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# CRYRING and its role in future low-energy antiproton physics



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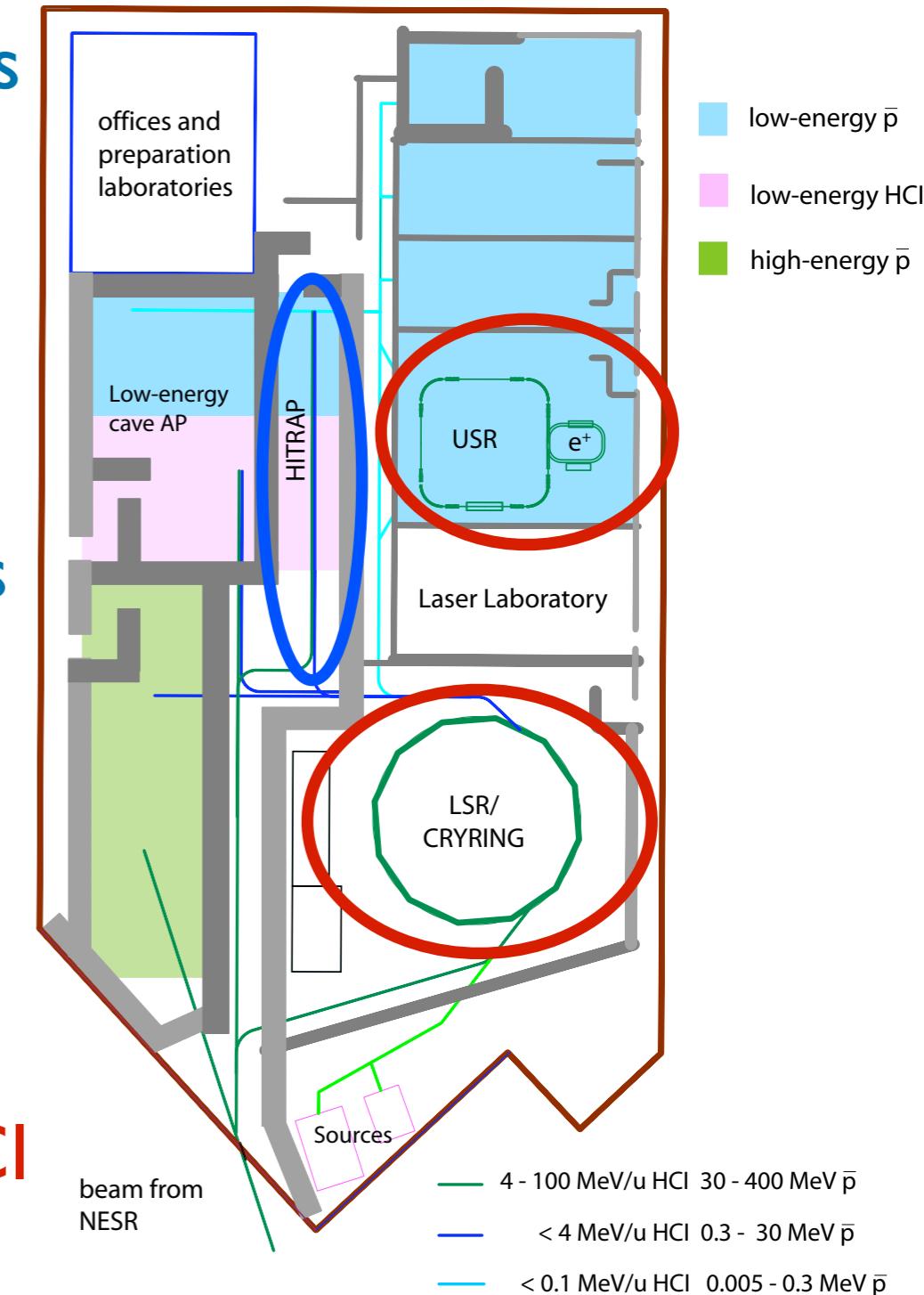
Uppsala, June 13, 2013

Stefan Meyer Institute for Subatomic Physics, Vienna

# FLAIR@ FAIR - Baseline Technical Report 2005

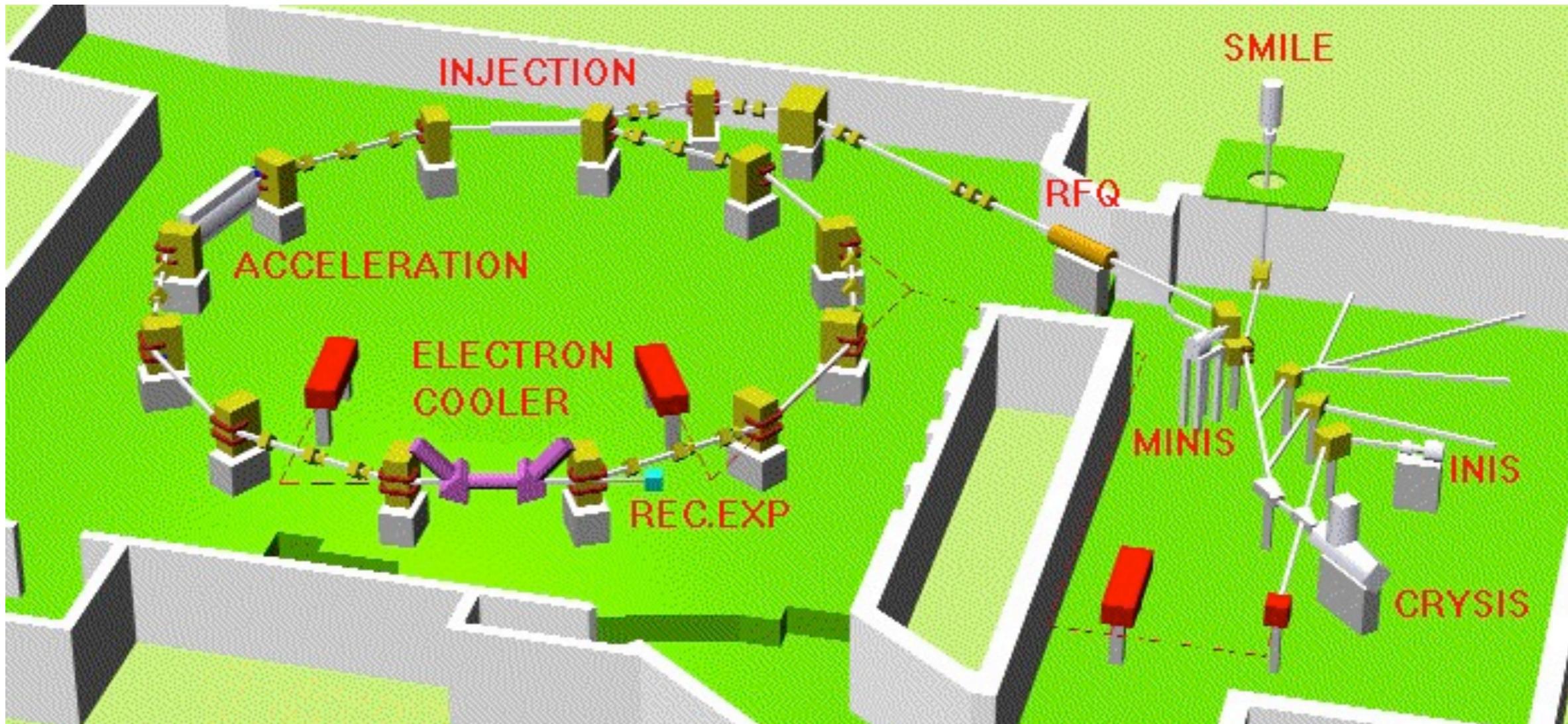
- High brightness low energy beams
  - two storage rings with 300 keV (LSR) and 20 keV (USR)
  - electron cooling
    - $\varepsilon \sim 1 \pi \text{ mm mrad}$
    - $\Delta p/p \sim 10^{-4}$
- Storage rings with internal targets for collision studies
- Slow and fast extraction
- Ion traps
  - HITRAP facility for HCl & pbar
- Many new experiments possible
- same facilities can be used for HCl

Factor 100 more pbar trapped or stopped in gas targets than now



Operation after ~2018

# Existing storage rings of LSR type



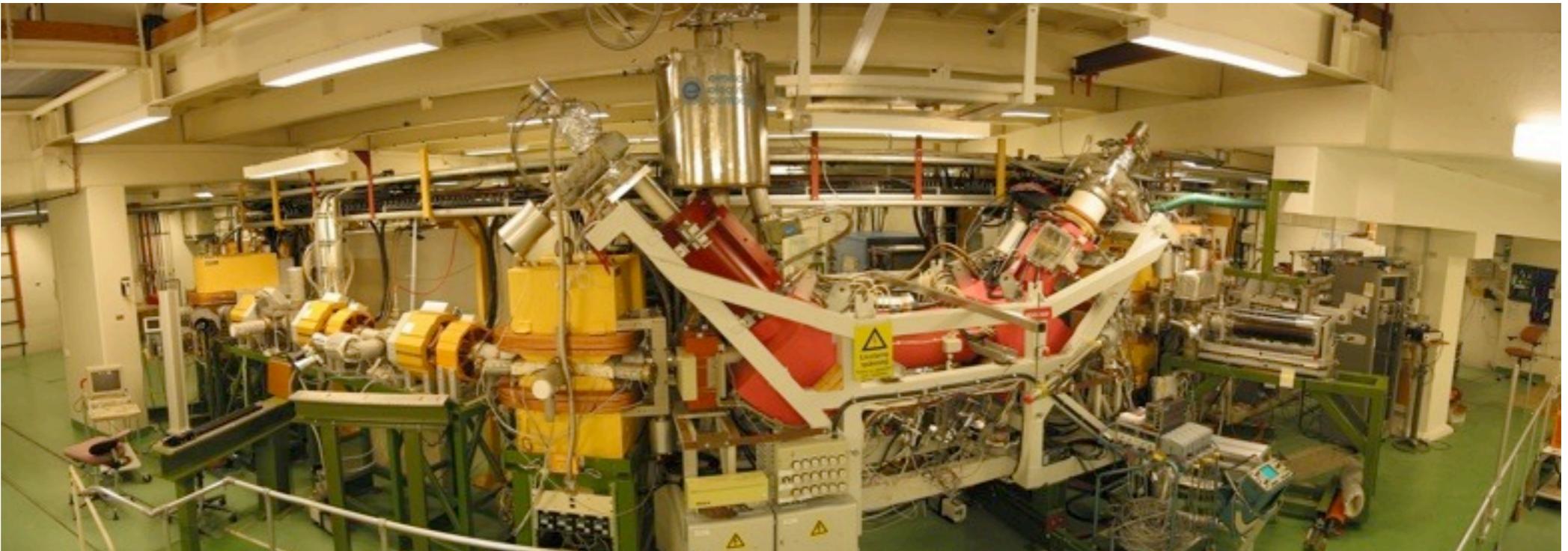
## CRYRING (MSL Stockholm)

- 96 MeV – 300 keV (p)
- Circumference 51.6 m
- Will be dismantled !



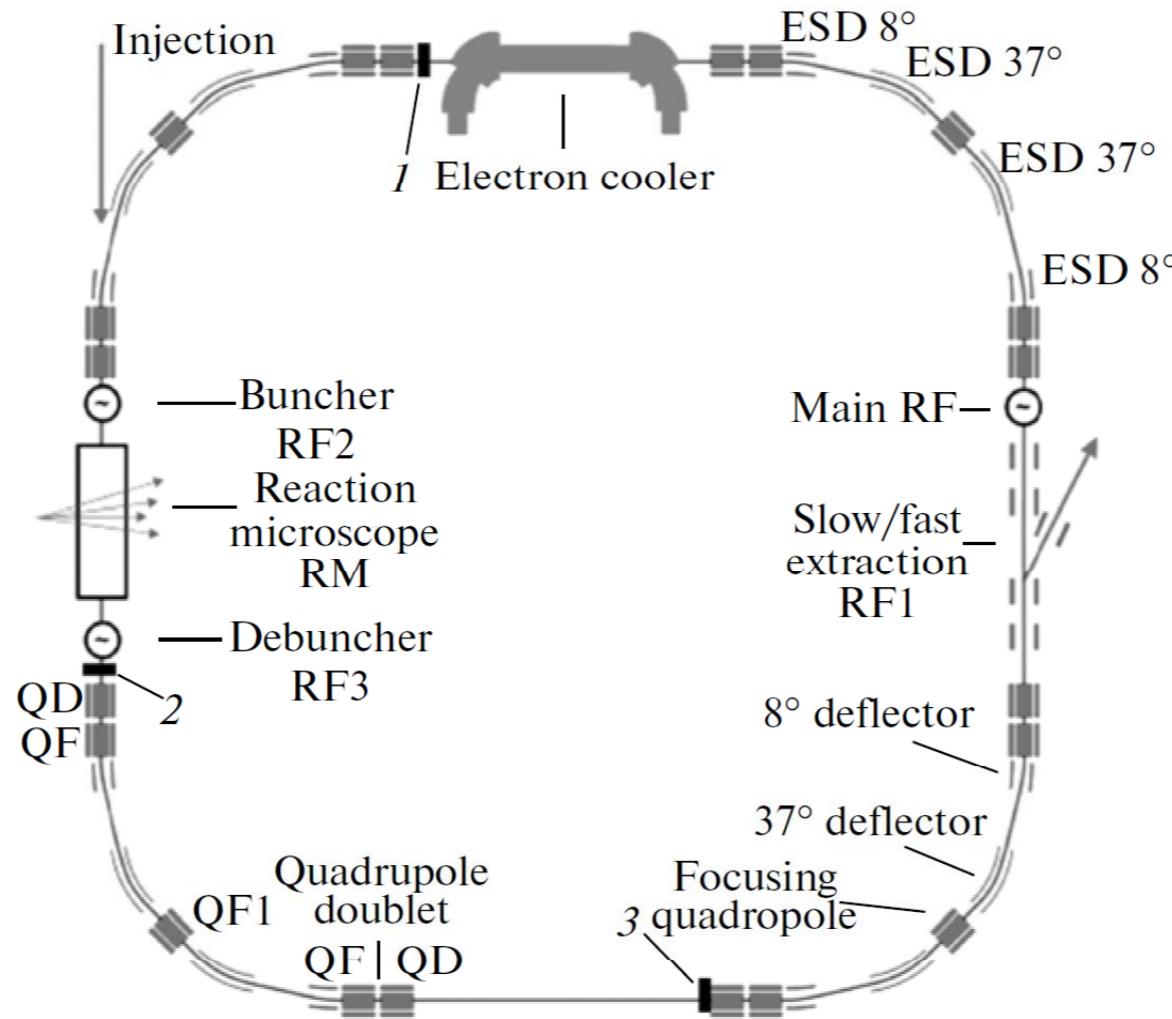
# CRYRING: a perfect match for LSR

- LSR is central “working horse” of FLAIR
  - Beam delivery for HITRAP, USR, experiments
- Choice of CRYRING (MSL, Stockholm)
  - Fitting energy range, electron cooling, fast ramping, internal target, low-energy injection from ion source for commissioning
  - Expertise: MSL staff has designed & built CRYRING
  - CRYRING **will be contributed by Sweden as in-kind contribution to FAIR** → **has been**



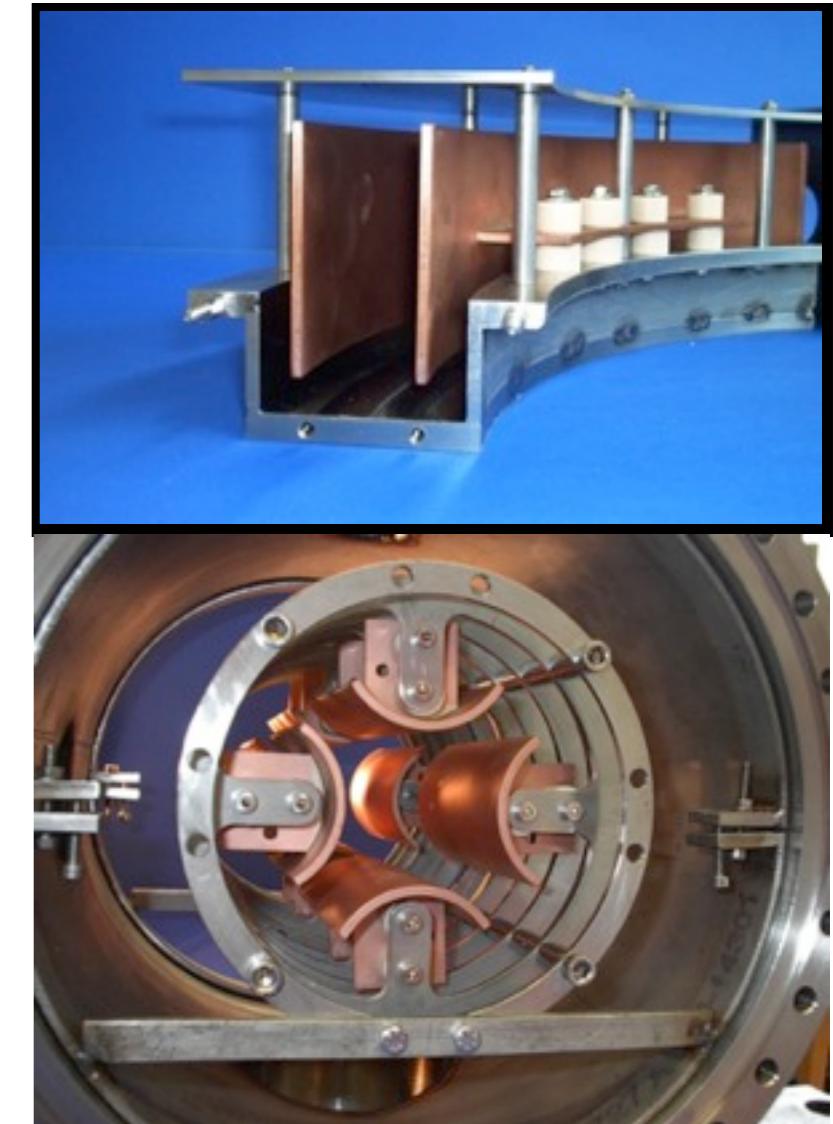
**available in 2012**

# USR: electrostatic storage ring



Part Phys. Nucl. Letters **8** (2011)

$E_{min} / E_{max}$	20 / 300 keV
Voltages	$< \pm 20$ kV
number of pbars at 20 keV	$1 \cdot 10^7$



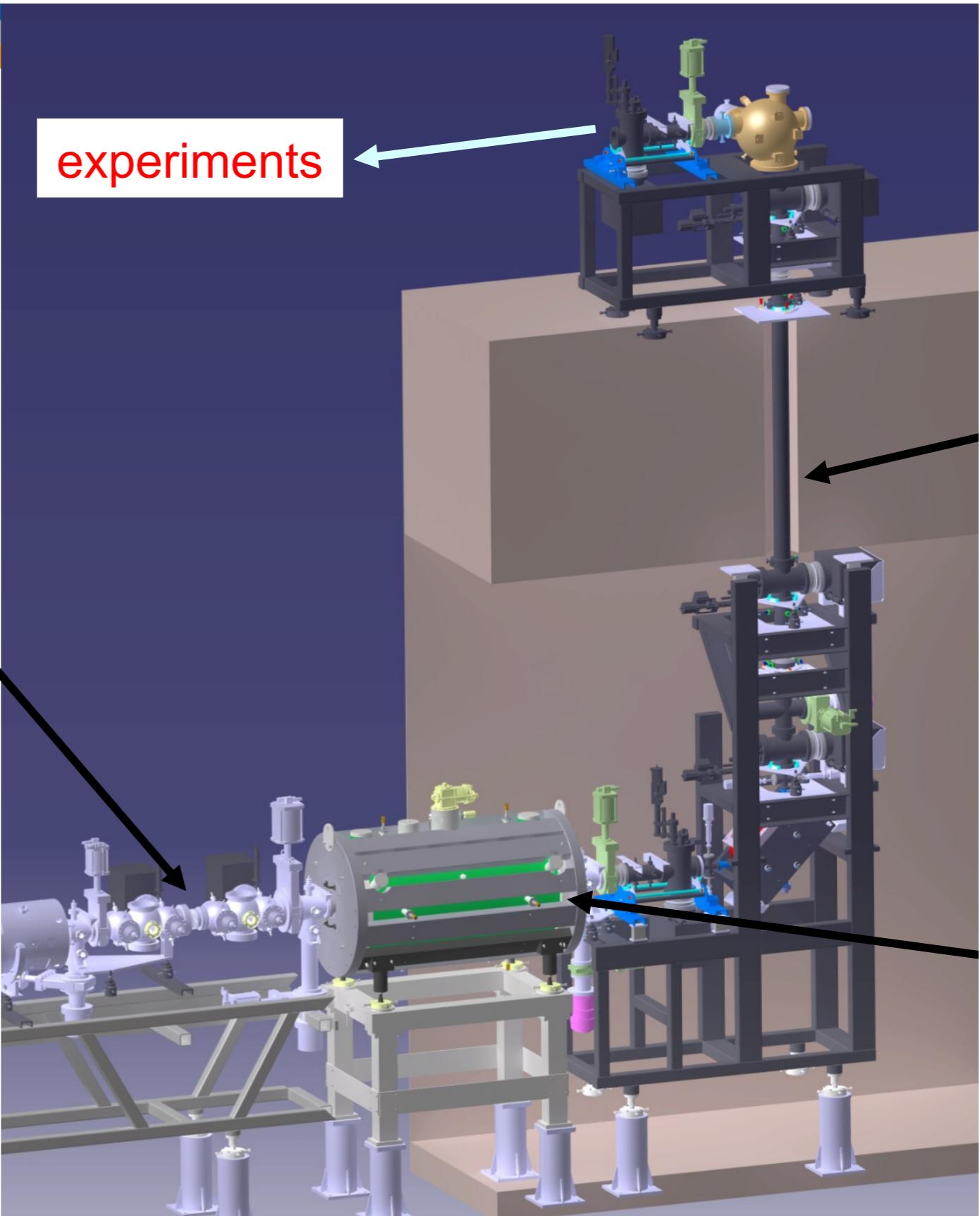
TDR in progress  
see talk by O. Karamyshev



CSR@MPI-K Heidelberg; USR: C.Welsch Cockcroft Institute

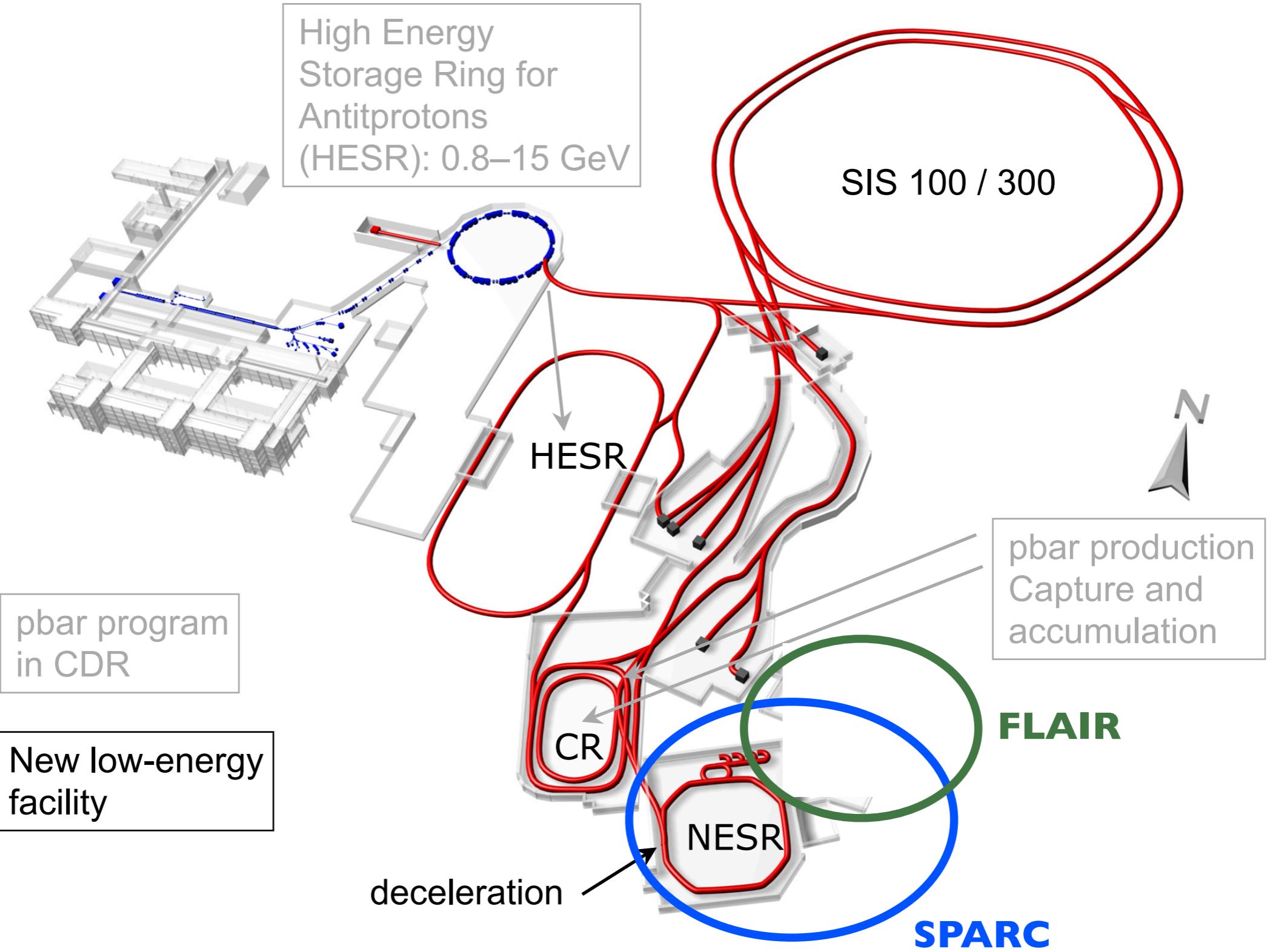
# HITRAP

- LINAC + RFQD + Penning trap for HCl and pbar
- extraction of eV beams
- precision mass measurements, reaction microscopes for collision studies, etc.
- **being commissioned for ESR@GSI**





# Antiprotons at FAIR



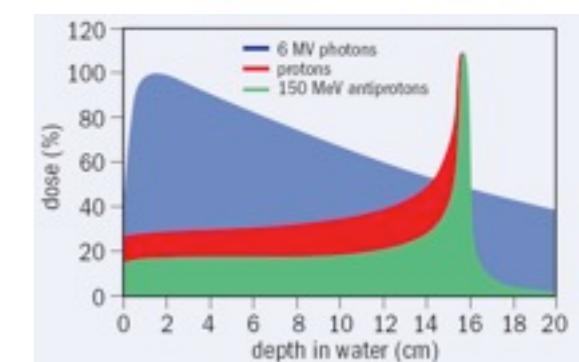
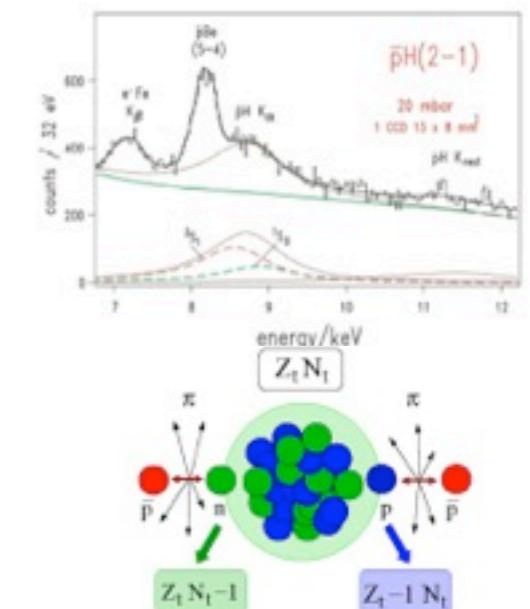
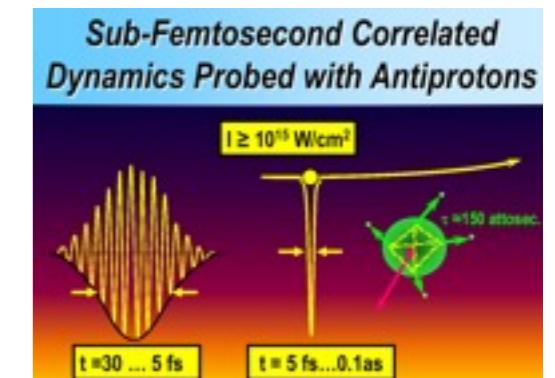
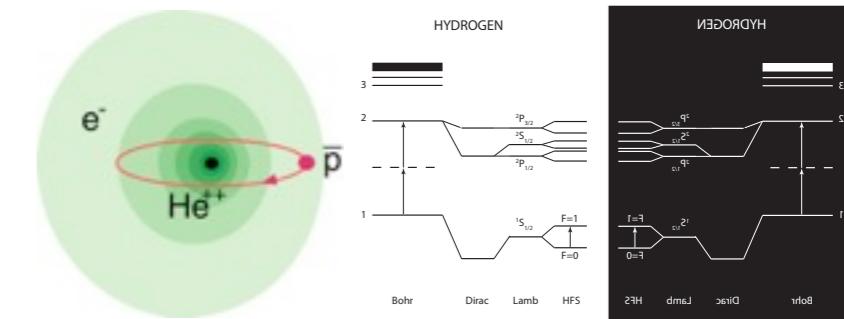
# Next-generation Low-energy Antiproton Facility

Feature	Solution
Higher intensity	Accumulation scheme
Fast and slow extraction	Coincidence experiments (nuclear physics)
Cooled beams down to $< 500 \text{ keV}$	Storage rings
Availability of pbar and RI	FAIR



# Low Energy Antiproton Physics @ FLAIR

- Spectroscopy for tests of CPT and QED
  - Antiprotonic atoms ( $\bar{p}$ -He,  $\bar{p}$ -p), antihydrogen
- Atomic collisions
  - Sub-femtosecond correlated dynamics: ionization, energy loss, antimatter-matter collisions
- Antiprotons as hadronic probes
  - X-rays of light antiprotonic atoms: low-energy QCD
  - X-rays of neutron-rich nuclei: nuclear structure (halo)
  - Antineutron interaction
  - Strangeness –2 production
- Medical applications: tumor therapy

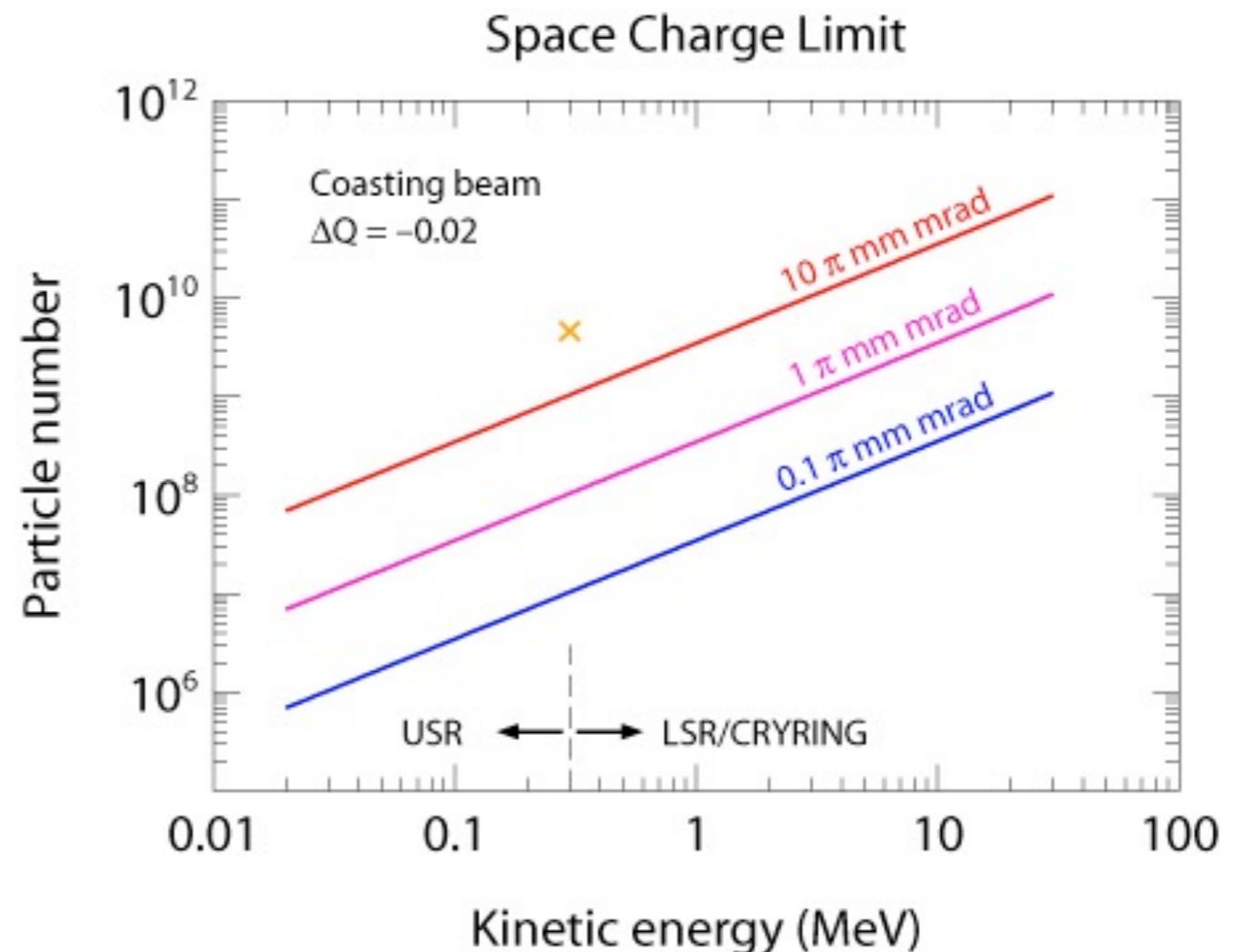


FLAIR TDR - E.Widmann CAMOP - Physica Scripta 72, C51-C56 (2005)



# FLAIR: Expected Antiproton Rates

- Production:  $10^8 / 4 \text{ s}$
- Deceleration time
  - $\sim 20 \text{ s}$
- Limits from space charge in rings:
  - 300 keV:  $3 \times 10^6 / \text{s}$
  - 20 keV:  $5 \times 10^5 / \text{s}$
  - for  $10 \pi \text{ mm mrad}$
  - HITRAP:  
0 keV:  $1 \times 10^6 / \text{s}$
- In-ring experiments
  - Effective rates:  $10^{10} - 10^{12} / \text{s}$
- Phase space density much higher than AD
  - AD production rate  $5 \times 10^7 / 100 \text{ s}$



New estimates & test results  
H. Danared, TP p. 159

**Assumptions: 10% of accumulated  $\bar{p}$**

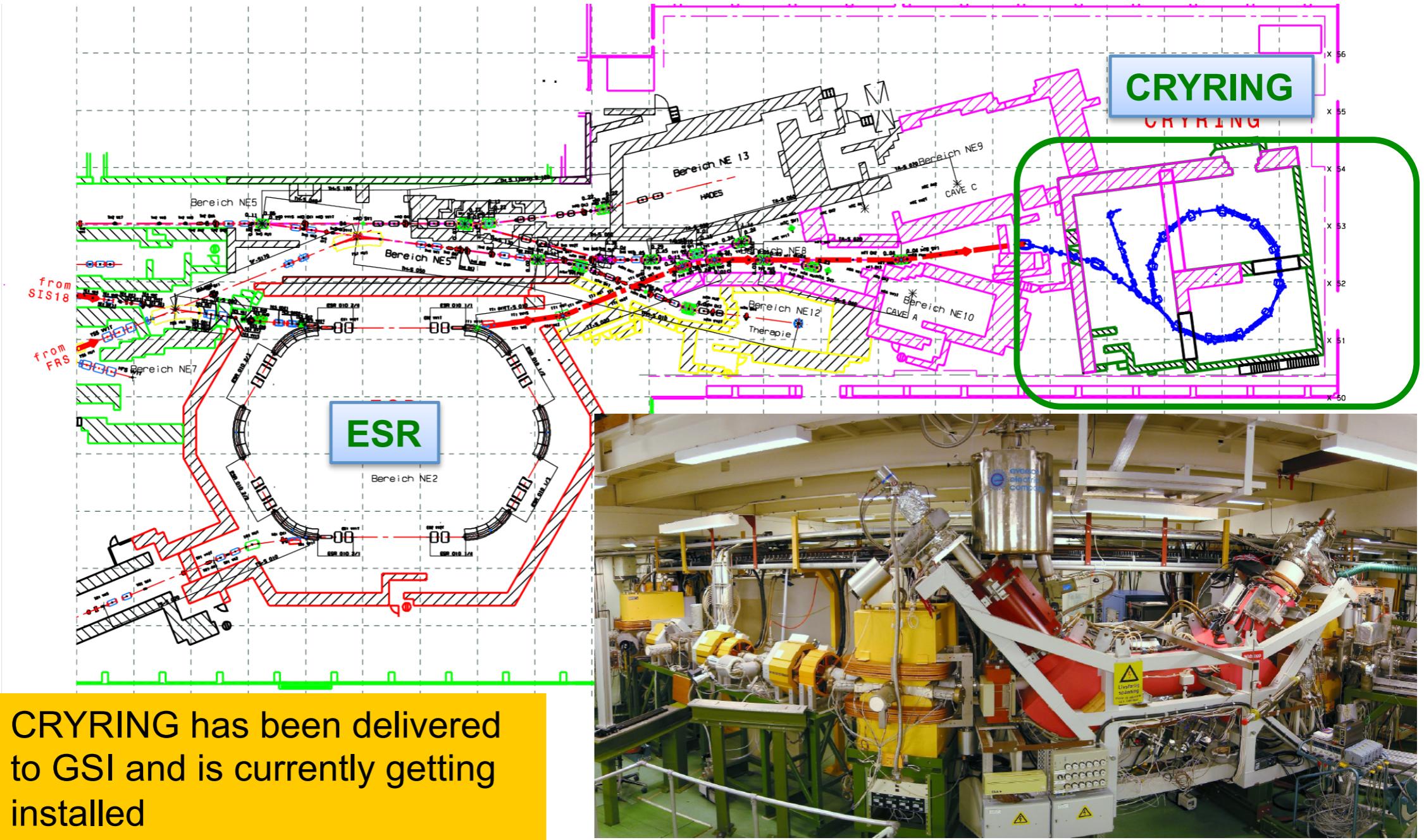
# Modularized start version of FAIR

- Modularized start version 0-3
  - founded Oct. 2010
  - construction started
- FLAIR: Module 4 with NESR, SFRS-LEB
  - additional funding of ~100 M€ needed
    - *in 2005 prizes*
- Storage rings are a core feature of FAIR



Modules 0 to 3 of FAIR. Module 0: green; module 1: red; module 2: yellow; module 3: orange.

# New idea: CRYRING@ESR: phase I of FLAIR



# CRYRING arriving at GSI



# Physics case with HCI

## CRYRING@ESR: A study group report

Darmstadt, July 26, 2012

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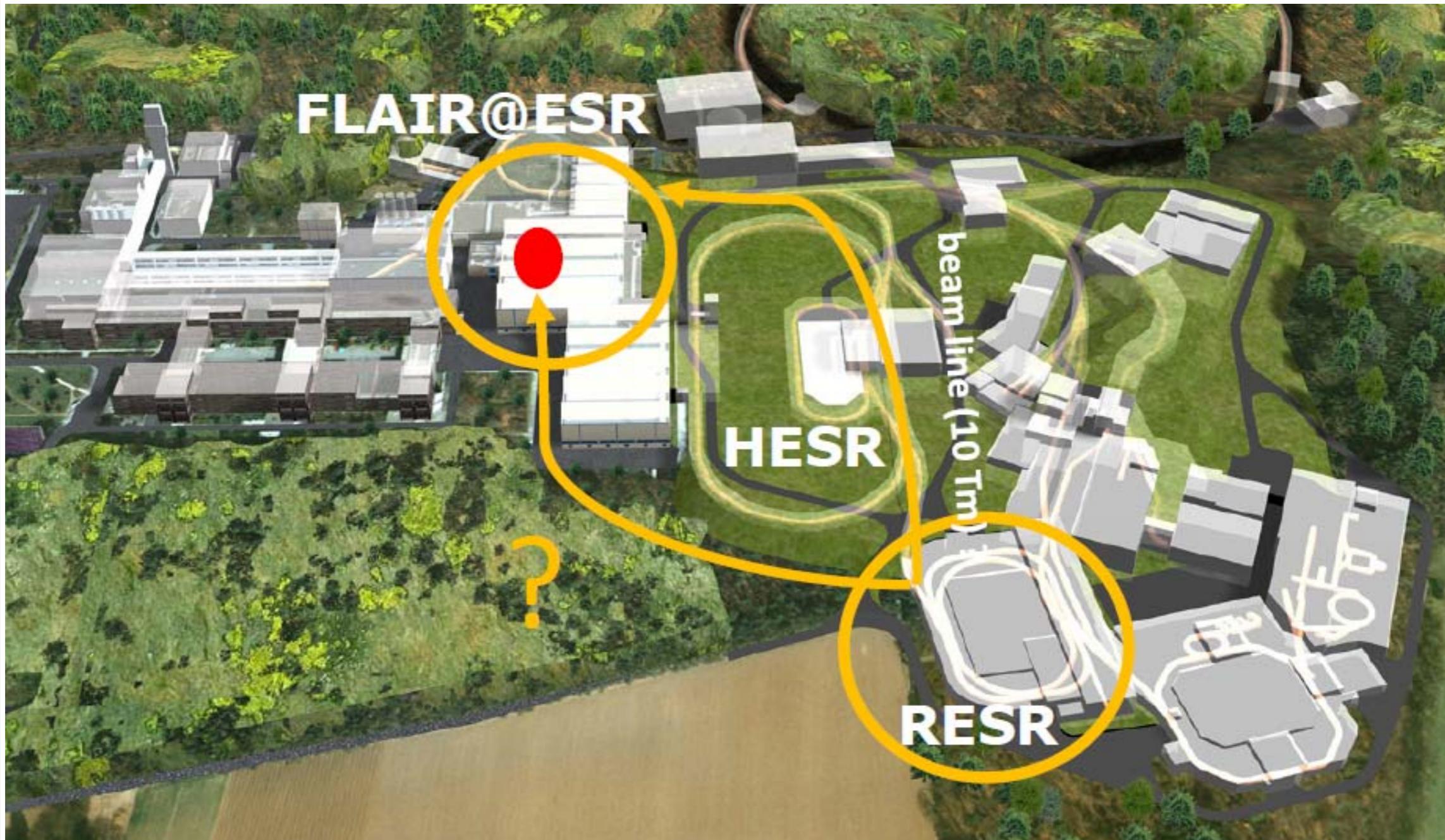
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# Vision: antiprotons from CR/RESR?

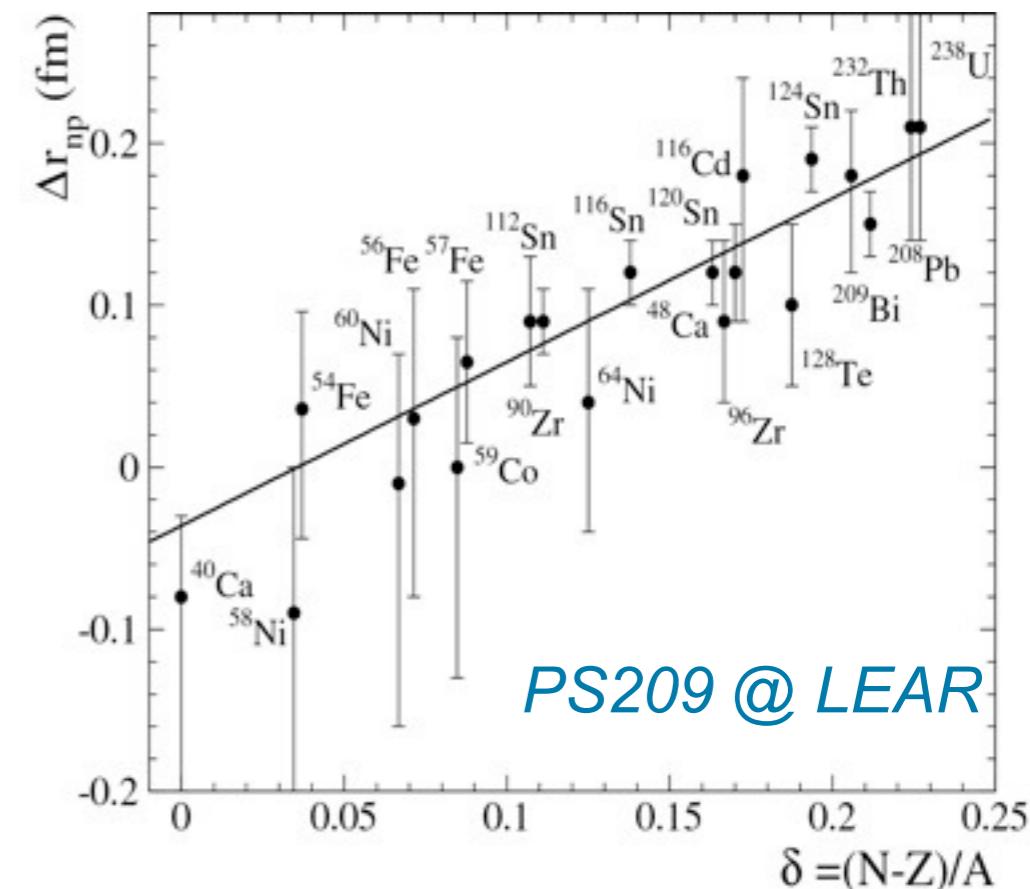
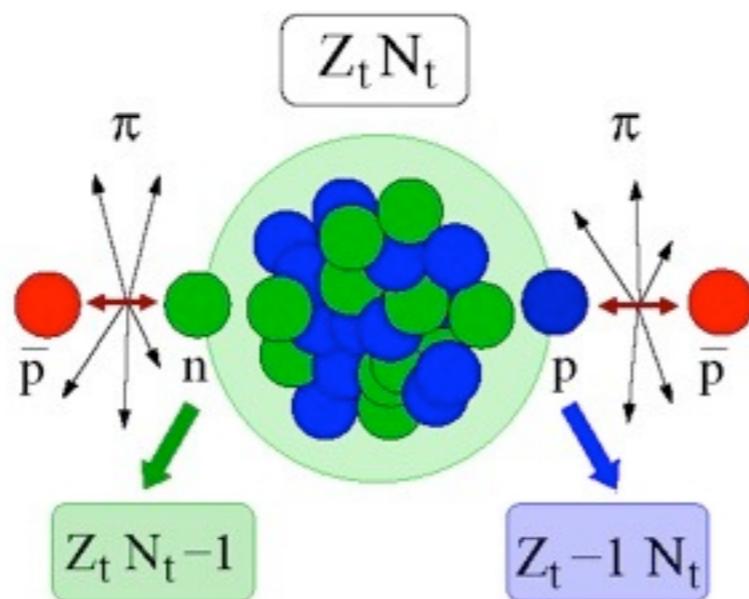


- Current ESR experimental hall could be used for full FLAIR program
  - without accumulation rates are similar to ELENA



# Nuclear Periphery with antiprotonic Atoms

determination of the **halo factor** ( $f_{halo}$ )



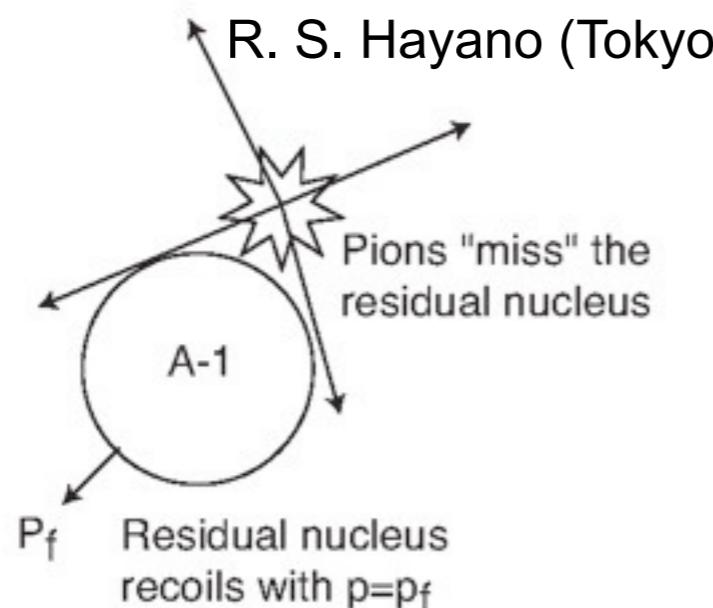
- Exotic atom formation -> cascade ->
  - Annihilation with outermost nucleons ( $\langle r \rangle + 2 \text{ fm}$ )
- Measurement of neutron halo parameters
  - Radiochemical method, X-rays + model calculations
- Neutron diffuseness increases with neutron excess
- Extension to unstable nuclei interesting

A. Trzcinska,  
J. Jastrzebski et al.  
PRL 87 (082501)  
2001

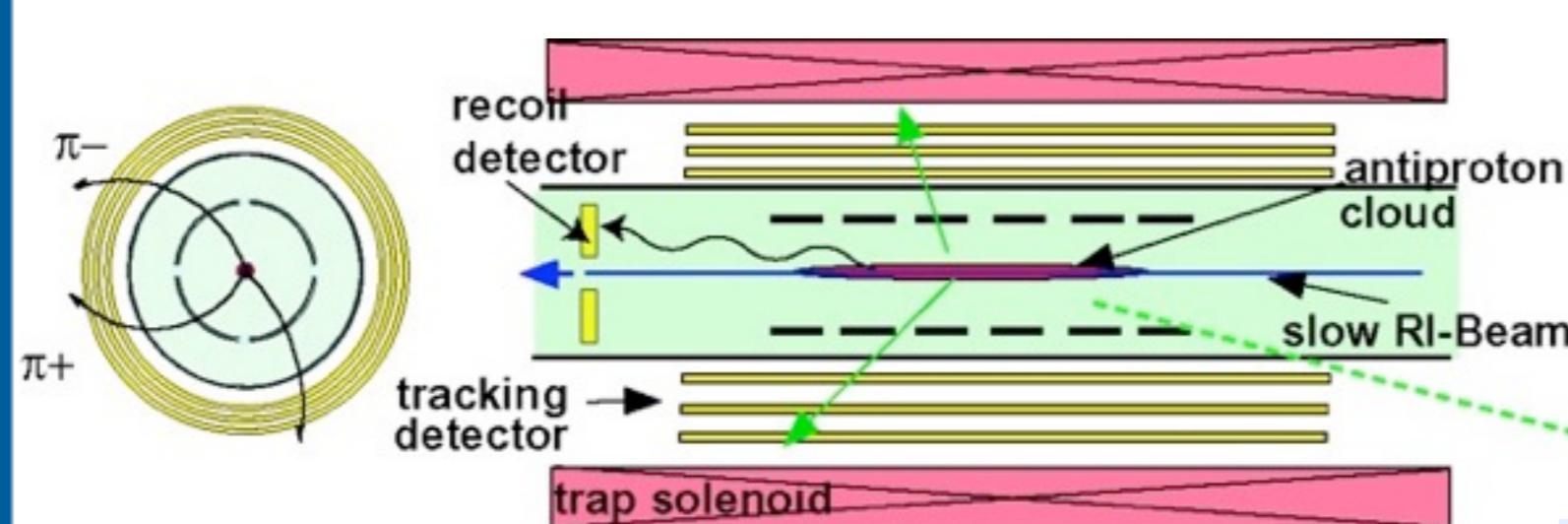


# pbar-RI in Traps for Nuclear Structure Study

- pbar annihilates with outer-most nucleon at  $\langle r \rangle + 2 \text{ fm}$

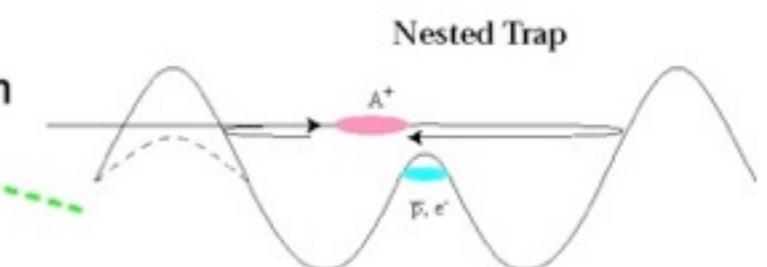


- Momentum distribution of recoil nuclei
  - Wave function of outer-most nucleon
- Charged pion multiplicity
  - Distinguish annihilation on p and n
- Halo factors
- Less model dependent than X-rays
- Antiprotons from FLAIR
- RI from LEB-SFRS gas catcher



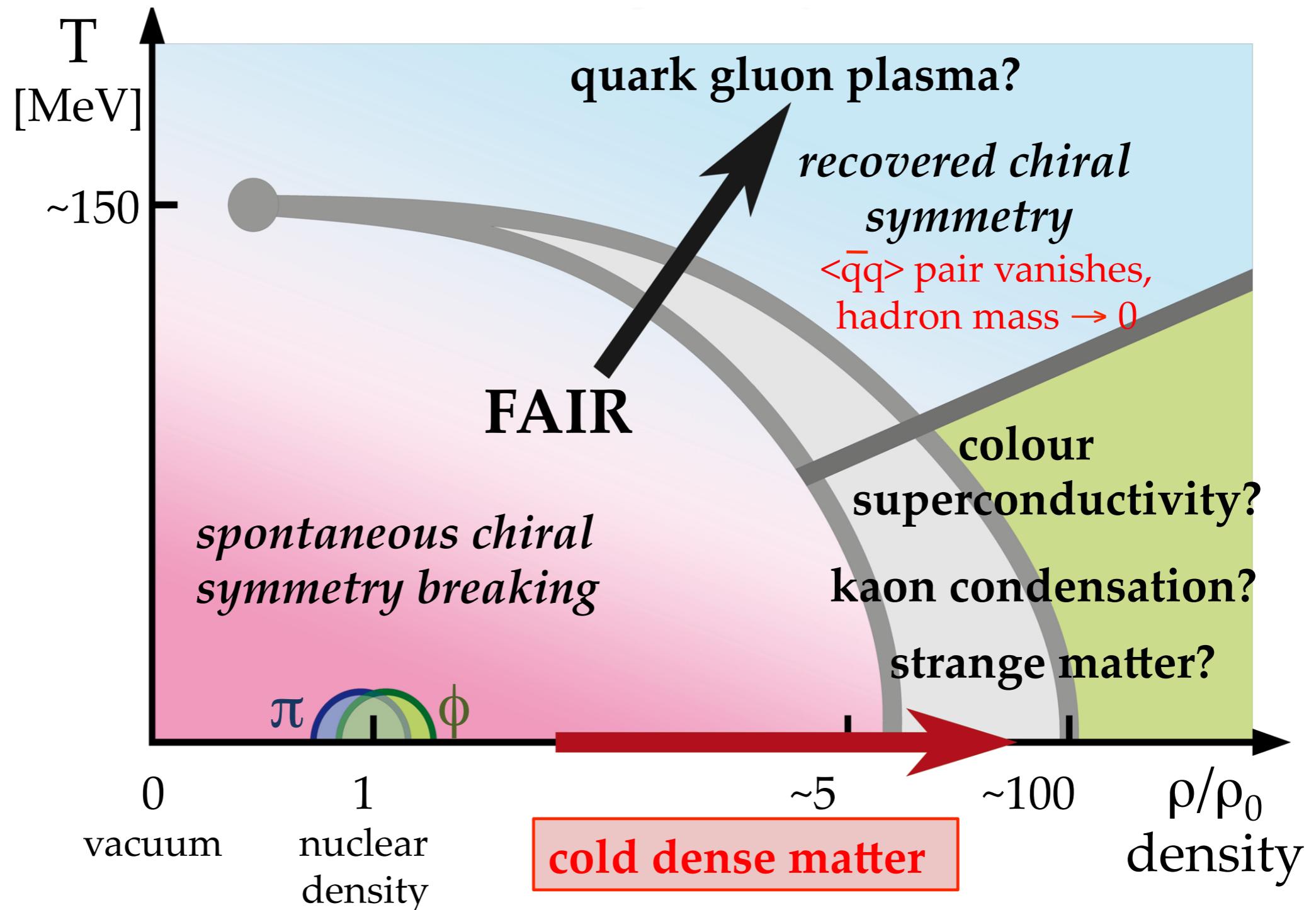
M. Wada, Y. Yamazaki (Tokyo)  
NIM B214 (2004) 196

*Nested Penning trap*



Exo+pbar

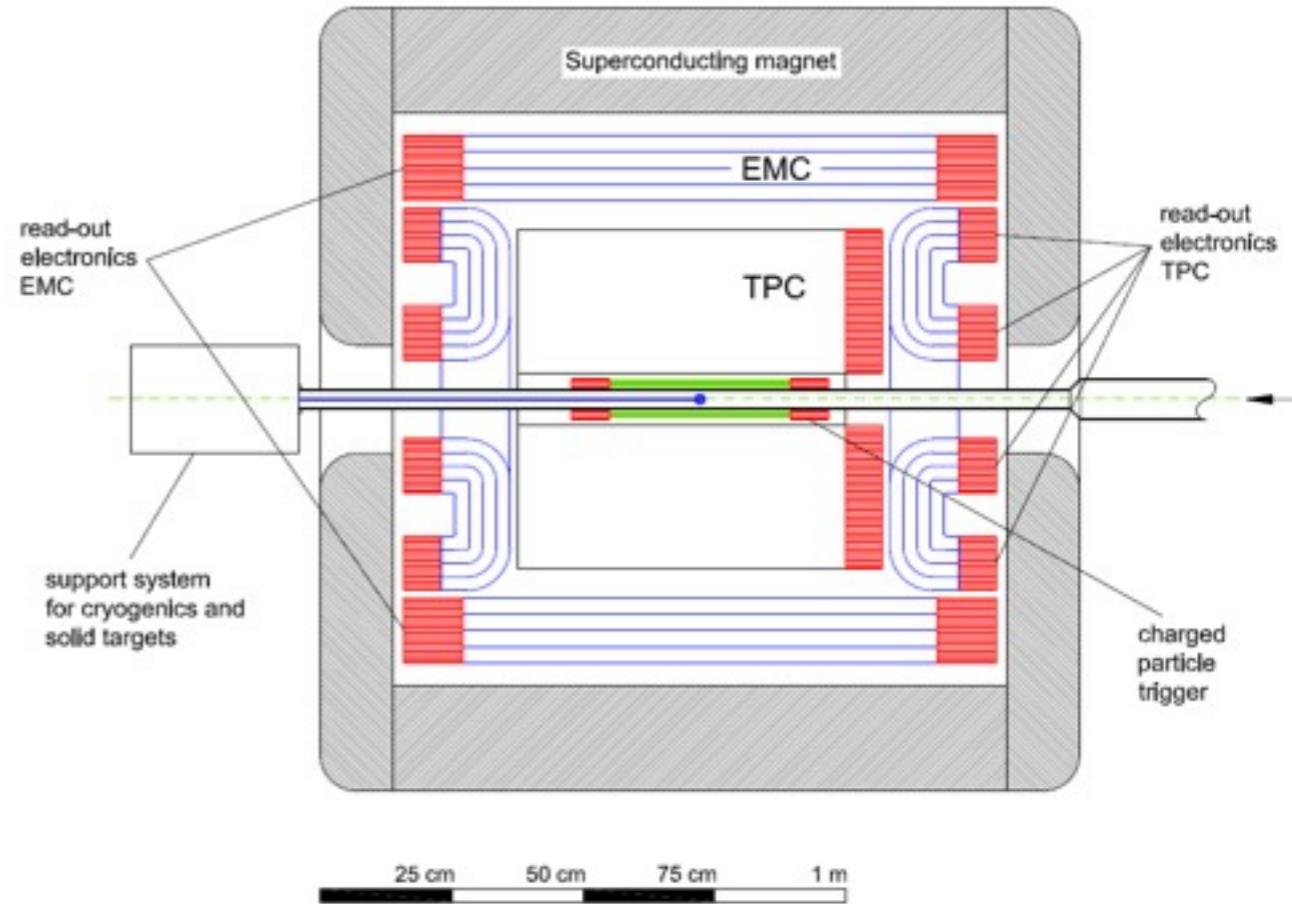
# Search for strange baryonic matter



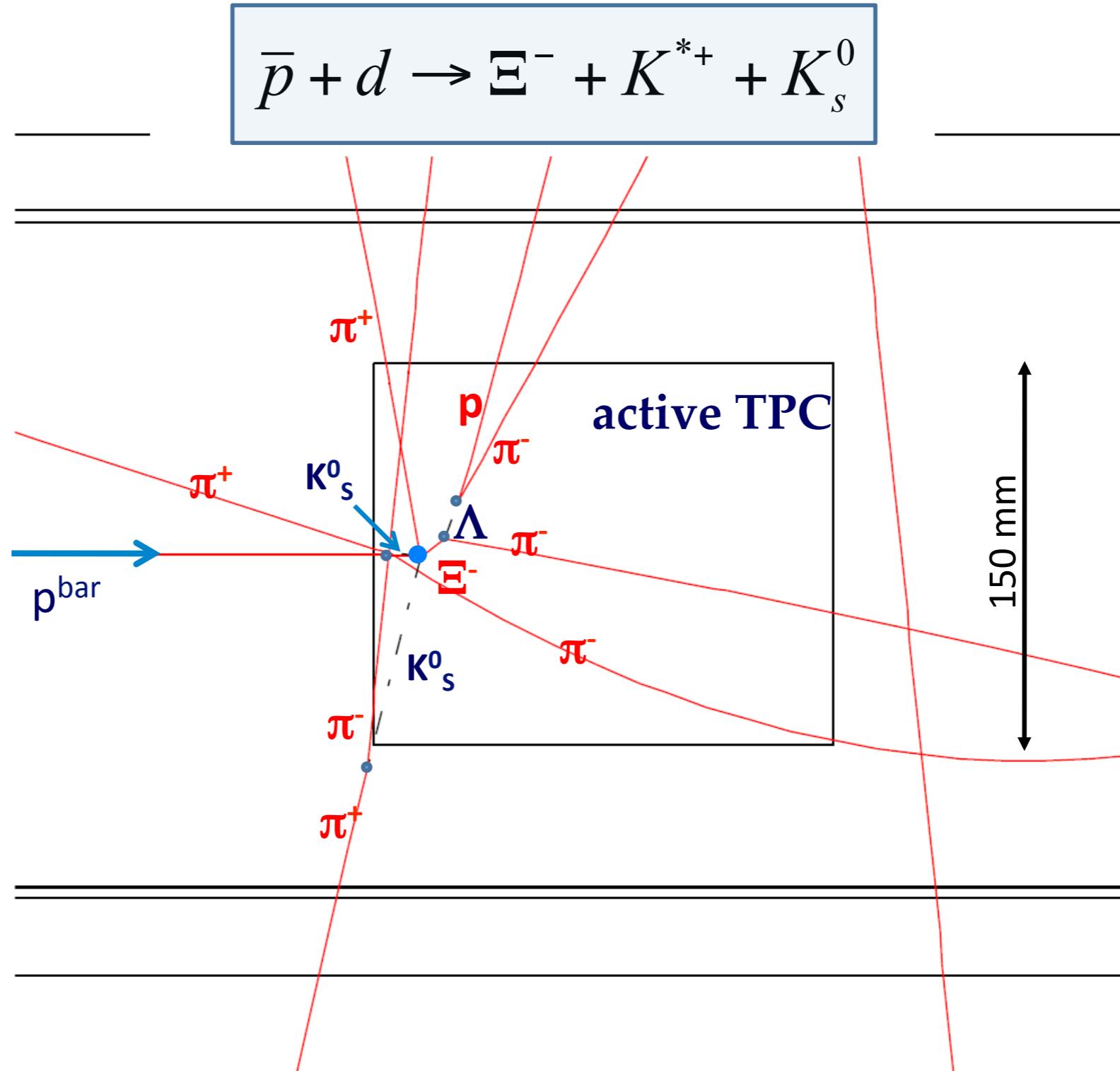
# CDM: Cold, dense hadronic matter by antiproton annihilation in nuclei at rest

- Strong attraction in antikaon-nucleon interaction below threshold
  - Bound states of single and double kaons exist?
- Large cross section for production of 2 K<sup>+</sup> in proton-antiproton annihilation at LEAR
- re-measurement with stopped antiprotons
- 4π detector needed
  - also useful for meson spectroscopy with stopped antiprotons

J. Zmeskal et al. Hyperfine Interact 194, 249-254 (2009)



# New ideas: active TPC



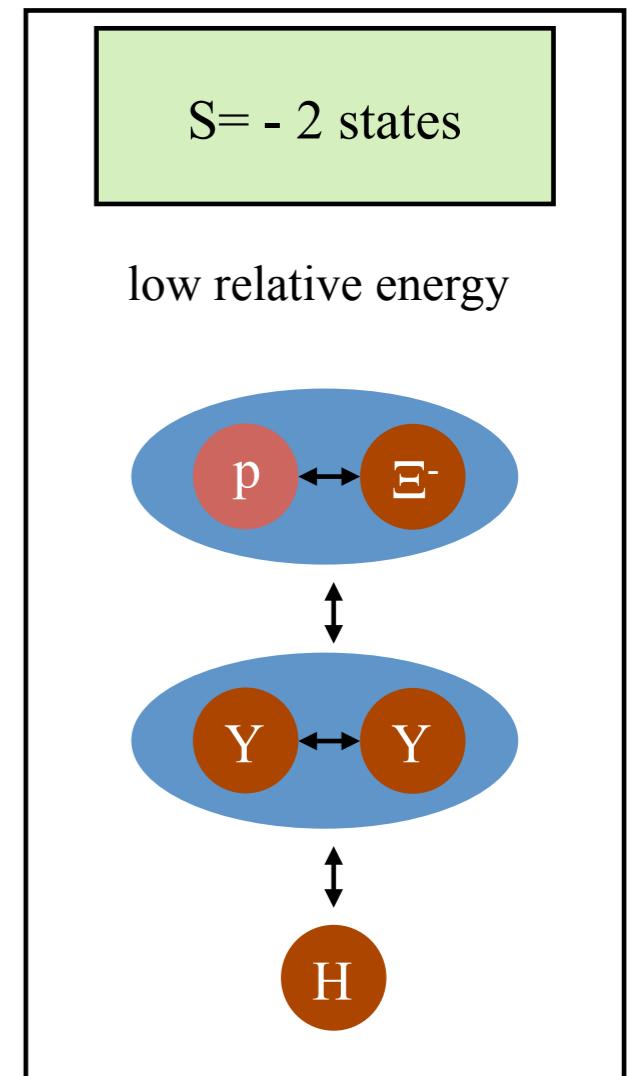
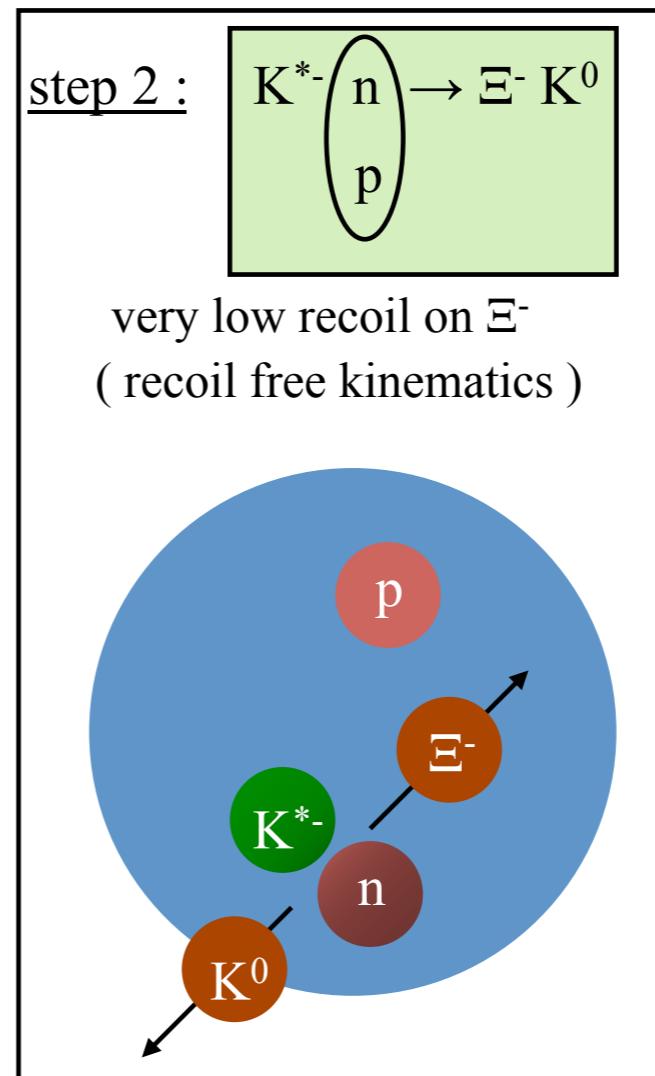
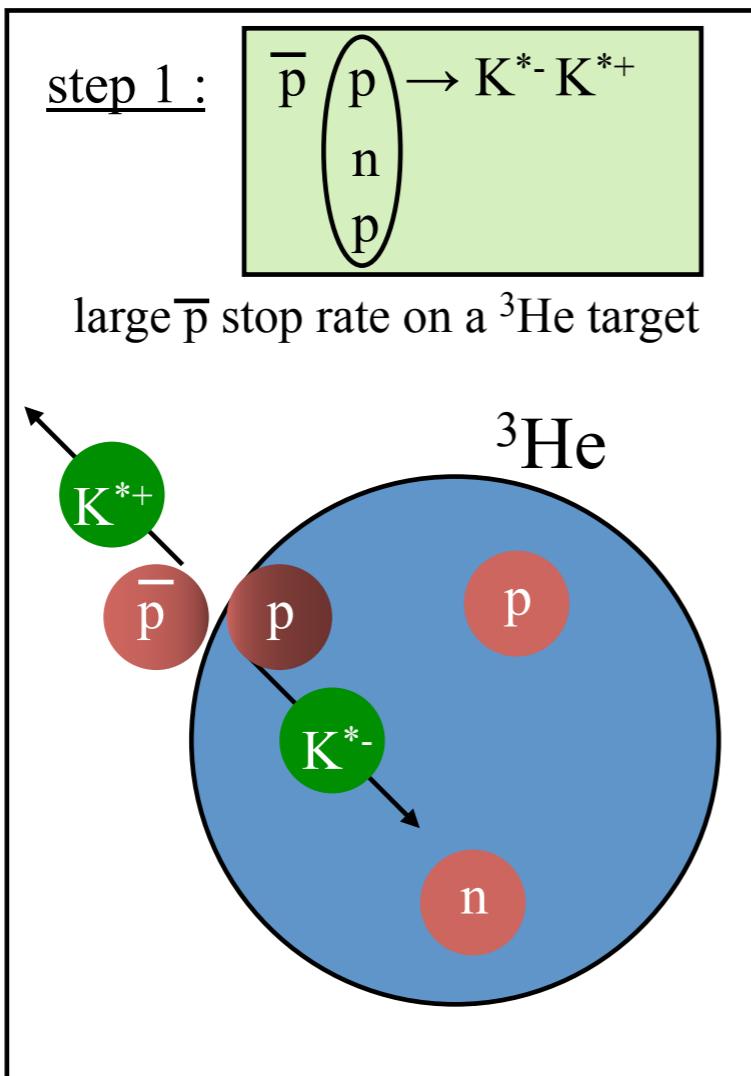
# Production of S=-2 baryonic states

via  $(\bar{K}^*, K)$  using stopped  $p^{\bar{p}}$

e.g. :

K. Kilian, W. Oelert, D. Grzonka  
Forschungszentrum Jülich

FLAIR proposal





# Summary and Outlook

- Low energy antiprotons offer exciting possibilities for a variety of fields
  - Fundamental symmetries, nuclear & atomic physics
- CERN-AD and ELENA: Antihydrogen
  - essential for continuation of current program
  - getting crowded
- FLAIR: offers further opportunities
  - continuous  $\bar{p}$  beams already in phase I
    - nuclear and particle physics type experiments (not possible at AD)
  - Availability of radioactive ion beams (RIB) offers new synergies
    - requires close location to LEB branch of SFRS
  - Cooled antiprotons down to 20 keV (with USR)
  - higher rates (phase 2, with NESR)
- Major components of FLAIR are ready or will be soon
  - CRYRING can play a major role in future experiments with (continuous) beams of slow antiprotons

# FLAIR Community

- Austria (SMI Vienna, TU)
- Canada (TRIUMF, York)
- Denmark (Aarhus U)
- France (P. & M. Curie, Paris)
- Germany (Berlin, GSI, Frankfurt, LMU München, Giessen, MPI Heidelberg, U Heidelberg, Jülich, U Mainz)
- Hungary (Budapest, Debrecen U, ATOMKI)
- India (Kolkata)
- Italy (Brescia, Firenze, Genova)
- Japan (Tokyo, Saitama (RIKEN))
- Netherlands (Amsterdam U)
- Poland (Warsaw U, Soltan Inst., Cracow)
- Russia (Moscow, St. Petersburg, Troitsk)
- Sweden (Stockholm U, Manne Siegbahn Laboratory, Uppsala, ESS Lund)
- United Kingdom (Belfast, London, Liverpool, Swansea)
- USA (Albuquerque, Harvard, Texas A&M, Tallahassee, Rolla)

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2012 -> K. Blaum (MPI-K HD)

BTR 2005: 49 institutions, 144 scientists, 15 countries,  
needs redefinition: currently 45 institutions, 93 scientists. 15 countries

