

Study of Baryon Excited States in High-statistics (π , 2π) Reactions at J-PARC

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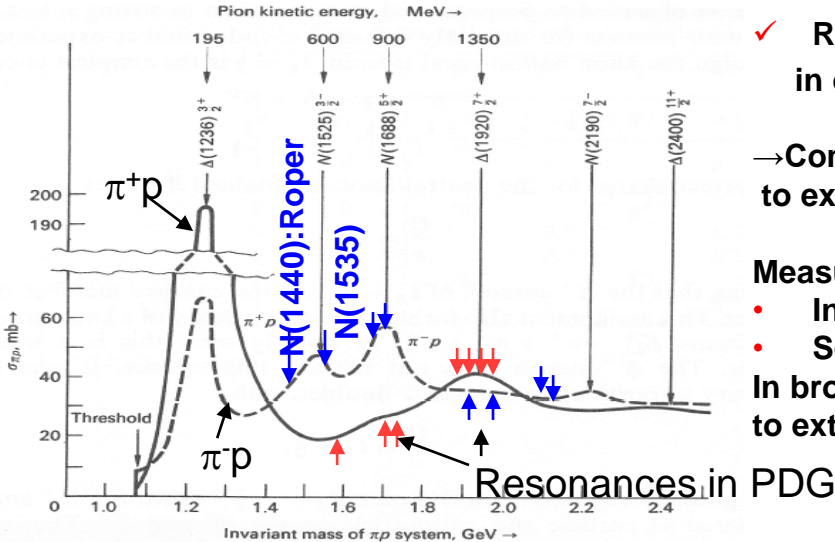


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Baryon spectroscopy :

Physics of broad and overlapping resonances



- ✓ Width: a few hundred MeV.
- ✓ Resonances are highly overlapped in energy except $\Delta(1232)$.

→ Complicated Partial Wave Analysis to extract hidden resonances

Measure cross sections as a function of

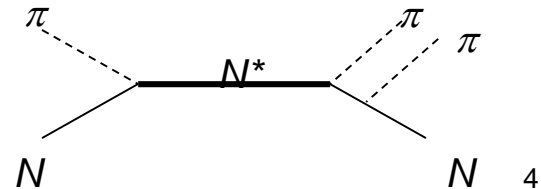
- Incident pion energy
 - Scattering angle
- In broad range (with fine bins) to extract resonance poles

D.H.Perkins, Introduction to High Energy Physics

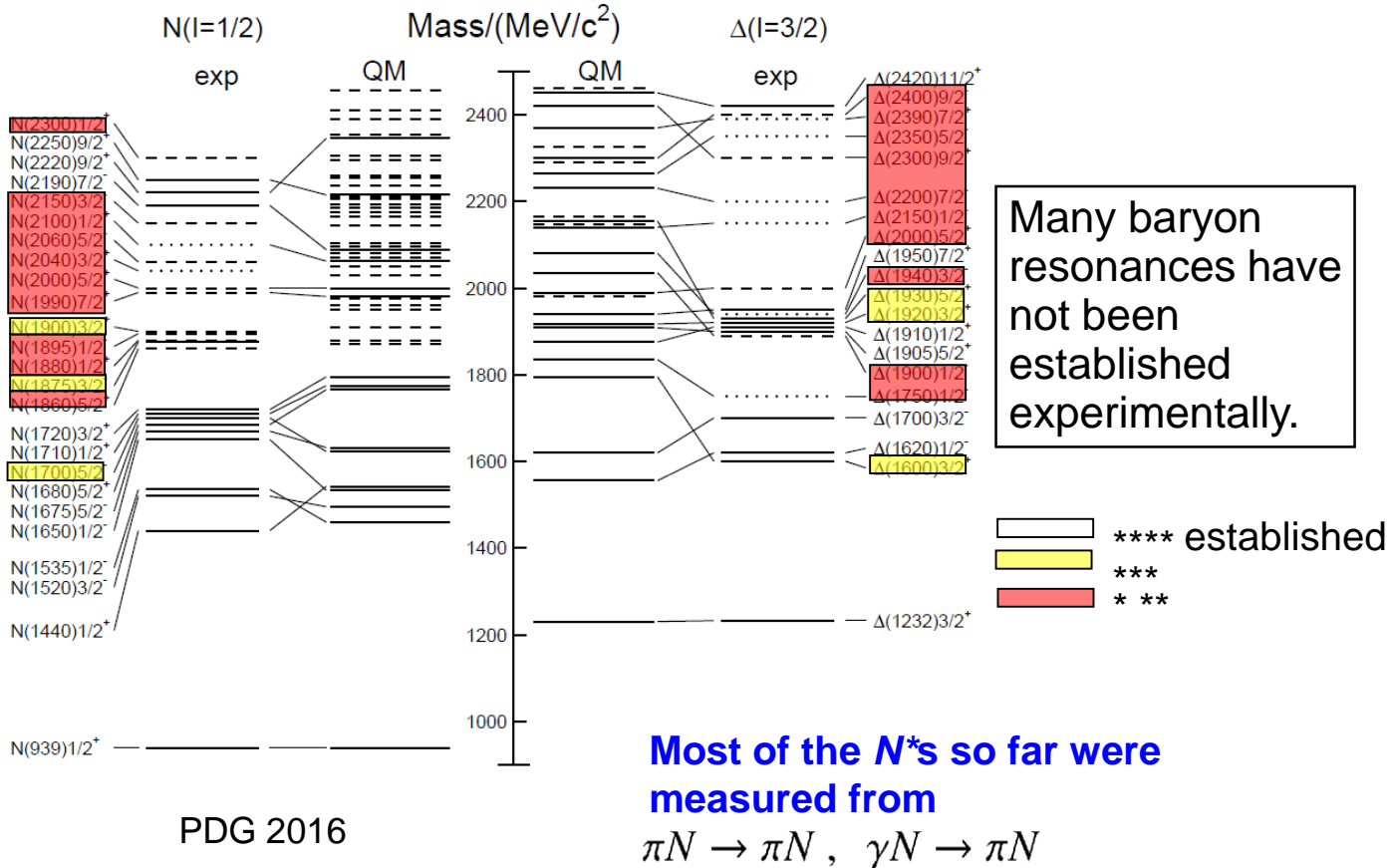
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Proposed to study baryon resonances in $(\pi, 2\pi)$ reactions.

- Precise measurements of baryon resonance properties
- Deeper understanding of non-perturbative QCD
- Search for new baryon states
 - e.g. hybrid baryons ($qqqg$)



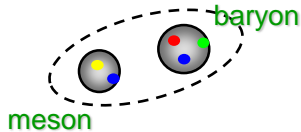
Baryon mass: Experiment vs Quark Model



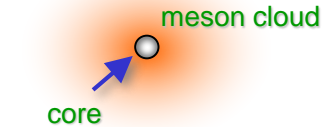
Dynamical Coupled-Channels model (ANL-Osaka)

Matsuyama, Sato, Lee, Phys. Rep. 439, 193 (2007)

Physical N^* s will be a “mixture” of the two pictures:



$$|N^*\rangle = |MB\rangle$$



$$|N^*\rangle = |qqq\rangle + |\text{m.c.}\rangle$$

$$V_{a,b} = v_{a,b} +$$

exchange potentials
of ground state
mesons and baryons

$$\sum_{N^*} \frac{\Gamma_{N^*,a}^\dagger \Gamma_{N^*,b}}{E - M_{N^*}}$$

bare N^* states

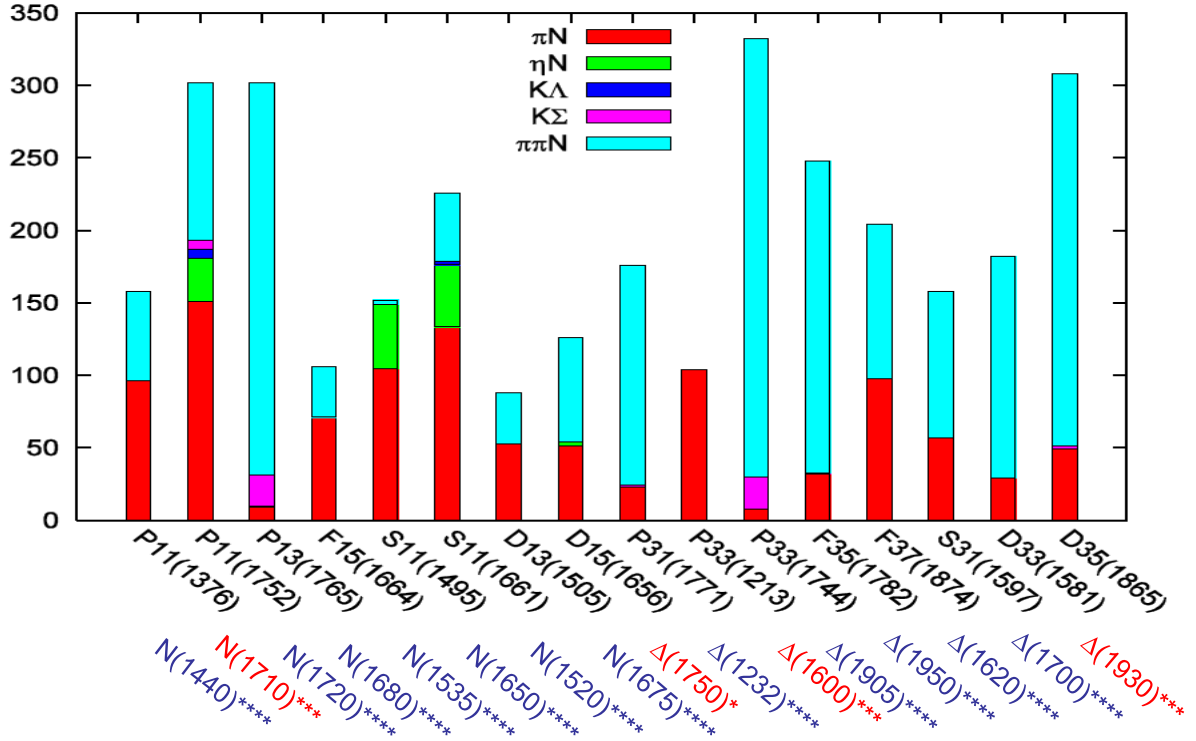
Transition potentials:

H. Kamano, JAEA seminar

Importance of $N\pi\pi$ Decay

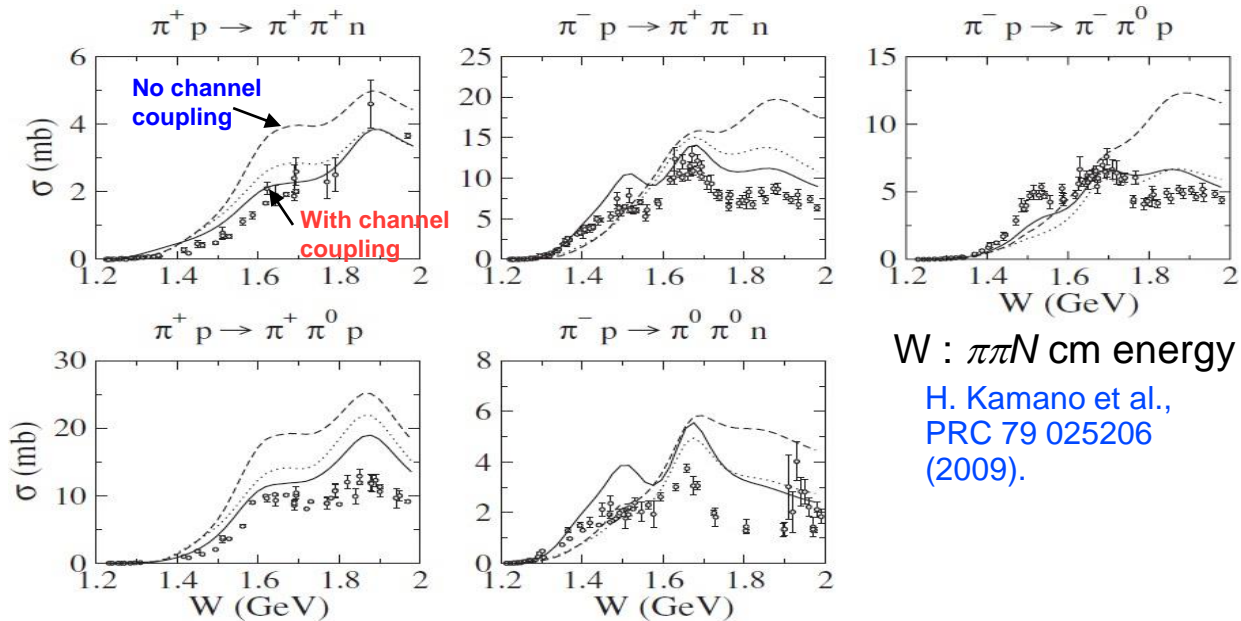
H. Kamano, et al. PRC 79 025206 (2009)

Width of N^* resonances (MeV)



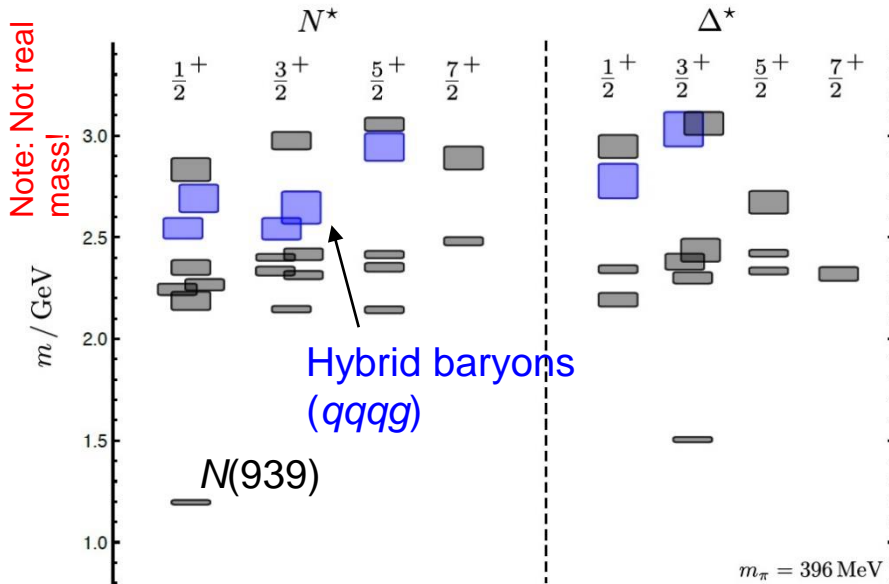
World's $\pi N \rightarrow \pi\pi N$ data

Only 240K events measured in 1970's



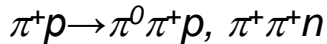
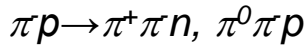
Recent Lattice QCD calculations

J. Dudek et al., PRD85 (2012) 054016

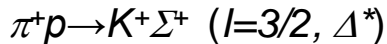
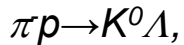


J-PARC E45 spectrometer

Measuring $(\pi, 2\pi)$ in large acceptance TPC (HypTPC)

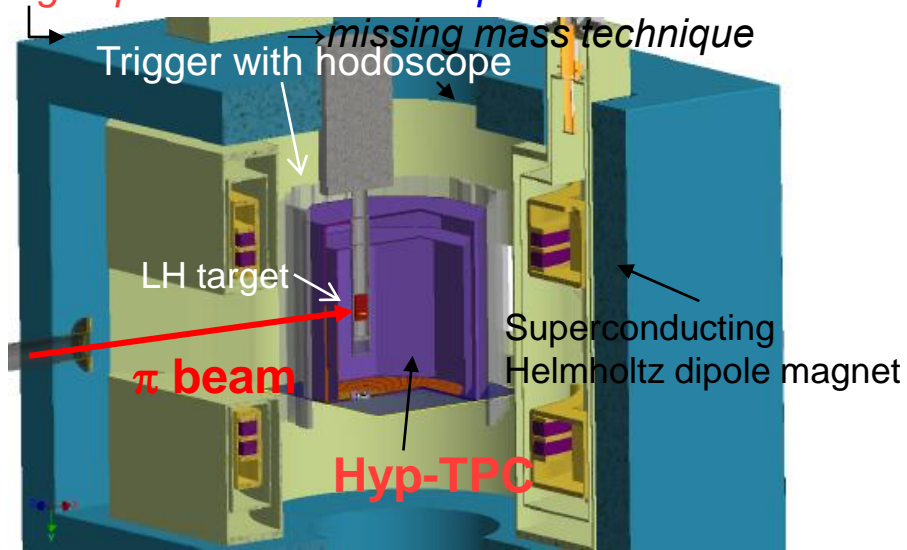


2 charged particles + 1 neutral particle





π^+ beam on liquid-H target

$p = 0.73 - 2.0 \text{ GeV}/c$

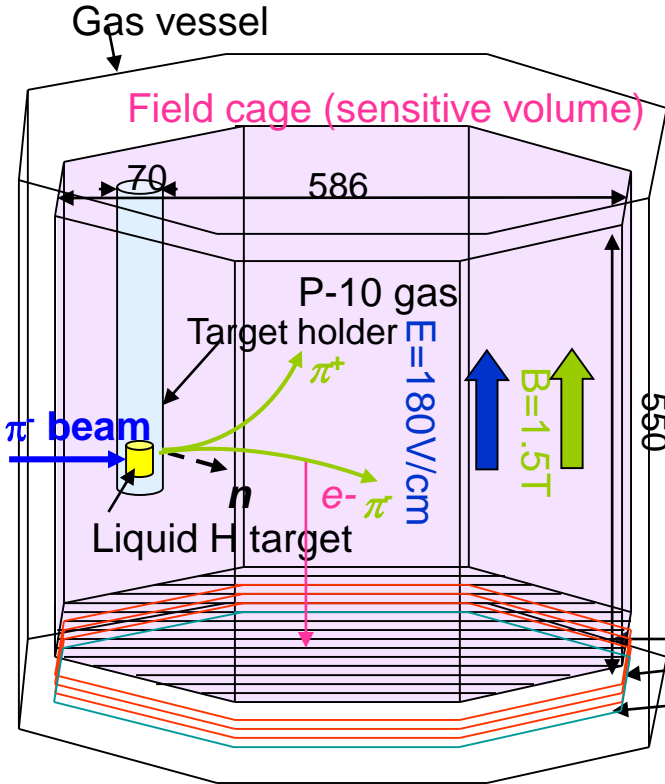


Expected statistics at E45

- π beam rate : $\sim 10^6$ / cycle (6s)
- Liquid H target : 5 cm thickness
- TPC acceptance : 40%
- $(\pi, 2\pi)$ cross section : ~ 2 mb
-  **160 events / cycle (6 s)**
- Background : elastic scattering
3200 events / cycle
- $\pi\pi$ CM energy range : 1.50 – 2.15 GeV
- No. of bins : π beam : 24 (energy) x 20 (angle)
 π^+ beam : 23 (energy) x 20 (angle)
- No. of events / bin : 32 K
-  **30M events in 15 days**

Increase world's $\pi\pi N$ data (240K) by a factor of 130

HypTPC



- Large acceptance
 - Liquid-Hydrogen target inside
- High-rate capability with suppression of positive-ion backflow causing distortion of trajectories
 - Gating Grid
 - GEM (Gas Electron Multiplier)
- Good momentum resolution (1-3%) with B-field and fine-segmented pads
 - 2.5 mm x 10 mm pad
 - No. of pads = 5800

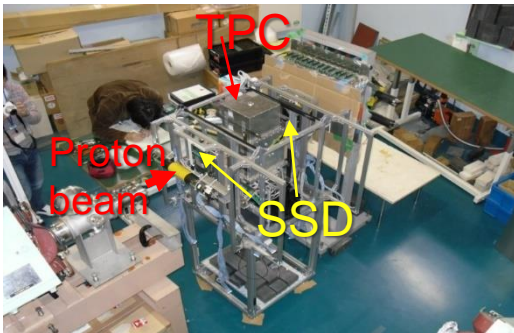
Gating grid wires
GEM (electron amplification)
Pad plane

Prototype TPC test

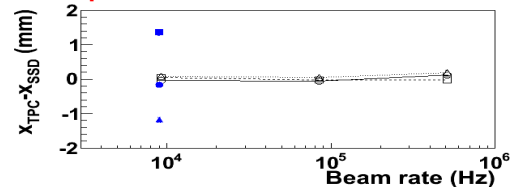
- Beam test at RCNP (Osaka Univ.)

NIMA763(2014)65-81

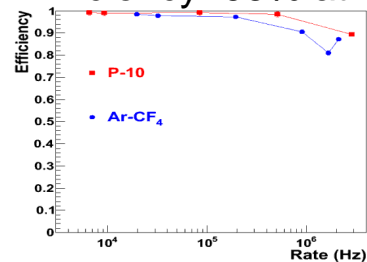
- Proton beam at 400 MeV
- Beam rate up to 10^6 Hz/cm²



Hit position distortion < 0.1 mm

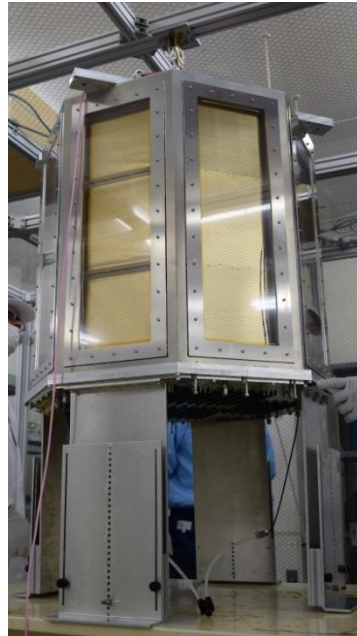
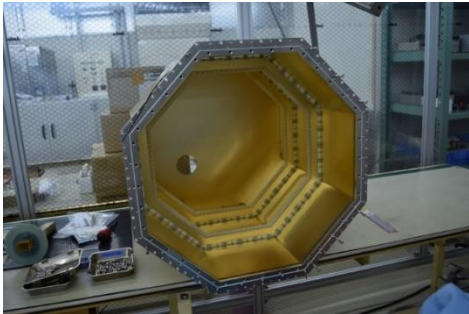


Efficiency > 95% at 10^6 Hz

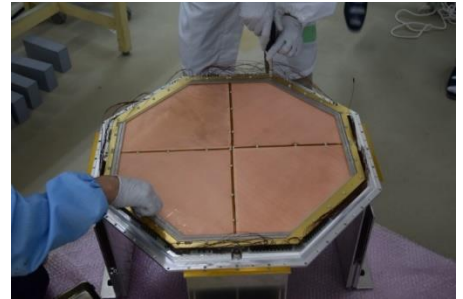


HypTPC

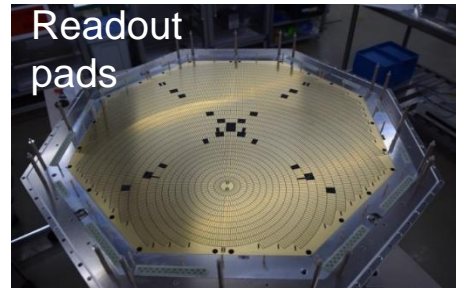
Field cage



GEM



Readout pads

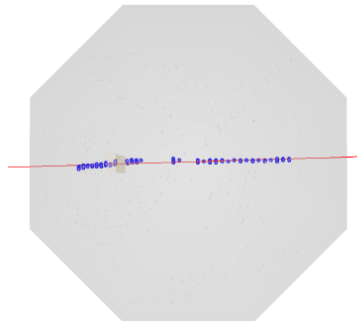
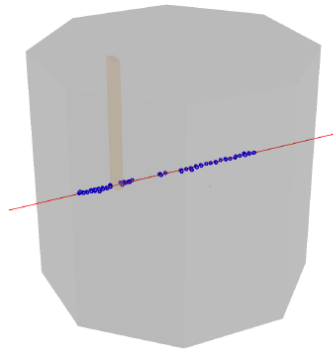
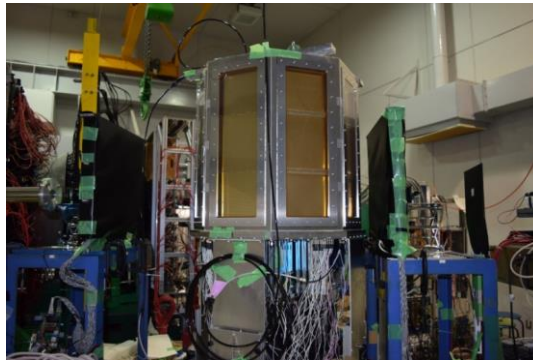
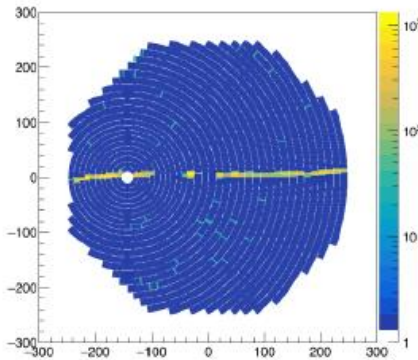


Completed
Beam test at ELPH in
Nov 2016

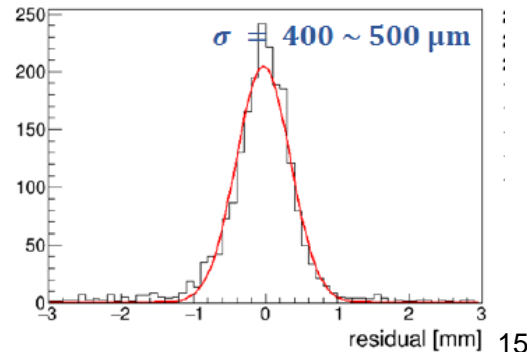
Beam test at ELPH (U. Tohoku)

Nov. 2016

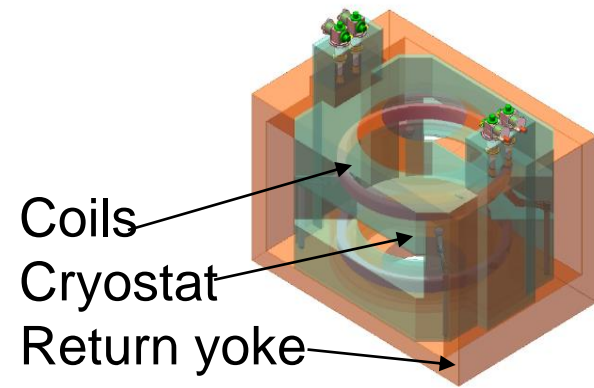
- TPC efficiency and position resolution similar to the designed values



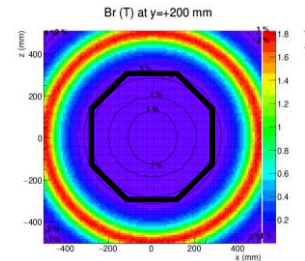
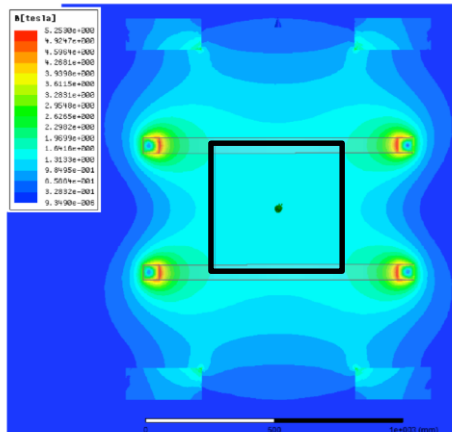
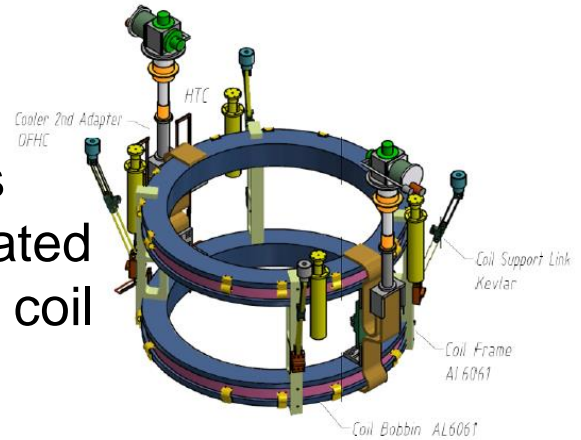
Residual in X



Superconducting Helmholtz magnet



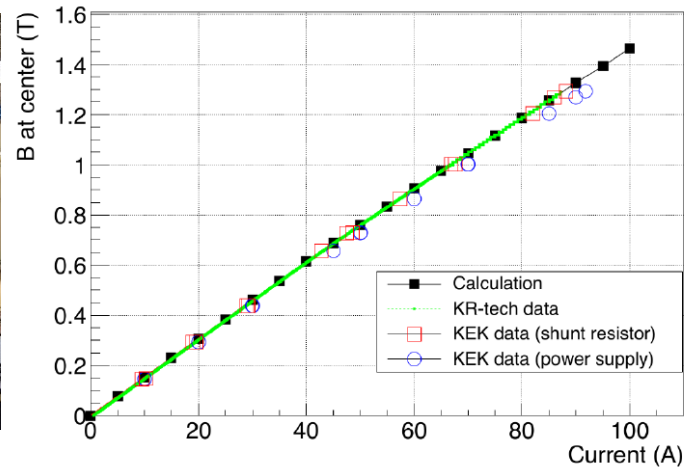
2 coils
separated
by the coil
radius



Br in TPC field cage <1%

Excitation test of Helmholtz magnet

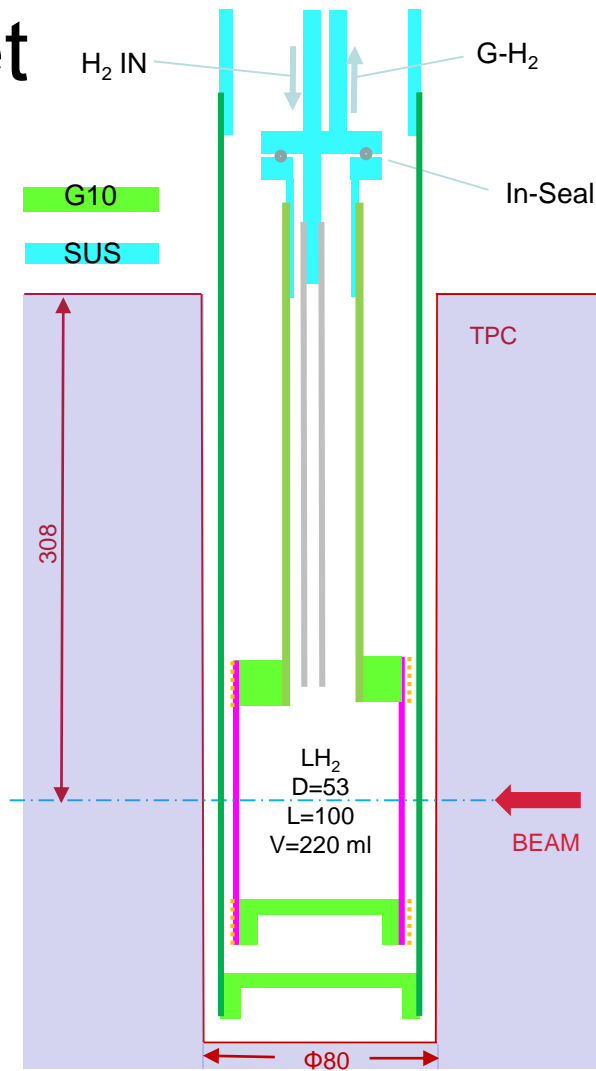
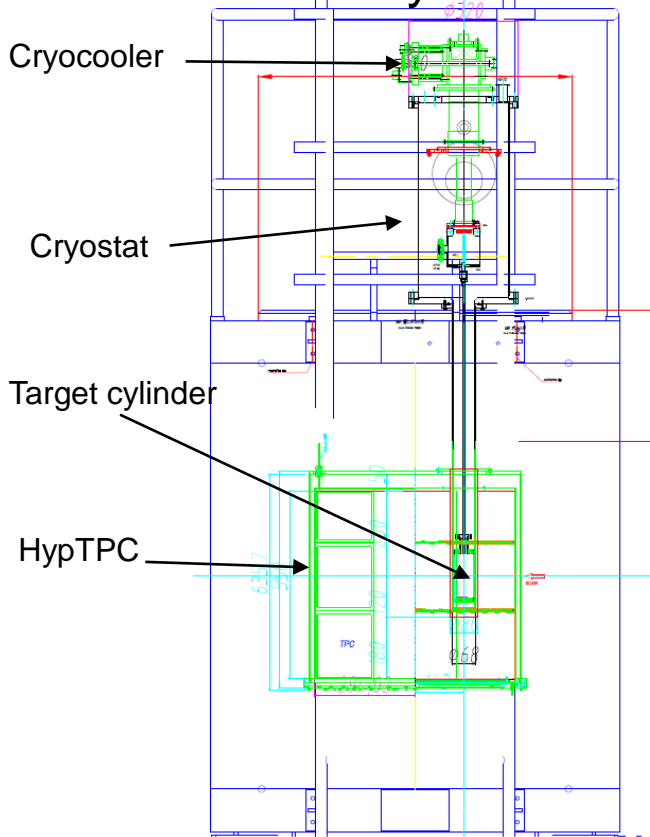
- Excitation test at KEK since Nov. 2016
 - B reached 1.3 T (design value = 1.5T)
- Cosmic ray test with HypTPC planned in 2017



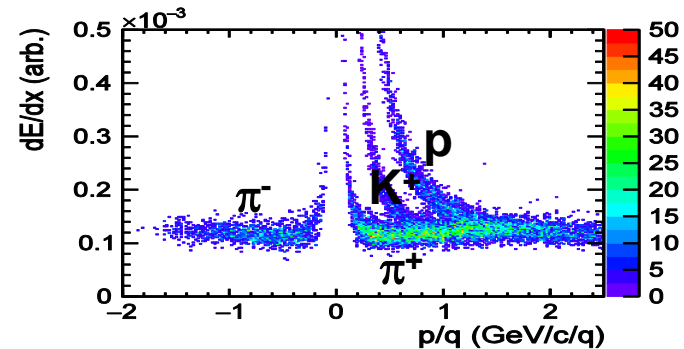
L-H₂ target

Design underway

Construction by Mar 2018



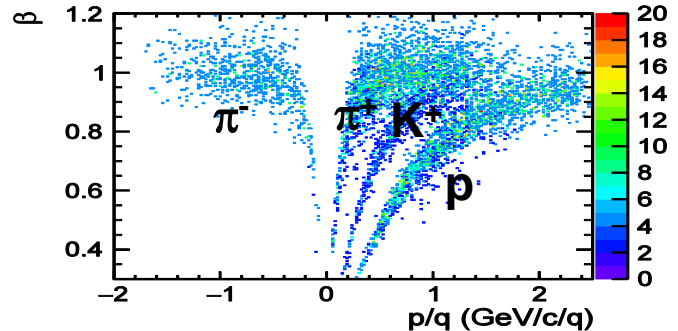
Particle identification (GEANT)



TPC dE/dx

π/K : $p \leq 0.5 \text{ GeV}/c$

π/p : $p \leq 1.1 \text{ GeV}/c$

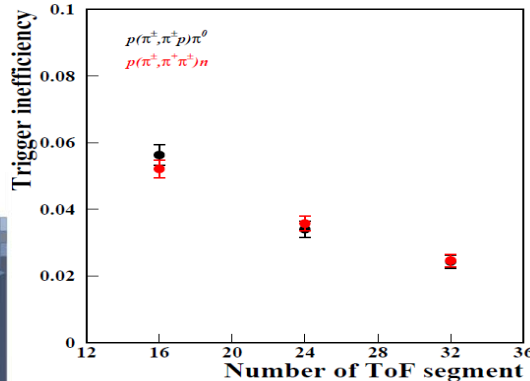
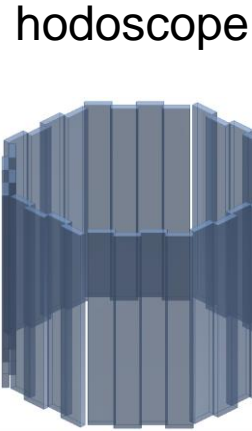


Hodoscope TOF

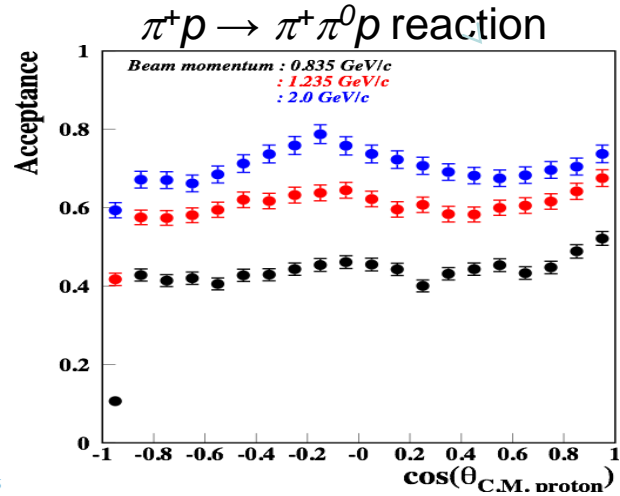
$\sigma_T = 100 \text{ ps}$

Trigger efficiency and acceptance

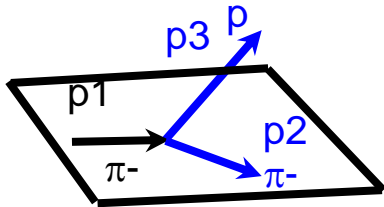
2-charged particle trigger
(inefficiency due to double hit)



Proton momentum > 300 MeV/c

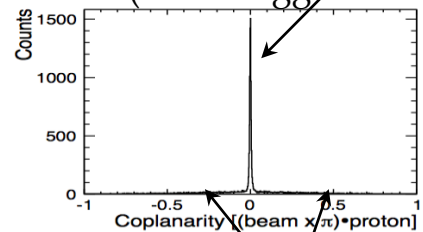


Rejection of elastic scattering



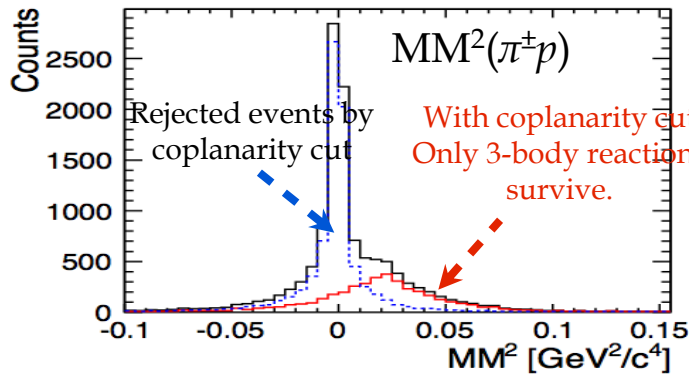
Coplanarity
= cosine of angle
between p_1 and
 $(p_2 \times p_3)$

Elastic scattering
(Same trigger condition)



3-body reaction

$\pi^- p \rightarrow \pi^- \pi^0 p$ reaction



Physics possibilities with HypTPC

- H -dibaryon (E42) : $K^-C \rightarrow K^+HX$, $H \rightarrow \Lambda\Lambda, \Lambda\pi p, \Xi p$
- $\Lambda(1405)$: $\pi p \rightarrow K^0\Lambda(1405)$
 $\Lambda(1405) \rightarrow \Lambda\gamma$ ($\bar{K}N$ compositeness, T. Sekihara, *PRC*89 (2014) 025202)
- K^-pp : $\pi^+d \rightarrow K^+K^-pp$
 $K^-pp \rightarrow \Lambda p, \Sigma^0 p, \Lambda\pi^0 p, \Sigma^0\pi^0 p$
- Ξ excited states:
 $K^-p \rightarrow K^+\Xi^{*-}$, $\Xi^{*-} \rightarrow \Lambda K^-, \Sigma^0 K^-, \Sigma^- K^0, \Xi^- \pi^0, \Xi^0 \pi^-, \Xi^- \gamma$
 $K^-p \rightarrow K^0\Xi^{0*}$, $\Xi^{0*} \rightarrow \Lambda K^0, \Sigma^0 K^0, \Sigma^+ K^-, \Xi^- \pi^+$

Summary and prospect

- J-PARC E45 was proposed to **establish baryon excited states up to 2 GeV/c² in ($\pi, 2\pi$) reactions**, which will increase previous data statistics by two-orders of magnitude.
- Large acceptance E45 spectrometer was designed based on Helmholtz magnet and TPC to measure ($\pi, 2\pi$) reactions with 10⁶Hz pion beams.
- **The spectrometer will be ready in Mar 2018.**
- Final review by J-PARC PAC in Jan. 2018.
- **Approval expected in Jul. 2018 → Ready for beam!**