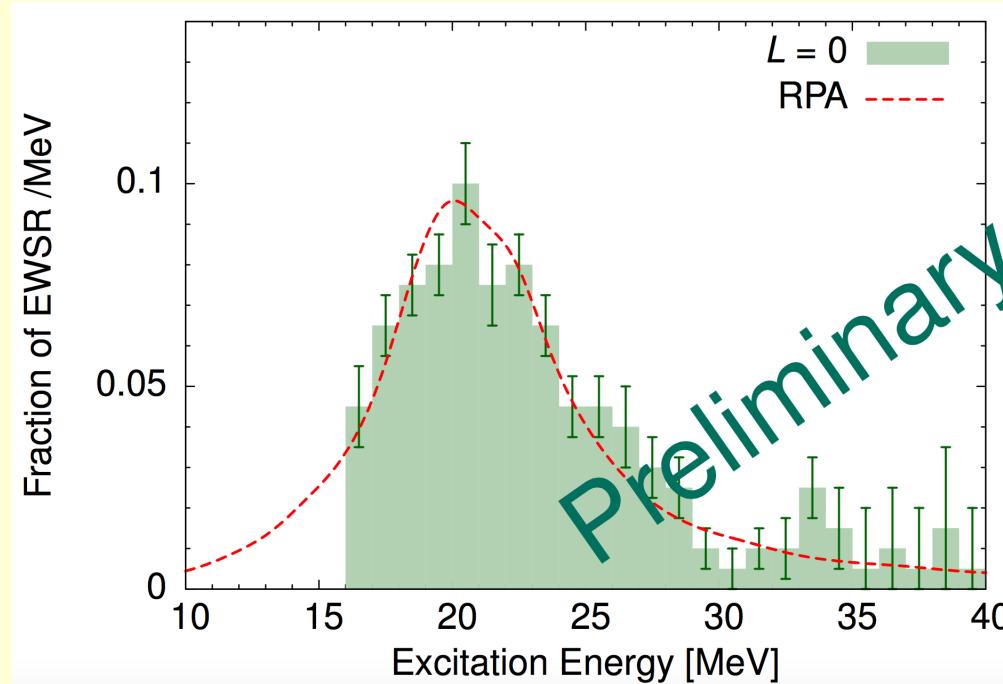
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Inelastic scattering of alphas from 100 MeV/u  $^{58}\text{Ni}$  (E105), J.C. Zamora



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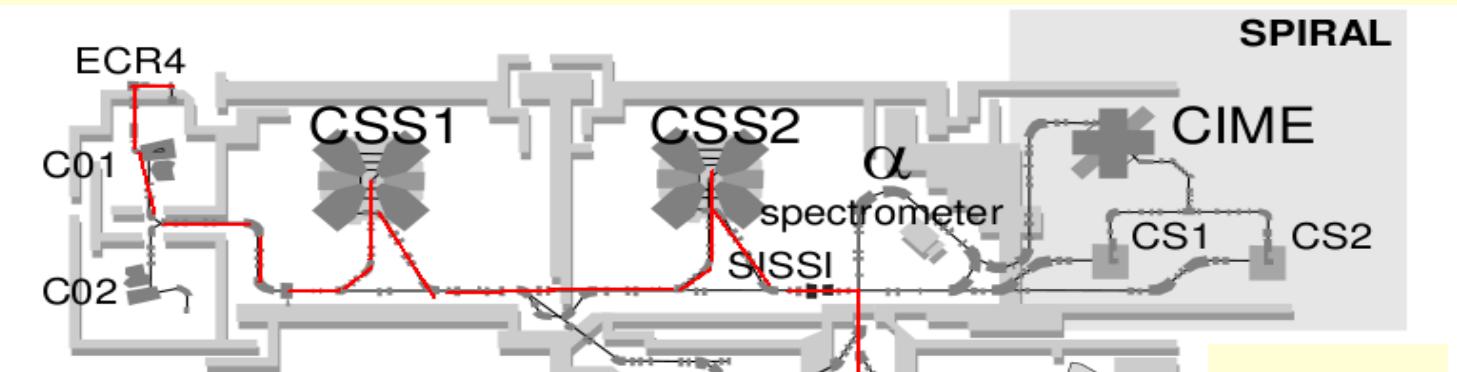
centroid [MeV]	EWSR [%]	
$21.9^{+0.8}_{-1.1}$	$79^{+12}_{-11}$	present data
$21.5^{+3.0}_{-0.3}$	$74^{+22}_{-12}$	PRC 61, 067307 (2000)
$20.8^{+0.9}_{-0.3}$	$85^{+13}_{-10}$	PRC 73, 014314 (2006)
21.1	94	RPA calculation [4]

# Measurements with the active target MAYA at GANIL

Primary Beam:  
 $^{58}\text{Ni}$  at 75 MeV/u

Primary Target:  $^9\text{Be}$   
(thickness 525.6  $\mu\text{m}$ )

Secondary Beam:  
 $^{56}\text{Ni}$  at 50 MeV/u



GANIL  
Facility

Primary target  $^9\text{Be}$

95-97%  $^{56}\text{Ni}$   
 $\sim 10^4$  pps  
 $^{56}\text{Ni} (\alpha, \alpha')^{56}\text{Ni}^*$

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SIRA

LISE3

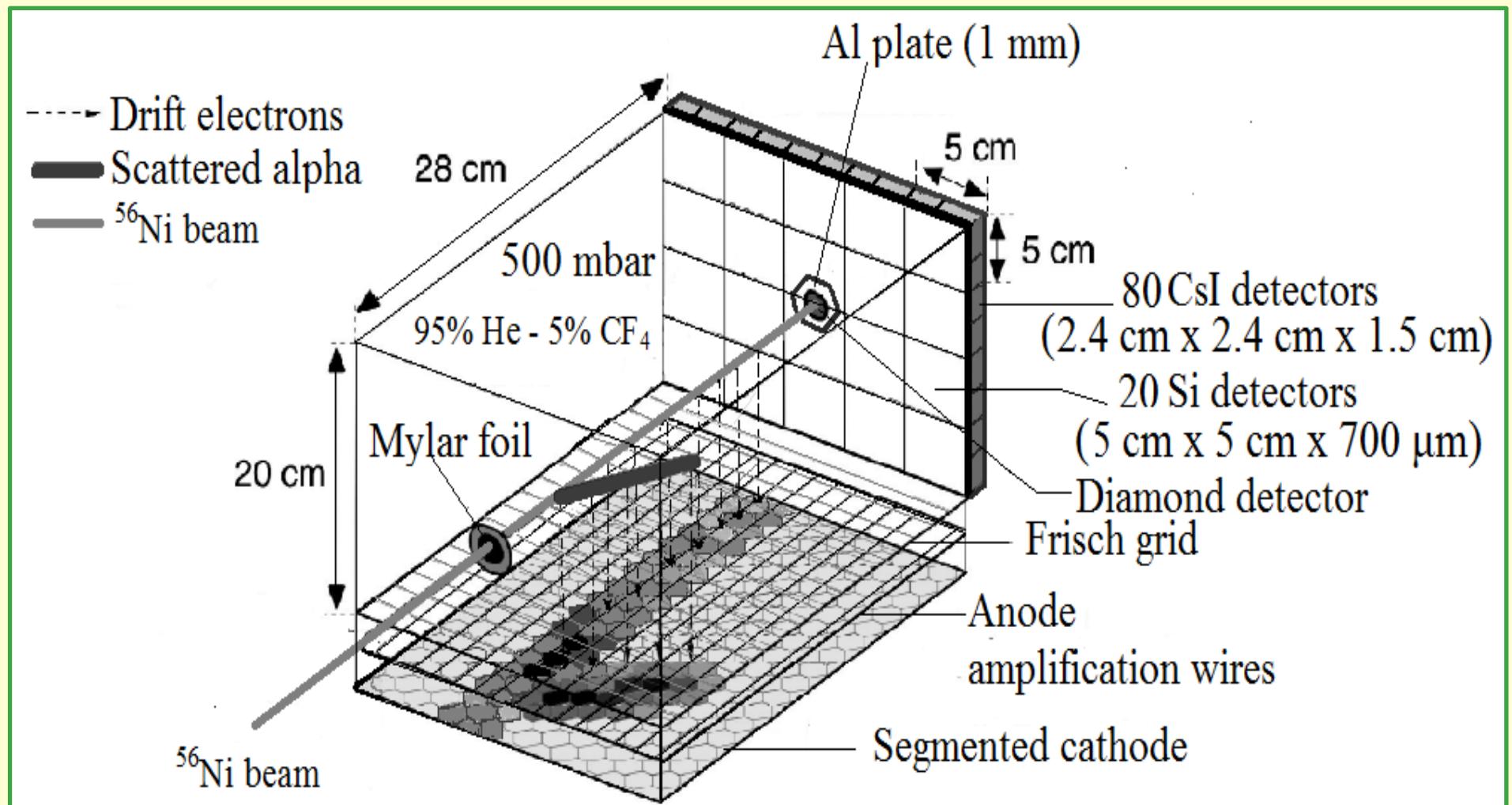
INDRA

$^{58}\text{Ni}$

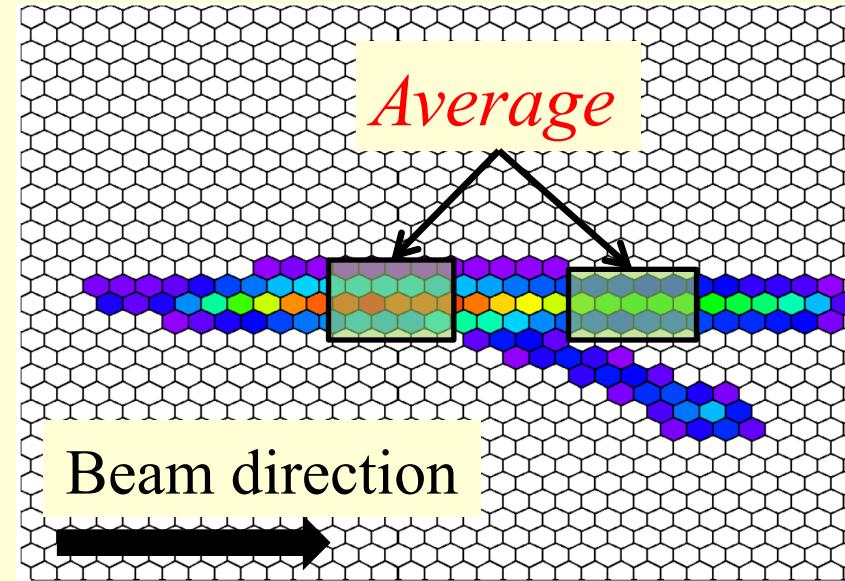
$^9\text{Be}$   
 $^{56}\text{Ni}$   
 $^{54}\text{Co}$   
 $^{55}\text{Co}$   
 $^{53}\text{Fe}$

MAYA setup

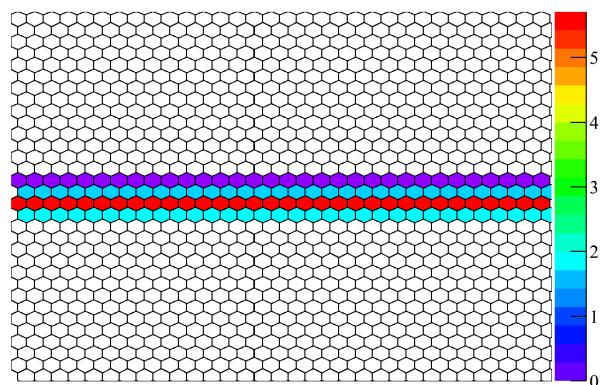
# Schematic view of MAYA active target detector



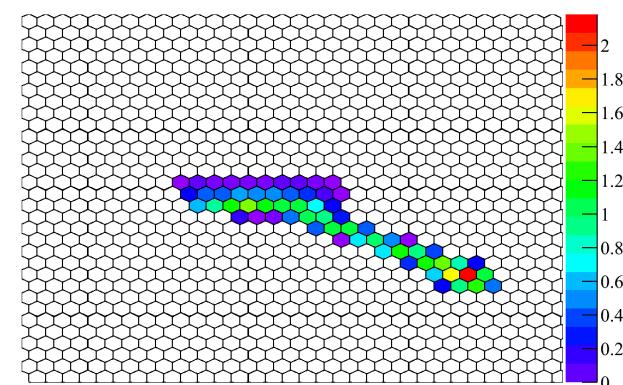
# Beam Subtraction



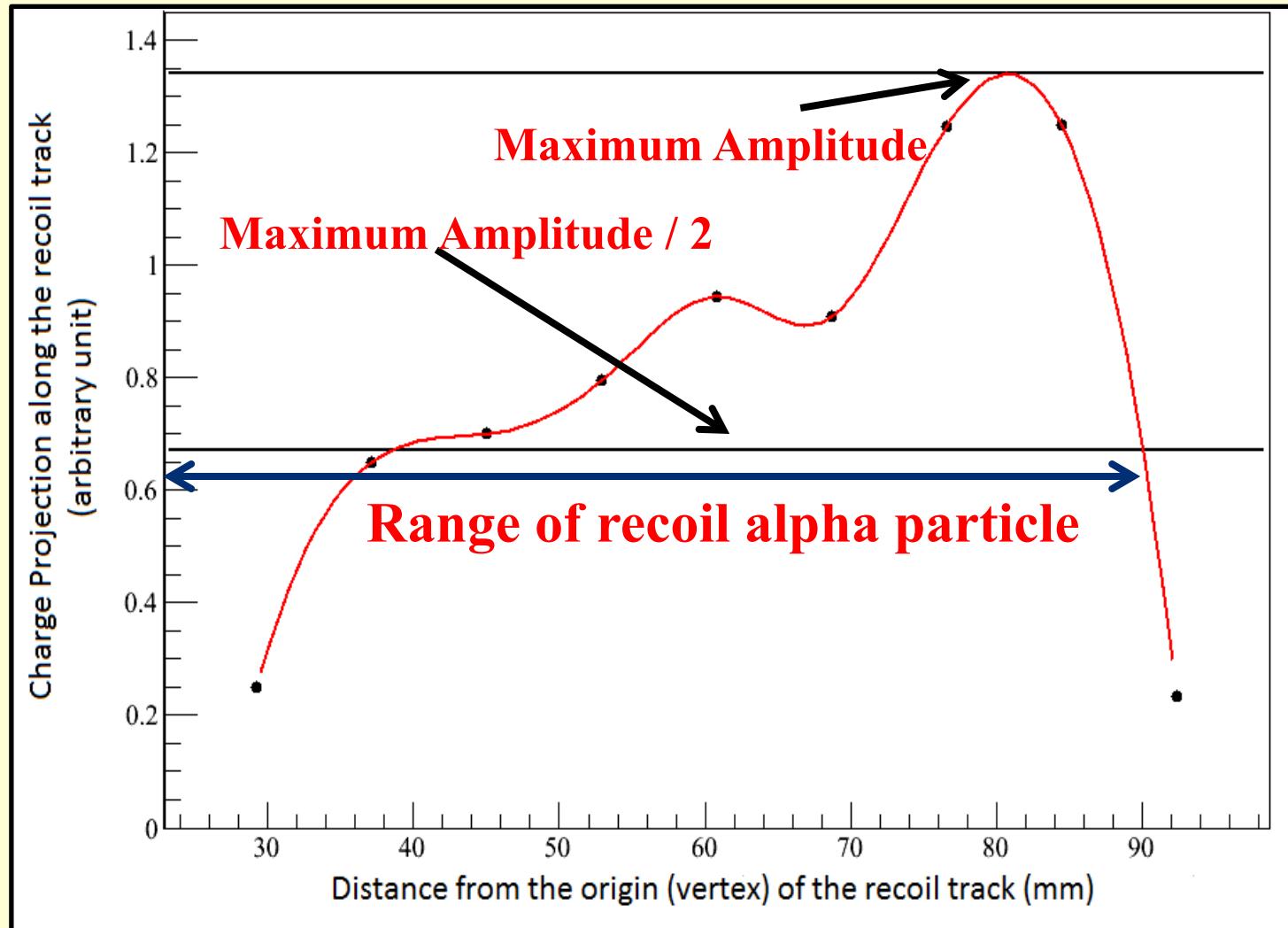
Extrapolated beam



Beam subtracted

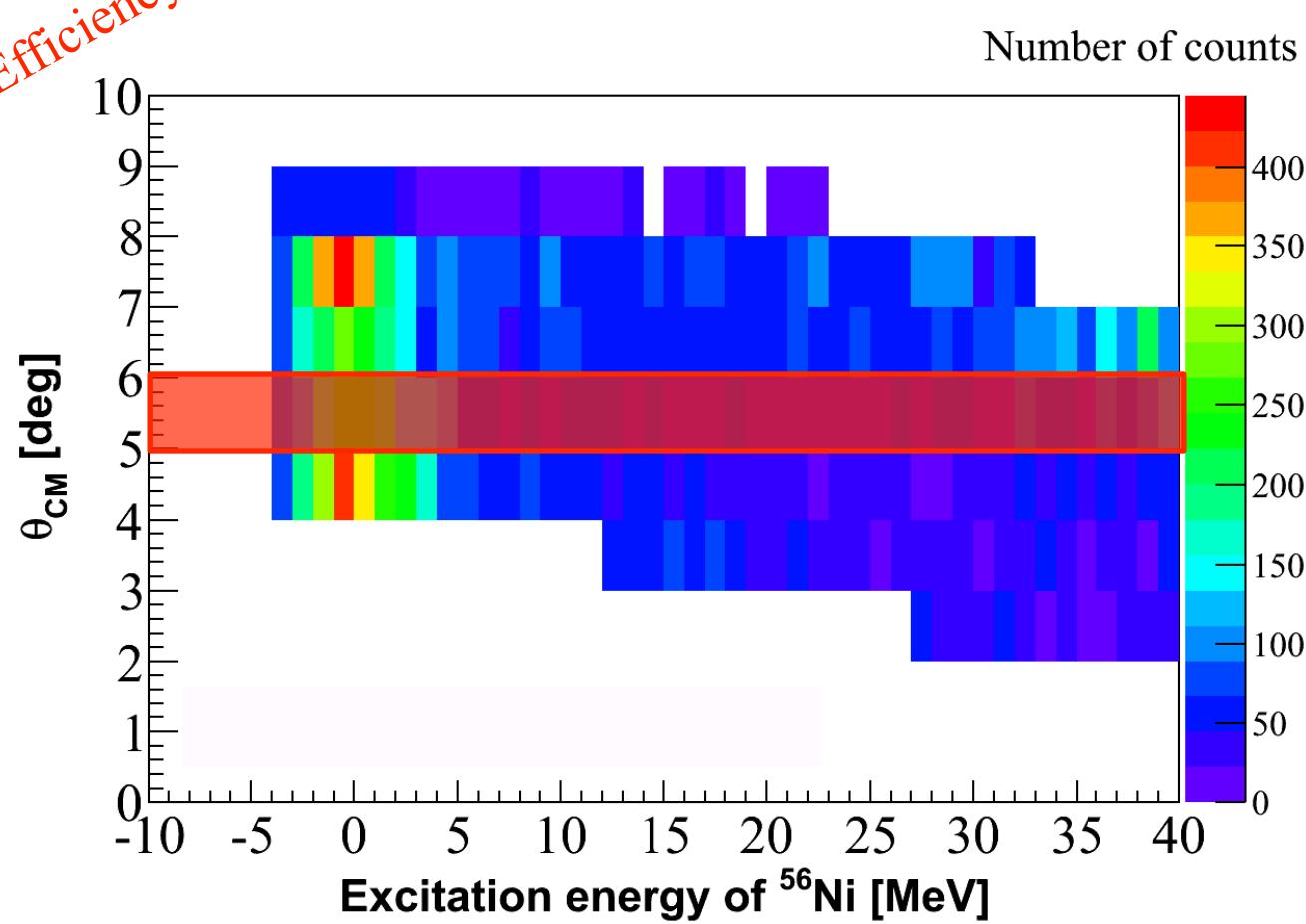


# Range extraction of recoil track

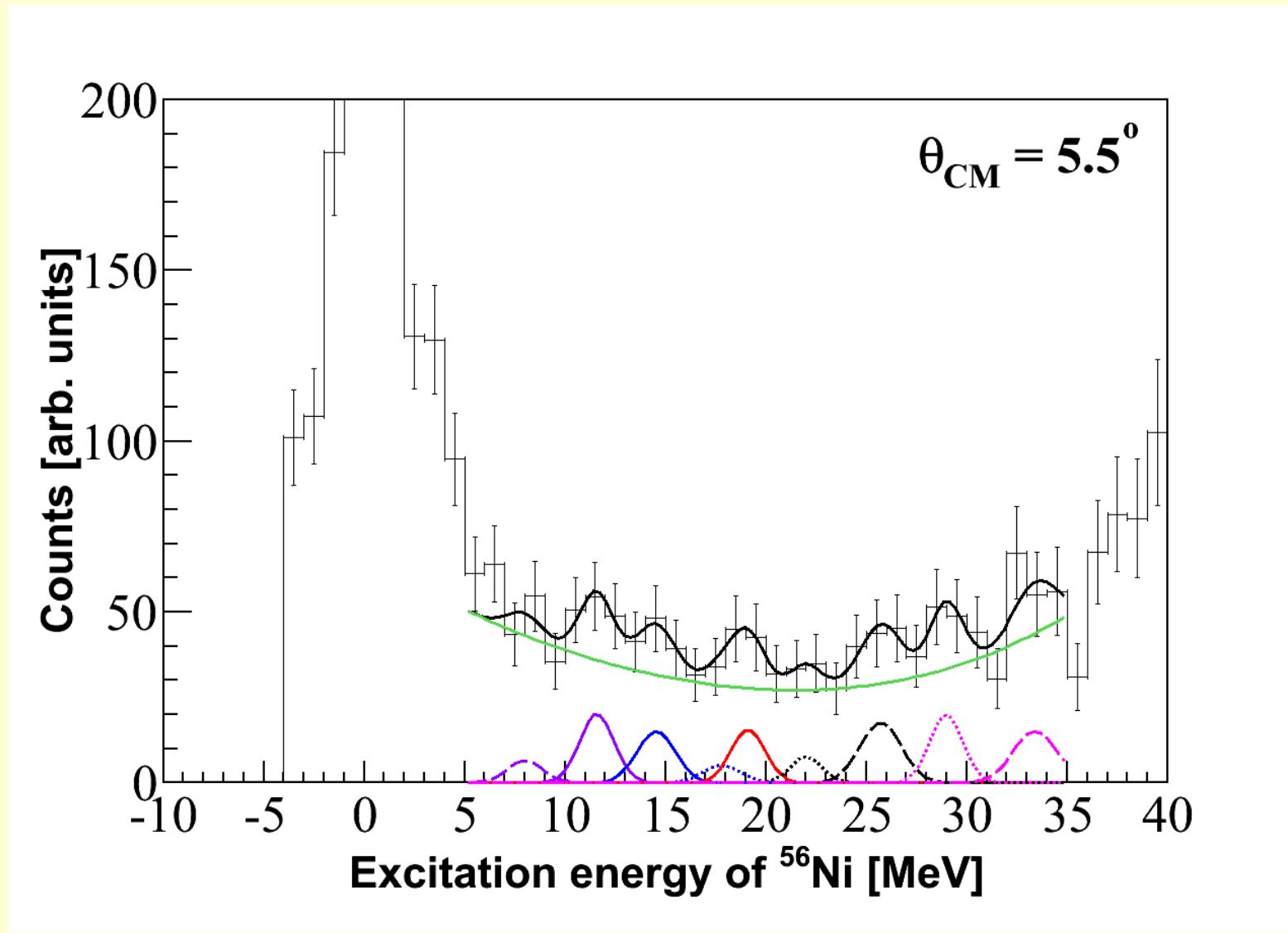


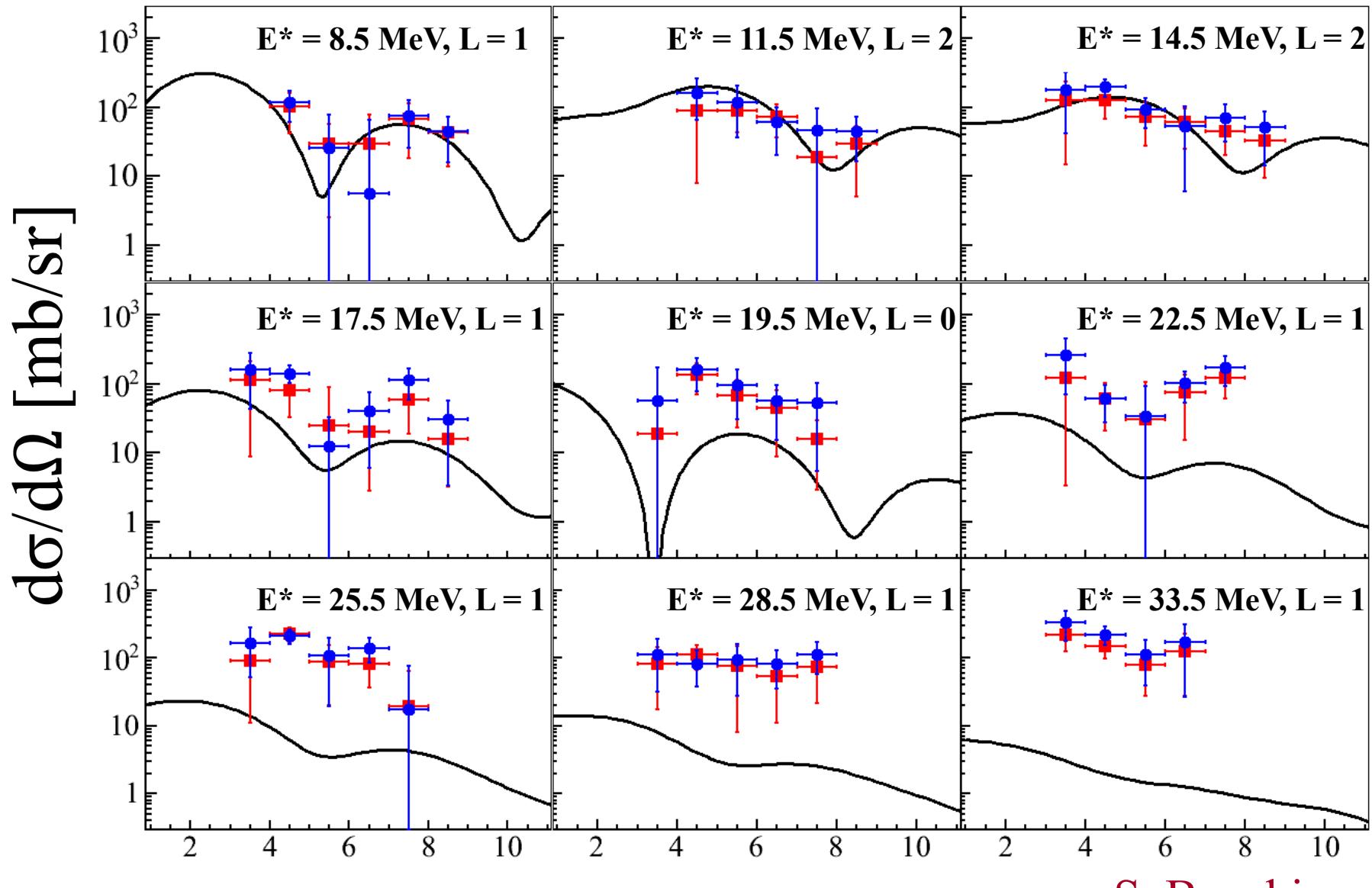
# Peak fitting method

Data (Efficiency corrected)



# Excitation energy of $^{56}\text{Ni}$ at $\theta_{\text{CM}}=5.5^\circ$ , S. Bagchi





Background 1

$\theta_{CM}$  [deg]

S. Bagchi



Background 2



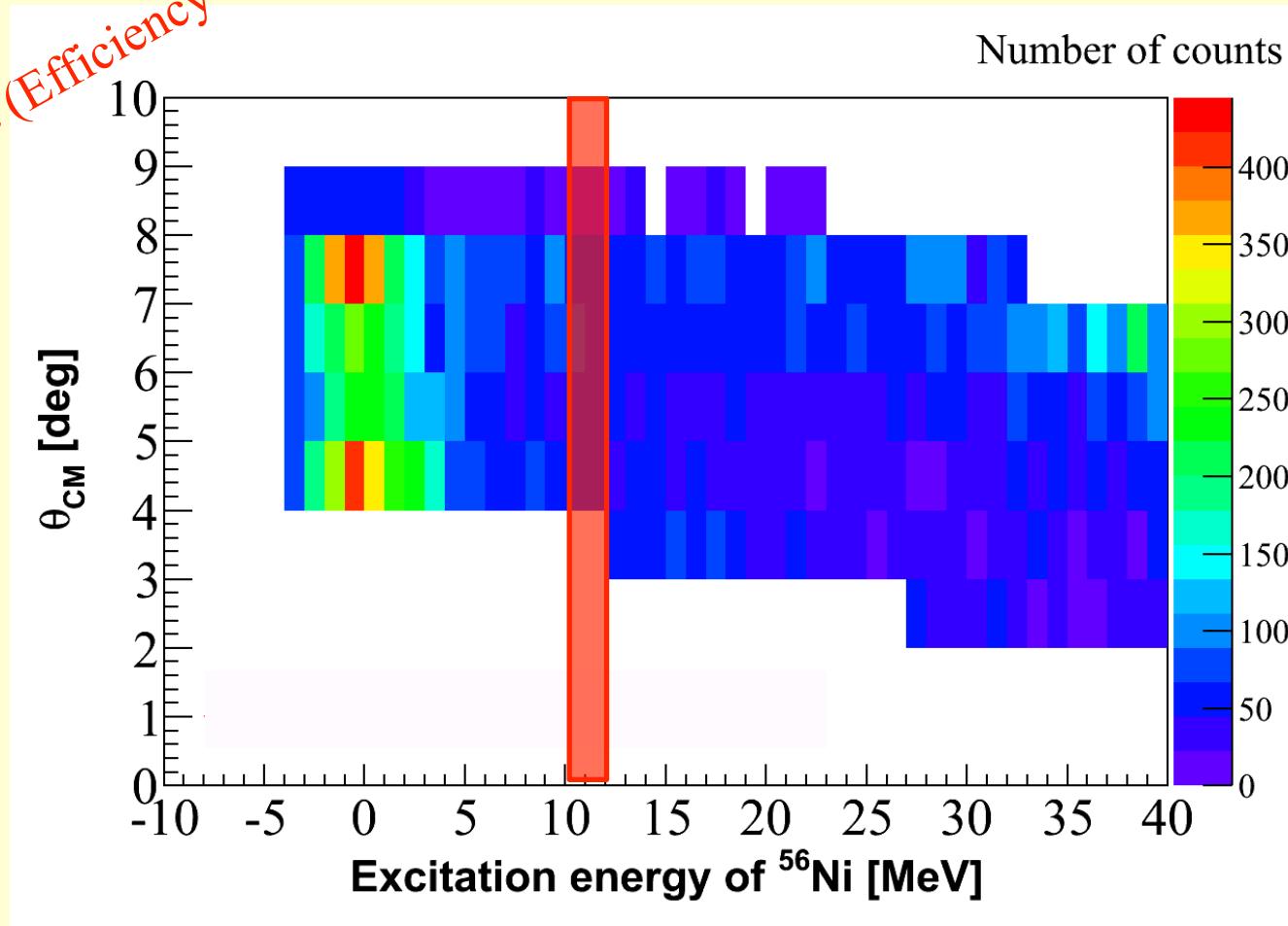
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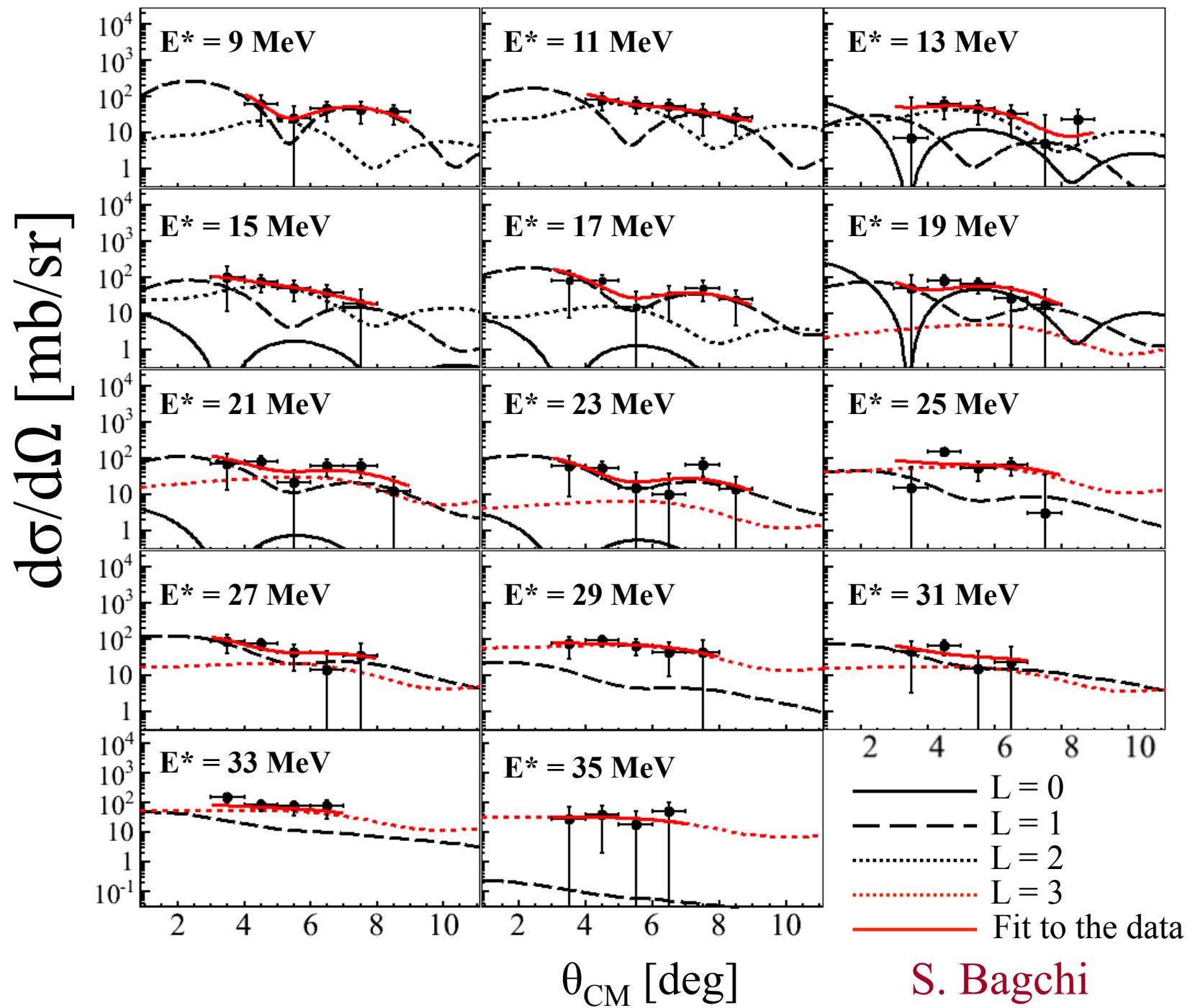
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# Multipole Decomposition Analysis (MDA)

Data (Efficiency corrected)





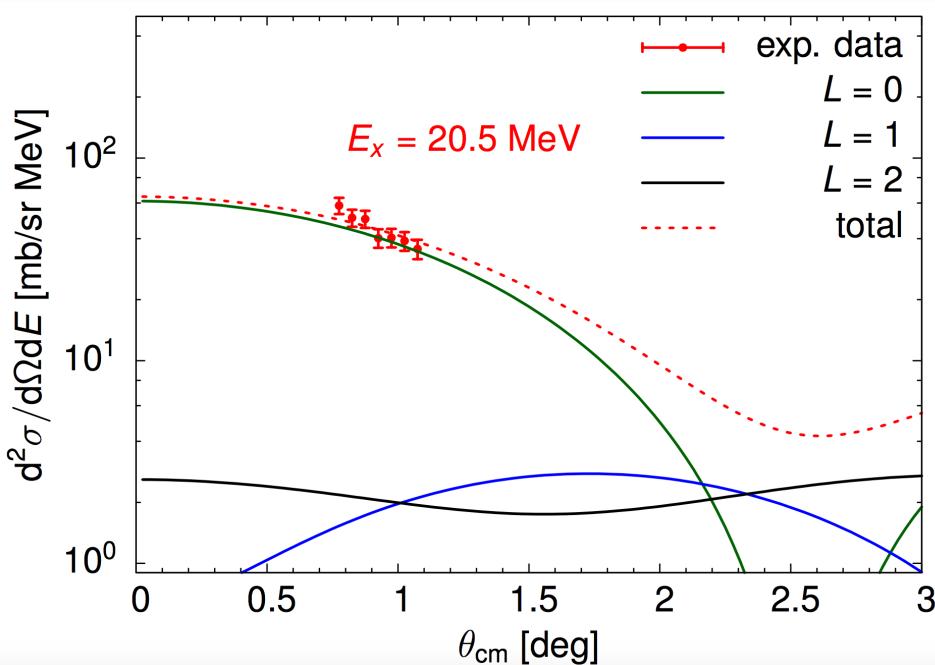
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# Summary of all Ni isotopes for ISGMR

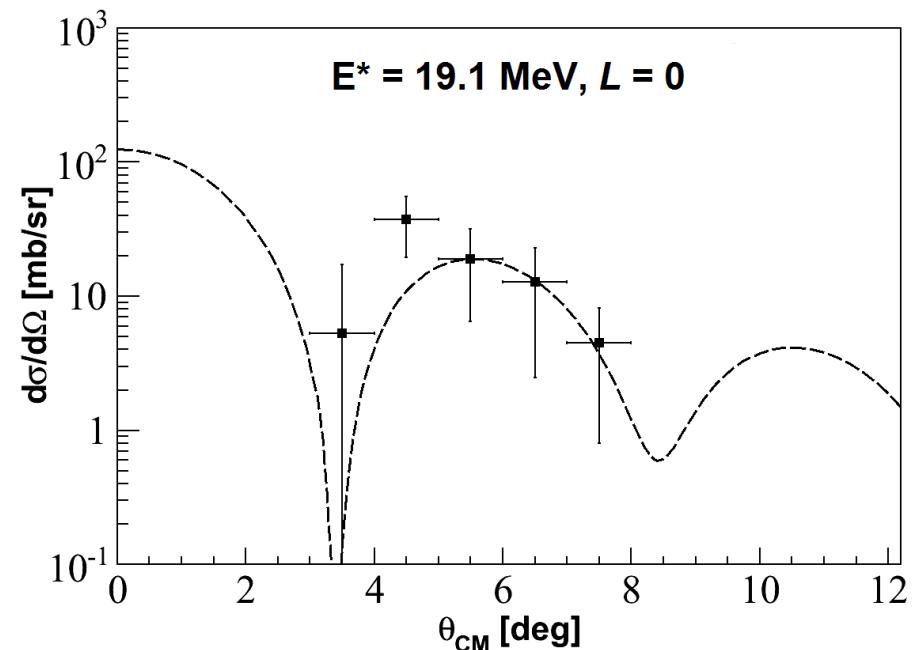
**L = 0, T = 0 (ISGMR)**

Reaction	Gaussian fitting		MDA	
	E* [MeV]	FWHM [MeV]	E* [MeV]	Width (rms) [MeV]
$^{56}\text{Ni}(\alpha, \alpha')^{56}\text{Ni}^*$ (this work)	19.1±0.5	2.0±0.3	18.4±1.8	2.0±1.2
$^{56}\text{Ni}(d, d')^{56}\text{Ni}^*$	19.5±0.3	5.2	19.3±0.5	2.3
$^{58}\text{Ni}(\alpha, \alpha')^{58}\text{Ni}^*$	18.43±0.15	7.41±0.13	$19.2^{+0.44}_{-0.19}$	$4.89^{+1.05}_{-0.31}$
$^{58}\text{Ni}(\alpha, \alpha')^{58}\text{Ni}^*$	-	-	$19.9^{+0.7}_{-0.8}$	-
$^{60}\text{Ni}(\alpha, \alpha')^{60}\text{Ni}^*$	17.62±0.15	7.55±0.13	$18.04^{+0.35}_{-0.23}$	$4.5^{+0.97}_{-0.22}$
$^{68}\text{Ni}(\alpha, \alpha')^{68}\text{Ni}^*$	21.1±1.9	1.3±1.0	23.4	6.5

# Monopole mode in $^{58}\text{Ni}$ and $^{56}\text{Ni}$ : ring vs. active target



$^{58}\text{Ni}$



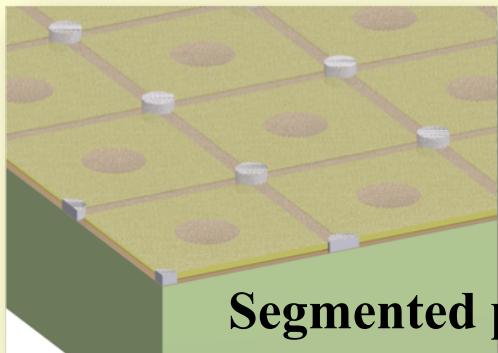
$^{56}\text{Ni}$

# Conclusions and outlook

- Large efforts are taking place for both the ring environments as well as for active targets.
- Bulk properties (radius, compressibility etc.) are the main subject of the present low-q measurements.
- The goal is to go towards the medium heavy and heavy nuclei (astrophysical processes).
- First measurements are done with Ni isotopes and results are emerging.
- More measurements are planned with both methods.

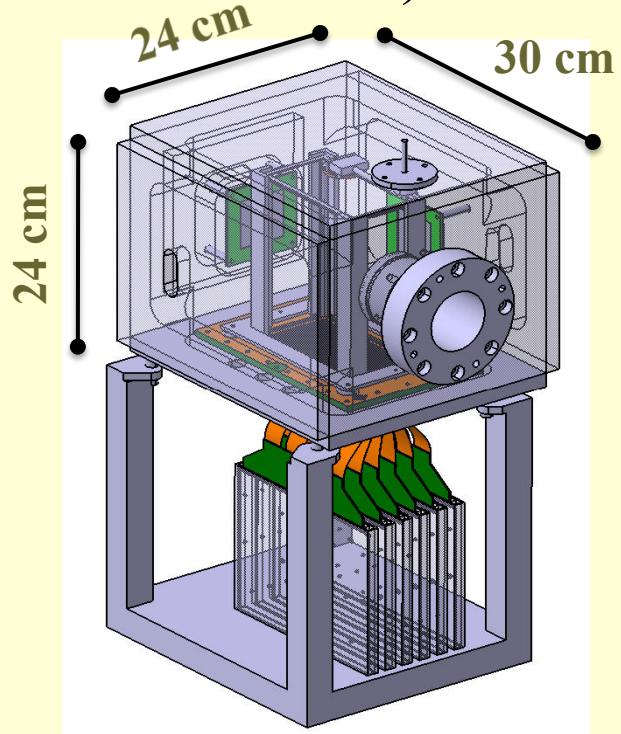
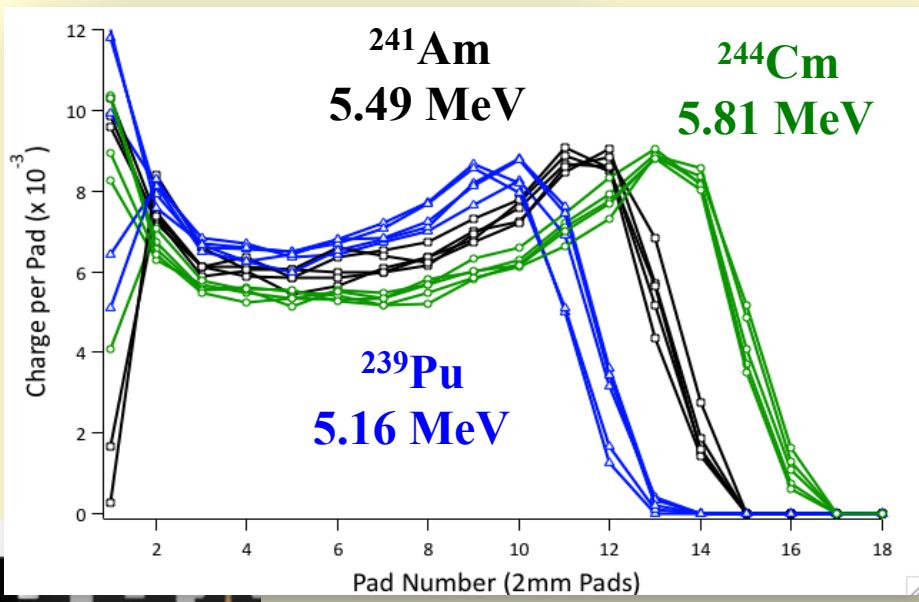
# Next generation active targets

New generation of active target (ACTAR TPC)



Talk by T. Roger

Segmented pad plane:  $2 \times 2 \text{ mm}^2$



Range of  $\alpha$ 's in Ar+CF<sub>4</sub>(2%) @ 1100 mbar

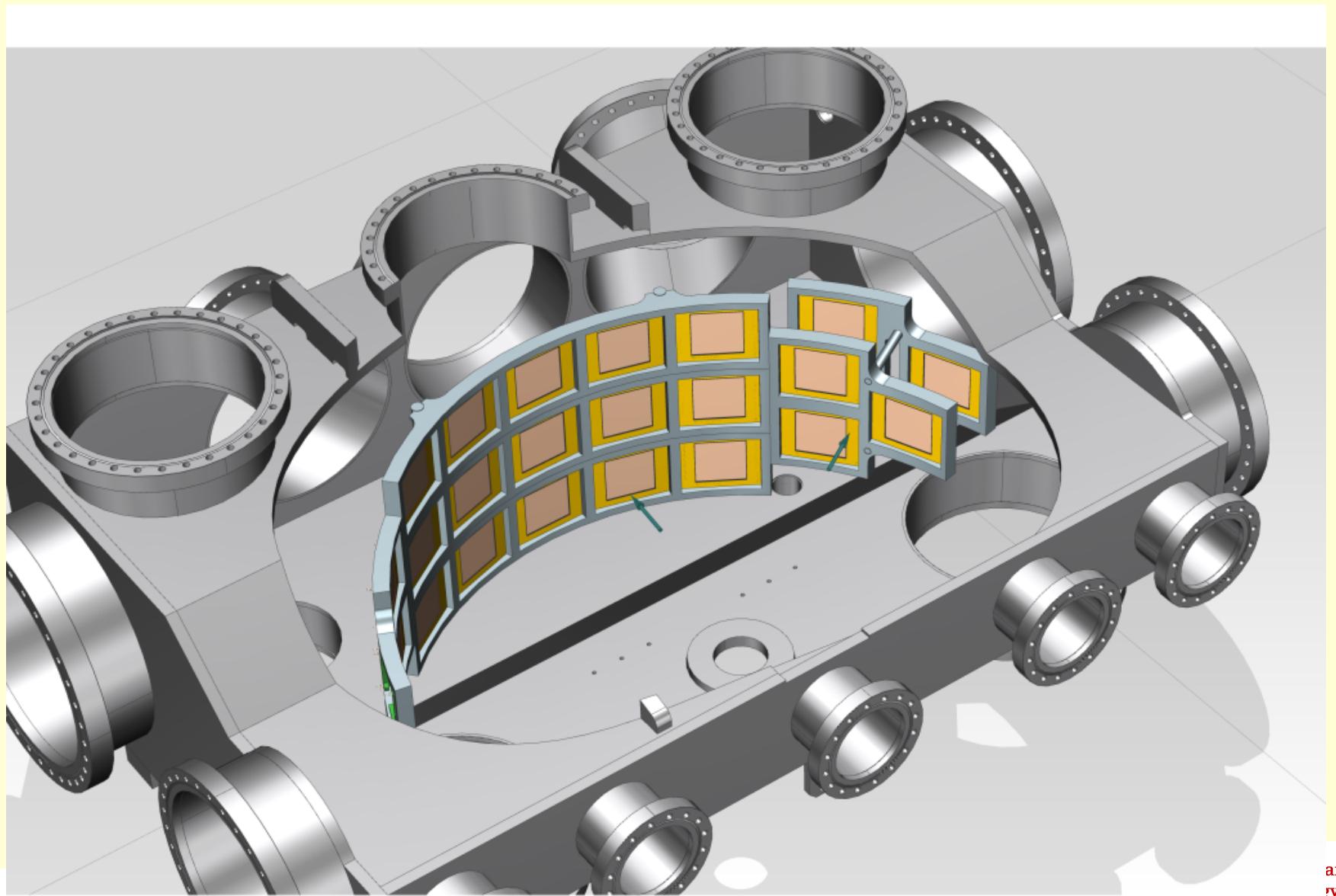
- Range resolution > 0.8 mm (FWHM)
- Energy resolution > 80 keV (FWHM)



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# Upgrade of the first EXL experiment



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# Thank you!

