## MATS and LaSpec: Status and first experiments

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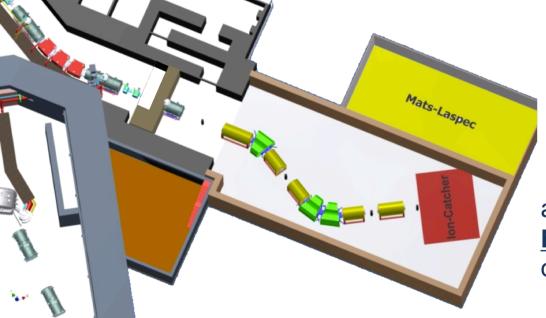


## MATS and LaSpec Precision experiments at low energy

# Precise <u>M</u>easurements on very short-lived nuclei using an <u>A</u>dvanced <u>T</u>rapping <u>S</u>ystem

### Laser Spectroscopy on very short-lived nuclei

### in **NUSTAR**



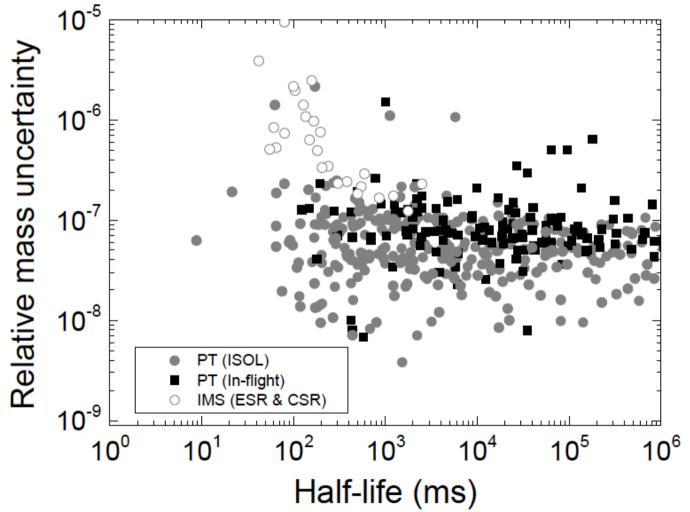
at the end of the <u>L</u>ow <u>Energy</u> <u>B</u>ranch (LEB) of the Super-FRS

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## Outline

- Physics motivation
- The collaborations and the facilities
- Staging at FAIR
- Developments with prospects for MATS and LaSpec
- Summary & outlook

## Motivation for MATS at FAIR Precise mass measurements on short-lived isotopes



(talk by K. Blaum)

1. Nuclear structure

2. SHE

- 3. Halo nuclei
- 4. Astrophysics
- 5. Fundamental interactions
- 6. Neutrino physics
- 7. Discovery of new isotopes
- 8. In-trap decay spectroscopy

9. Trap-assisted spectroscopy

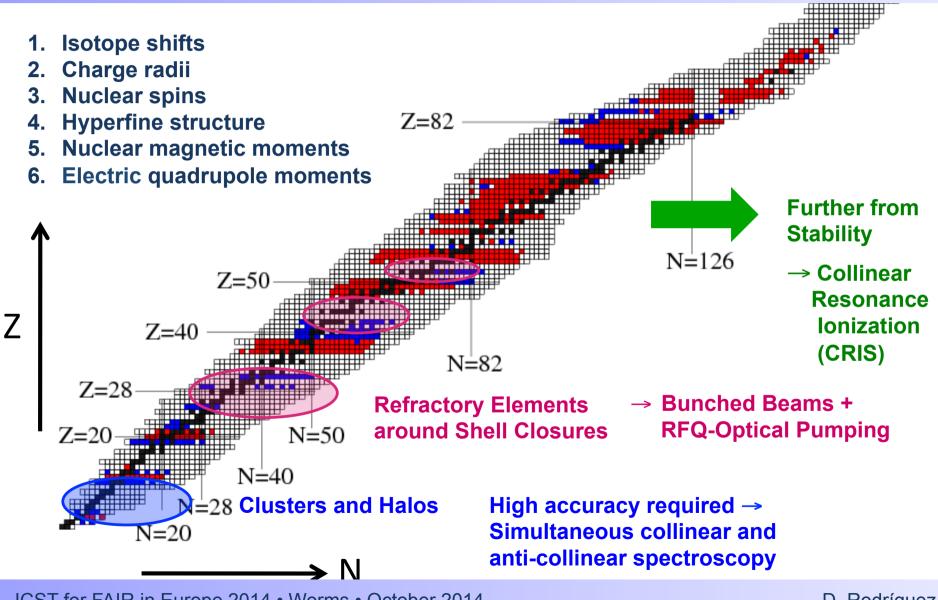
- 10. Spectroscopy on HCI
- 11. Laser-spec on HCI with LaSpec

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## **Motivation for LaSpec at FAIR**

Laser Spectroscopy on short-lived isotopes



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# Motivation for MATS & LaSpec at FAIR Complementarity of MATS & LaSpec with other facilities

ISOL	<u>Fusion</u>	<u>IGISOL</u>	<u>Neutron</u> Induced fission	<u>Spontaneous</u> <u>fission</u>	<u>Photo-</u> induced fission	<u>Fragmentation</u>
ISOLTRAP COLLAPS (CERN)	SHIP TRAP Laser Spec (GSI)	JYFL TRAP Laser Spec (JYFL)	TRIGA- TRAP TRIGA- SPEC (Mainz)	CARIBU Laser Spec (ANL)	ALTO (Orsay)	LEBIT Laser Spec (MSU)
TITAN Laser Spec (TRIUMF)	CPT (ANL)					FRIB
MLLTRAP LUMIERE (SPIRAL2)						MATS LaSpec (FAIR)

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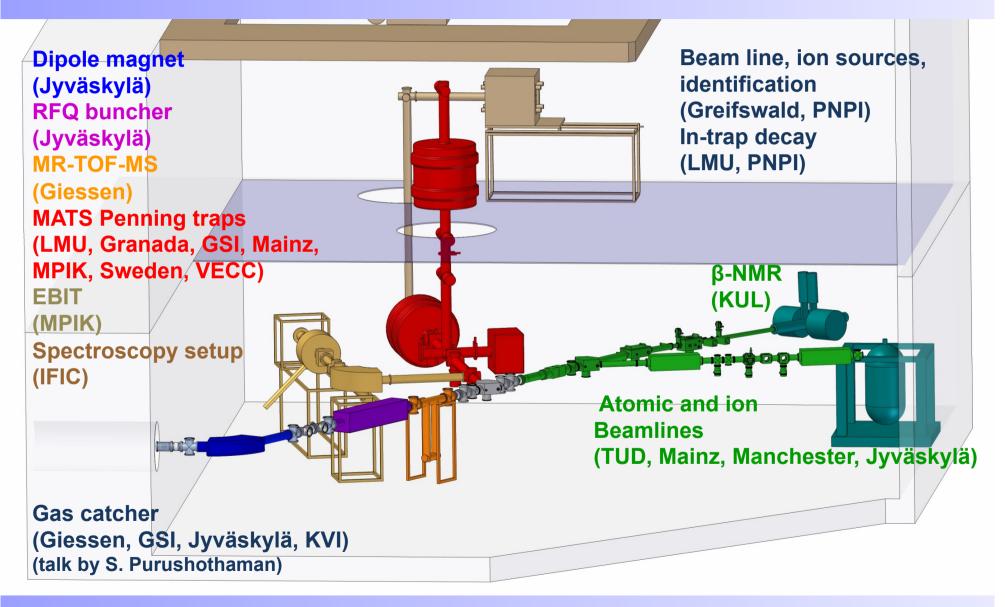
## The MATS and LaSpec collaborations 12 countries, 37 institutes, ~ 110 members

Belgium		Universite Bruxelles, KUL
Canada	*	TRIUMF
Finland	-	JYFL, UH
France		CSNSM-IN2P3, CNRS, CENBG, US
Germany		EMAU, FAIR, FAU, GSI, TUD, JGU, MPIK, JLU, LMU, PTB
Great Britain		UL, UM
India	۲	VECC, RGC
Russia		PNPI, PSU
Spain		UHU, UGR, IFIC
Sweden	-	SU, UU
Switzerland	+	ISOLDE/CERN, PSI
USA		LLNL, MSU, LSU

http://www.fair-center.eu/for-users/experiments/nustar/experiments/mats.html http://www.fair-center.eu/for-users/experiments/nustar/experiments/laspec.html

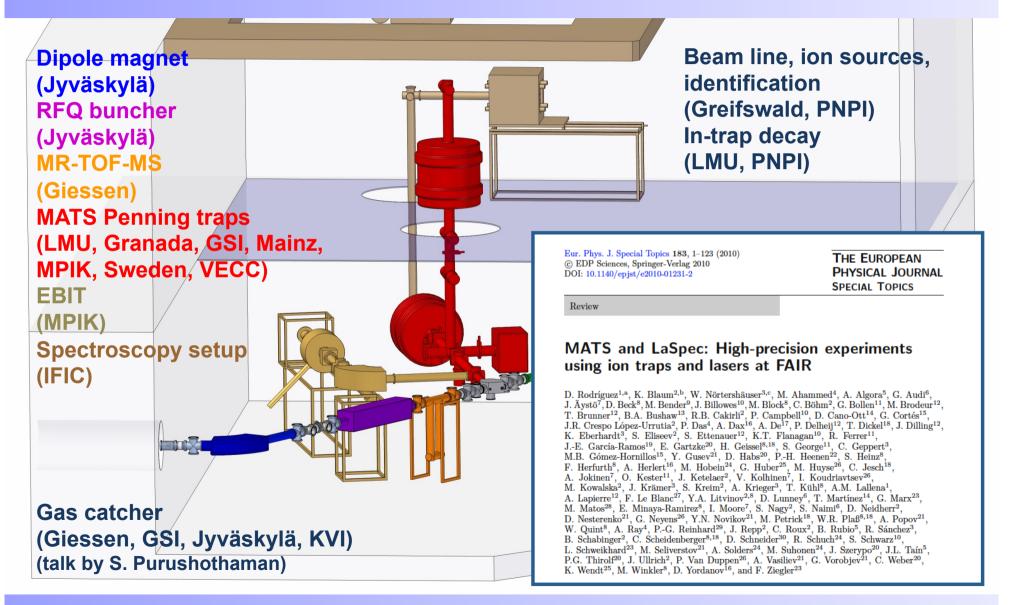
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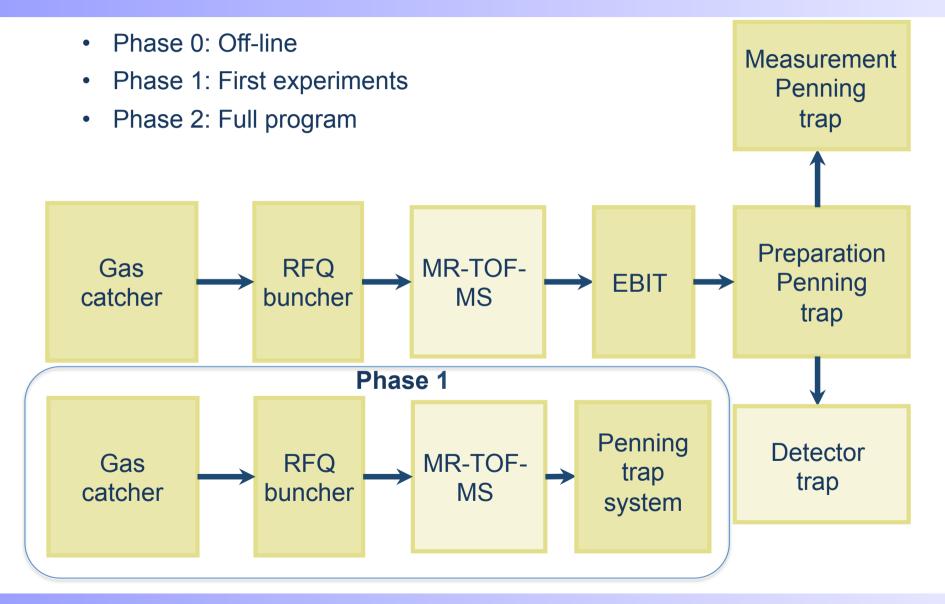
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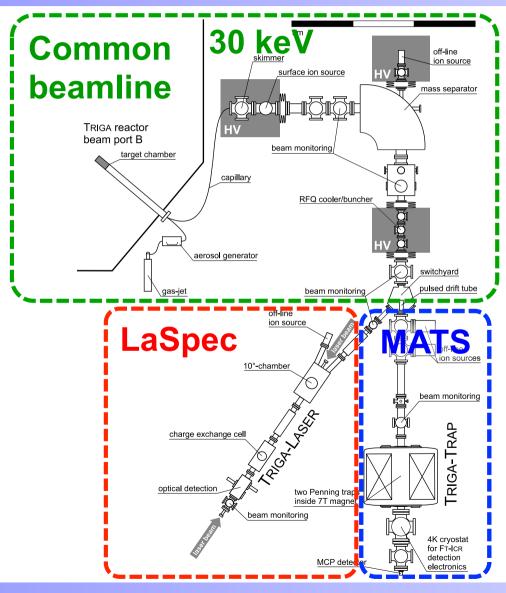
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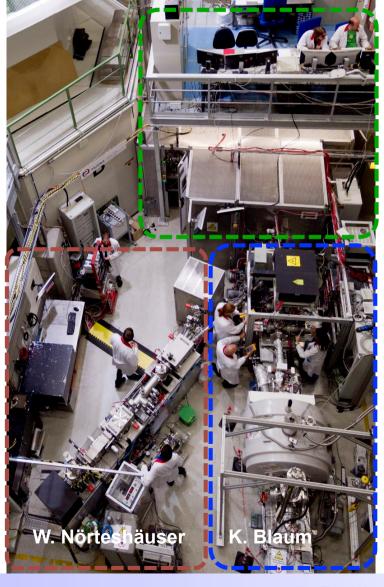
# Staging at FAIR Phases 1 & 2



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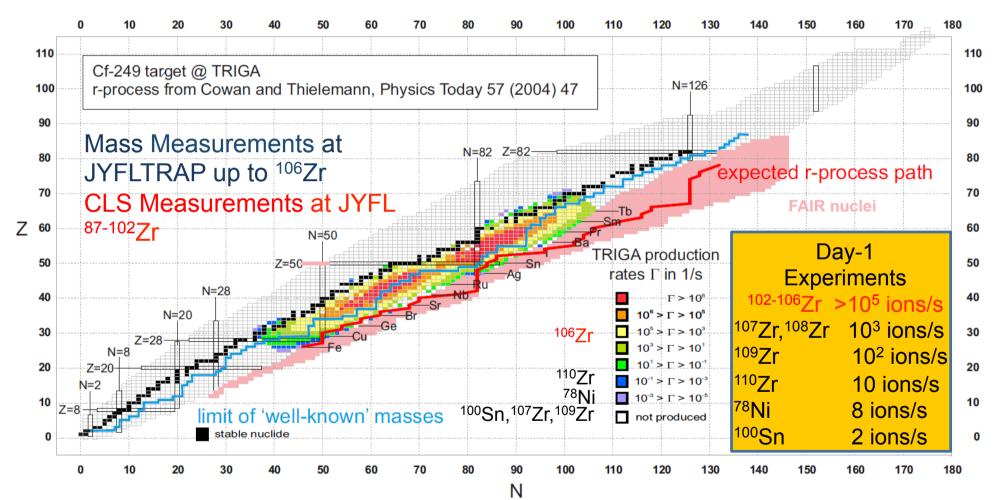
## Developments with prospects for MATS & LaSpec Phase 0 @ TRIGA





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# First experiments with MATS & LaSpec at FAIR Phase $0 \rightarrow$ Phase 1



• The accessibility will depend on the performance of the Super-FRS and the iongas catcher (TDR of the ion catcher in preparation)

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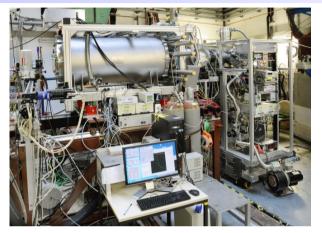
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- II. Other Penning traps and detection techniques (Phase 2)
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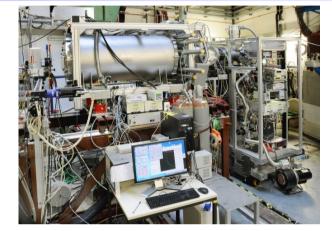
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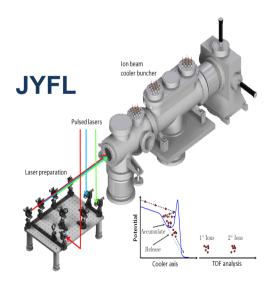
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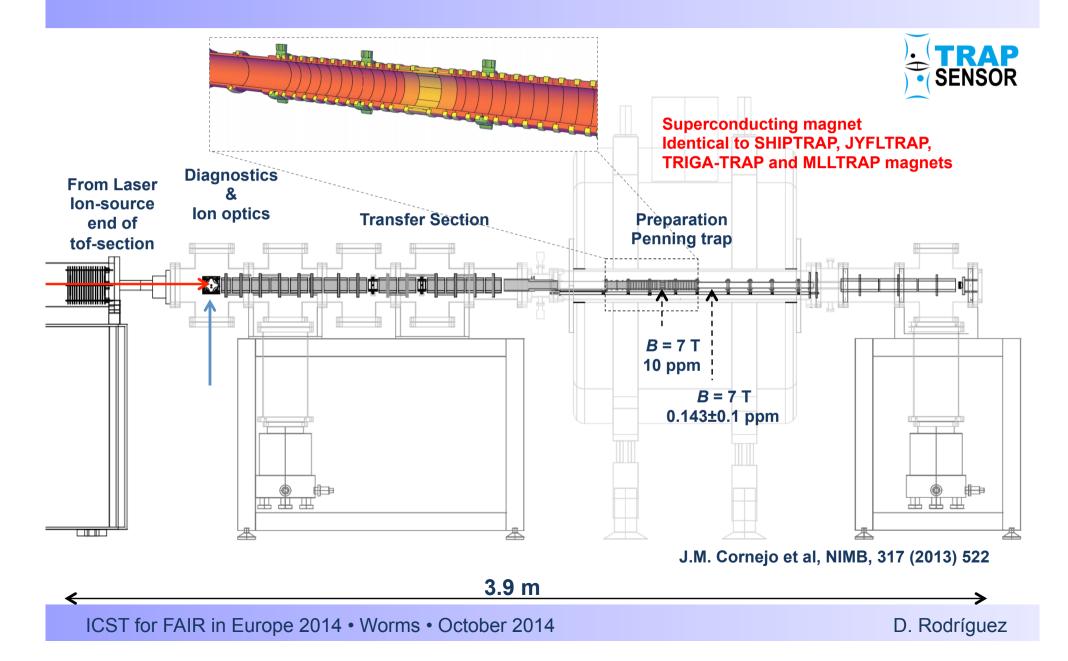
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- III. Laser spectroscopy on highly charged ions (Phase 2)
  - Laser spectroscopy on doubly-charged ions Jyväskylä

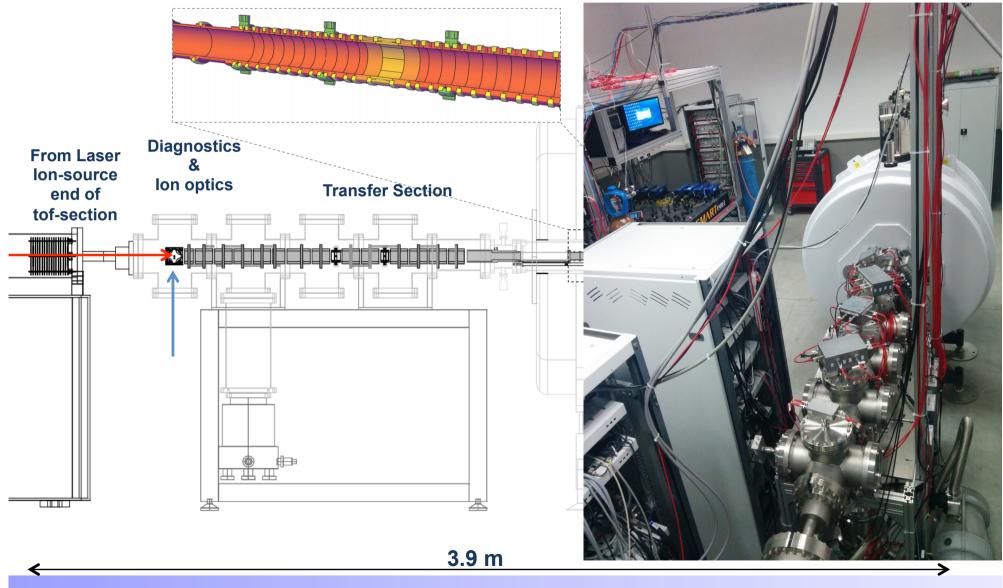


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## **Summary & Outlook**

- MATS and LaSpec will use the high production yields at FAIR to extend precision experiments to very exotic nuclei.
- The TDR was approved in 2010 and the two facilities will be built in two stages.
- The prototypes to run first at FAIR (TRIGA-SPEC and TRIGA-TRAP), are currently in operation at the TRIGA reactor in Mainz.
- Mass measurements on transuranium isotopes and collinear-laser spectroscopy measurements on stable Ca<sup>+</sup> ions have been performed.
- The results show that the systems meet the requirements to perform first experiments during phase 1 at FAIR, provided the Super-FRS and the ion catcher are in operation.
- Further developments are on-going at several universities and laboratories to reach the full capability of MATS and LaSpec: MLL-TRAP, SHIPTRAP, MPIK, JYFL, T.U. Darmstadt, Manchester, JYFLTRAP, TRAPSENSOR, PNPI, U. Giessen, U. Greifswald, VECC,...

## Thank you very much for your attention!!



- Thank you very much to the MATS and LaSpec collaborators who made most of the work I have presented here as well as those, whose work was not presented, for their understanding.
- Picture from the LaSpec-MATS collaboration meeting in Matalascañas (Spain) October 2008 (Decision on the contents of the TDR) FAIR newsletter no. 11

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