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# 用于原子核基本性质测量的激光核谱技术

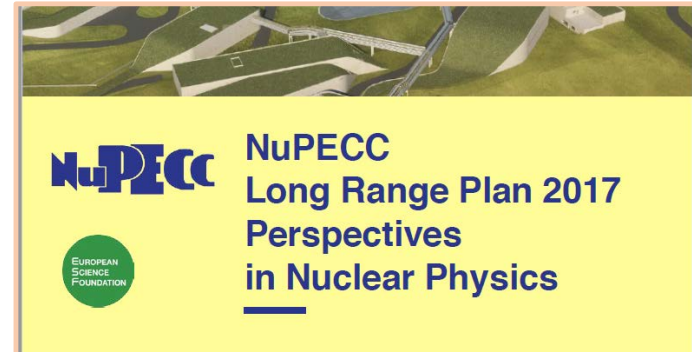
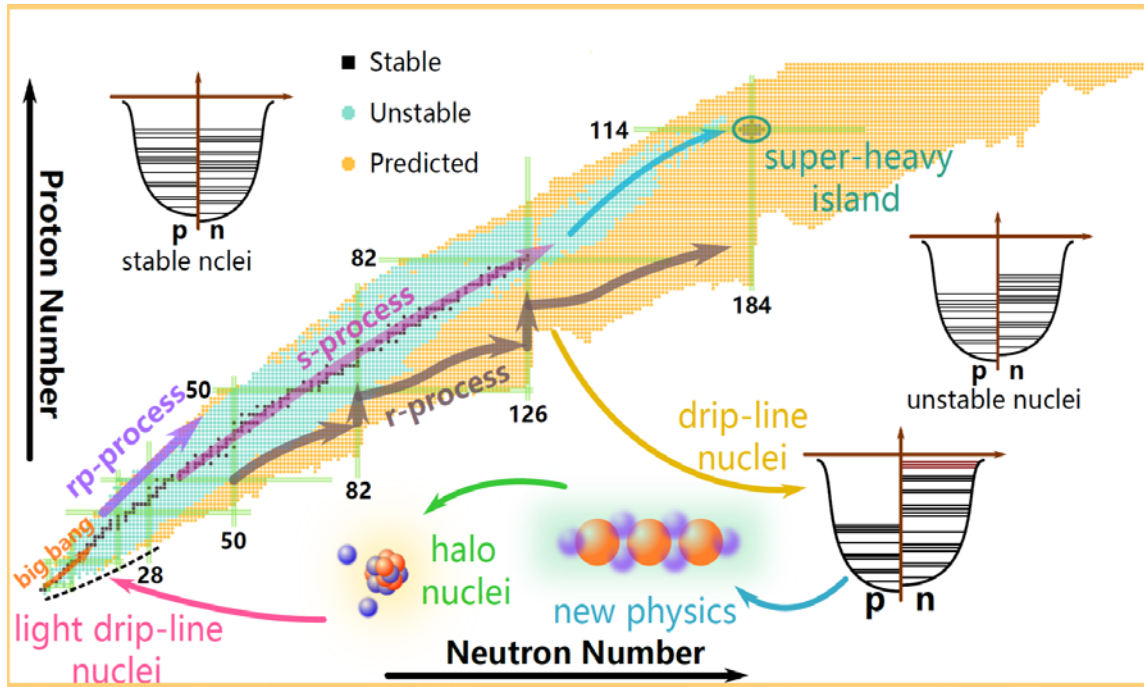
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- ◆ **General physics motivation**
- ◆ **Hyperfine structure and nuclear properties**
- ◆ **Laser spectroscopy technique and recent highlights**
- ◆ **Development of Laser spectroscopy**

# Nuclear structure of exotic isotopes



- How does the nuclear chart emerge from **underlying interactions**?
- How does **nuclear structure evolve** across the nuclear landscape?
- What **shape can nuclei adopt**?
- What are the **limits of existence of nuclei**?
- .....

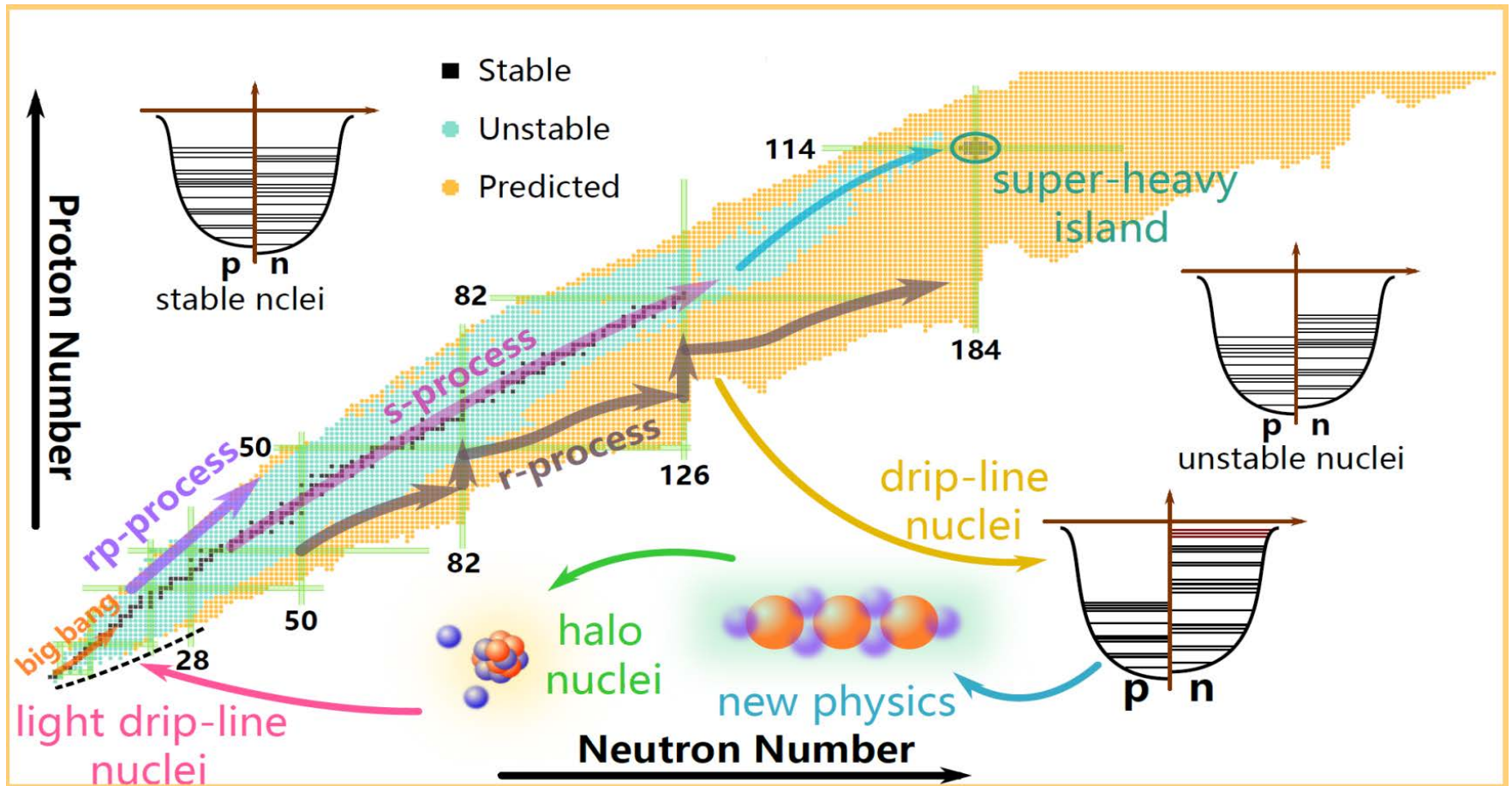
《NuPECC LRP 2017》



# Nuclear structure of exotic isotopes

- ❑ Exotic phenomena near dripline
- ❑ Nuclear astrophysics
- ❑ Super heavy element

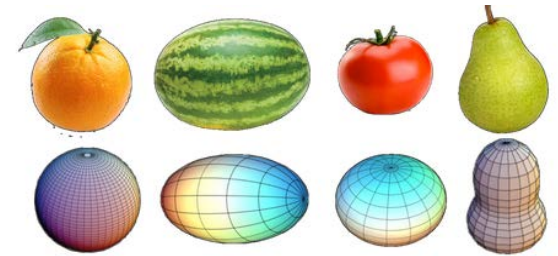
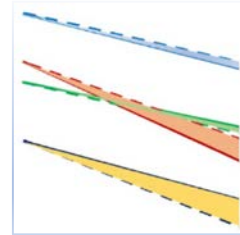
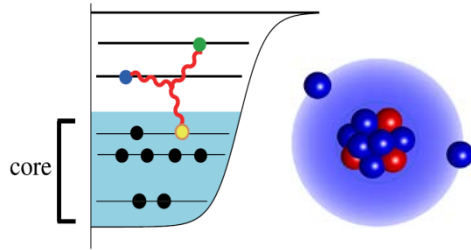
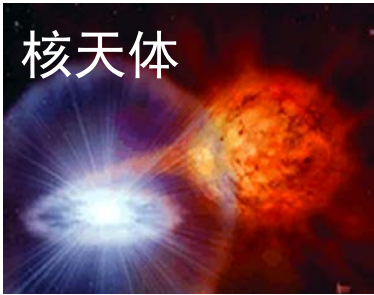
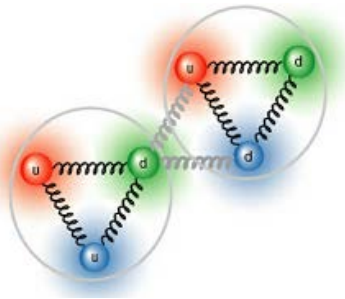
- Radioactive ion beam
- Experimental investigation
- Theoretical development



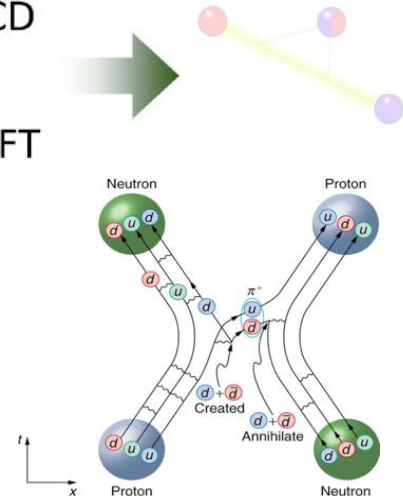
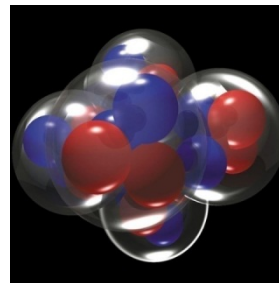
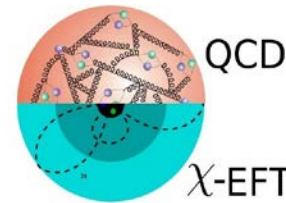
◆ Experiments: Reactions,  $\alpha\beta\gamma$  decay, basic properties measurement.....

# Nuclear properties of (exotic) nuclei

- test for state-of-the-art **nuclear theories**
- input for **nuclear astrophysics models**
- insight into the **nuclear structure**
- study of the **nucleon-nucleon interaction**



- Mass and Lifetime
- Spin and Parity
- Nuclear Magnetic dipole and Electric quadrupole moments
- Charge Radii and matter radii



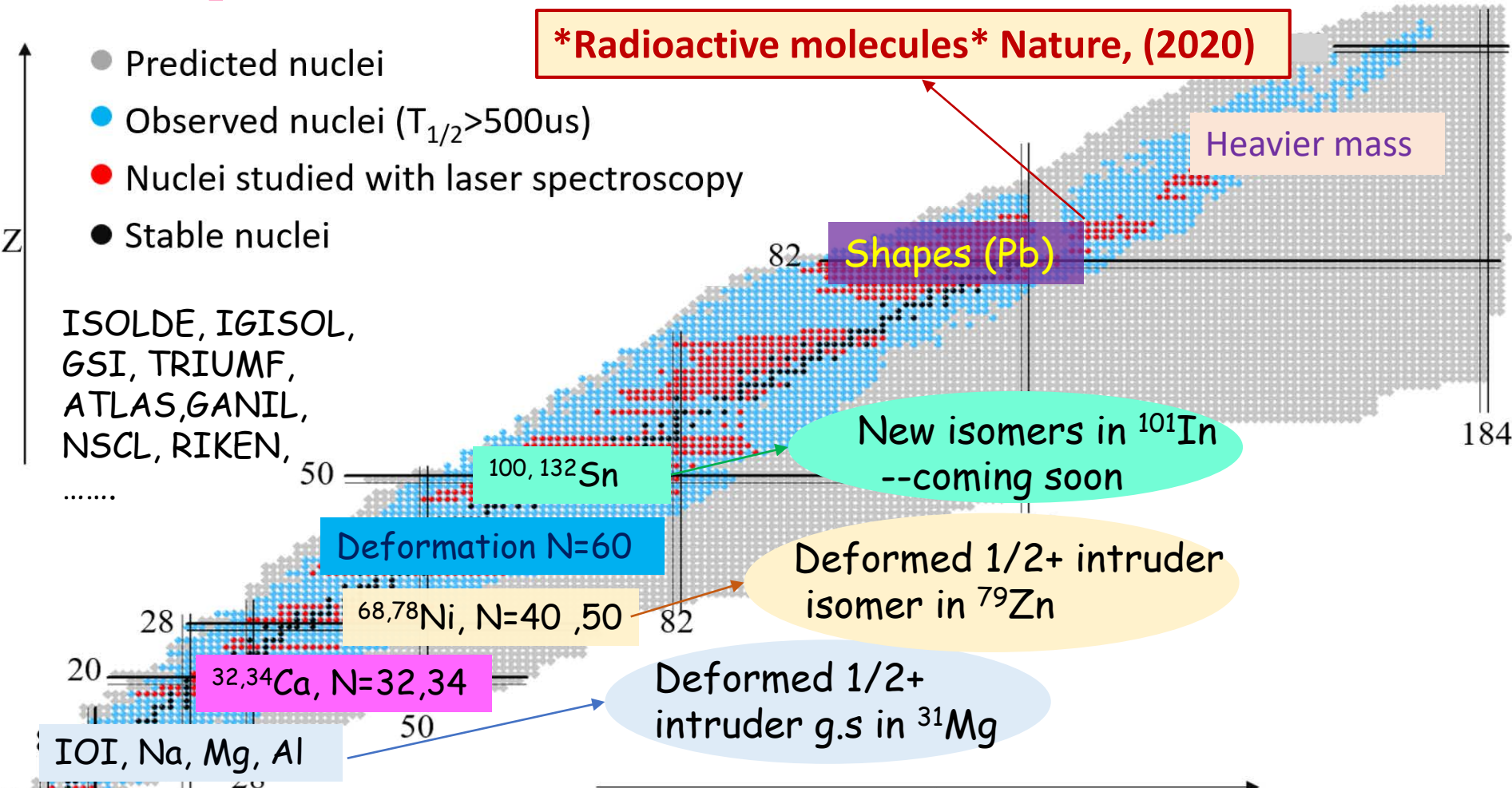
Can be measured with one technique: laser spectroscopy

# Achievements until now

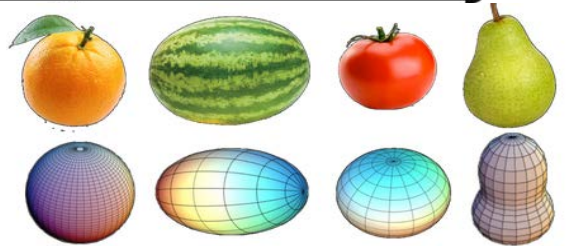
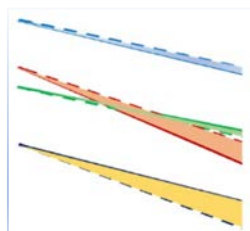
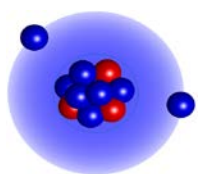
- Exotic phenomenon (halo, shell evolution, deformation...)**

**\*Radioactive molecules\* Nature, (2020)**

- Predicted nuclei
- Observed nuclei ( $T_{1/2} > 500\mu s$ )
- Nuclei studied with laser spectroscopy
- Stable nuclei



Halo nuclei, He, Li, Be

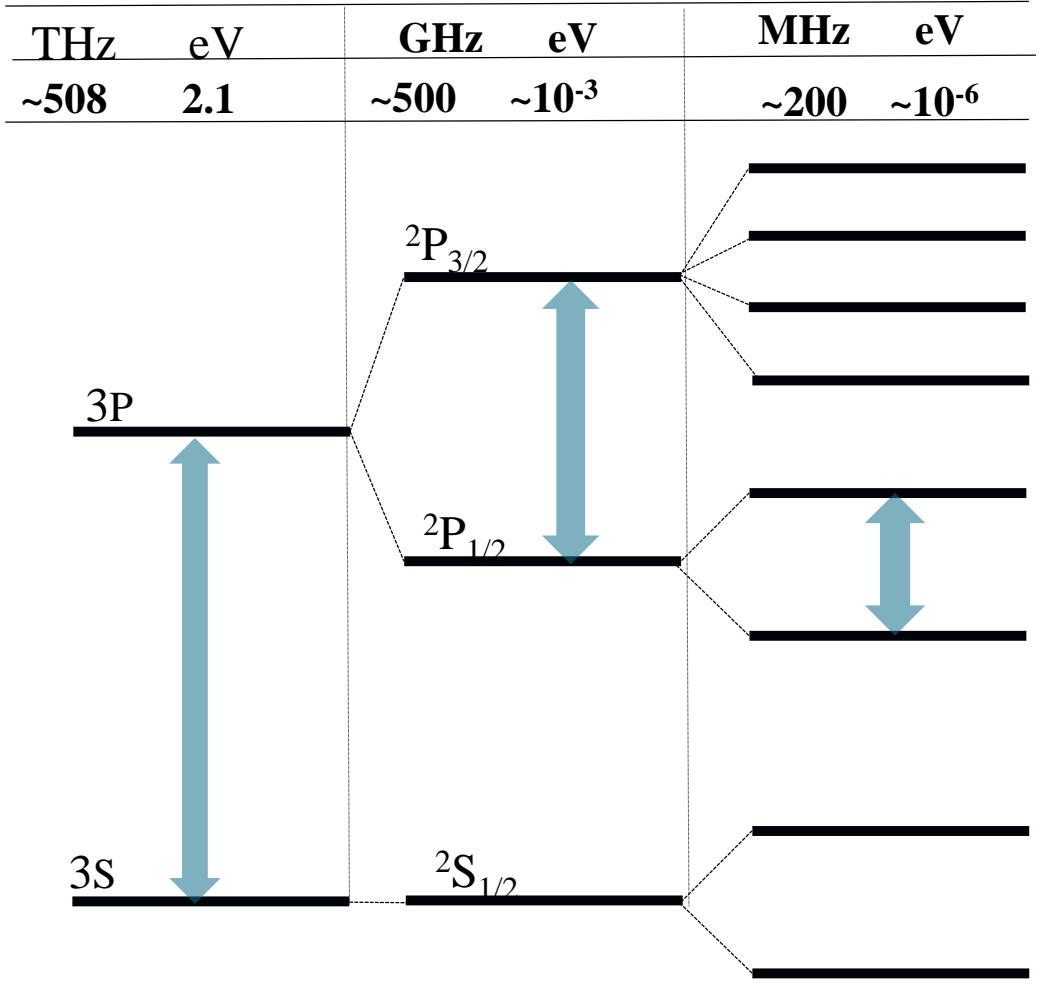


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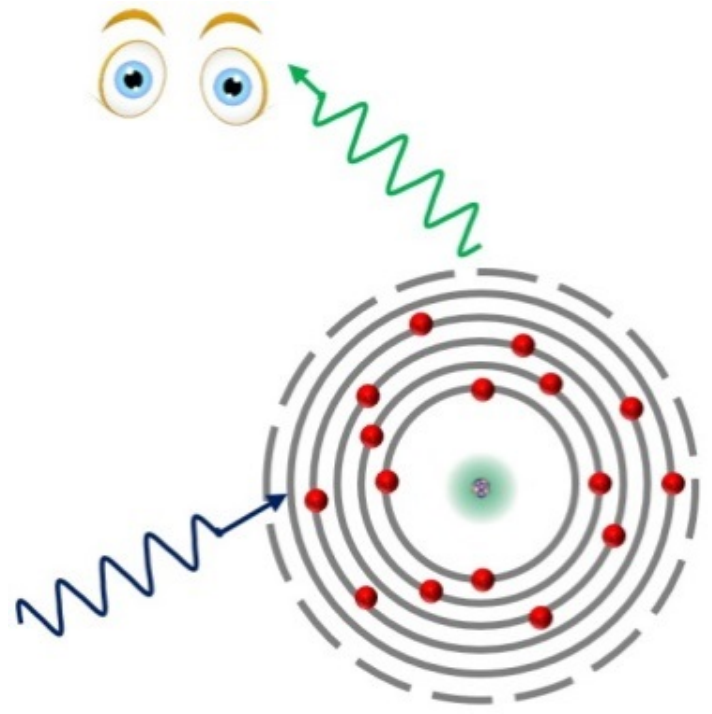
# From Atoms to Nuclei

--Spectroscopy of electronic transitions of atoms/ions

## Electronic energy level structure



$$l \quad J = l + s \quad F = J + I(\text{nuclear spins})$$



Only in **HFS** precision level, **nuclear information** are involved



# Atomic hyperfine structure

$$\Delta E = \mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{K} / 2 + \mathbf{B} \cdot \{3\mathbf{K}(\mathbf{K}+1)/4 - \mathbf{I}(\mathbf{I}+1)\mathbf{J}(\mathbf{J}+1)\} / \{2(2\mathbf{I}-1)(2\mathbf{J}-1)\mathbf{I}\mathbf{J}\}, \mathbf{K} = \mathbf{F}(\mathbf{F}+1) - \mathbf{I}(\mathbf{I}+1) - \mathbf{J}(\mathbf{J}+1)$$

## Atomic parameters

- Magnetic dipole HF parameter

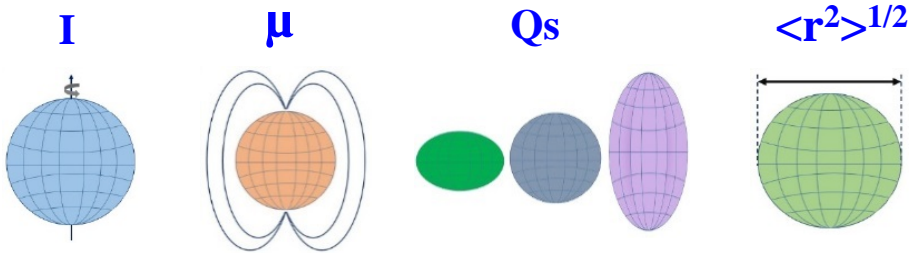
$$A = \frac{\mu_I B_J}{IJ} \quad \mathbf{I}, \boldsymbol{\mu}$$

- Electric quadrupole HF parameter

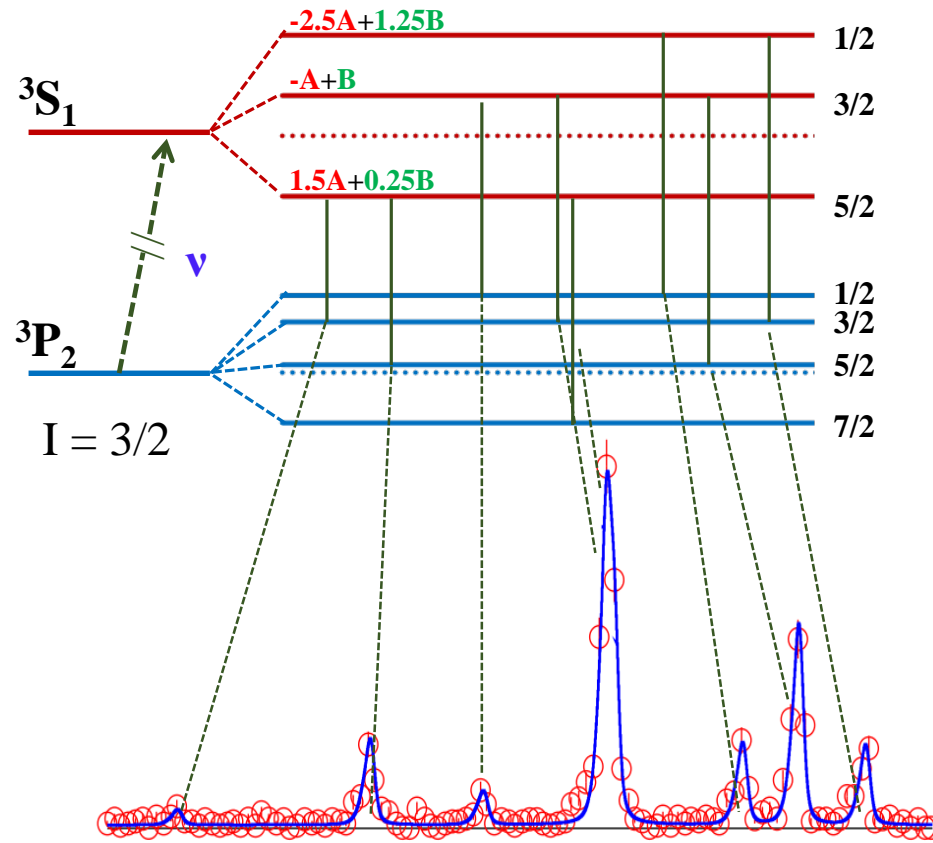
$$B = eQV_{zz} \quad Qs$$

- Centroid  $\nu_0 \Rightarrow$  Isotopes shift

$$\delta\nu^{AA'} = M \frac{A' - A}{AA'} + F \delta\langle r^2 \rangle^{AA'}$$



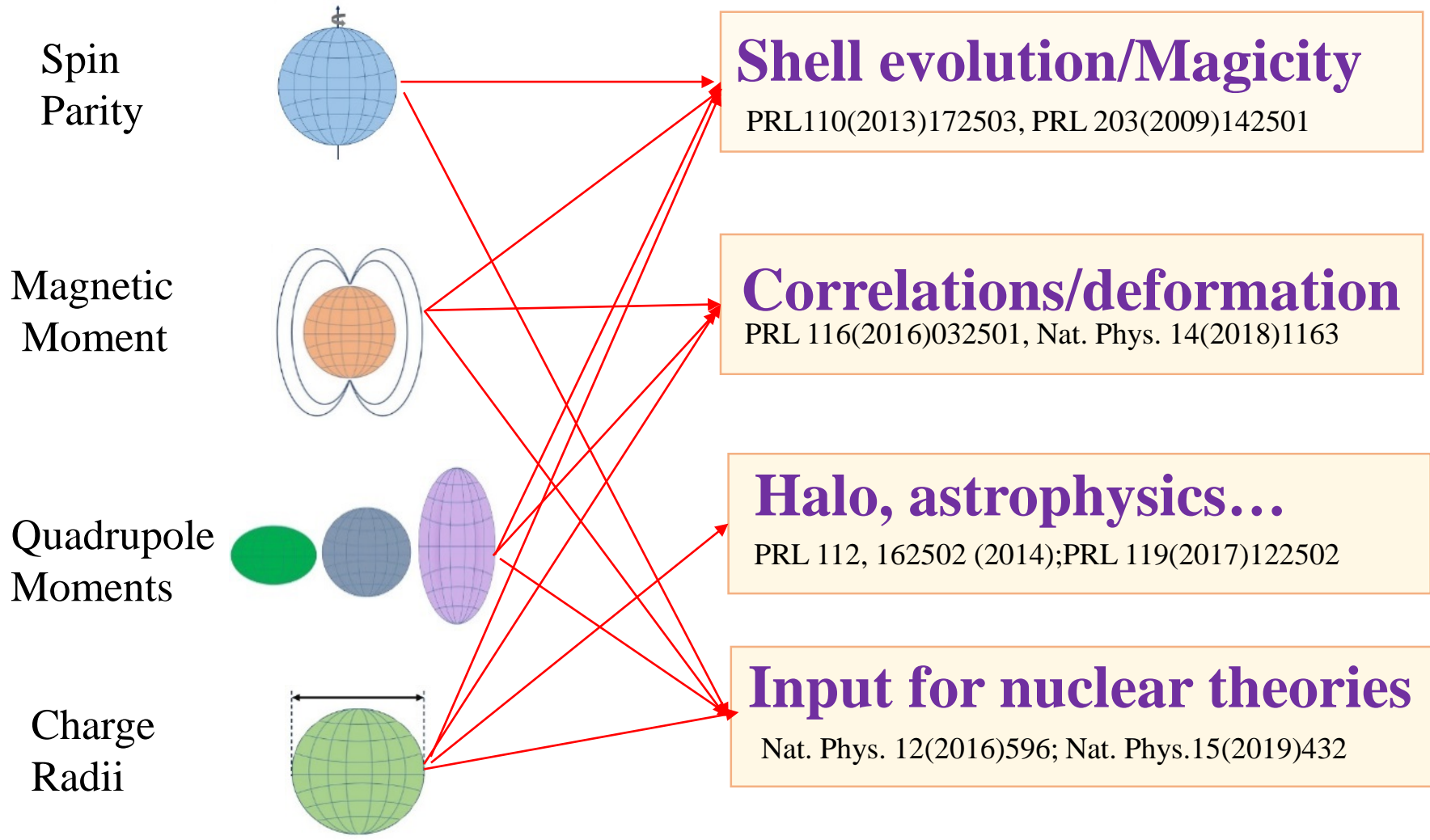
$J = l + s$        $F = J + I$  (nuclear spins)  
**Fine structure**      **Hyperfine structure**



**All quantities are deduced (nuclear) model-independently**

# Observables from laser spectroscopy

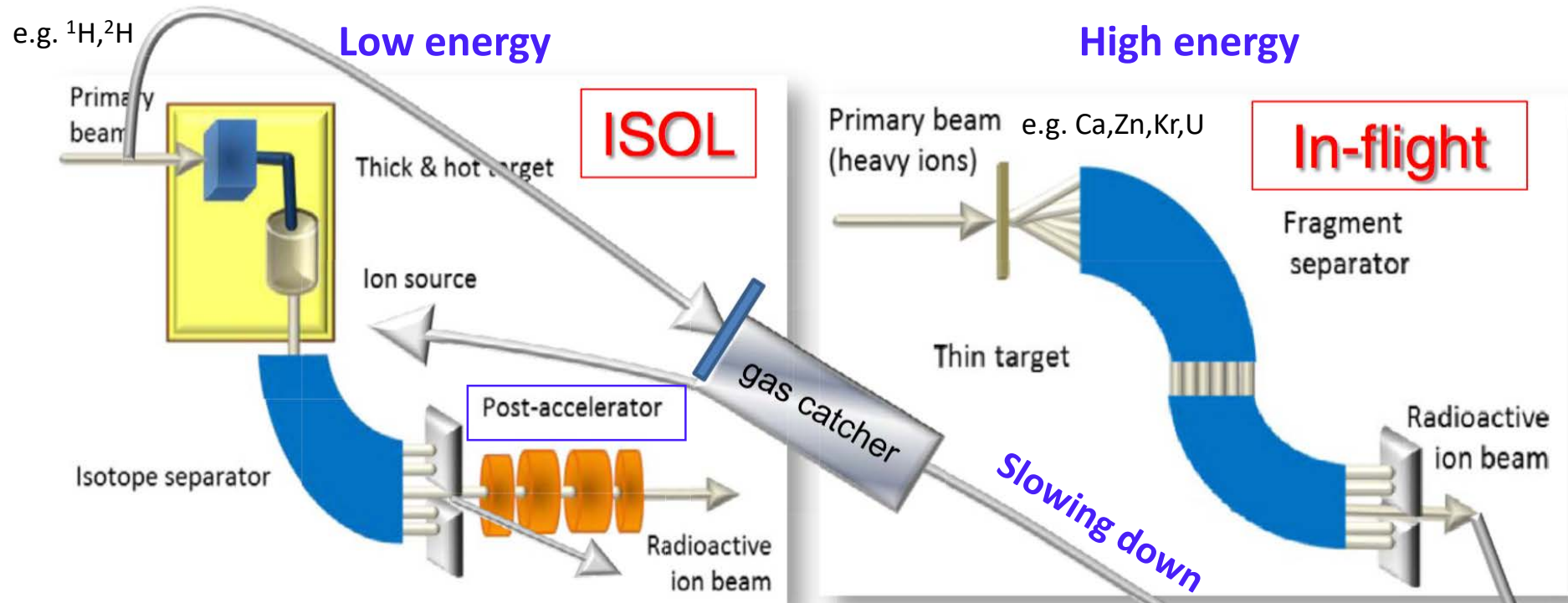
---and its link to nuclear information



**Providing complementary nuclear information!**

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# Production of radioactive beams

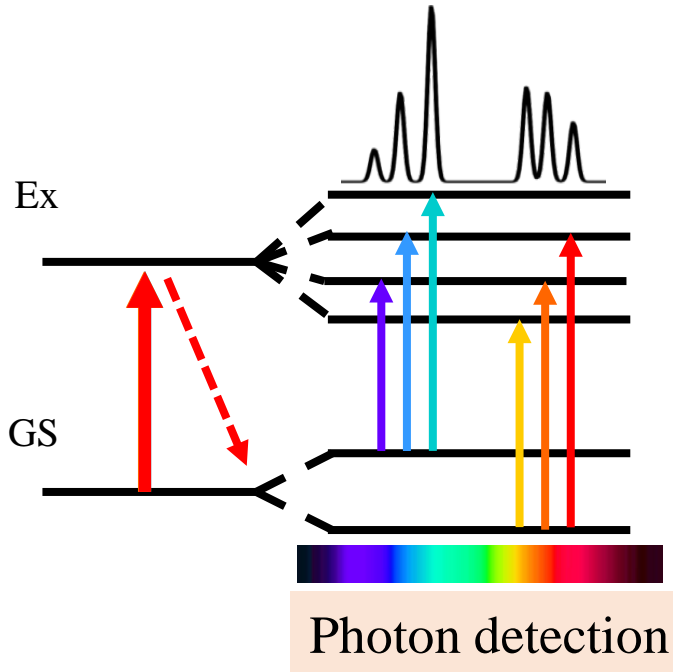


- ISOLDE@CERN
- GANIL-SPIRA@GANIL
- ISAC@TRIUMF
- EUROSOL@EU (planned)
- **BISOL @CIAE/PKU(Planned)**

- FAIR@GSI
- FRIB@MSU
- BigRIPS, RIPIS@RIKEN
- **HIAF@IMP (Funded)**

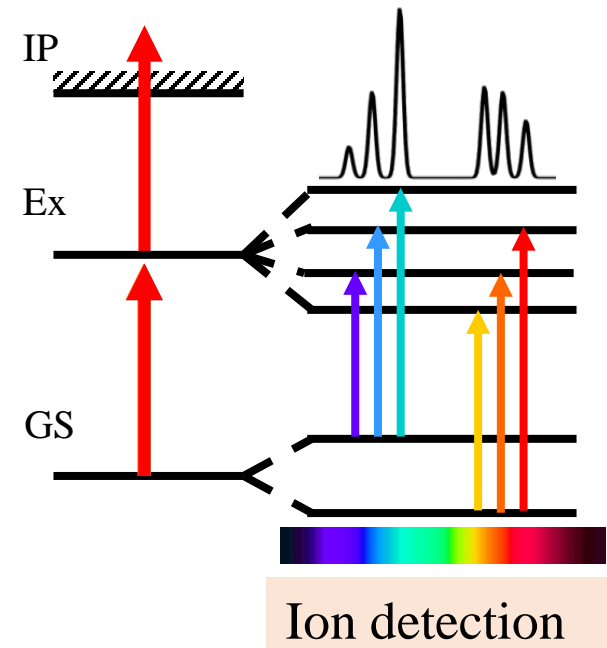
# Laser spectroscopy methods

## Single laser beam



- Collinear laser spectroscopy
- Laser spectroscopy of trapped atoms
- .....

## Multiple laser beams

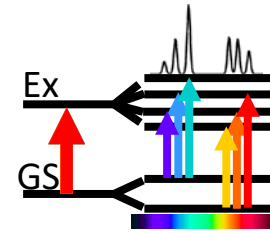
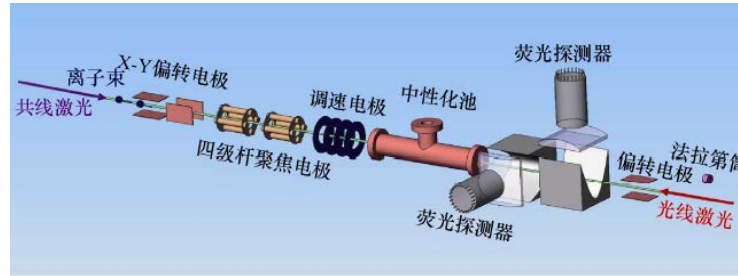


- Collinear resonant ionization
- In source spectroscopy
- In gas cell/ gas-jet spectroscopy
- .....

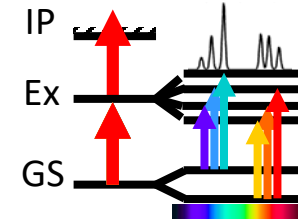
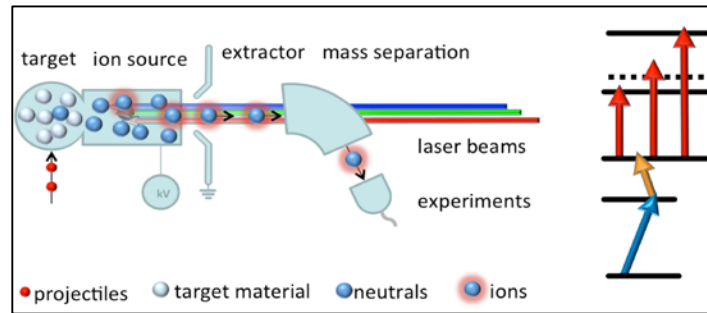
# Laser spectroscopy techniques

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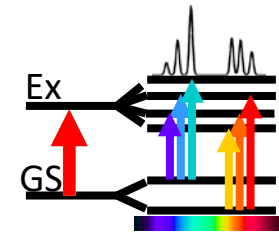
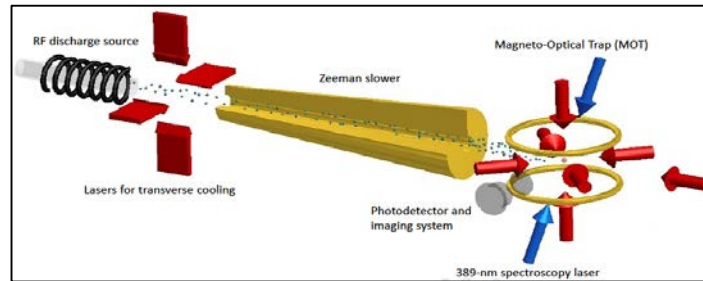
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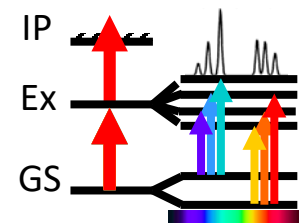
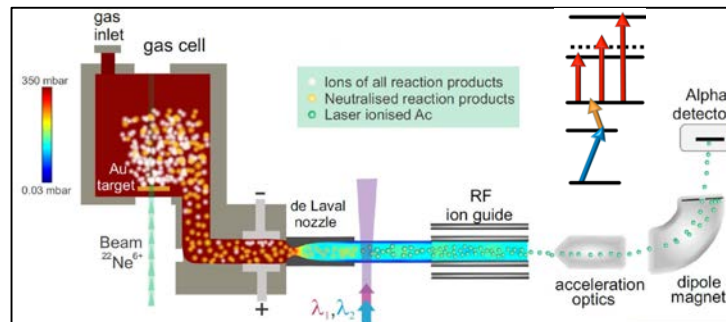
In source spectroscopy



Ion/atom trap (e.g MOT)



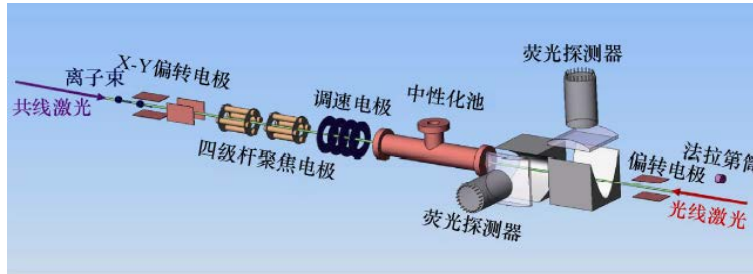
In-gas-cell/Jet



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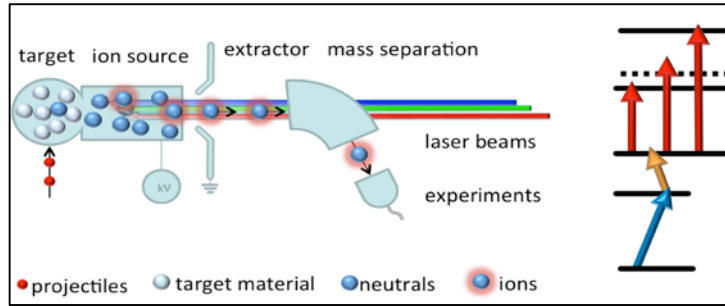
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Collinear laser spectroscopy



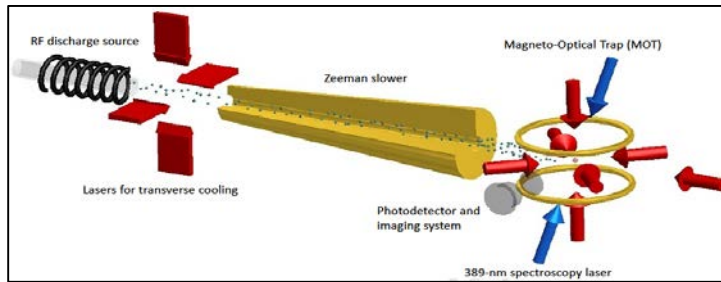
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 $10^{2-3}$  ions/s  
 $I, u, Q, \langle r^2 \rangle$

In source spectroscopy



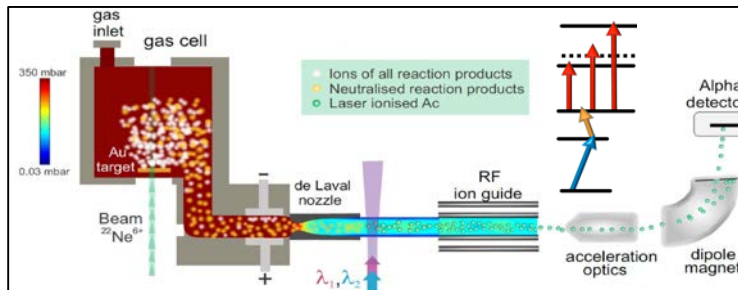
~ GHz  
 <1 ions/s  
 $I, u, \langle r^2 \rangle$

Ion/atom trap (e.g MOT)



<10 MHz  
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In-gas-cell/Jet

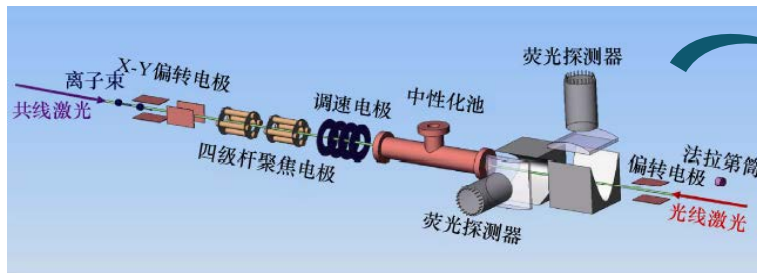


> 200 MHz  
 < 10 ions/s  
 $I, u, \langle r^2 \rangle$

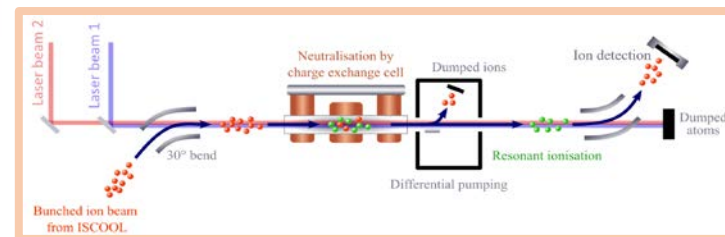
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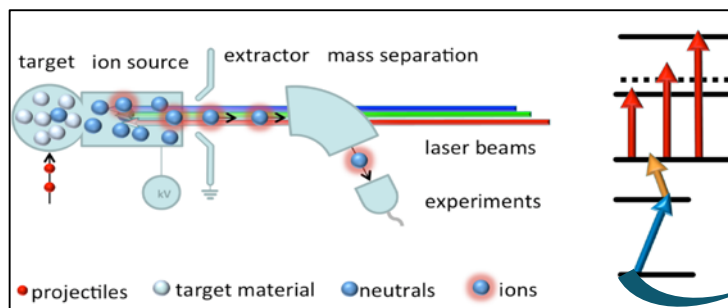
Collinear laser spectroscopy



Collinear resonance ionization spectroscopy

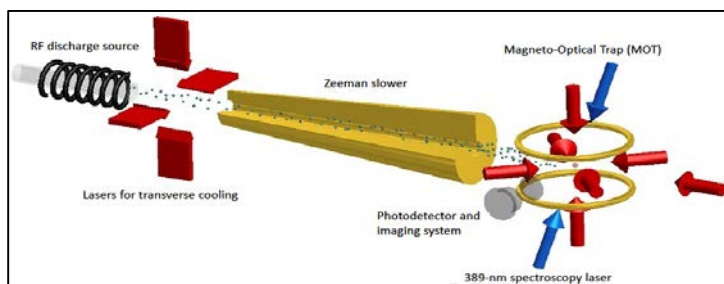


In source spectroscopy



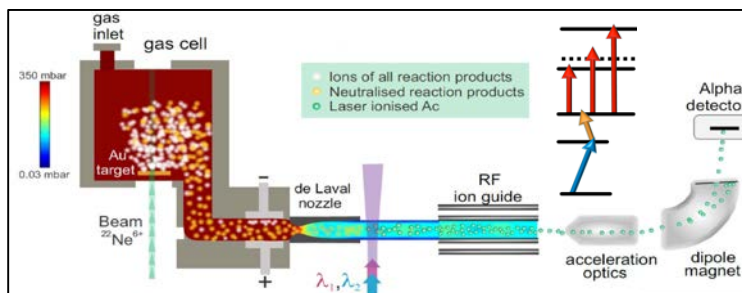
<100MHz  
 <50 ions/s  
 I, u, Q, <r<sup>2</sup>>

Ion/atom trap (e.g MOT)



<10 MHz  
 I, u, Q, <r<sup>2</sup>>

In-gas-cell/Jet



> 200 MHz  
 < 10 ions/s  
 I, u, <r<sup>2</sup>>



# CERN-ISOLDE (COLLAPS/CRIS)

<http://isolde.web.cern.ch/>

RI beams produced  
using laser ion sources

RILIS

1.4 GeV P beam  
(1.2 s pulse)

Polarized RI beam  
using laser techniques

HRS

VITO

GPS

CRIS

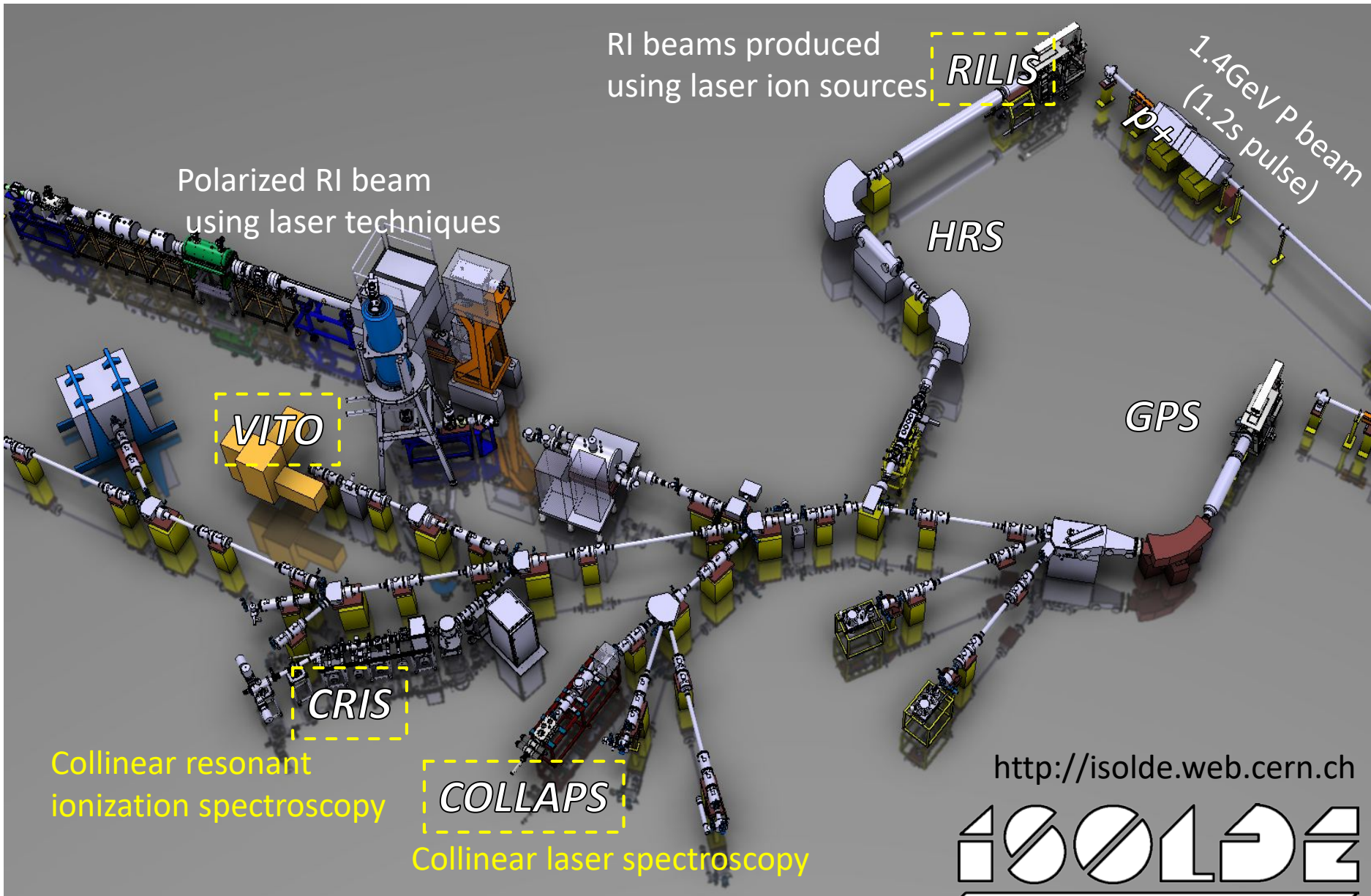
COLLAPS

Collinear resonant  
ionization spectroscopy

Collinear laser spectroscopy

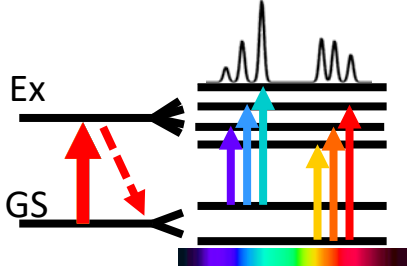
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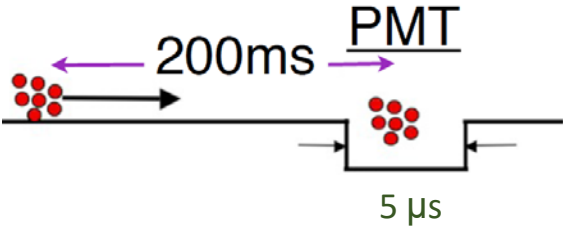
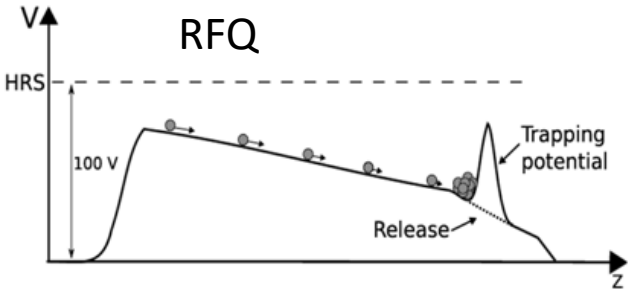
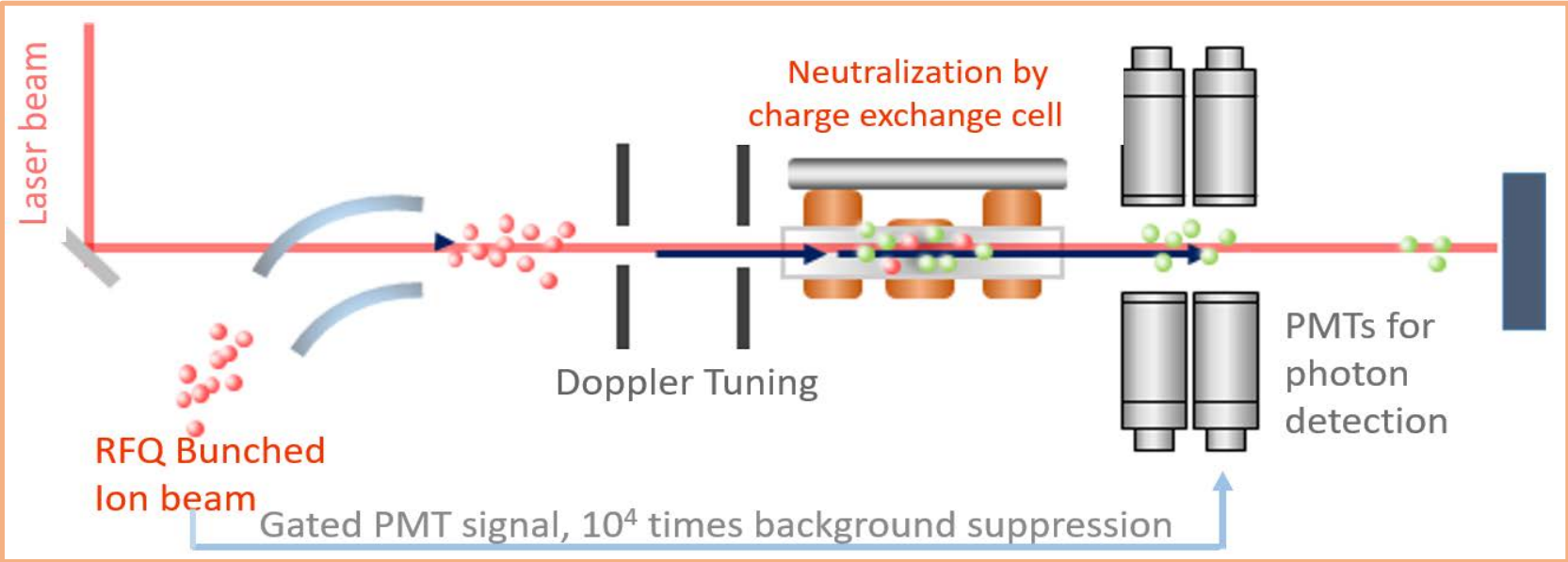
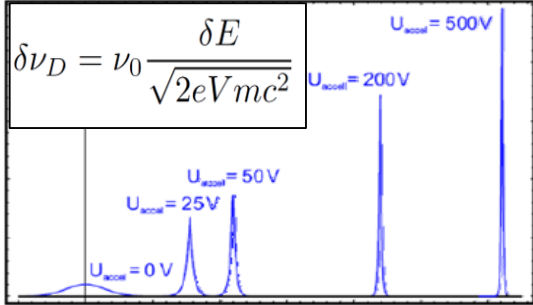


# Collinear laser spectroscopy (COLLAPS)

<http://collaps.web.cern.ch/>



- ✓ **Collinear : High resolution**
- ✓ **Photon detec.: Sensitivity  $10^3$  pps**

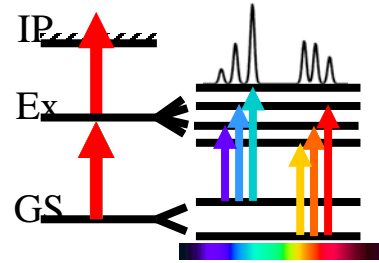


$$v_{transition} = v_{laser} \frac{1 - \beta}{\sqrt{1 - \beta^2}}$$

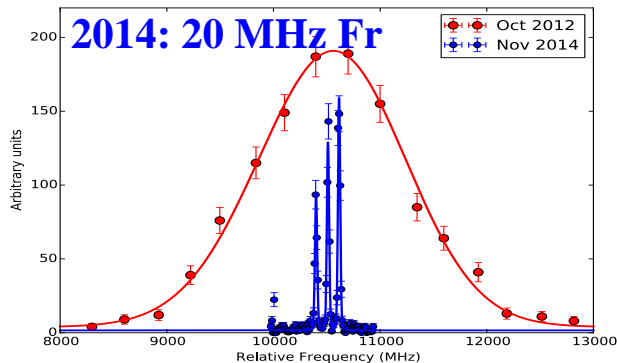
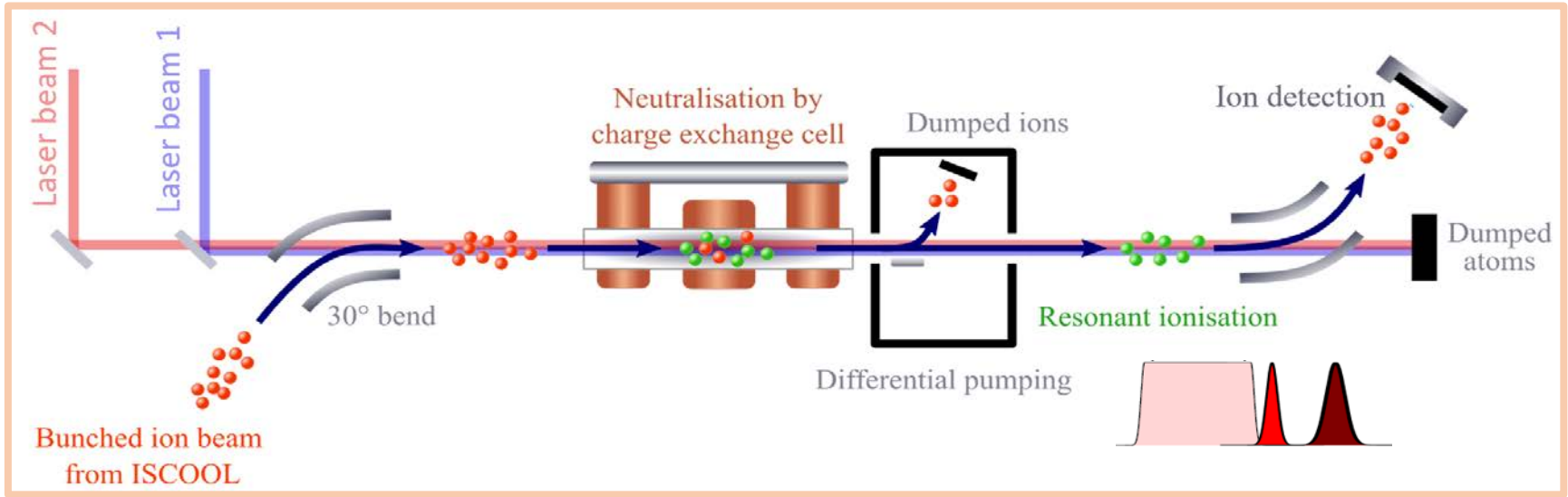
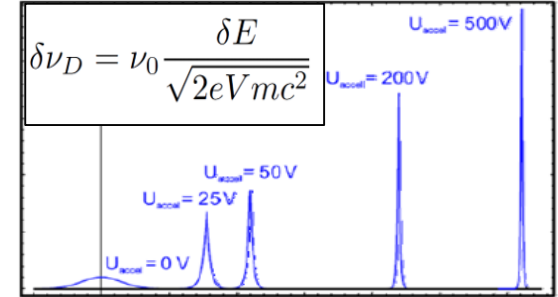
$$\beta = \sqrt{1 - \frac{M_0^2 c^4}{(Uq + M_0 c^2)^2}}$$

# Collinear ionization laser spectroscopy (CRIS)

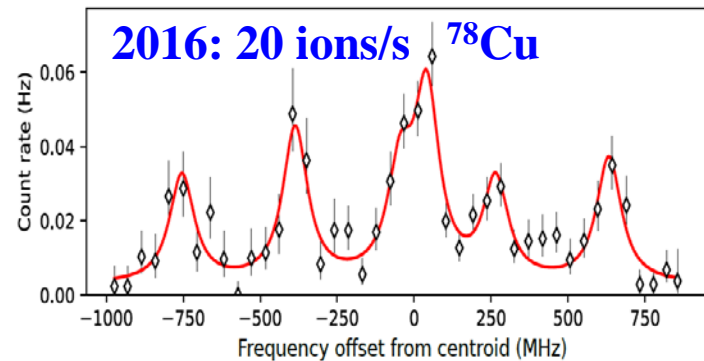
<http://isolde-cris.web.cern.ch/isolde-cris/>



- ✓ **Collinear: High resolution**
- ✓ **Ion detection: Higher sensitivity**



R.P. De Groote et al., PRL. 115 (2015) 132501

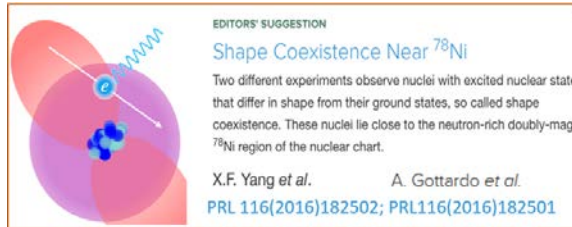


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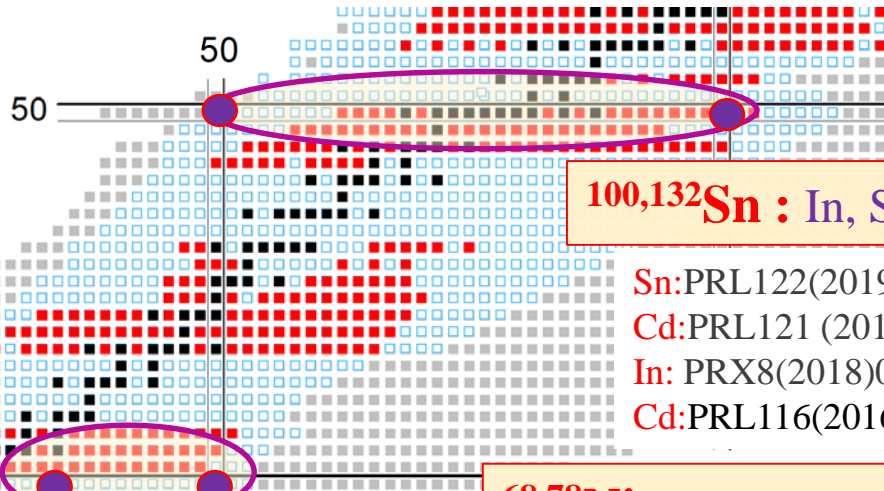
# Research interests (COLLAPS/CRIS)



- Experimental observed
- $T_{1/2} > 0.5\text{ms}$
- Laser spec. studied



**\*Radioactive molecules\* Nature581(2020)396**



**100,132Sn : In, Sn, Sb...**

- Sn:PRL122(2019)192502
- Cd:PRL121 (2018)102501
- In: PRX8(2018)041005
- Cd:PRL116(2016) 032501

**68,78Ni : Ni, Cu, Zn, Ga, Ge...**

- Ni: PRL124(2020)132502;
- Cu: Nat.Phy16(2020)620;
- Zn: PLB797(2019)134805;
- Cu: PRC96(2017)041302(R);
- Zn: PRC97(2019)044324
- Zn: PLB771(2017) 385;
- Zn: PRL116(2016)182502 ;

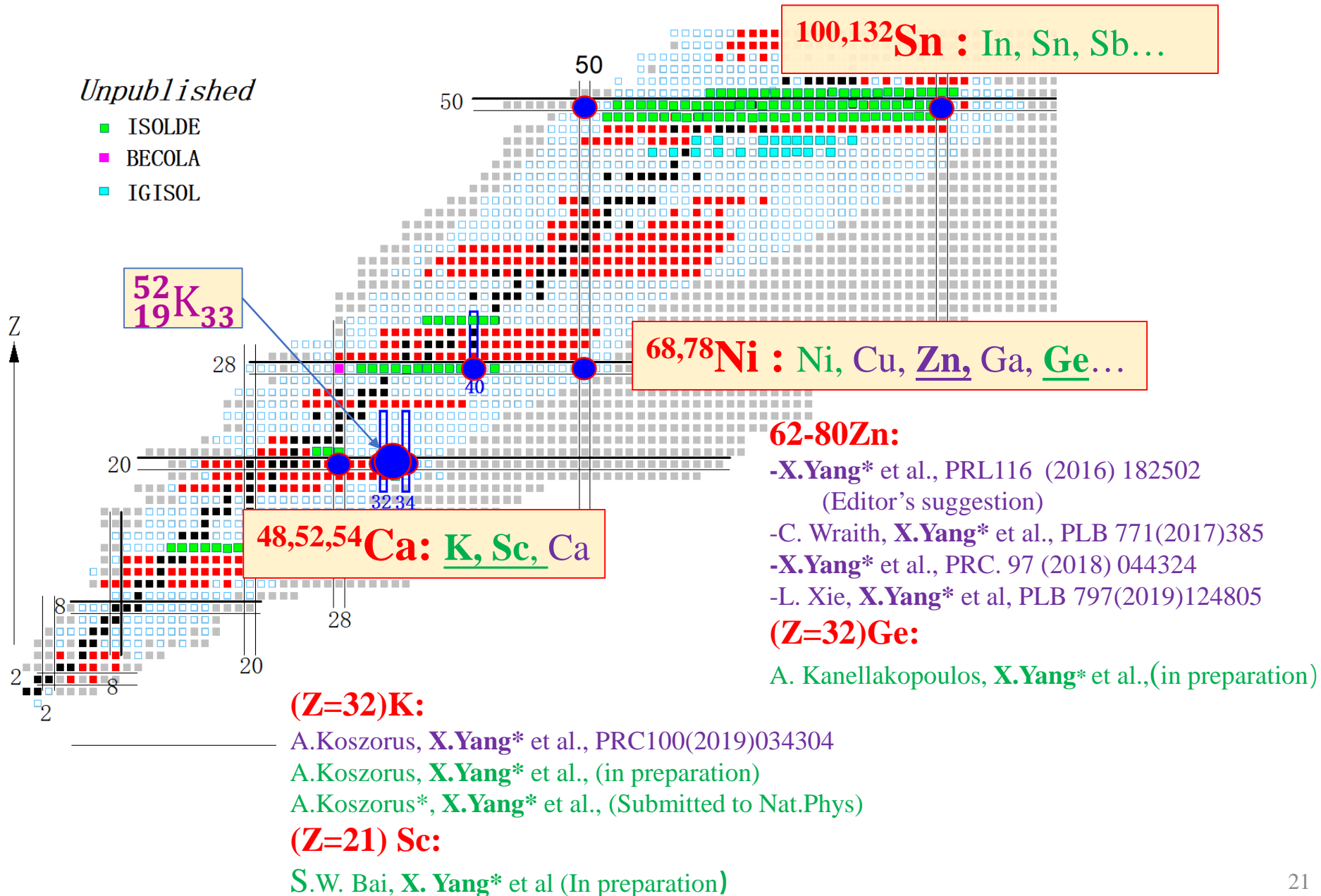
**48,52,54Ca: K, Sc, Ca**

- Ca: NP12(2016) 594;
- Ca: PPC750(2015)041304(R);
- K: PRC100(2019)034304;



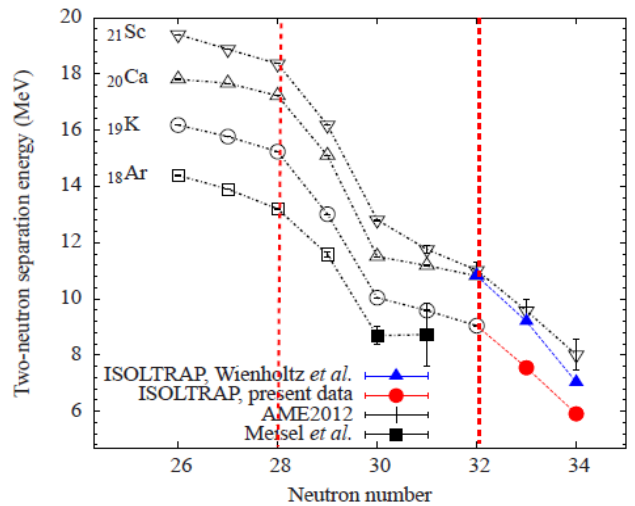
- <http://collaps.web.cern.ch/people>
- <http://isolde-cris.web.cern.ch/isolde-cris/>
- With strong collaboration with theoretical collages

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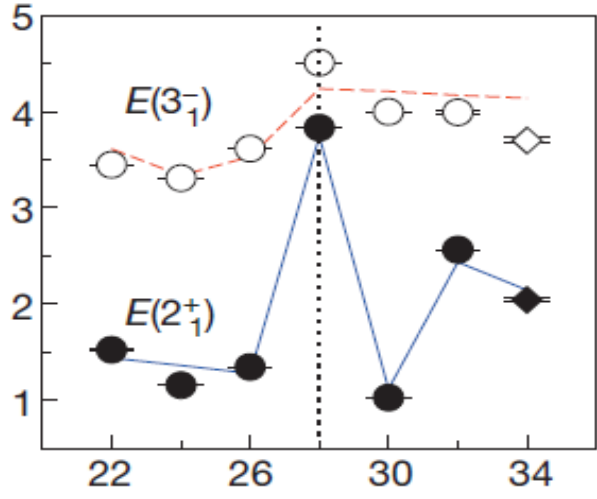
# “New magic numbers” ( $N = 32, N = 34$ )!!

**K, Ca ( $Z = 19, 21$ ):  $S_{2n}$**



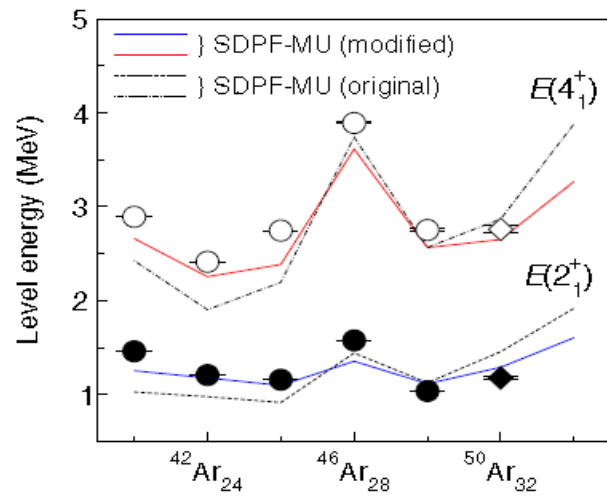
Wienholtz *et al*, Nature, 2013  
Rosenbusch *et al.*, PRL, 2015

**Ca ( $Z = 20$ ) :  $E(2^+)$**



Steppenbeck *et al*, Nature 2013 (RIKEN)

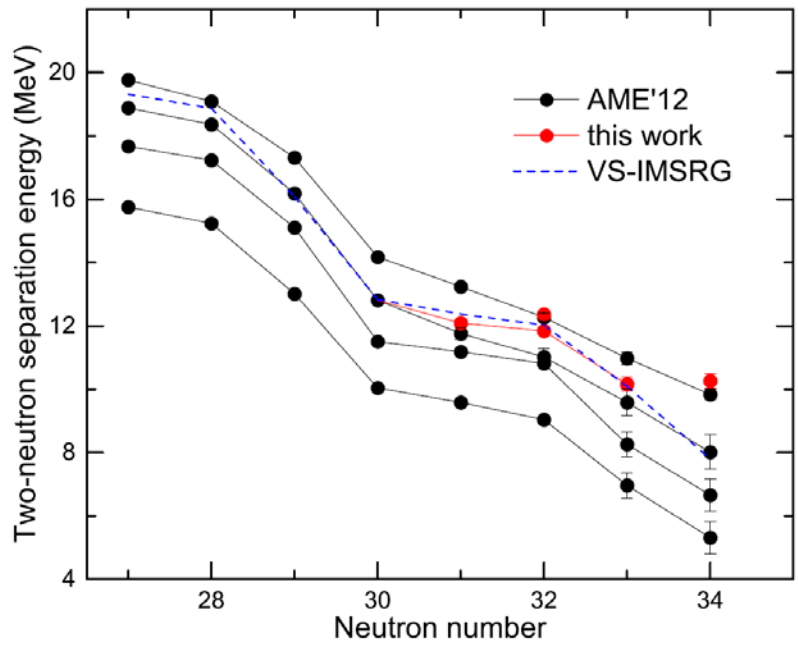
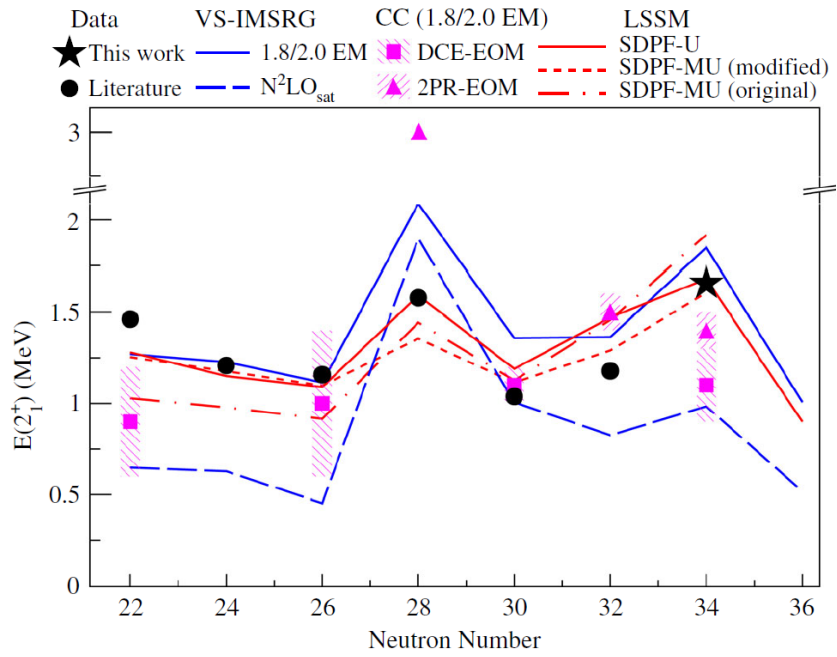
**Ar ( $Z = 18$ ) :  $E(2^+)$**



PRL 114, 252501 (2015)

| Theory                         | $N=32$ (Ca)                      | $N=34$ (Ca)         | Ref.  |
|--------------------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------|---|
| Shell model                    | GXPf1A, KB3G<br>$E(2^+), S_{2n}$ | GXPf1Br<br>$E(2^+)$ | PRC 65, 061301(R) (2002)<br>JPS Conf. Proc. 6 (2015) 010007<br>Nature 498,346(2013) |
| Shell model<br>Chiral EFT (3N) | MBPT<br>$E(2^+), S_{2n}$         | MBPT<br>$E(2^+)$    | Annu. Rev. Nucl. Part. Sci. 2015. 65  |
| Ab initio<br>Chiral EFT (3N)   | CC<br>$E(2^+), S_{2n}$           | CC<br>$E(2^+)$      | Annu. Rev. Nucl. Part. Sci. 2015. 65  |
| Beyond MF                      | $E(2^+)$                         |                     | PRL 99, 062501 (2007)   |

# “New magic numbers” ( $N = 32, N = 34$ )!??



PHYSICAL REVIEW LETTERS **122**, 072502 (2019)

**How Robust is the  $N = 34$  Subshell Closure? First Spectroscopy of  $^{52}\text{Ar}$**

PHYSICAL REVIEW C **99**, 064303 (2019)

**Masses of neutron-rich  $^{52-54}\text{Sc}$  and  $^{54,56}\text{Ti}$  nuclides: The  $N = 32$  subshell closure in scandium**

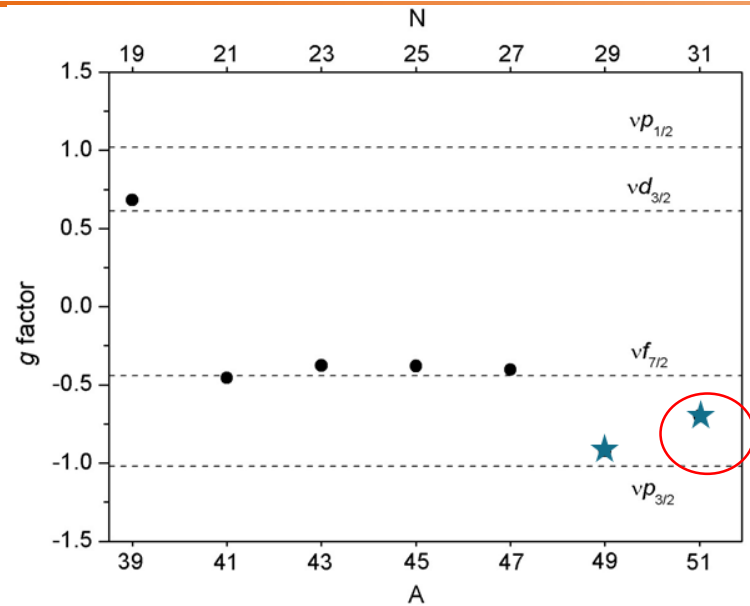
Quenching of the  $N = 32$  neutron shell closure studied via precision mass measurements of neutron-rich vanadium isotopes

M. P. Reiter *et al.*  
 Phys. Rev. C **98**, 024310 – Published 15 August 2018

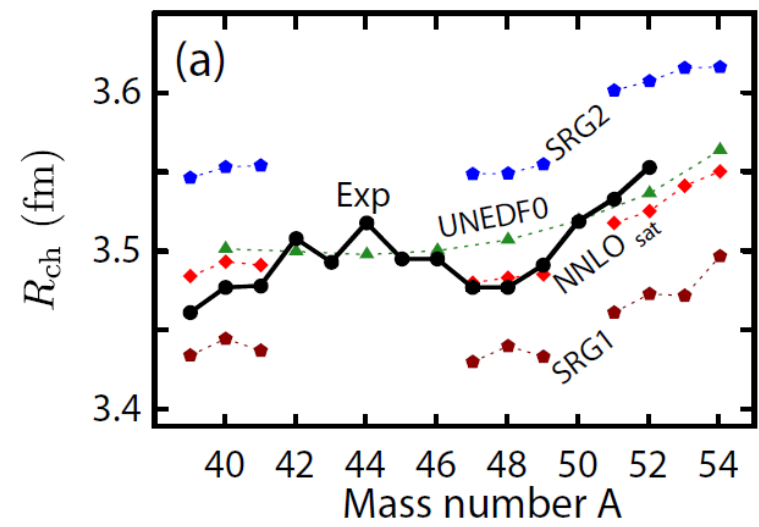
Magic Nature of Neutrons in  $^{54}\text{Ca}$ : First Mass Measurements of  $^{55-57}\text{Ca}$

S. Michimasa *et al.*  
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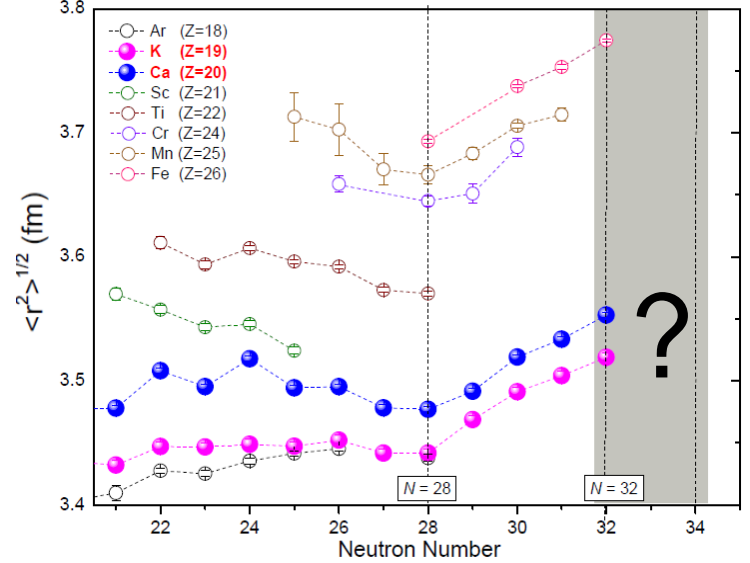
# “New magic numbers” (N = 32, N = 34) ??



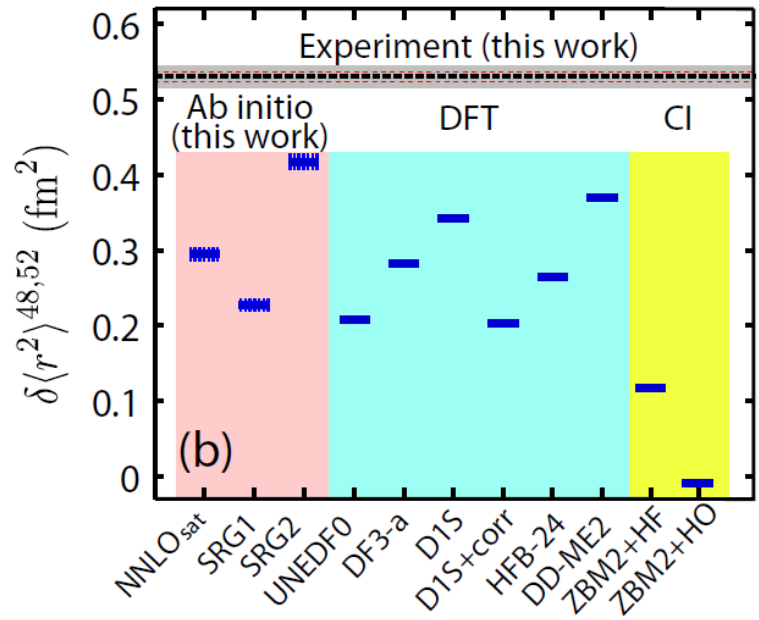
## Theoretical challenges



Garcia Ruiz *et al*, PRC 91 041304 (2015)



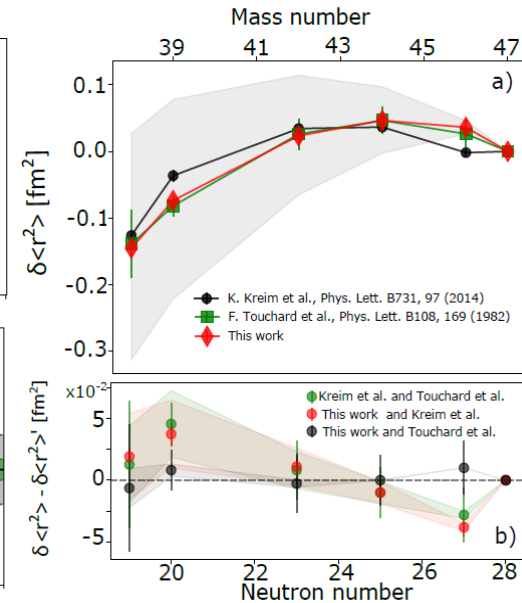
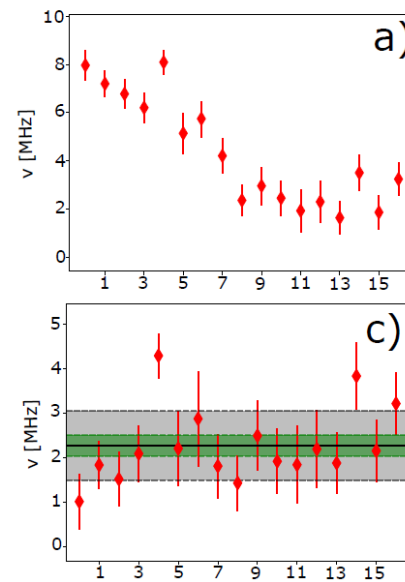
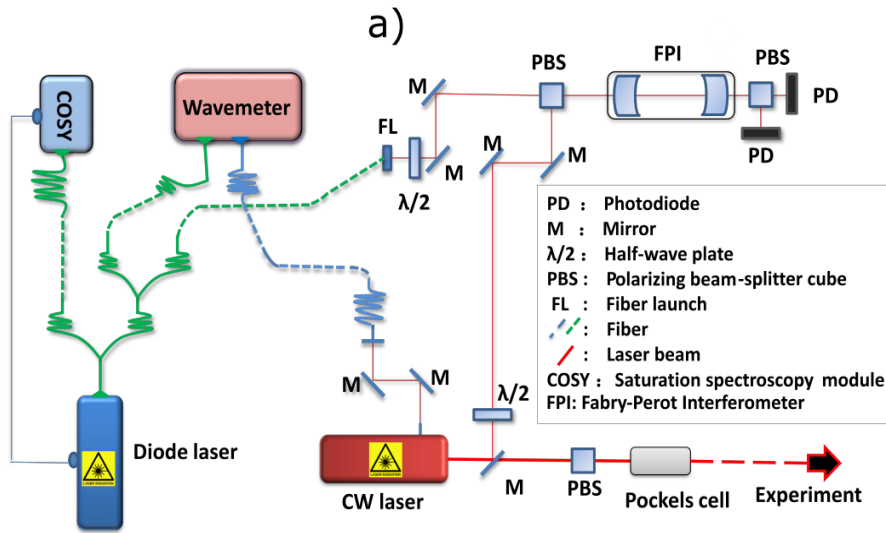
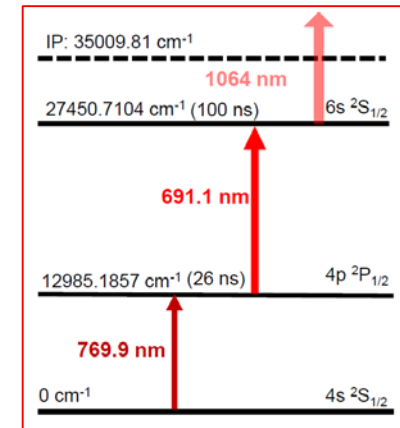
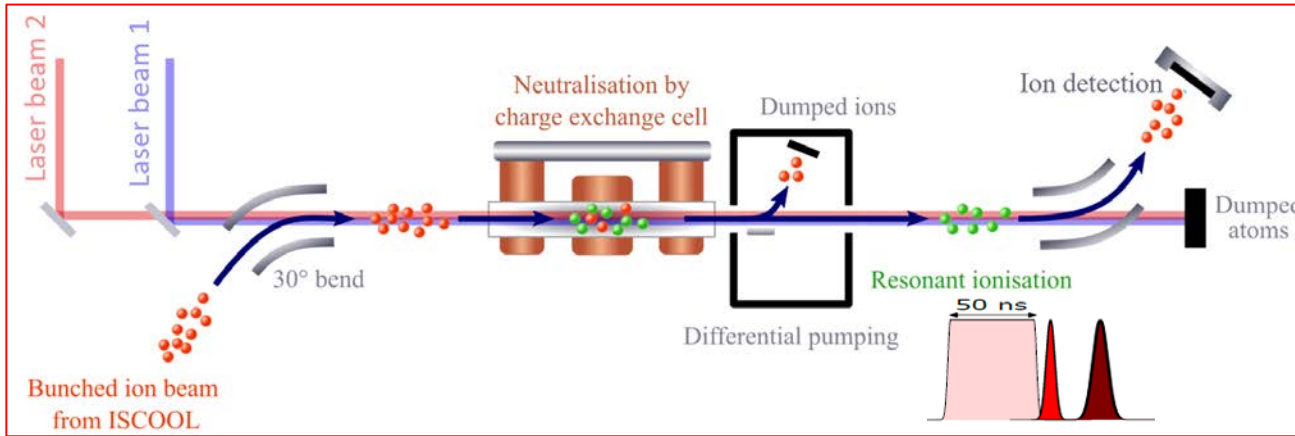
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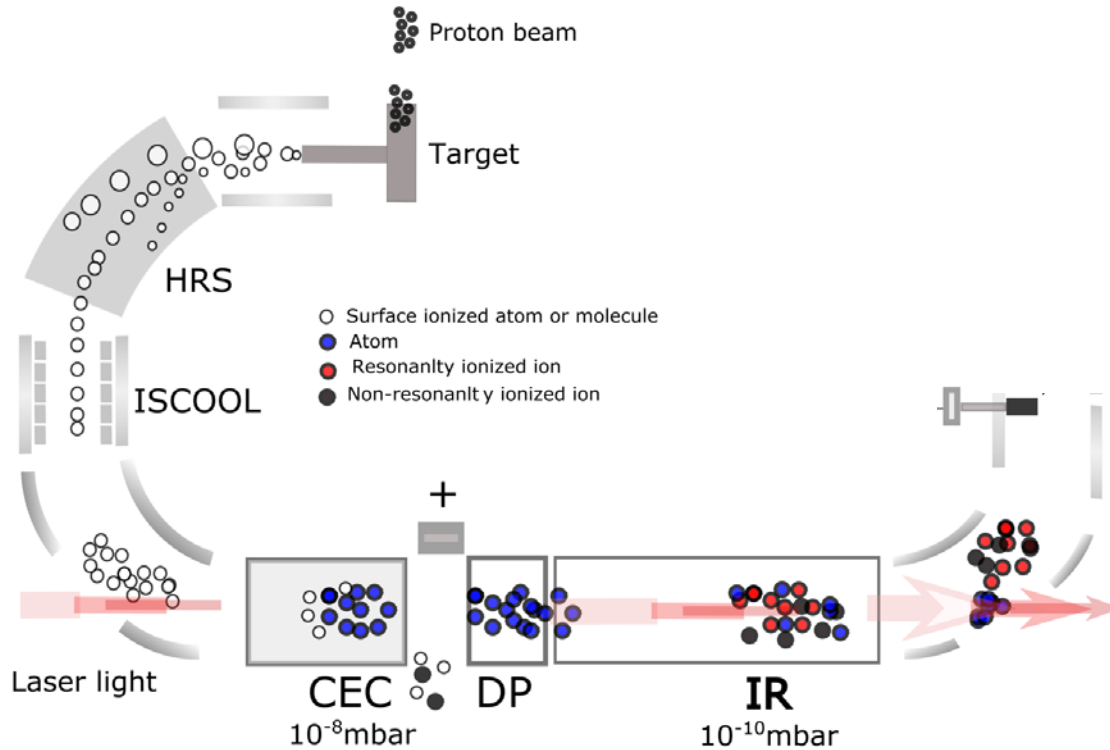
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$$\delta v^{AA'} = M \frac{A'-A}{AA'} + F \delta \langle r^2 \rangle^{AA'}$$

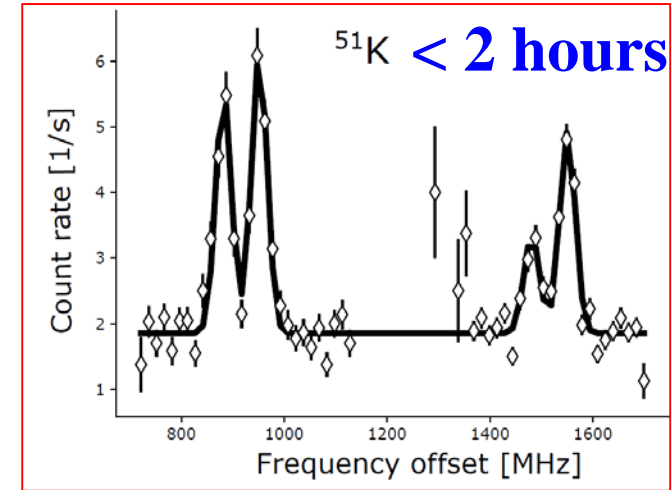


A.Koszorus, X.F. Yang\* et al., PRC100, 034304 (2019):  
 Reaching higher precision of  $\sim 1$  MHz for light mass isotopes.

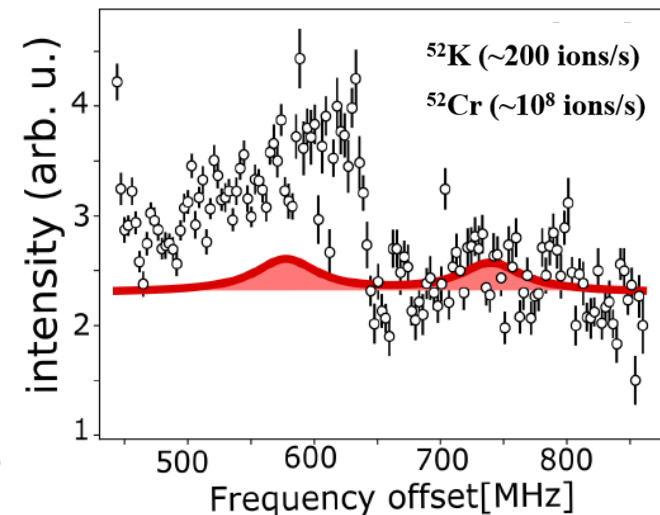
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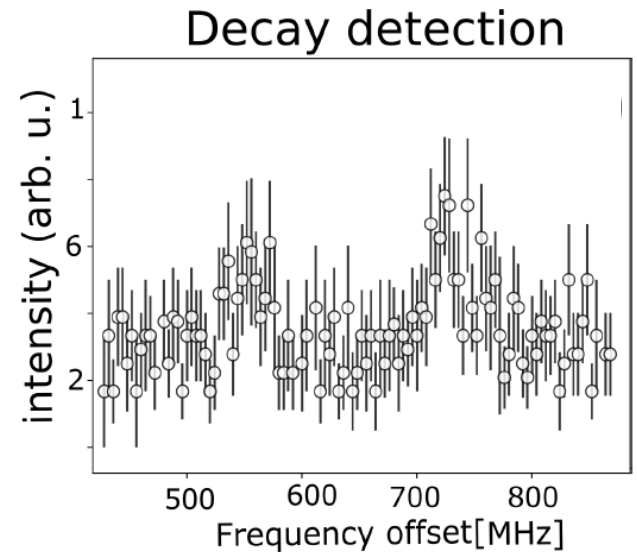
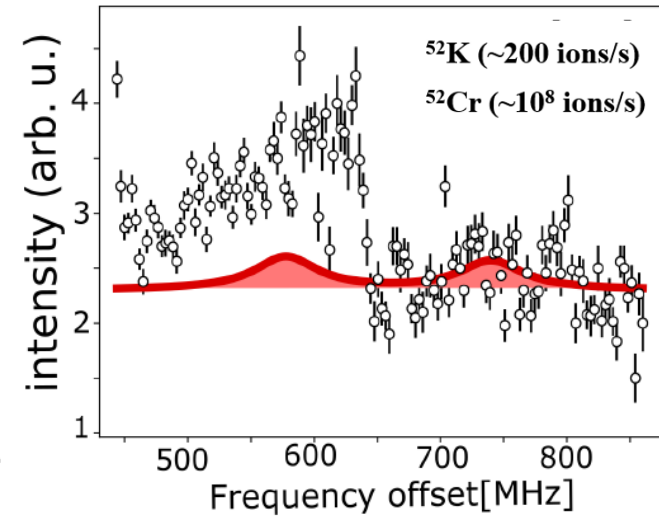
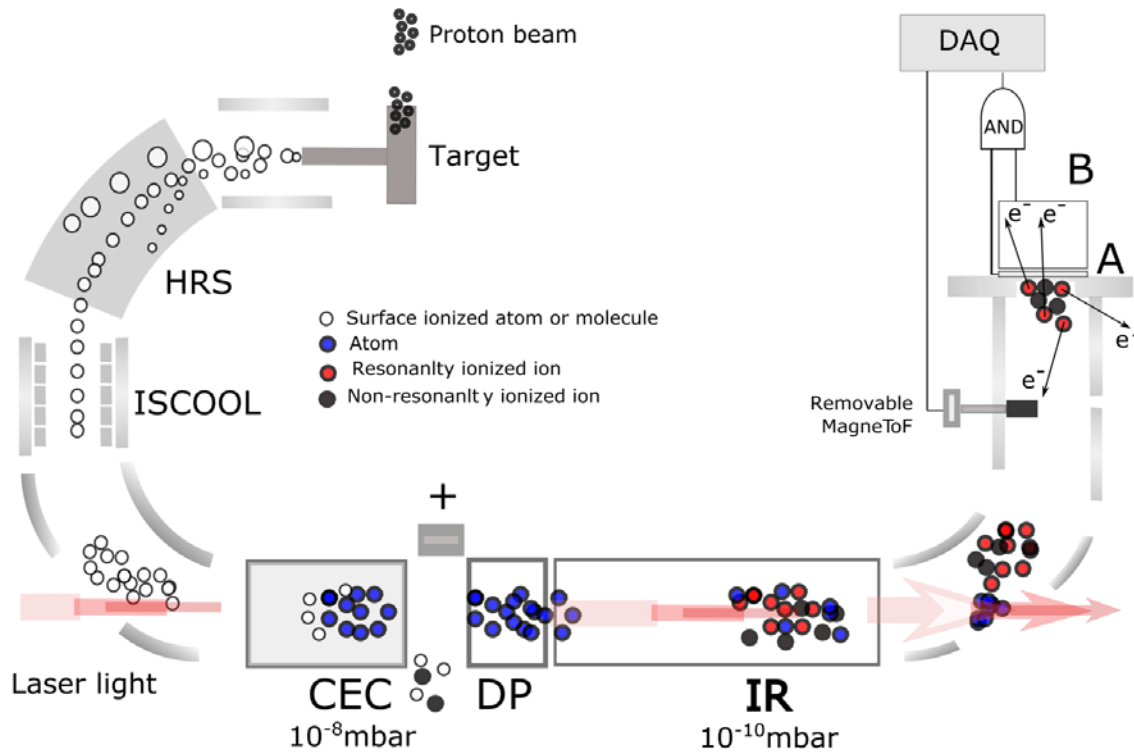


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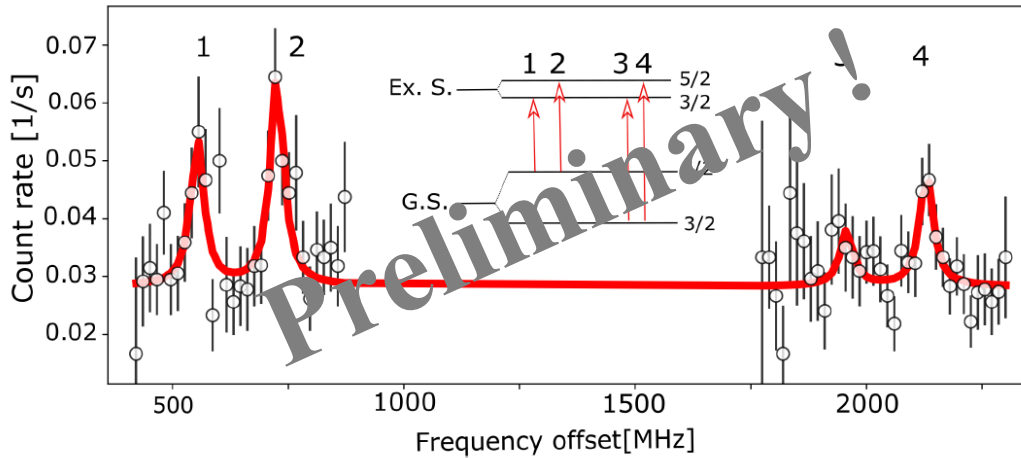


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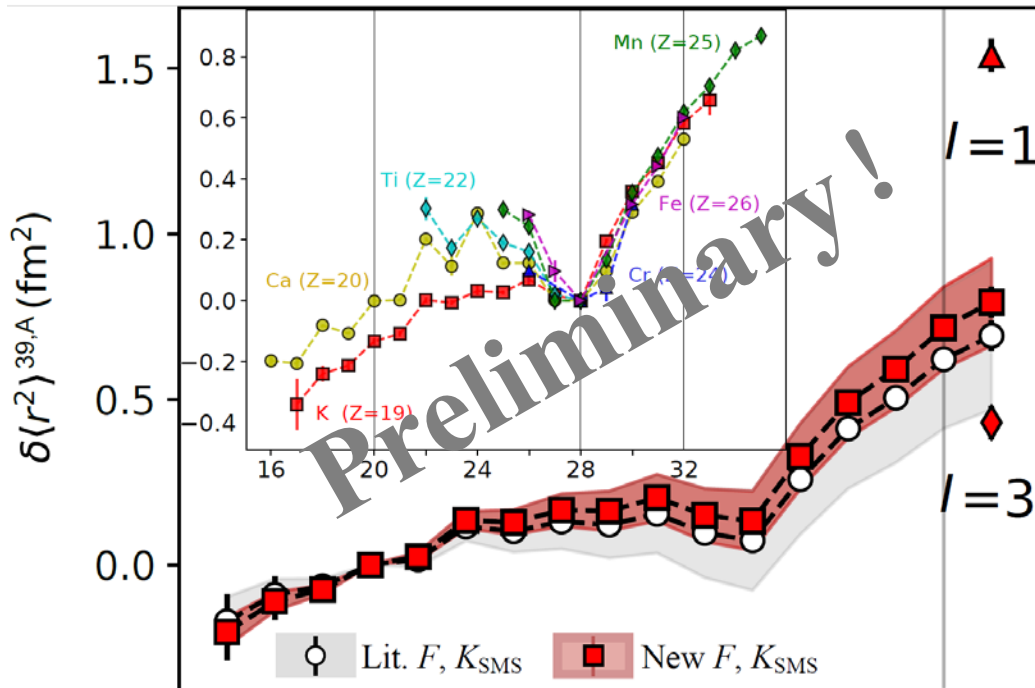
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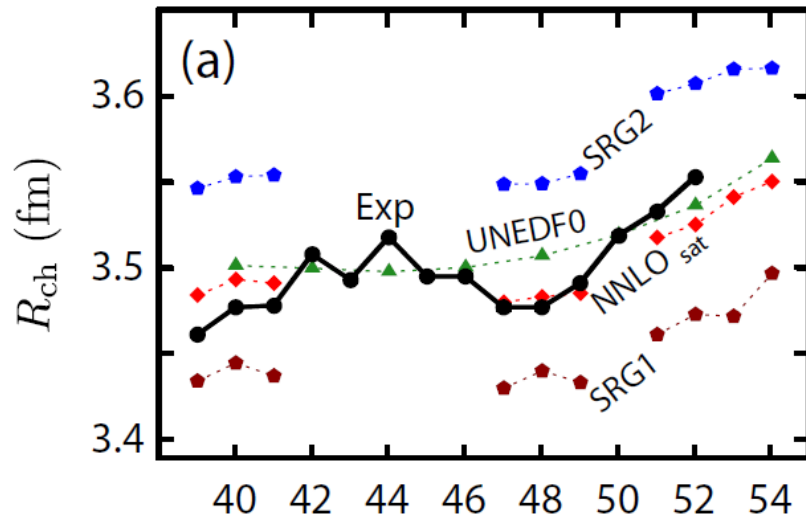


Cross  $N = 32$  for the first time!!

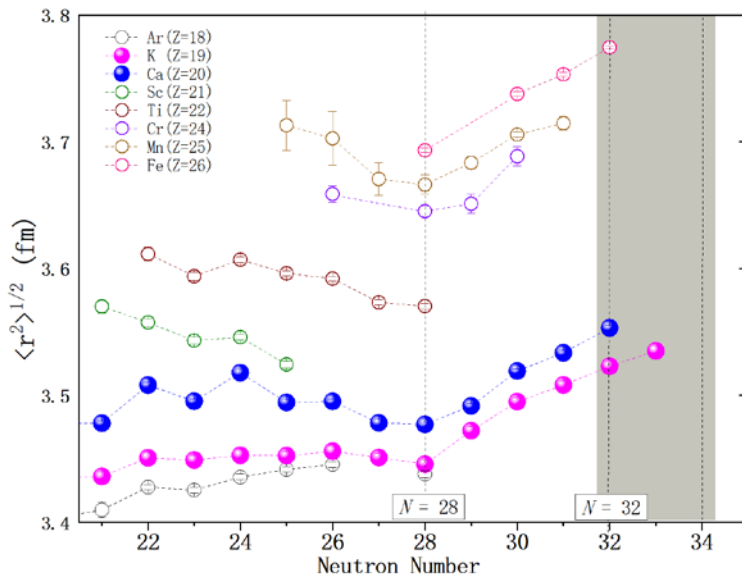


- New F, M largely reduced the systematic errors  
New Journal of Physics 22, 012001(2020)
- The increased radii at  $N = 32$  has similar trend for open-shell e.g. Mn
- No sign of magicity at  $N=32$

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R.F. Garcia Ruiz et al., Nat.Phys.12(2016) 594



2016

## Ab initio CC (NNLOsat)

Fitting to the data of binding energies and radii of selected nuclei up to mass number  $A = 25$ .

## SRG1 and SRG2

Fitting only to properties of  $A \leq 4$

2020

## Newly developed $\Delta$ NNLOgo

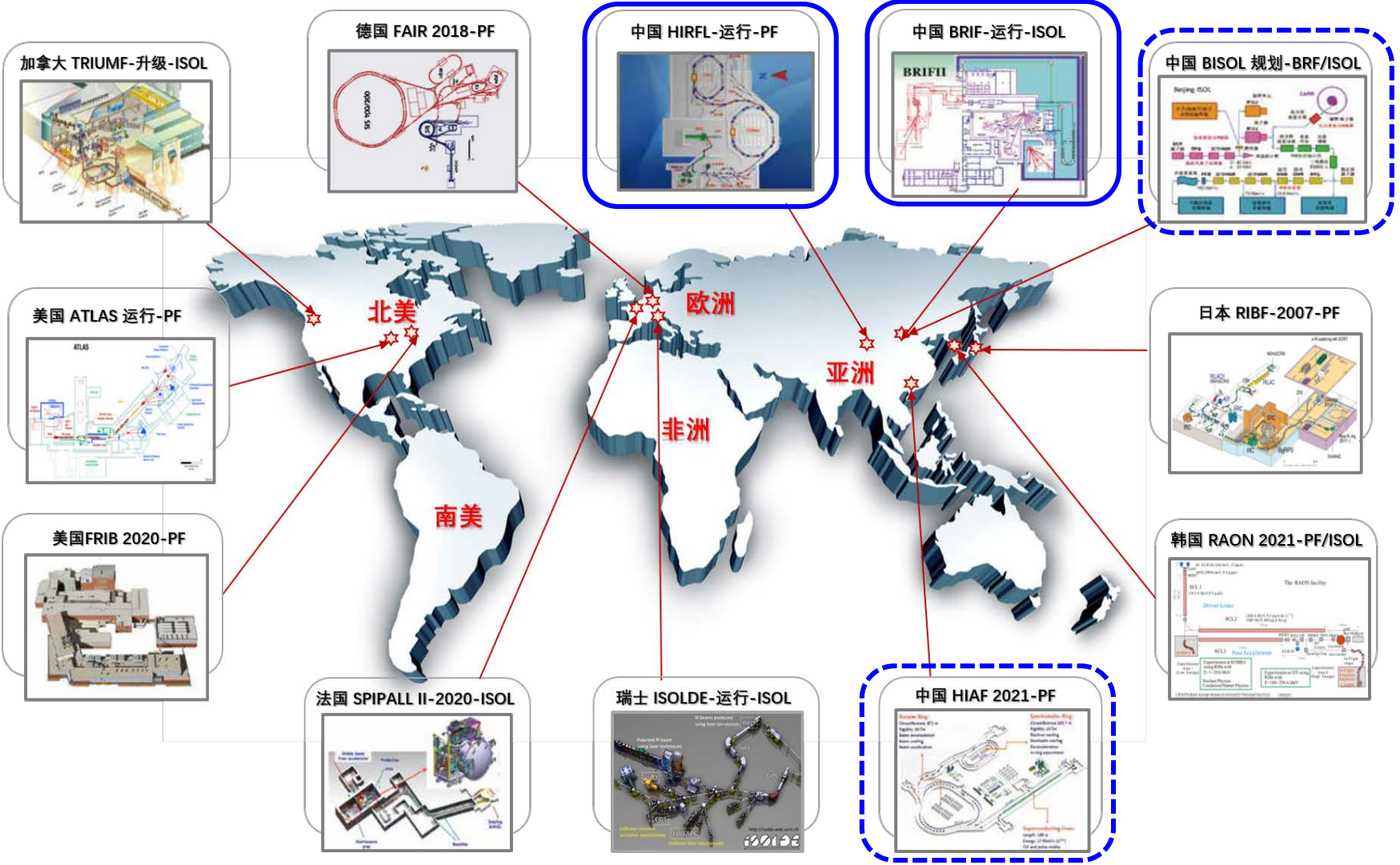
- Fitting only to properties of  $A \leq 4$  and nuclear saturation properties
- Includes pion-physics and effects of the (1232) isobar.

## Improved CC method

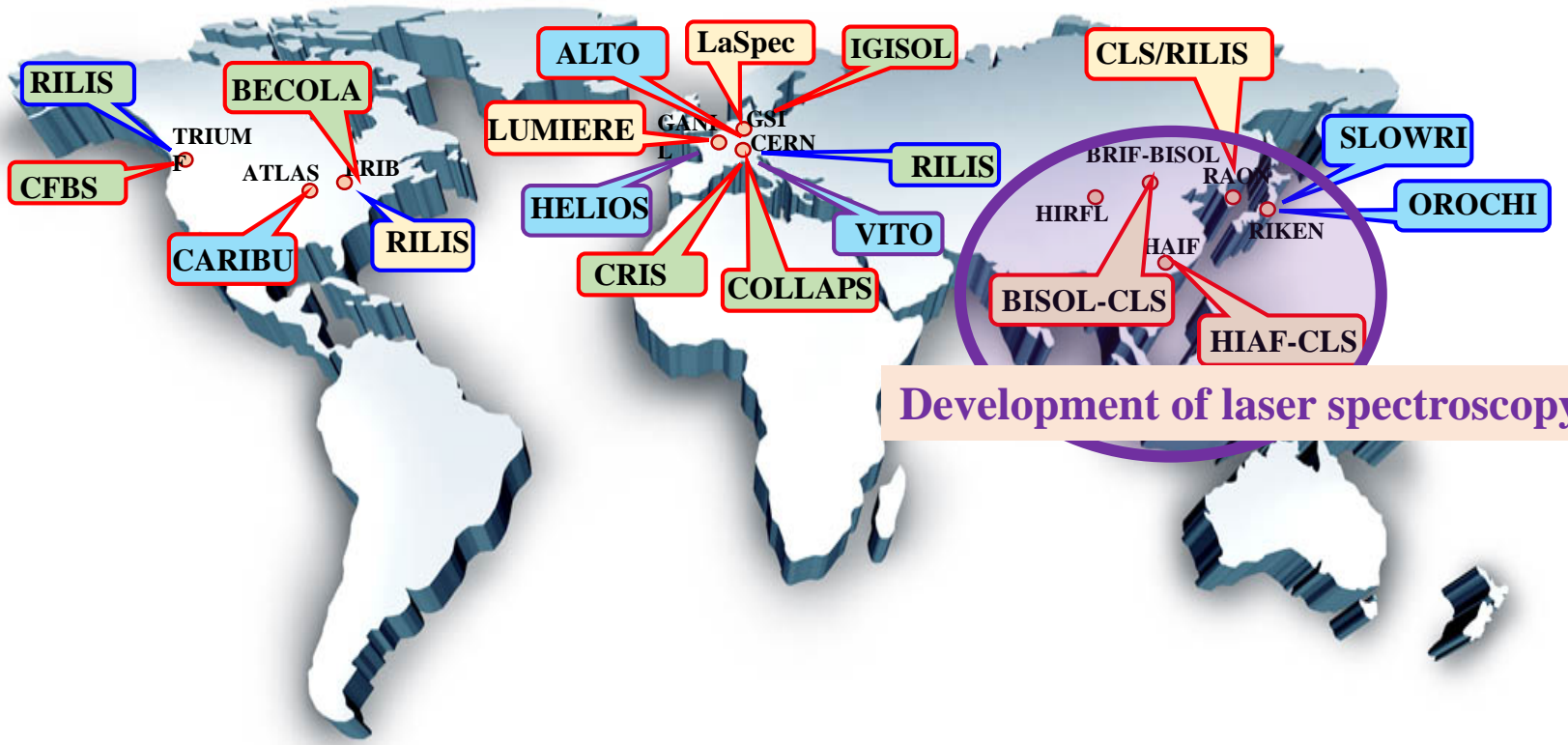
- start from a symmetry-breaking reference state
- Allow to calculate the radii of whole K chain

- ◆ General physics motivation
- ◆ Hyperfine structure and nuclear properties
- ◆ Laser spectroscopy techniques and recent highlights
- ◆ **Development of Laser spectroscopy**

# World-wide RI beam facilities



# World-wide laser spectroscopy



operation

under construction/test

planned

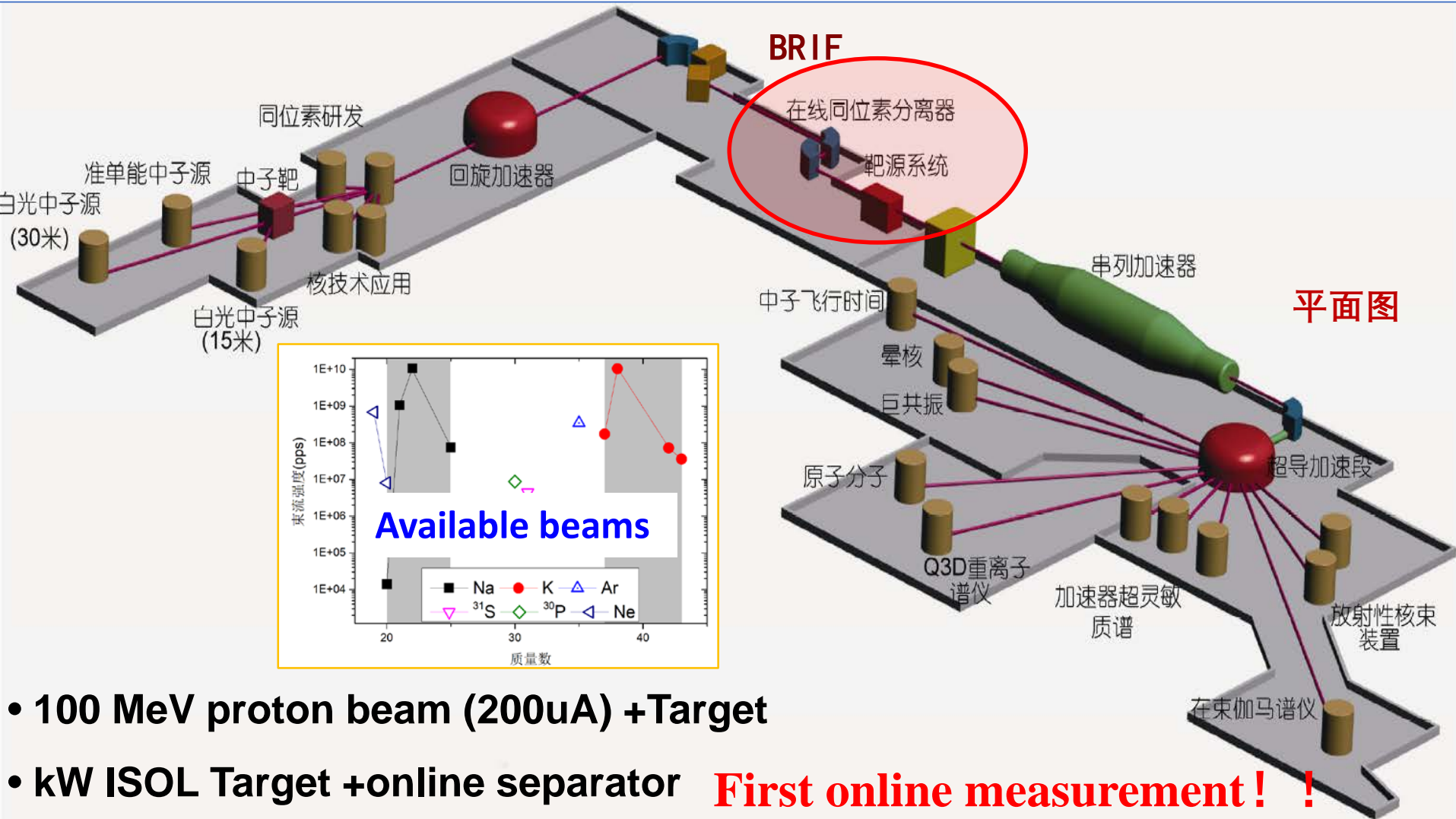
Nuclear properties

Laser ion source

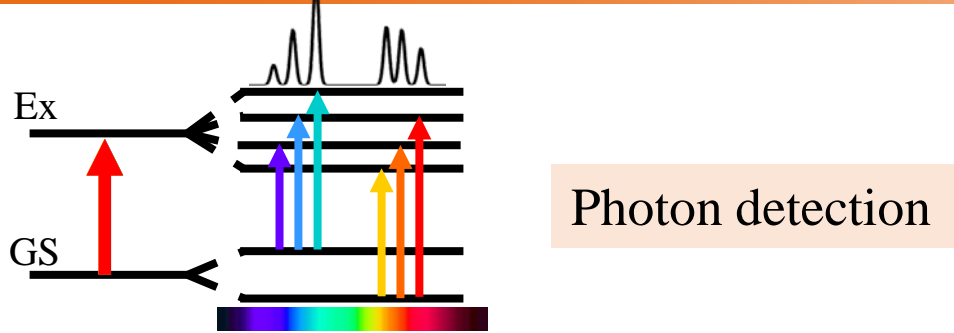
Application



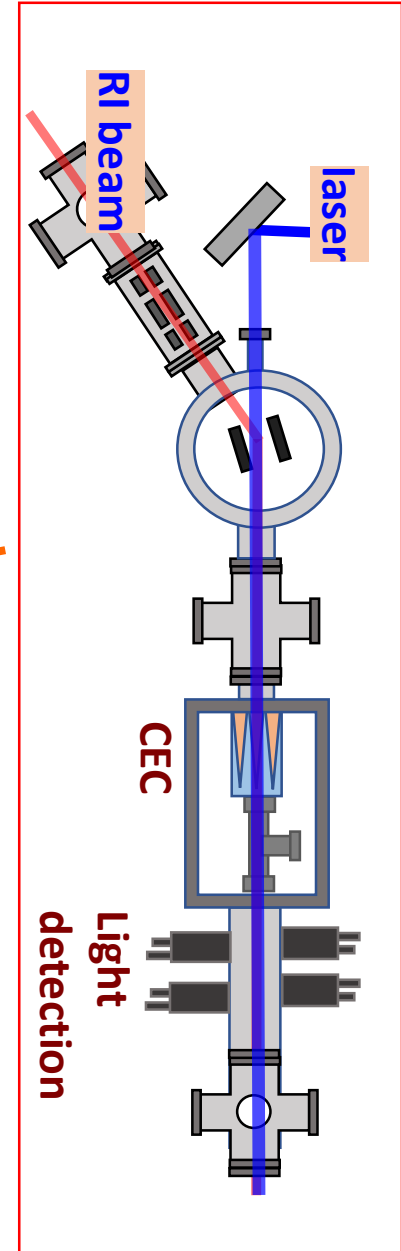
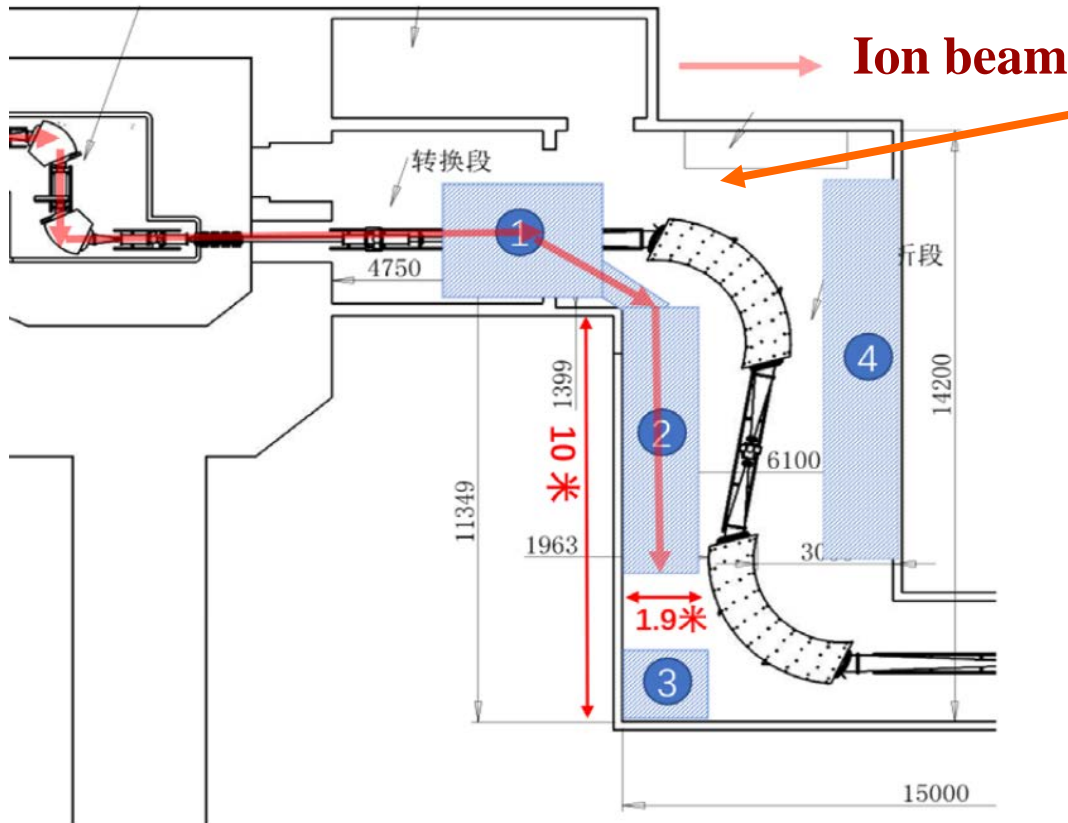
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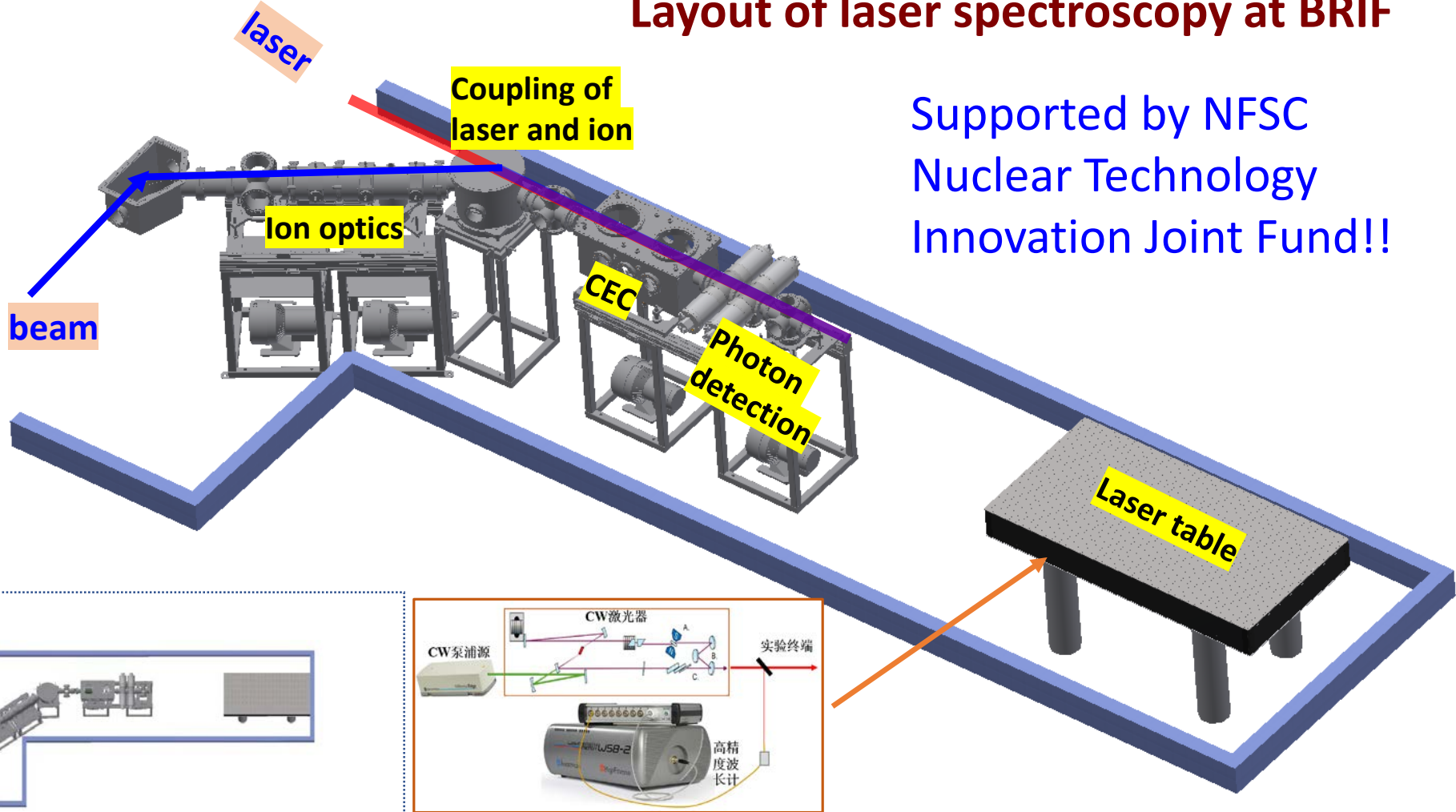
## Layout around BRIF



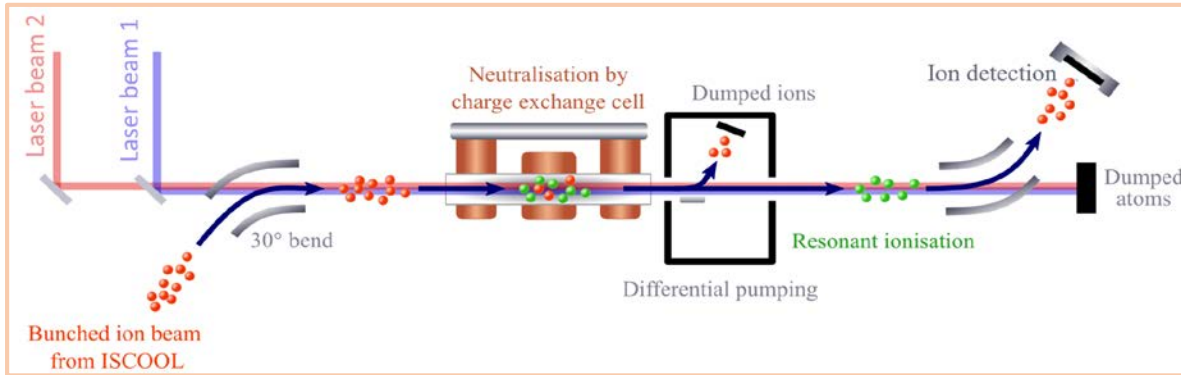
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## Layout of laser spectroscopy at BRIF

Supported by NFSC  
Nuclear Technology  
Innovation Joint Fund!!

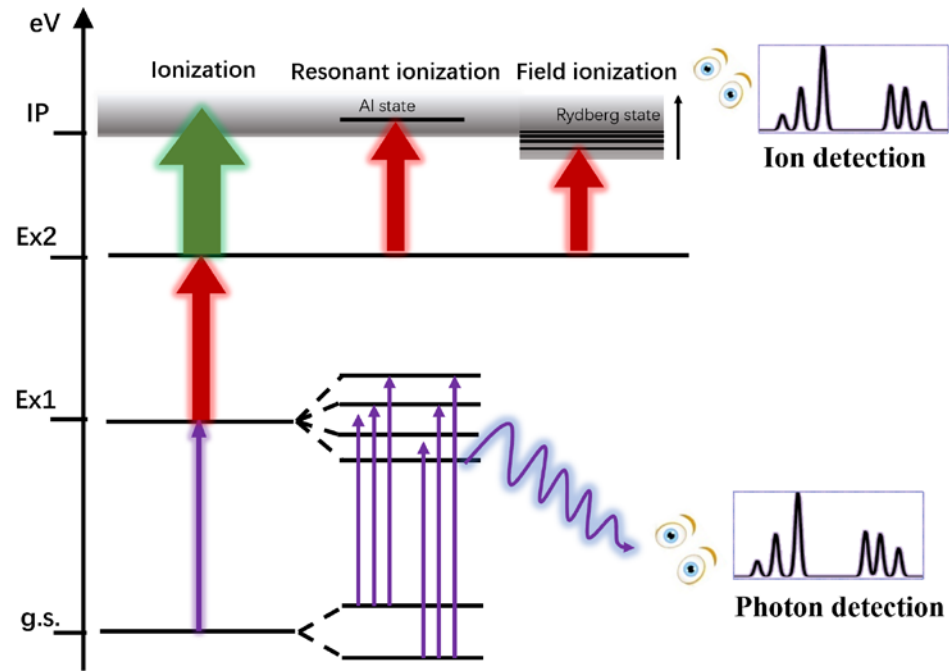
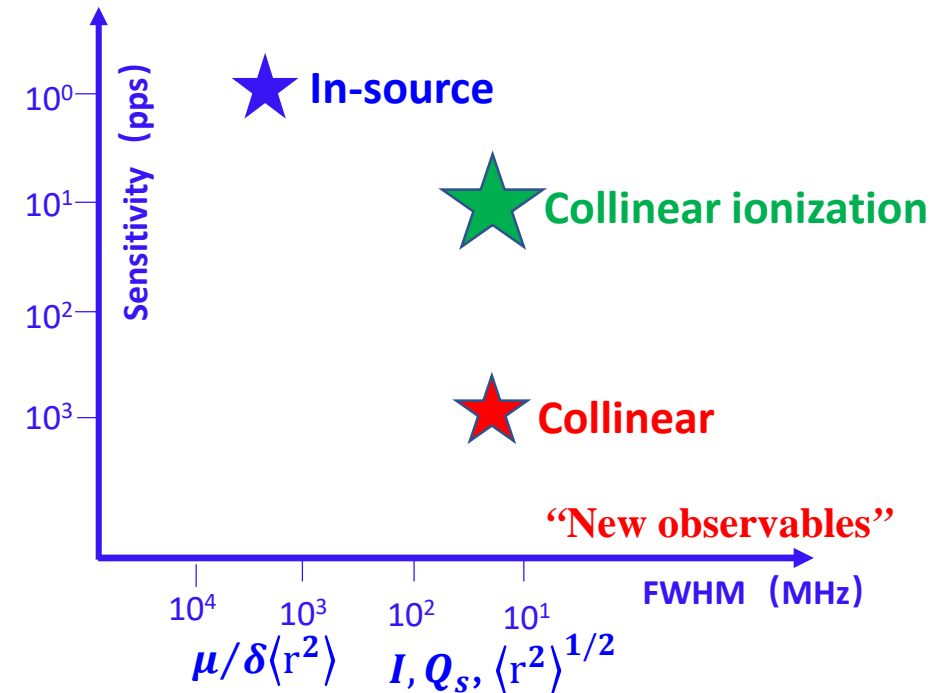


# Collinear ionization resonance spectroscopy



**FWHM: <100 MHz**  
**Sensitivity:  $10^{1-2}$  pps**  
**Observables:  $I, u, Q, \langle r^2 \rangle$**

“Exotic structure”

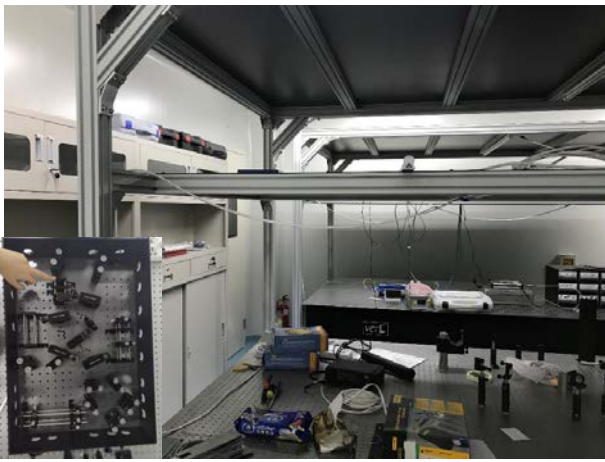
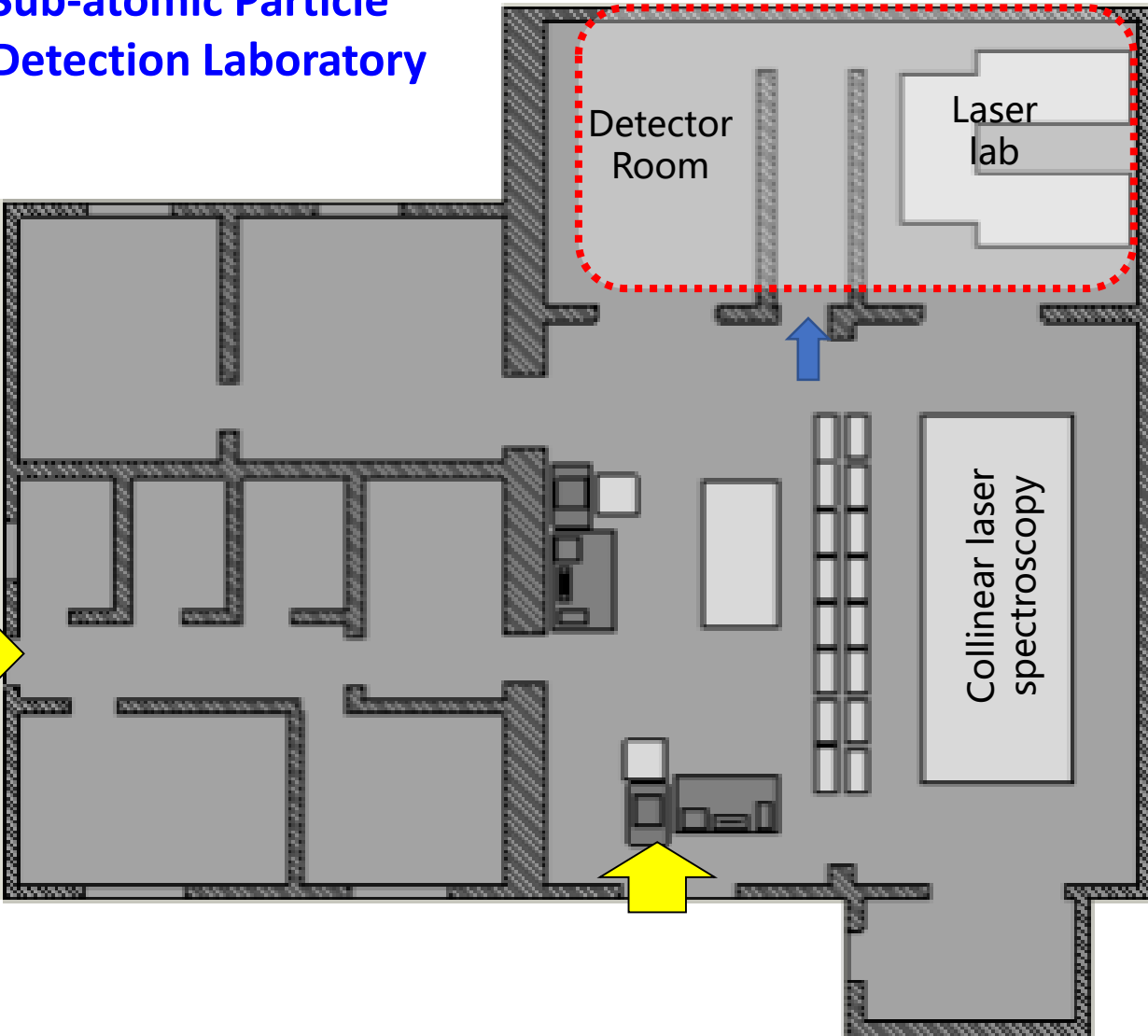


# Sub-atomic Particle Detection Laboratory

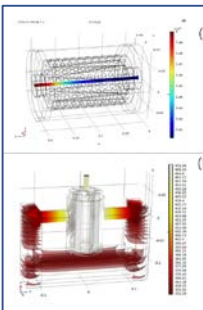
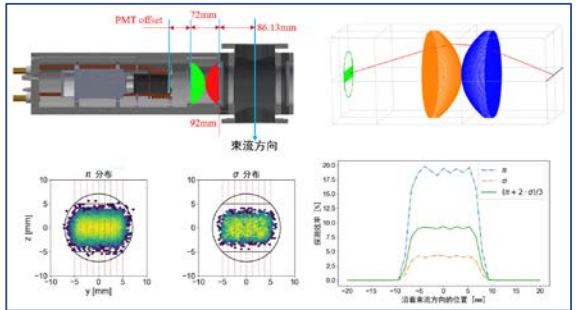
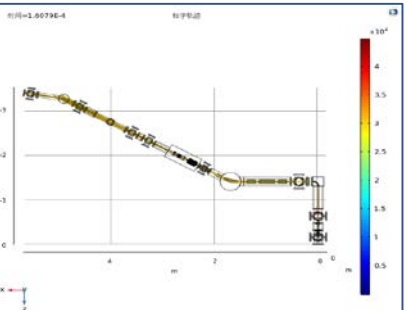


# Offline laser spectroscopy lab

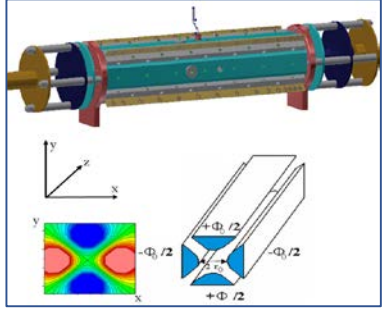
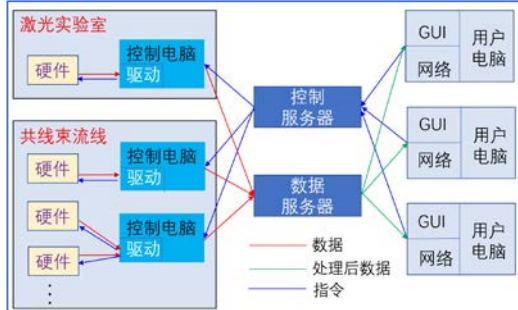
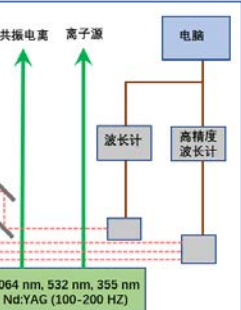
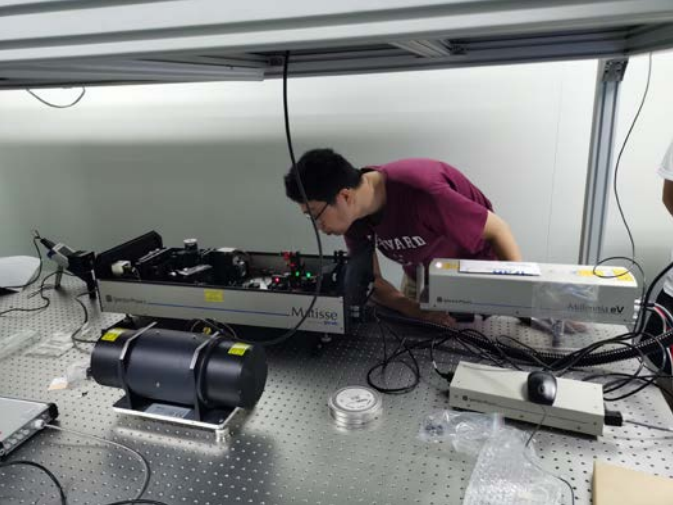
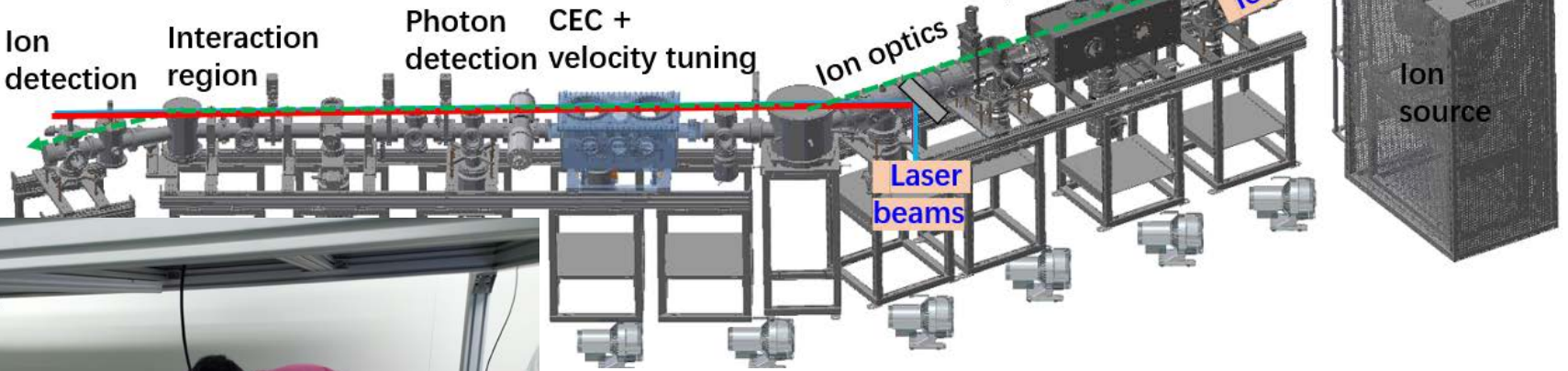
SKL  
Sub-atomic Particle  
Detection Laboratory



# Offline laser spectroscopy lab



laser/vacuum + control/data acquisition

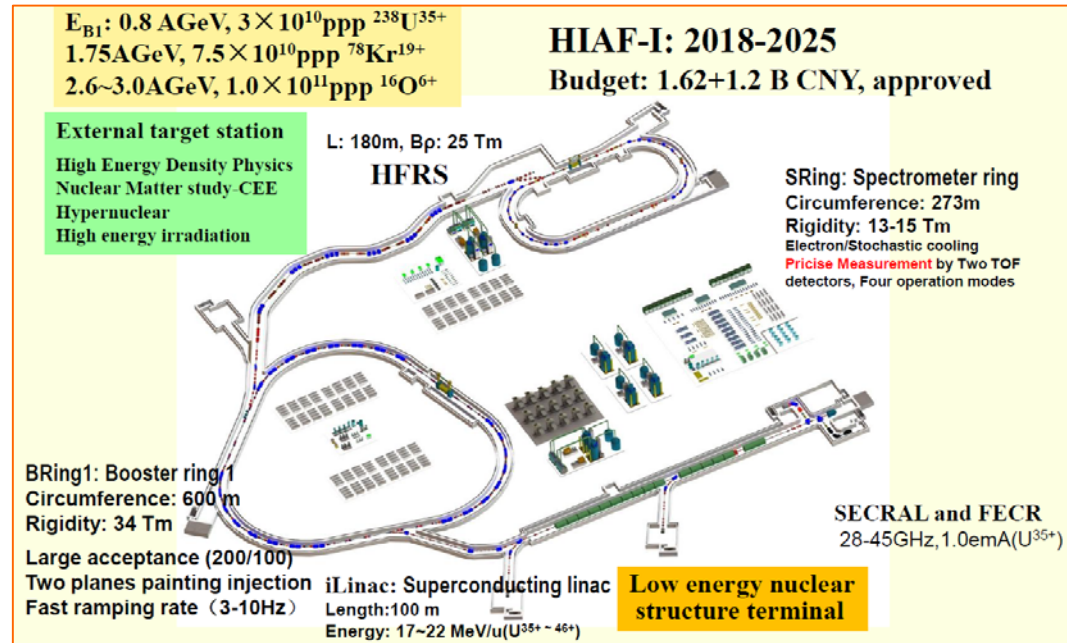


# Final goal: To be applied at the new facilities at their early stage

Under construction

“HIAF”

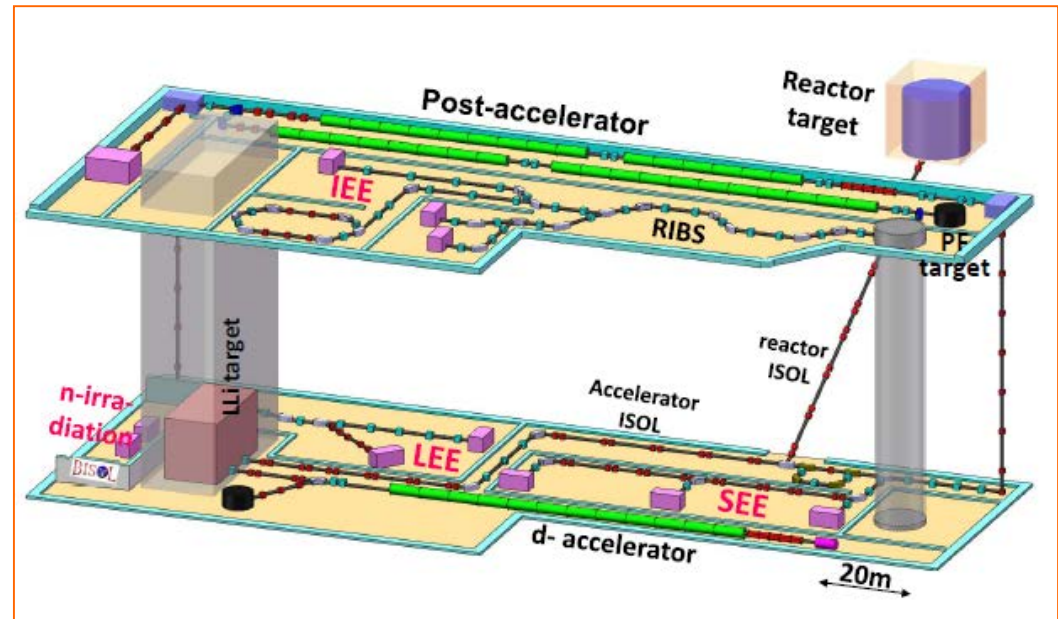
High-Intensity Heavy Ion Accelerator Facility



Planned

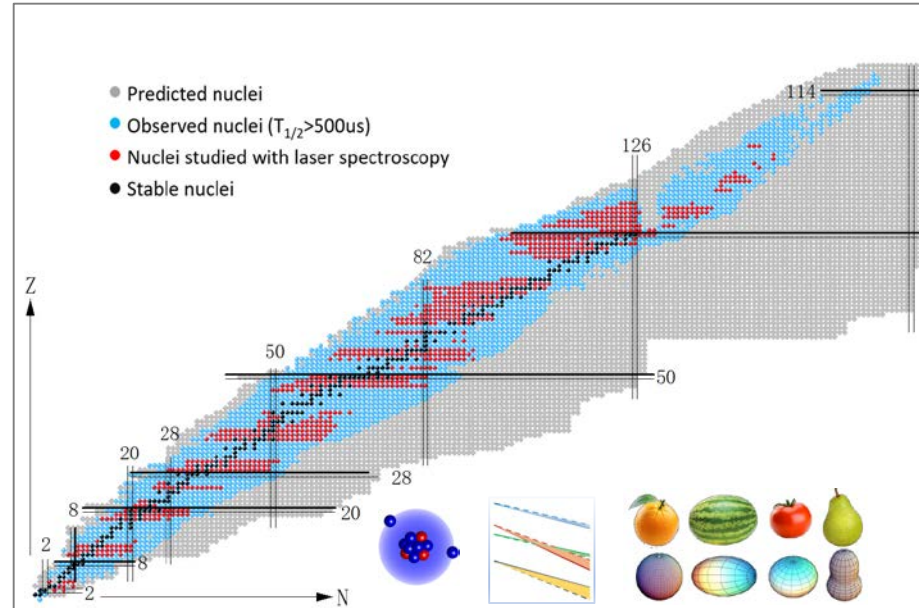
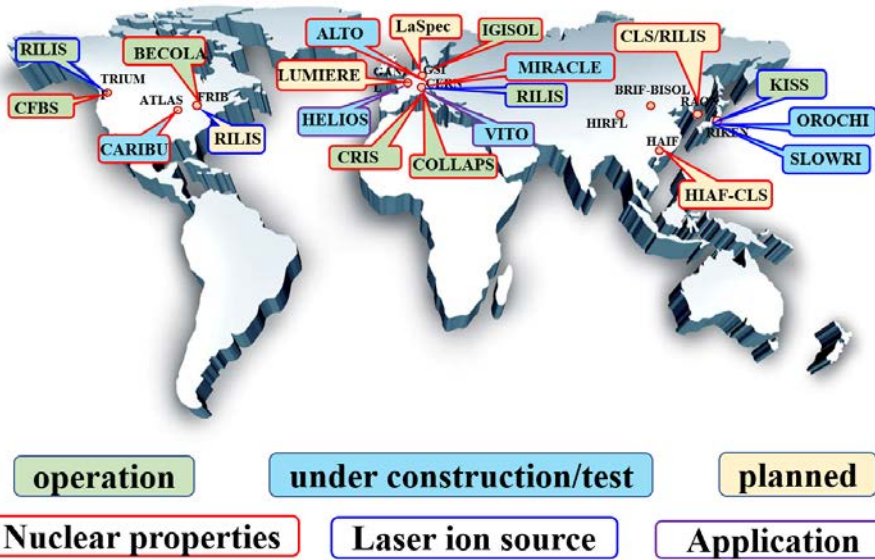
“BISOL”

Beijing Isotope-Separation-On-Line





# Summary and outlook!!



- Laser spectroscopy is a powerful tool to access **multiple nuclear properties** of exotic isotopes.

- Continues efforts are still on going **toward a higher resolution and higher sensitivity.**

- For the **exotic nuclear structure study** in different mass region of nuclear chart.

- Important benchmark **for the test and development of state-of-art nuclear theory.**

Potentially have many aspects of applications using RI beams



“An atomic nucleus is an elephant”  
*Prof. Jacek Dobaczewski*



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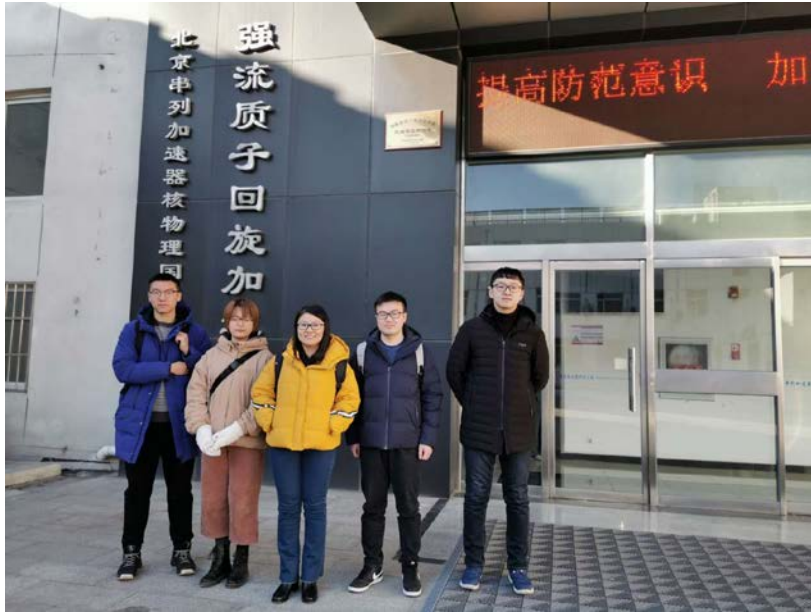
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# Laser Spectroscopy and Nuclear properties

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