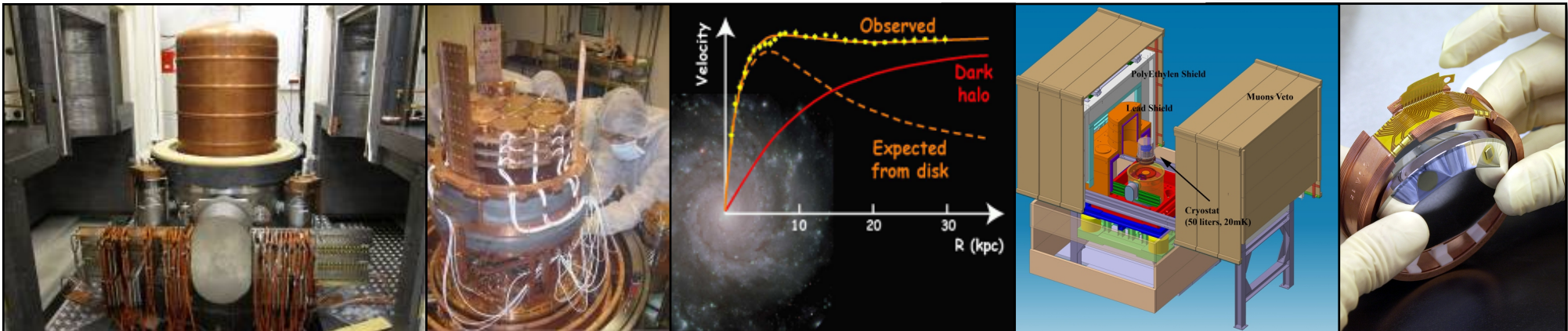


# EDELWEISS-II direct dark matter search experiment

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**GDR TERASCALE, Lyon April 19<sup>th</sup> 2011**

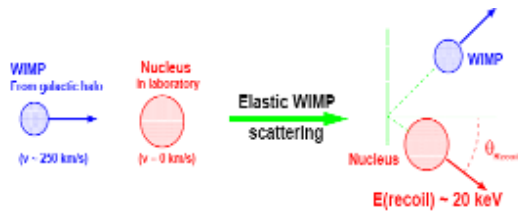
- EDELWEISS-II Status (384 kg.days physics run)
- EDELWEISS-III project 2010-2012 (3000 kg.days)
- CDMS-II, XENON-10-100



# Direct WIMPs search: principles

- Differential rate (/energy unit/time unit) :

J.D. Lewin, P.E Smith/Astroparticle Physics 6 (1996) 87-112



$$\frac{dR}{dE} = \frac{\rho_{0W} \sigma_{w-n}}{2m_w \mu^2} I_f F(E)^2 \int_{v_w \min}^{v_w \max} \frac{f(v_w)}{v_w} dv_w$$

Part. Phy.

Nuclear. Phys.

Astrophysics.

- Astrophysics constrains:**

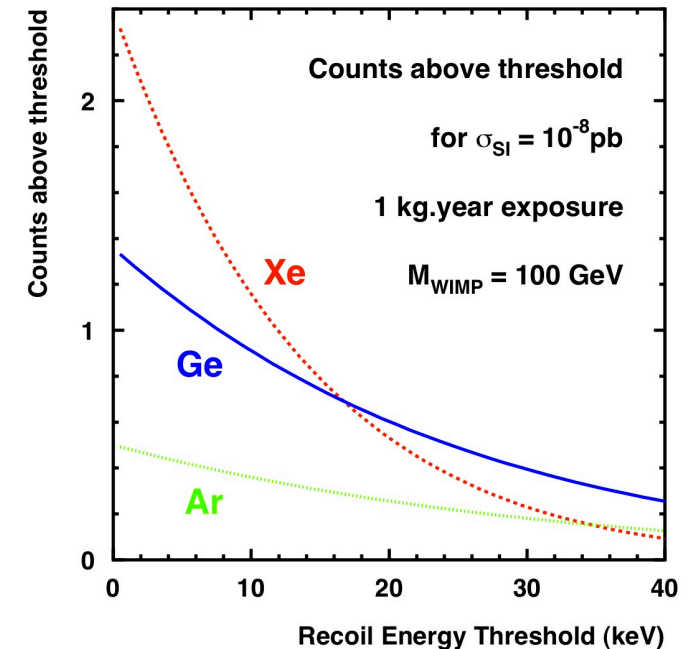
- Spherical isothermal Halo (→ Maxwellian distribution for Wimps speed)
  - with  $v_{moyenne} = 230$  km/s,  $v_{terre} = 250 + 15 \sin(2\pi t)$  km/s,  $V_{echap} = 650$  km/s
  - $\rho_{0W} = 0.3$  GeV/c<sup>2</sup>/cm<sup>3</sup> local Wimps density
- more complex Halo models possible !

- Part. Phys. constrains: SuperSYmetry Hypothesis**

- $M_W \sim$  few GeV/c<sup>2</sup>-few TeV/c<sup>2</sup>
  - Ex : For  $M_W \sim 100$  GeV/c<sup>2</sup> Mean density : 3000 WIMPs/m<sup>3</sup>
  - Flux on Earth : 500 000 000 WIMPs/m<sup>2</sup>/s !
- Wimps-Nucleon cross section  $\sigma_{w-n} < 10^{-7}$  pb
  - (10<sup>-43</sup>cm<sup>2</sup>, 1barn ~section proton)
  - Recoils rate < 1 evts/100kg.days
  - typ. Recoil few keV - few 10keV

- Nucl. Phys. constrains:**

- Form factor elastic collision
- Interaction factor
  - $I_f \sim A^2$  for scalar coupling (coherent interactions)
  - $I_f \sim J(J+1)$  for axial coupling (spins eliminate 2 by 2, few at the end...)



# Direct WIMPs search: How ?



COUPP

**Metastable detector (dE/dX)**

- PICASSO (C<sub>4</sub>F<sub>10</sub>), SIMPLE : sound wave
- CF<sub>3</sub>I (COUPP) : bubble chamber, pressure + Camera

**Ge detector:**

- HDMS, IGEX, CoGent
- MAJORANA, GENIUS

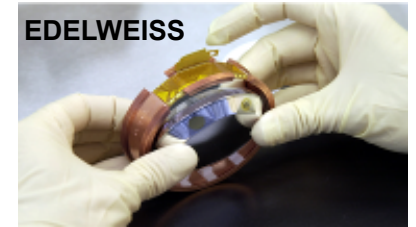
**Gaseous detector :**

- DRIFT (CS<sub>2</sub>)
- MiMac (He<sub>3</sub>)

**Ionization**



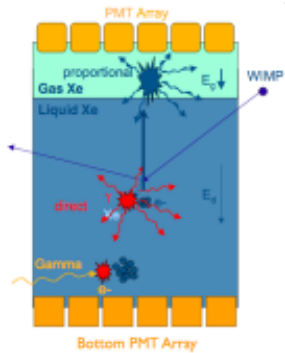
CDMS



EDELWEISS

**Heat and ionization cryogenics detectors:**

- EDELWEISS (Ge)
- CDMS (Ge + Si)
- EURECA (Ge)



**Scintillating liquid**

- XENON, ZEPLIN, LUX (LXe)
- ArDM, WARP (LAr/LNe)
- DEAP, CLEAN, Darkside...



Elastic diffusion in a detector nucleus

Incident Wimps

Diffused Wimps

**Scintillation**

**Solid scintillator :**

- NAIAD (NaI)
- KIMS (CsI)
- DAMA/LIBRA (NaI)
- ANAIS (NaI)

**Liquid scintillator :**

- XMASS (LXe)
- DEAP/CLEAN (LAr/LNe)

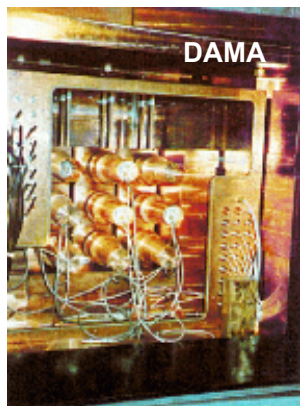
**Heat and light cryogenics detectors::**

- CRESST (CaWO<sub>4</sub>)
- ROSEBUD (LiF, Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>, BGO)
- EURECA (???)

**Heat**

**Simple bolometer:**

- No more expt.



DAMA

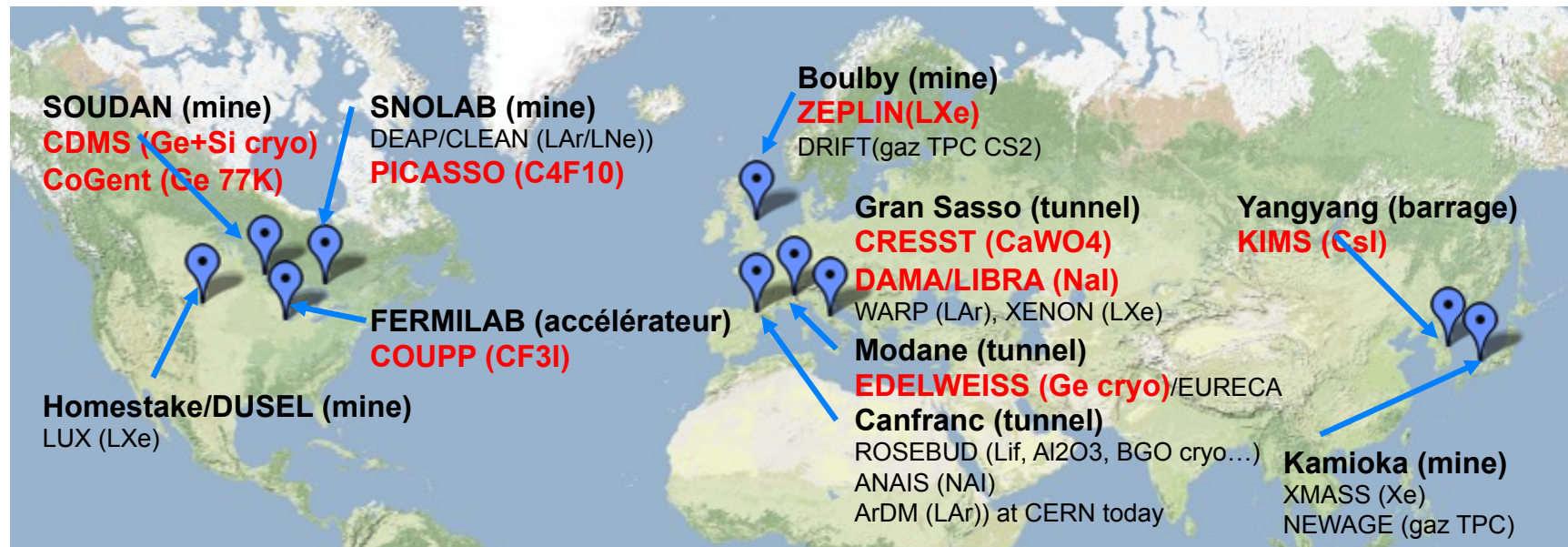


ROSEBUD



CRESST

# Direct WIMPs search: where, what's new ?



- **Main 2007-11 results:**

– CRESST II	only in conf	Cryogenic (Heat-Light)
– XENON10	May 07	Liquified noble gaz (II-phase- Solid Scintillator)
– KIMS	Sept 07	Solid Scintillator
– DAMA	April 08	Solid Scintillator (annual modulation)
– ZEPLIN III	Dec 08	Liquified noble gaz (II-phase)
– <b>PICASSO</b>	<b>July 09</b>	<b>Metastable droplet (C<sub>4</sub>F<sub>10</sub>)</b>
– <b>CDMS</b>	<b>March 08/ Dec 09</b>	<b>Cryogenic (Heat-ionization)</b>
– <b>EDELWEISS</b>	<b>Dec 09/ March 11</b>	<b>Cryogenic (Heat-ionization)</b>
– <b>COUPP</b>	<b>Fev 08/ Fev 10</b>	<b>Metastable bubble chamber (CF<sub>3</sub>I)</b>
– <b>CoGENT</b>	<b>June 08/ Fev10</b>	<b>Ge 77K low C, low threshold</b>
– <b>XENON100</b>	<b>March 10/ April 11</b>	<b>Liquified noble gaz</b>

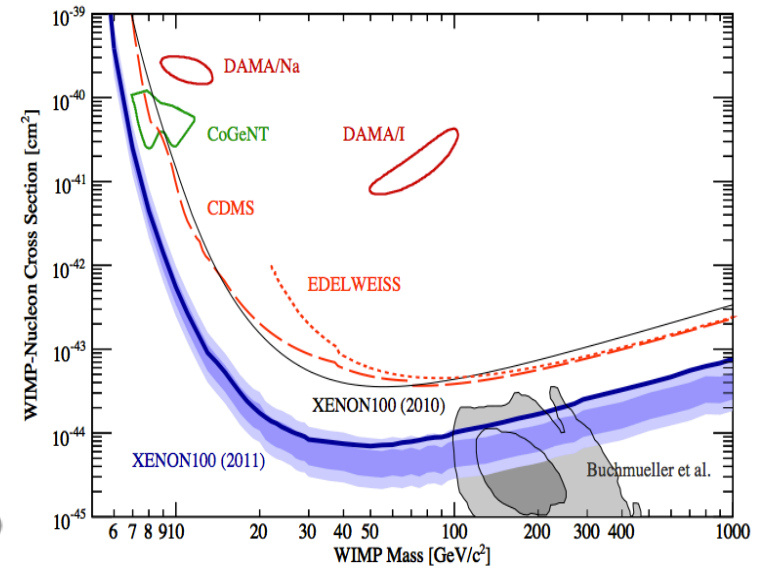
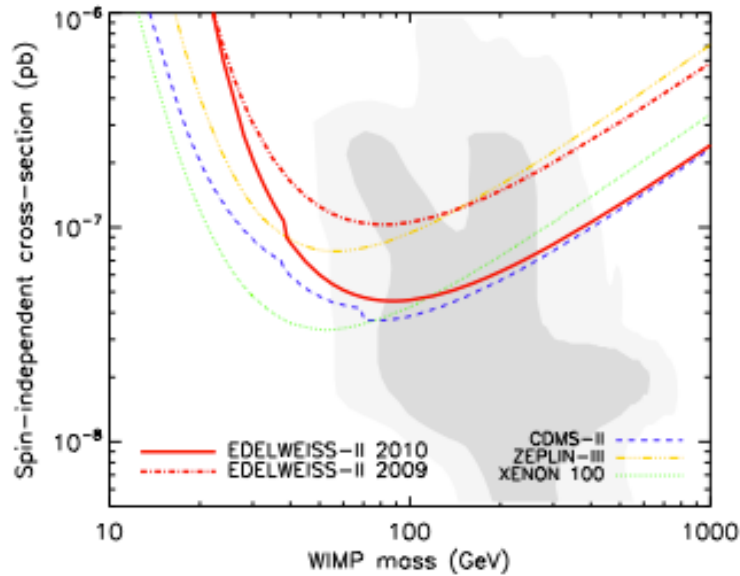
# Direct WIMPs search: State of the Art...

## Scalar Coupling :

(Spin-Independent)

- CDMS-II
- EDELWEISS-II
- XENON-100
- CoGent at low Mw

→ Part of SUSY  
Already explored



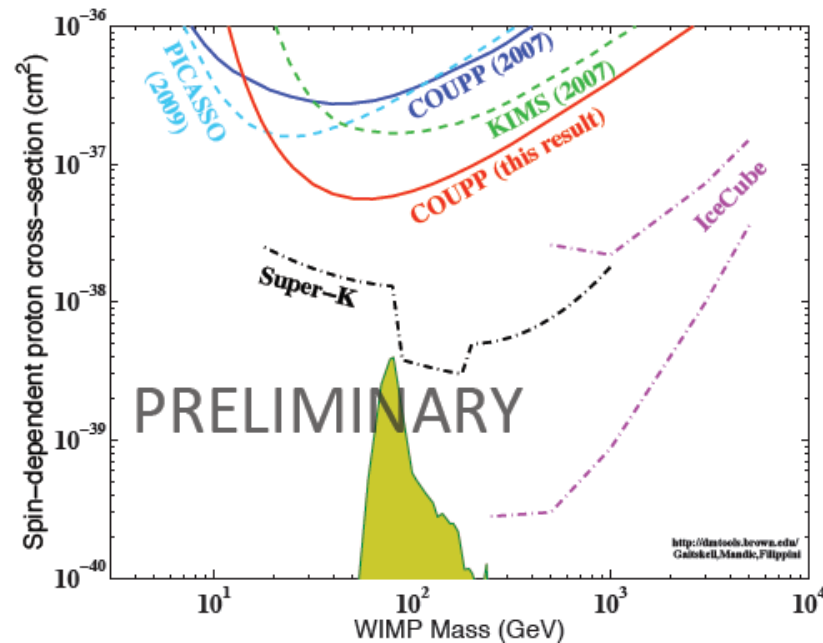
## Axial coupling :

(Spin-Dependant)

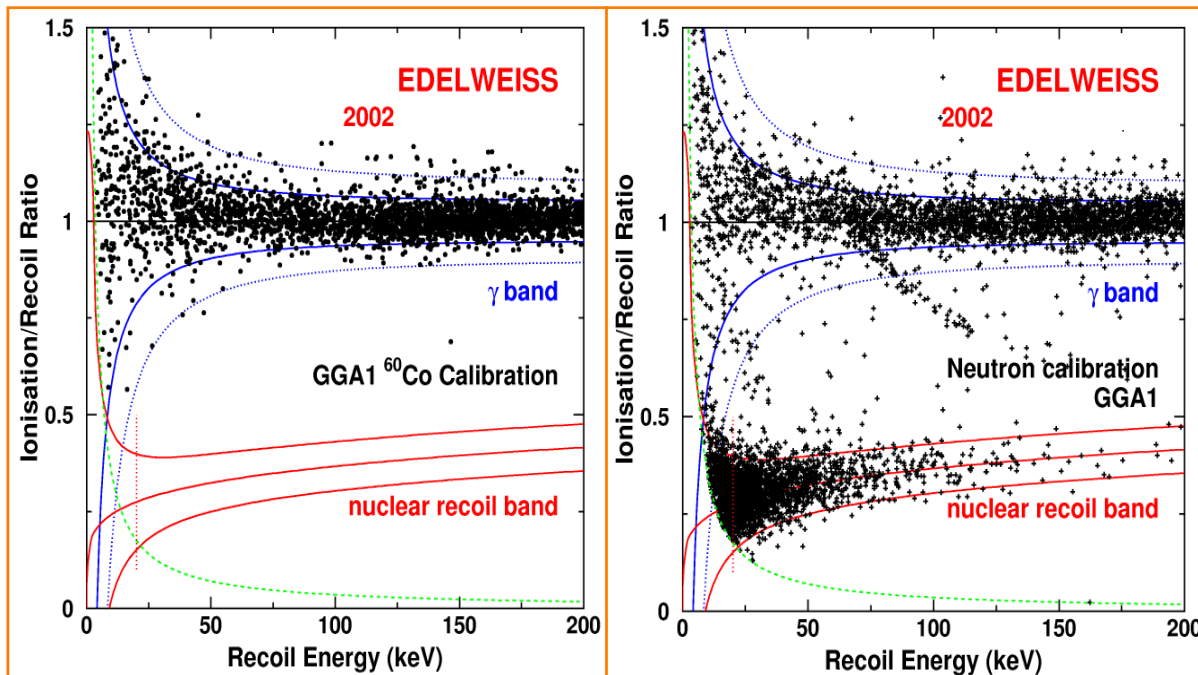
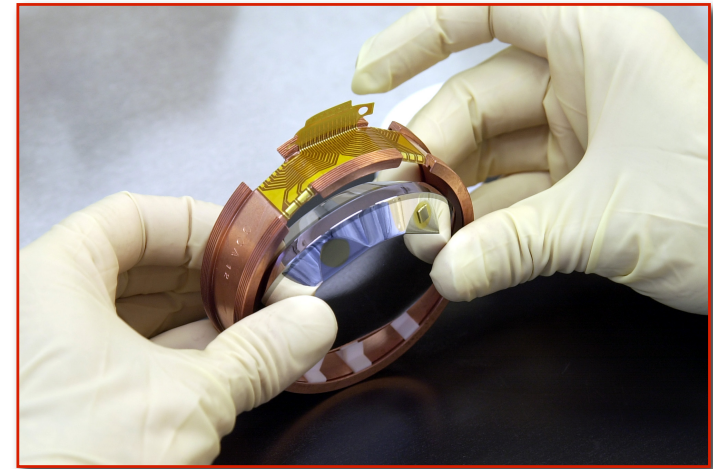
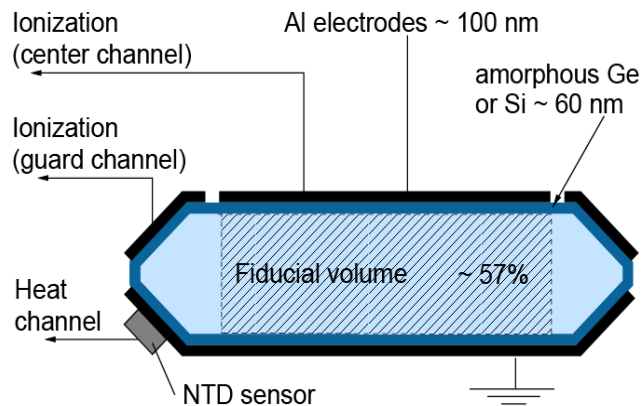
- On Proton
- COUPP
- On Neutron
- Xenon-10

→ Experiments still far from SUSY models .  
Indirect detection is more competitive  
(SuperK) (coupling on proton in the Sun)

→ 4 different technologies !



# EDELWEISS-I : GeNTD discrimination principles



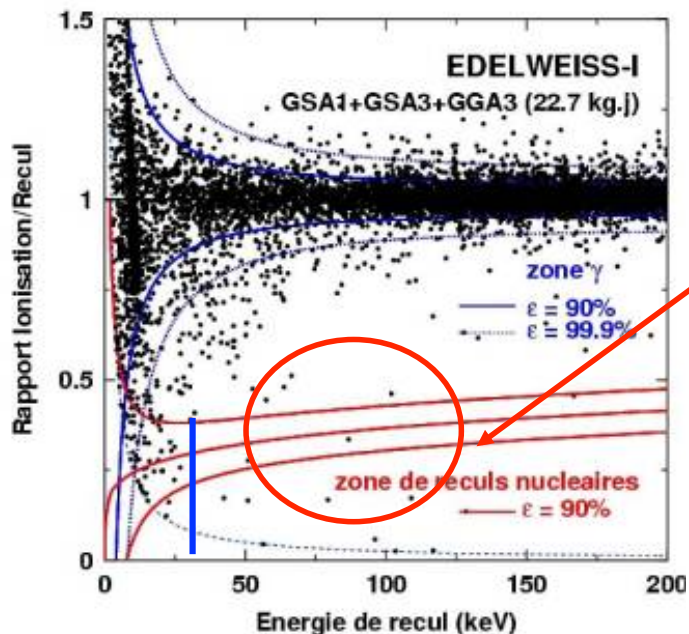
- **Simultaneous measurement**
  - **Heat @ 20 mK** with Ge/NTD thermometer
  - **Ionization @ few V/cm** with Al electrodes
- **Evt by evt identification** of the recoil
- $Q = E_{\text{ionization}} / E_{\text{recoil}}$ 
  - **$Q=1$  for electronic recoil**
  - **$Q \approx 0.3$  nuclear recoil**

→ **GeNTD detector : discrimination  $\gamma/n > 99.99\%$  for  $E_r > 15\text{keV}$**

# EDELWEISS-I/-II : surface evts background...

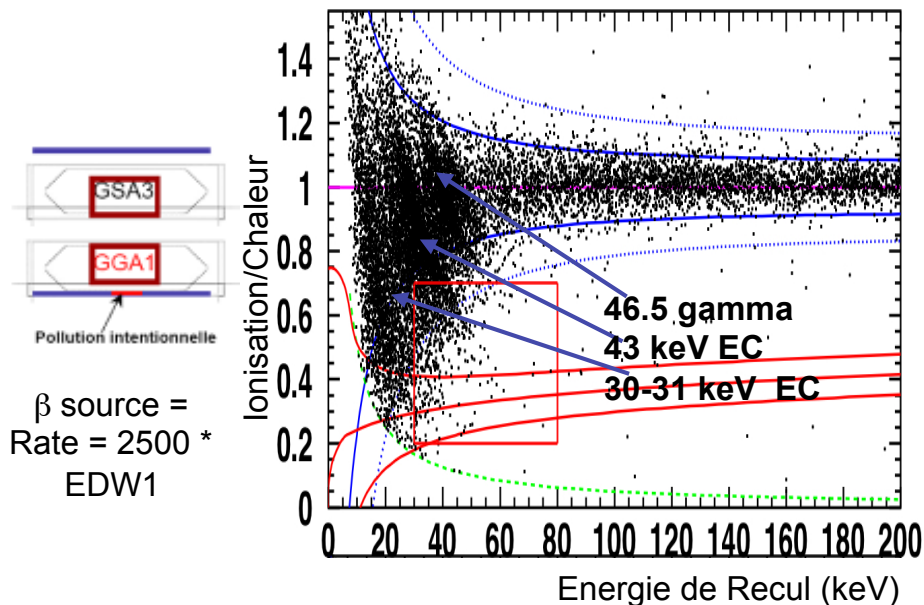
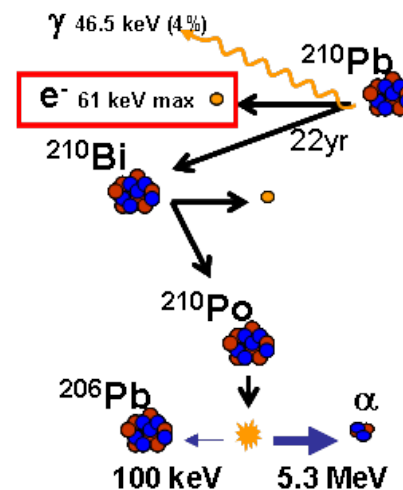
(V. Sanglard, S. Fiorruccin, S. Scorza thesis)

2000  
2003



→ **Poorly collected events in Physics runs:**

- Surface  $\beta$
- bad charge collection :  
recombination and trapping
- **Rate compatible with  $^{210}\text{Pb}$  contamination :**  
**rate  $\alpha \approx \beta^- \approx 5/\text{kg}/\text{day}$**



$\beta$  source =  
Rate = 2500 \*  
EDW1

GGA1  $^{210}\text{Pb}$  calibration (sept 2007) in EDELWEISS-II

→ **Dedicated  $\beta$   $^{210}\text{Pb}$  calibration**

- $\approx 2\%$  of the betas in the nuclear recoil zone for  $30 < E_r < 100 \text{ keV}$
- **$\beta$  rejection  $\sim 1/10000$  needed to reach  $< 10^{-8} \text{ pb}$**

→ **Last year's R&Ds have focused on this issue :**  
**Ge/NbSi and ID/FID technologies**

# *EDELWEISS-II : collaboration*

- ◆ CEA Saclay (IRFU & IRAMIS)
- ◆ CSNSM Orsay
- ◆ IPN Lyon
- ◆ Institut Néel Grenoble
- ◆ Karlsruhe KIT (+ IPE in 2011)
- ◆ JINR Dubna
- ◆ Oxford Univ.
- ◆ Sheffield Univ.

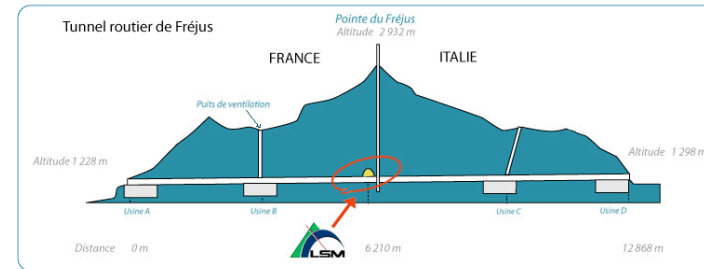
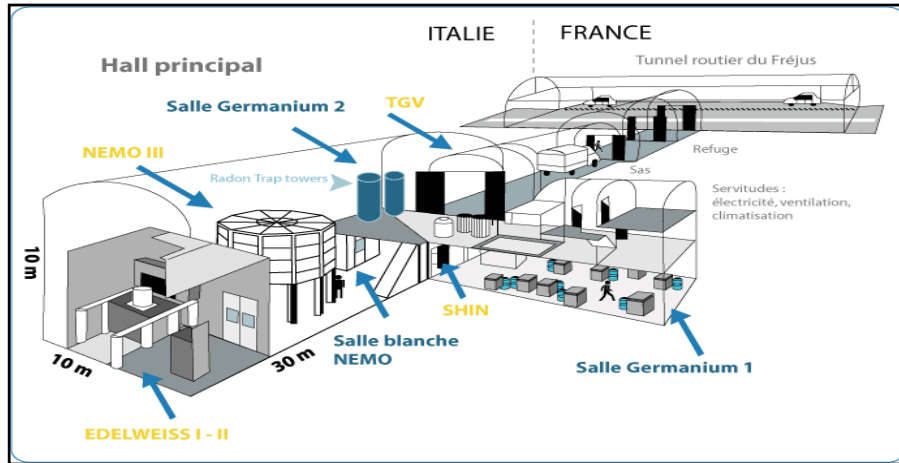
Detectors, electronics, acquisition, data handling, analysis  
Detectors, cabling, cryogenics  
Electronics, cabling, low radioactivity, analysis, detectors, cryo.  
Cryogenics, electronics  
Vetos, neutron detectors, background,  
Background, neutron and radon detectors  
**New comer 2009** : Detectors, cabling, cryogenics, analysis  
**New comer 2010**: MC simulation

~ 50 persons (10 thesis, 4 post-doc)





# EDELWEISS-II Setup



→ **LSM = Deepest site in Europe:**

- $4 \mu\text{m}^2/\text{day}$
- $10^{-6} \text{ n/cm}^2/\text{s}$  ( $E > 1 \text{ MeV}$ ) from rock

→ **Radiopurity**

- **Dedicated HPGe detectors** for systematic checks of all materials
- **Clean Room**
- **Deradonized air** (NEMO3 radon trap)  
10 Bq/m<sup>3</sup> to 0.1 Bq/m<sup>3</sup>

→  **$\gamma$  shield**

- **20 cm Pb**

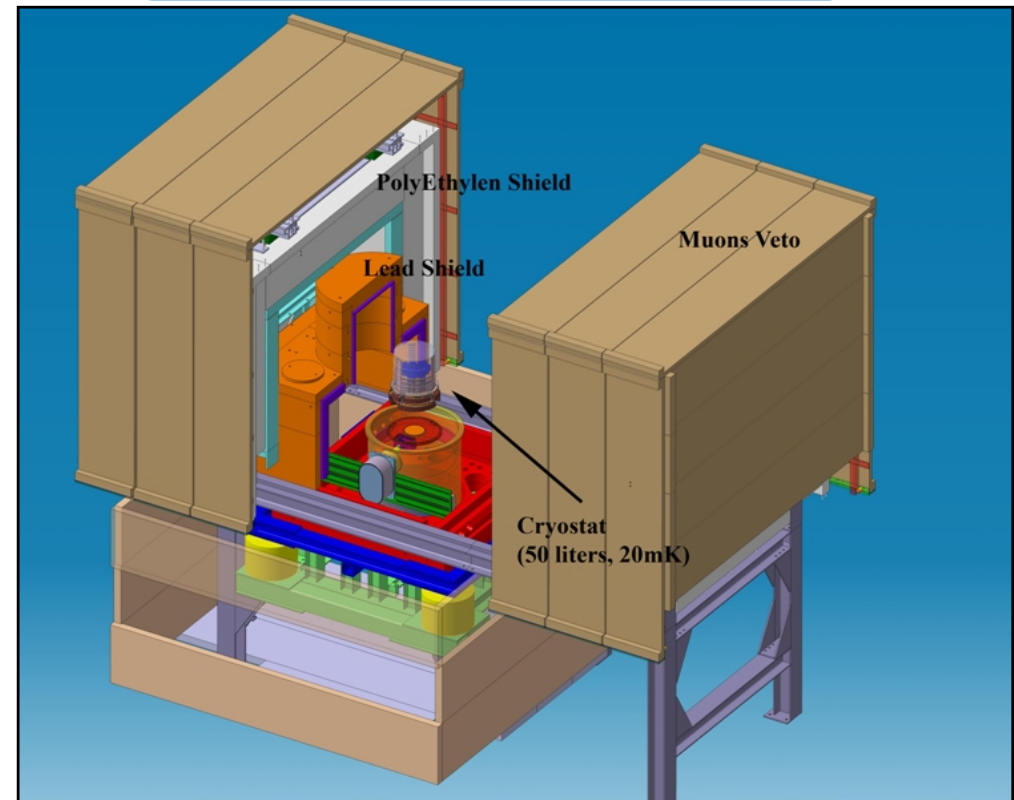
→ **Neutron Shielding**

- **50 cm PE**

→  **$\mu$  veto** (>98% coverage)

→ **Neutron detectors** (Karlsruhe/Dubna)

- For MC studies

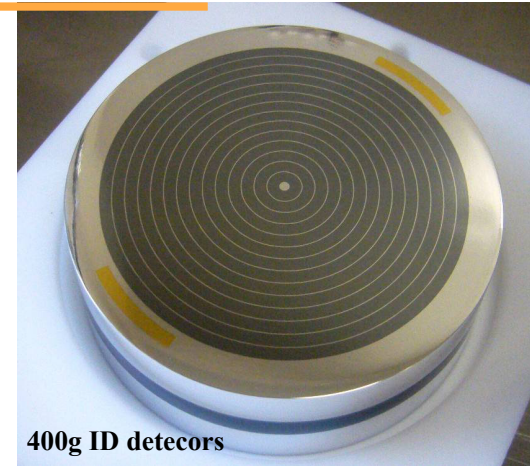
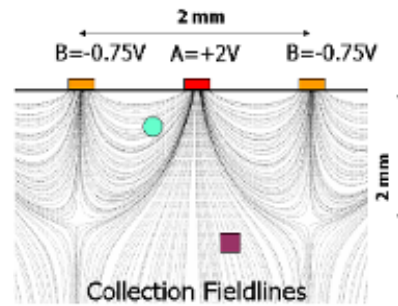
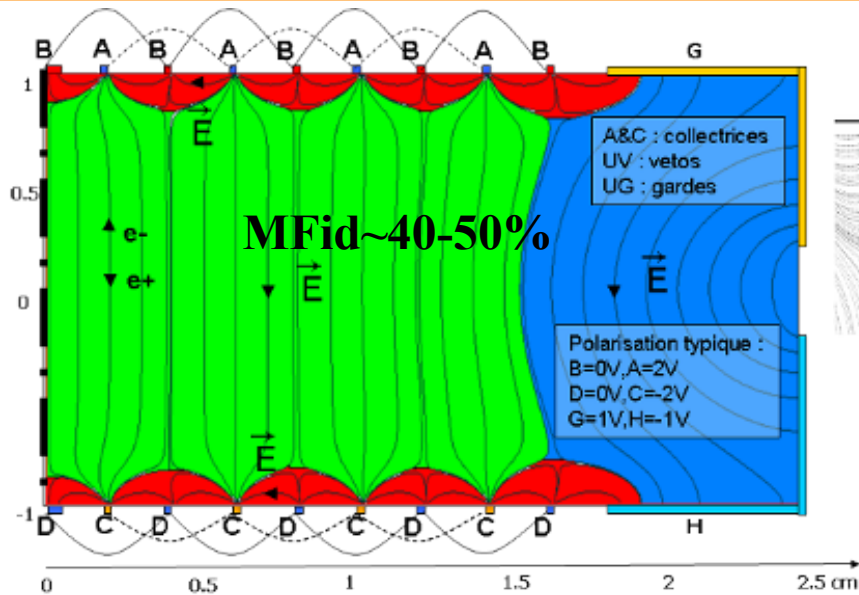


→ Commissioning 2006-07

→ **Physics run since 2008**

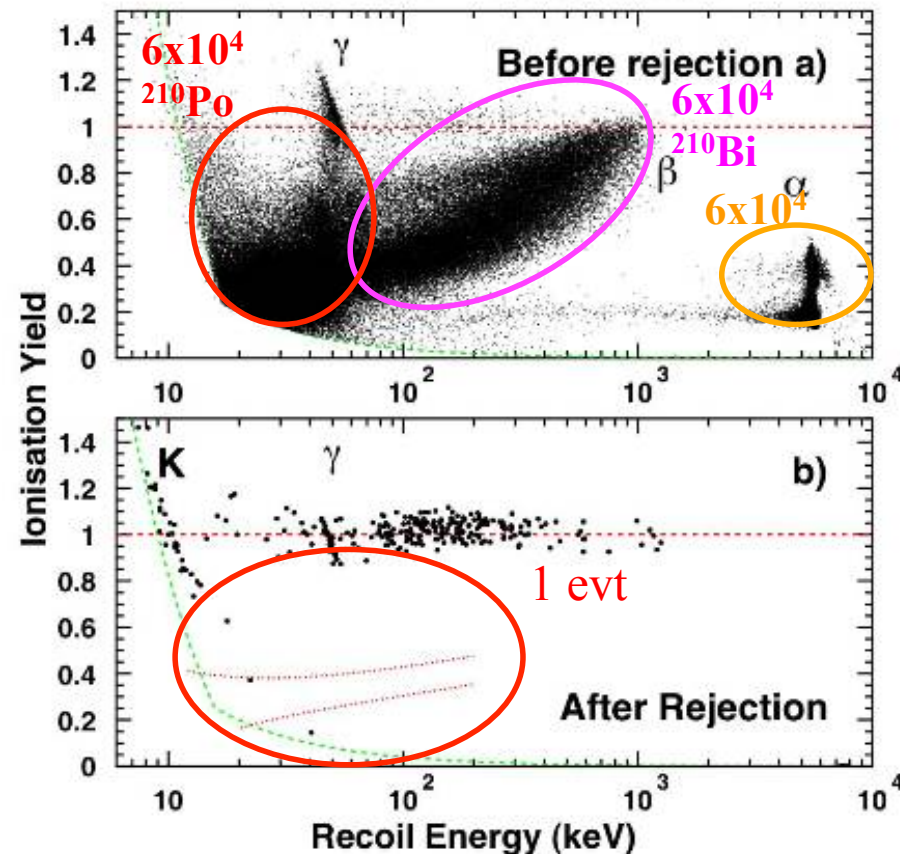
→ **Aimed sensitivity** ( $< \text{EDW-I} * 100$ ) :  $\sigma_{\text{w-n}} < 10^{-8} \text{ pb}$   
 $< 0.001 \text{ evt/kg/day}$  ( $E_{\text{r}} > \sim 15 \text{ keV}$ )

# ID detectors : surface events rejection with interleaved electrodes



- R&D program funded by ANR 2006-09
  - First test on a 200 g detector in 2007
- Interleaved electrodes + guards
- Biases to have an **electric field** :
  - ~ **horizontal near the surface and**
  - ~ **vertical in the bulk**
- **Easy cuts on « veto » + guard electrodes define the fiducial zone :  $\beta$  rejection > 1/15000**
- 10 IDs build in few months end of 2008
  - 5 with Photolitho @ Canberra
  - 5 with evaporation @ CSNSM
  - NTD glued @ CEA/SEDI

EDELWEISS -  $^{210}\text{Pb}$  calibration



PLB 681 (2009) 305-309 [arXiv:0905.0753v1]

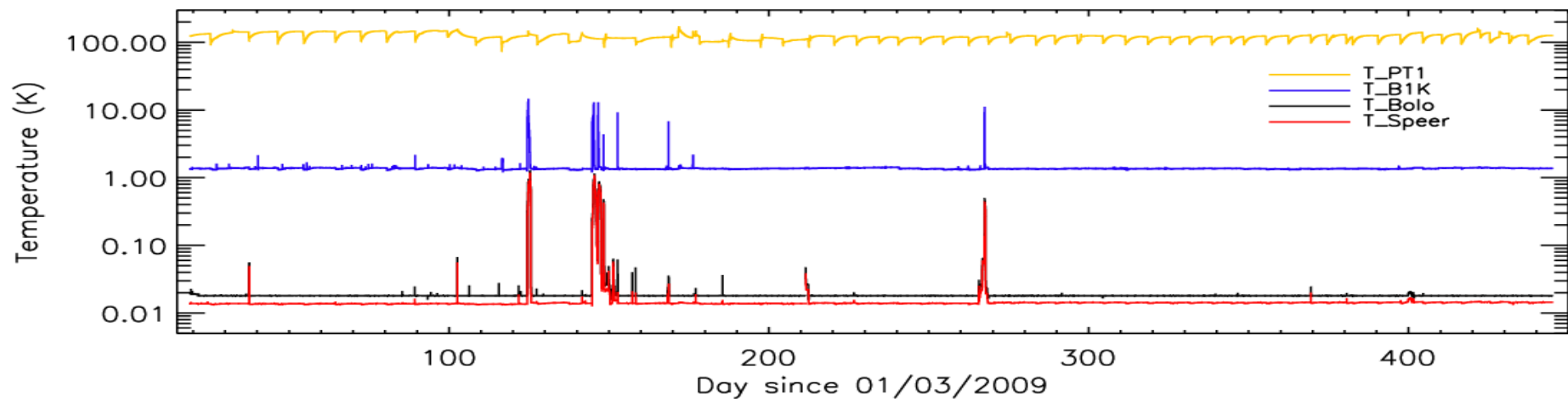
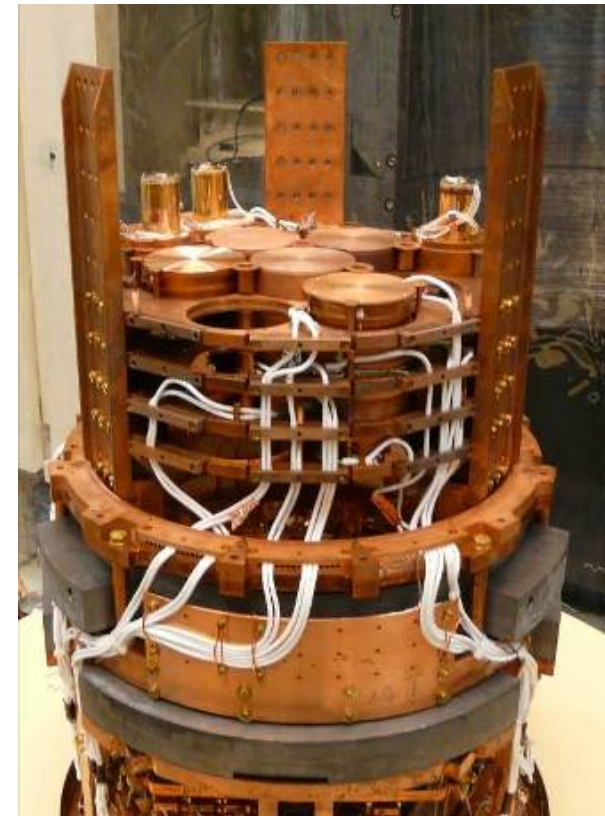
## Run 12: Physics run with 10 IDs

→ April 2009 – May 2010: 10x400 g Ge ID-detectors

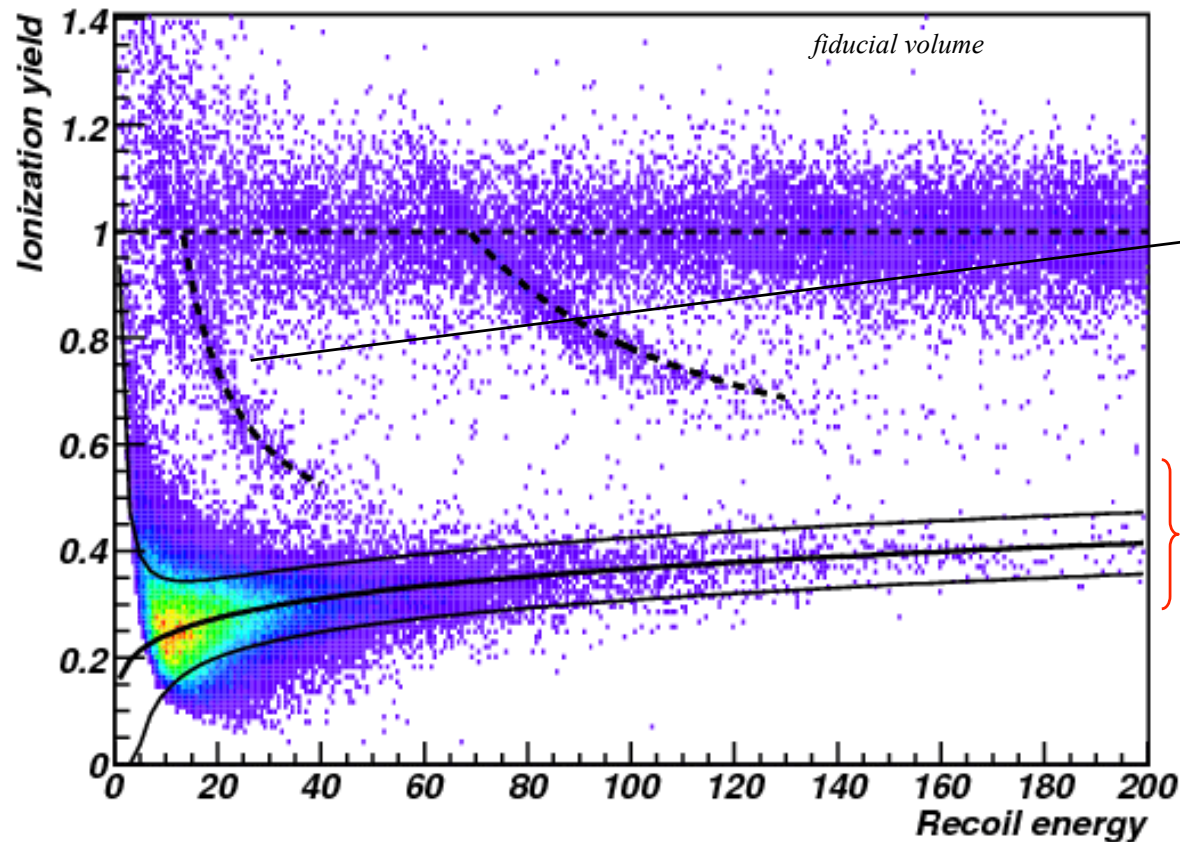
- 325 days physics
- 10.1 days gamma calibration
- 6.4 days neutron calibration
- ✦ July-Nov 2008: 2x400 g Ge ID-detectors

→ Total effective exposure: 384 kg.d

- Analysis threshold at 20 keV
- Bolometer temperature stable  $\sim 18$  mK



## Run 12: Nuclear Recoil Zone calibration



inelastic neutron scattering  
(EM energy 13 and 69 keV)

→ **90% CL NR (nucl. recoil) region :**

- high-stat confirmation of

**$Q = 0.16 E_r^{0.18}$  from <10 to 200keV**

- cross-check of resolution effects on the NR band

- full efficiency to NRs even below 20keV

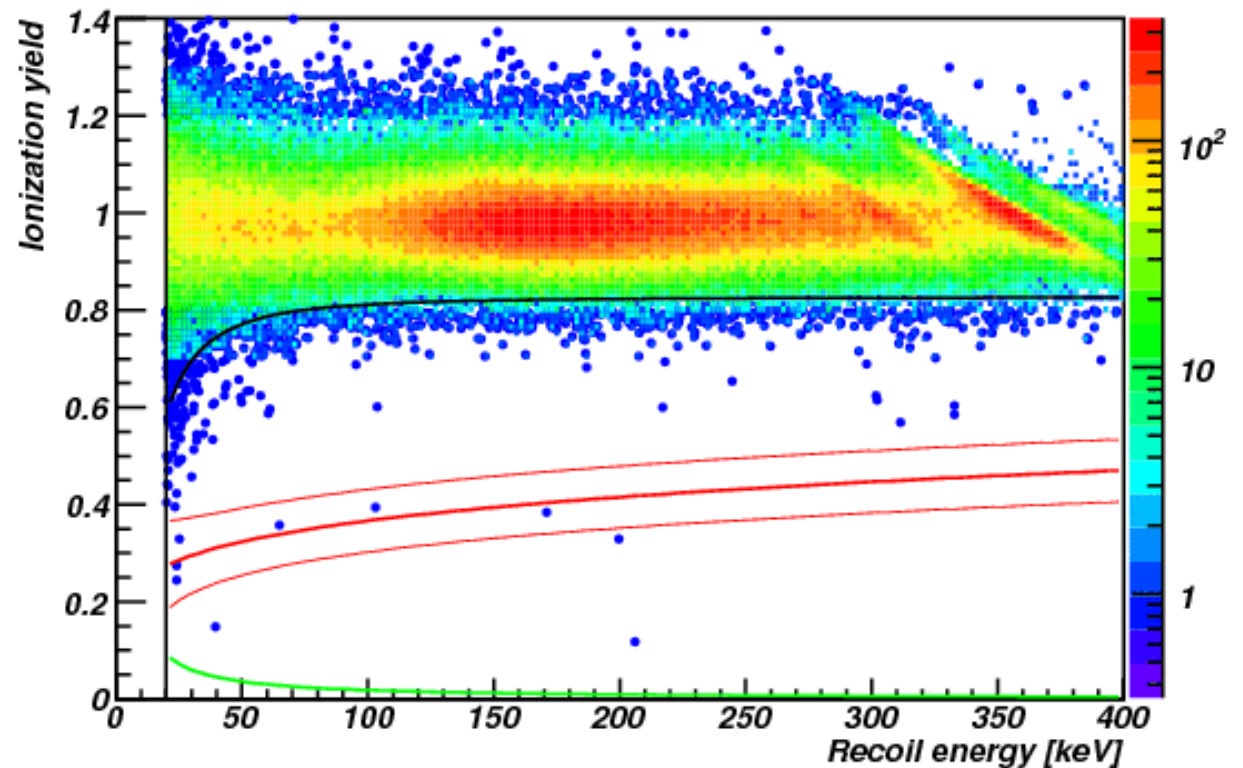
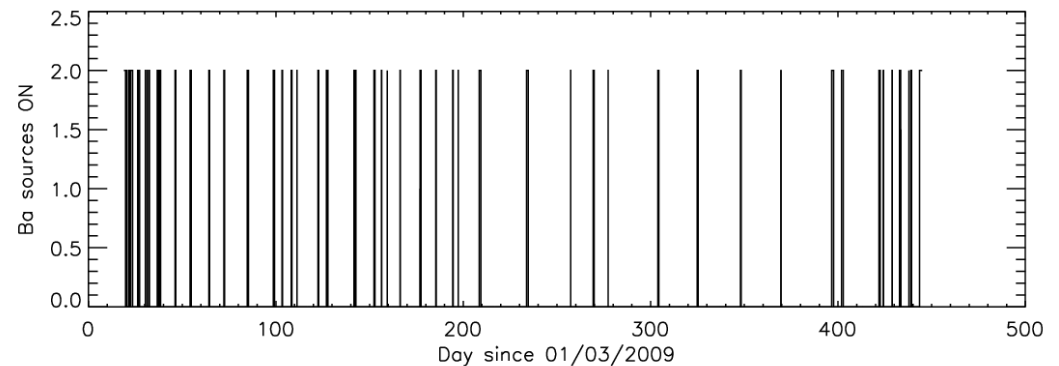
## Run 12: Gamma calibration

→ **Regular calibrations** between background runs with two motorized  $^{133}\text{Ba}$  sources (356 keV)

- all IDs stacked
- same analysis/cuts as for bg data
- **more than 350000 fiducial evts**

→ **Good  $\gamma$  rejection**

- ~  $(3 \pm 1) \times 10^{-5}$  for  $20 < E < 200 \text{ keV}$
- limited by “anomalous” events
- study of possible mechanisms under way :
- may be limited by the « dead zone » at the veto-guard interfaces



## Run 12: Data processing & cuts

→ Online trigger on heat pulses

- Online threshold : tiny effect for  $E_{\text{recoil}} > 20 \text{ keV}$

→ Two independent processings – analysis

Careful cross-checks, very similar results

→ Optimal filtering of heat and ionization data samples

→ Removal of « bad » periods from the measured baselines

Require FWHM heat  $< 2.5 \text{ keV}$ , ion\_fiducial  $< 2 \text{ keV}$ , ion\_guard  $< 2.5 \text{ keV}$

17% exposure loss (concentrated on a few detectors)

→ Quality of pulse reconstruction (chi2 cut)

2.7% efficiency loss

→ Select fiducial volume (160g)

→ Reject coincidences + muon veto

⇒ **427 kg.days**

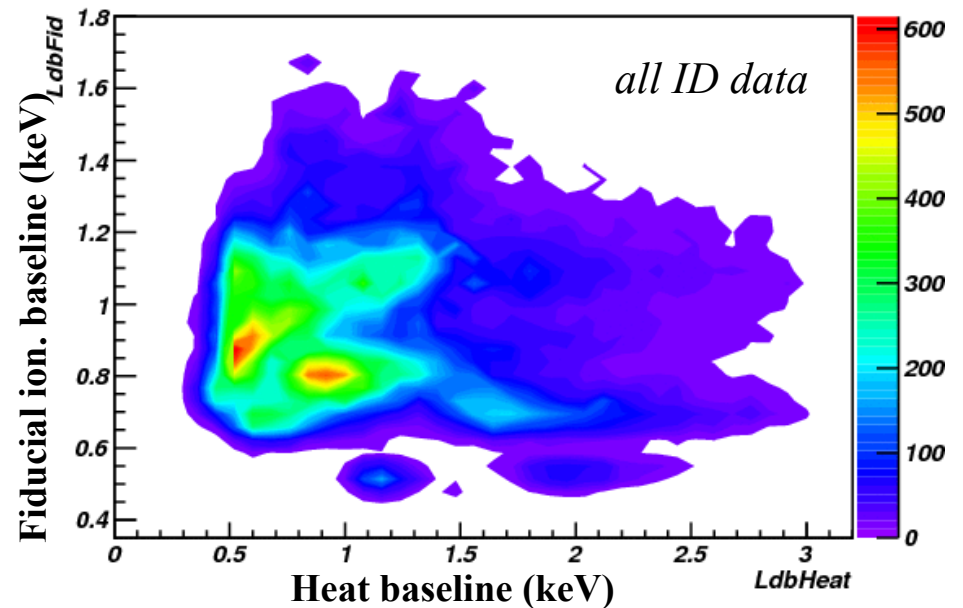
→ 99.99% gamma rejection +

→ 90% nuclear recoil band selection +

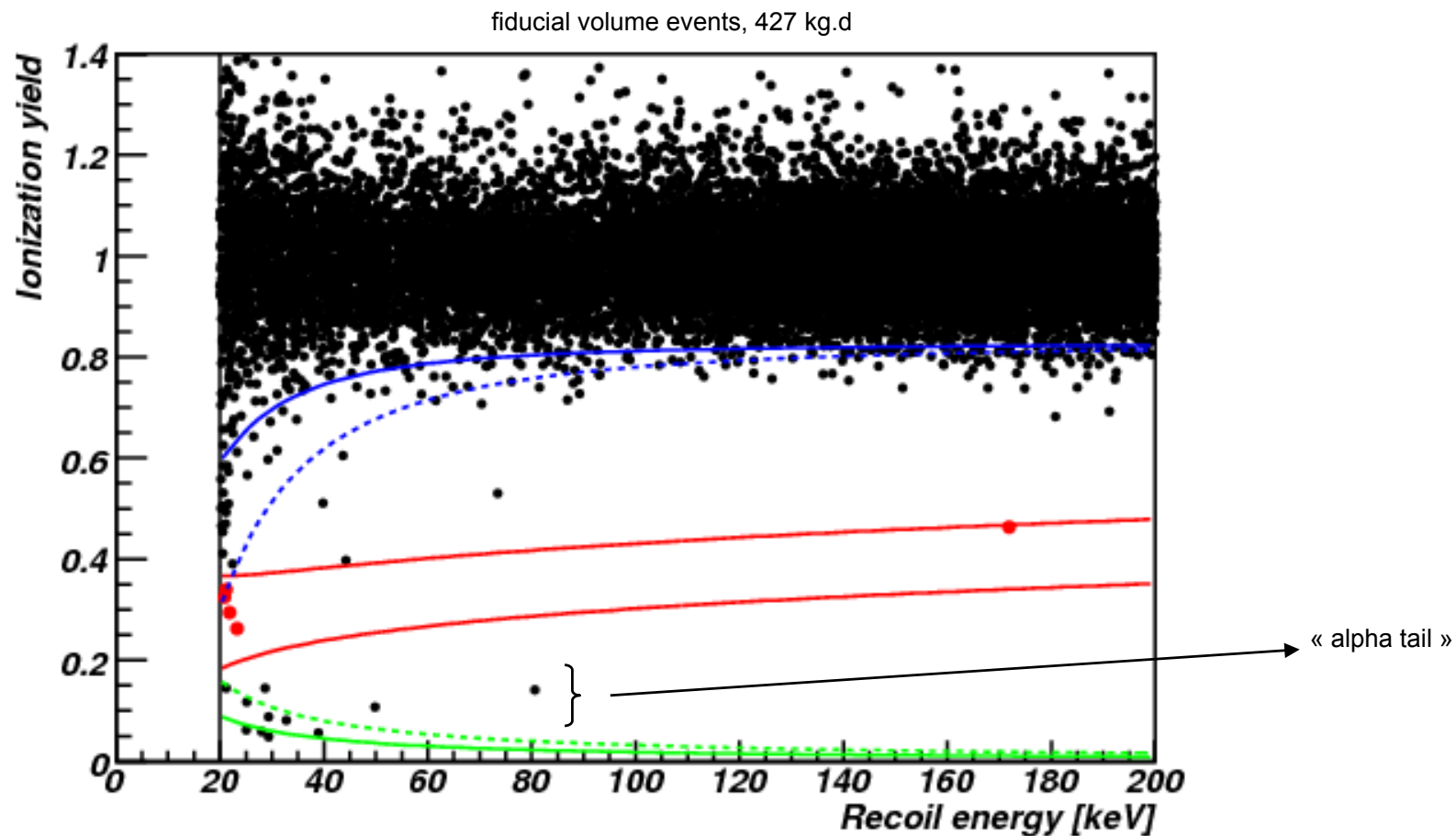
→ set threshold at 20 keV

⇒ **384 kg.days «useful»**

**98.3% efficiency at 20keV**



## Run 12: WIMP search, final results



- Five WIMP candidates:
- 4 with  $20.8 < E < 23.2$  keV
  - 1 @ 172 keV

## Run 12: Backgrounds

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- *Gamma:*  $^{133}\text{Ba}$  calib rejection x observed bulk  $\gamma$  <0.9  
( $3 \times 10^{-5}$ ) (18000)
- *Beta:*  $\beta$  source rejection x observed surface evts <0.3  
( $6 \times 10^{-5}$ ) (5000)
- *Neutrons from  $\mu$ 's:*  $\mu$  veto efficiency x observed muons <0.4  
(meas. > 92.8%) (0.008 evts/kgd)
- *Neutrons from rock:* measured neutron flux x Monte Carlo simu <0.1  
MC cross-check with outside strong AmBe source
- *Neutrons from Pb+PE+Cu+structure:* measured U limits x Monte Carlo simu <0.2
- *Other neutrons from within the cryostat (cables..)* <1.1

→ **SUM < 3.0 for the whole WIMP run**



## Run 12: Elastic WIMP scattering limit

→ 384 kg.d

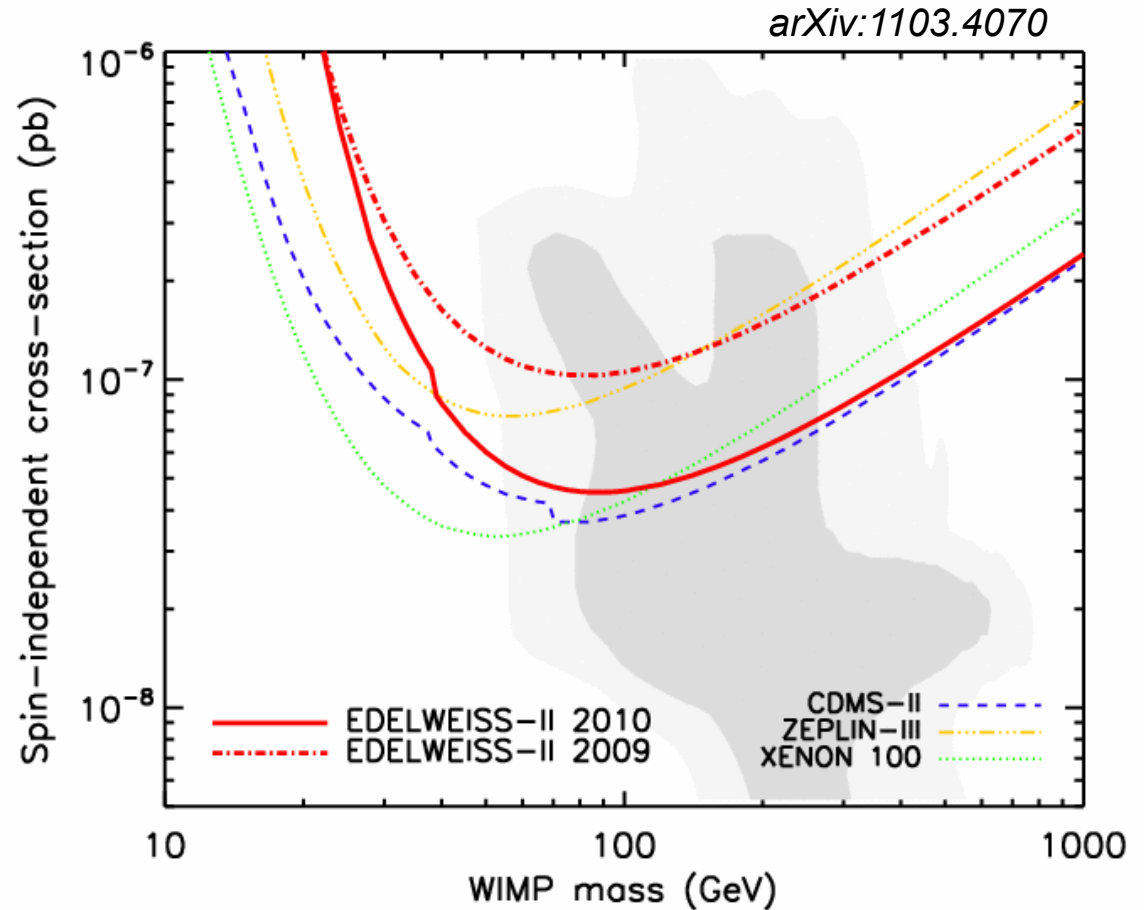
$4.4 \times 10^{-8}$  pb at  $M_\chi=85$  GeV

( x2.7 better than 2009 result )

- Sensitivity limited at low mass due to background

- current work performed with CDMS collaboration to combine data

(should improve the limit by  $\approx 50\%$ )



## *What's next : The EDELWEISS-III project*

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→ Goal :

- **Reach  $\sim 5 \times 10^{-9}$  pb region by 2012** (EDW-II / 10)
- Allow reliable cross-check in case of signal by other experiment
- Preparation for 1-ton EURECA phase

→ Detectors : operate 32 fid kg by mid 2012 (Run 12 = 1.6 kg)

- **New FID800 detectors : bigger Fid Mass, Heat redundancy (higher  $\gamma$  rejection), Fid segmentation, new surface treatment (higher  $\beta$  rejection)**

→ Upgrade

- Cryogenics → better threshold
- Electronics with fast channel digitization and acq soft update  
→ better discrimination
- Wiring for 112 channels (now 56) with 1 diff. heat and 4 ionization each
- **Shielding (internal PE) +  $\mu$  veto : decrease the neutron background**

→ Cost :  $\sim 2\text{M€}$  / 3 years

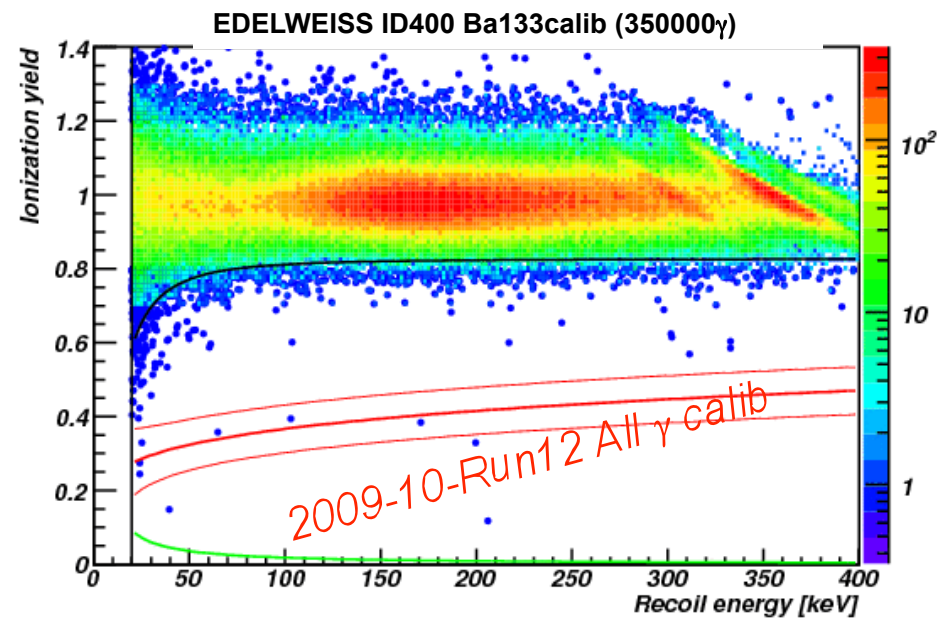
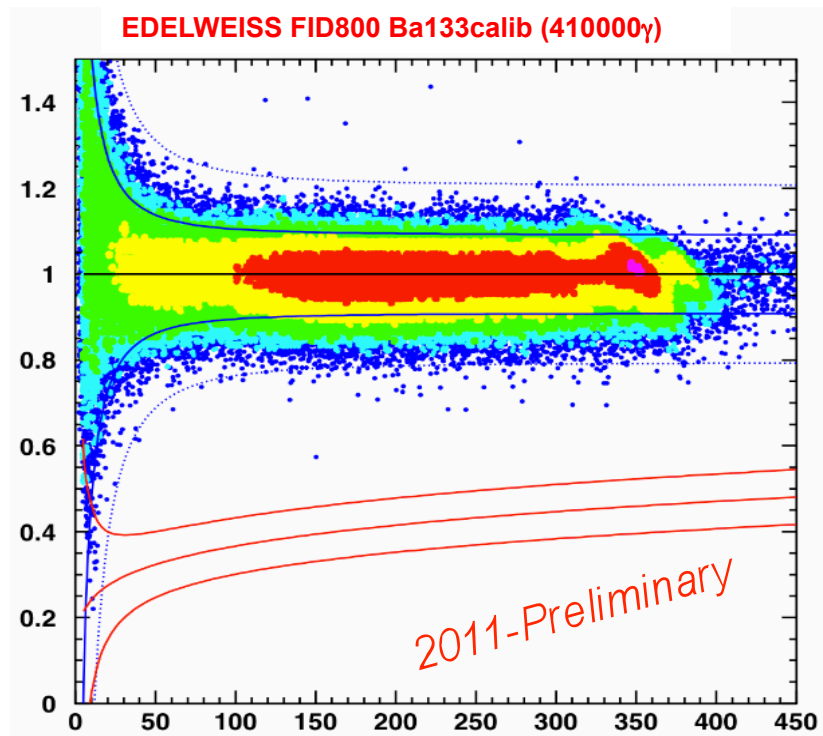
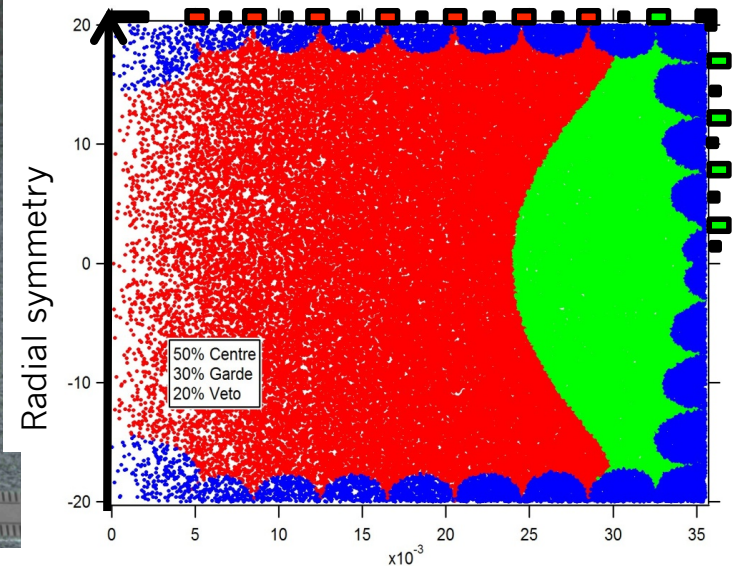
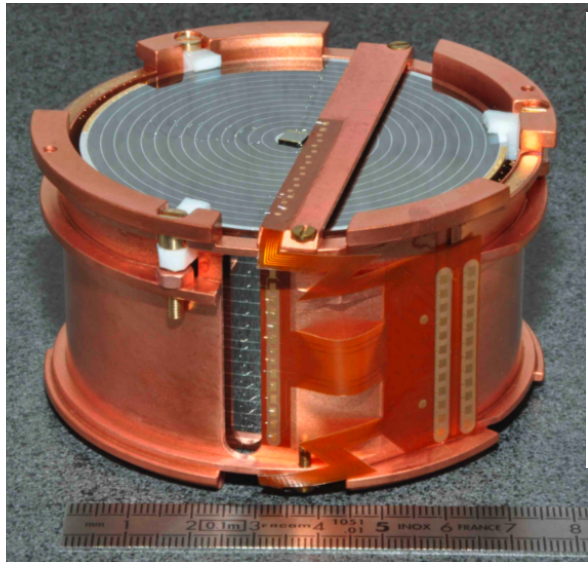
900k€ from ANR

# EDELWEISS-III : The FID800 detector

→ Increase mass + sensitivity :

- 800g crystal
- 2 NTDs sensors per detector
- interleaved electrodes on all the surface : no « guard » region anymore,
- ~ 80% fiducial volume

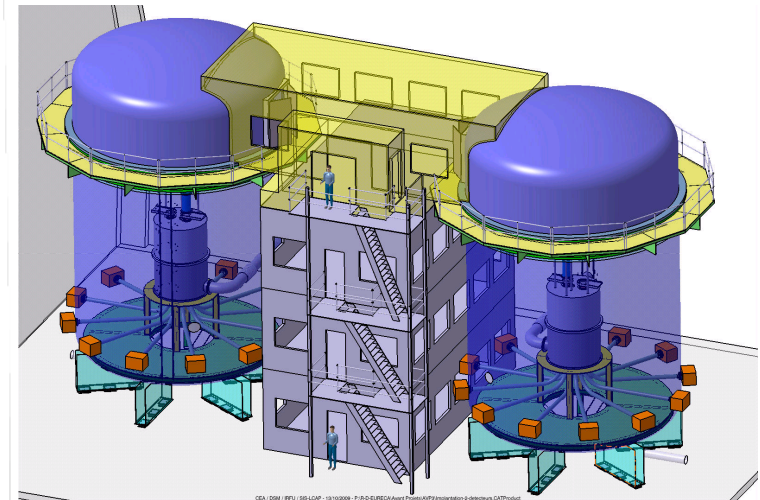
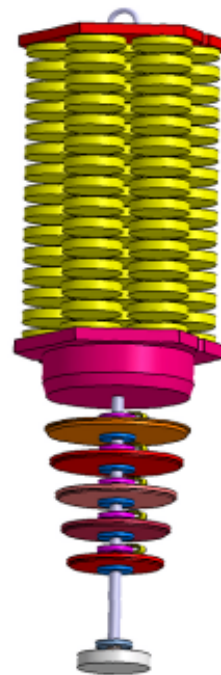
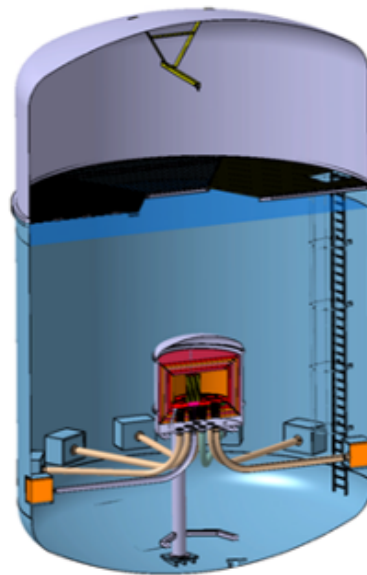
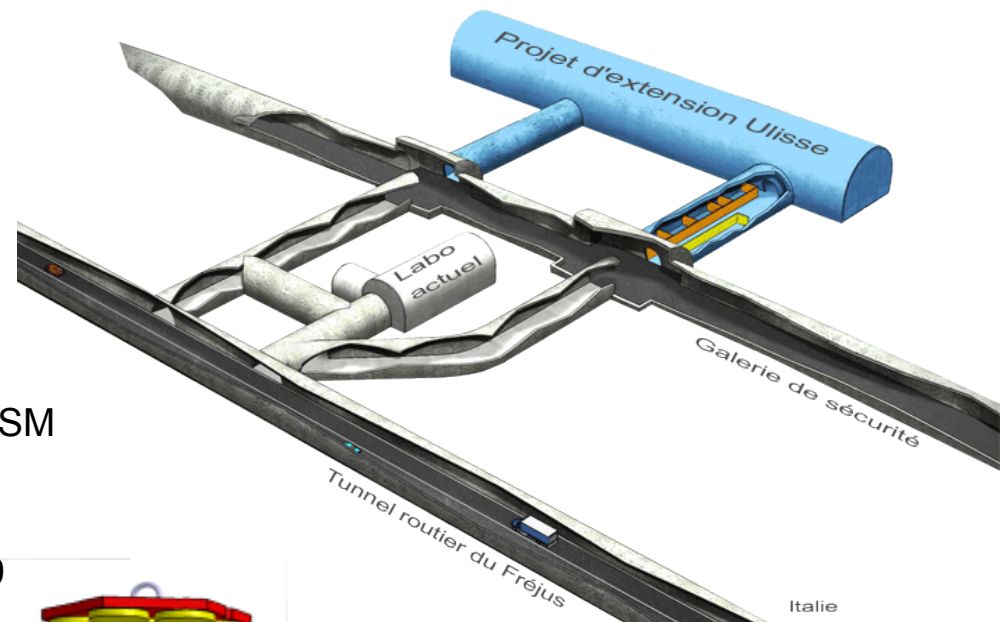
→ 8 detectors already in commissioning



→  $\gamma$  rejection looks much better than for ID400

# EDELWEISS long term : EURECA @ Ulisse (new LSM lab)

- **EURECA: goal  $10^{-10}$  pb**
  - major efforts in background control and detector development
- Joint European effort from teams from EDELWEISS, CRESST, ROSEBUD, CERN, +others...
- **>>100 kg cryogenic experiment, multi-target**
- Part of ILIAS/ASPERA European Roadmap
- Preferred site: 60 000 m<sup>2</sup> extension of present LSM (4  $\mu$ /m<sup>2</sup>/d), to be dig in 2011-2012
- Steps 150 kg 2013-2015 then 1 T 2016-2018  
Collaboration with US GeoDM => MoU in 2009



Now supports studies of two projects :  
EURECA (cryo Ge + scint)  
DARWIN (liq Ar,Xe)



# Cryogenics Ge : CDMS

CDMS (Cold Dark Matter Search) collaboration of US institutes (~ 50 people)

→ Comparison with EDELWEISS :

- Same detection principle : ionization and heat measurement on cryogenics Ge (+ Si for CDMS).
- Surface event rejection obtained with timing parameter on the athermal phonon signals
- ZIP detectors

→ Detectors :

- 250 g Ge or 100 g Si crystal

- Phonon Sensors :

Superconducting W thermometer

Photolithographic patterning

4 quadrants, 37 cells per quadrant

6x4 array of 250 $\mu$ m x 1 $\mu$ m W TES per cell

Each W sensor "fed" by 8 Al fins

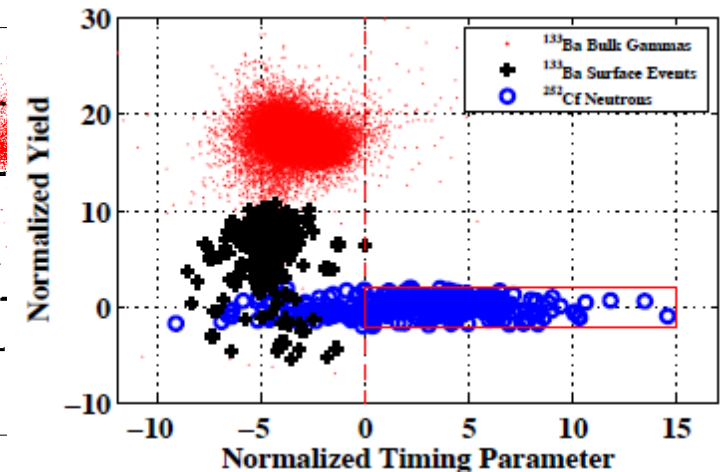
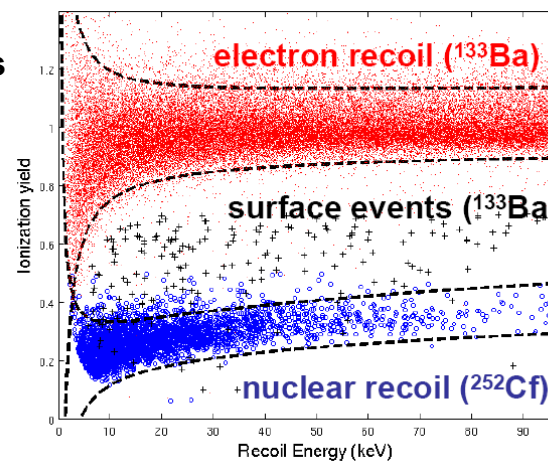
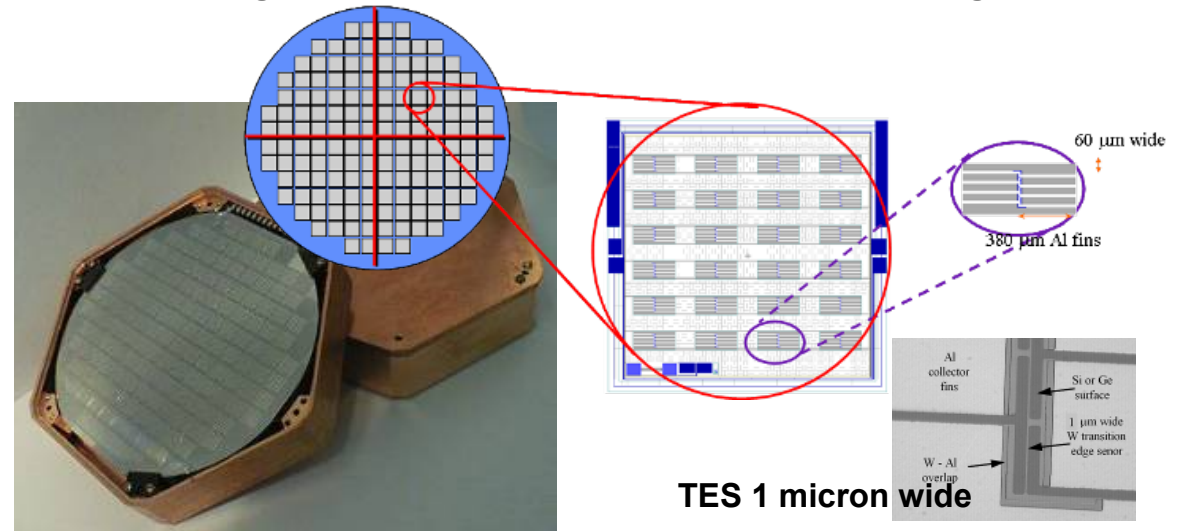
- Ionization Sensors

2 electrodes (+ ground) allow rejection of events near outer edge

- Low impedance electronics with Squids

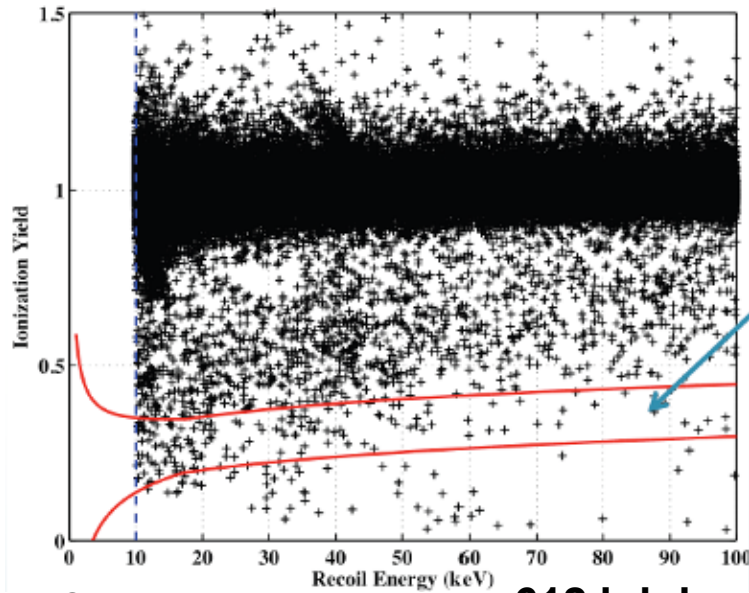
+ FETs pour ionization

→ Rather complex fabrication and long calibration procedures



# CDMS-II : 5 towers 2008-2009 results

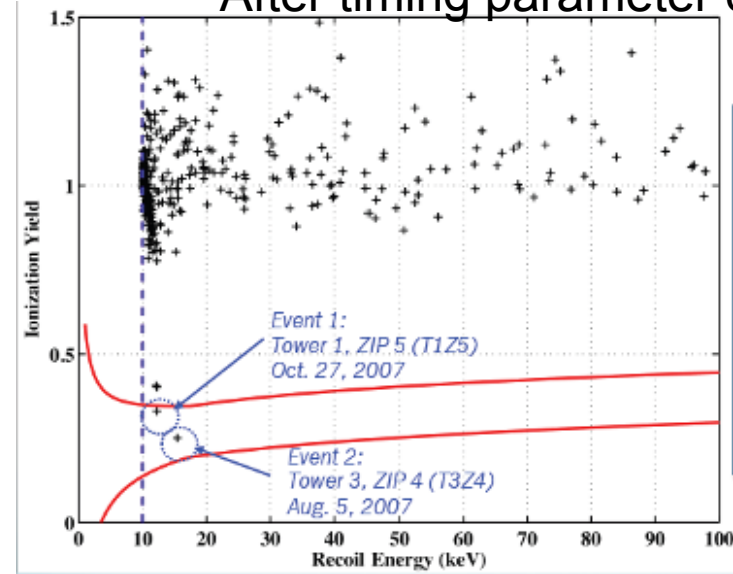
All data



Open the box  
(Nov 4, 2009)

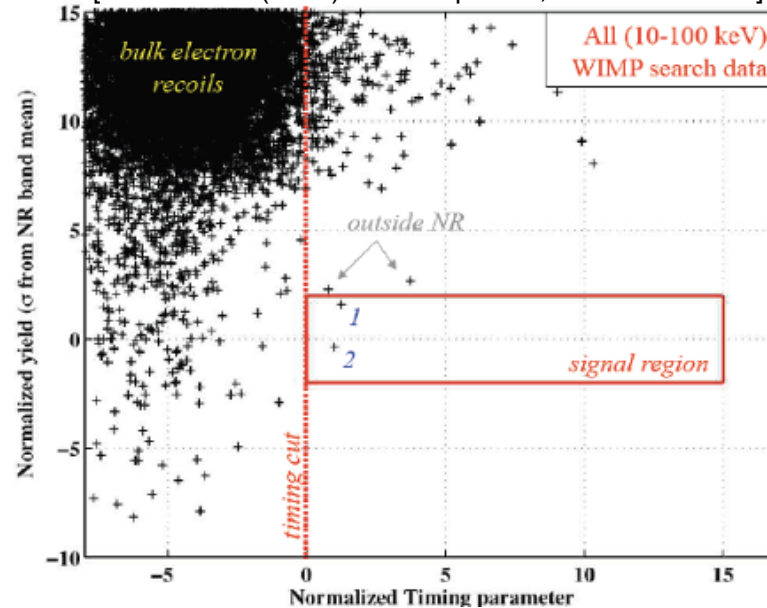
612 kd.day

After timing parameter cut

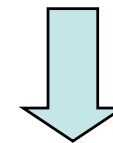


194 kd.day, **efficiency < 30 %**  
exp backg  $0.8 \pm 0.1(\text{stat}) \pm 0.2(\text{sys})$

[Science 327 (2010) no 5973 p.1619; arXiv:0912.4025]



Events not appearing as a well separated population



Probability to observe 2 or more events is 23%

“Our results cannot be interpreted as significant evidence for WIMP interactions. However, we cannot reject either event as signal either.”

## *Wimps direct search: Nobel liquid gas*

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### **Why?**

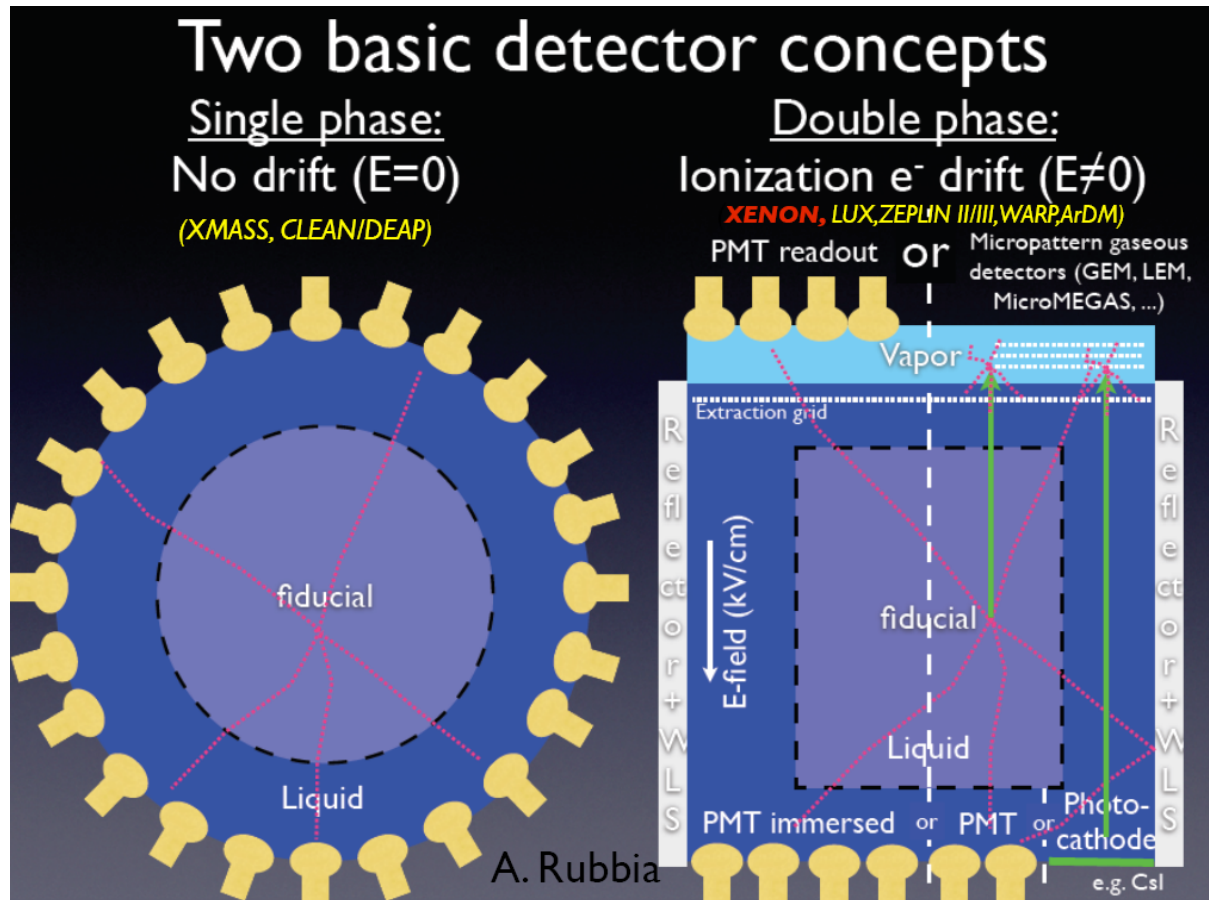
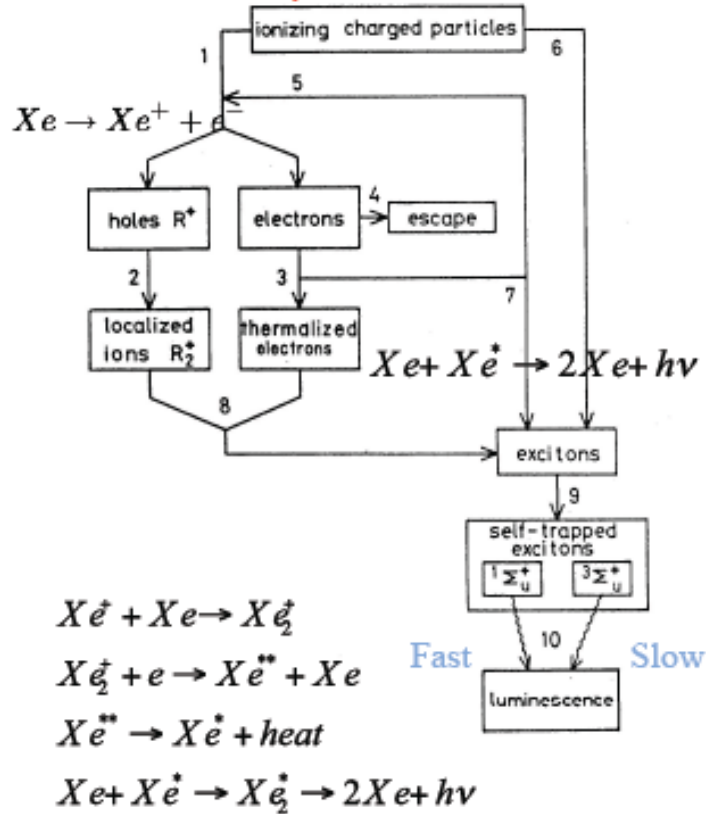
- multi-tons detectors possible (?)
- Classical cryogenics : 170 K for LXe, 87 K for LAr ( 27K for Ne)
- Self shielding (mainly for LXe)
- Low threshold: high scintillating yield scintillation ( $\approx$ NaI(Tl))
- Nuclear vs electronic recoils discrimination : charge/light (IIphase) or PSD (Pulse Shape Discrimination)
- Xe ( $A \sim 131$ ) : Spin.Ind. and Spin.Dep. Coupling ( $\sim 50\%$  odd isotopes)
- Xe: no long time radioactive isotopes (Kr-85 could be removed (?))
- Ar: Ar-39 (radioactive) is an issued

### **A lot of experiments + projects:**

- II-phase Xenon (discr) : XENON (-10-100), ZEPLIN(-III), LUX
- I-phase Xenon : Xmass,
- II-phase Ar (discr): ArDM, WARP(Ar+Ne), DARKSIDE(project)
- I-phase Ar : DEAP/CLEAN (Ne)
- + Multi tons = DARWIN (Design Study), LZ ...

# Nobel liquid gas : principles

Kubota et al. 1979, Phys. Rev.B



Ar  $\tau_{\text{singulet}}/\tau_{\text{triplet}} = 7\text{ns}/1.6\mu\text{s}$   
 Xe  $\tau_{\text{singulet}}/\tau_{\text{triplet}} = 4\text{ns}/22\text{ns}$

→ Simple but no active evt by evt rejection  
 → PSD possible (especially for Ar, ≠ lifetime singulet-triplet)

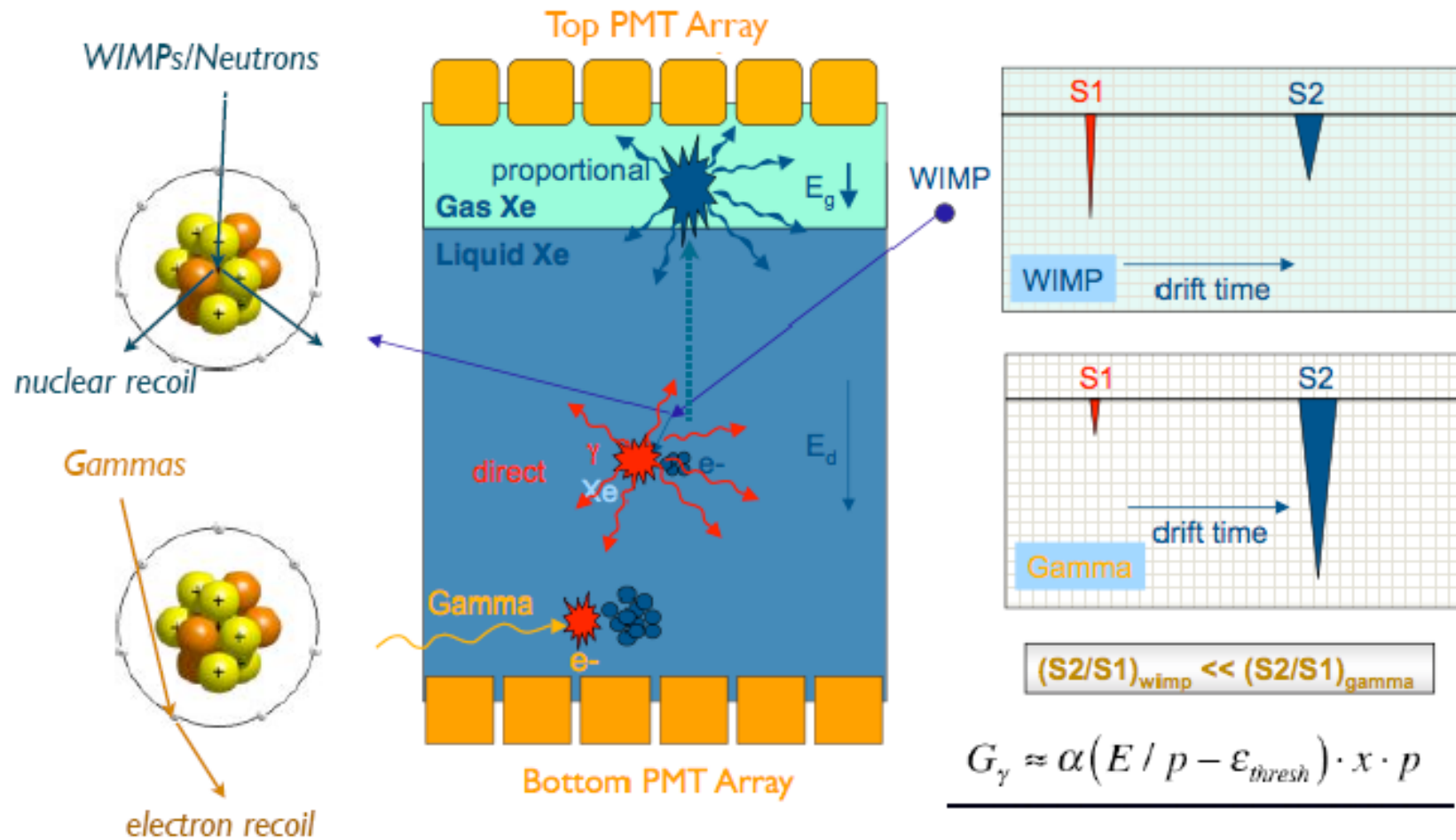
→ More complex but active evt by evt rejection.  
 → ≠ technologies for charge readout



# Liquefied noble gas : II-phase principle

## Noble liquid two-phase TPC

From XENON-10



$$G_\gamma \approx \alpha (E/p - \epsilon_{thresh}) \cdot x \cdot p$$

$$\alpha_{LXe} = 70 \gamma / kV \quad \epsilon_{thresh}^{LXe} = 1.3 kV / cm / atm$$

# Lxe : Xenon-10 /100 @ Gran Sasso

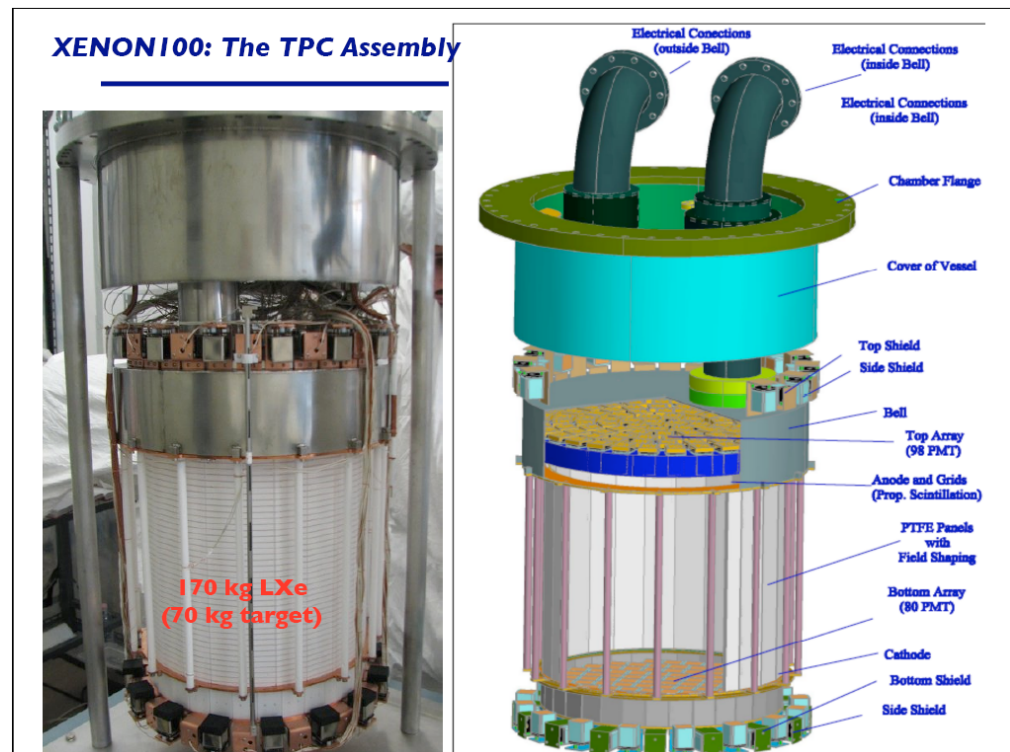
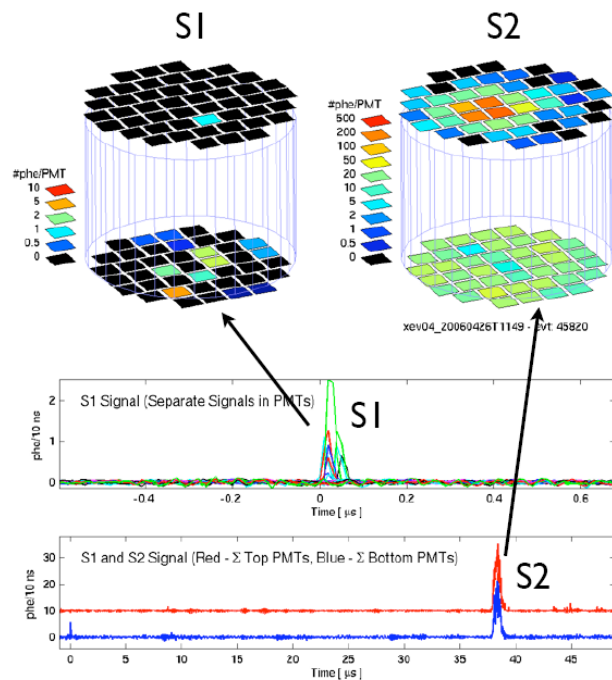
→ **Xenon 10** : 22 kg LXe, 15 kg actif, **5 kg fiduciel**, Drift charge on 15 cm

→ **Xenon 100** : **170 kg LXe, 65 kg fiduciel (≈ 45 kg after cut)**  
**+ 105 kg Veto , Drift charge on 30 cm**

- Hamamatsu R8520-AL 2.5× 2.5 cm PMTs
- QE ~30% @ 178 nm, < 1 mBq/PMT in 238U/232Th)
- 98 PMTs top, 80 PMTs bottom array
- x-y position :  $\sigma_{x-y} \approx 3$  mm, z-position from  $\Delta$ drift ,  $\sigma_Z < 2$  mm
- 16 kV cathode:  $E_d = 0.53$  kV/cm (drift)

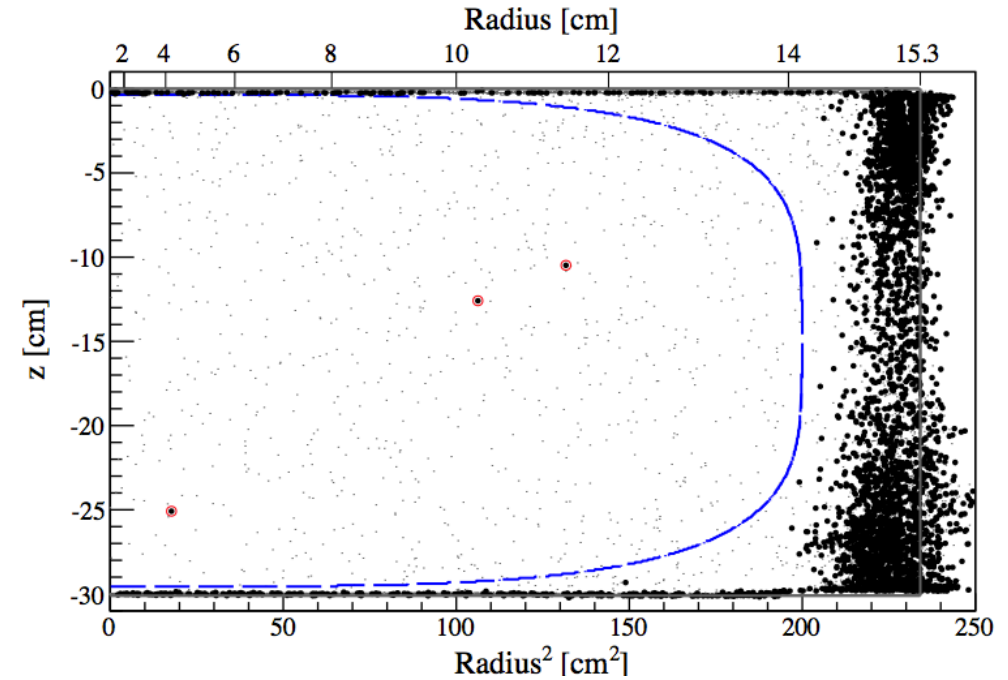
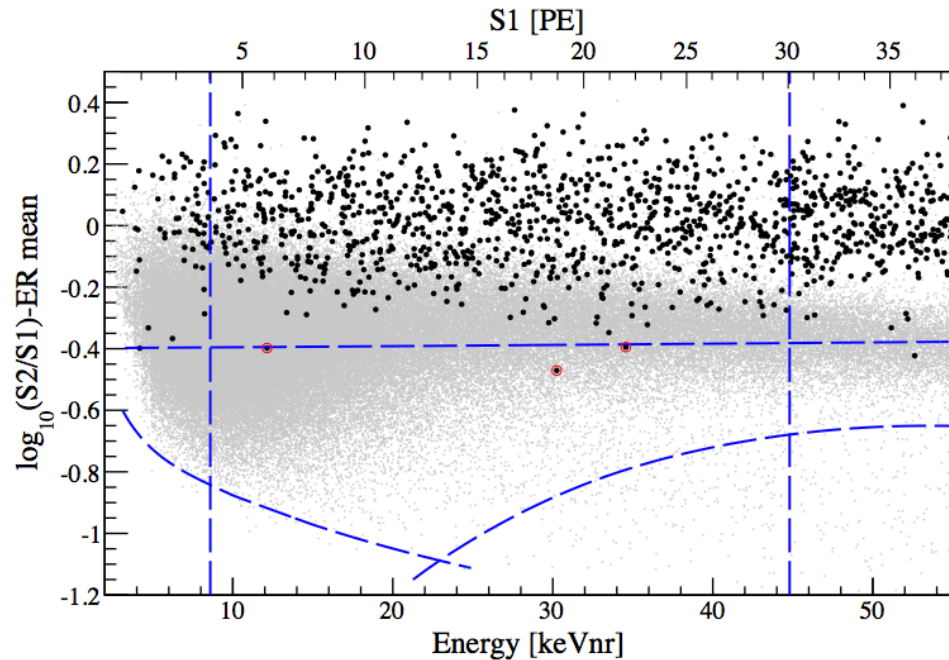


## Signals from XENON10



# Xenon-100 : (very) last results *arXiv:1104.2549v1*

**100.1 live days (Jan-June 2010), 48kg fid, eq to  $\approx 1471$  kg.days (acceptance corrected)  
3 NR candidates,  $1.8 \pm 0.6$  evts expected background**



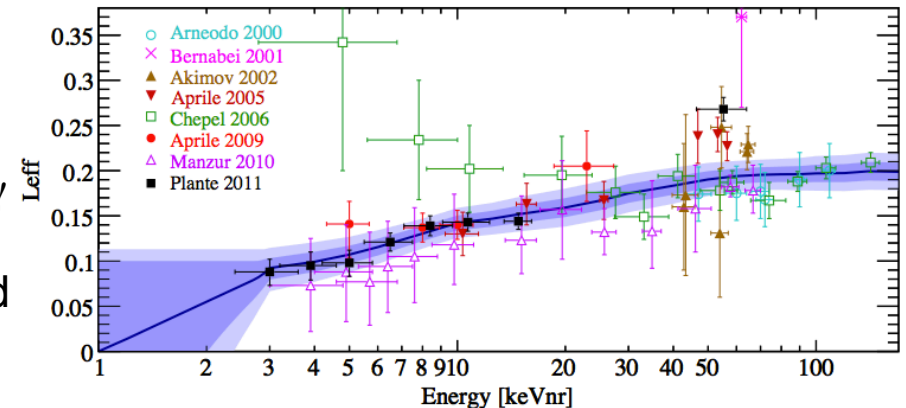
- **Gamma rejection power** of XENON-100 **below the cryogenics detectors : keep only  $\approx 40\%$  NR**

- **Absolute energy scale** (Erecoil) (calibration with  $\gamma$  gives Eee)

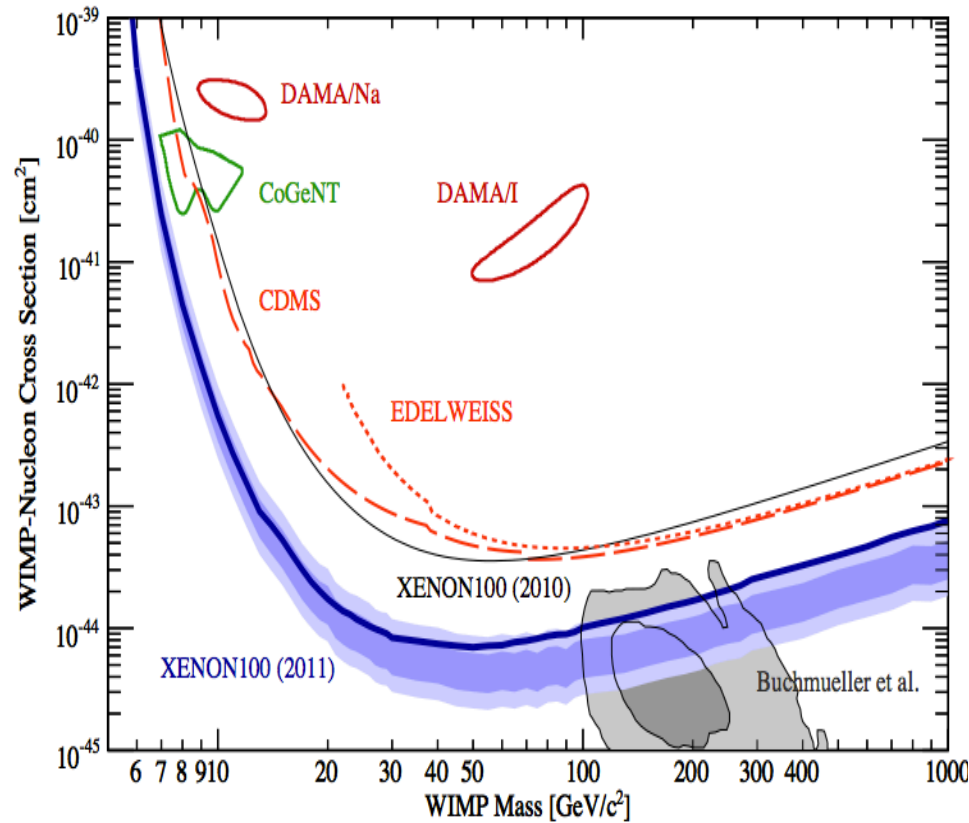
**Quenching Factor  $L_{eff}$**  :  $E_r \sim L_{eff} \cdot E_{ee} +$  electric field effect on the charge collection

Virulent discussion on arXiv with CoGeNT

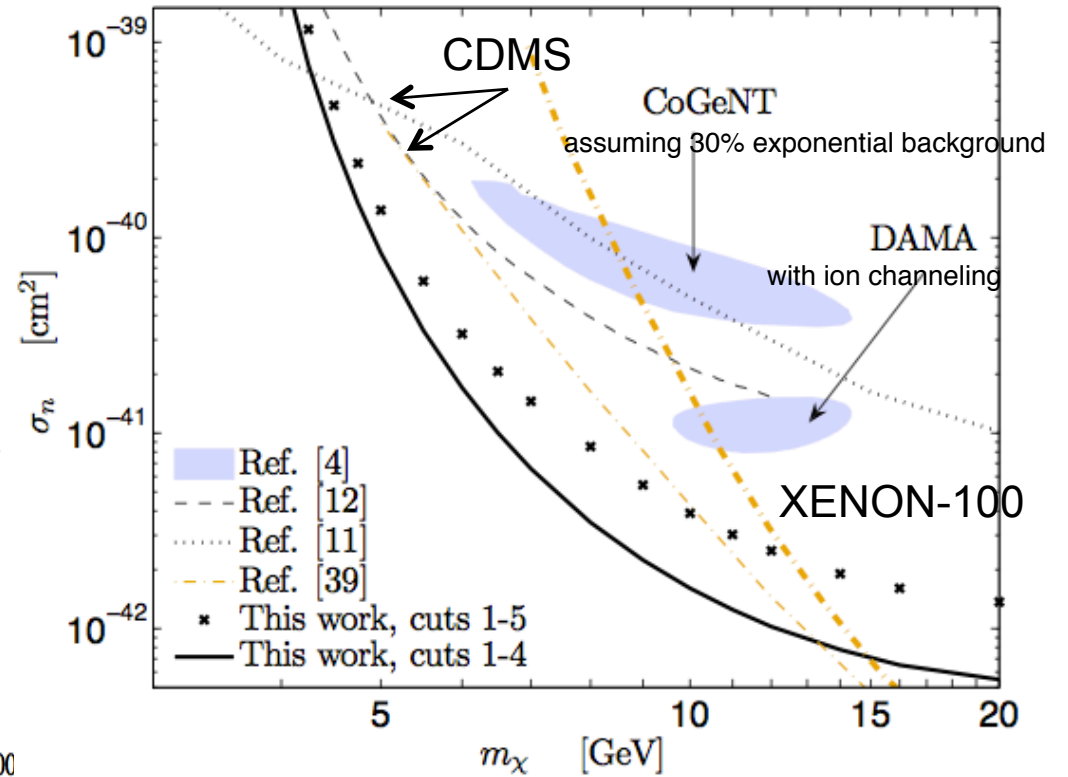
**New dedicated measurements (arXiv:1104.2587v1)**



# Xenon-10-100 & Low mass Wimps



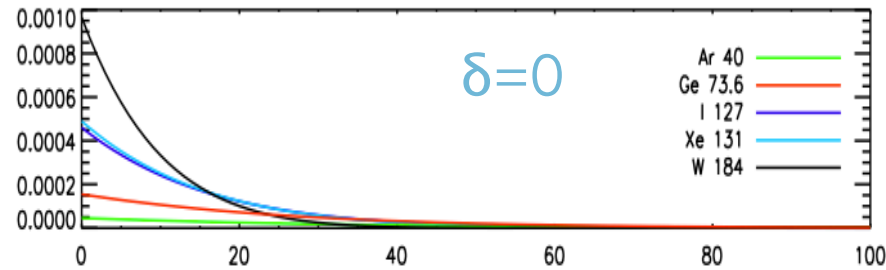
XENON-100 arXiv:1104.2549v1  
 Spin Ind.  $\sigma_{W-n} > 7.0 \times 10^{-9}$  pb  
 for a  $M_W=50$  GeV/c<sup>2</sup> (90% CL)



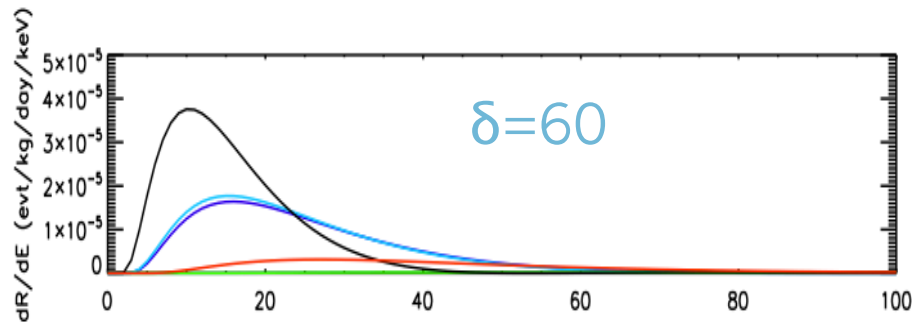
XENON-10 arXiv:1104.3088v1  
 Low threshold reanalysis of Xenon-10 data

→ few space for low Mass WIMPS !!....  
 → CoGeNT & DAMA scenario excluded

# Inelastic Dark Matter

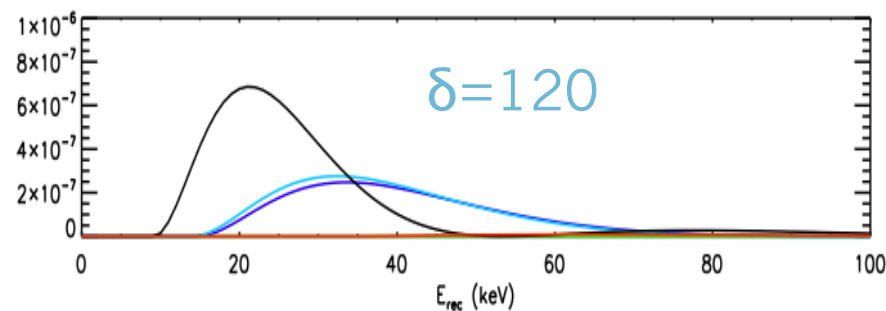


→ Motivation : Dark matter modulated signal claimed by DAMA/LIBRA vs. null detection in all the other direct detection experiments



$\chi + m \rightarrow \chi^* + m$  ( $\delta \sim 100$  keV)

$$v_{\min} = \underbrace{\frac{1}{c^2} \sqrt{\frac{1}{2mE_R}}}_{v_{\min}^{el}} \left( \frac{mE_R}{\mu} + \delta \right)$$

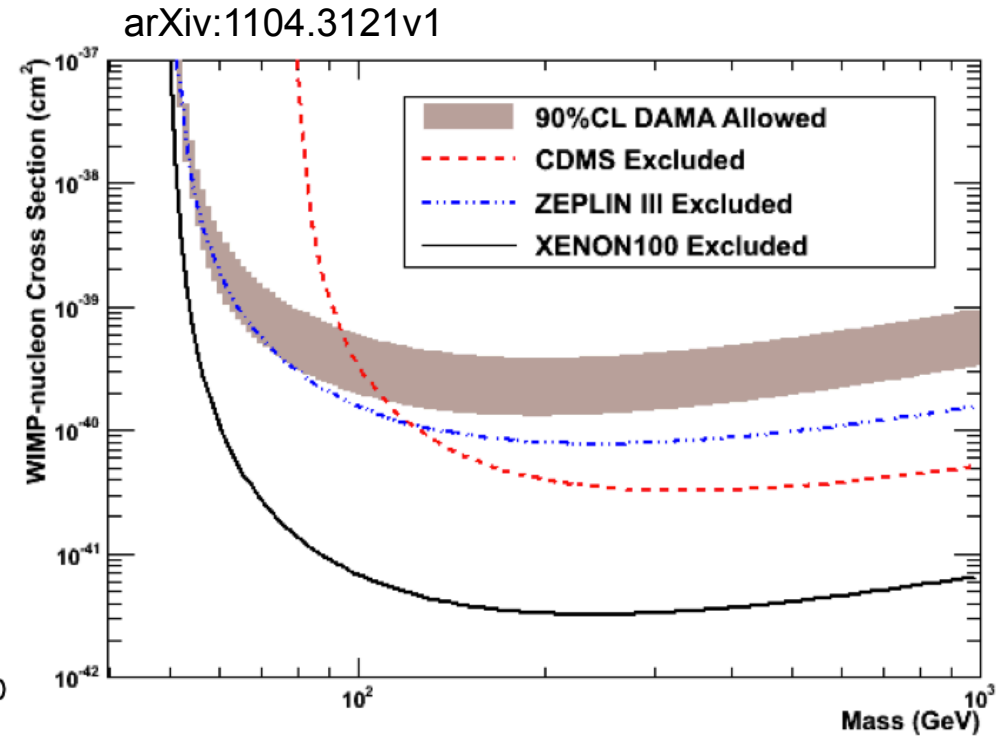
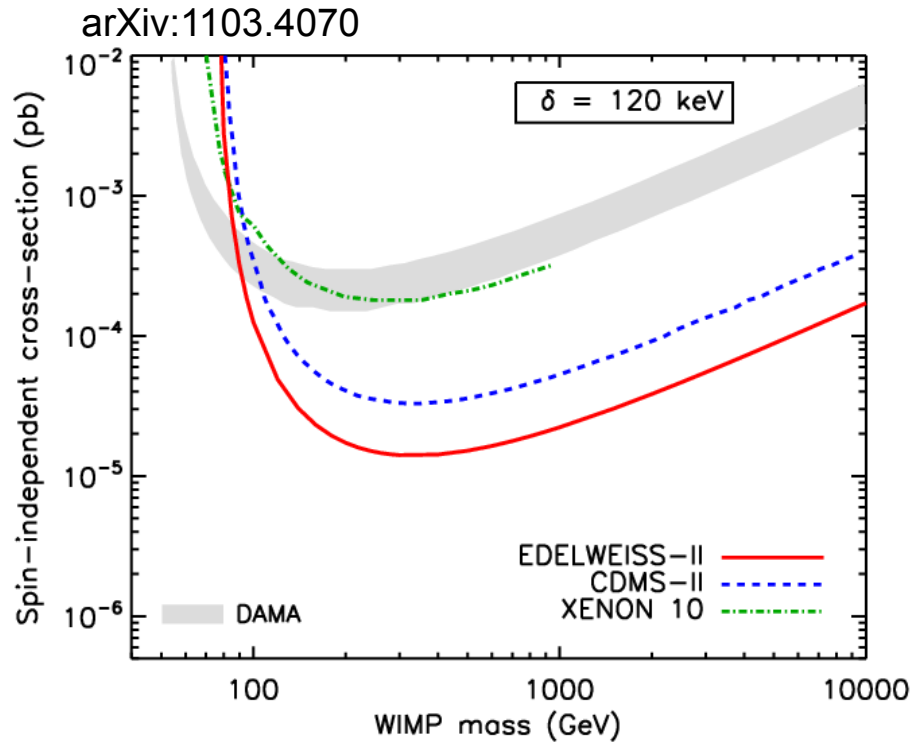


→ Signal globally reduced and suppressed at low recoil energies

→ Heavier targets preferred

→ Modulation is enhanced

# Xenon-10, EDELWEISS & inelasticDM



→ same data & analysis as in the elastic case

→ use  $v_{\text{esc}} = 544 \text{ km/s}$

(RAVE survey, arXiv:0611671, 2007)

→ **DAMA allowed region excluded**

**for  $M_\chi > 90 \text{ GeV}$  (90%CL)**

→ **The whole DAMA WIMP region is excluded by XENON100.**

## Conclusion, discussion

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- **EDELWEISS-II** 2009-2010 wimps search :  
384 kg.days, 5 candidates, expected background < 3 evts (90%CL)  
Sensitivity of  $4.4 \cdot 10^{-8}$  at  $M_\chi=85$  GeV

- **CDMS-II** 2007-2008 wimps search :  
379 kg.days, 4 candidates, expected background  $\approx 1.5$   
Sensitivity of  $3.8 \cdot 10^{-8}$  at  $M_\chi=70$  GeV

- **XENON-100** 2010 wimps search :  
1471 kg.days, 3 candidates, expected background  $1.8 \pm 0.6$  evts  
Sensitivity of  $7 \cdot 10^{-9}$  at  $M_\chi=50$  GeV

**→ The  $10^{-8}$  pb “focus point” is now in hands !**

+ CoGeNT (77K Ge, ultra low threshold) : excess of signals compatible with  $M < 10$  GeV Wimps

+ CRESST (not published) : excess of signals compatible with  $M < 15$  GeV Wimps

+ DAMA annual modulation (at  $8.3\sigma$  CL !) : compatible with  $M < 15$  GeV

**→ ALL leading experiments have candidates AND backgrounds ...**

→ Main challenges for the coming updates of experiments and future projects :

→ improve the Electronic Recoils rejection (an issue for Lxe)

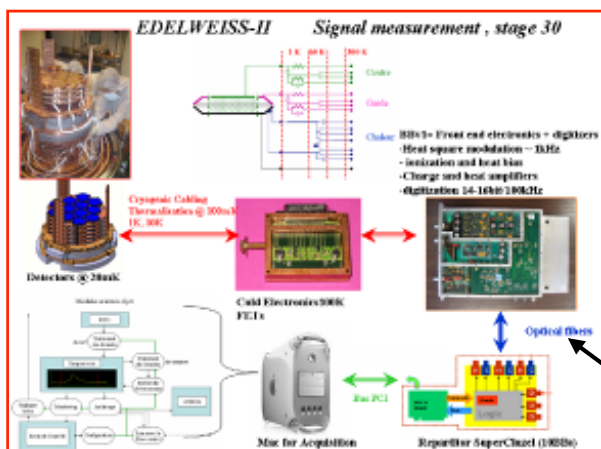
→ huge care in the neutron backgrounds (+  $\gamma$  for Lxe)

**→ convince people for the background estimations (best if 0 bkg...)**

- EXTRA

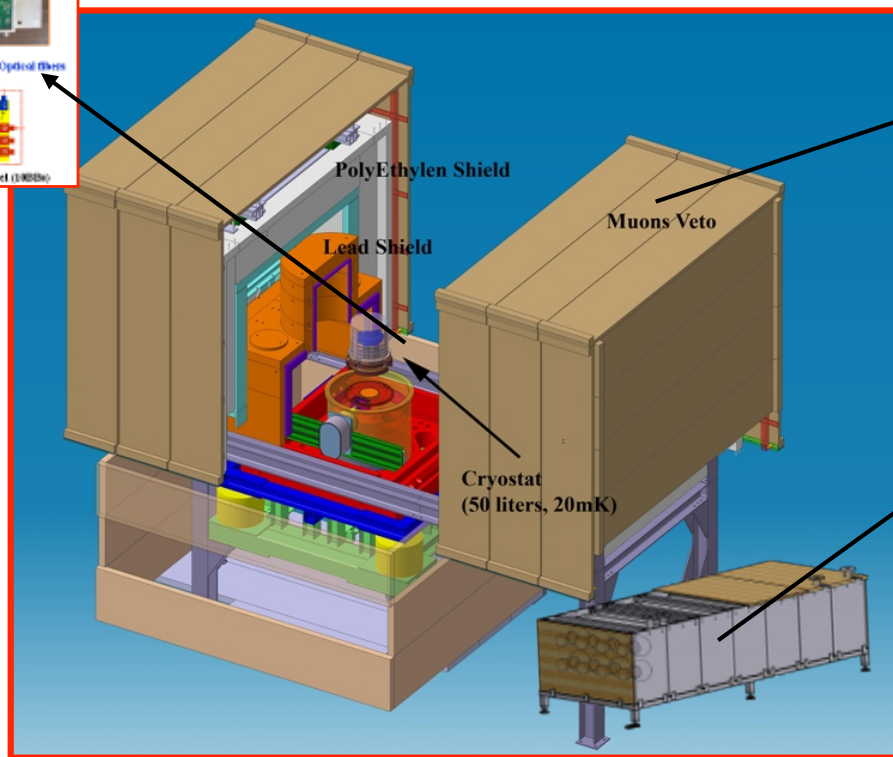


# EDELWEISS-II setup : additional detectors



## Bolometers + $\mu$ veto system

- + **Radon detector**
- + **liquid scintillator neutron detector**
- + **thermal and fast neutron  $^3\text{He}$  detectors**



**$\mu$ veto system**  
Working continuously,  
To tag bolo-veto coincidences



• additional detectors #3 =  
**liquid scintillator neutron counter**

Precise studies of muon induced neutron

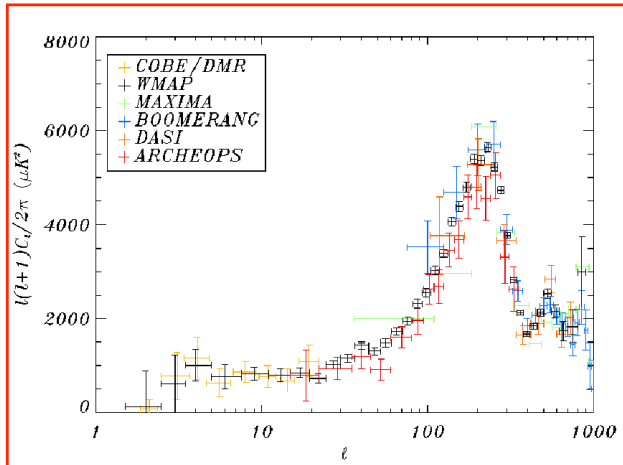
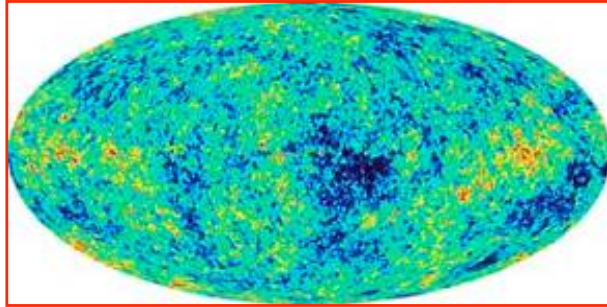


• additional detectors #1 =  
**Radon detector**  
Continuous monitoring  
of Radon level

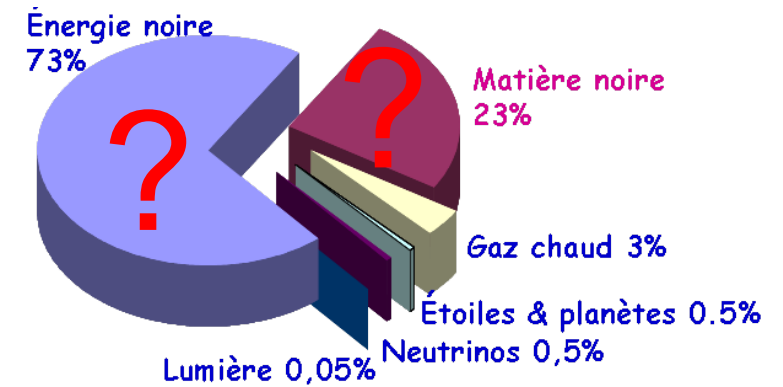
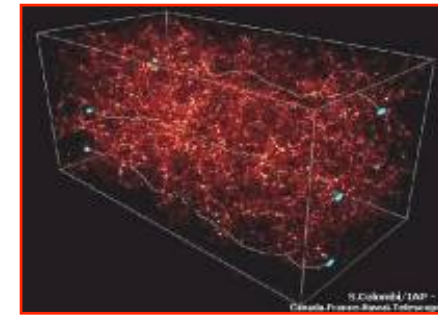
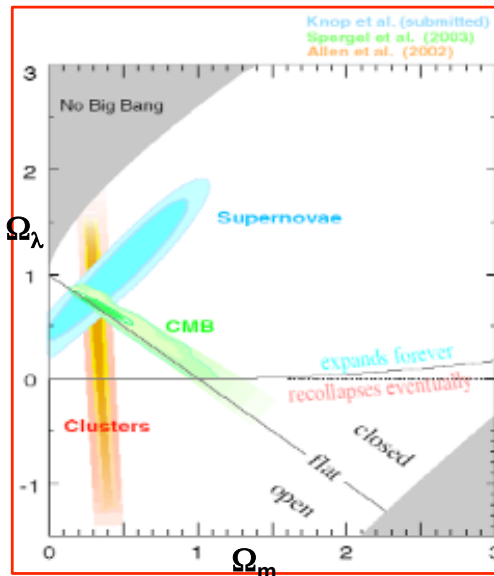
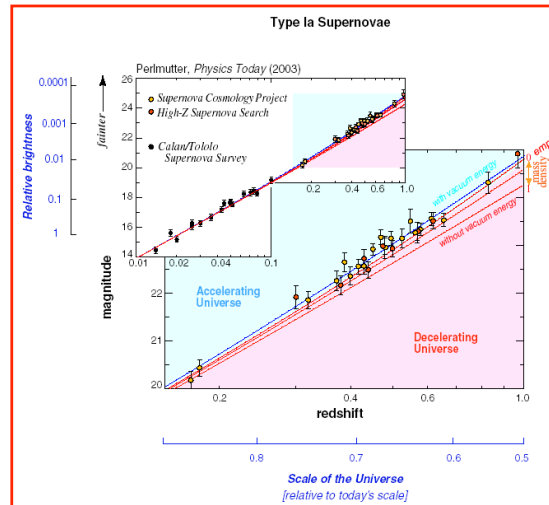


• additional detectors #2 =  
 **$^3\text{He}$  neutron detector**  
Check the thermal neutron rate at  
different place in the LSM

# Dark matter @ cosmological scales



- Structure à grande échelle
- Simulation
- Anisotropie CMB (fond diffus cosmologique)
- SN IA (SuperNovae standard)
- BAO (oscillation acoustique baryons)
- Mesures dynamiques ...

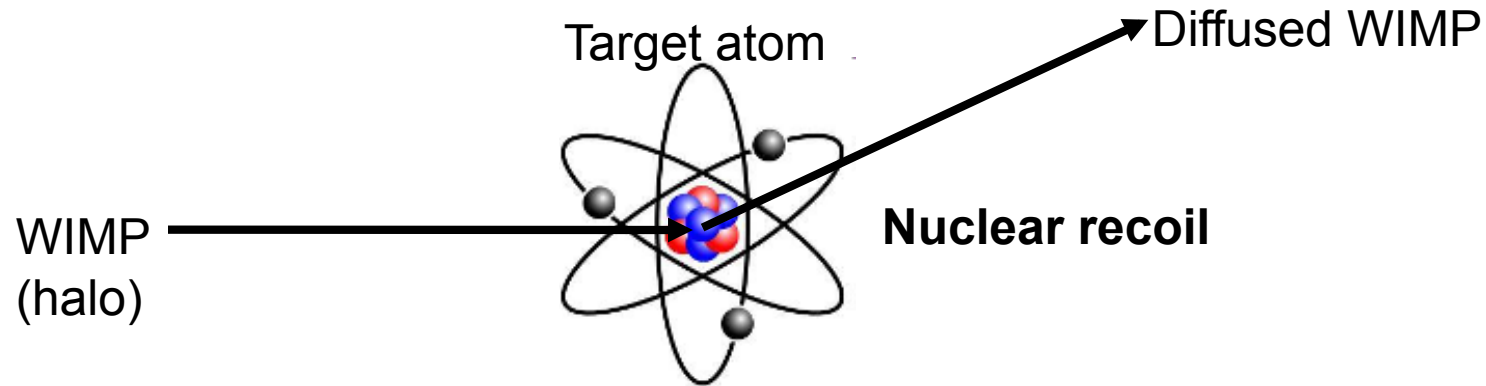


## Modèle de concordance :

$$\Omega_i = \rho_i / \rho_{\text{critique}} \quad (\rho_c \approx 10^{-29} \approx 5 \text{ protons/m}^3)$$

- $\Omega_{\text{total}} \approx 1$ 
  - $\Omega_\lambda \approx 0.73$  (« Énergie du vide »)
  - $\Omega_{\text{matter}} \approx 0.27$  CMB+SN1A+BAO
- $\Omega_{\text{baryonique}} \approx 0.04$  BBN + CMB
- (Rq: visible qq ‰)
- $\Omega_{\text{matière noire chaude}} < 0.02$  (v)
- $\Omega_{\text{matière noire froide}} \approx 0.23$  (...)

## Direct WIMPs search: principles (1)



- **WIMPs signal = elastic diffusion on target nucleus**

- Cinematic  
(energy)

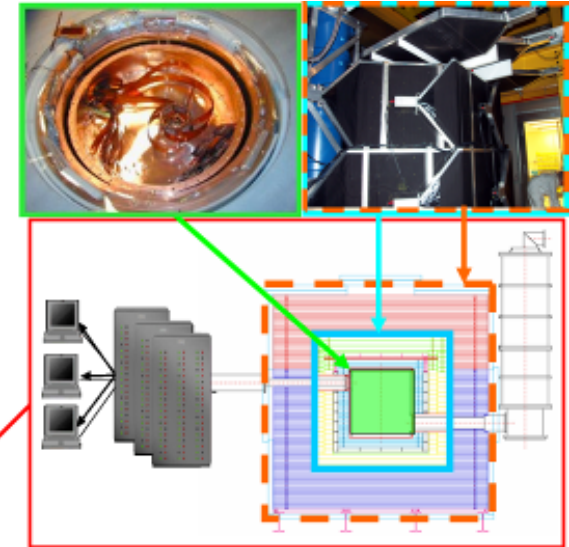
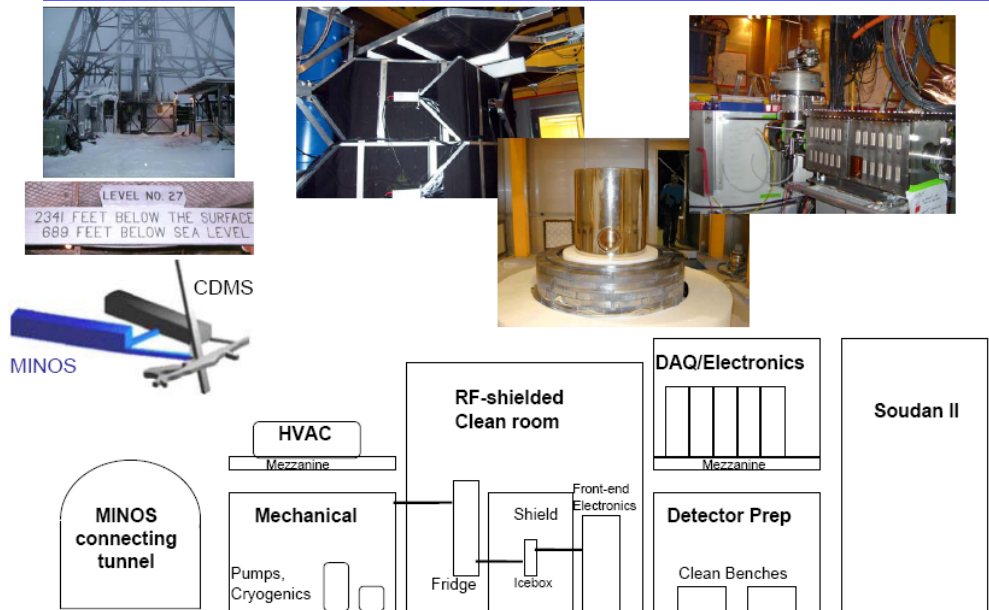
$$E = \frac{\mu^2}{m_A} v_w (1 - \cos \Theta) \quad \text{avec} \quad \mu = \frac{m_w m_A}{m_w + m_A}$$

- Typ. Interaction rate :  
(nber evts/time unit)

$$R = \frac{\rho_{0w}}{m_w} N \sigma_{w-A} \langle v_w \rangle$$

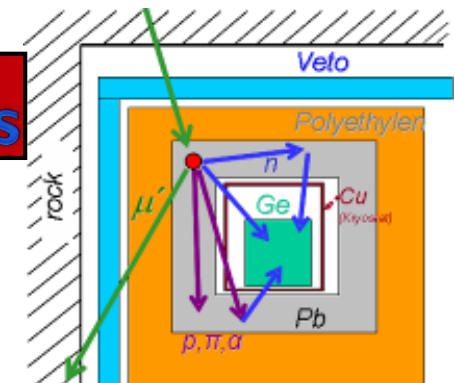
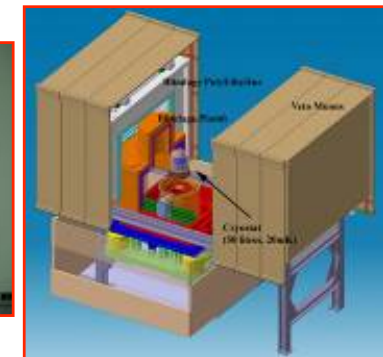
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# CDMS Soudan Installation



## Mine du Soudan (Minnesota)

- **Moins bonne couverture que tunnel du Fréjus**
- **Plus de contrainte sur le veto**
- **Sudbury/SNOLAB est envisagé pour SuperCDMS**
- **CDMS : Veto m + 40cmPE-20cmPb-10cmPE**
- **EDW : Veto m + 50cmPE-20cmPb**
- **Simulation MC : Fond neutron négligeable pour CDMS et EDELWEISS pour qq 1000kg.jour**



# CDMS-II : détecteur ZIP

## ZIP: Z-sensitive Ionization and Phonon Detector

### Detectors :

- 250 g Ge or 100 g Si crystal

1 cm thick x 7.5 cm diameter

- Phonon Sensors : Superconducting W thermometer

Photolithographic patterning

4 quadrants

37 cells per quadrant

6x4 array of 250 $\mu$ m x 1 $\mu$ m W TES per cell

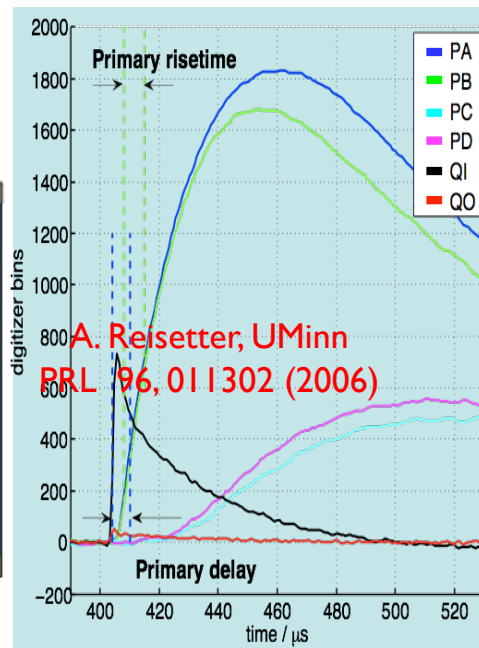
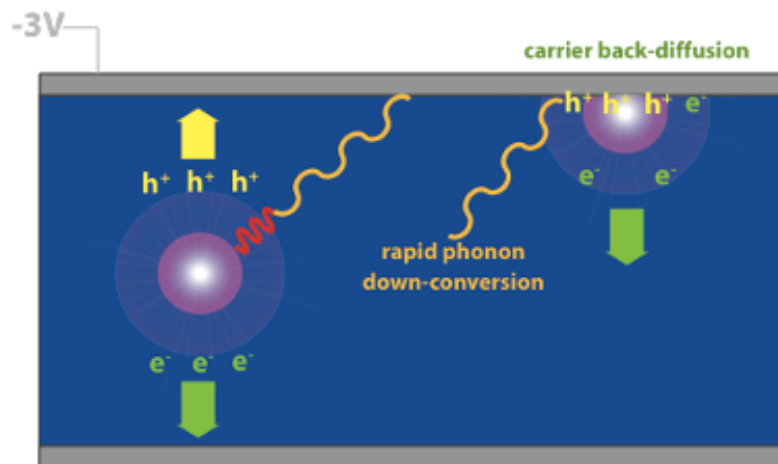
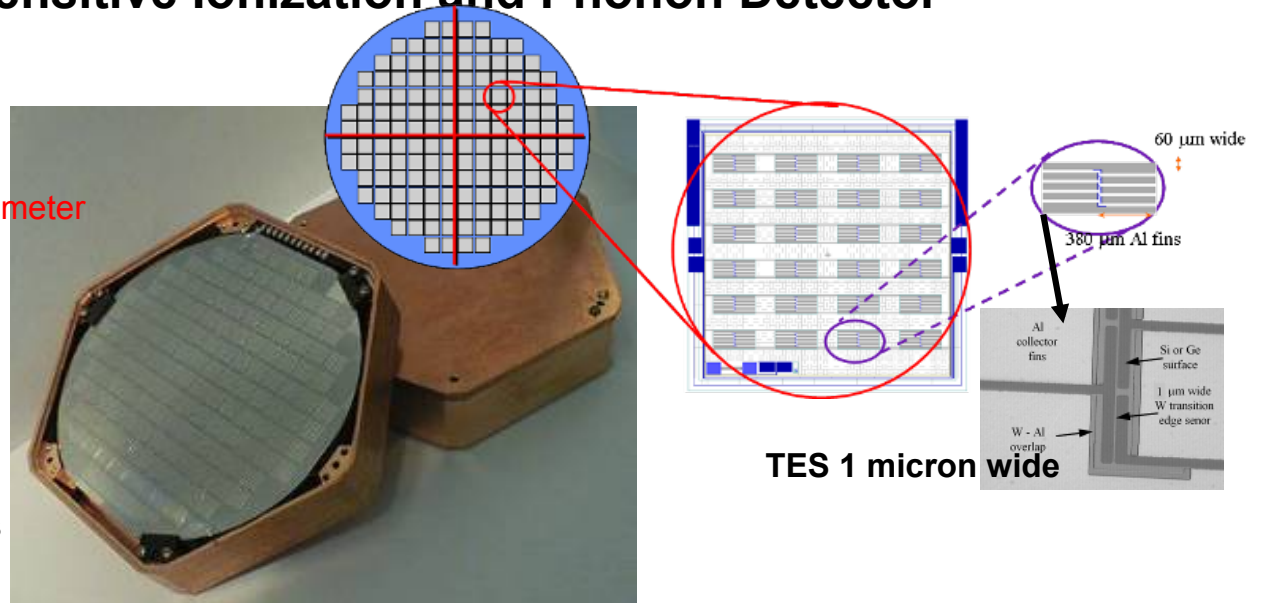
Each W sensor "fed" by 8 Al fins

- Ionization Sensors

2 electrodes (+ ground) allow rejection of events near outer edge

- Low impedance electronics with Squids

+ FETs pour Ionisation



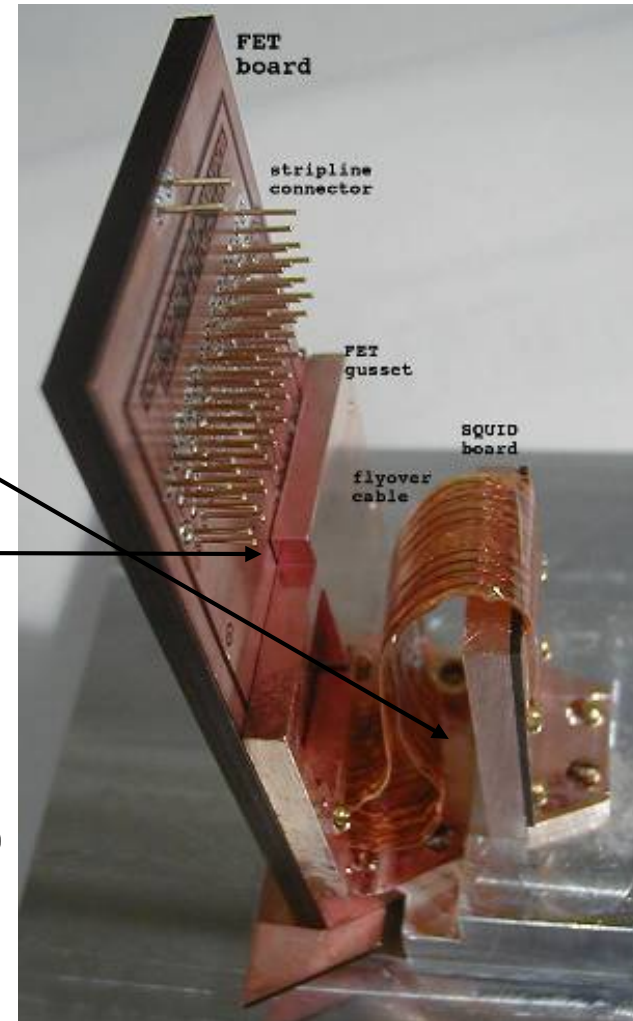
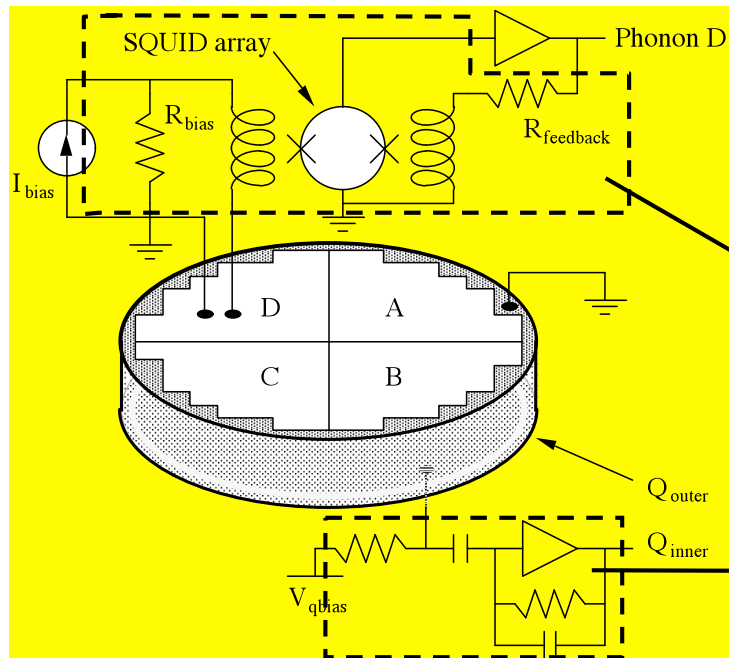
Physics of phonons degradation : surface events have faster rise time.

→ 2 parameters used for cuts :

- **Primary risetime** (delay 10% - 40% phonon amp.)

**Primary delay** delay 20% charge amp and 20% phonon amp.)

# CDMS-II : Électronique froide « SQUETs »



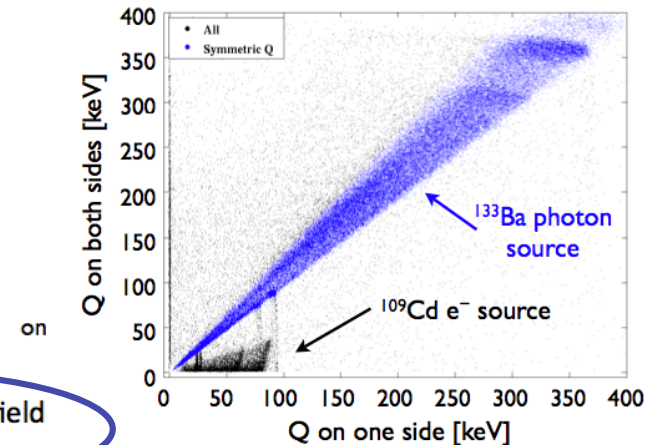
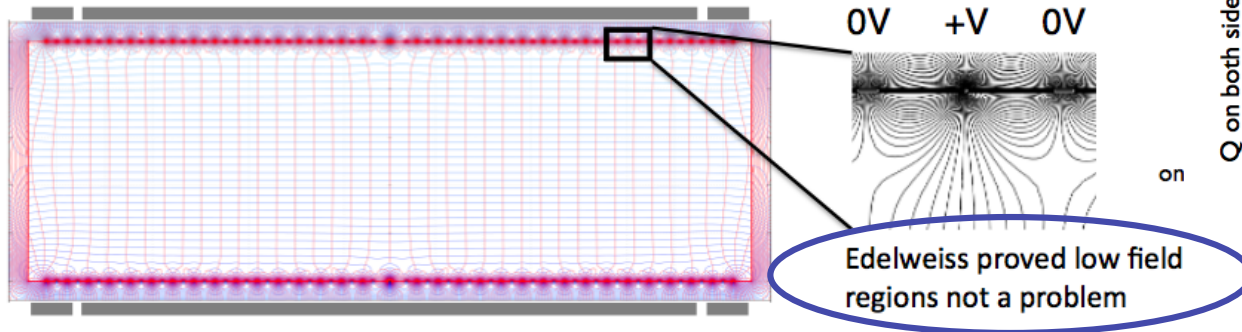
- Phonon signals are readout by SQUID based Amps (0.6 K)
- Charge Amps first stage: Cold FET (130 K)
- Both SQUID and FET based amps are assembled on a single card (SQUETs)
- A CDMS “tower” consist of 6 ZIPs and corresponding SQUETs.

**5 tours à Soudan : 4.5 kg of Ge**

# CDMS-II future: going to « i-ZIP », further steps

## Improving Background Rejection

- Interdigitated ZIP (iZIP) design meets needs for SuperCDMS SNOLAB and GEODM



M. Pyle, B. Serfass

## Larger Substrates

- Larger substrates provide gains in cost/time per kg and bgnds
- Step 1: 10-cm “standard” HPGe substrates (Ortec, Umicore)
- Step 2: 15-cm dislocation-free Ge

=> 5 kg unit

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## Reducing Cost/Time: Demonstrated Fab Improvements

« Industrial » process

Steps :

- ⇒ Super CDMS @ Soudan : 15 kg (2010-2012) start running with 600g i-ZIP
- ⇒ Super CDMS @ SNOLAB : 100 kg (2012-2017)
- ⇒ GeoDM @ DUSAL : .5 T (2017-...)

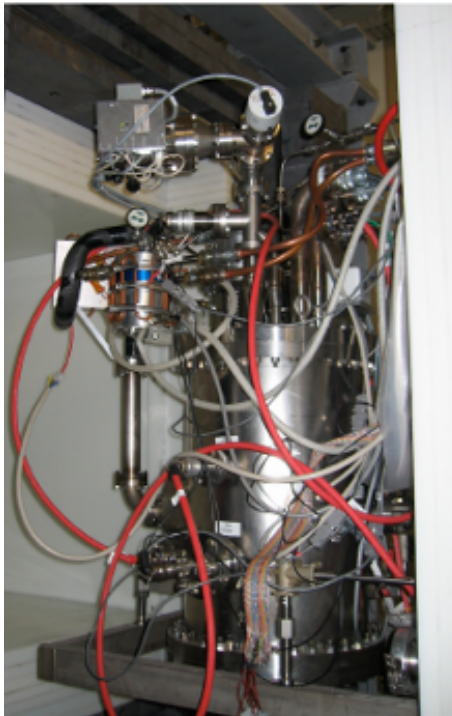
Planned progressive collaboration btw Edelweiss/EURECA and CDMS/GeoDM

# Liquefied noble gas LXe: Xenon

## The XENON Dark Matter Search Phases



the past  
(2005 - 2007)



### XENON10

Achieved (2007)  $\sigma_{SI} = 8.8 \times 10^{-44} \text{ cm}^2$   
PRL100\_021303(2008)  
PRL101\_091301(2008)  
arxiv:1001.2834v1

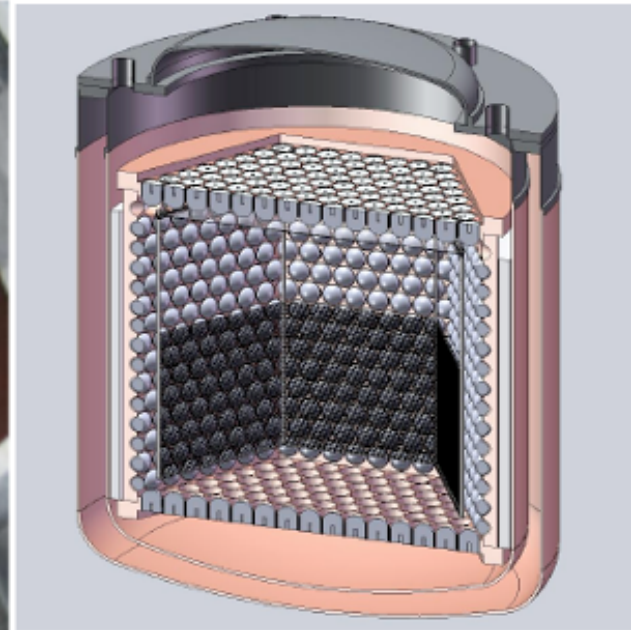
the current  
(2007-2010)



### XENON100

Projected (2009)  $\sigma_{SI} \sim 2 \times 10^{-45} \text{ cm}^2$   
Arxiv:1005.0380v1

the future  
(2010-2014)



### XENON1T

Projected (2014)  $\sigma_{SI} \sim 10^{-47} \text{ cm}^2$