Statusreport R³B

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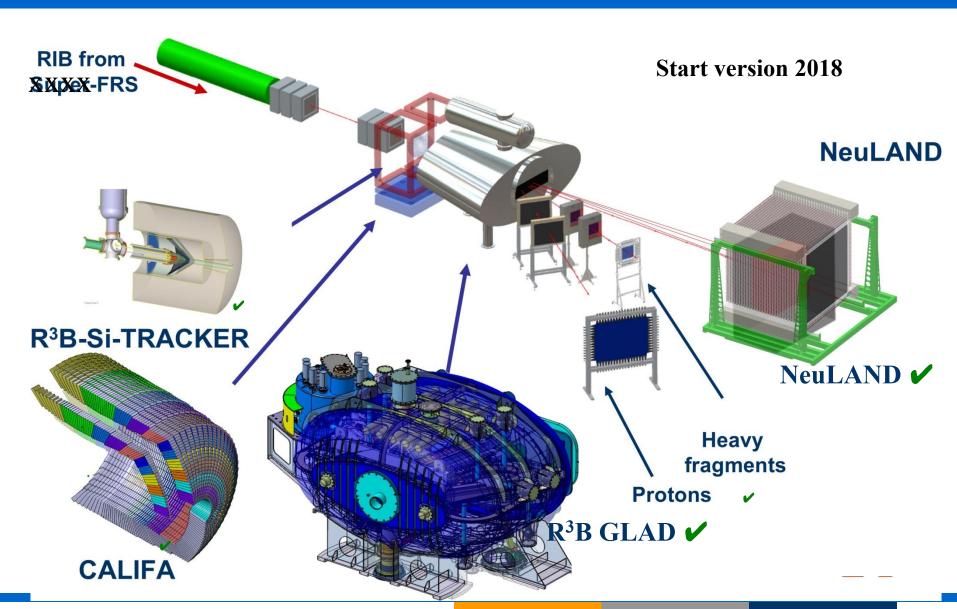




Menu:

Towards the R³B start version ...



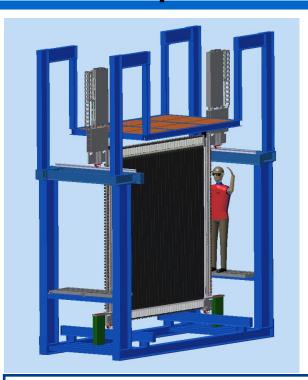


R3B TDR Status



- R³B (6) (Multiplet, NeuLAND,
 CALIFA-barrel, CALIFA forward endcap, GLAD, tracking detectors)
- R^3B (1) (Active target, 'phase 2' \rightarrow ECE comments received.)
- 1.2.5.1.2.4 Si tracker: device soon ready, TDR to come
- 1.2.5.1.4 Common NUSTAR DAQ: final draft circulates
- 1.2.5.1.3/5 Infrastructure, Vacuum → for later move to high energy cave

NeuLAND: The High Resolution Neutron Time-of-Flight Spectrometer for R³B K. Boretzky



NeuLAND detector parameters:

- full active detector using RP/BC408
- face sice 250x250 cm²
- active depth 300 cm
- 3000 scintillator bars
- 6000 PM / readout channels
- 32 tons

NeuLAND design goals:

- >90% efficiency for 0.2-1.0 GeV neutrons
- Multi-hit capability for up to 5 neutrons
- invariant-mass resolution: NeuLAND-target distance 35 m
 ΔE < 20 keV at 100 keV above the neutron threshold

NeuLAND: The High Resolution Neutron Time-of-Flight Spectrometer for R³B

- NeuLAND demonstrator (40 cm depth with 4 double planes and 800 readout channels) at RIKEN up to end of 2017, participation in various beam times
- at GSI continuation of production (4 more double planes ready), production scheme dominated by funding profile, at least 11 d.p. in 2018
- HVDS (high voltage distribution system) as in-kind from PNPI, pre-series (200ch) in operation, 1000 ch delivery expected as of today, full system (6000 ch) up to spring 2018
- electronics: GSI inhouse further development of earlier Tacquila electronics. Now TAMEX, front-end design in pre-series
- One of the two NeuLAND support frames produced and mounted, allows to hold up to 20 double planes.





NeuLAND building blocks: High Voltage Distribution System

6000 HV channels needed

- HVDS system from PNPI (L. Uvarov et al.) is based on 2kV primary power supply with controllable dividers
- individual down-regulation of each channel
- form factor fits to NeuLAND double planes

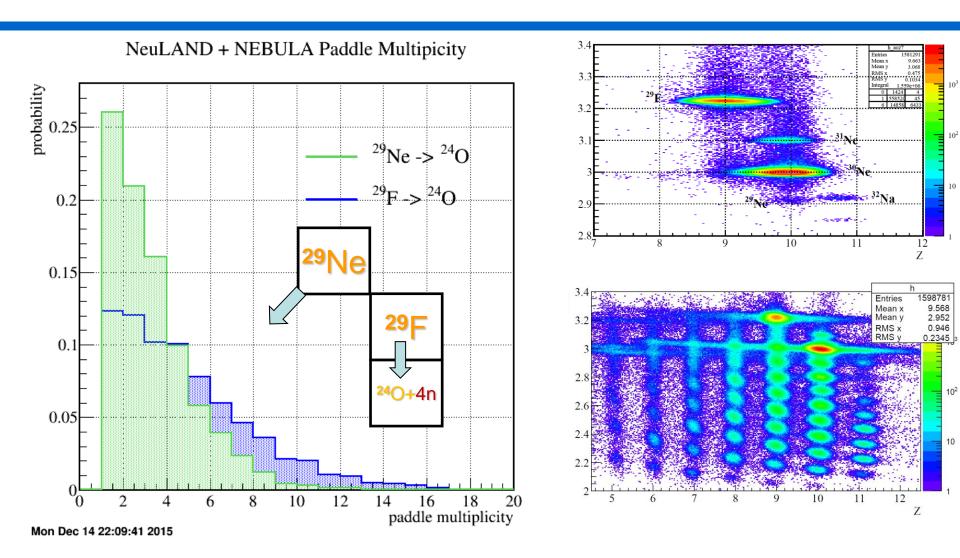


- pre-series (200 channels) delivered in December 2014
- Site Acceptance Test ongoing
- Delivery of full system up to 2017





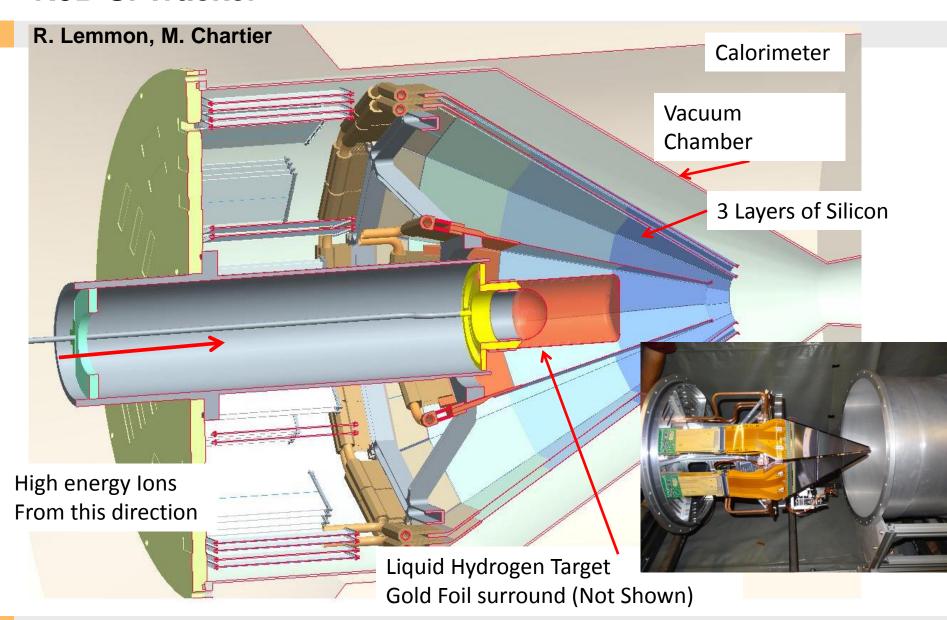
RIKEN: Performance studies



Efficiency evaluations in progress \rightarrow J. Kahlbow see talk by Hans T.

R3B Si Tracker

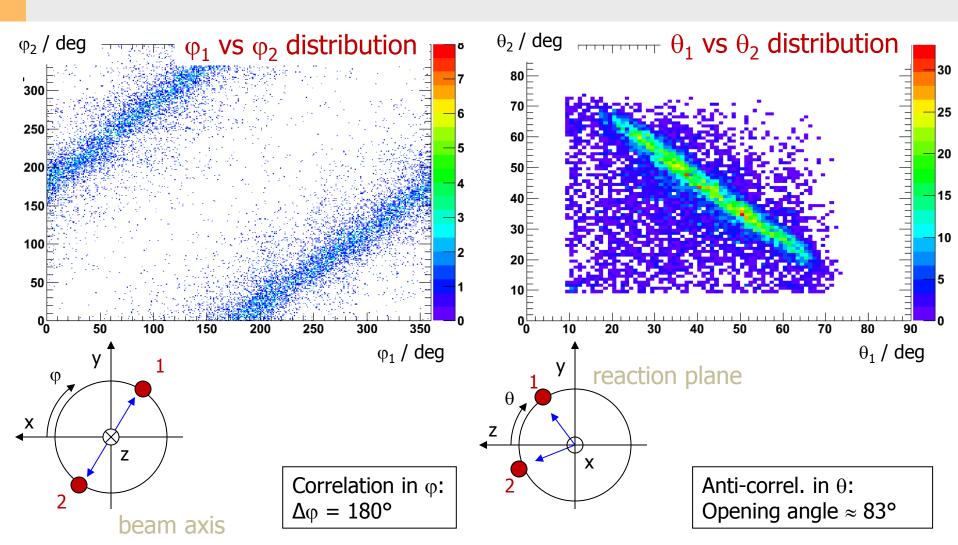




Target Recoil Detection



Data: F. Wamers ¹⁷Ne(p,2p) @ 500MeV/u, CH₂



→ Clear signature for (p,2p) reactions

R3B Si Tracker Status – March 2016

- Si Ladders in production
- 12 outer layer ladders finished and tested
- 6 inner layer ladders in various stages of production. Will be finished by mid-March
- All mechanics, vacuum chamber, target mechanism (without control system) and support structures finished
- All ASICs and readout electronics finished
- By end of March, the ladders for one outer and one inner layer will be finished
- Assembly of full tracker, coupling to readout electronics and commissioning (without beam) will take place in Daresbury clean room facilities from April 2016 – March 2017
- Tracker will then be disassembled, boxed and shipped to GSI mid-2017
- Sufficient spares of all components will be available from April 2016 to allow assembly of a second outer layer if time allows

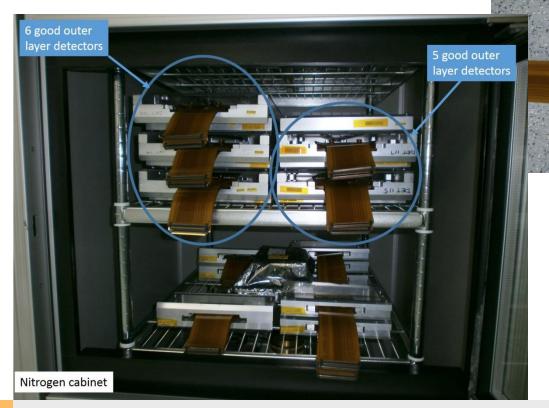
R3B Si Tracker - Status



Outer Layer detector

Inner Layer detector

"In brief, we will have by end of March the full system (R. Lemmon 20160226)

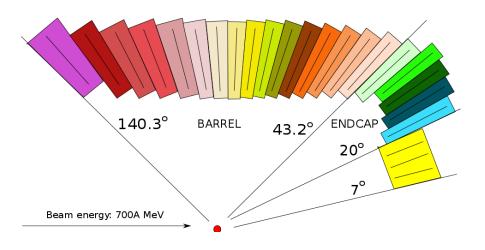


CALIFA: Calorimeter in-flight detection for g-rays and LCP D. Cortina

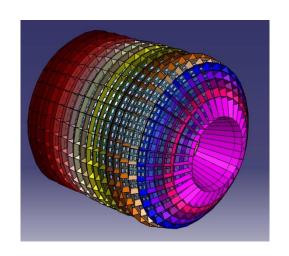
Design dominated by the kinematics of particles emitted by relativistic sources

Detector split in two sections : BARREL and ENDCAP

TDR's approved 2013 and 2015



Intrinsic photopeak efficiency	40% (up to Eg=15 MeV PF)
Gamma sum energy resolution D(E _g sum)/<(E _g sum)>	< 10% for 5 g rays of 3 MeV
Calorimeter for high energy LCP	Up to 320 MeV in lab system
Gamma energy resolution	~5-6% (FWHM at Eg=1 MeV)
LCP resolution	~2%
Proton-g ray separation	For 1 to 30 MeV



Physics imposes the scientific requirements

- Huge dynamic range
- 100 keV γ-rays 700 A MeV charged particles
- high efficiency, good resolution
- •high granularity → Doppler correction
- particle identification









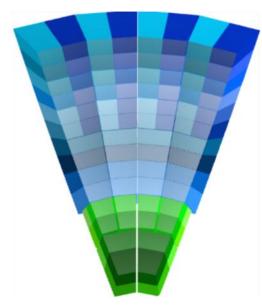


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CALIFA: Calorimeter in-flight detection for γ -rays and LCP

CsI(TI)+LAAPD

2464 units Polar angle 20-140⁰



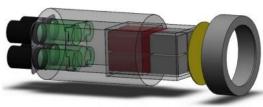
LaBr/LaCI+PM

96 units
Polar angle 7-20°

- Csl (Tl) range between 15-22 cm long
- Packed in groups of four (VM2000 and Carbon fiber)
- APD collecting area 10x20 mm²



- Good ∆E/E ~6% @ 1 MeV for g and 2 % for p up to 320 MeV
- PID and E determination based on two different intrinsic times of CsI up to 700 MeV ΔE/E ~ 5%
- Background rejection
- LaBr 6 cm and LaCl 8 cm long
- Packed in groups (Al cane)
- PM 1.5 " diameter



60mm LaCl₃

40mm LaBr₃

- Very good ΔE/E ~ 3% @ 662 keV for γ
- E determination based on two different time decay of LaBr/LaCl ΔE/E ~ 5%
- Good timing
- Background rejection

CALIFA: Calorimeter in-flight detection for γ -rays and LCP

✓ Preamplification for the CsI(TI): mounted directly at the detector level (optimized for low noise and low power consumption and simple mechanical access)

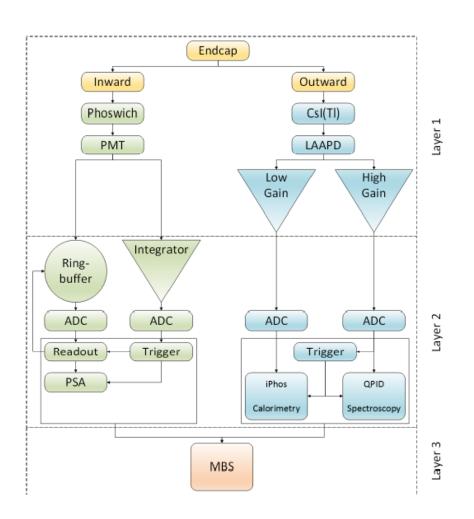


✓ **Digitizers** modules located on the movable support of the detector. They perform full signal processing and provide buffer memory for an asynchronous data collection.





✓ DAQ based on MBS and GOSIP protocol.

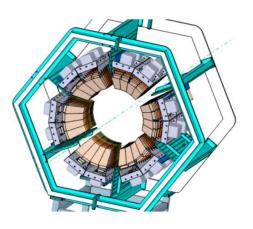


CALIFA: Calorimeter in-flight detection for γ -rays and LCP

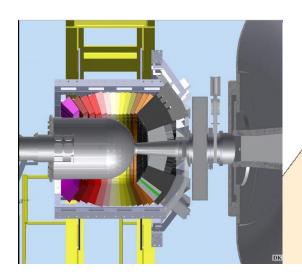
The construction of 12 petals (~ 768 Barell detection channels) is foreseen to be completed withing the next 6 months

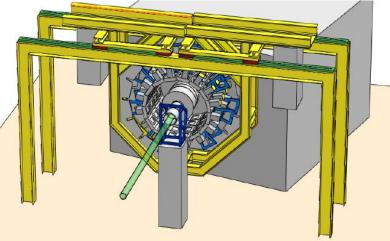






Full detector expected by 2018





Tracking WG: Si detectors

D. Rossi

X1

- 5 x 5 cm²
- 140/300 um thick
- 16 strips on the front, read out on both ends (position)
- Cathode on the back
 - => 33 channels each

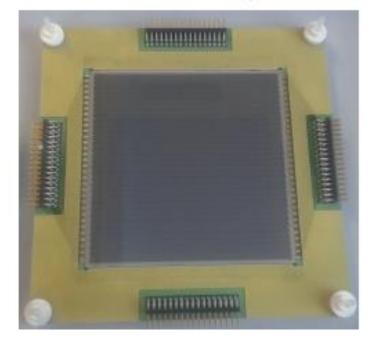


X5.1

- 10 x 10 cm²
- 200 um thick
- 32 strips on the front and the back, read out on both ends (position)
 - => 128 channels

X5.2

- 10 x 10 cm²
- 200 um thick
- 32 strips on the front and the back, read out between the strips (position)
 - => 128 channels



Tracking WG: Si detectors

• UCESB unpacker for Febex Multihit Readout:

done (Ralf)

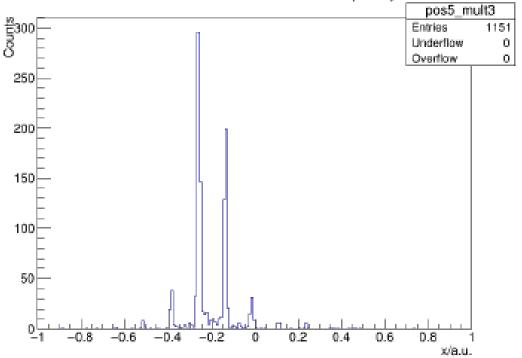
RAW level in R3BRoot:

almost done

CAL level in R3BRoot:

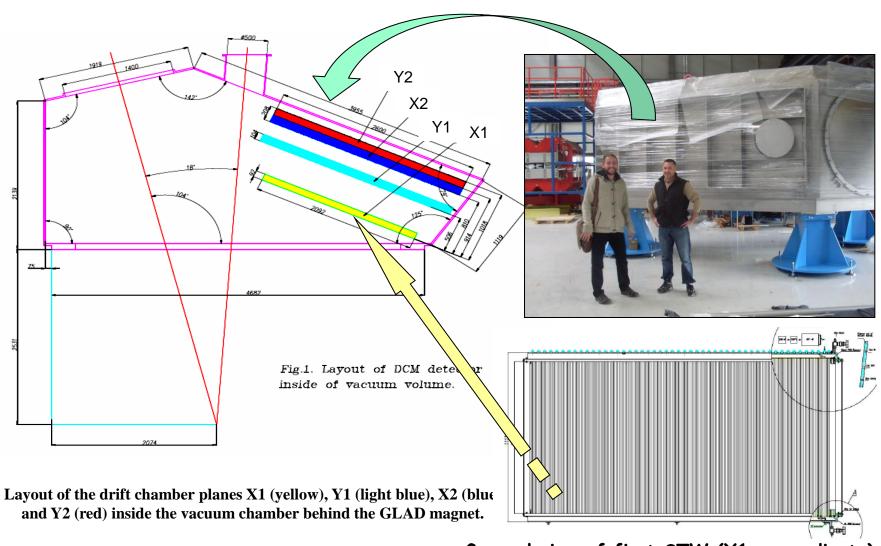
work in progress





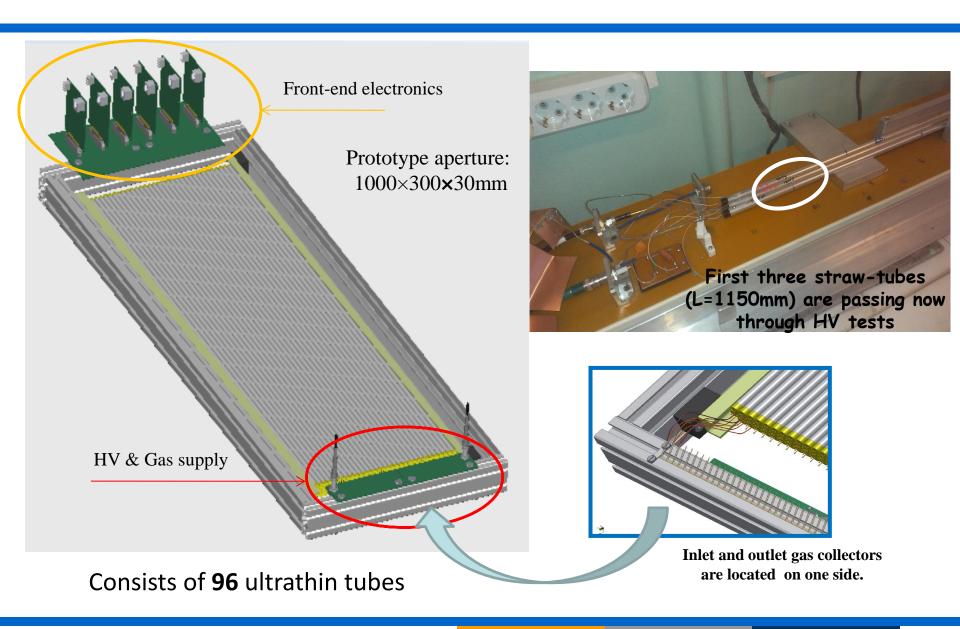


Tracking WG: Proton-arm spectrometer



General view of first STW (X1 - coordinate)

Tracking WG: Proton-arm spectrometer



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R³B: Time-of-flight detector prototyping

M. Heil, Tracking WG, RBEE

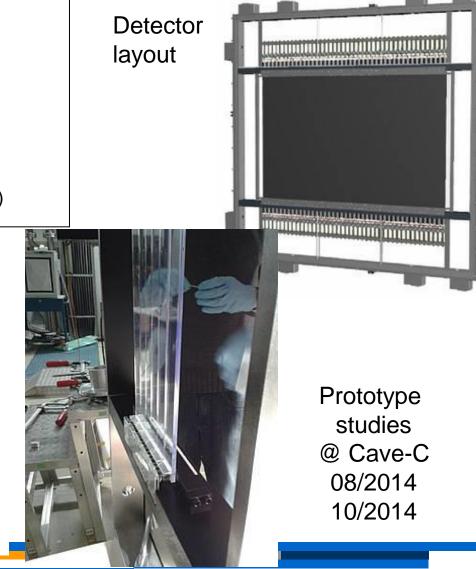
Performance goals:

- Time resolution $\sigma_t/t = 2E-4$ ($\Leftrightarrow \sigma_t = 20$ ps for 20 m flight path at 1 AGeV)
- Energy resolution $\sigma_F/E = 1\%$

375kHz

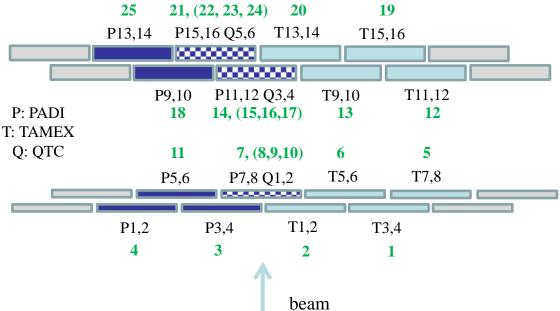
- High-counting rate capabilities (~1 MHz)
- Large dynamic range (up to Pb-U).
- FPGA based TDC readout (∆E via ToT Techniques)

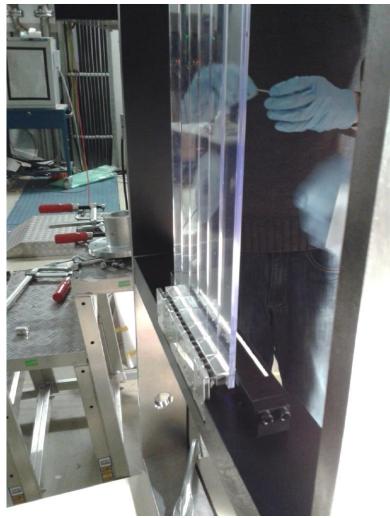
Excellent time Atomic number and energy χ^2 / ndf 687.4 / 17 resolution at high rates kHzRate σ_t / $\mathbf{p}\mathbf{s}$ $\mathbf{p}\mathbf{s}$ 59 41 14 37545 16 1000 64 23



Test setup

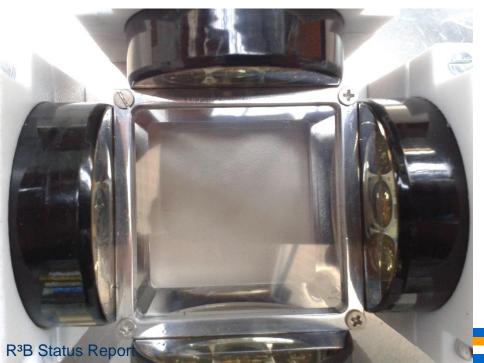
2x6 paddles with thickness of 3 mm
2x6 paddles with thickness of 5 mm
electronics: PADI, prototype TAMEX, QTC
NeuLAND PMs with and without fully active
base

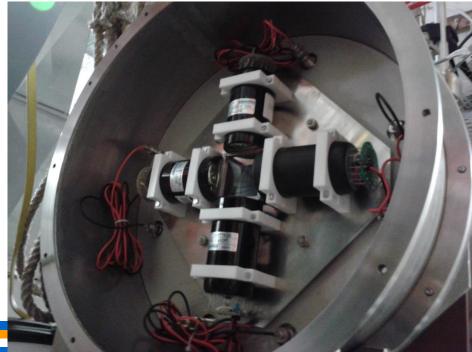




The new start detector LOS

- EJ230 scintillator with thickness of 0.5 mm
- Aluminum frame for stabilization of thin scintillator foils (e.g. 50 µm)
- active area: 5 x 5 cm²
- 4 Hamamatsu R9779-20 PMs, TTS: 250 ps
- Mesytec MCFD16-PMT constant fraction discriminator

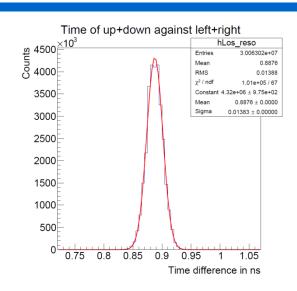


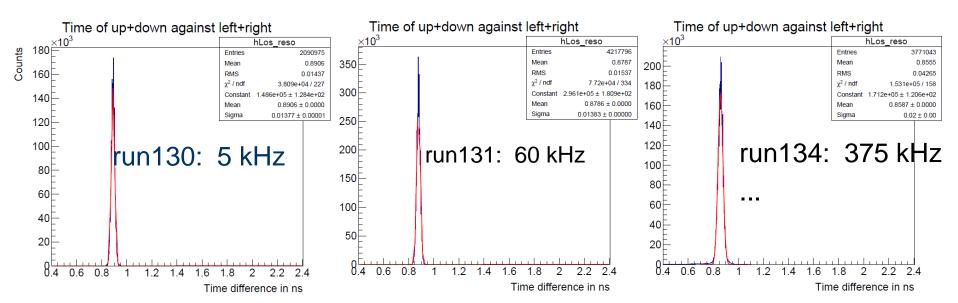


Results on time resolution

LOS: $t_{(up+down)}-t_{(left+right)} = 14 ps$

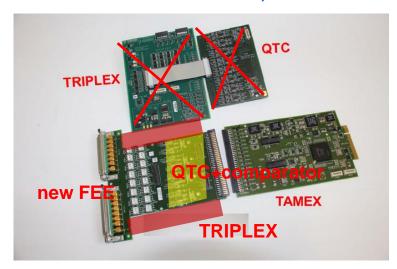
- \Rightarrow detector resolution: $\sigma_t = 7$ ps
- ⇒ .. stable at high rates



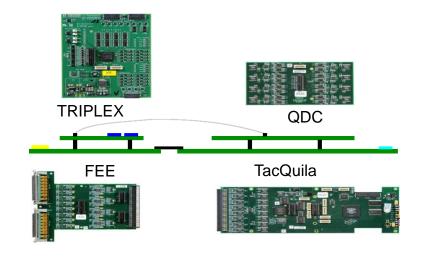


TAMEX, a versatile DAQ electronics for NeuLAND and other Timing applications with charge measurements

transition from
LAND-TacQuila readout
(ASIC based TDC + QDC)



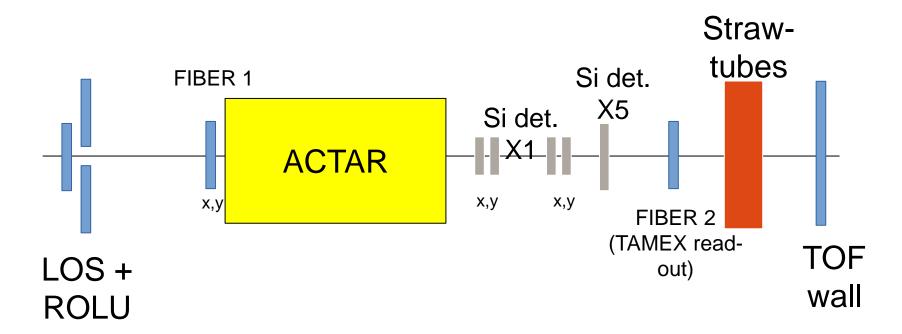
to TAMEX (FPGA based TDC+ QTC → ToT) prototype (almost) available by GSI RBEE





Tracking WG: June 2016 test beam time

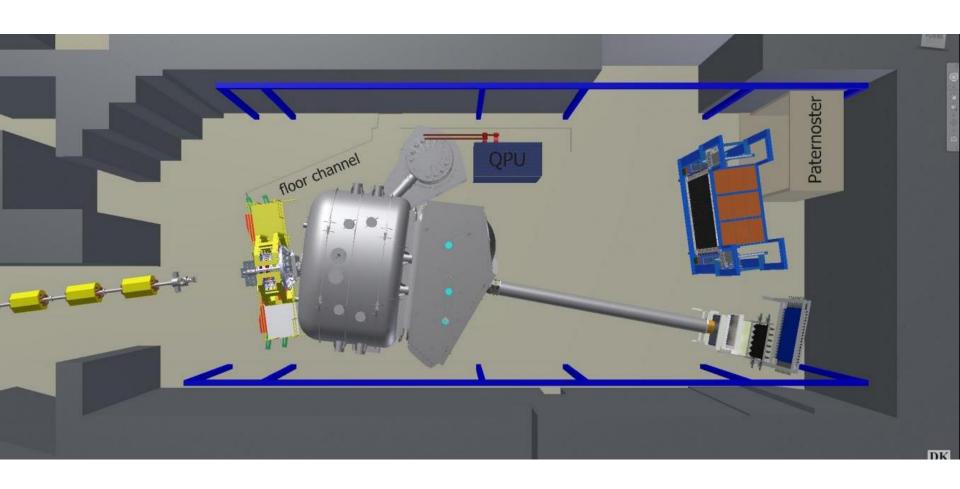
- Planned setup in Cave C /HTD
- Expected beams: Xe (Two weeks mid June) and C (Second Week July) at 600 MeV/u



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GLAD @ Cave-C





GLAD has arrived and is being installed in Cave-C





- Power supply there and tested
- Crypo plant installed and tested
- Magnet has arrived and passed first series of SAT tests
- non conformity in the exit flange mitigation in progress
- in-kind contracts with F/D in preparation

- 04/2016 installation of instrumentation and MSS/MCS by CEA
- End 2016 to get magnet into operation!



R3BRoot



H. Alvarez-Pol, R. Plag

General status of data analysis code

- UCESB-unpacker integration done.
- Basic coding standards released. More to come.
- Launch of Redmine (issue tracker).
- Introduction of R3BRoot forum as general help center
- Mapped data (=land02 RAW level) nearly finished for most detectors.
- Cal and Hit level available for some detectors work in progress.

R3BRoot – Implementation of analysis codes



	UCESB	R3BRoot Mapped	R3BRoot Cal-Level	
LOS	ok	ok	devel	
PSP	ok	ok	devel	
SiTracker	-			
Actar	?			
Califa	?	ok?	ok?	
Fiber4	ok	devel		
TofD	ok	devel		
Neuland	ok	ok	ok	



Schedule and first experiments



2014	Installation of 20% detectors NeuLAND and CALIFA Commissioning run in Q3/2014	
2015/16	Construction and installation of detector components	
2018	Commissioning of full R3B setup (Cave C)	
2018-202x	Physics runs at GSI (Cave C) (phase 0)	
202x-202x+1	Move to High-Energy Branch building	
202x+1 →	Commissioning and first experiments at Super-FRS (phase 1)	

Experiments will make use of uniqueness of R³B:

- Reactions at high beam energies up to 1 GeV/nucleon
- Tracking and identification capability even for the heaviest ions
- Multi-neutron tracking capability, high-efficiency calorimeter

Experiments possible for the first time:

- 4 neutron decays beyond the drip-line and for heavier n-rich isotopes
- Kinematically complete measurements of quasi-free nucleon knockout reactions
- Electric dipole and quadrupole response of Sn nuclei beyond N=82,
 and of neutron-rich Pb isotopes (polarizability, symmetry energy)
- fission barriers from (p,2p) reactions (→ r-process)

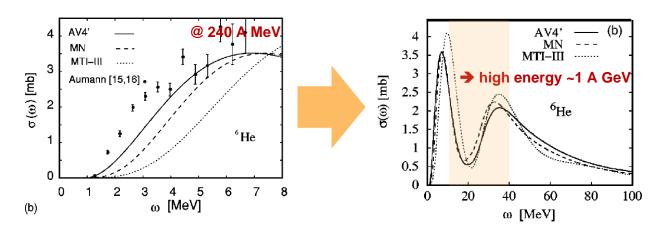
Dipole strength Distributions



neutron-rich nuclei → start with an 'easy case'

⁶He beam (!)

core vs. neutron skins & halos → density / asymmetry



S. Bacca et al. PRL **89** (2002) 052502 PRC **69** (2004) 057002



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- Phase-0 program viable and in preparation
- Major components become all operational

Common developments!

→ Common EDAQ, systems... controls, software ...

"We'll be ready for 2018 ff"

... stay tuned



