

A wireframe model of the GSI Helmholtz Centre for Heavy Ion Research is superimposed on a vibrant, multi-colored nebula. The facility's complex structure, including various circular and rectangular buildings and connecting paths, is rendered in a light, glowing white. The background is a rich cosmic scene with a dense field of stars in shades of blue, red, and white, and swirling clouds of gas in purple, orange, and blue. A large, glowing ring structure, likely representing the FAIR accelerator, encircles the central text area.

Welcome to GSI
NUSTAR Week 2/2024

9.10.2024

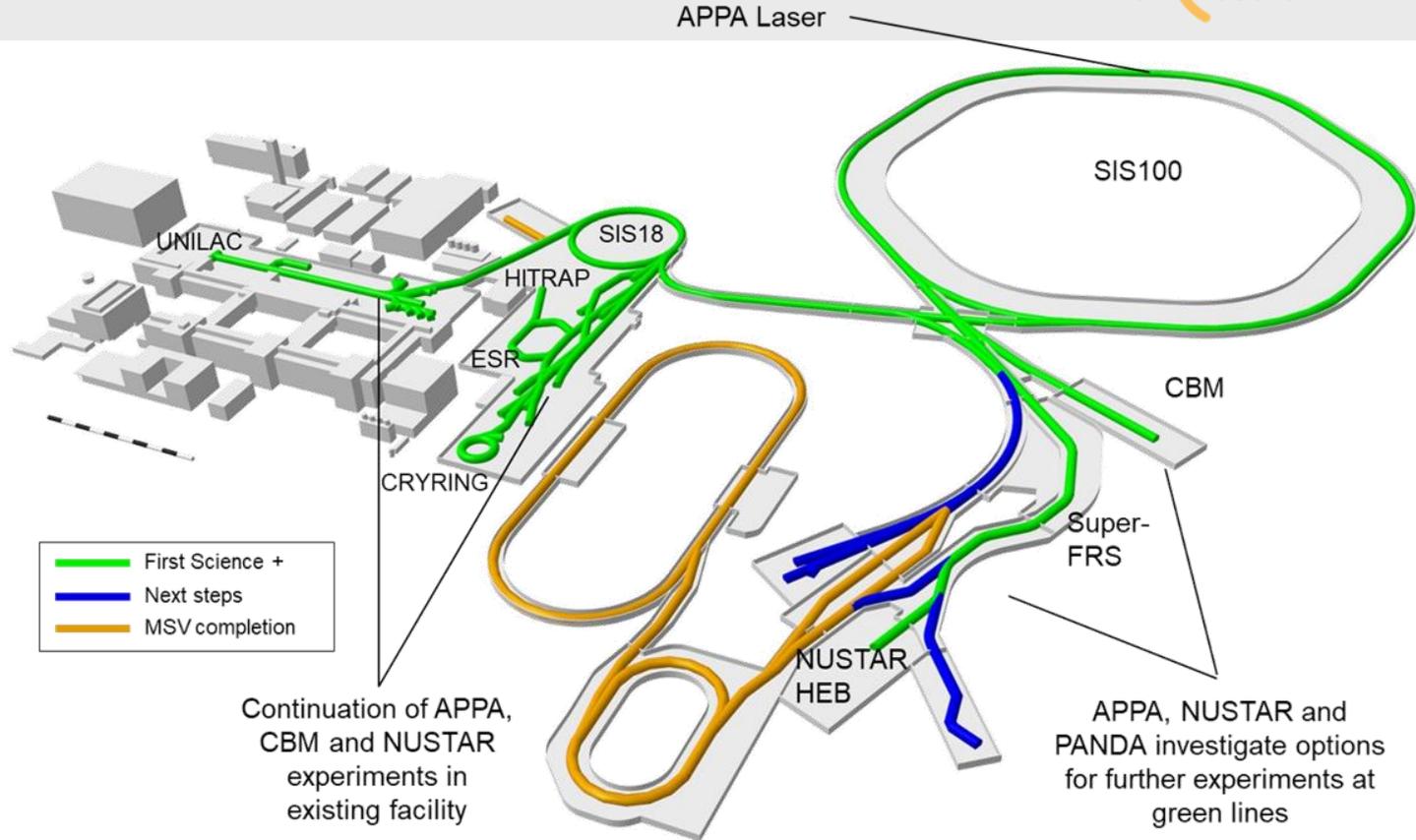
Y. Leifels

FAIR – Civil construction



Q3/2024

Continue with the „FAIR2028“ vision in mind



Beam time 2024

- Achieved in 2024
 - Accelerator installation started in January 2024
 - TBI installation works in builds are progressing
 - Contributions from France & Sweden secured realization of FS/FS+
 - Decision on commissioning budget for the years 2024 & 2025

- Beam time 2024 completed successfully

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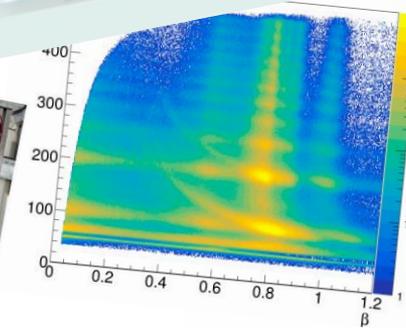
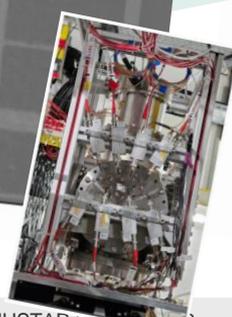
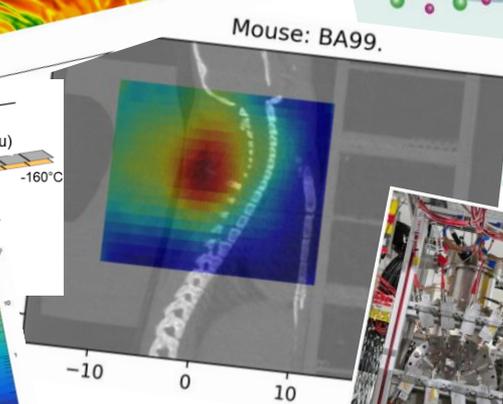
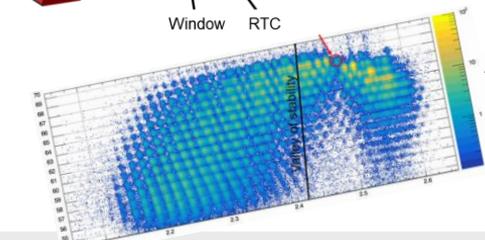
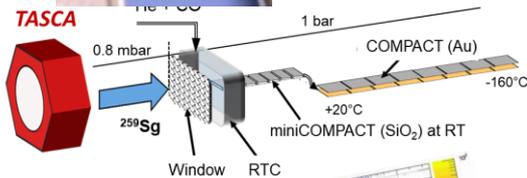
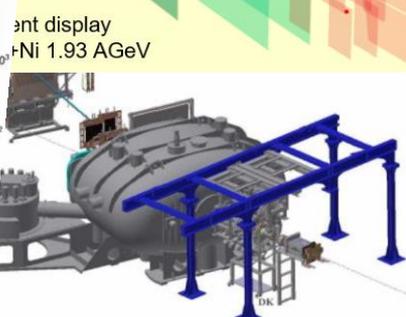
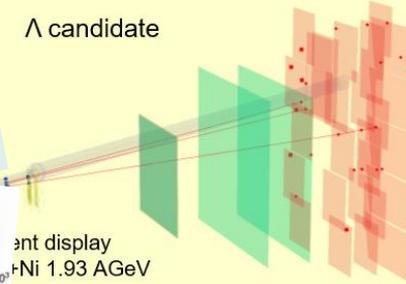
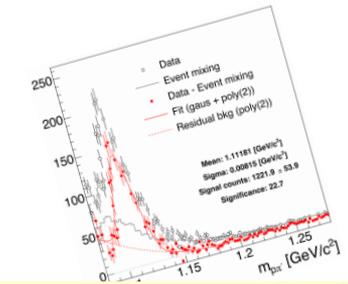
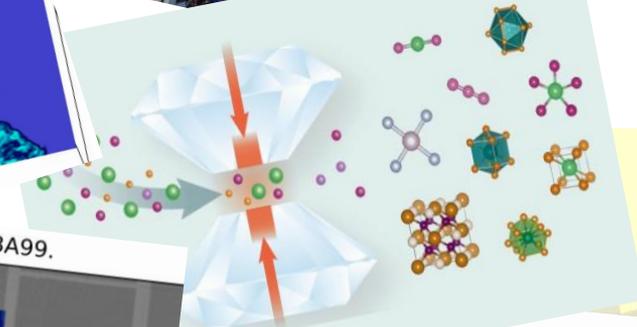
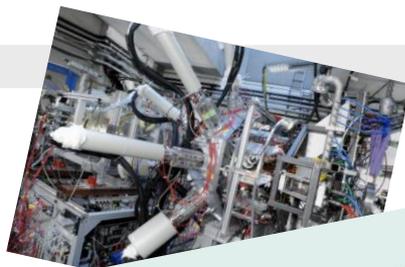
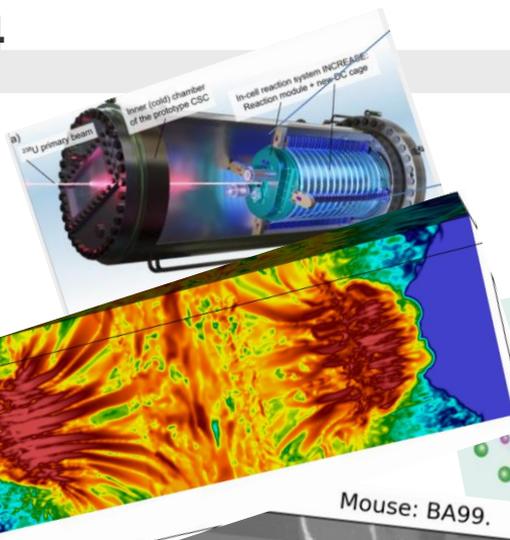
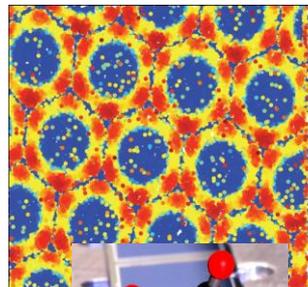
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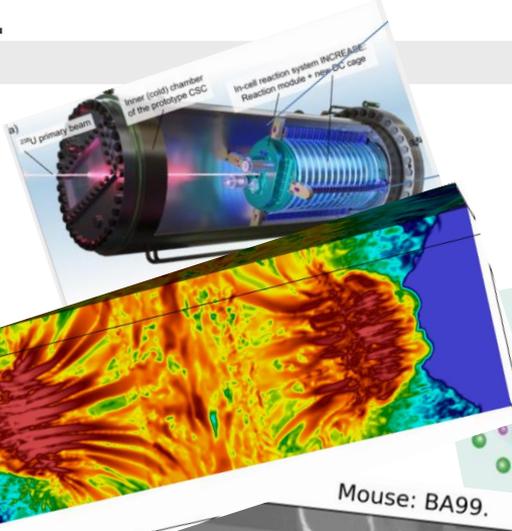
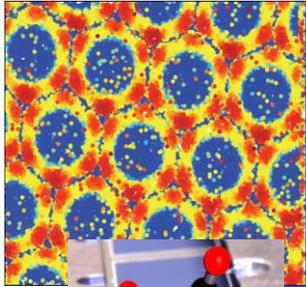
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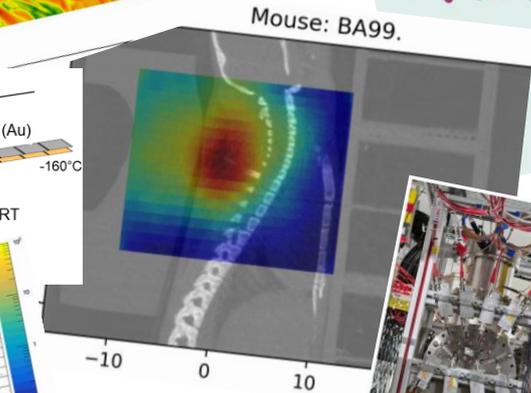
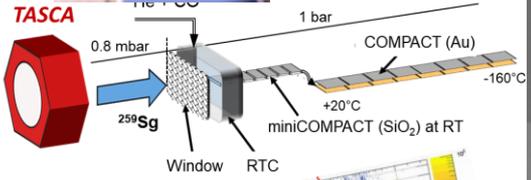
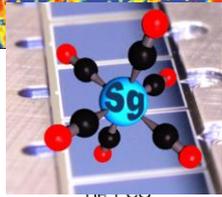
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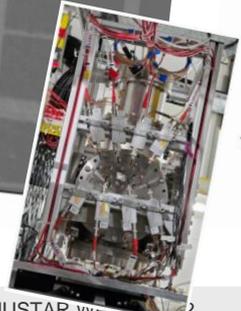
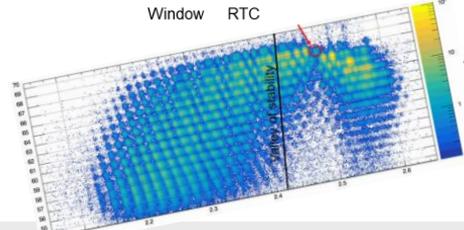
Beamtime 2024



High intensity chromium-52 beam (UNILAC) and newly developed erbium-170 beam (SIS18) enable a multitude of experiments for NUSTAR



Measures for spill smoothing during slow extraction resulted in doubled event rates

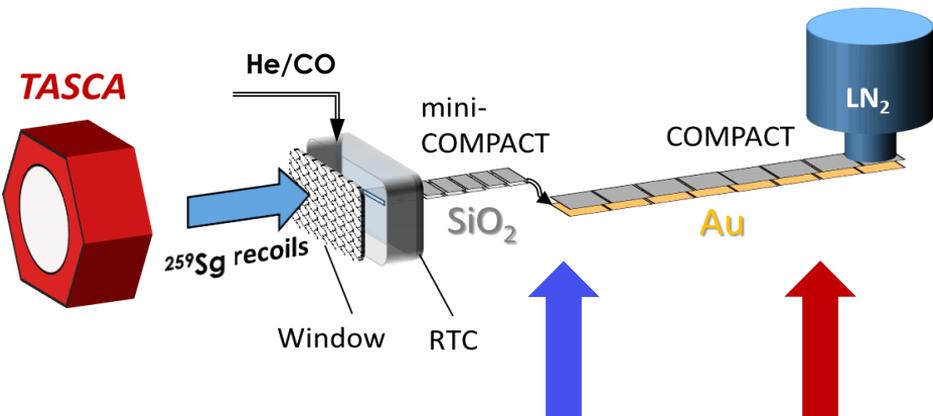


$^{106}\text{Sg}(\text{CO})_6$ – Reaction kinetics and stability of a superheavy molecule

Nuclear production of Sg: $^{208}\text{Pb}(^{52}\text{Cr},n)^{259}\text{Sg}$ with superb Cr beam \rightarrow 60+ Sg events

Chemical conversion: $\text{Sg} + 6 \text{CO} \rightarrow \text{Sg}(\text{CO})_6 \text{ (g)}$

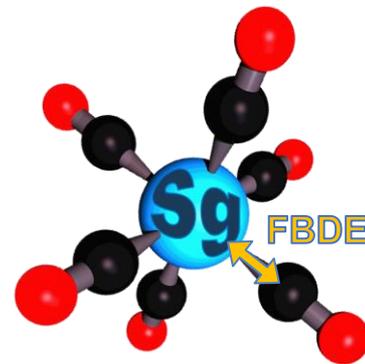
Determining chemical conversion yield $\text{Sg} \rightarrow \text{Sg}(\text{CO})_6$



Non-volatile Sg adsorbs in miniCOMPACT

$\text{Sg}(\text{CO})_6$ is volatile and reaches COMPACT

Ratio of Sg chains \rightarrow reaction equilibrium constant



	$\text{M}(\text{CO})_6$	$\text{M}(\text{CO})_5$	$\text{M}(\text{CO})_4$			
	$\downarrow \text{M}_2(\text{CO})_{10}$	$\downarrow \text{M}_2(\text{CO})_8$				
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Yb	Mo	Tc	Ru	Rh	Pd	Ag
73	74	75	76	77	78	79
Ga	W	Re	Os	Ir	Pt	Au
05	106	107	108	109	110	111
Yb	Sg	Bh	Hs	Mt	Ds	Rf

Comparison of Sg with W Re measured as well \rightarrow Ready for Bh

Equilibrium constant yields first bond dissociation energy (FBDE), i.e., stability of $\text{Sg}(\text{CO})_6$
First-time measurement of bond strength in a SHE-molecule!

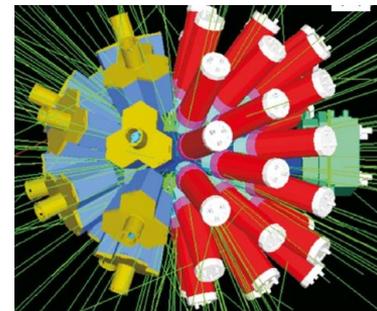
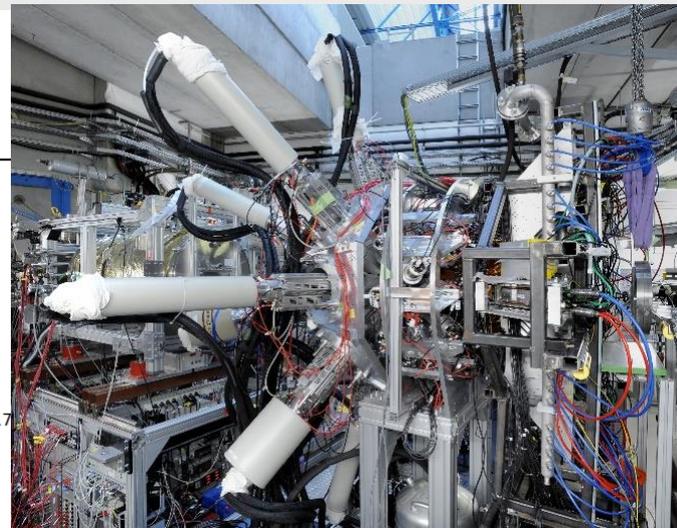
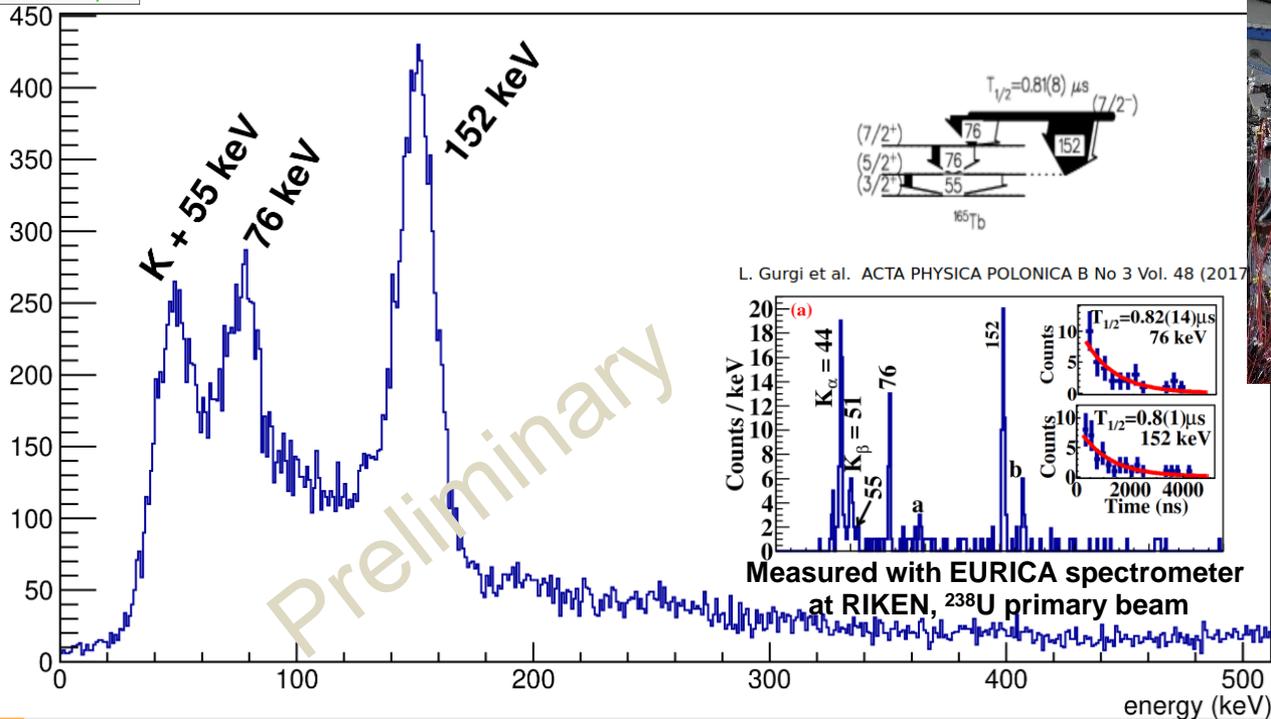
UNILAC proposal G-22-00034 (Spokesperson A. Yakushev)

Preliminary data from S100 FAIR Phase-0

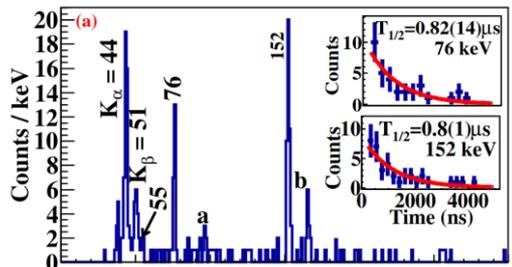
Fragmentation of $\sim 1\text{ GeV/u}$ ^{170}Er beam, H. Albers et al.



FATIMA energies, ^{165}Tb , 300 ns after implantation, 3000 ns collection window



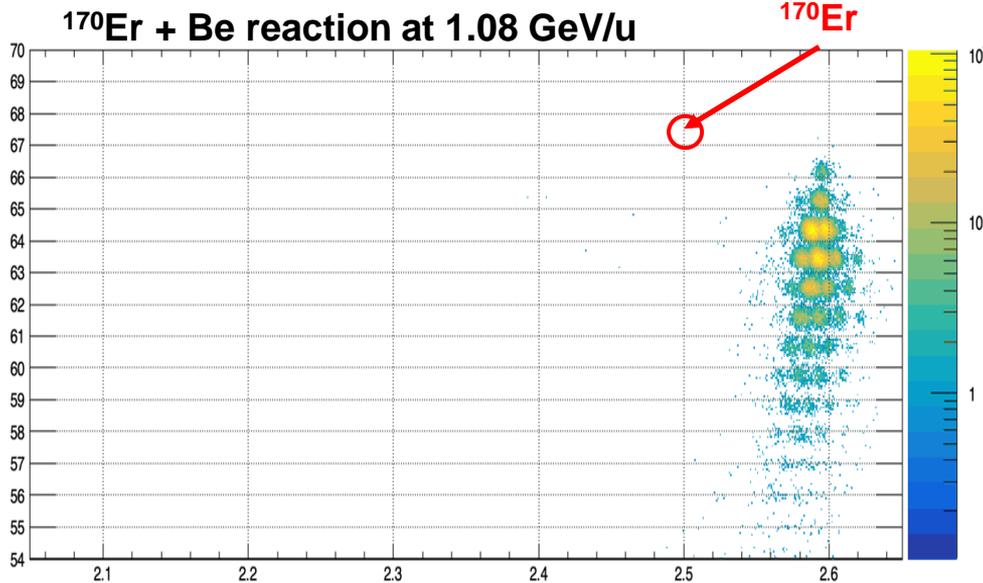
L. Gurgi et al. ACTA PHYSICA POLONICA B No 3 Vol. 48 (2017)



Measured with EURICA spectrometer at RIKEN, ^{238}U primary beam

Measurement of fragmentation cross section of newly developed ^{170}Er beam

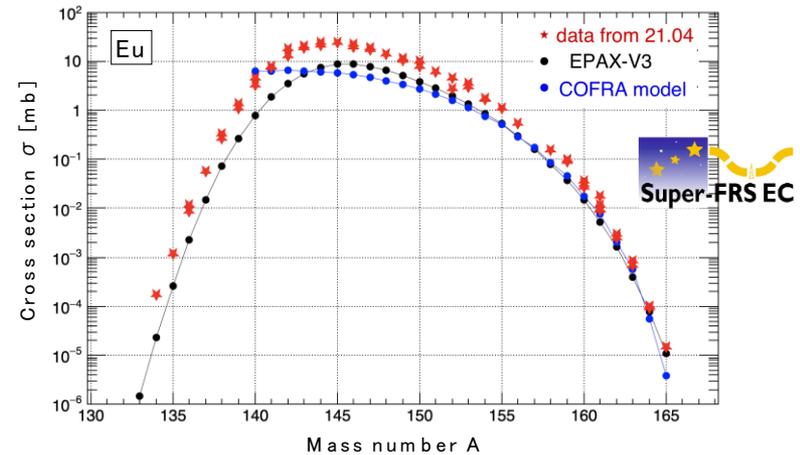
*Very preliminary
Online analysis (data of first night)*



- excellent particle separation and identification
- wide range of cross section data is important basis for future NUSTAR experiments

Measurement of fragmentation cross sections with newly developed Er beam

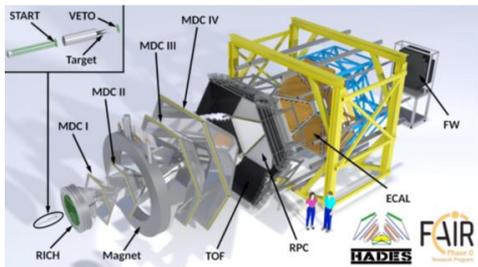
Production cross section of Eu isotopes with $^{170}\text{Er} + \text{Be}$ reaction at 1.08 GeV/u



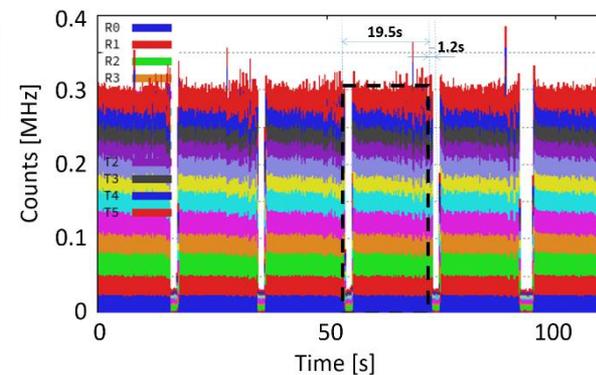
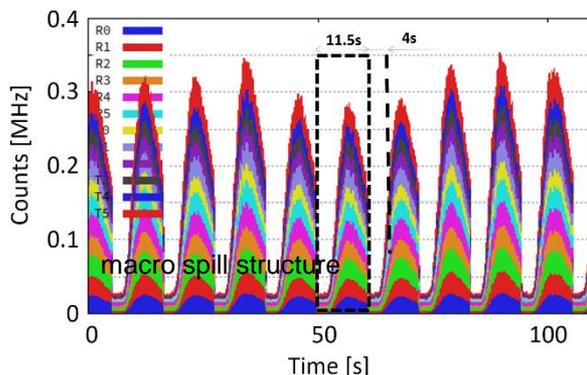
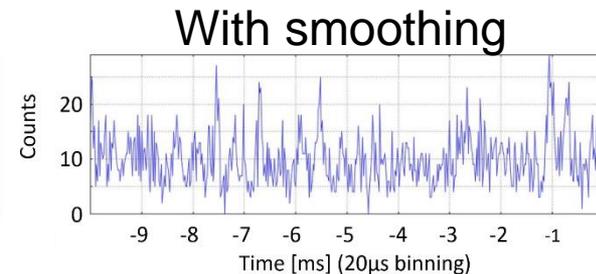
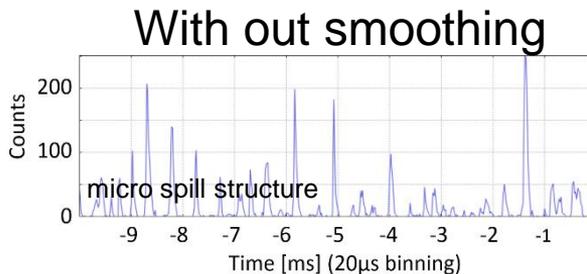
General trend follows EPAX model, but the measured cross sections tend to be larger by a factor $\sim 2 - 10$ in the neutron deficient side

➔ **Reliable rate and yield estimates for the first experiments at Super-FRS**

Spill smoothing at HADES



- For the first time, HADES was running Au beam extracted with Knock-out (KO) extraction, the new feedback system and smoothing cavity
- Super duty factor with effectively ~90 % beam on target time
- KO extraction with feedback improved substantially micro spill time structure
- Slow extraction with KO system enables data taking with ~twice larger speed



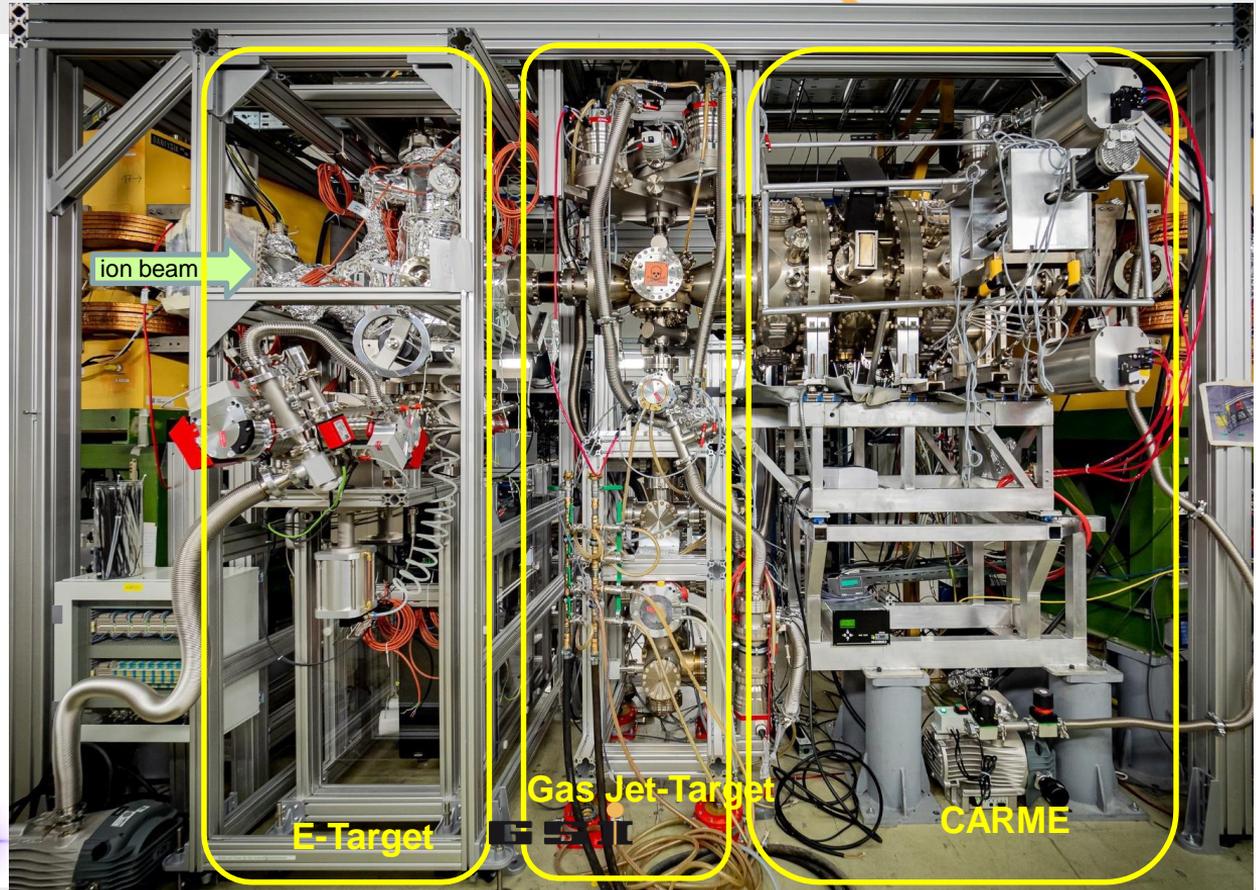
Factor 2 gain in event rate

Section YR09

Internal jet target: the hardware for the H₂- gas system was installed. The technical acceptance from TÜV expected for May but it must still be scheduled.

E-Target: final installation of additional hardware completed. Commissioning with beam scheduled for beginning of May.

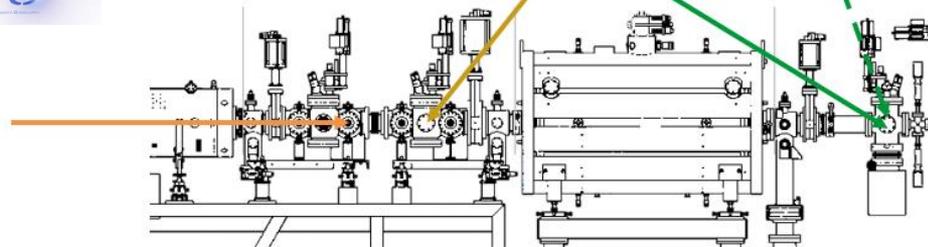
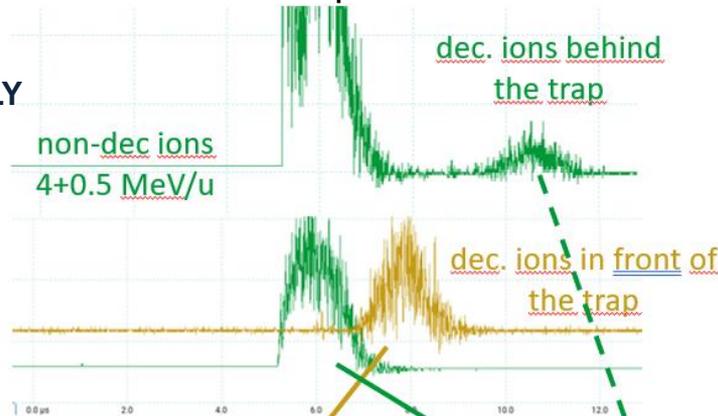
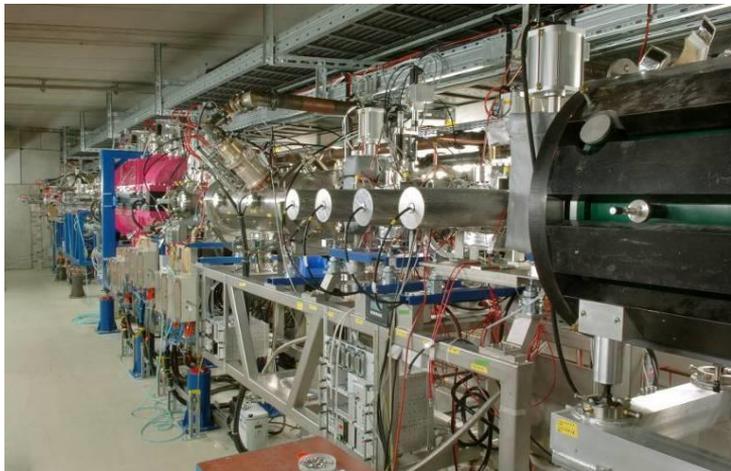
C. Brandau, A. Borovik, S. Schippers et al., GSI/JLU Gießen



HITRAP Commissioning; Ions captured (stopped), stored and extracted!

Beamtime 2024: 36 Ar^{18+} ions from the ESR: successful deceleration and transport

THE HITRAP FACILITY FOR DECELERATION AND TRAPPING OF HIGHLY CHARGED IONS AND ANTI-PROTONS



Ion deceleration

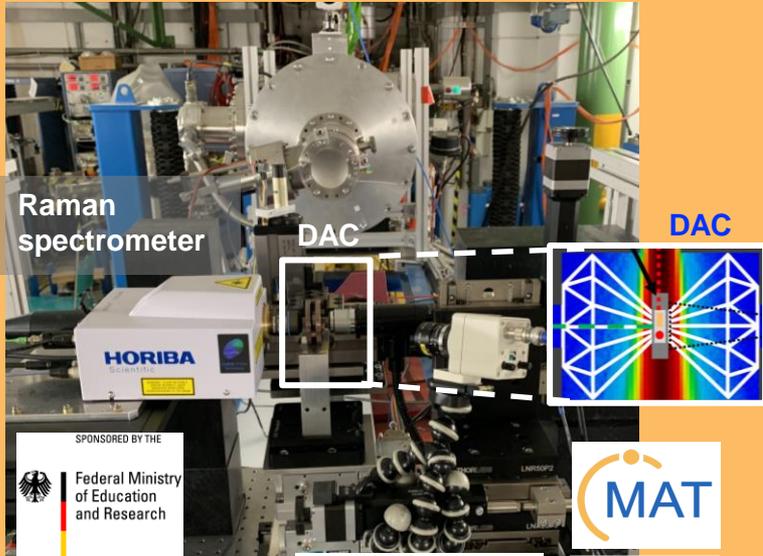
Ion transport

Penning trap
(capture+storage)

Frank Herfurth et al.

Beamtime June 2024: Successful experimental campaign at Cave A coordinated for 6 user groups

Diamond Anvil Cell (DAC)



Raman spectrometer

DAC

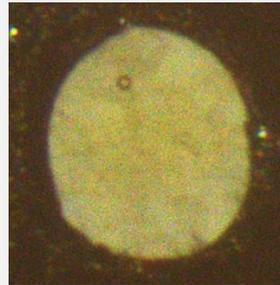
DAC



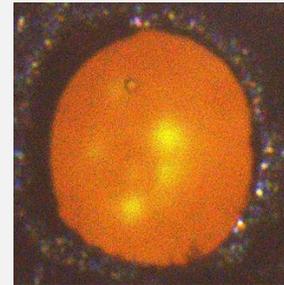
- New remote unified control system tested
- Successful irradiation of 18 DACs filled with benzene, CO, CO₂, Bi, Sb, nanomaterials,

Example: Benzene at 22.7 GPa

Before irradiation

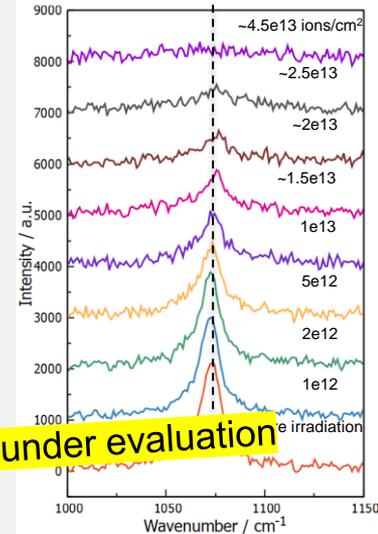


After irradiation

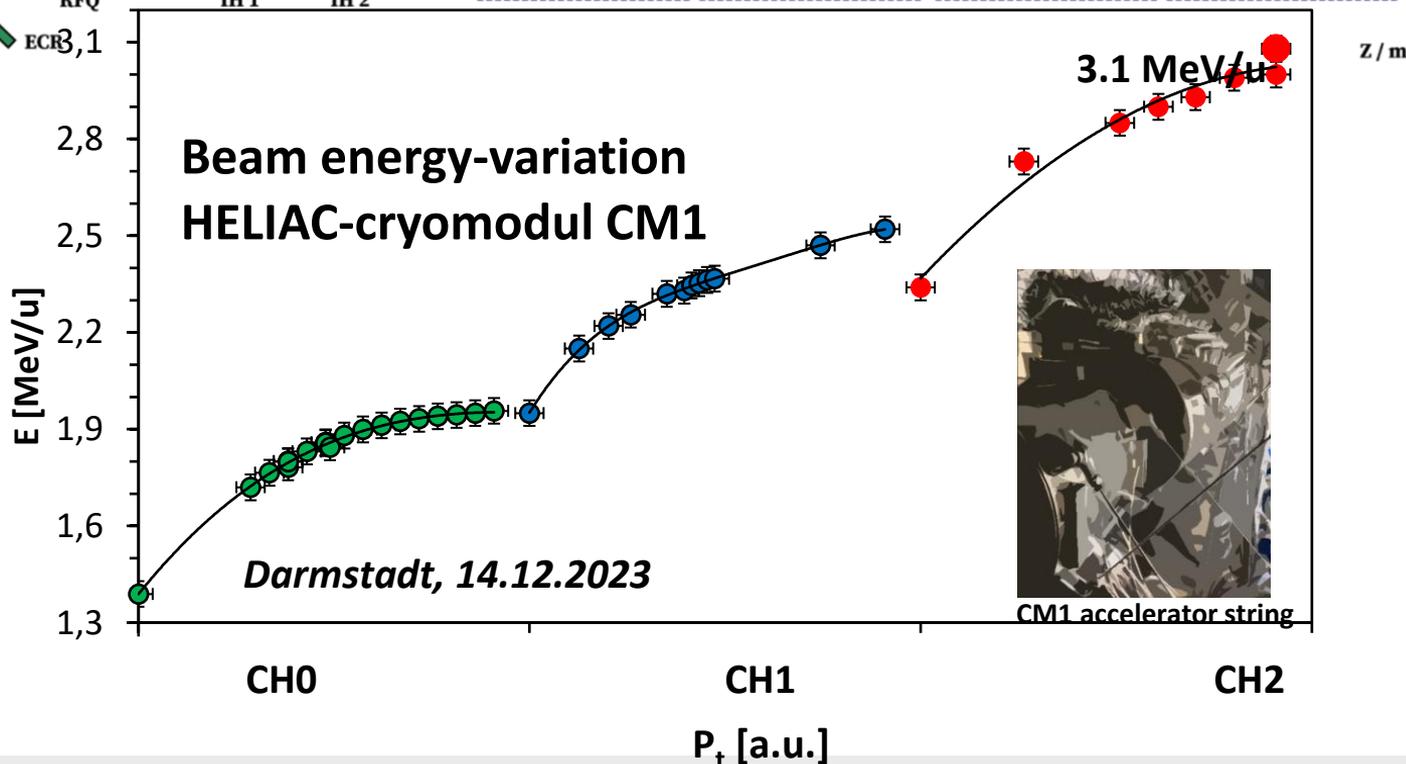
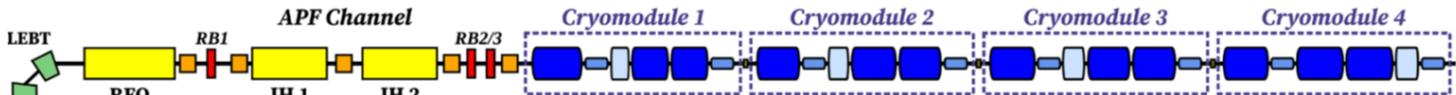


attributed to transformation
 $sp^2 \rightarrow sp^3$ carbon bonds

Raman spectra vs. ion fluence



Beam commissioning of HELIAC-cryomodule CM1



Calls for proposals 2024

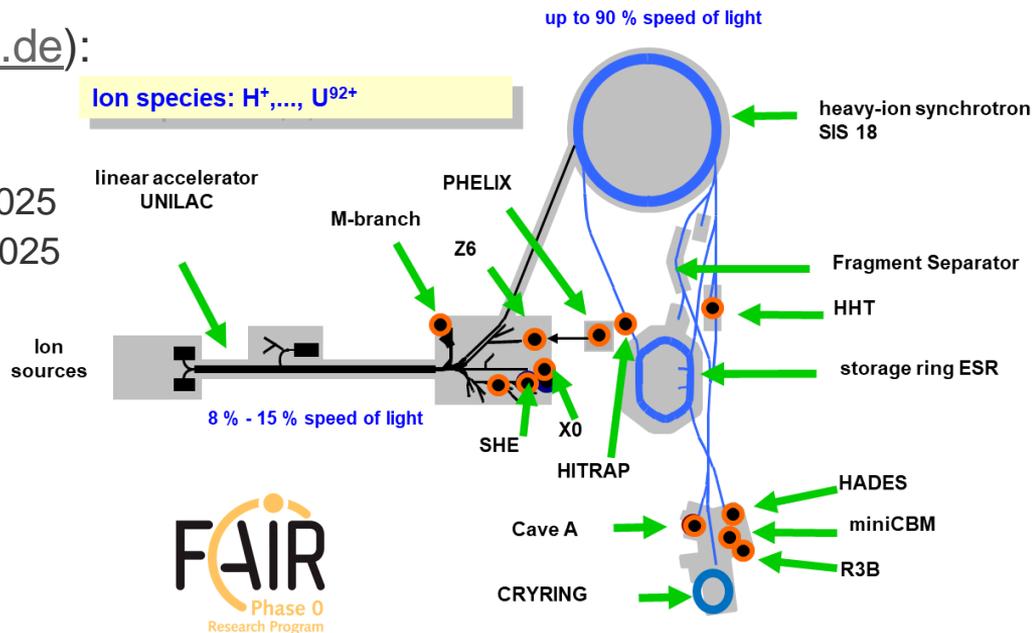
- For beamtime in 2026 and 2027
- Submission via GATE (<https://gate.gsi.de>):

- PPAC now – 26.11.2024
- **G-PAC now – 2.12.2024**
- Mat-PAC November – mid-January 2025
- Bio-PAC mid-January – mid-March 2025

- N° of shifts to be recommended

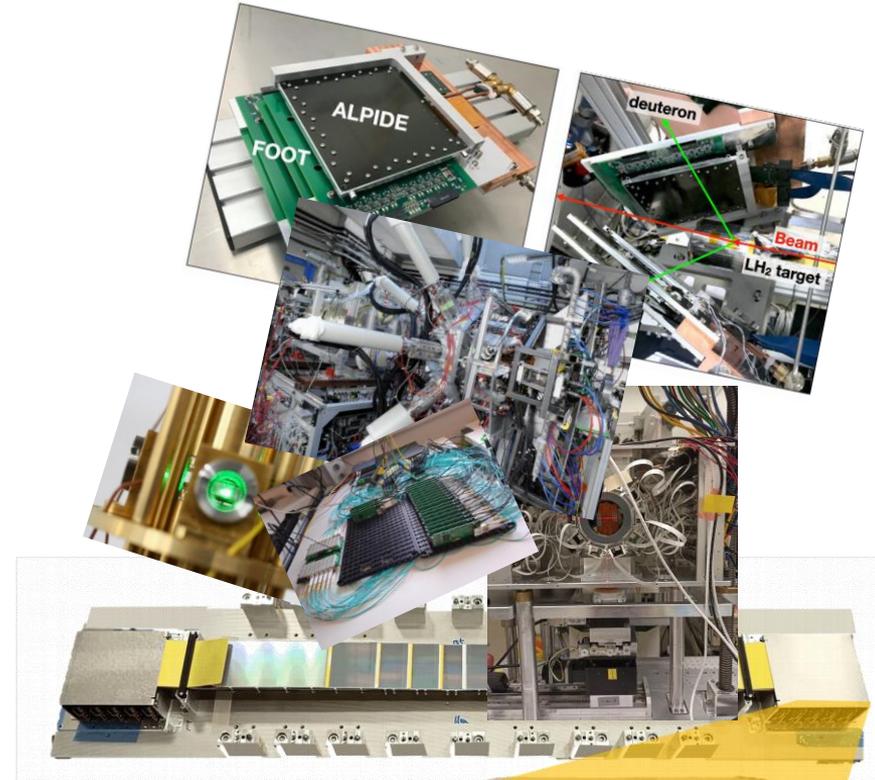
for all PACs combined:

- 350 shifts at UNILAC,
 - 300 shifts at SIS18,
 - 250 shifts in total for at ESR, ESR-HITRAP and ESR-CRYRING,
 - 100 shifts at PHELIX.
- Infos on webpages of the PACs: www.gsi.de/g-pac, [/ppac](http://www.gsi.de/ppac), [/mat-pac](http://www.gsi.de/mat-pac), [/bio-pac](http://www.gsi.de/bio-pac)
 - Call for CRYRING in standalone-mode in 2025 (for beamtime 2026)



Detector tests included in call

- Detector test: no direct scientific goal
- Not to be submitted as regular proposals
- Please contact respective Scientific Secretary of the PAC, e.g. Manuel Vogel for G-PAC (on special submission into GATE)
- Same deadline as G-PAC proposals



Mode A

Physics beamtime

- highest priority on physics
- full parallel operation
- full on-call service at any time

Mode B

Best effort operation (BEO)

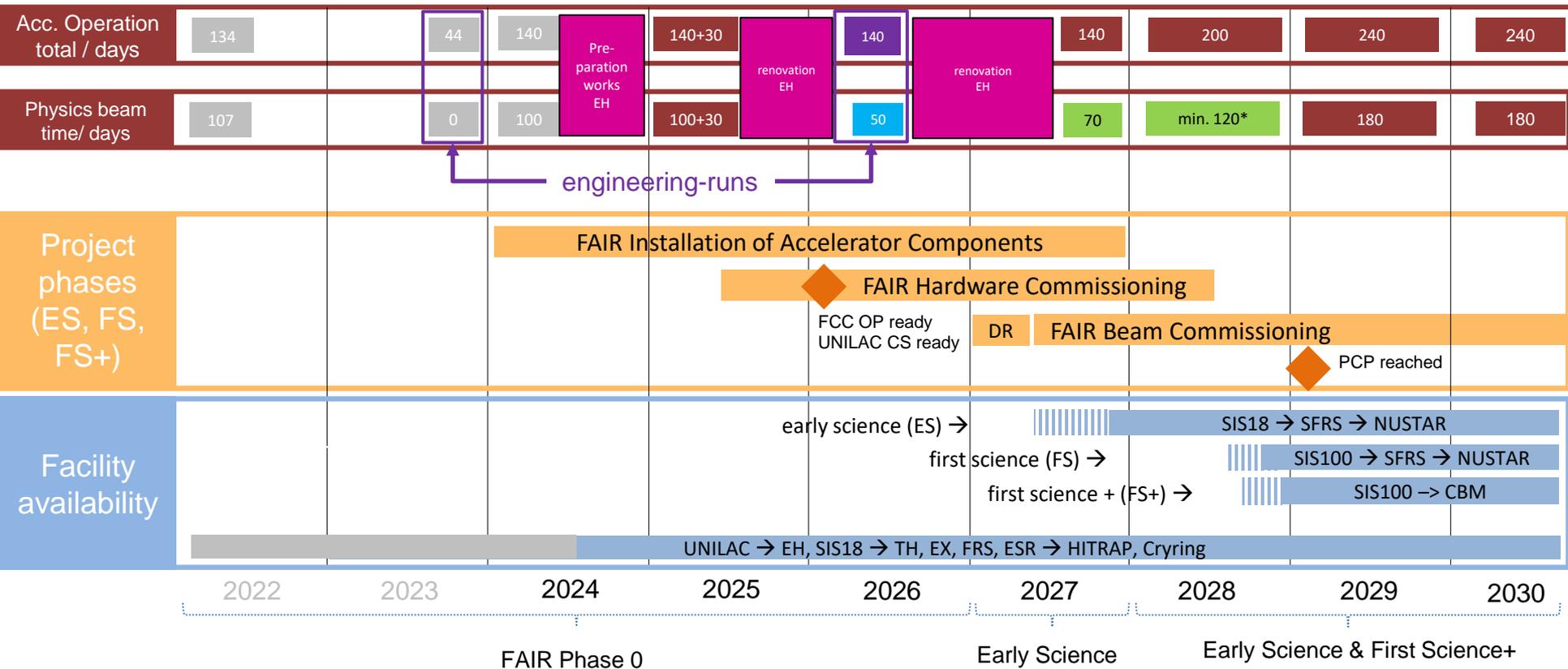
- priority on physics
- limited parallel operation
- on-call service by arrangement

Mode C

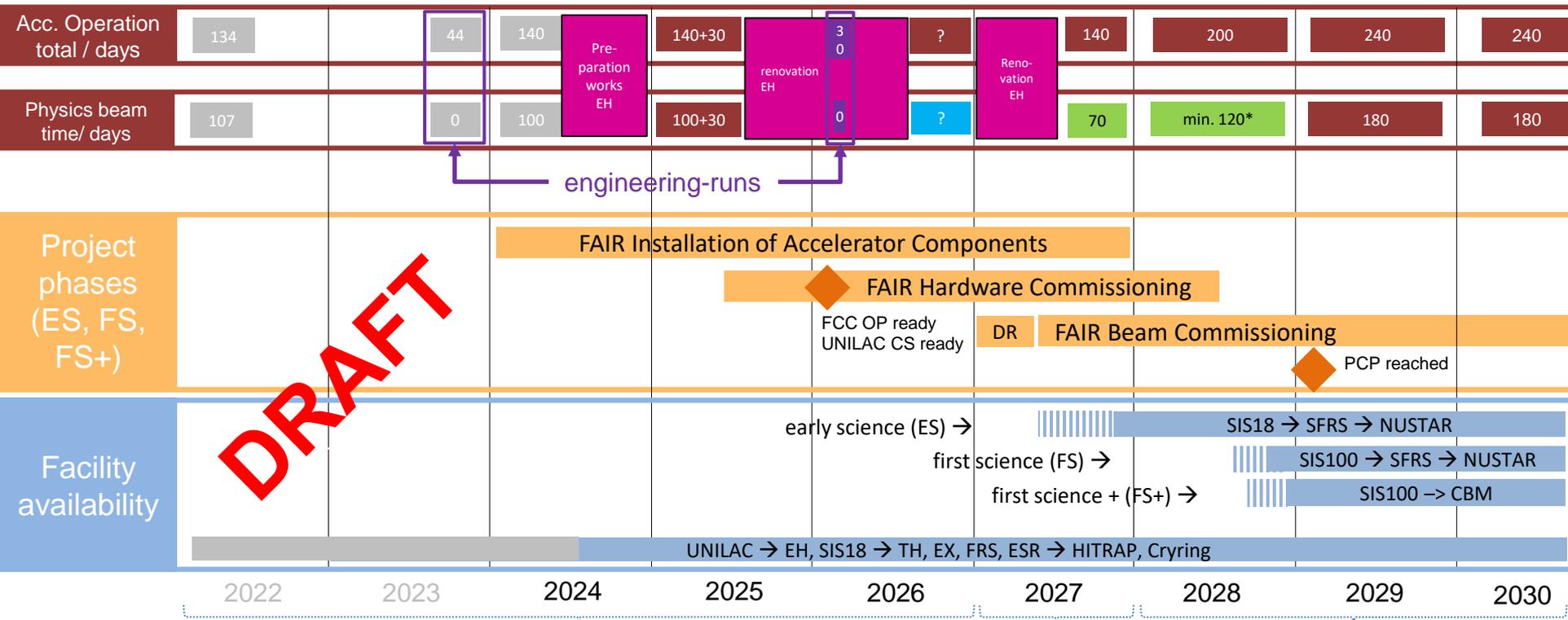
Second priority

- priority on FAIR commissioning
- limited parallel operation
- on-call service by arrangement

FAIR/GSI strategic operation scenario towards FS+



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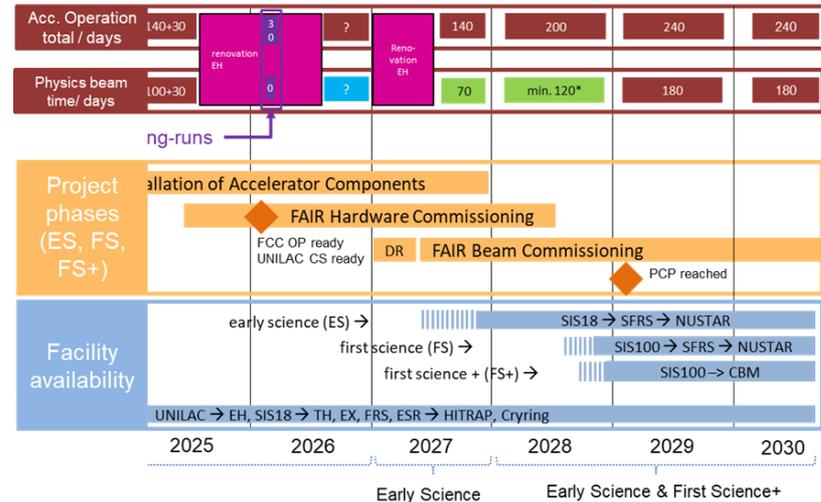
FAIR Phase 0

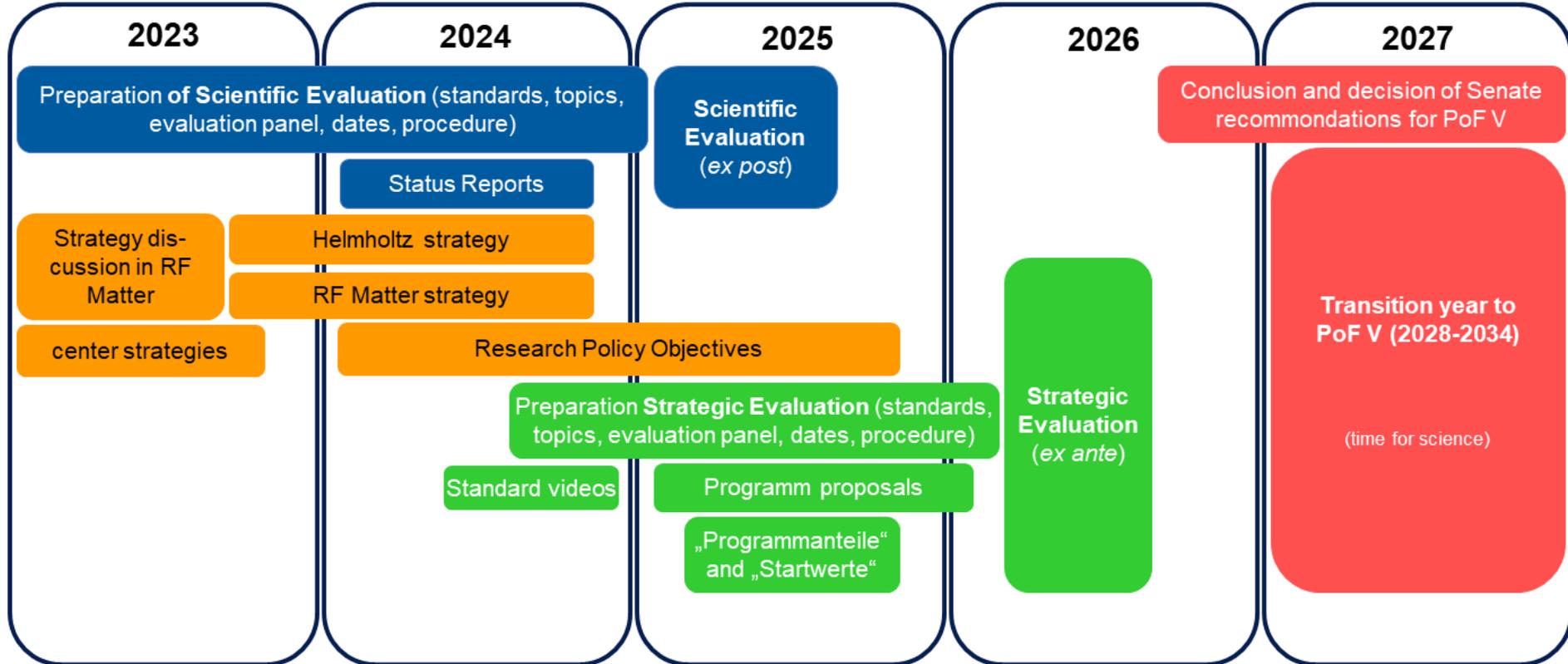
Early Science

Early Science & First Science+

Further steps

- 2024
 - call for 2026/27: last beamtime with UNILAC/SIS18 only
- 2025
 - beamtime
 - restructuring of the committees
 - start of commissioning phase for the FAIR experiments
 - start of FAIR Hardware Commissioning
- 2026
 - beamtime
 - FCC ready: accelerator controls moving
- 2027
 - beamtime
 - start of FAIR accelerator commissioning
 - start of early science end of the year

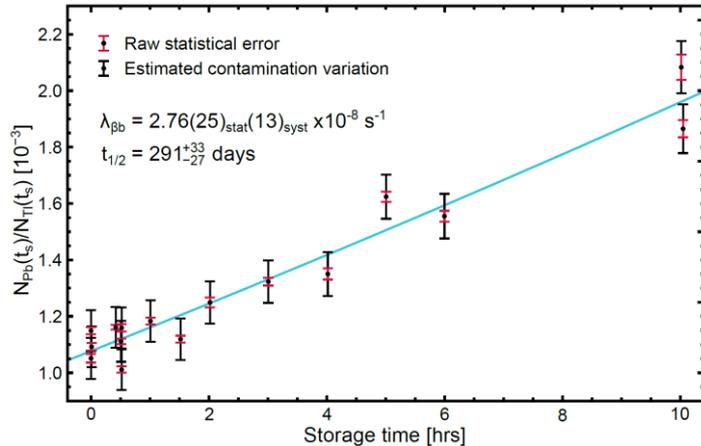
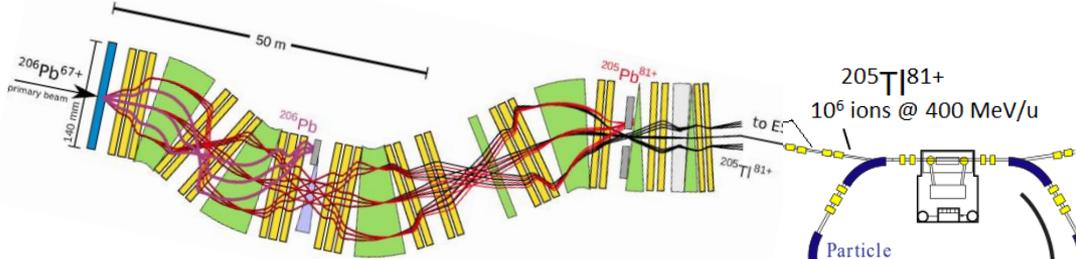




Finally some highlights

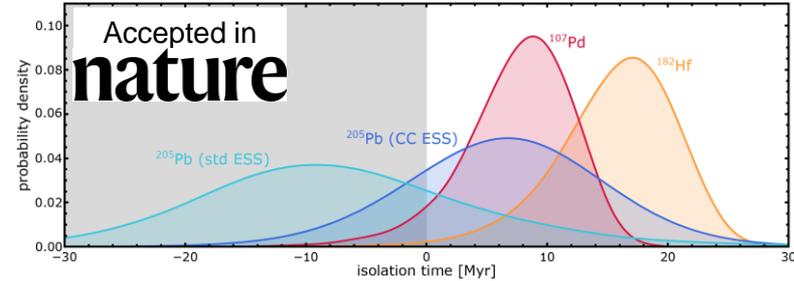
Bound state beta decay of $^{205}\text{Tl}^{81+}$

Performance of employed machines beyond their standard operation



Schottky detector
Gas target

- ESR: Accumulation
- Stochastic cooling
- Electron cooling
- Internal gas target
- Destructive and non-destructive detection
- Storage times of up to 10 hours

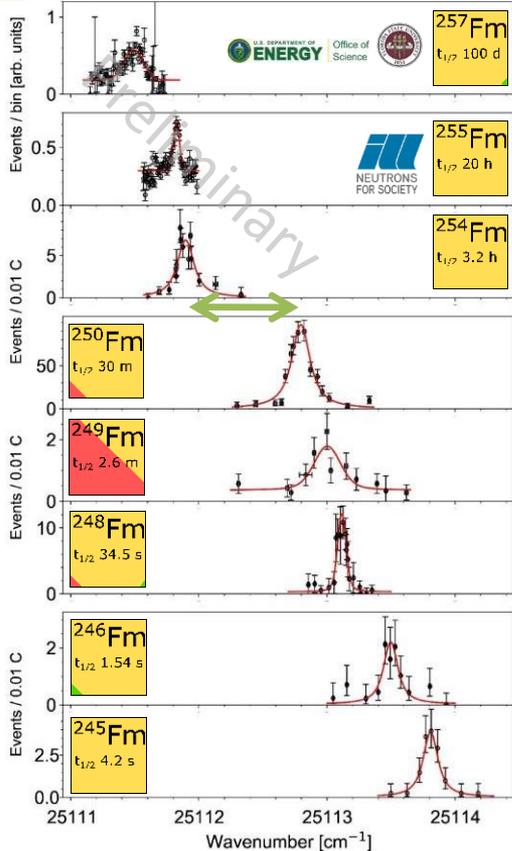


Combined with meteoritic data, new ^{205}Pb and ^{205}Tl decay rates in plasmas, and astrophysical simulations, the isolation time of the solar matter from the last synthesis of ^{205}Pb is for the first time positive!

G. Leckenby et al., Nature (2024) in print

Combined with new neutrino capture rates, the new ^{205}Tl decay constant sets precise constraints on the production of ^{205}Pb by solar pp neutrinos, and thus for the LOREX project aiming at measuring ^{205}Pb in lorandite minerals

R. S. Sidhu et al., Phys. Rev. Lett. (2024) in print

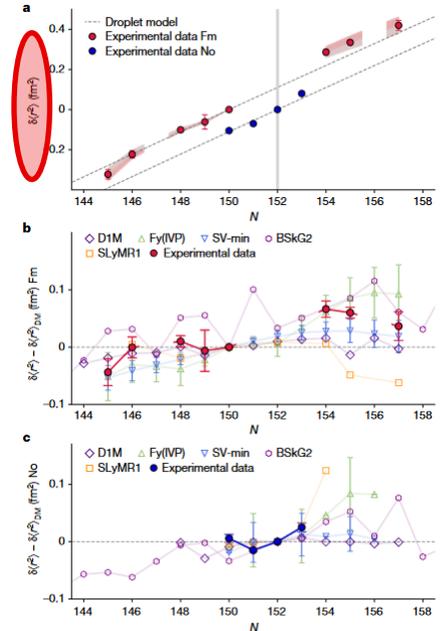


Smooth trends in fermium charge radii and the impact of shell effects

Determination of **change in nuclear charge radii** from **isotope shifts** for a long chain of Fm isotopes produced in different reactions

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comparison to nuclear EDF calculations



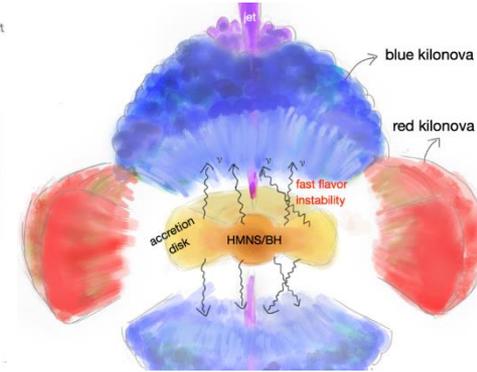
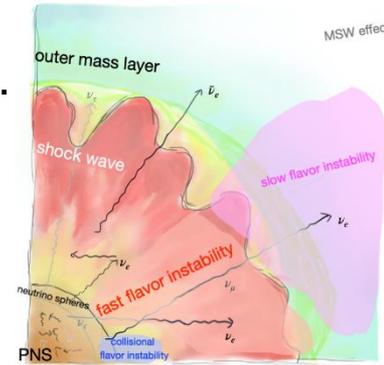
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