

J-PARC E15実験における in-flight $^3\text{He}(\text{K}^-, \text{n})$ 反応での K中間子原子核の探索

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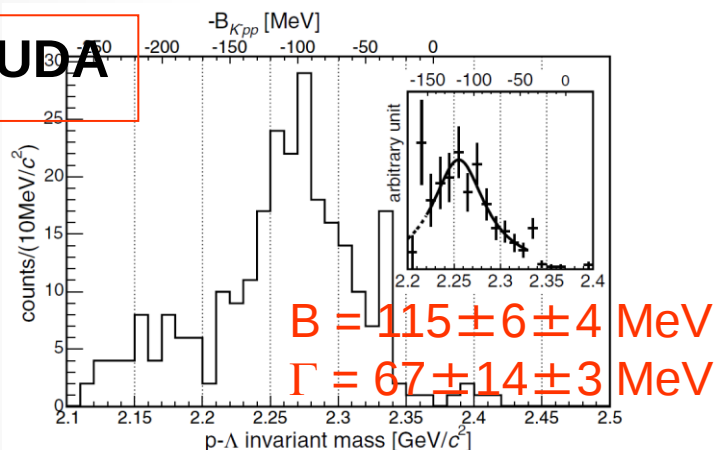
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K中間子原子核

- 強い相互作用で反K中間子と原子核が束縛した状態
- 深い束縛ならば通常の原子核密度を上回る??
- ⇒低温高密度のハドロン物質となりうる??

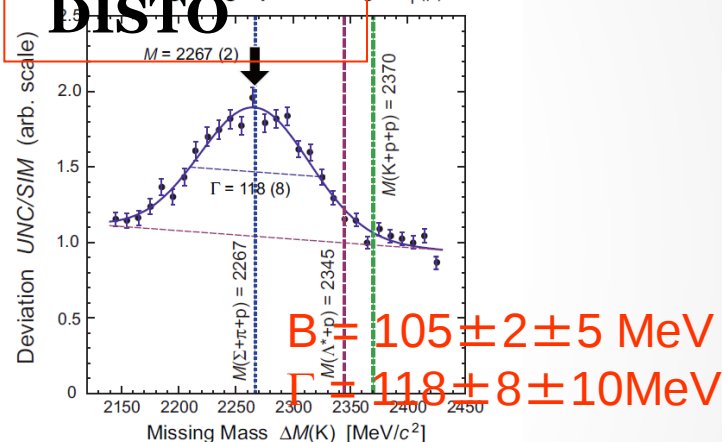
FINUDA



- イタリアDAΦNEでのFINUDA実験
- ${}^6\text{Li}$, ${}^7\text{Li}$, ${}^{12}\text{C}$ 標的でのstop K⁻ 実験
- Λp invariant mass

(a) large-angle proton: high- $P_T(p)$

DISTO



- フランスのDISTO実験
- $p+p \rightarrow X + K^+$, $X \rightarrow \Lambda + p$ 反応
- missing-mass と invariant mass

その他にも J-PARC E27実験 ($d(\pi^+, K^+)$ 反応使用 昨年6月実施)
 DAΦNE のAMADEUS実験(stopped K)などが計画されている

K中間子原子核の存在は確かか? 幅は?
 ⇒他の反応での実験結果が重要

最近のKNN(K-pp) の理論計算

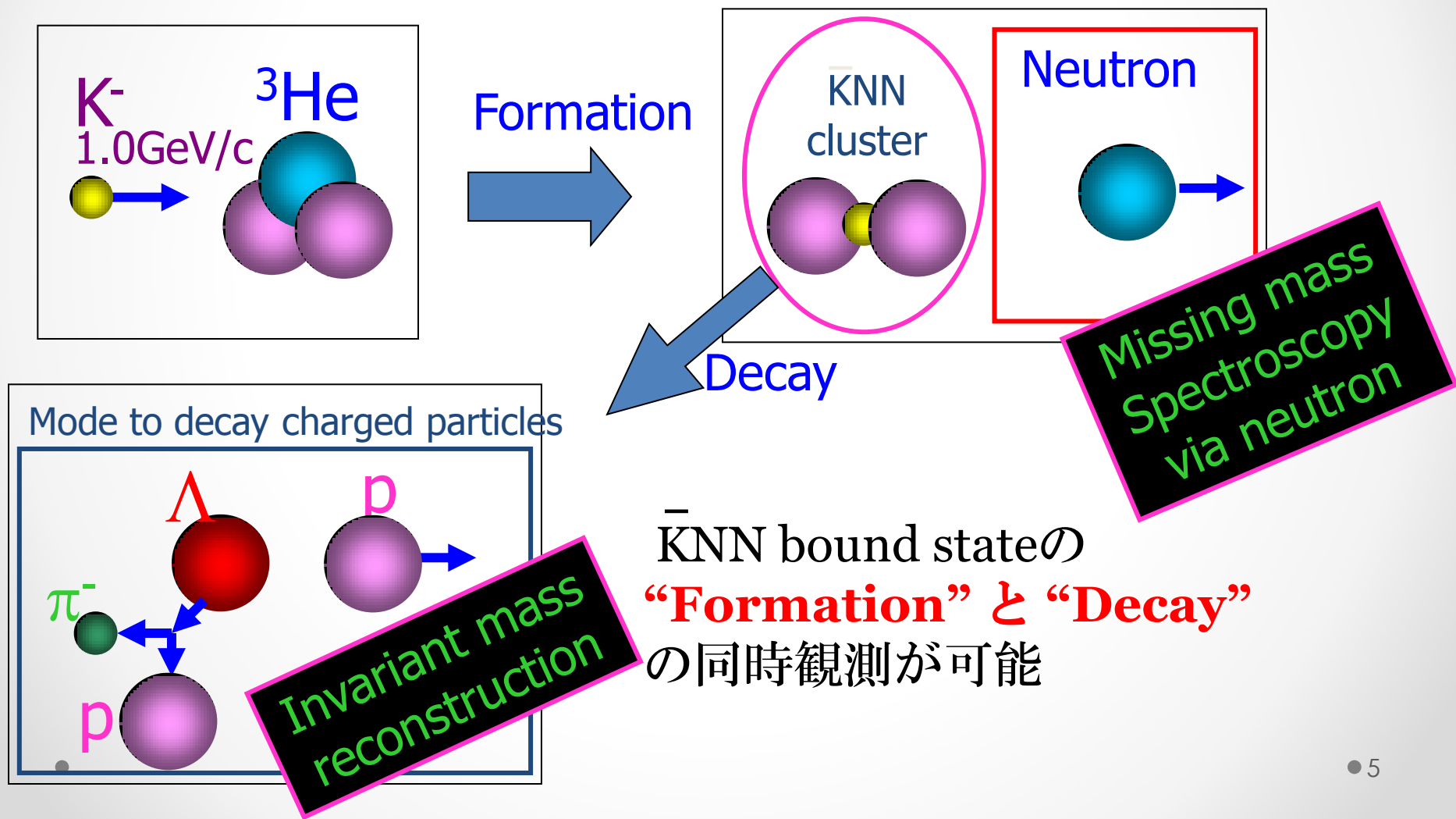
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Y. Ikeda, H. Kamano, T. Sato(2010)	9-16	34-46

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T. Yamazaki, Y. Akaishi(2002)	48	61
N.V. Shevchenko, A. Gal, J. Mares(2007)	50-70	90-110
Y. Ikeda, T. Sato (2007,2009)	60-95	45-80
S. Wycech, A.M. Green (2009)	40-80	40-85

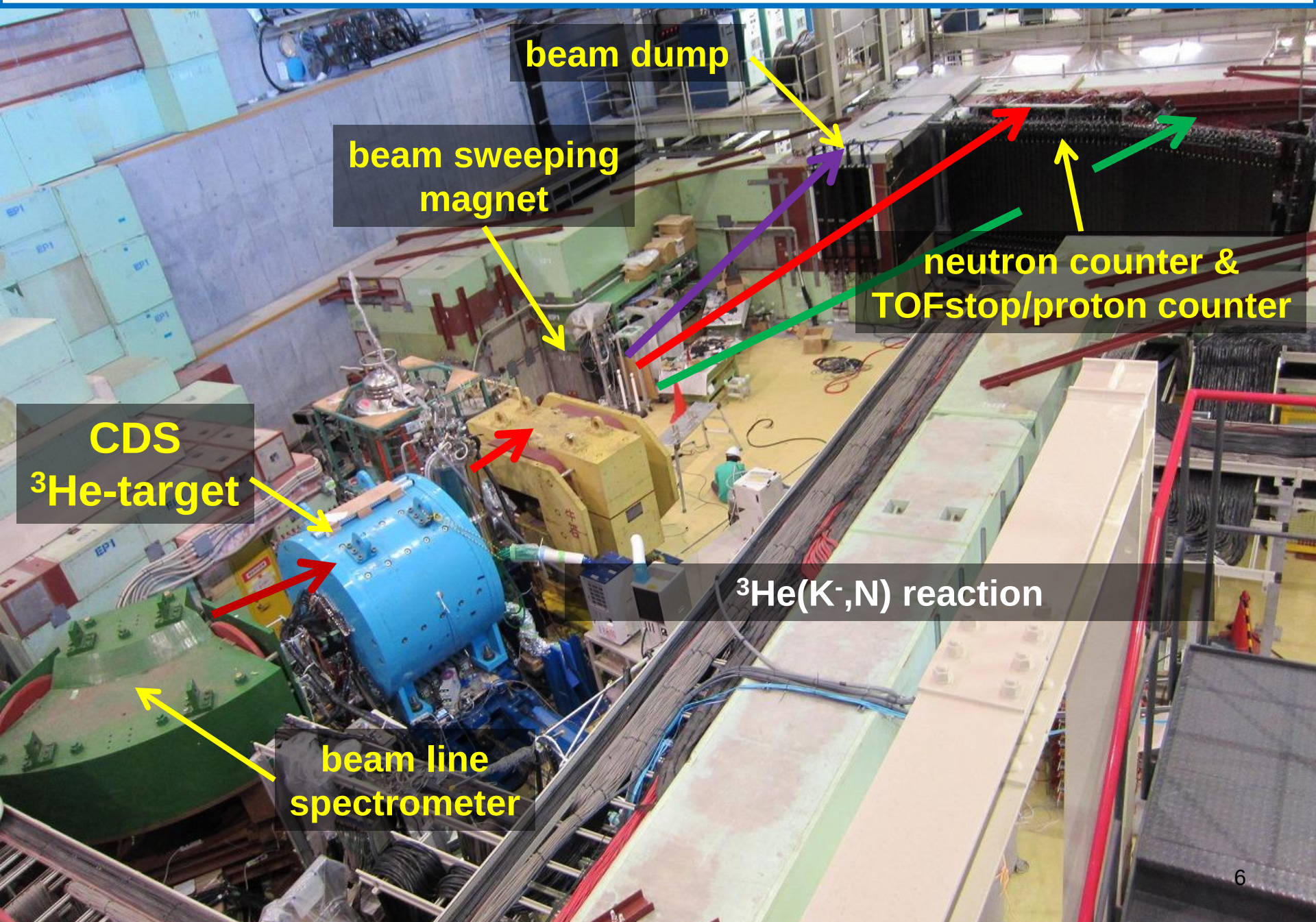
計算モデルにより束縛の浅いものと深いものと様々

J-PARC E15 実験

^3He 標的で in-flight (K^- , n) 反応を用いての $\bar{\text{K}}\text{NN}$ bound states の探索

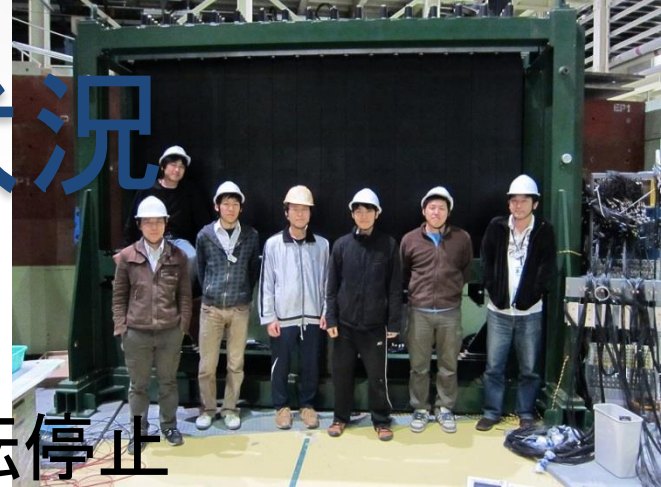


J-PARC K1.8BR beam line[Jun. 2012]



実験Dataの取得状況

- 2010 10月
 - CDS commissioning run(~3day)
- 2011 3月 震災によりJ-PARC 運転停止
- 2012 2月
 - CDS commissioning run & beam tune (~3day)
- 2012 3~5月
 - NCの組立作業⇒実験に必要な大型検出器が揃う
- 2012 6月
 - engineering run (~1day)
- 2012 12/20, 2013 1/17
 - 2nd engineering run (~1day)
- 2013 3月 Production run(30kW*weekの予定でした)



Performance of Detector System

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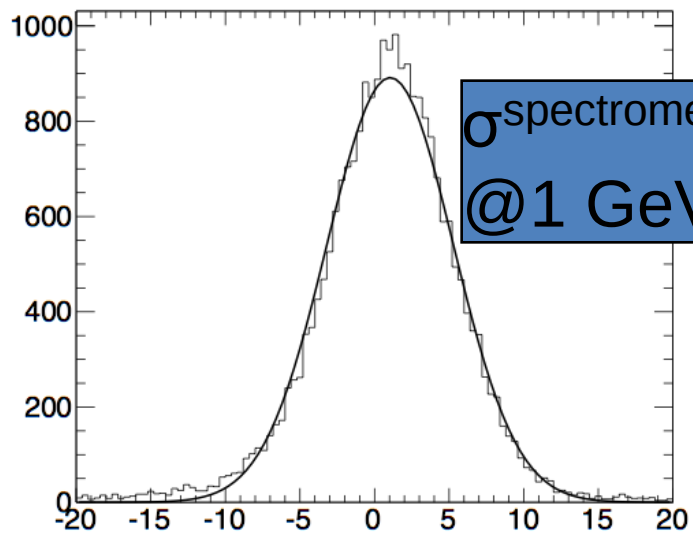
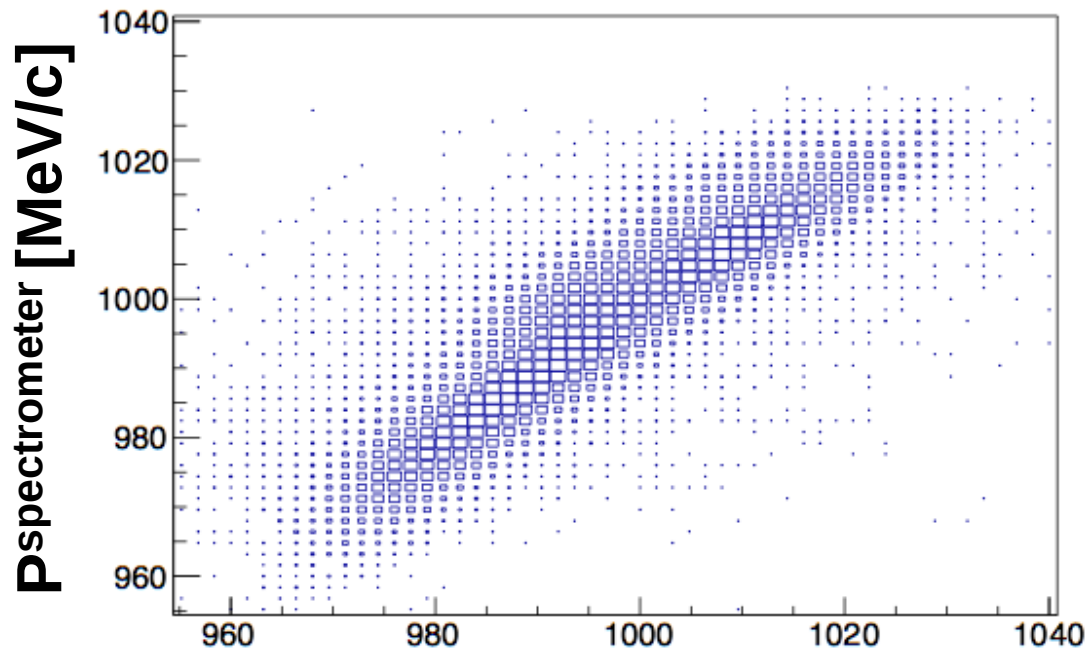
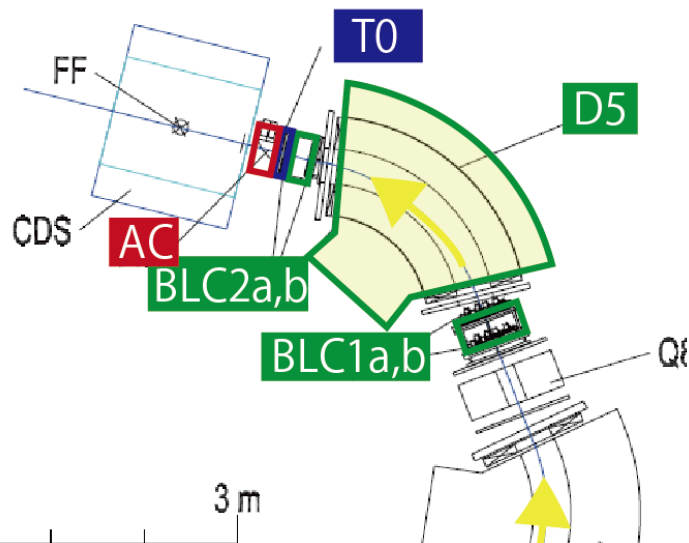
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1st Engineering run with full set up

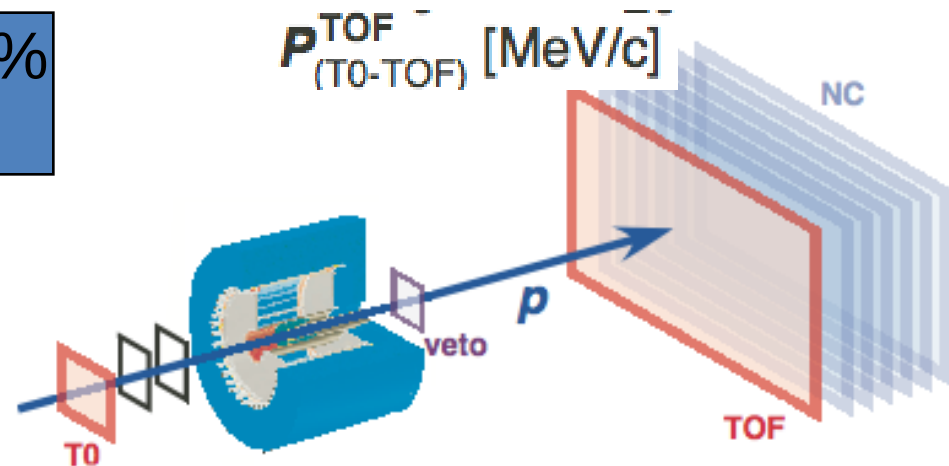
(w/ liq. ^3He target)

Run time ~1day

Beam Spectrometer

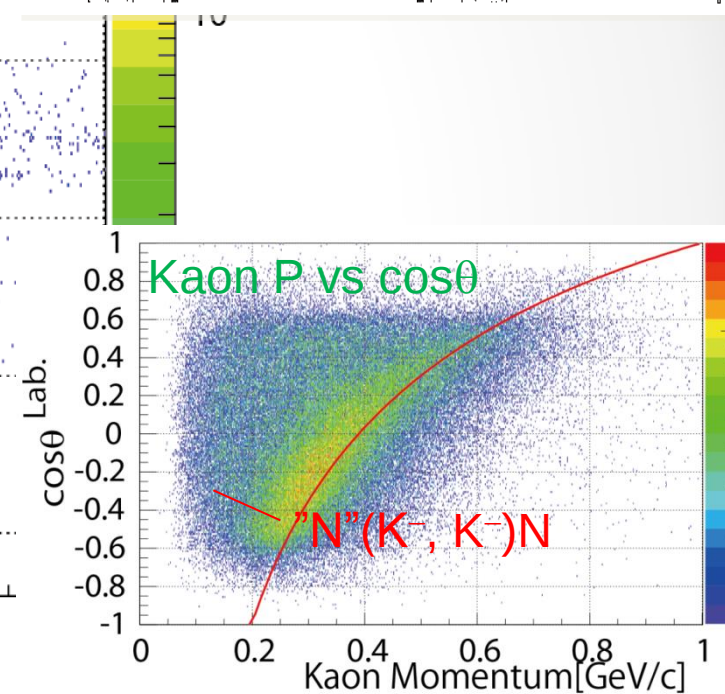
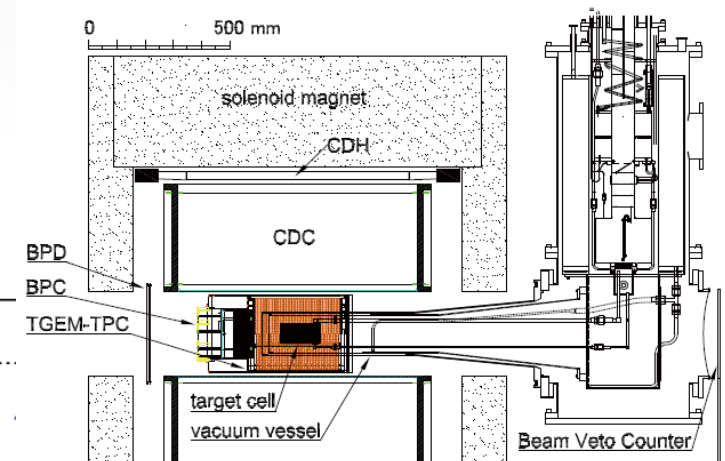
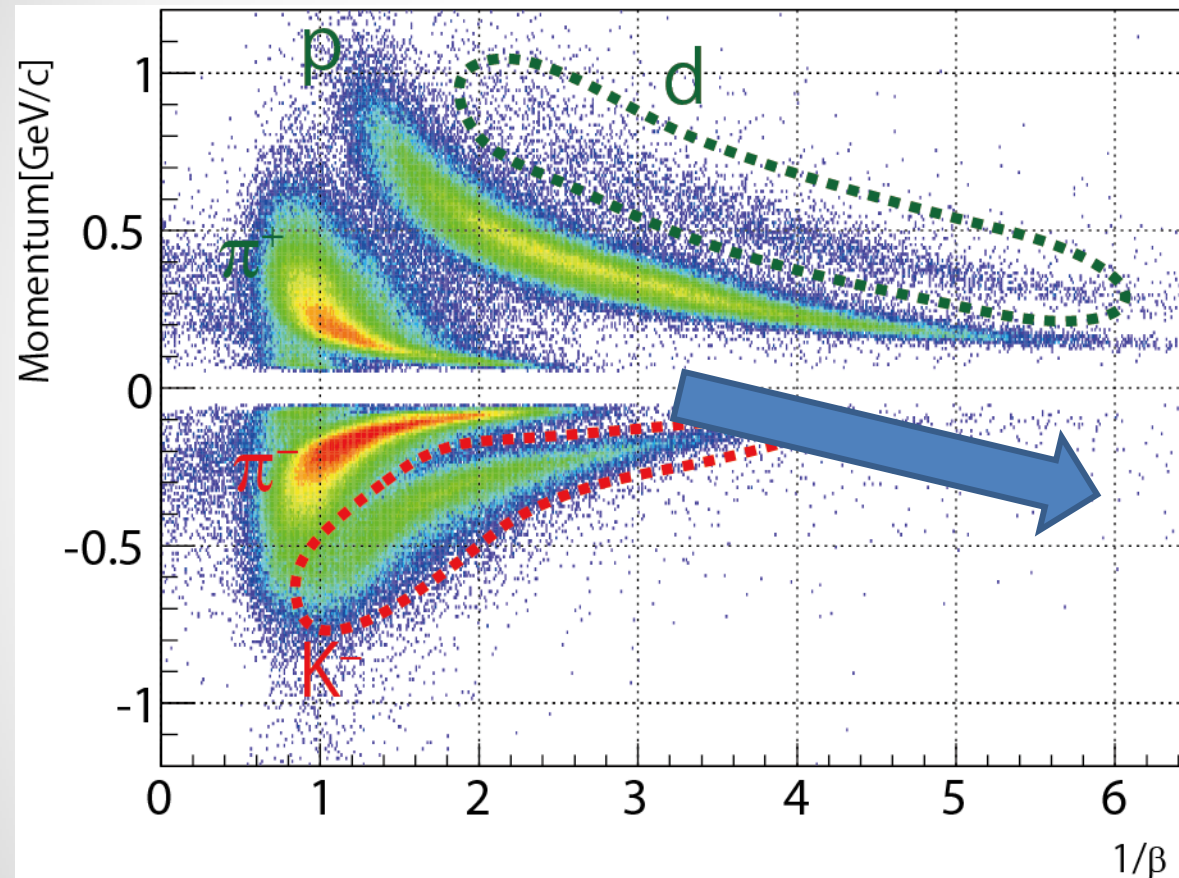


$\text{pspectrometer} - P^{\text{TOF}}_{(T0-TOF)} [\text{MeV/c}]$



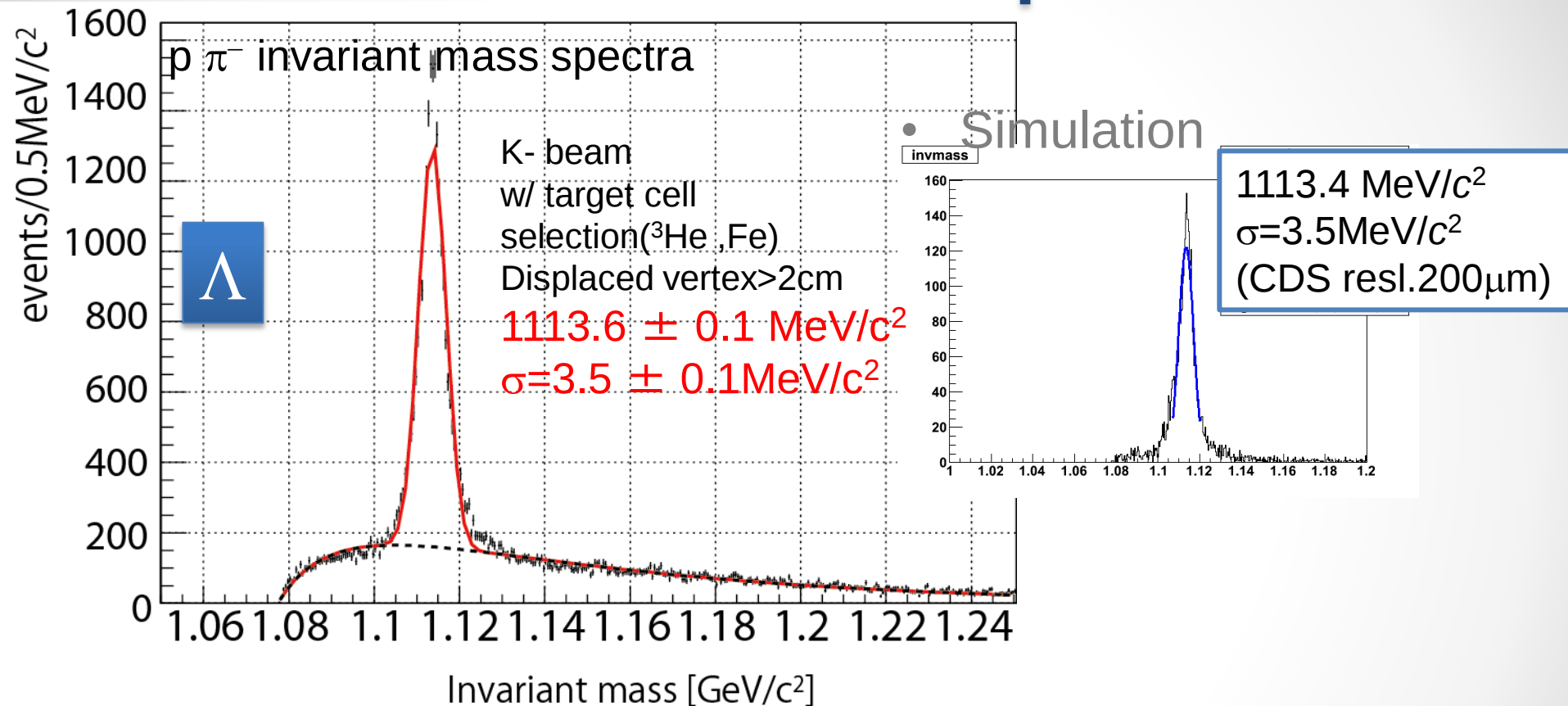
十分な性能を達成！！

PID for CDS



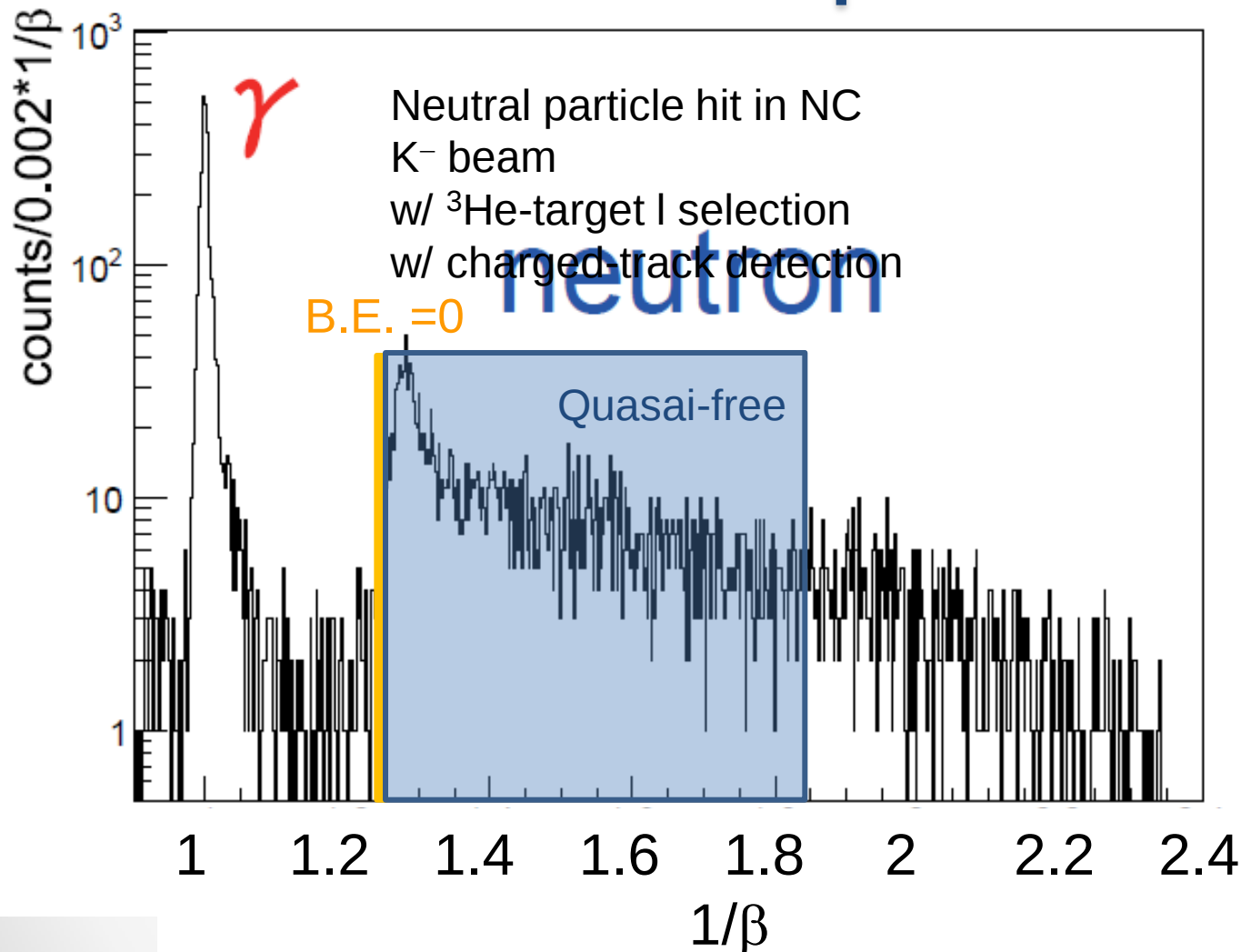
- PID for CDS (vertex in target volume)
- $\cos \theta$ は K^- beam と 散乱粒子との角度
- K^- と p の $\cos \theta$ と momentum が elastic scattering のものと一致

Invariant mass spectra



- Λ の再構成に成功
- σ は Simulationと一致=>目的の分解能を達成(CDC resl. 200 μm)
- invariant mass resolution(Kpp) = 10 MeV/c^2 (with simulation)

Forward neutral particle spectra

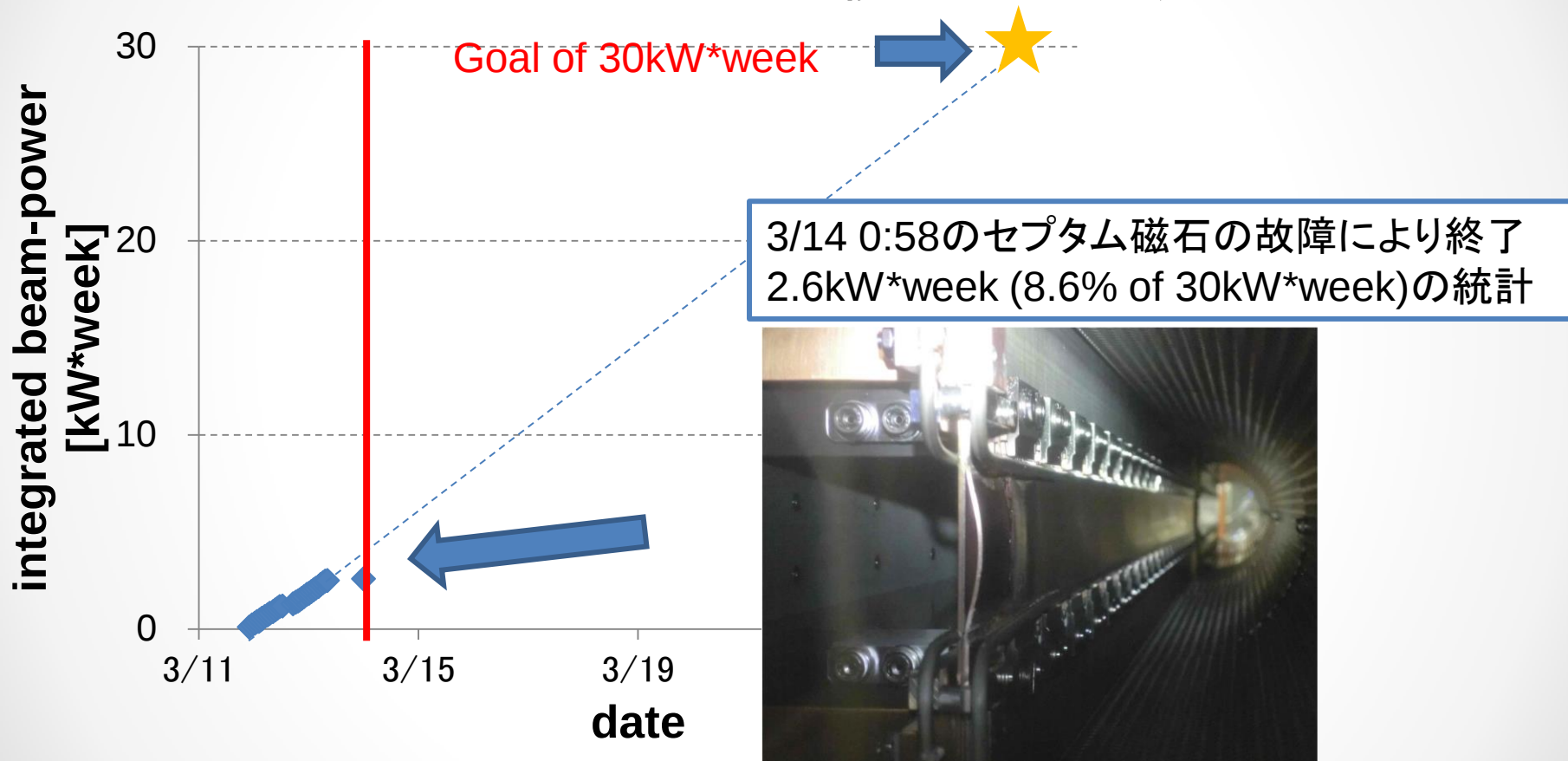


γ とneutronがしっかりと見えている
時間分解能 = 150 psec (T0-NC)

=> Missing mass resolution (Kpp) = 10 MeV/c²

Production Runでのbeam収量

- 3/11~3/25までで30kW*weekの統計を取る予定だった

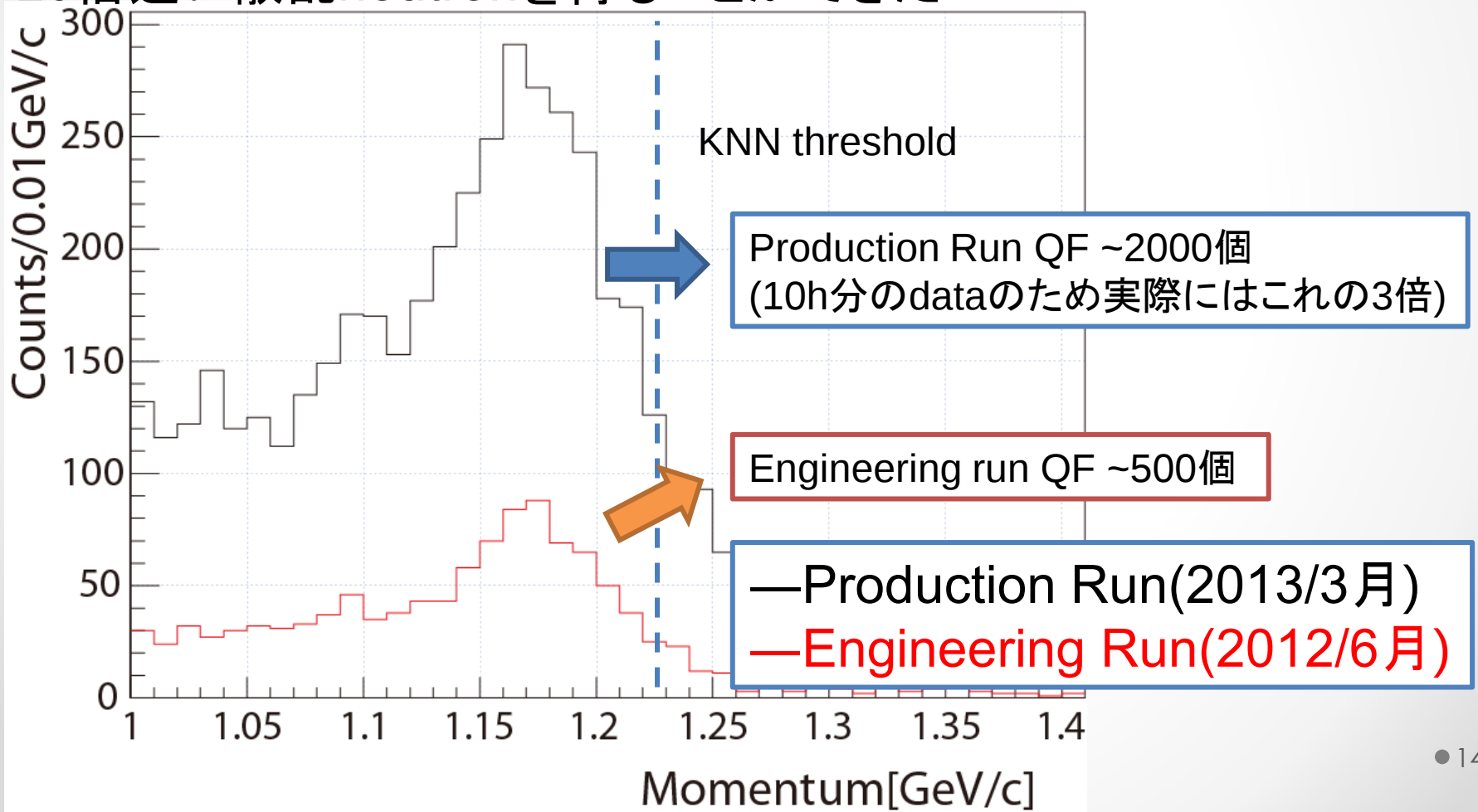


time	Beam pwr	kW*week	K/pi	Int K
30h	14.5kW	2.6kW*week	0.4	1.6G

Neutron momentum spectra

in-flight ${}^3\text{He}(\text{K}^-, \text{n})$

Qusai Freeのpeakでengineering run (2012/6月)の10倍近い散乱neutronを得ることができた



Summary

- K中間子原子核

- 中間子と原子核が強い力で束縛する新しいハドロン形態

- J-PARC E15実験

- in-flight $^3\text{He}(K^-, n)$ 反応を用いての完全実験
- すべてのsystemで十分な性能
 - Beam line で0.2%の運動量分解能.
 - Λ のmass resolutionからsimとの比較で
=> **Kpp invariant mass resl.=10MeV/c²(with sim)**
 - 前方中性粒子の検出にも成功
=> **Missing mass resolution (Kpp) =10MeV/c²**

- 今月3月のproduction run

- 残念ながら加速器の故障により目標の10%弱の統計
⇒それでもengineering run (昨年6月)の**10倍近い前方neutronを取得**
- 5, 6月にproduction runの続きを行えるよう準備を進めている

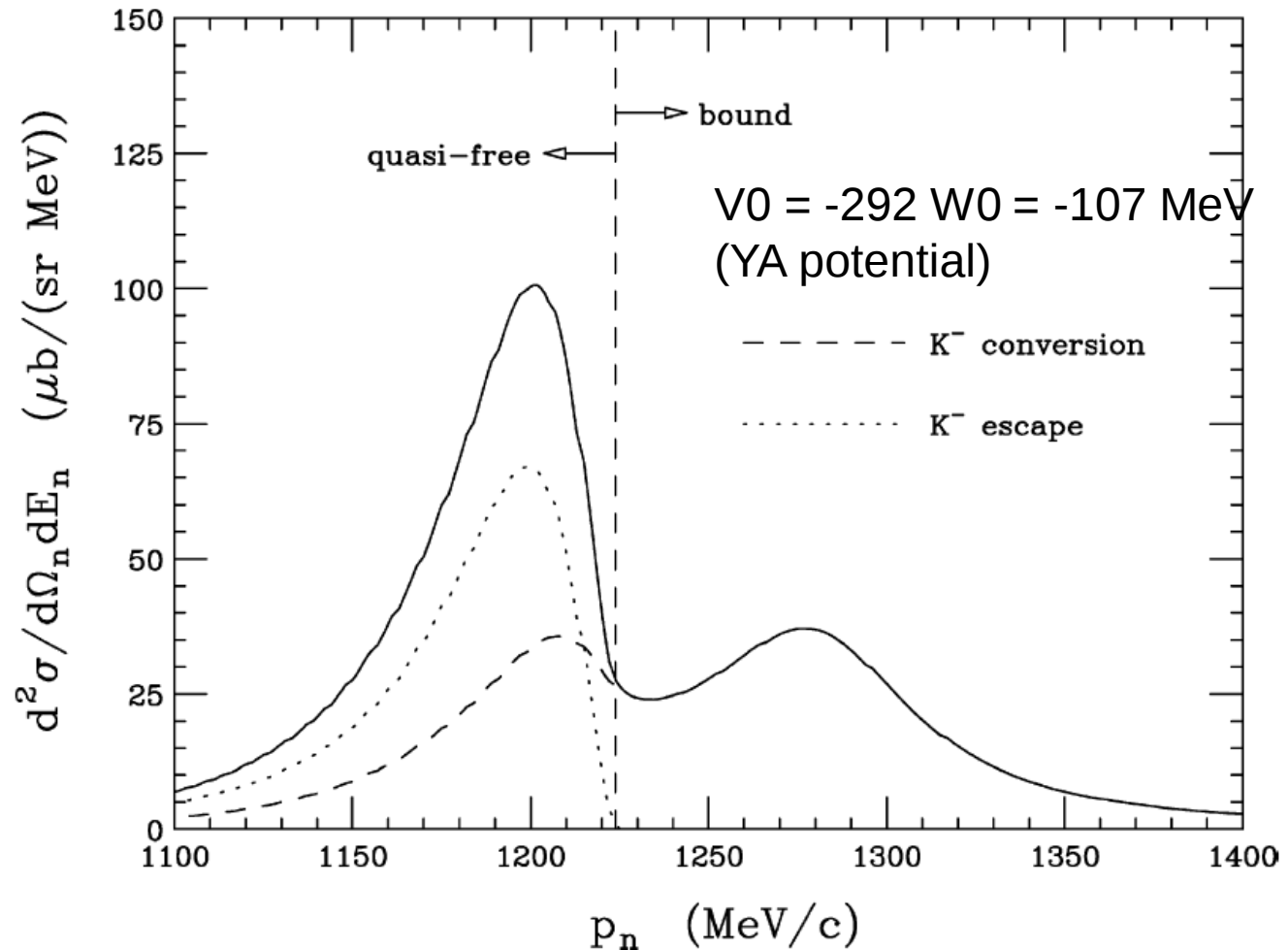
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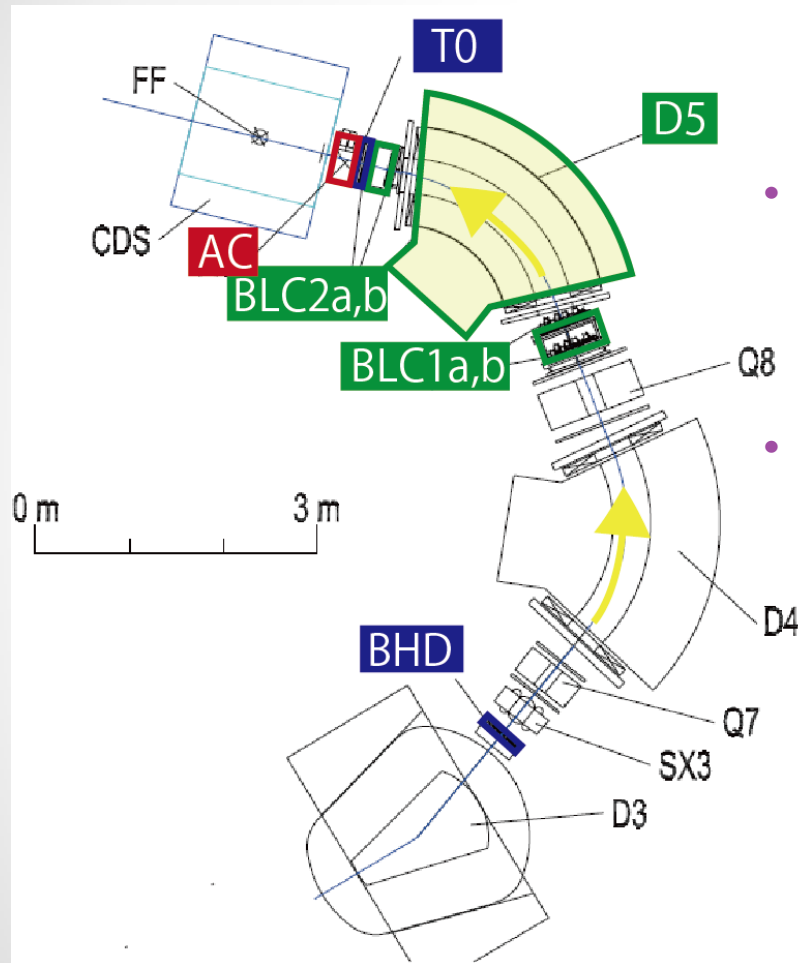
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Backup

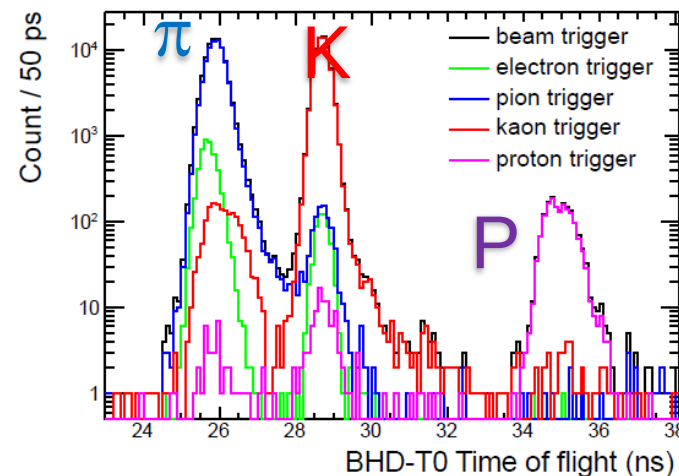
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Beamline spectrometers



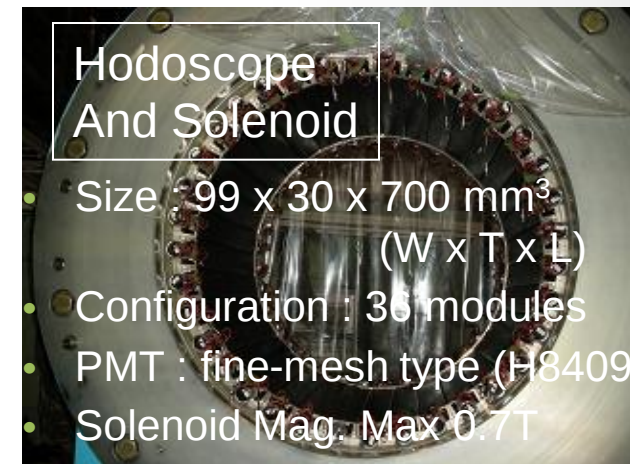
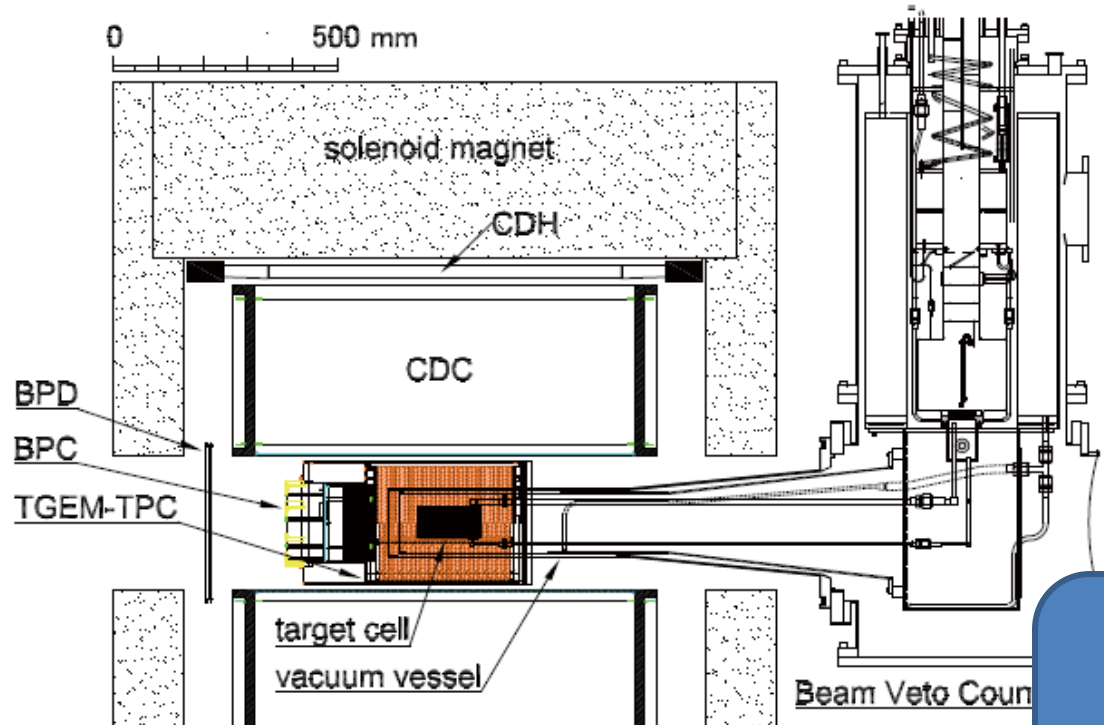
- **BHD & To(Beam trigger)**
 - Plastic scintillator の検出器
 - PID for beam
 - Time resolution TOF(BHD-To)~160ps
- **AC(Kaon ID at trigger level)**
 - Aerogel チェレンコフ検出器 (index=1.05)
 - P ID eff. =97%(Vth=5.p.e.)
- **D5 magnet & BLC (Beam spectrometer)**
 - Dipole Mag. & wire chamber
 - 運動量分解能 =0.2%



TOF (BHD-T0)
1.0GeV/c beam

Cylindrical Detector System

- ^3He 標的周りのKppからの崩壊粒子を検出するための検出器群

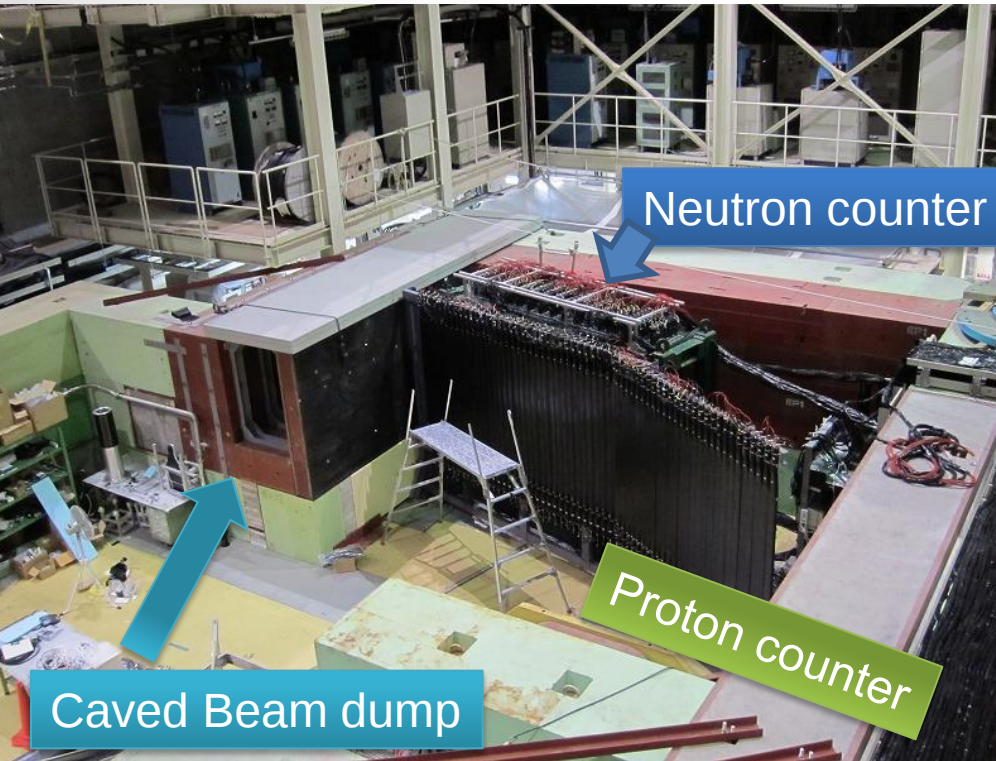


Expected mass resolution :

- $\sigma \sim 3.5 \text{ MeV}/c^2$ for Λ
- $\sigma \sim 10 \text{ MeV}/c^2$ for K $\pi\pi$

($\sigma_{\text{cdc}} = 200 \mu\text{m}$ / Field : 0.7 T)

Forward TOF counters



Neutron counter(NC)

- $20 \times 5 \times 150 \text{ cm}^3$
Plastic Scintillator
- Configuration :
16 (wide) $\times$ 7 (depth)
- Surface area : $3.2\text{m} \times 1.5\text{m}$
- missing mass resolution for K^-pp
 $\sigma = 9.2 \text{ MeV}/c^2$
($P_n = 1.3 \text{ GeV}/c$, $\sigma_{\text{TOF}} = 150 \text{ ps}$)

Proton counter

- $10 \times 3 \times 150 \text{ cm}^3$
Plastic Scintillator
- Configuration :
27+34 layer
- missing mass
resolution for KNN
 $\sigma = 6.8 \text{ MeV}/c^2$
($P_p = 1.3 \text{ GeV}/c$, $\sigma_{\text{TOF}} = 100 \text{ ps}$)

NCのbackgroundを抑えるために
beam dumpを洞窟状に

Rough estimation of yield(Kpp)

- Proposal

K intensity/pulse	time	$d\sigma/d\Omega$	Kpp
1.4×10^6	40day	$10 \mu\text{b/sr}$	1000
		1mb/sr	100,000

- Engineering run (June 2012)

K intensity/pulse	time	ds/dW	Kpp
6.0×10^4	1day	$10 \mu\text{b/sr}$	<1
		1mb/sr	~60

- Next run (Mar 2013)

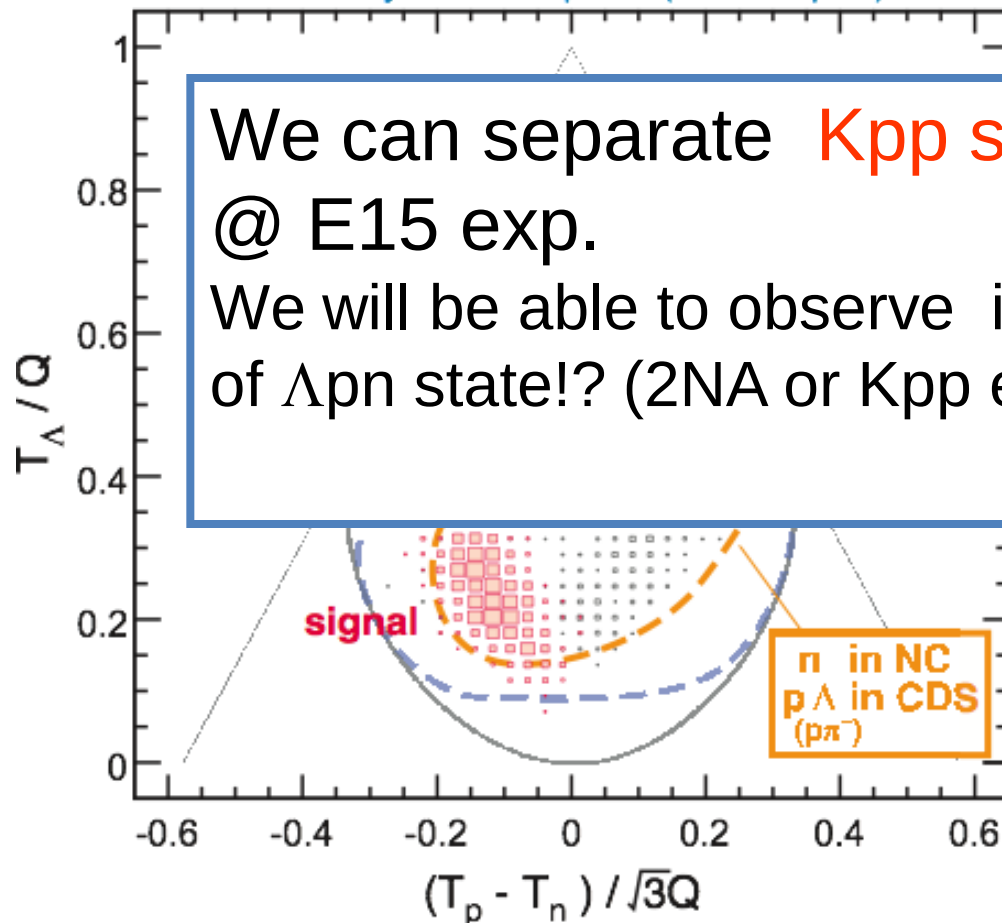
K intensity/pulse	Time	ds/dW	Kpp
2.4×10^5 4倍	14day	$10 \mu\text{b/sr}$	~50
	14倍	1mb/sr	~5,000

新しい検出器により
Data収集効率上げて
1.5倍

Dalitz plot (Final state $\Lambda p n$)

2NA and s-wave scattering

on 3-body Phase Space (Dalitz's plot) at CM

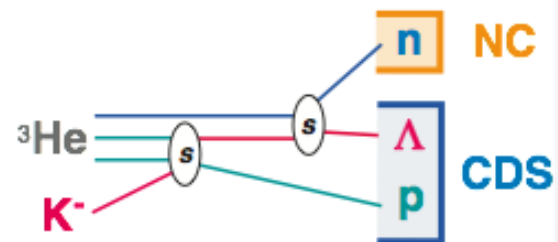


We can separate **Kpp signal** to 2NA
@ E15 exp.

We will be able to observe interesting data
of $\Lambda p n$ state!? (2NA or Kpp etc.)



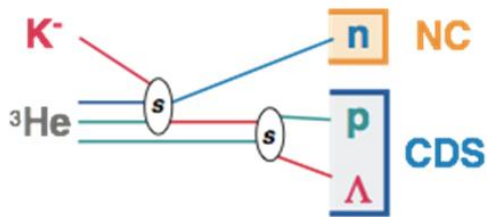
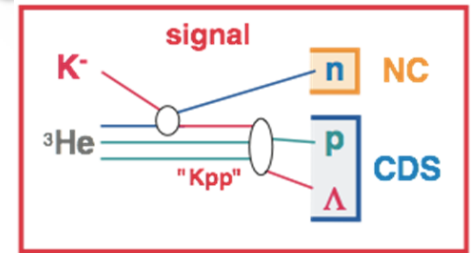
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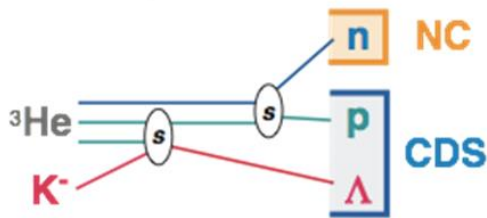
Background study (two nuclear absorption) $2NA + \Lambda N$ rescattering / $\Sigma\Lambda$ conversion looks like a “signal” ?? (2NA itself is not a problem.)

2NA+ ΛN rescattering

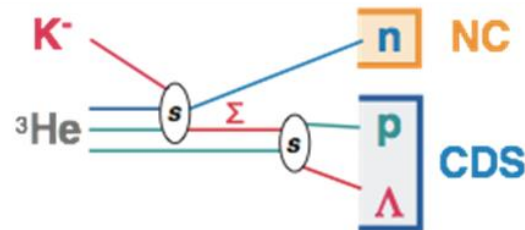
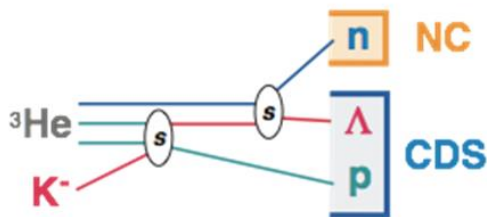
2NA+ $\Sigma\Lambda$ conversion



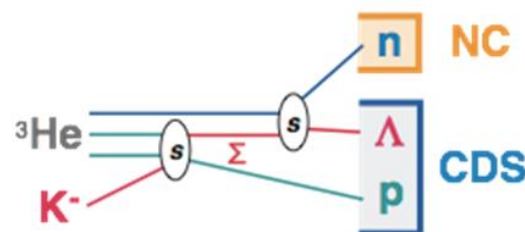
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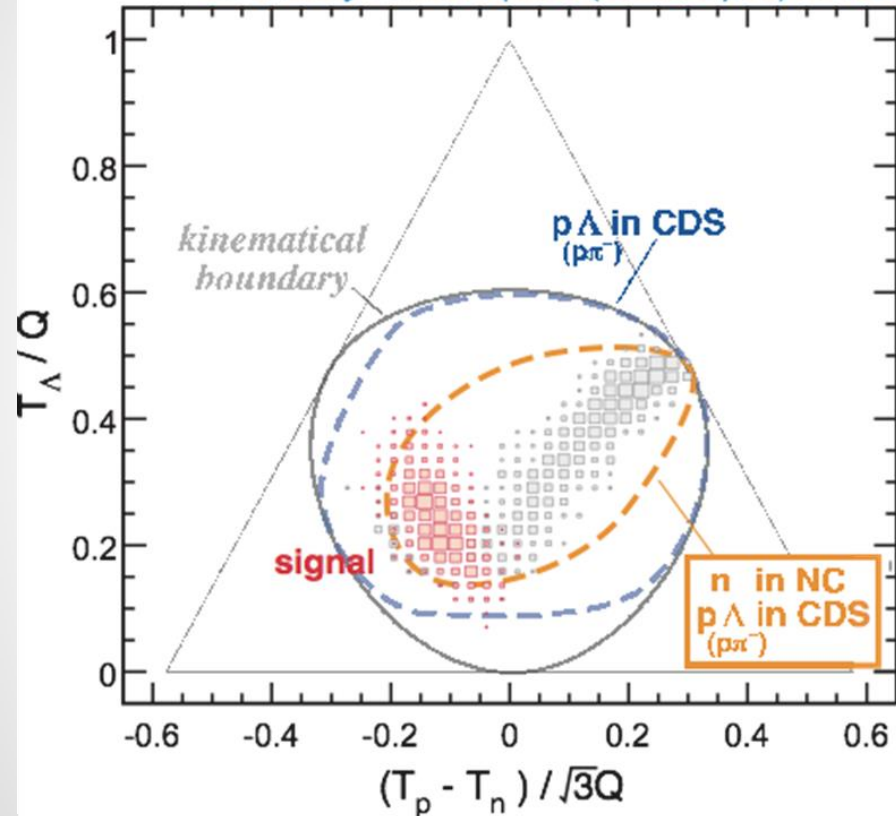
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Background study 2(Dalitz's plot)

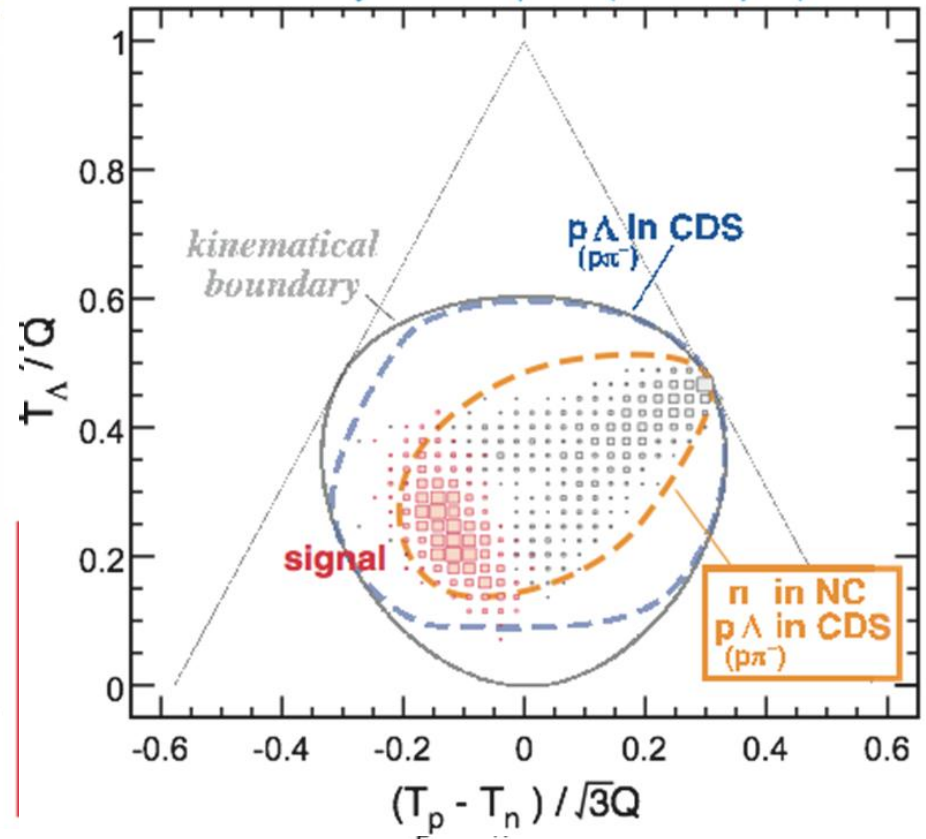
2NA and Σ - Λ conversion

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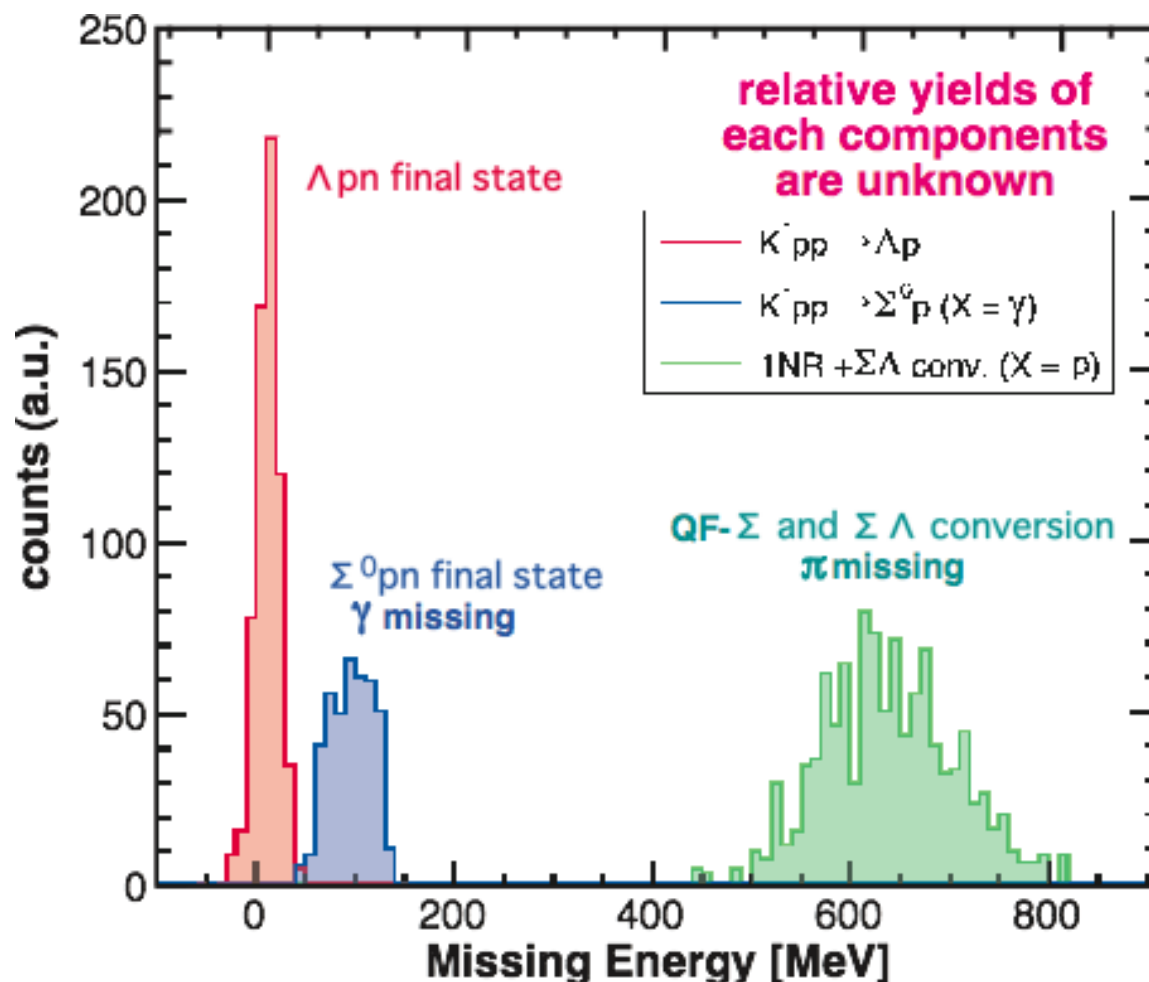
2NR and s-wave scattering

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- Signal can be distinguished between background !!

Identification of Λ pn final state by CDS & NC

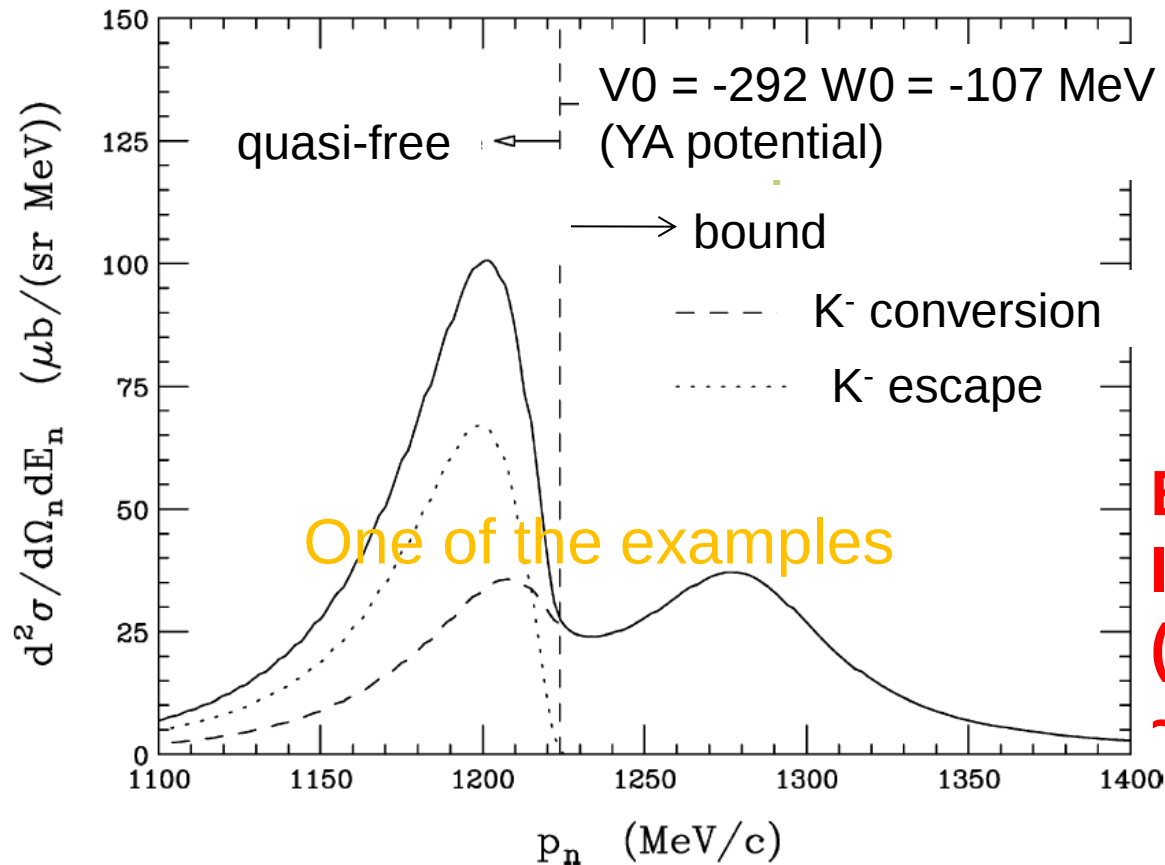


- Possible background
 - Σ^0 pn final state + γ missing
 - QF- Λ + π missing
 - QF- Σ , $\Sigma \Lambda$ conv. + π missing

**Other processes
can be clearly
separated!!**

Formation spectra : in-flight $^3\text{He}(K^-,n)$

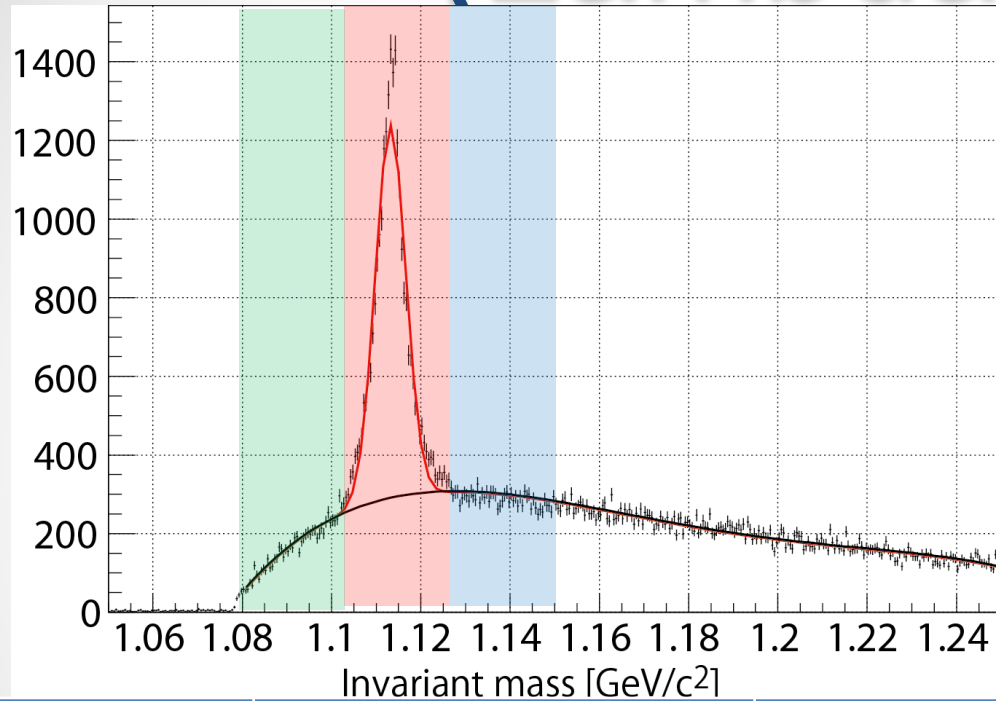
$K^- + ^3\text{He} \rightarrow \text{"K}^-\text{pp}" + n$ @ $P_K=1\text{GeV}/c, \theta=0^\circ$



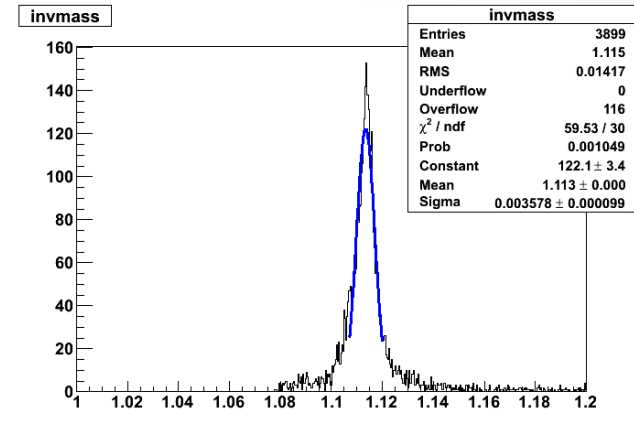
Quasi-free peak ~ 1.2
GeV/c
Kpp peak $> 1.22 \text{ GeV}/c$

Easy to observe
If $d\sigma/d\Omega > 1.0 \text{ mb/sr}$
(This example $d\sigma/d\Omega \sim 3.0 \text{ mb/sr.}$)

$p \pi^-$ invariant mass (Lambda peak)



• Simulation

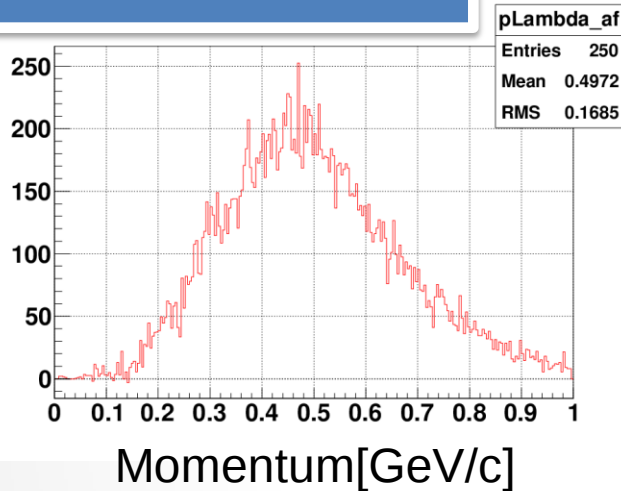


	Data	Sim
mean	1113.16 $\pm$ 0.1[MeV]	1113.4[MeV]
σ	3.42 $\pm$ 0.04 [MeV]	3.6[MeV]
Num. Λ	~16k	

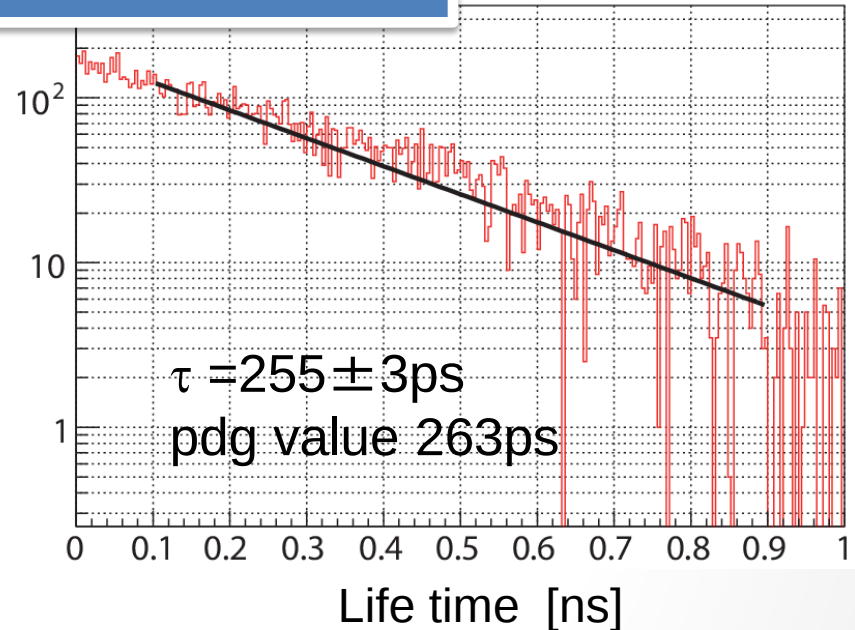
- Run43 data(2012 May -June)
- Data sum ~1kw*week
- K- beam (1.0GeV/c)
- ³He target
- Target cell selected
- Simulated with CDC resl.=250 μ m

Kinetic distribution of Λ

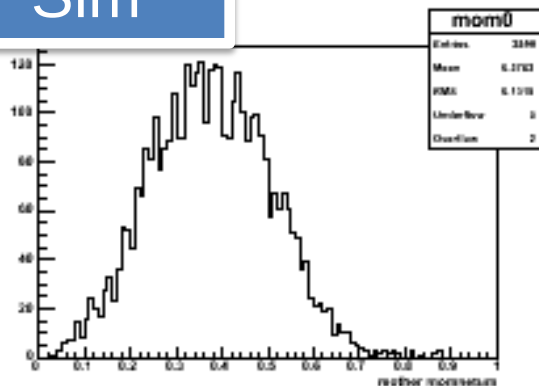
• Momentum of Λ



Lifetime of Λ

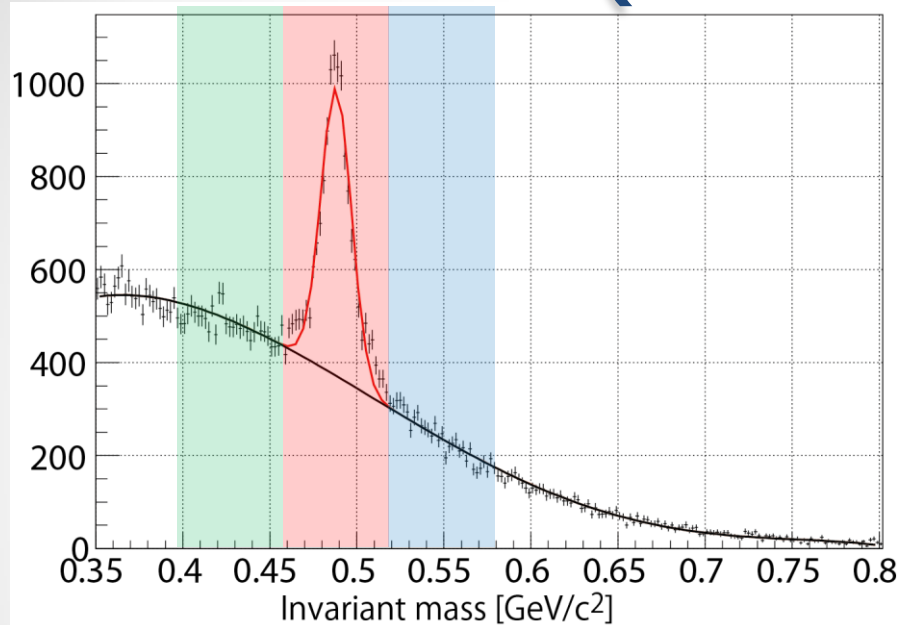


Sim

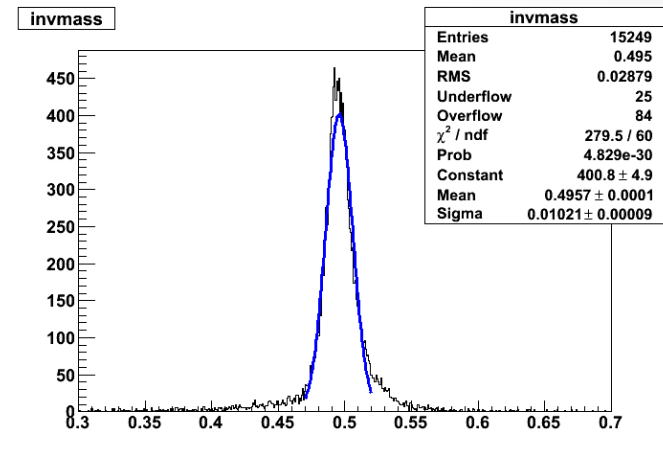


- Momentum dis. Λ is almost same as simulation's one
- peak (data) $\sim 0.45 \text{ GeV/c}$
- peak (sim) $\sim 0.4 \text{ GeV/c}$

$\pi^+ \pi^-$ invariant mass (K0s peak)



- Simulation

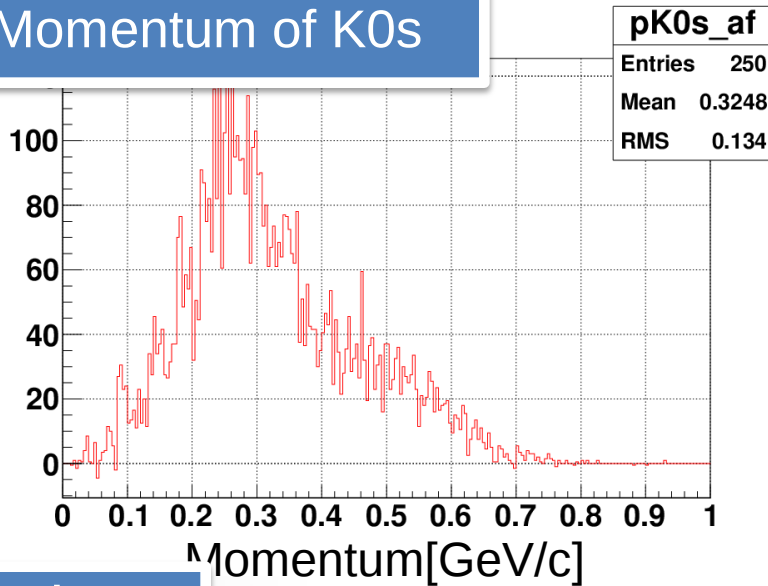


	Data	Sim
mean	488.1 $\pm$ 0.2 [MeV]	495.7[MeV]
σ	8.8 $\pm$ 0.2[MeV]	10.2[MeV]
Num K0s	~6.8k	

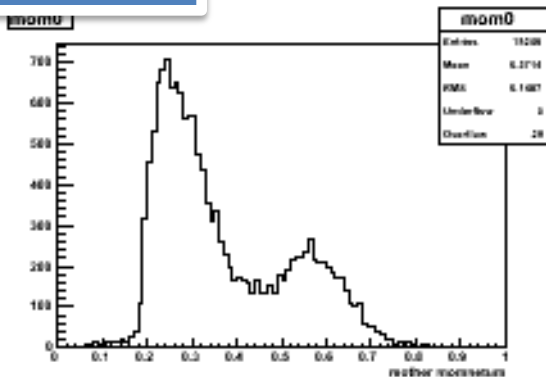
- Run43 data(2012 May -June)
- Data sum ~1kw*week
- K- beam (1.0GeV/c)
- ^3He target
- Target cell selected
- Simulated with CDC resl.=250 μm

Kinetic distribution of K0s

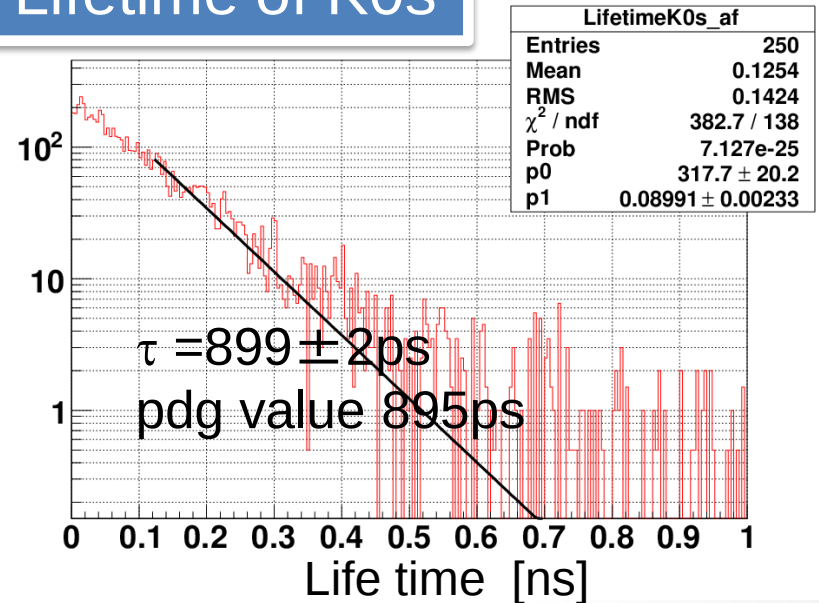
Momentum of K0s



Sim

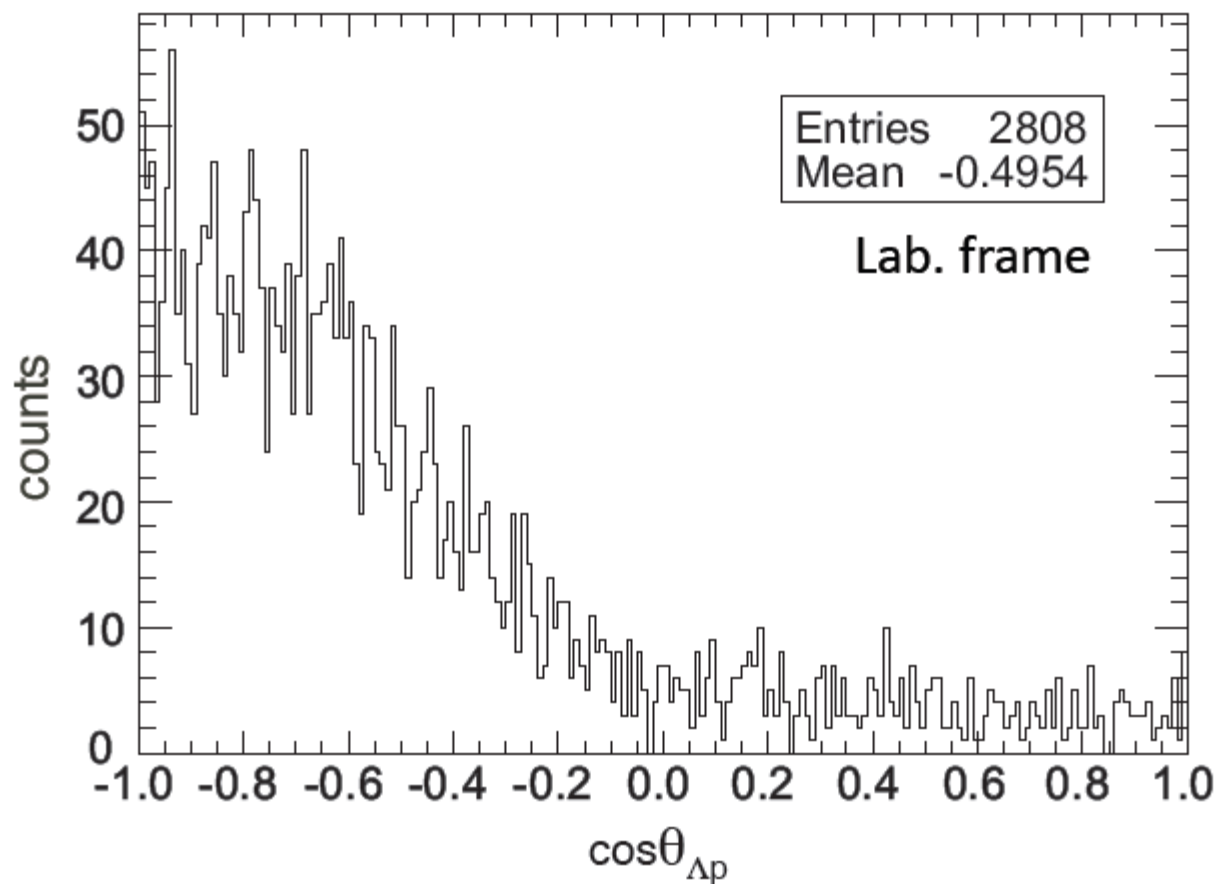


Lifetime of K0s



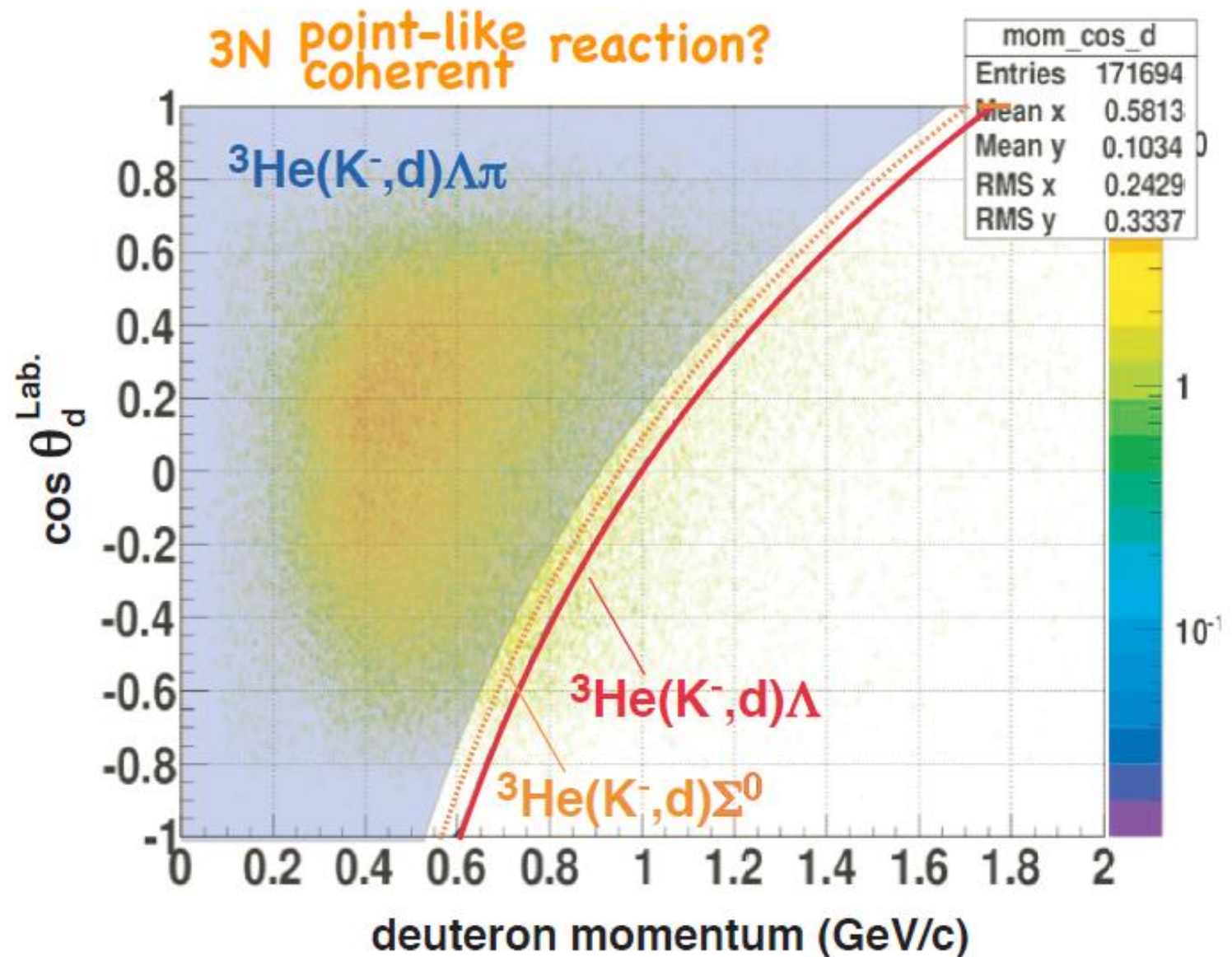
- Momentum dis. K0s is almost same as simulation's one (there are 2 peak)

Λp opening angle (w/o target selection [He/Fe])



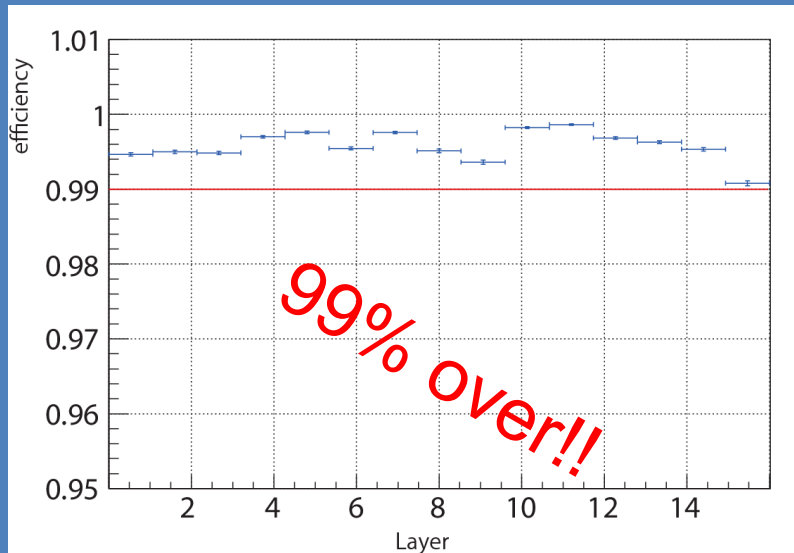
Very Preliminary Results on ${}^3\text{He}(K^-, n)$

deuteron in CDS: vertex in target



Performance of CDC

Efficiency



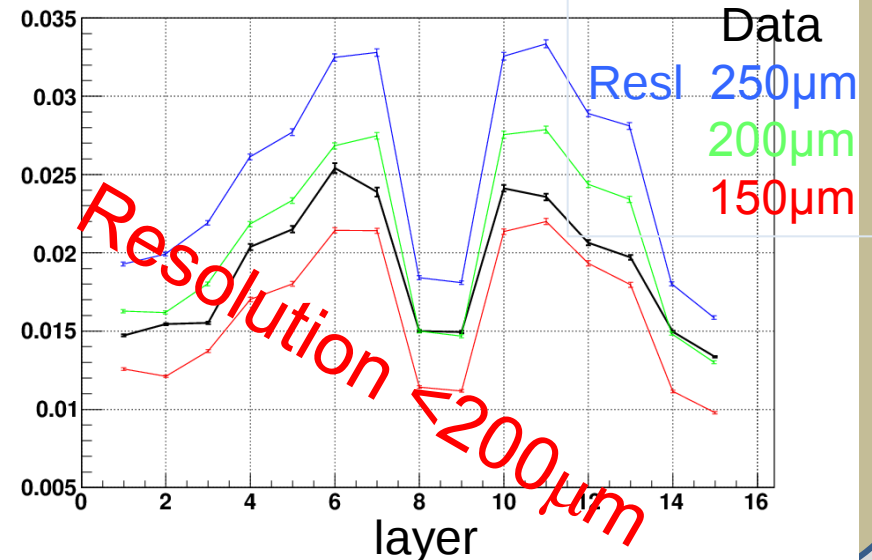
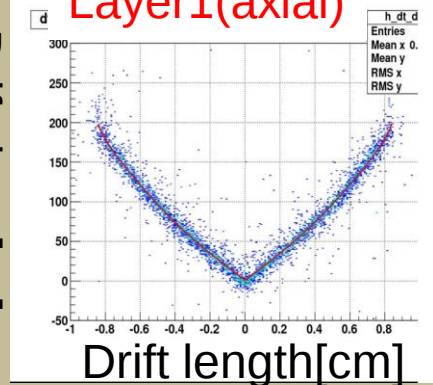
○ 定義

$$\text{Eff} = \frac{\text{対象LayerのHit数}}{\text{ReconstructできたTrack数}}$$
 (trackからCell size以内の距離) (対象Layerを外す)

Resolution

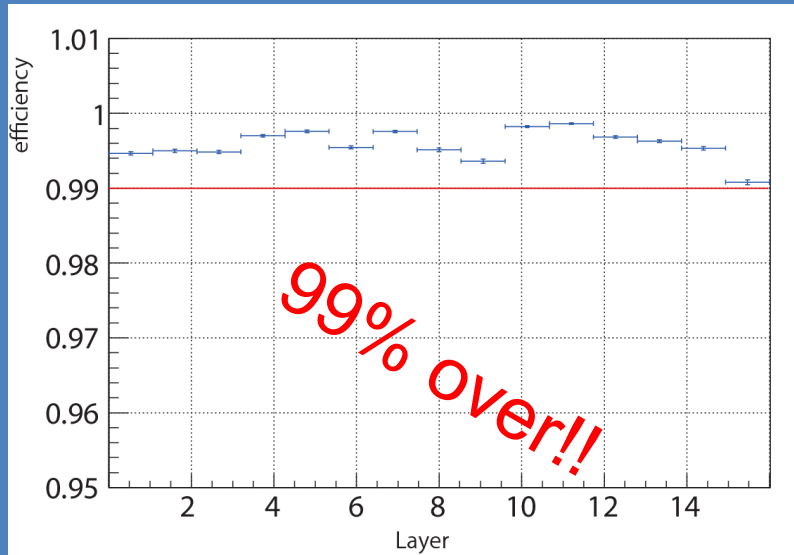
Drift time [ns]

XT Curve
 Layer1(axial)



Performance of CDC

Efficiency



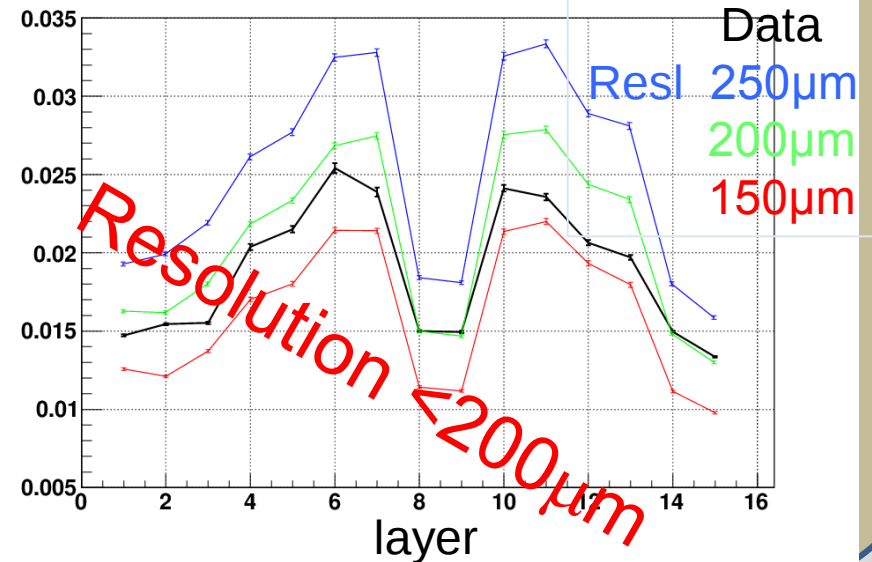
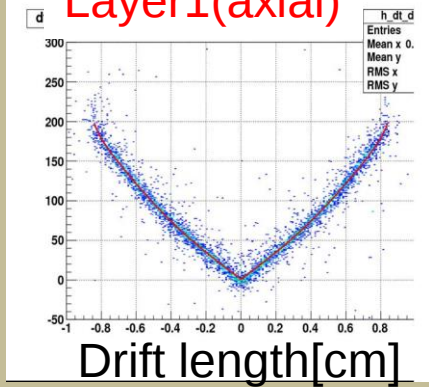
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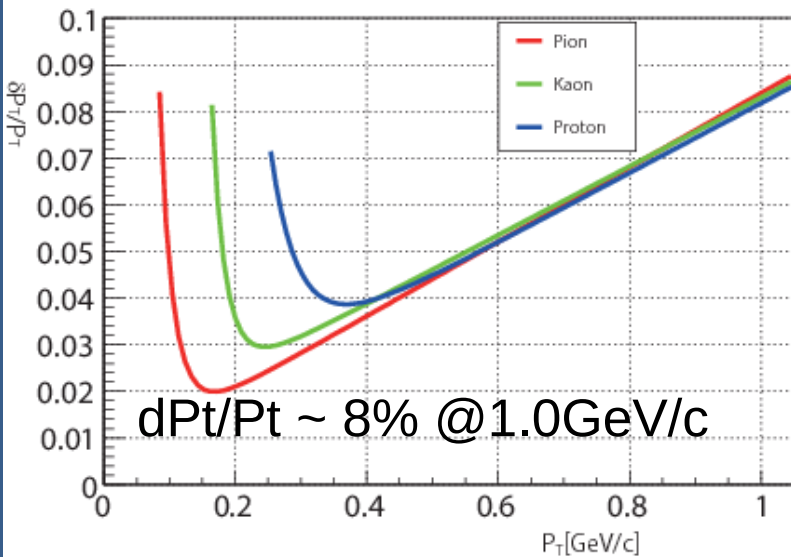
Resolution

Drift time [ns]

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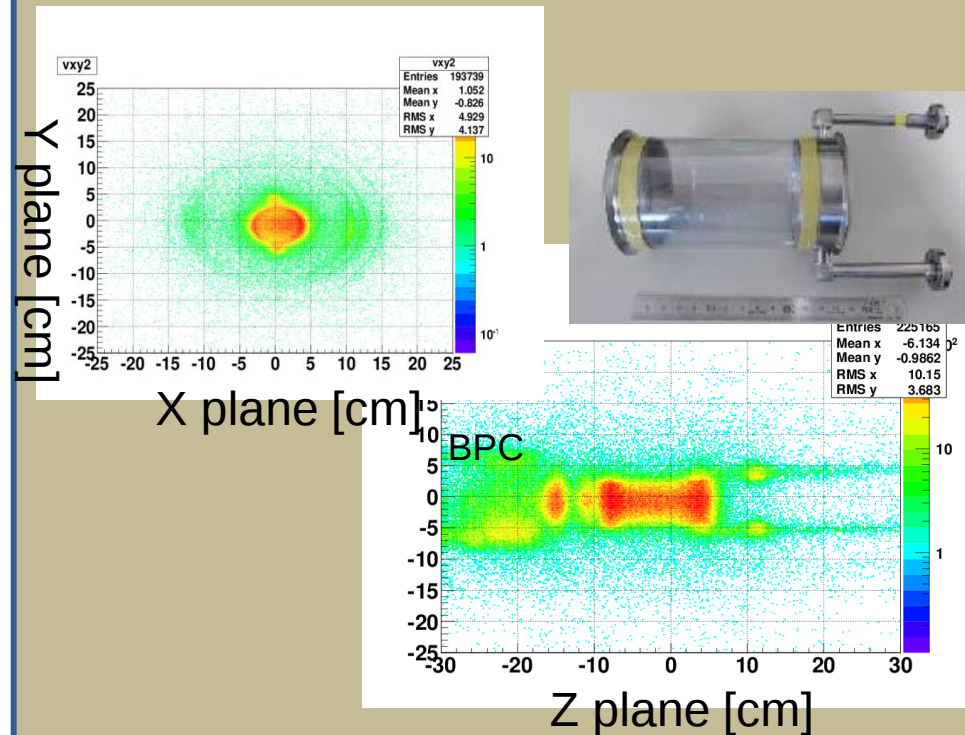


$\delta Pt/Pt$ (sim)



- Generated Direction : 4π uniformly
- CDC resl. : 200micron
- Magneticfield : 0.7T
- $dPt/Pt = 8.4\% \cdot pt + 1.1\% \cdot 1/\beta$

Target image

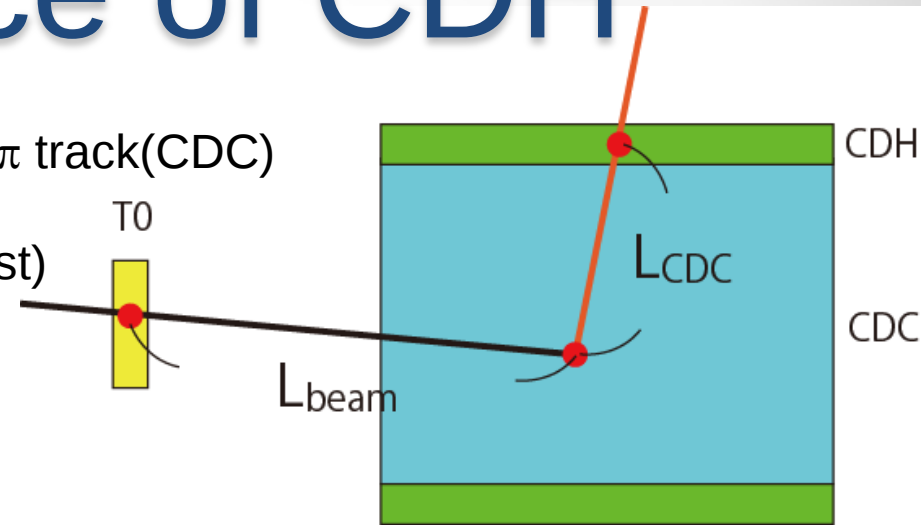


- π beam data
- DC of CDC 2track(pion)

Performance of CDH

TOF of T0 counter to CDH
corrected with events π beam(1.0GeV/c) and π track(CDC)

σ_{T0} 70~80ps , σ_{CDH} 70~80ps (cosmic ray test)
 $\Rightarrow \sigma_{TOF}$ 100~110ps (ideal)

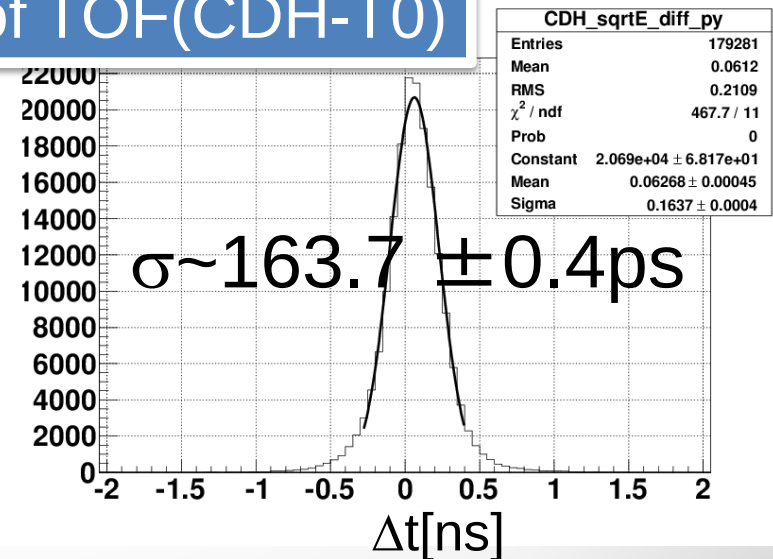


Δt of TOF(CDH-T0)

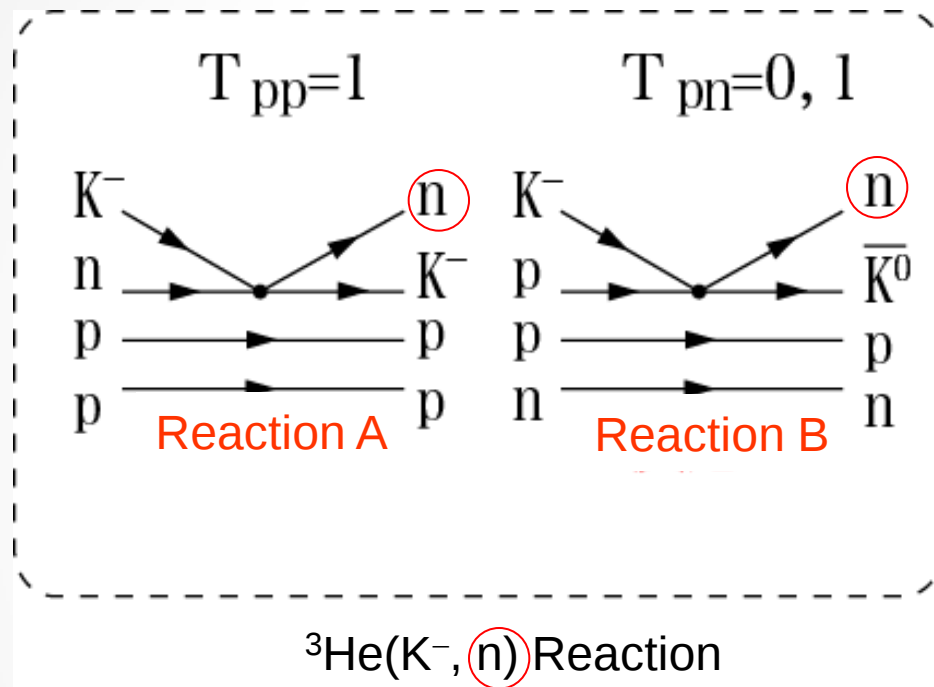
$$\Delta t = t_{calc} - TOF_{CDH-T0}$$

$$t_{calc} = \frac{L_{beam}}{\beta_{\pi} C} + \boxed{\frac{L_{CDC}}{\beta_{\pi} C}}$$

There are effect of CDC track resolution
(momentum , position)



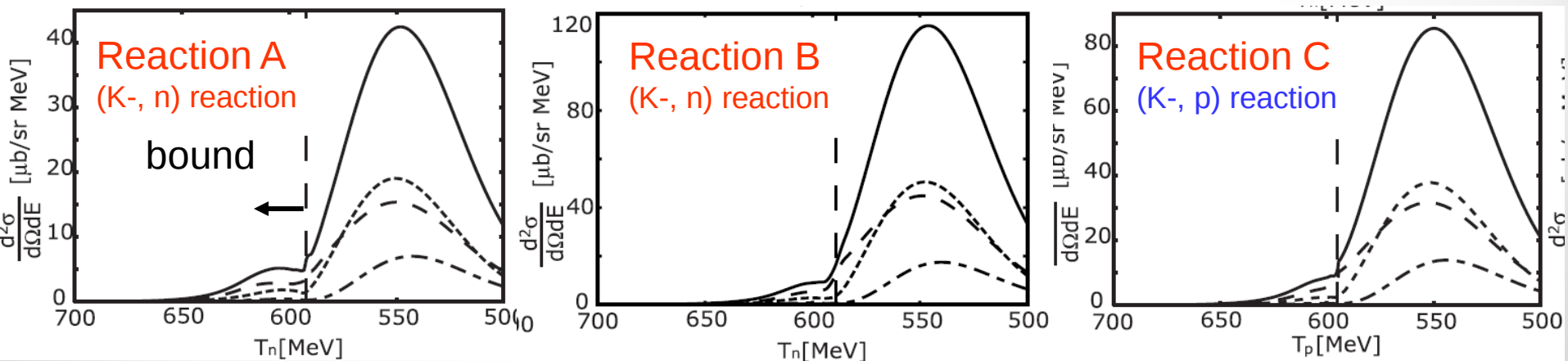
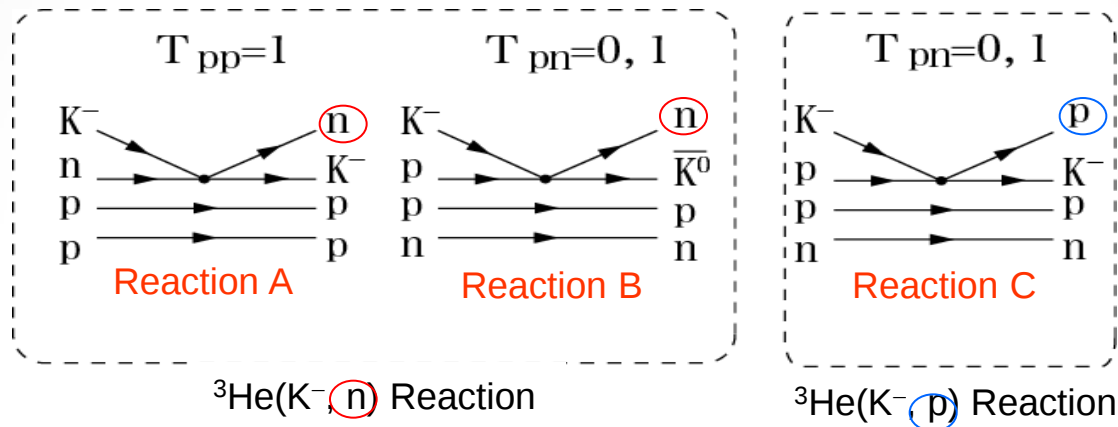
Isospin components of ${}^3\text{He}(K^-, n/p)$ reaction



- At ${}^3\text{He}(K^-, n)$ reaction, there are 2 reaction components (A, B)
 ->Can not separate A and B experimentally.
- At ${}^3\text{He}(K^-, p)$ reaction, there is only reaction C. And reaction B and C are isobaric analogical.
 ->To compare with both ${}^3\text{He}(K^-, n/p)$ reactions, We can get the information of isospin dependence of reactions

Theoretical Calculation of $(K^-, n/p)$ reaction

- Calculation of $(K^-, n/p) \bar{K}NN$ missing-mass spectrum



J. Yamagata-Sekihara, D. Jido, H. Nagahiro, and S. Hirenzaki.,
Phys. Rev. C80, 045204 (2009)

$$\begin{aligned}
|K^-\rangle|p\rangle|p\rangle &= -\sqrt{\frac{1}{3}}|3/2, +1/2\rangle_1 + \sqrt{\frac{1}{6}}|1/2, +1/2\rangle_1 + \sqrt{\frac{1}{2}}|1/2, +1/2\rangle_0 \\
|\bar{K}^0(pn)_{T=0}\rangle &= \sqrt{\frac{3}{4}}|1/2, +1/2\rangle_1 - \sqrt{\frac{1}{4}}|1/2, +1/2\rangle_0 \\
|\bar{K}^0(pn)_{T=1}\rangle &= \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}}|3/2, +1/2\rangle_1 + \sqrt{\frac{1}{12}}|1/2, +1/2\rangle_1 + \sqrt{\frac{1}{4}}|1/2, +1/2\rangle_0 \\
|K^-(pn)_{T=0}\rangle &= -\sqrt{\frac{3}{4}}|1/2, +1/2\rangle_1 + \sqrt{\frac{1}{4}}|1/2, +1/2\rangle_0 \\
|K^-(pn)_{T=1}\rangle &= -\sqrt{\frac{1}{3}}|3/2, +1/2\rangle_1 + \sqrt{\frac{1}{12}}|1/2, +1/2\rangle_1 + \sqrt{\frac{1}{4}}|1/2, +1/2\rangle_0
\end{aligned}$$

$$|\alpha, \beta\rangle_T$$

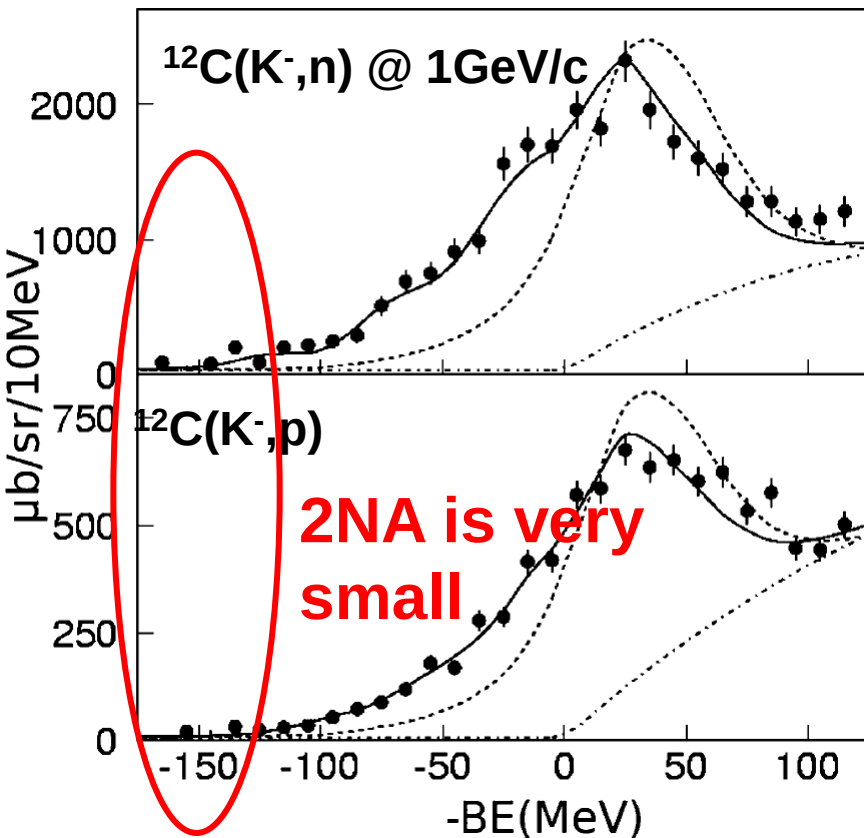
α : isospin of $\bar{K}NN$

β : z component of isospin $\bar{K}NN$

T: isospin of $\bar{K}N$ subsystem

Background?? : two nucleon absorption

**2NA + Λ N rescattering / $\Sigma\Lambda$ conversion
looks like a “signal” ??** (2NA itself is not a problem.)



De Broglie wave length @ 1 GeV/c

$\sim 1.2 \text{ fm}$

NN distance in $^3\text{He} \sim 2.25 \text{ fm}$

Proc. Jpn. Academy,
Series B83 (2007) 144.

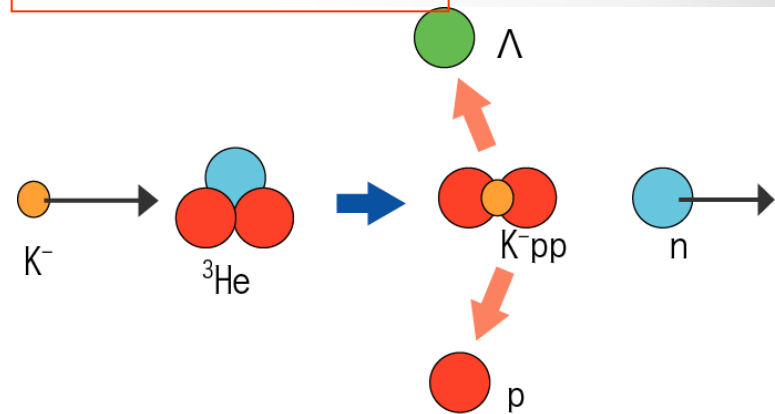
**These probabilities are
expected to be very small ...
Anyway, let's see how they
look like!**

Motivation of measuring ${}^3\text{He}(K^-, n/p)$ reaction

- Only ${}^3\text{He}(K^-, n)$ reaction channel was proposed @ E15 exp.
→ because K^- is more attractive to proton than neutron, so K^-pp is most bounded simply.
- But isospin components of $\bar{K}NN$ from ${}^3\text{He}(K^-, n)$ reaction is mixed strongly attractive one and another one.
- only measuring ${}^3\text{He}(K^-, n)$ reaction, we **can not separate** strongly attractive one and another one.

→ Both measuring ${}^3\text{He}(K^-, n/p)$ is needed!

${}^3\text{He}(K^-, n)$ reaction



${}^3\text{He}(K^-, p)$ reaction

