

(Super)FRS experiments

FAIR/GSI Research Retreat

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(Super-)FRS for mass and charge separation

- *Search for new isotopes and ground state properties*
- *Atomic collisions*
- *Radioactive beams for applications (e.g. PET-imaging)*

(Super-)FRS as high-resolution spectrometer

- *Spectroscopy of meson-nucleus bound system (mesonic atoms)*
- *Exotic hypernuclei and their properties*
- *Importance of tensor forces in nuclear structure*
- *Delta resonances probing nuclear structure*

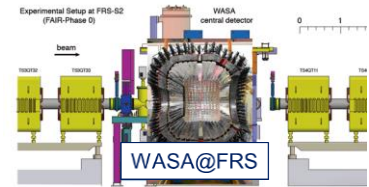
(Super-)FRS as multi-stage separator and high resolution reaction spectrometer

- *Nuclear radii and momentum distributions*
- *Radioactive in-flight decays and continuum spectroscopy by particle emissions*
- *Low- q experiments with an active target*
- *Synthesis of new isotopes and nuclear reaction studies with RIBs*

High-resolution spectrometer experiments with FRS and ancillary detectors

Broad science spectrum:

- **New isotopes**, new reaction studies (e.g. MNT)
- **Exotic nuclei** (proton radioactivity, fission isomers)
- **Atomic-collision** studies
- **Hyper nuclei:** $nn\Lambda$, ${}^3_{\Lambda}\text{H}$, ${}^4_{\Lambda}\text{H}$
- **Hadron physics:** search for eta-prime mesic nuclei
- **Applications:** nuclear astrophysics, biology, nuclear imaging



2020

2021

2022

S468 New isotope search „south“ of Pb (N~126), masses and half-lives

S469 Gas-solid difference in heavy ion stopping

S474 Direct mass measurements around ${}^{100}\text{Sn}$

S459+ In-flight decay spectroscopy of proton-unbound nuclei and mass meas.

S482 Mean range bunching

S483 Beam Instrumentation test for Super-FRS

S511 FRS developments for NUSTAR experiments

S526 Direct mass measurements of heavy N=Z nuclei

S530 Fission isomer studies at FRS

S533 Atomic and nuclear interaction studies for ion-beam therapy with b^+ -emitting nuclei

S447 Studies of hypernuclei by new spectroscopy techniques with WASA@FRS

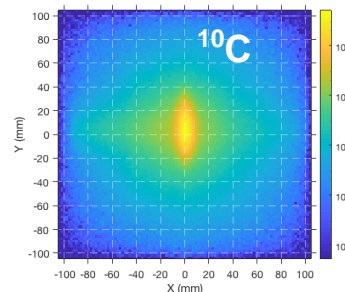
S490 Search for eta'-mesic nuclei in ${}^{12}\text{C}(p,dp)$ reaction

U323 Study of MNT processes in different reactions

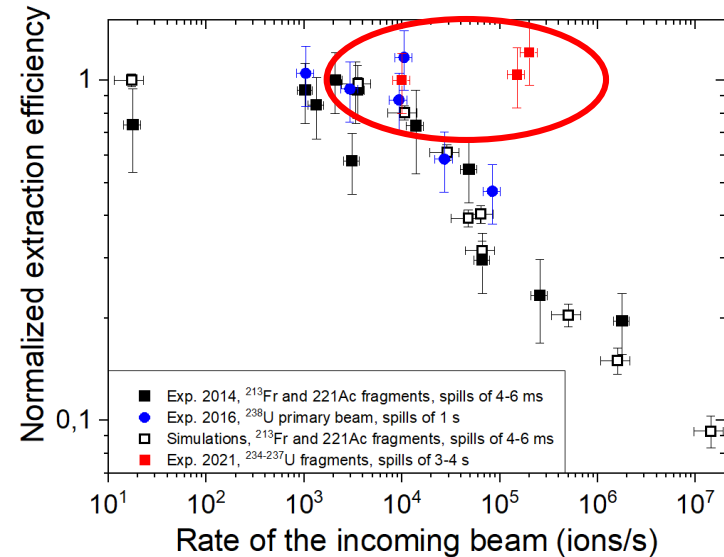
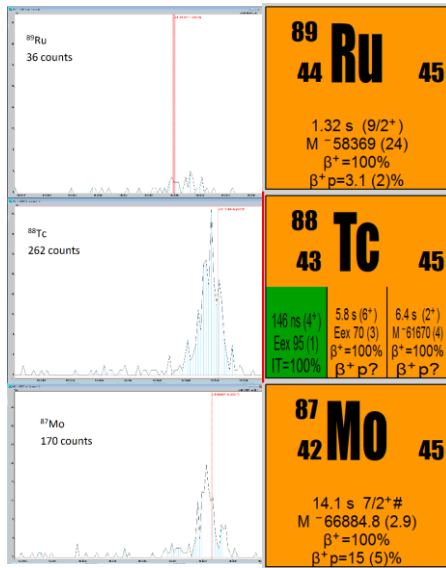
- S483 (Nociforo et al.): **Tests of beam instrumentation equipment for the Super-FRS at FAIR**
 - Tests with different primary beams: C, Xe, Pb, U
 - Gas-filled detectors for tracking and identification
 - SEM-grid and scintillating fiber detectors for high rates

- S511 (Scheidenberger et al.): **FRS developments for NUSTAR experiments: performance improvements and R&D work with heavy-ion beams**
 - FRS ion optics: high transmission mode
 - Microspill structure studies at highest intensities
 - Macrospill optimization for DC-type spill profile

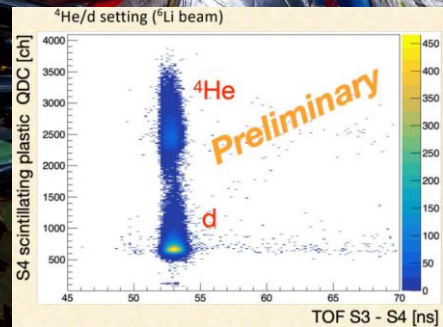
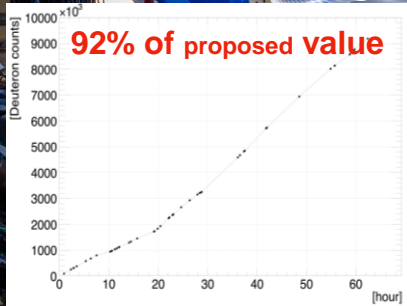
- S533 (Purushothaman et al.): **Measurements of nuclear and atomic interactions needed for ion-beam therapy with positron emitters of carbon**
and S000 (Scheidenberger, Schütt, Durante et al.): **Commissioning of radioactive beams in Cave M**
 - Production, separation, identification and transport of PET isotopes ($^{10,11}\text{C}$)
 - Measurement of their interaction and charge-changing cross sections in various materials
 - PET imaging using phantoms



- S526 (Plass et al.): **Direct mass measurements of heavy N=Z and N=Z-1 nuclides**
- S530 (Dickel et al.): **Fission isomer studies with the FRS**

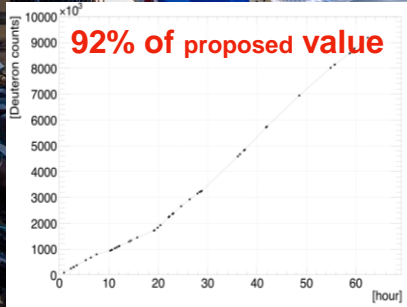


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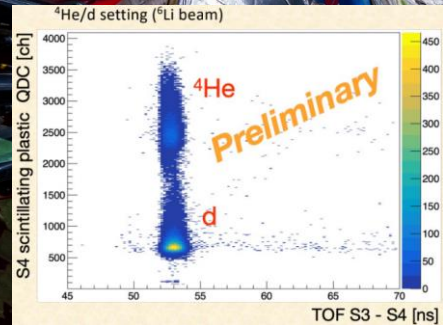
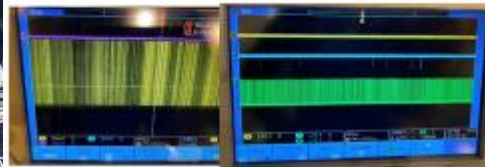
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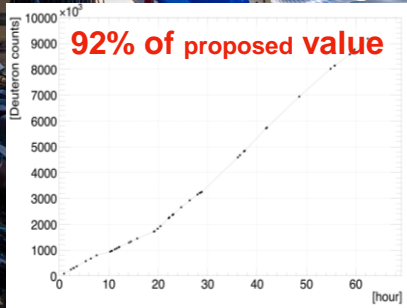
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Before tuning After tuning



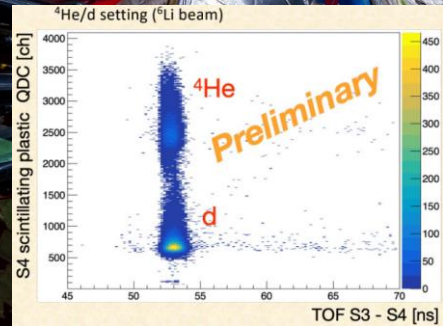
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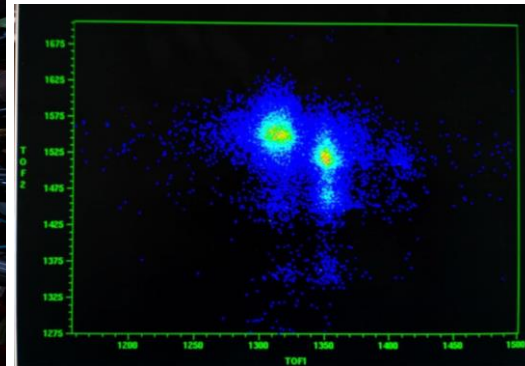
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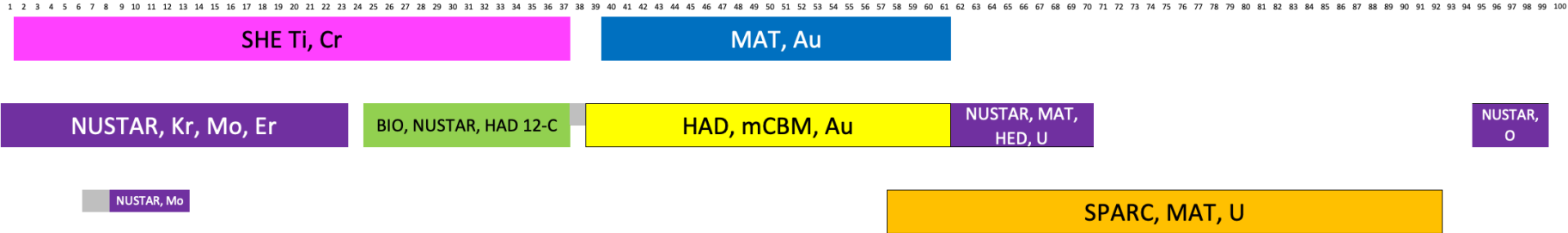
U323: MNT studies
with TOSCA @
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¹³⁶Xe (700MeV) + ¹⁹⁷Au

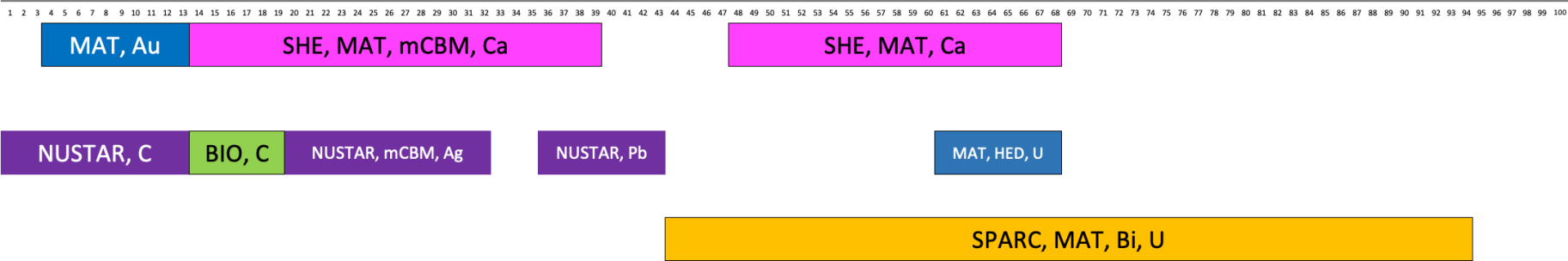


| Experiment | Nr. | Spokesperson | A Shifts | A-Shifts | Beam |
|---|------------|---------------------------|----------|----------|------------------------------|
| In-beam test of a TOF-DE-E method for complete identification via mass-(A) and charge-(Z) number of fragments produced in Multi Nucleon Transfer reactions | G-22-00174 | Vardaci, Emanuele | 12 | 12 | @UNILAC: 136Xe (A~50 for A-) |
| In-cell multi-nucleon transfer reactions at the FRS Ion Catcher - a new perspective towards broadband heavy neutron-rich isotope studies with stable and unstable beams | G-22-00117 | Constantin, Paul | 5 | 8 | 238-U |
| Nuclear symmetries and structure studies via mass measurements at the N=Z line from Ge to Rh | G-22-00056 | Plaß, Wolfgang | | 17 | 107-Ag and 78-Kr |
| Mass measurements at N≈126 for understanding the 3rd r-process abundance peak | G-22-00150 | Scheidenberger, Christoph | 21 | | 208-Pb |
| Neutron skin measurement of ¹³² Sn and ¹⁴⁴ Xe | G-22-00027 | Kanungo, Rituparna | 5 | | 238U |
| Towards limits of nuclear structure by using a 9C beam | G-22-00111 | Chudoba, Vratislav | | 11 | 12-C |
| Study of a nuclear sandbank at the proton unbound bromine isotopes | G-22-00115 | Pfutzner, Marek | 11 | | 78Kr |
| FRS developments for APPA and NUSTAR experiments: Performance improvements and R&D work with heavy-ion beams | G-22-00160 | Scheidenberger, Christoph | 10 | | Light and heavy |
| | | | Σ | 64 | 48 |

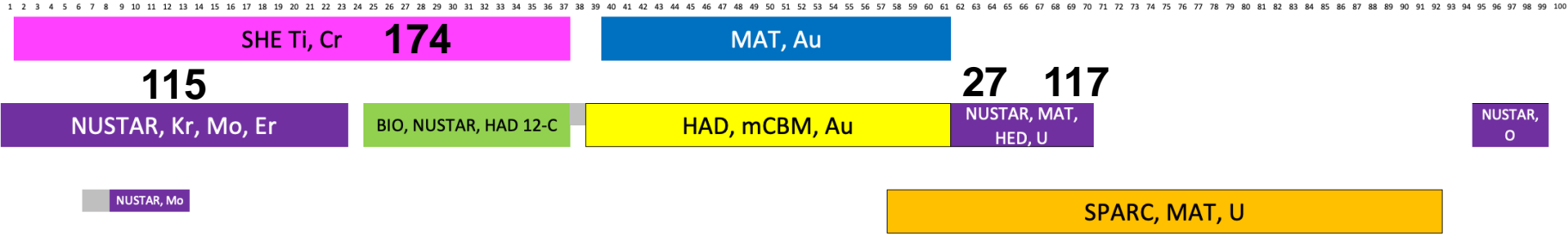
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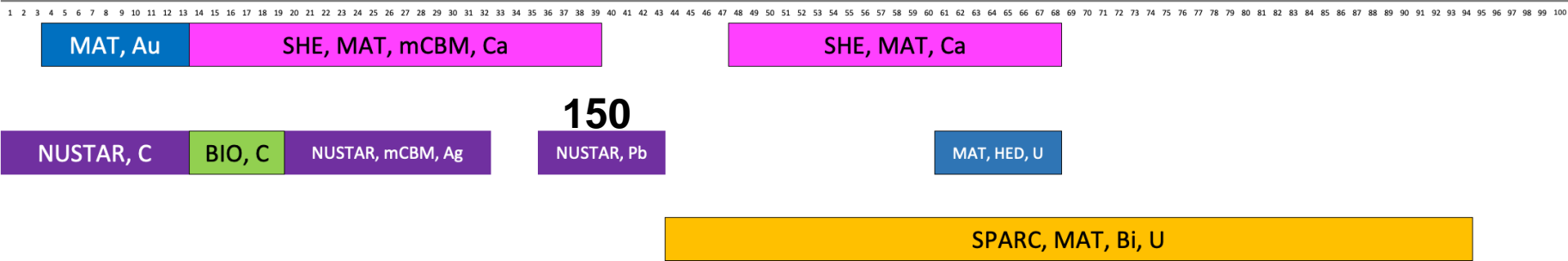
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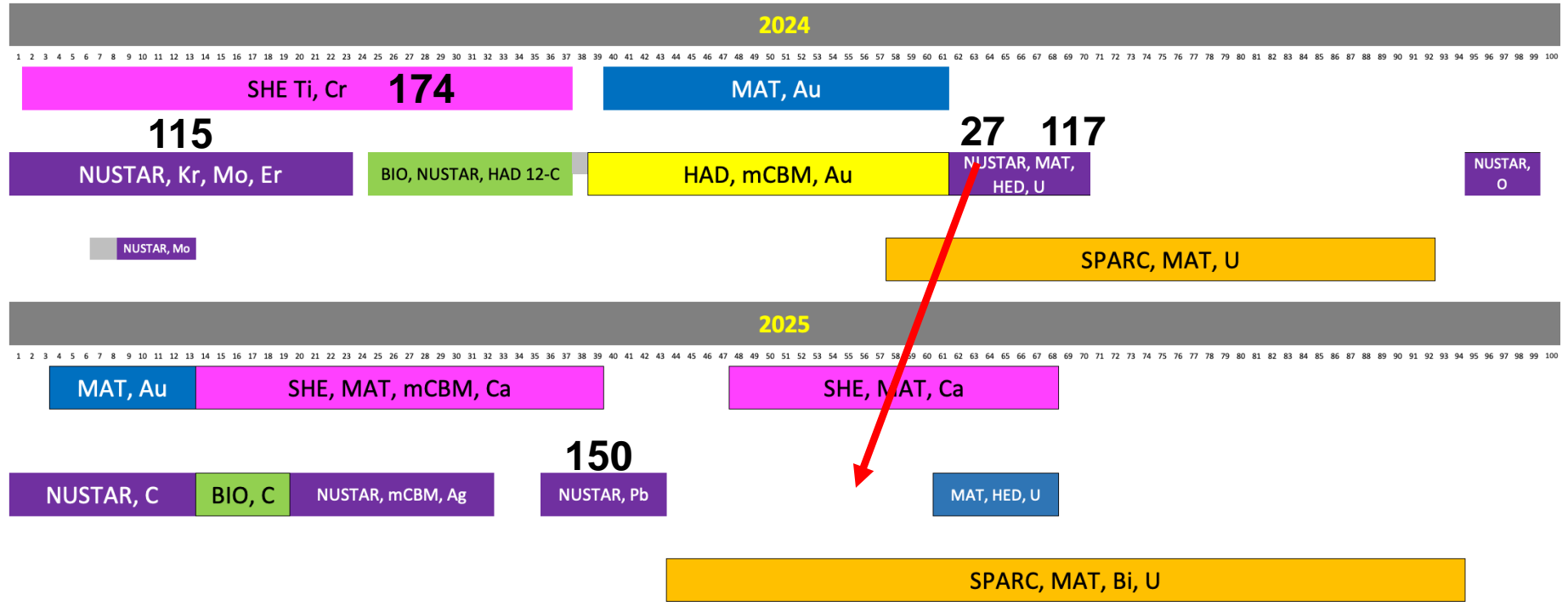


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- **Re-Commissioning of the FRS after the shutdown and upgrades**
- *Transmission improvement FRS-ESR*
- Test of Helium-Recovery Unit (FAIR in-kind)
- Improvement to the Micro and Makro spill structure in routine operation for all experiments and beams
- **High intensity for beams on FRS target, especially for ^{208}Pb**
 - High/full transmission from SIS18 to FRS target at highest rigidities
 - High spill rate: 1 per second at 100ms slow extraction

26+ @ FRS:

- Detector Tests (e.g., SAFARI (high rate TOF))
- Ion-Optical developments
- WASA@FRS
- Selected experiments (under discussion in the collaboration)

Early Science 27+ @ Super-FRS:

New Isotope search: $N > 126$

- Higher Transmission ~2x
- Reduction of fission fragments

Beta-delayed neutron emission

- Higher Transmission ~10x
- Higher Beam cleanliness
- New CSC

Plans for near future

Eng. run

- Re-Commissioning FRS
- high-int. Pb
- ...

Beamtime 24/25

- Mass measurements
- Neutron skin
- Nuclear structure at the proton dripline

Ideas for mid-term future

Experiments @ FRS '26+

- WASA, detector tests,...

Early Science @ Super-FRS '27+

- New Isotope search
- beta-delayed neutrons

*Continuation of beamtime
(> 3 weeks per year)
to keep collaboration together and
know-how sustained*