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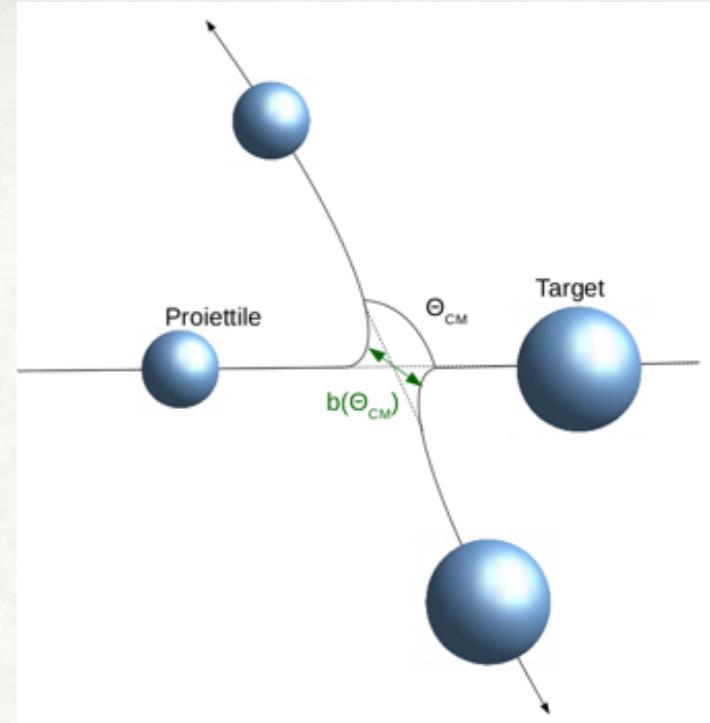
COULOMB EXCITATION AT LNL WITH SPIDER-GALILEO SETUP AND OPPORTUNITIES AT SPES

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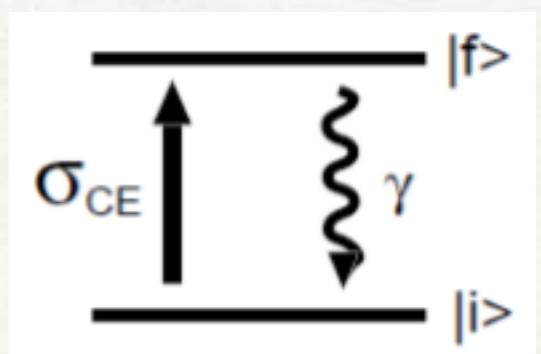
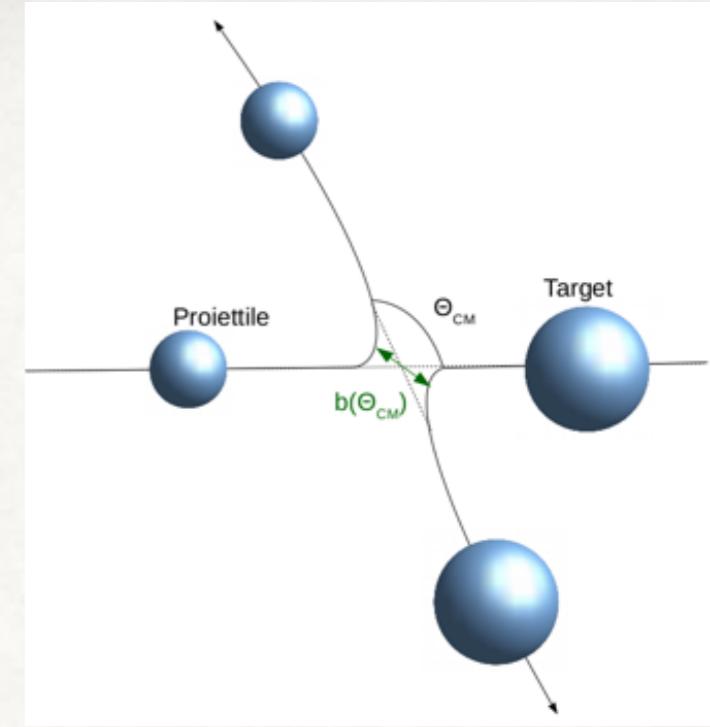


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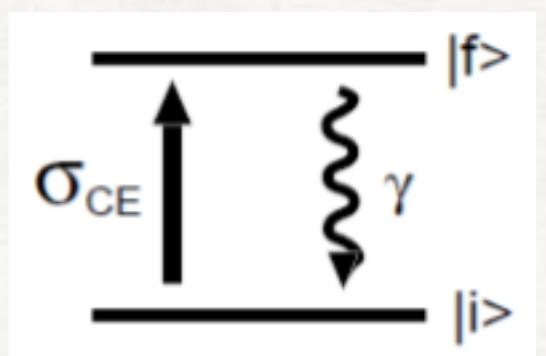
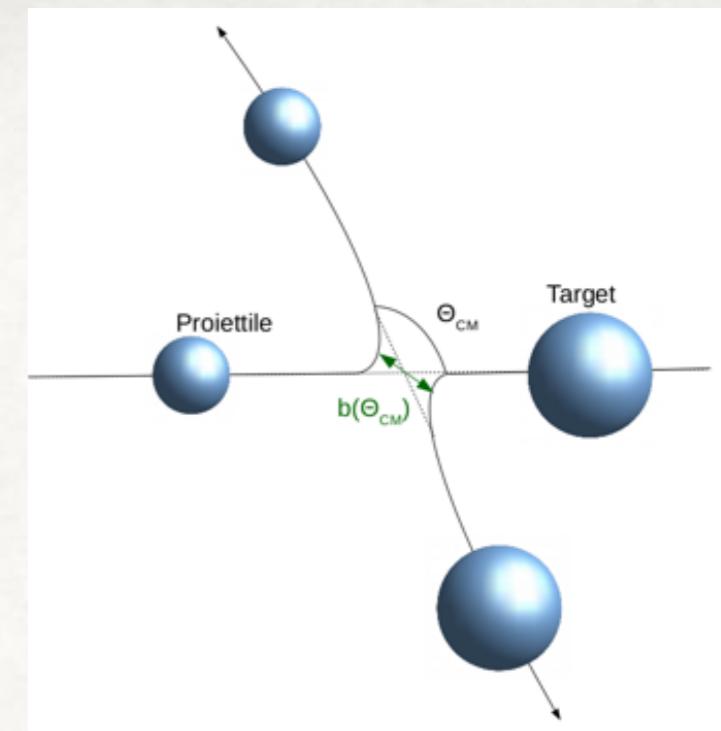
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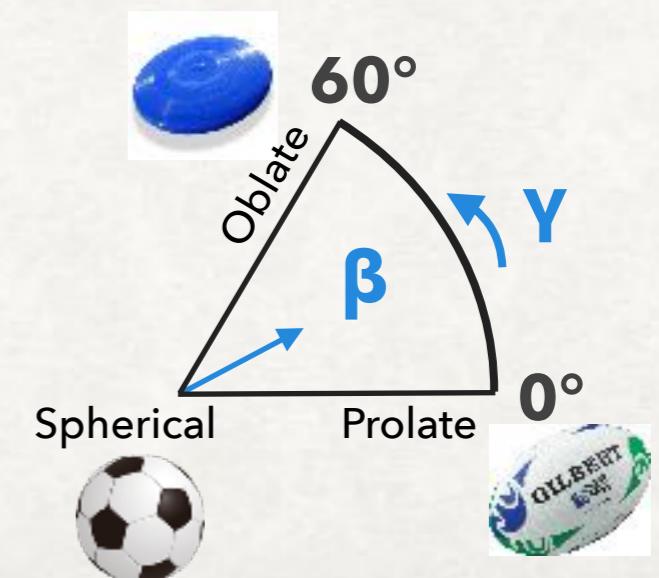
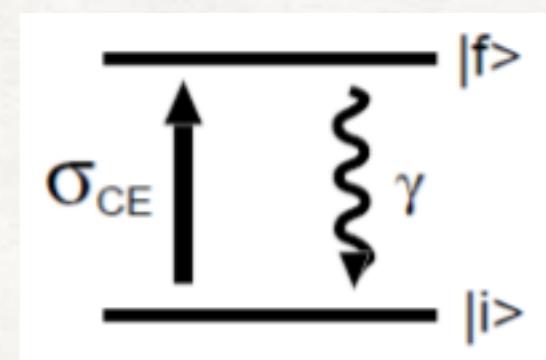
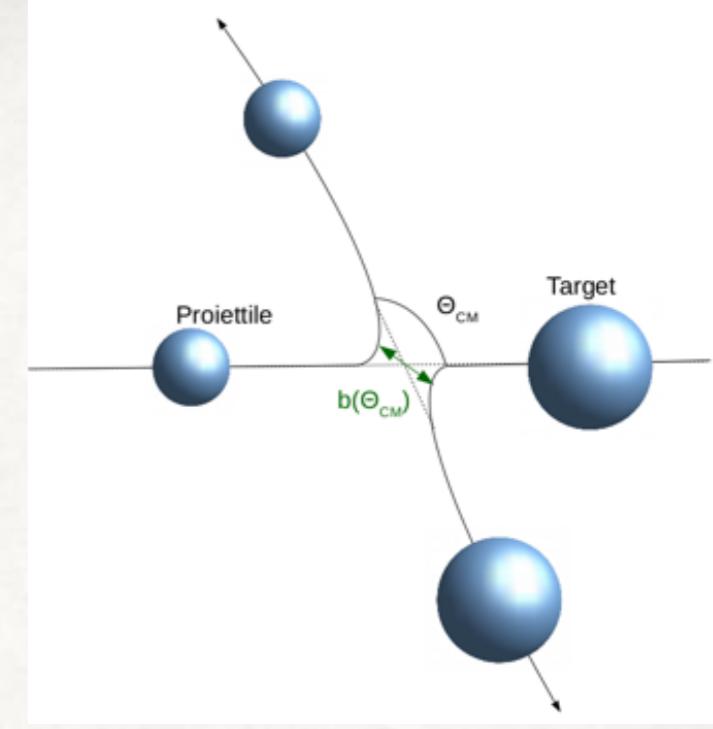
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- ▶ relative signs of matrix elements give information on the shape parameters (quadrupole sum rules)

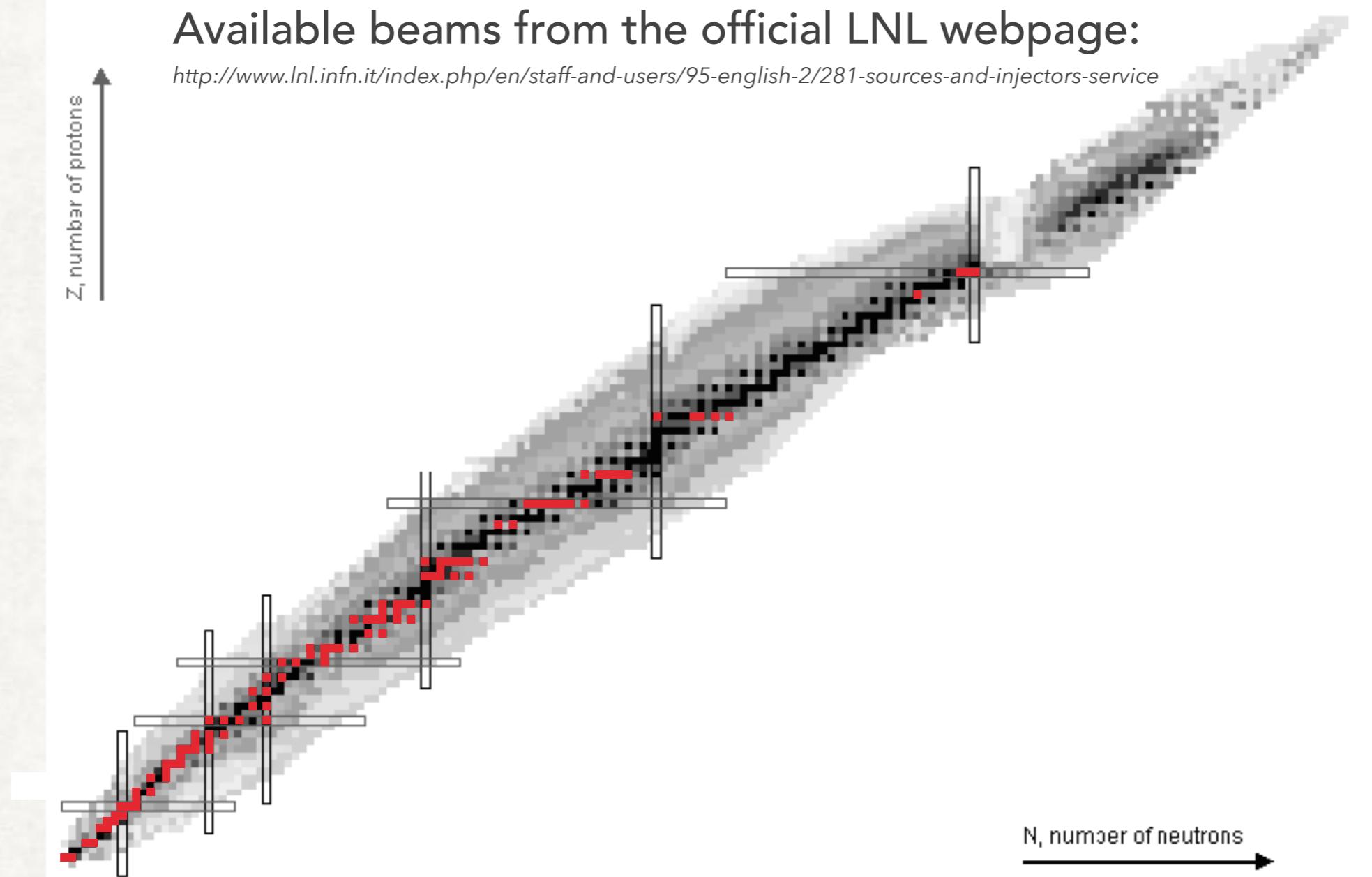


WHY COULOMB EXCITATION @ LNL

- Many possibilities for Coulex with stable beams

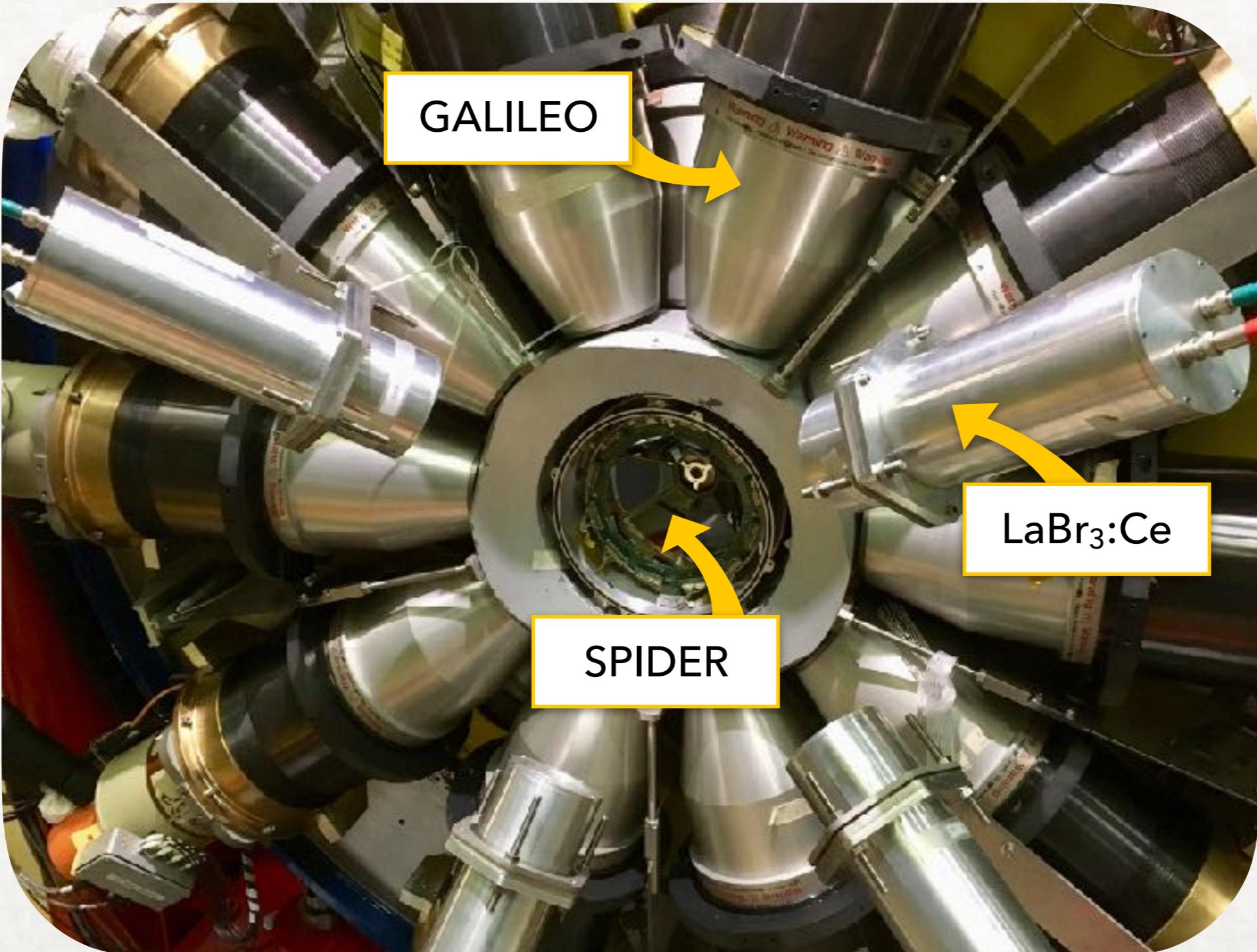
Available beams from the official LNL webpage:

<http://www.lnl.infn.it/index.php/en/staff-and-users/95-english-2/281-sources-and-injectors-service>



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- A new setup is available





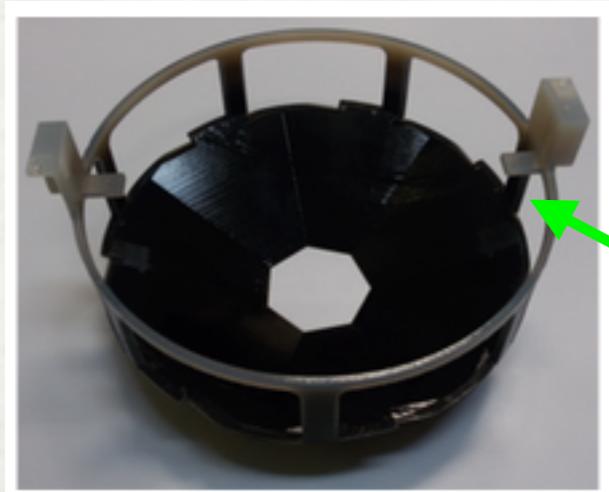
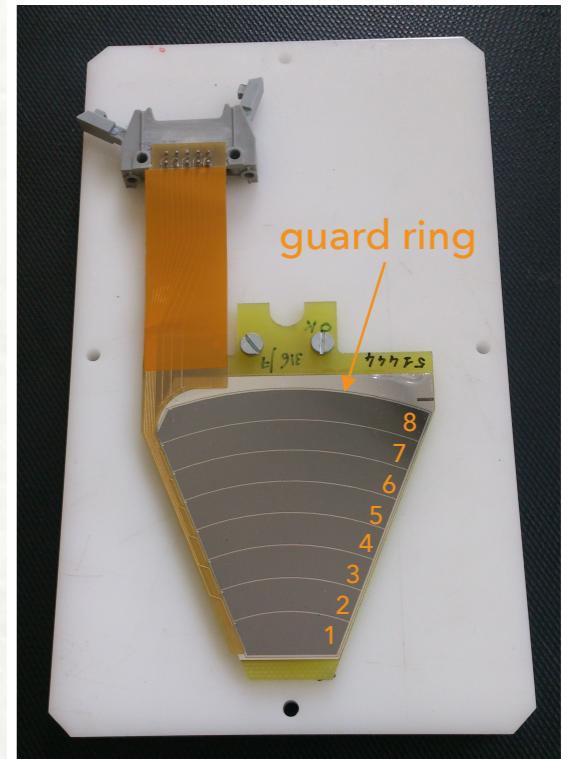
GALILEO 1st Phase

- ▶ 25 HPGe Compton-suppressed detectors (GASP type)
- ▶ FWHM (@1332.5 keV) < 2.4 keV
- ▶ Efficiency (@1332.5 keV) = 2.1%
- ▶ Complete digital DAQ (takes advantage of the developments made for AGATA):
 - ▶ Trigger-less mode
 - ▶ Typical operational rate ~ 20 kHz/det
 - ▶ Common clock synchronization

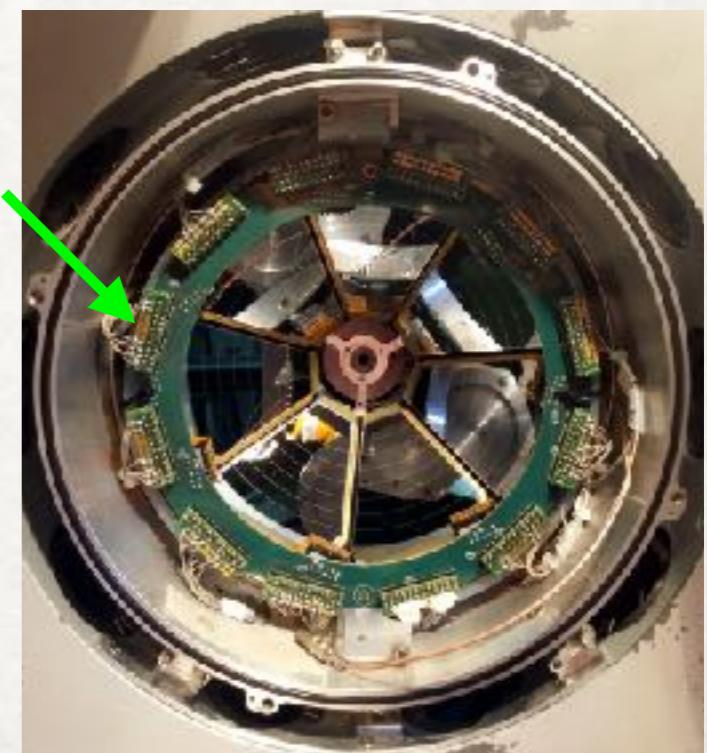
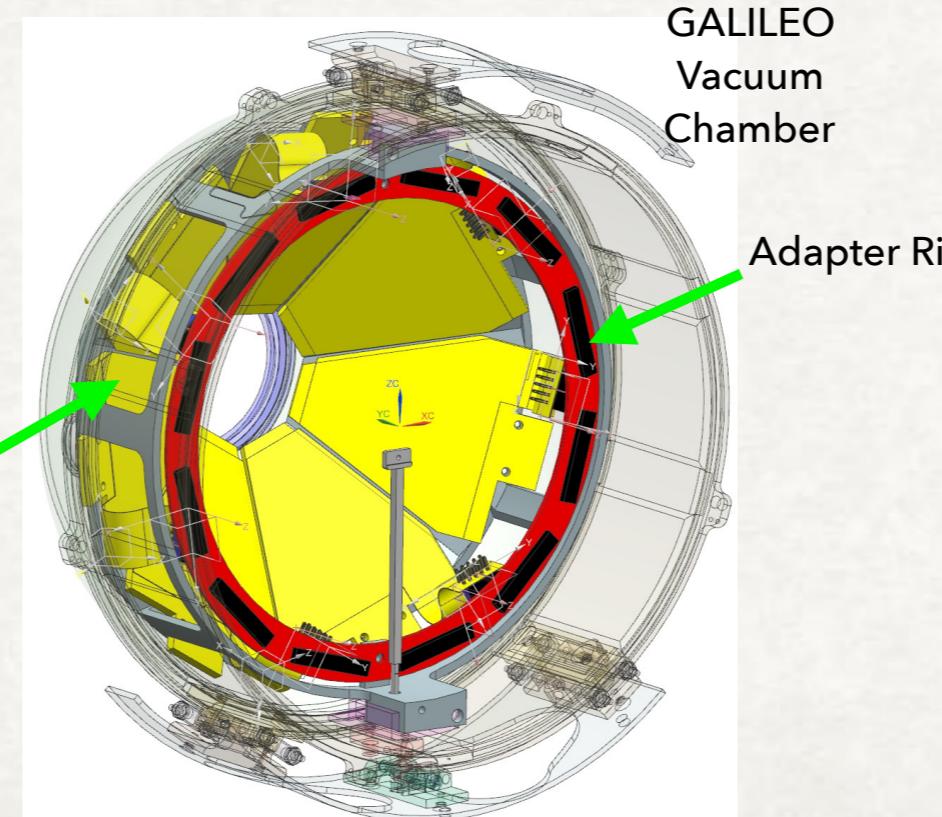


SPIDER Silicon Ple DEtectoR

- ▶ 8 independent sectors, 8 strips + guard ring
- ▶ Detector thickness $\sim 300 \mu\text{m}$
- ▶ FWHM $\sim 21 \text{ keV}$ for α -particles @ $\sim 5.5 \text{ MeV}$
- ▶ modularity: with GALILEO cone configuration (7 sectors) at backward angles $\Rightarrow \Delta\Theta = 37.4^\circ$, $\Omega/4\pi = 17.3\%$



SPIDER frame

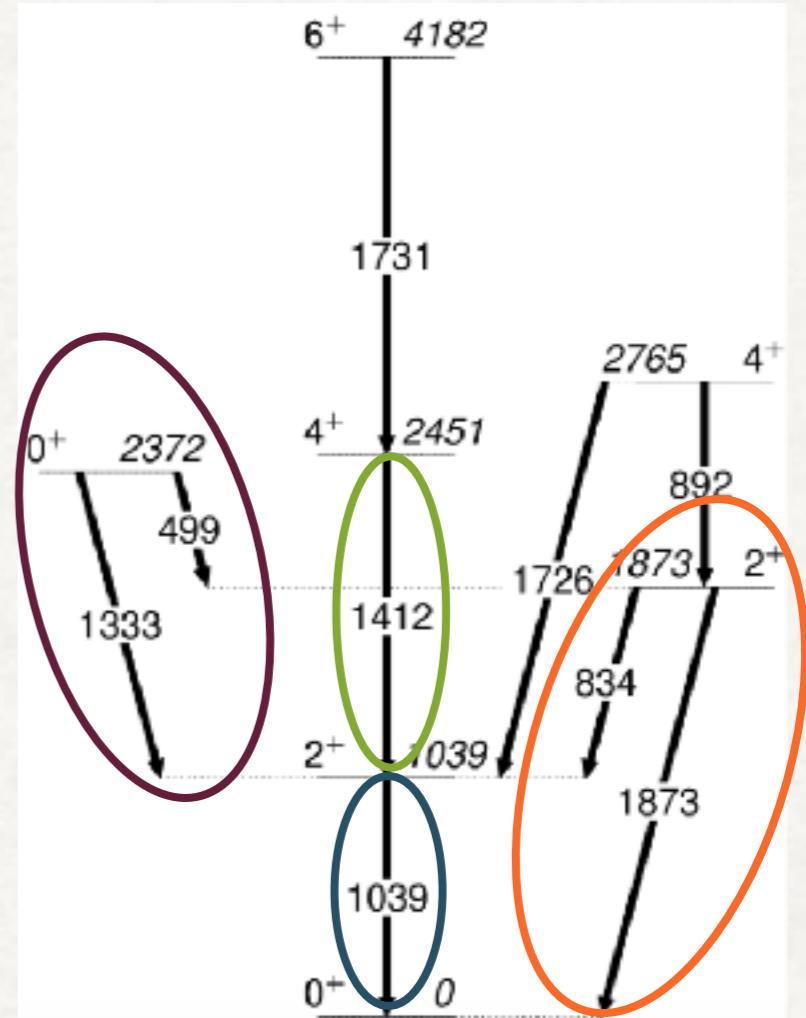




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- ▶ Commissioning: $B(E2; 2_1^+ \rightarrow 0_1^+)$ and $Q(2_1^+)$ known with high precision.
- ▶ But also new physics:
 - ▶ Shape of 0_2^+ ? $B(E2)$ value unknown
 - ▶ Is the 2_2^+ high-collective or not? Discrepant values for its lifetime
 - ▶ Is the 4_1^+ collective or not? Discrepant values for the $B(E2; 4_1^+ \rightarrow 2_1^+)$
- ▶ Beam: ^{66}Zn (240 MeV, 1 — 1.5 pnA)
- ▶ Target: 1 mg/cm² of ^{208}Pb

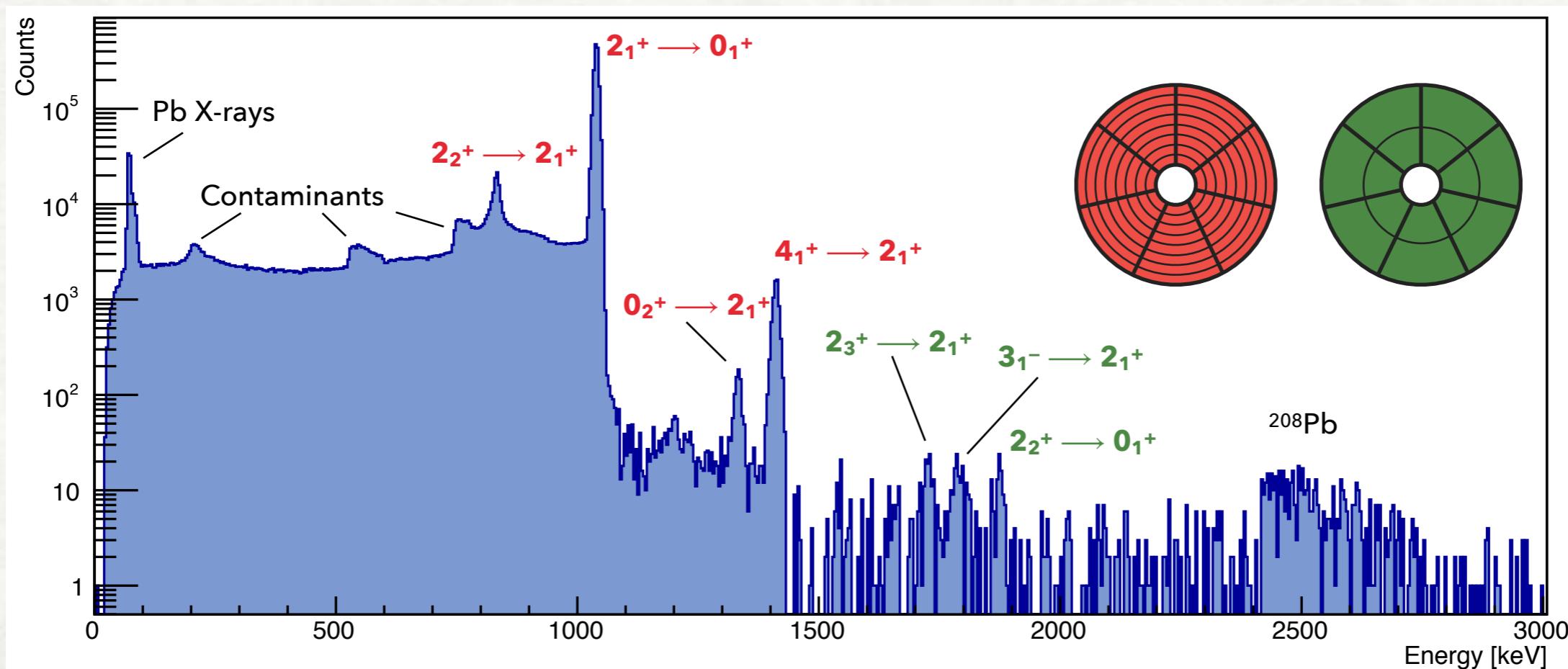


COULEX @ LNL SPIDER&GALILEO

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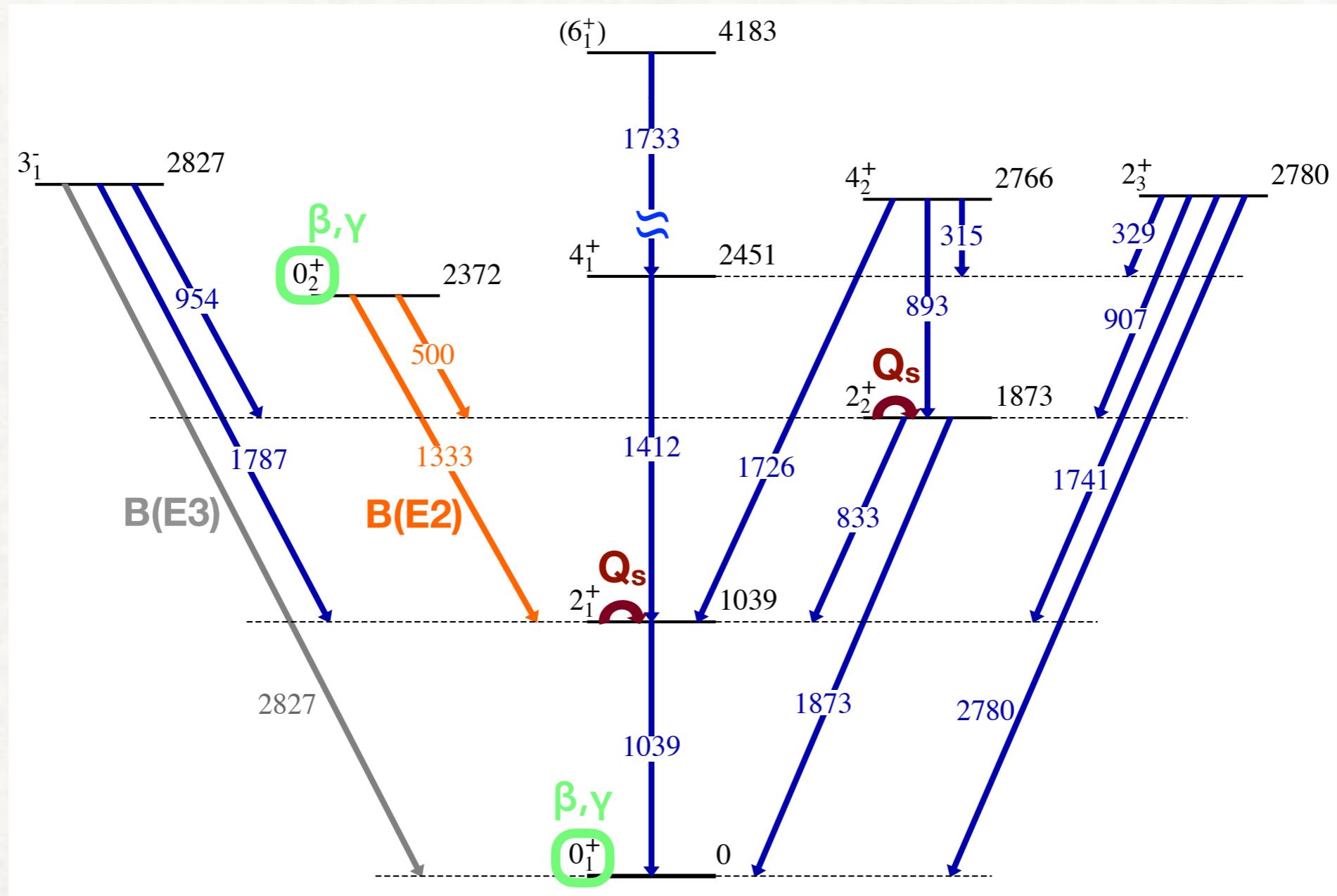
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- ▶ validation of the setup performances: the **data already available in the literature have been confirmed**



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PhD thesis M. Rocchini (University of Florence)

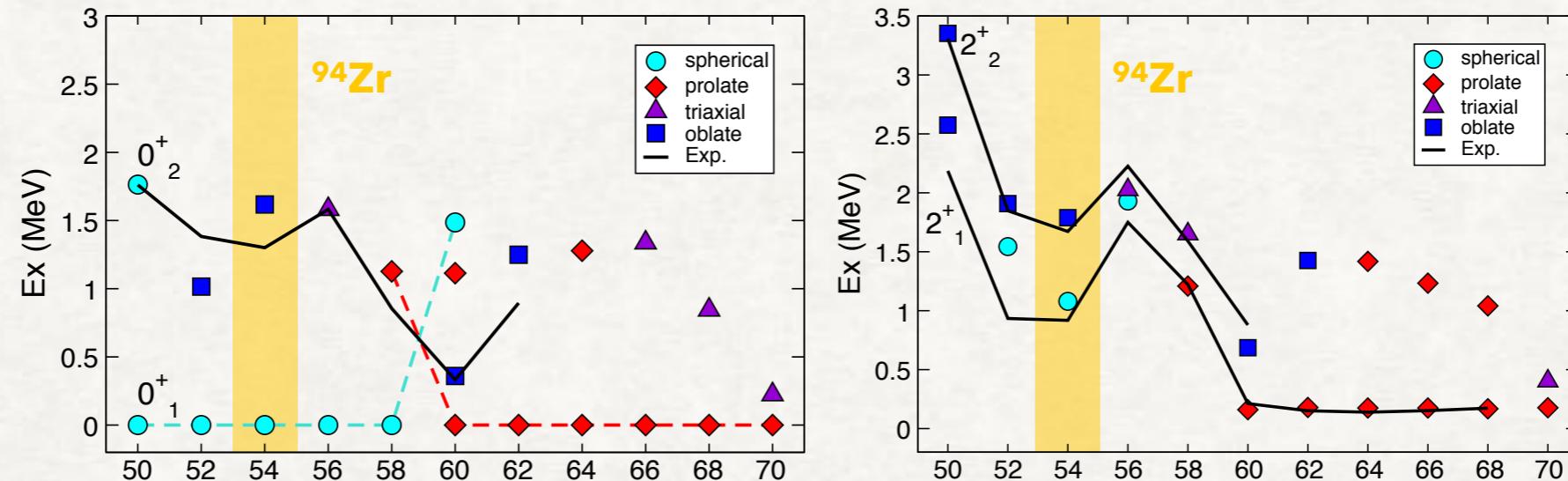


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- Recent state-of-the-art Monte Carlo shell model calculations predict shape coexistence in Zr isotopes.

T. Togashi, Y. Tsunoda, T. Otsuka e N. Shimizu, Phys. Rev. Lett. **117**, 172502 (2016)



- Observation of a strong $2^+_2 \rightarrow 0^+_2$ transition (19 W.u.*) suggests a deformed band built on 0^+_2

* A. Chakraborty et al., PRL 110, 022504 (2013).



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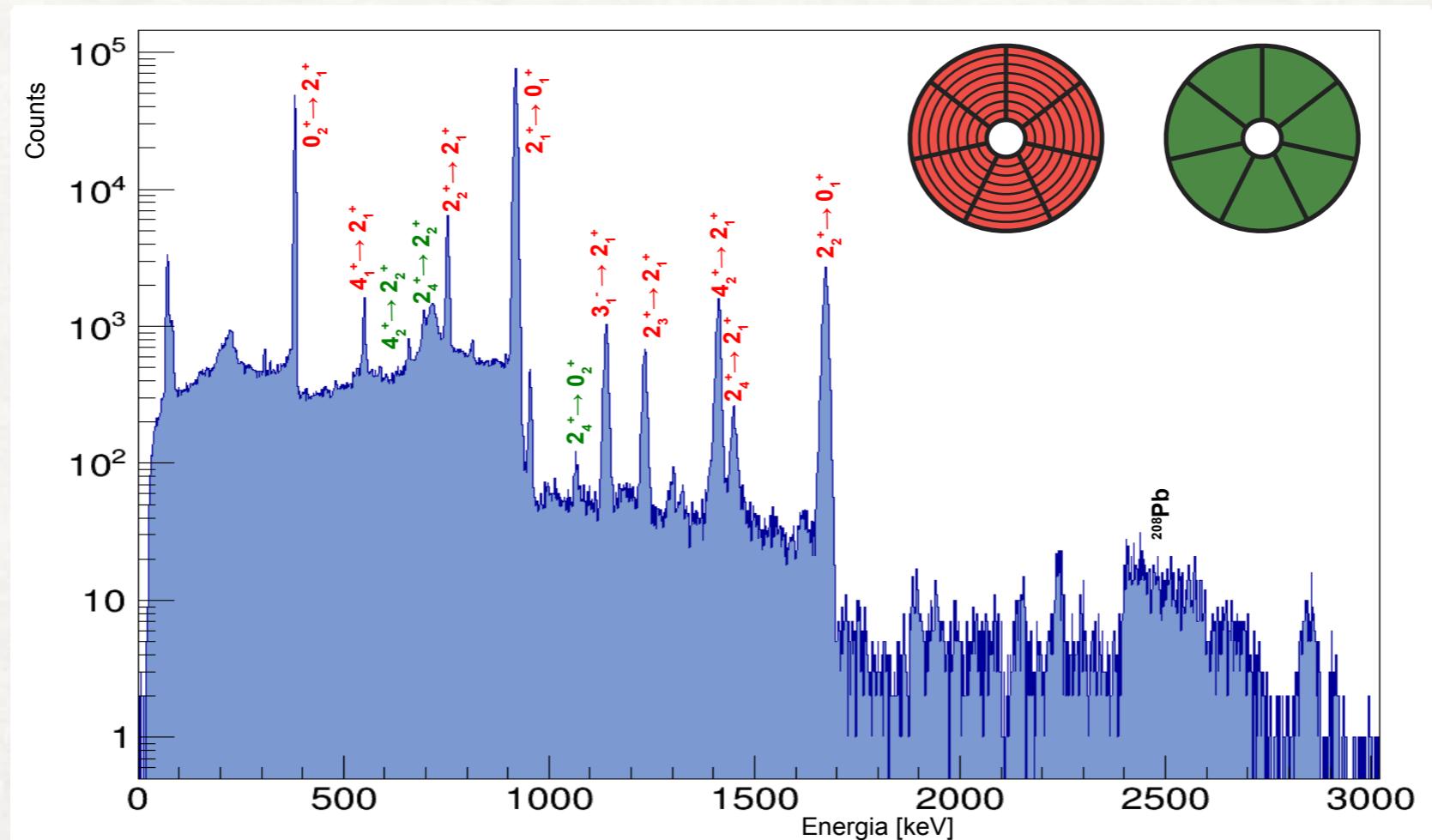
- ▶ Beam: ^{94}Zr (370 MeV, 1 — 1.5 pnA)
- ▶ Target: 1 mg/cm² of ^{208}Pb
- ▶ Six 3"X3" LaBr₃:Ce used for the first time in COULEX @LNL
 - ▶ FWHM (@1332.5 keV) ~ 2%
 - ▶ Efficiency (@1332.5 keV) = 4%



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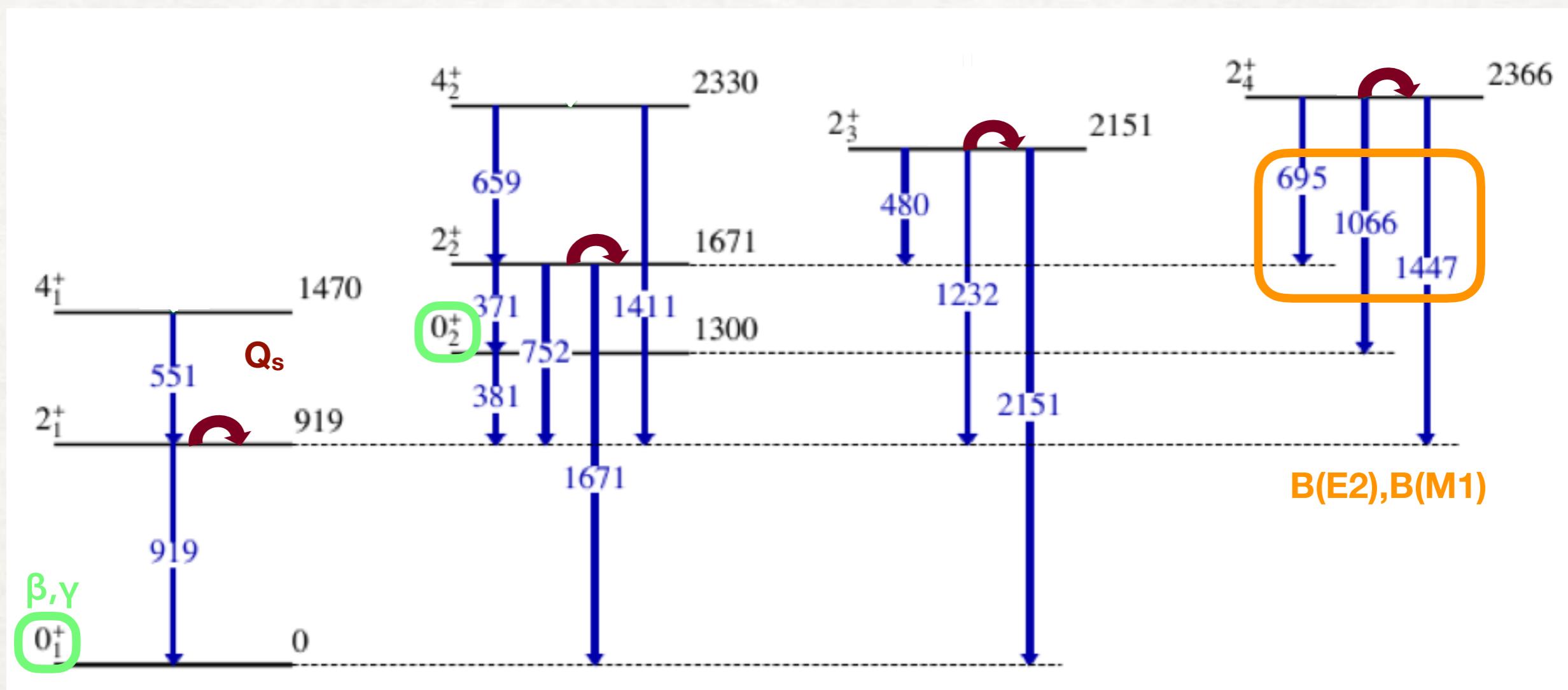




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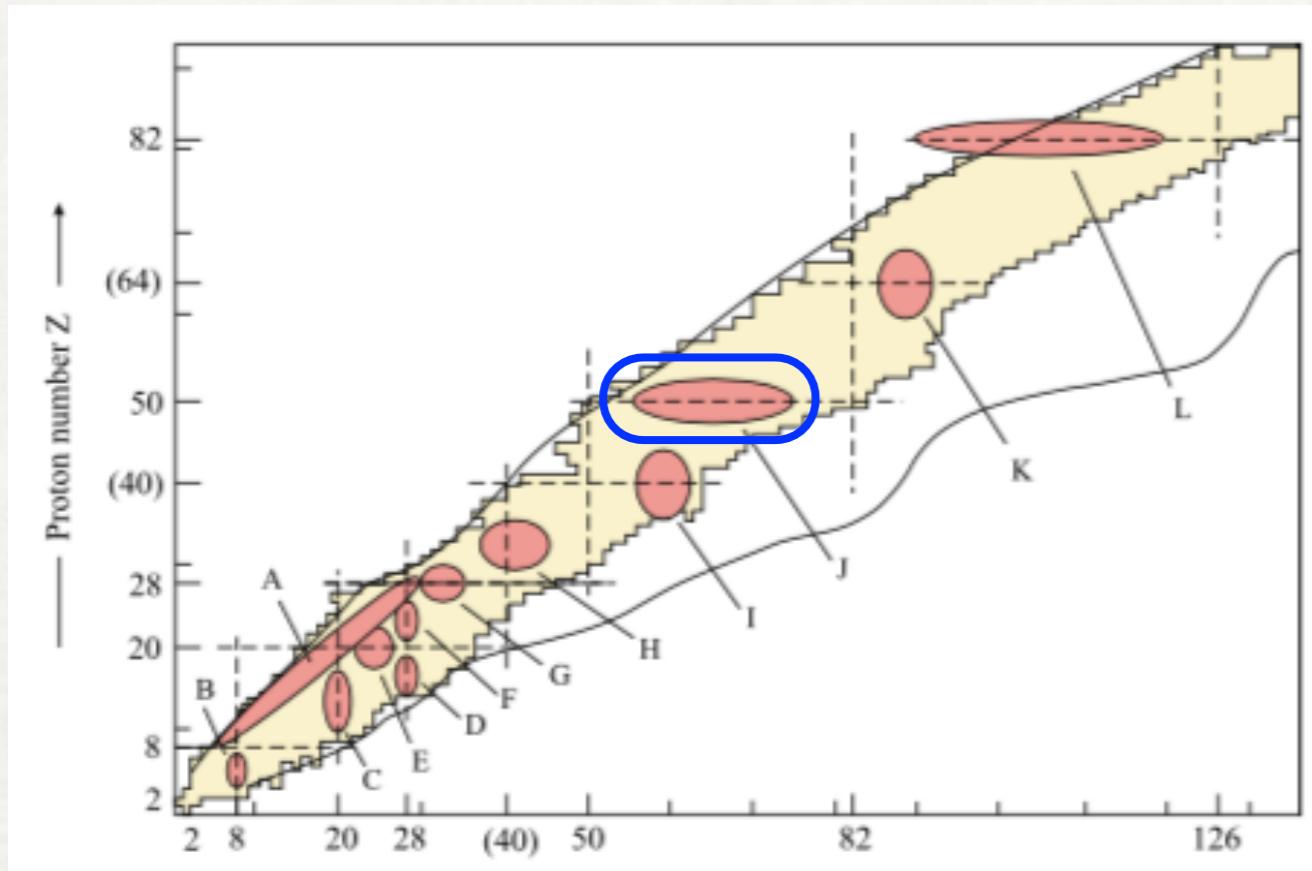
First results of GOSIA analysis: master thesis N. Marchini (University of Florence)





Shape Coexistence in the Tin isotopic chain: Coulomb Excitation measurement of ^{116}Sn

Spokespersons: M. Saxena, M. Siciliano, A. Illana



K. Heyde and J. Woods, Rev. Mod. Phys. 83 (2011) 1467

- ▶ The semi-magic Sn isotopes represent a good case to study shape coexistence
- ▶ Within Sn isotopes ^{116}Sn intriguing position $Z=50, N=66$
- ▶ Discrepant values for the 2_1^+ quadrupole moments in the literature

- ▶ Presence of isomer limits the investigation of the electromagnetic properties of low-lying states —> Coulomb Excitation



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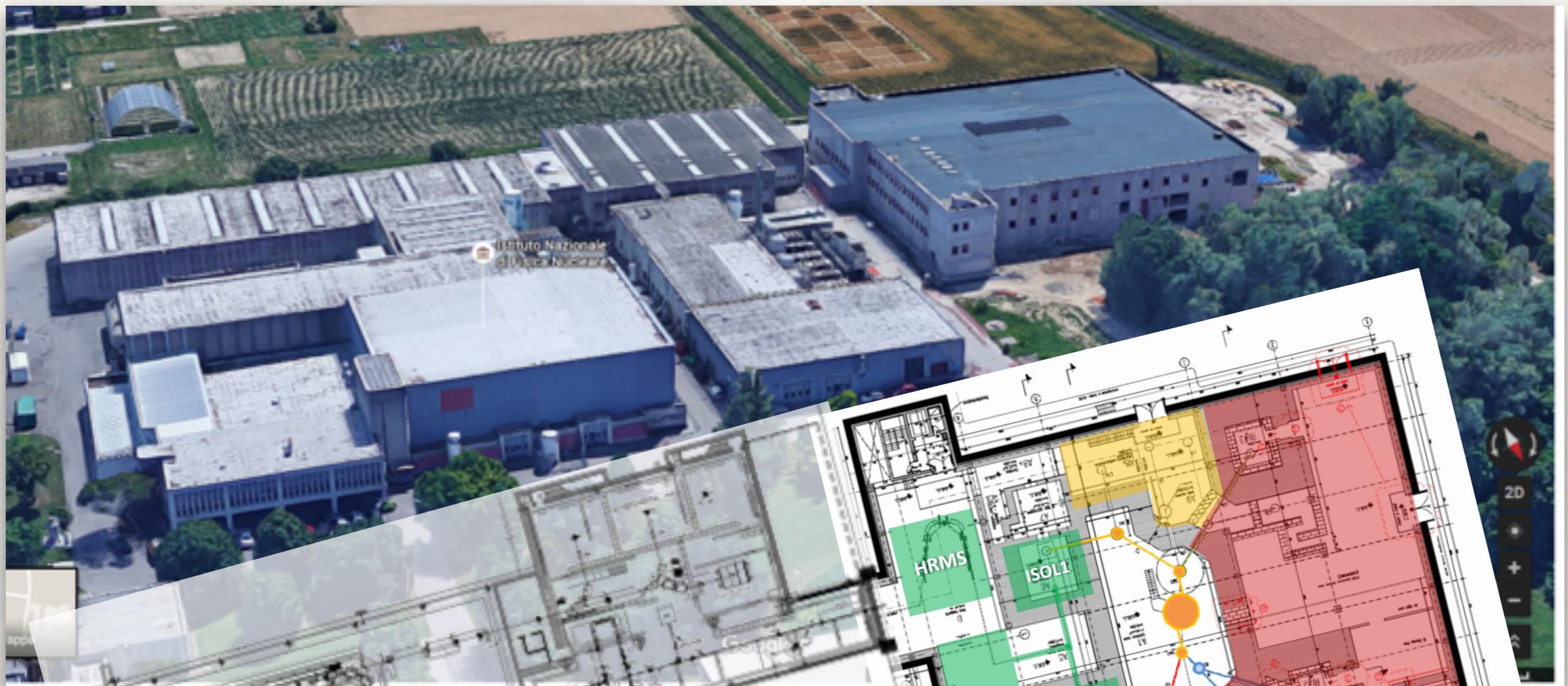
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A second experiment on Coulomb Excitation of a ^{58}Ni beam on a ^{196}Pt target will be performed next year.

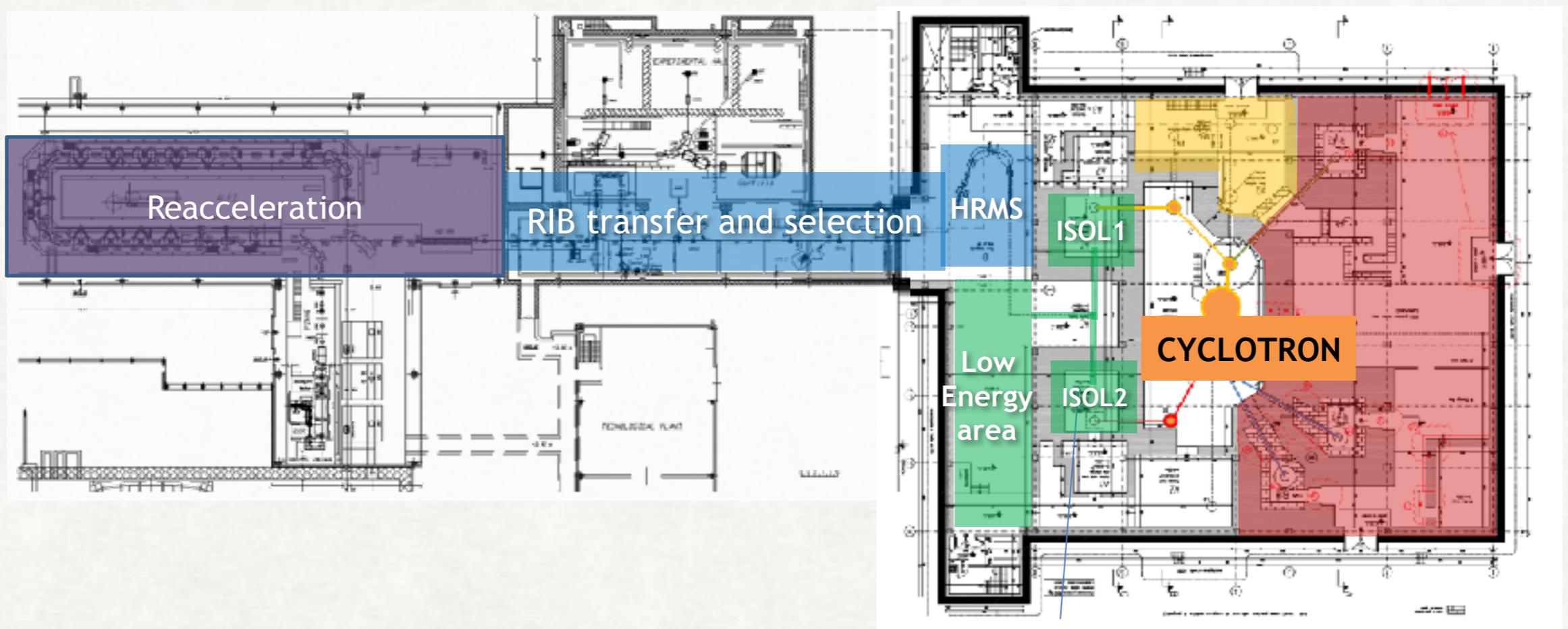
Coulomb Excitation of ^{58}Ni : Collectivity Near the Doubly Magic ^{56}Ni Nucleus

Spokespersons: M. Rocchini, A. Nannini



- New High power compact CYCLOTRON 70 MeV 750 microA (BEST company)
- New configuration of High power ISOL System (8 kW Target ion source)
- ALPI superconductive linac (up-graded) for RIB's reacceleration

SPES layout



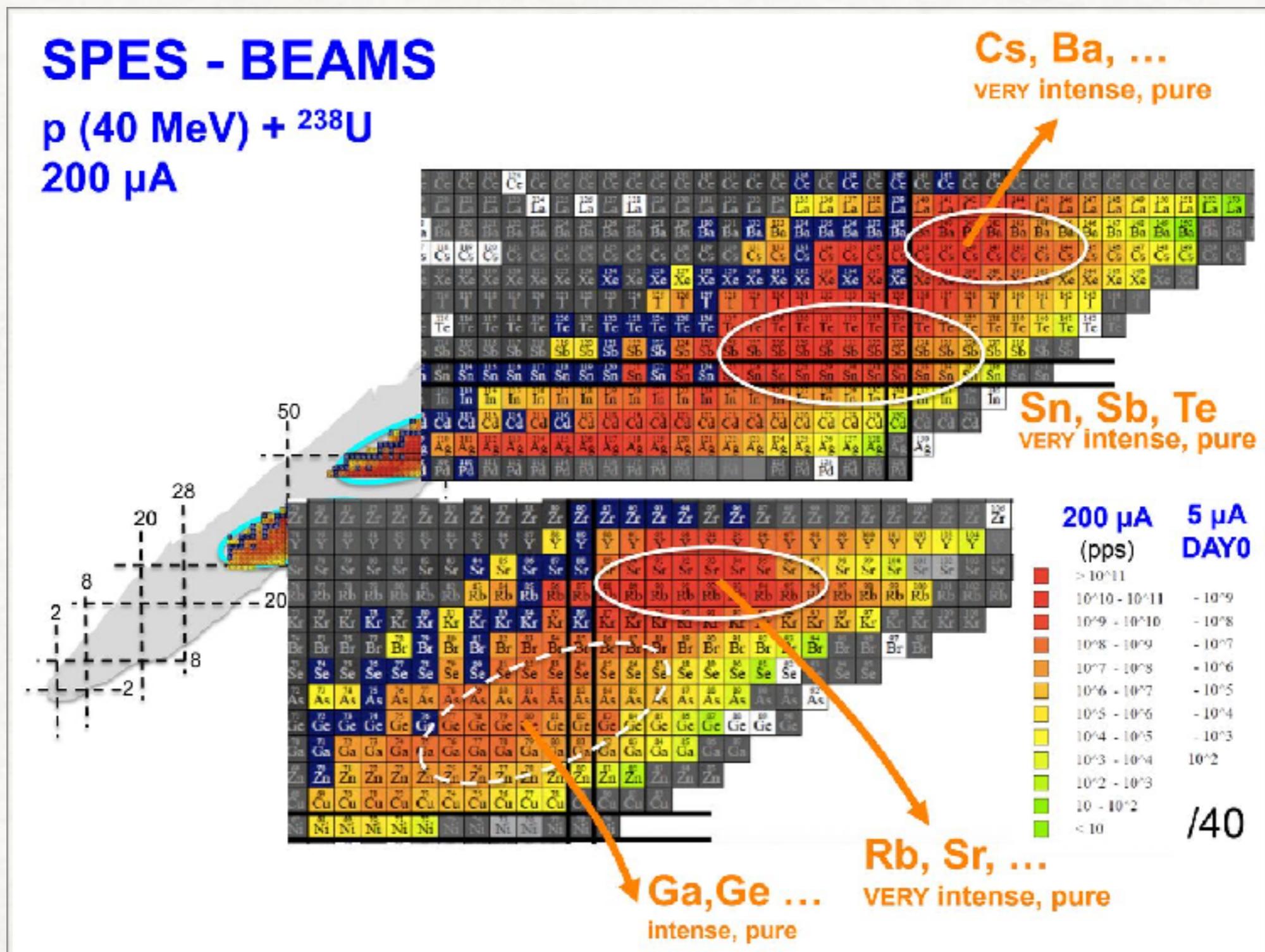
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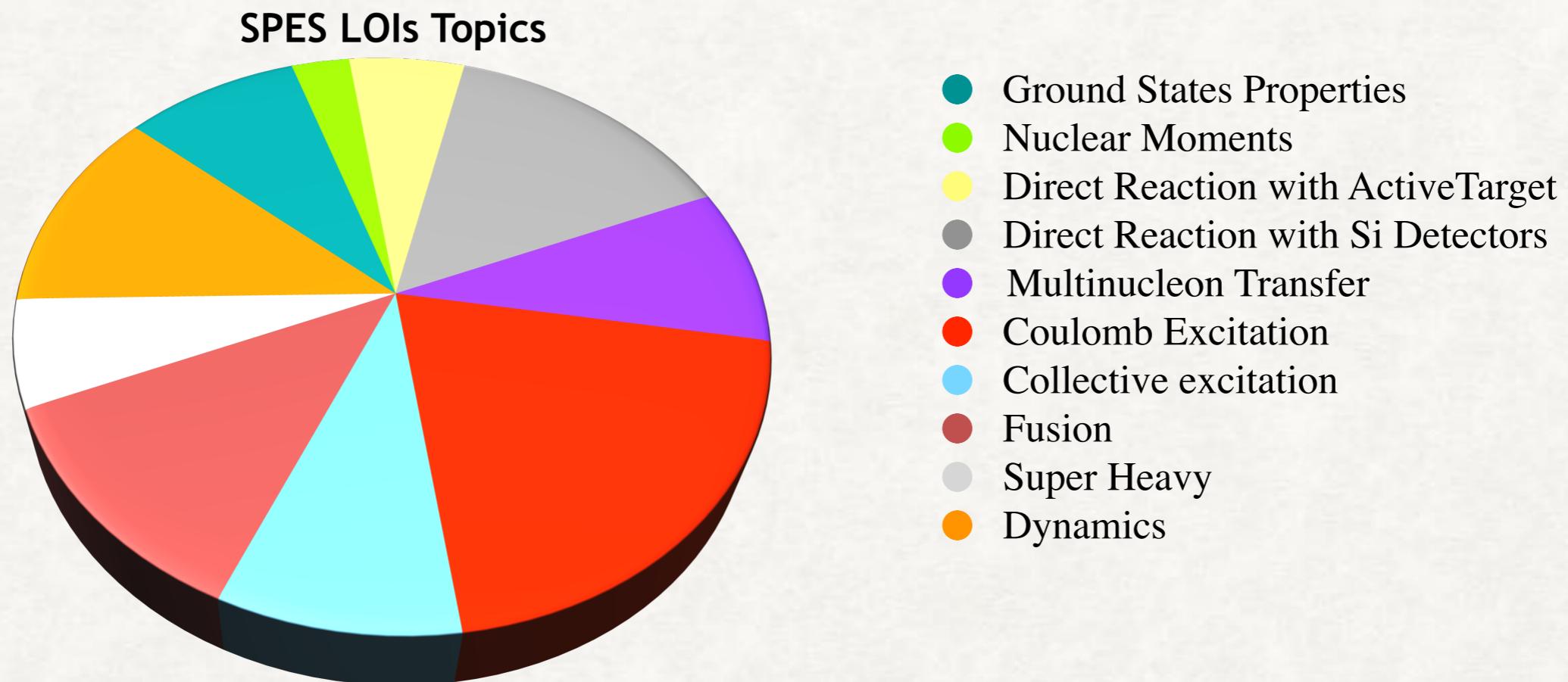
1/20.000 Mass separator (Beam Cooler + HRMS)
Electrostatic beam transport
Charge Breeder (n^+)
1/1000 mass separator

ISOL bunkers
1/200 mass separator
low energy experimental area

Radioisotopes
production area



SPES International Workshop: 47 Letter of Intents



SUMMARY AND OUTLOOK

- ▶ Coulomb Excitation @LNL with stable beams is on-going
- ▶ Proposals for the next years are under discussion
- ▶ Near future: 2nd phase GALILEO 30 GASP detectors + 10 triple cluster
- ▶ Far future: Coulex @LNL with SPES radioactive beams

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