

The latest progress of CDEX experiment

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Outline:

- China Jinping Underground Laboratory (CJPL)

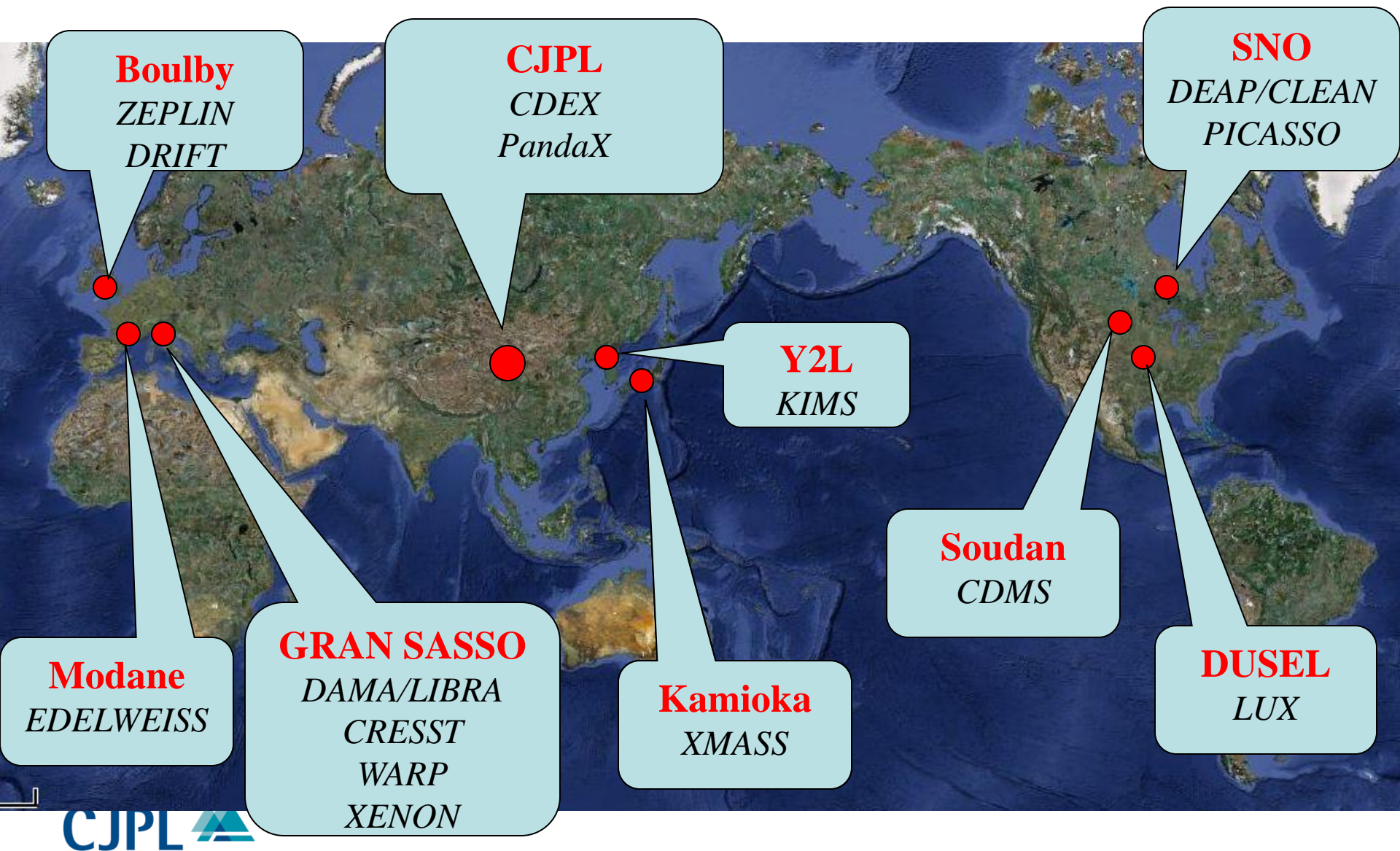
CJPL; CJPL-II

- China Dark Matter Experiment (CDEX) & Status

CDEX-1; CDEX-10; CDEX-1T

- Summary

International Main Underground Laboratories



Two Direction Developments

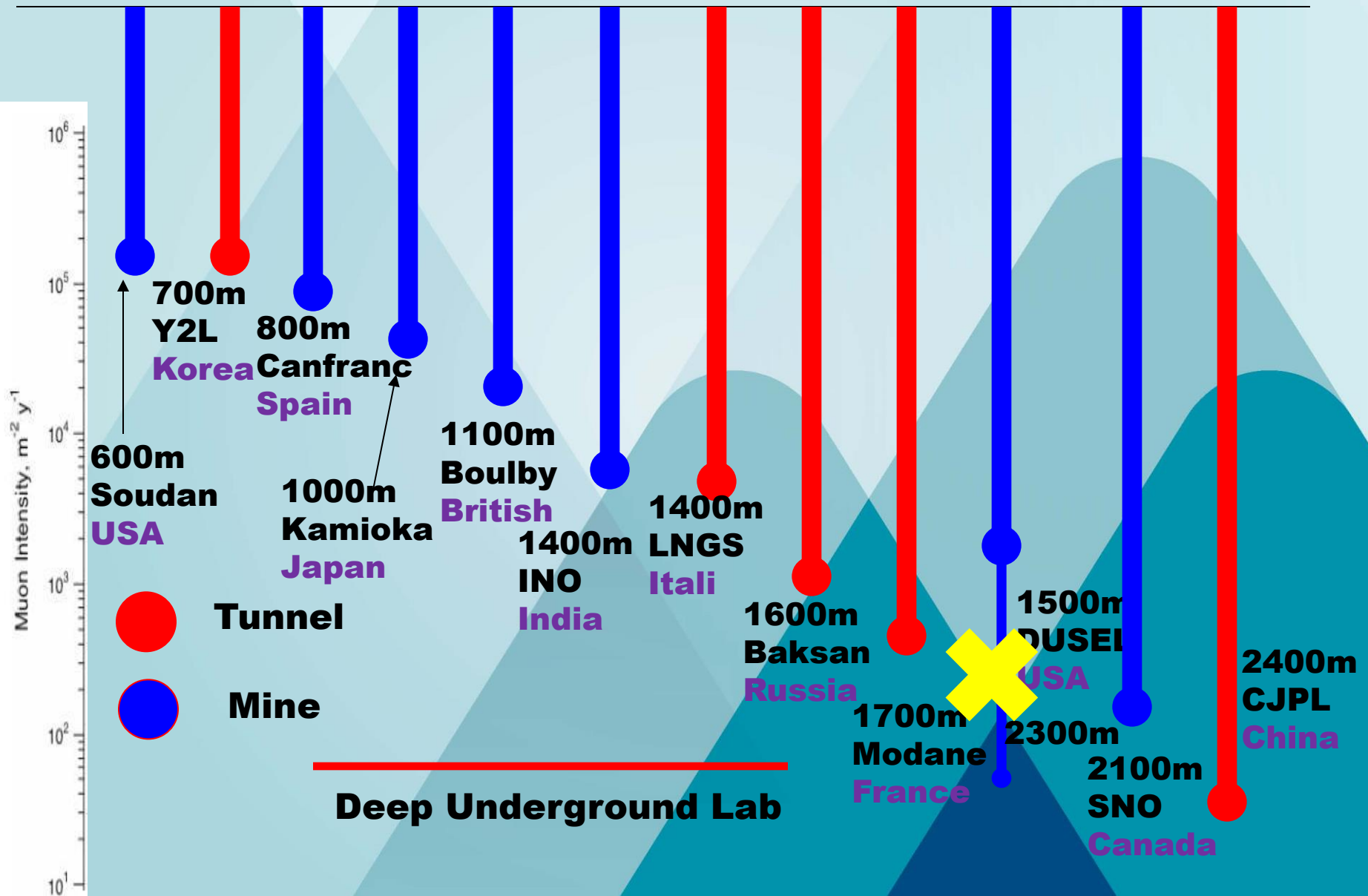
- **Enhance Detection Efficiency**

- ◆ increase detector target mass **kg-ton-kt**
- ◆ reduce detector energy threshold **10keV-1keV-100eV**

- **Suppress Backgrounds**

- ◆ shield cosmic ray better
- ◆ passive shield with Pb、 Cu、 PE...
- ◆ active shield with LS
- ◆ develop high efficiency signal discrimination

UL in the world (rock overburden)



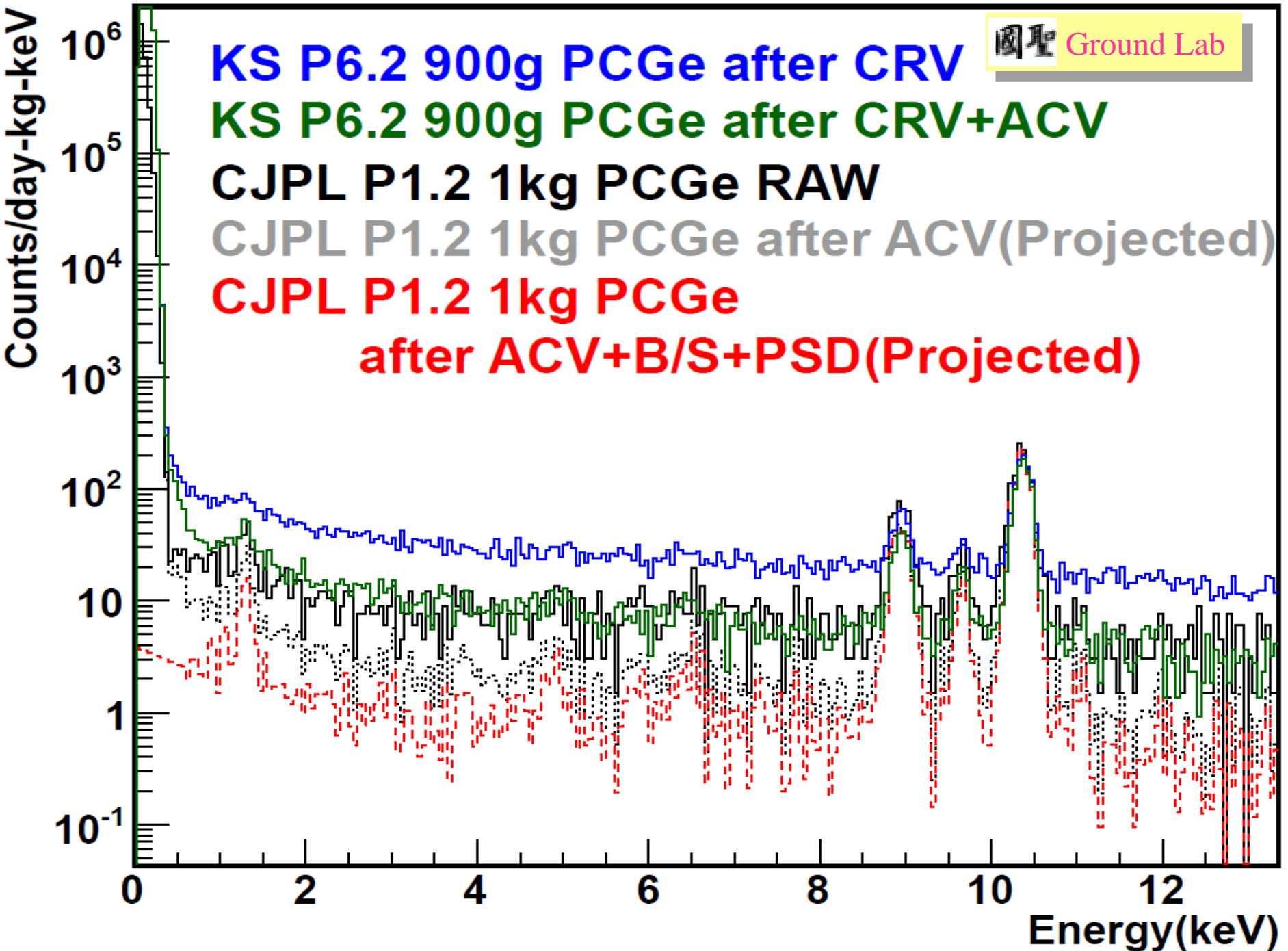
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KS P6.2 900g PCGe after CRV+ACV

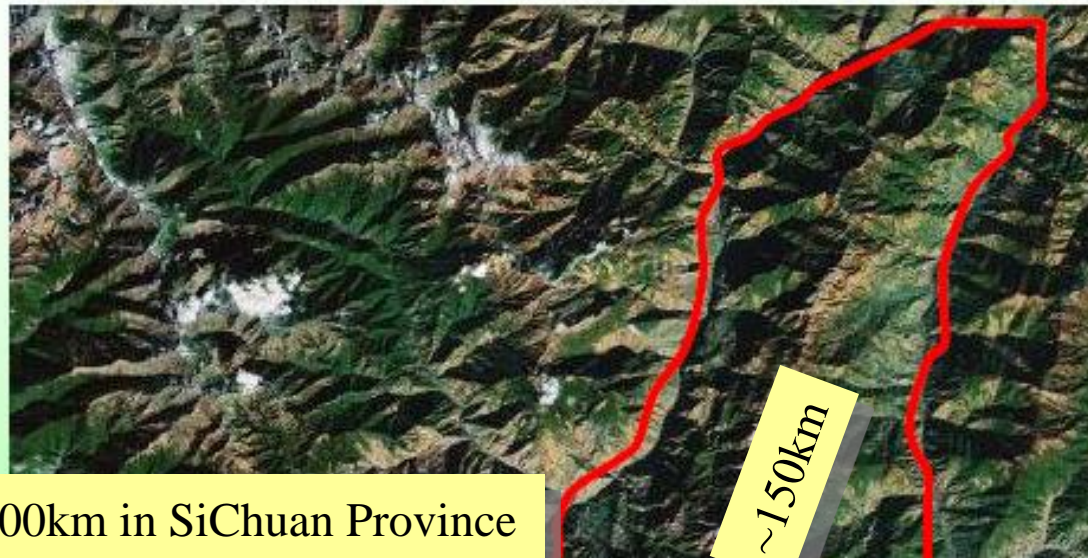
CJPL P1.2 1kg PCGe RAW

CJPL P1.2 1kg PCGe after ACV(Projected)

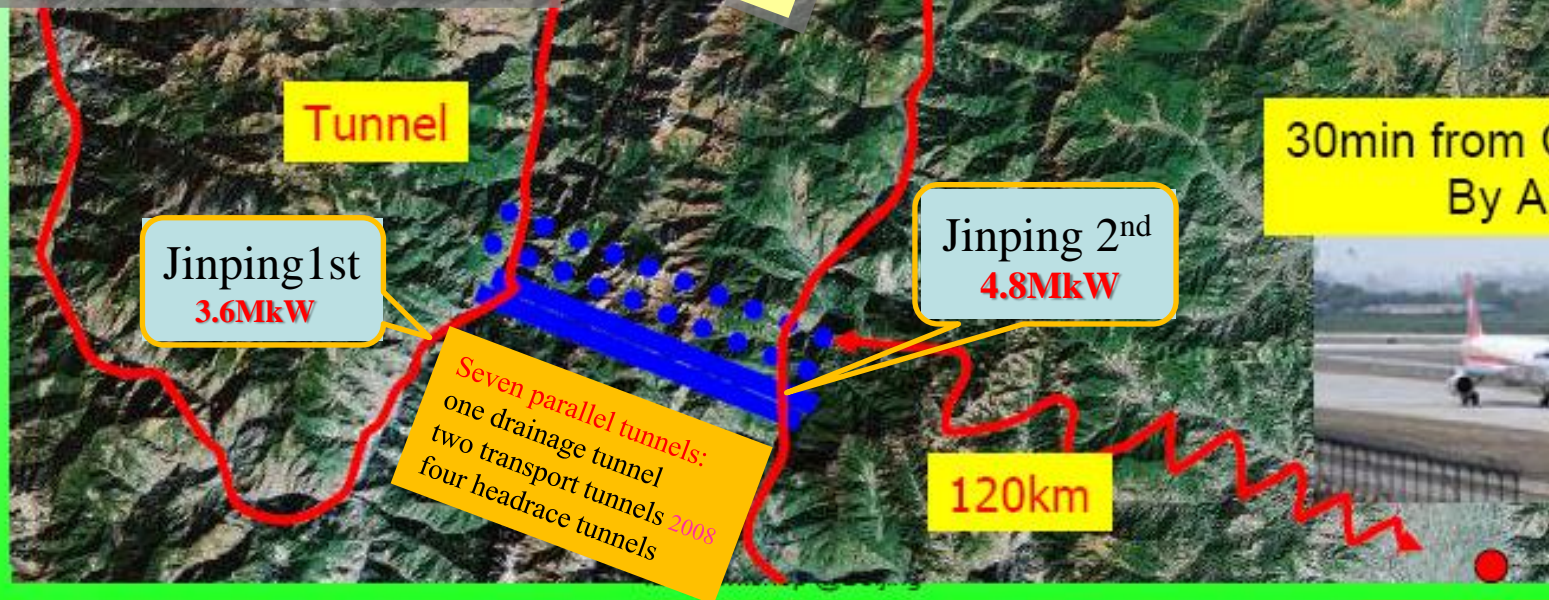
**CJPL P1.2 1kg PCGe
after ACV+B/S+PSD(Projected)**



Yalong River and Jinping Mountain



Lasts >1500km in SiChuan Province

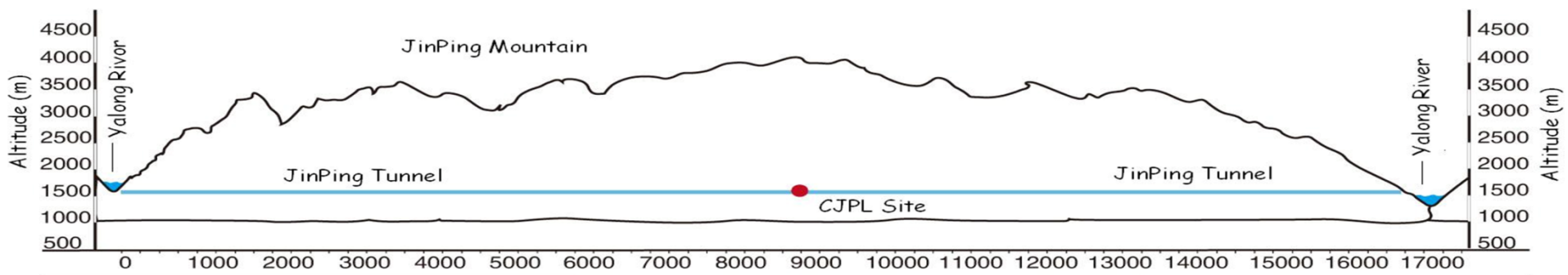


30min from Chengdu
By Air

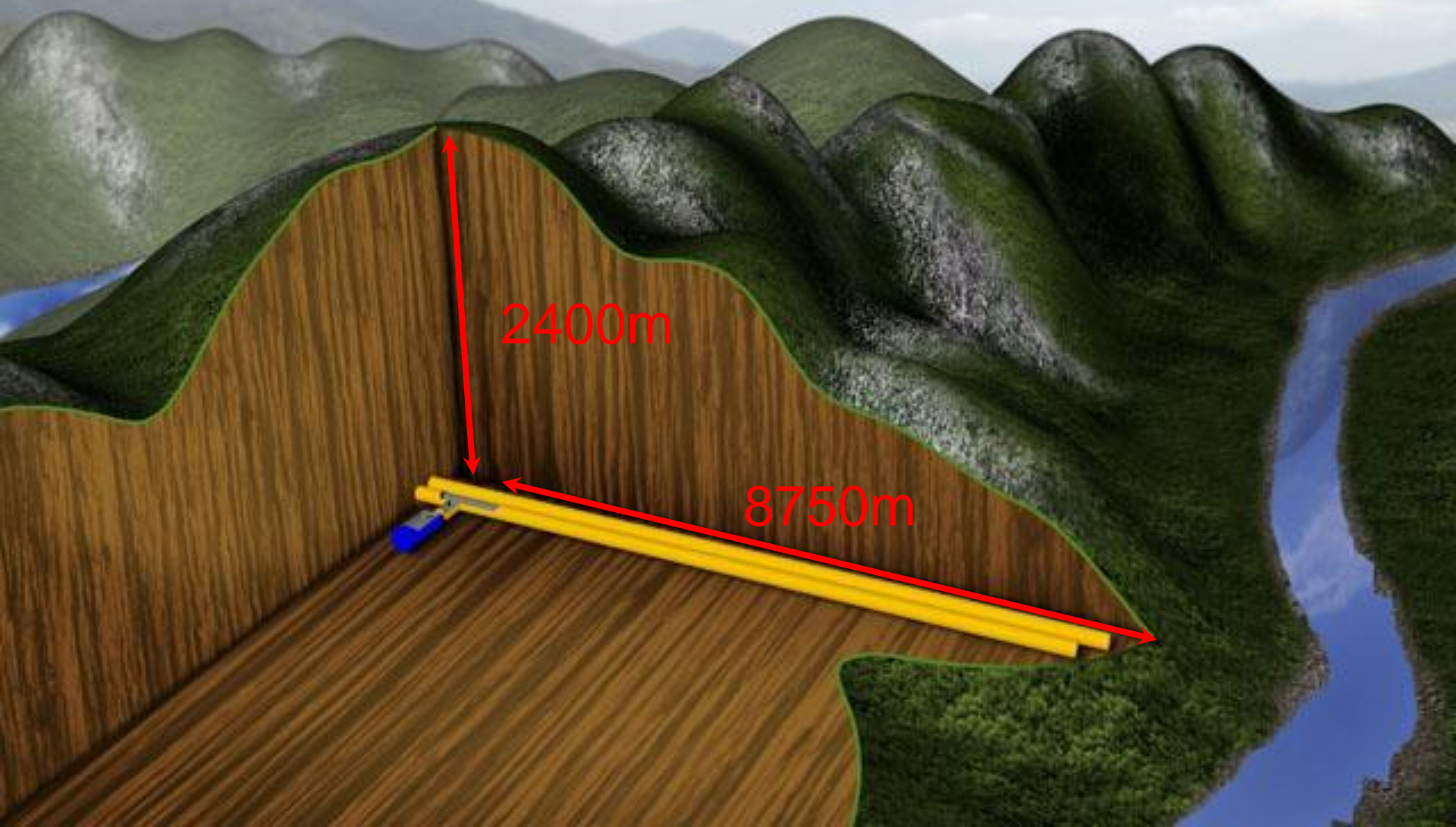


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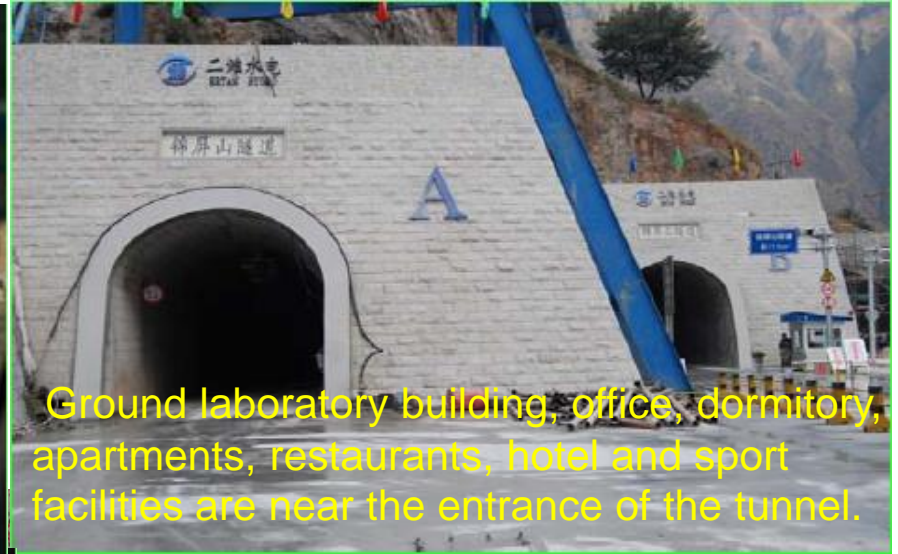
CJPL site



China JinPing Underground Laboratory (CJPL)



China Jinping Underground Laboratory



Ground laboratory building, office, dormitory, apartments, restaurants, hotel and sport facilities are near the entrance of the tunnel.

Tsinghua University,

have collaborated

6 m × 6 m

with Yalong River company

to construct and run CJPL



Dec 12, 2010

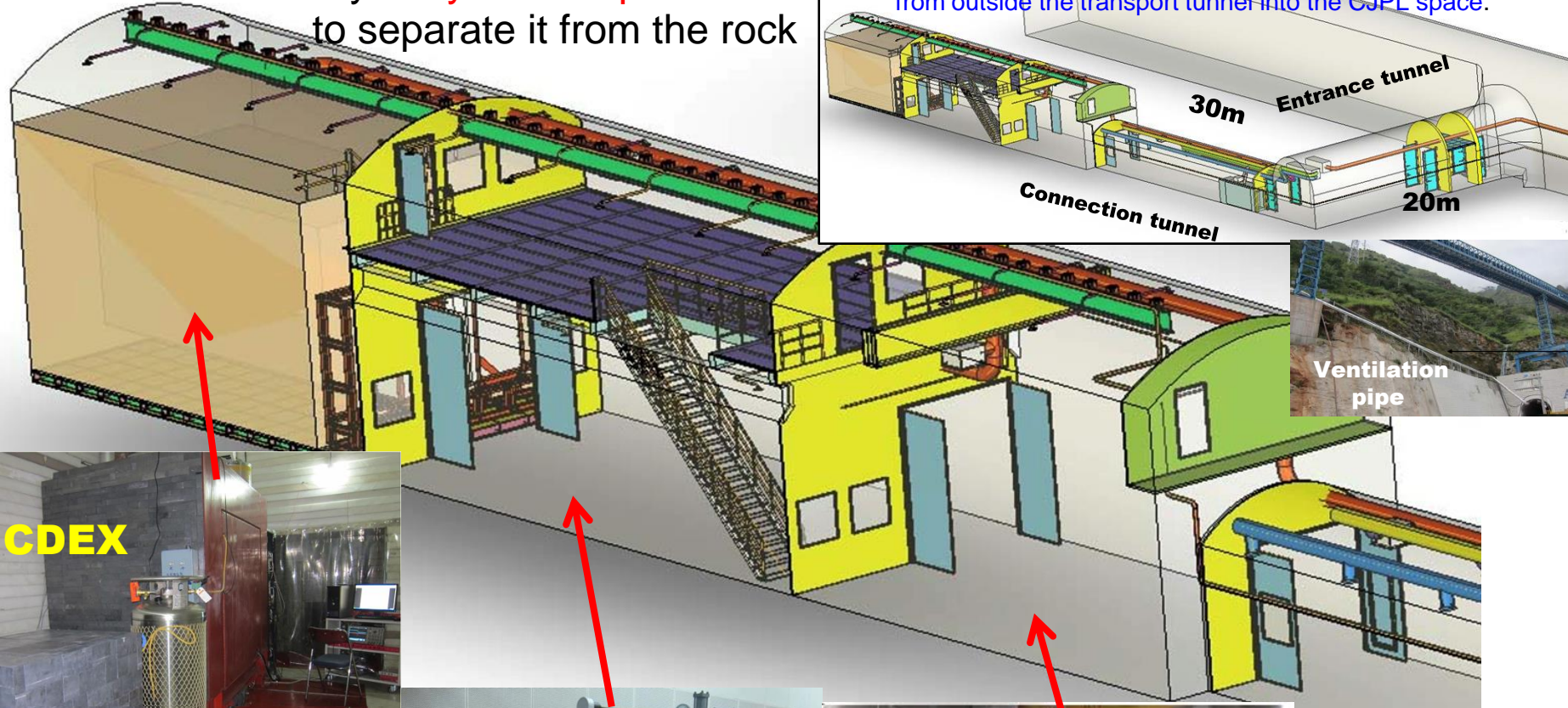
Logistic Condition of this UL



CJPL internal layout

Wall is covered by a layer of air-proof resin to separate it from the rock

10 km long air ventilation pipe built to pump the fresh air from outside the transport tunnel into the CJPL space.



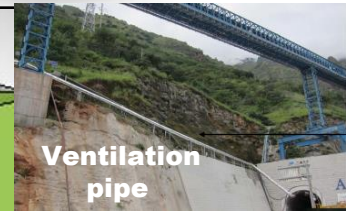
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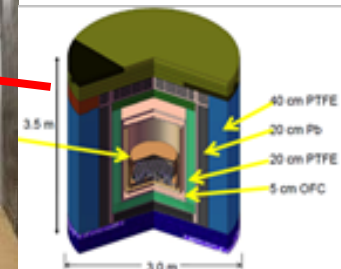
GeTHU



Ventilation pipe



PANDAX



● Main Hall: 6.5*7.5*40m

● Total Volume~4000m³

CJPL

CJPL background facility

low background germanium spectrometer

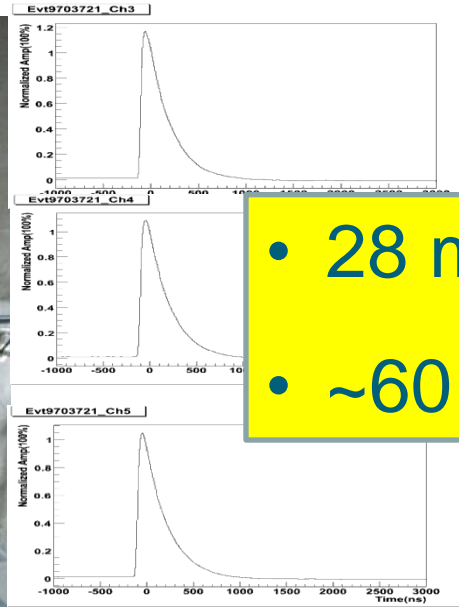
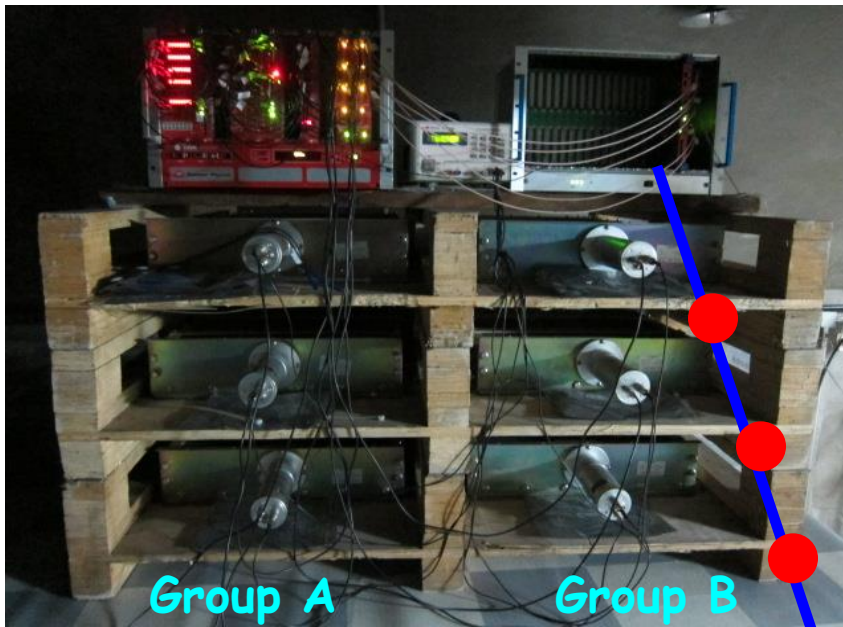
CJPL Rock Background

(Unit: Bq/kg)	K-40	Ra-226 (609keV)	Th-232 (911keV)
CJPL Rock Sample	< 1.1	1.8 ± 0.2	< 0.27
Beijing Normal Ground Level	~ 600	~ 25	~ 50

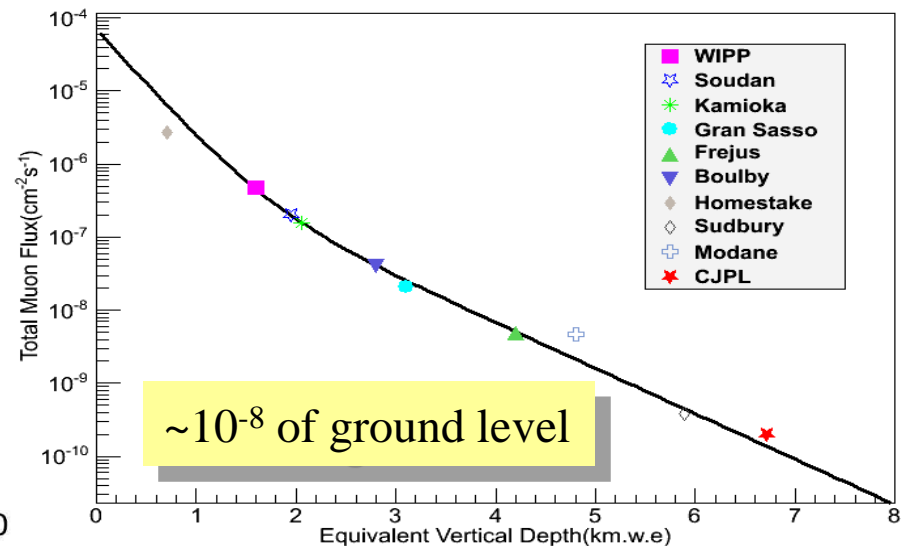
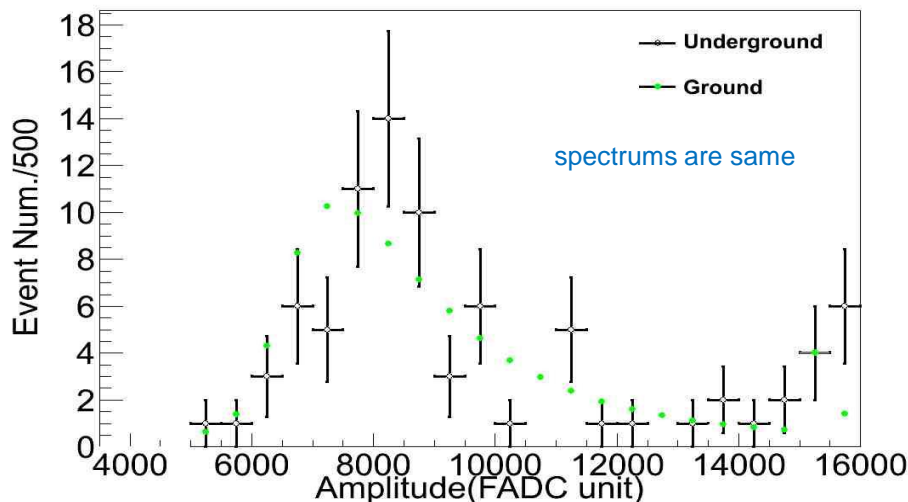
The radioactivity of surrounding environment at CJPL

Muon flux @ CJPL

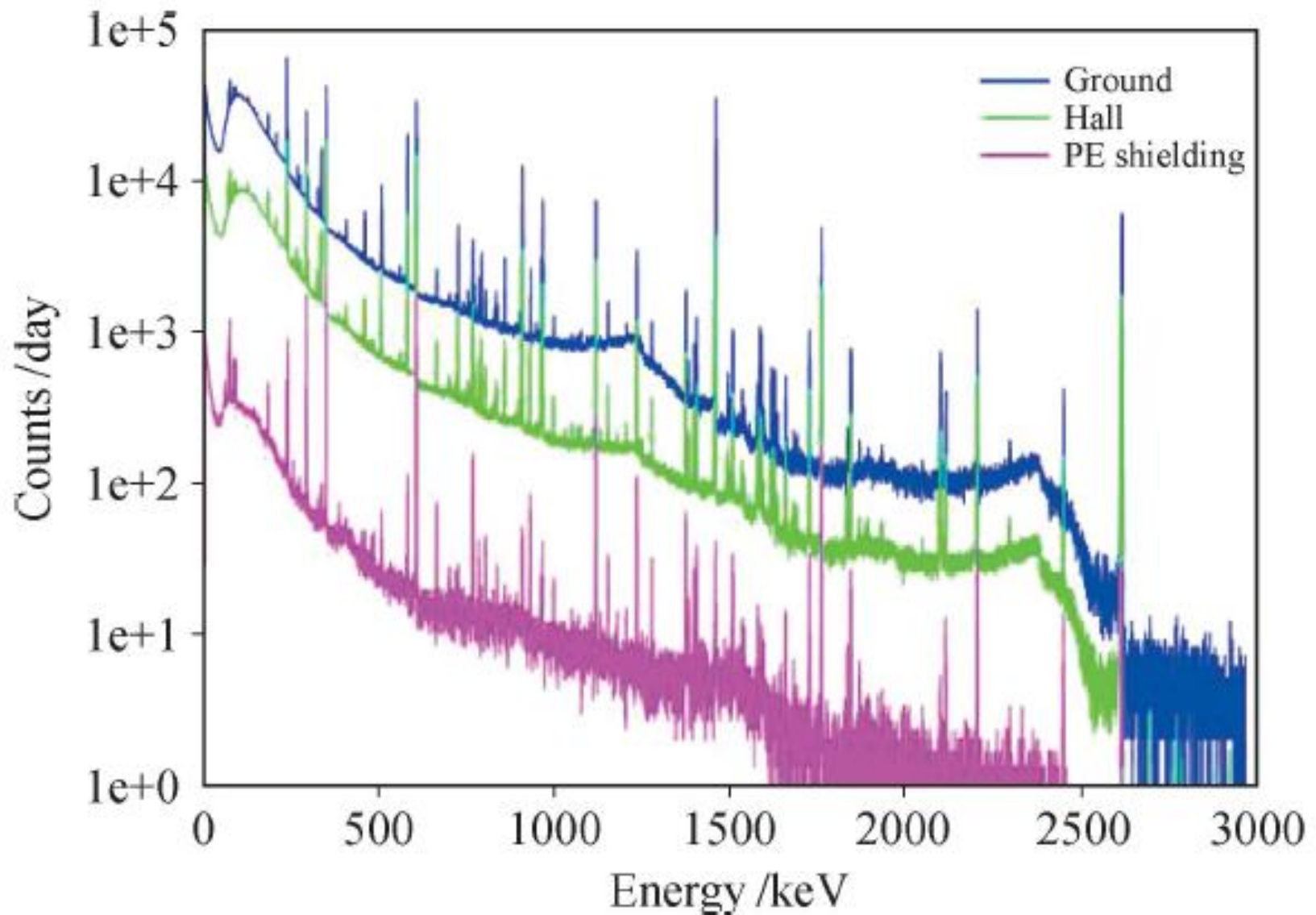
- plastic scintillators is $1\text{ m} \times 0.5\text{ m} \times 0.05\text{ m}$
- 6 pieces divided into two group



- 28 muons / 171 day;
- $\sim 60\text{ muon/year/m}^2$;

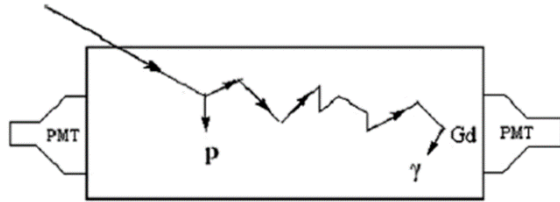


In-situ gamma spectra by a portable gamma spectroscoper



Fast neutron flux measurement in CJPL

(Gd-load LS detector)



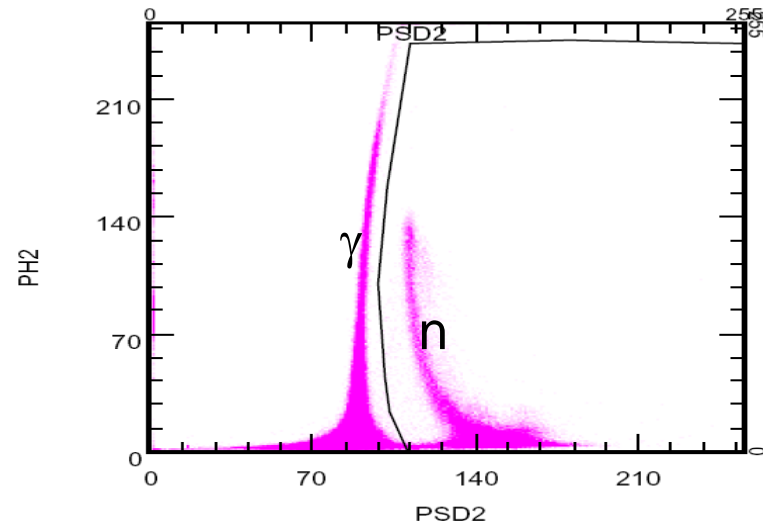
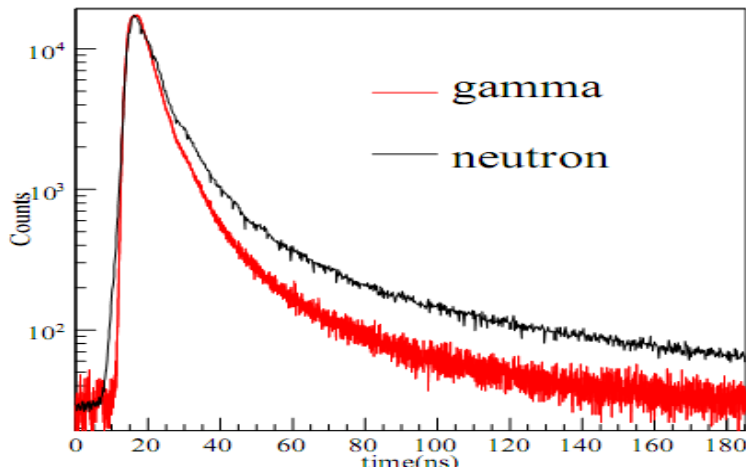
Geant4 Monte Carlo simulation:

Neutrons from Rock $\sim 3.129 \times 10^{-12}$ cpd

neutrons from concrete layer $\sim 6.490 \times 10^{-10}$ cpd;

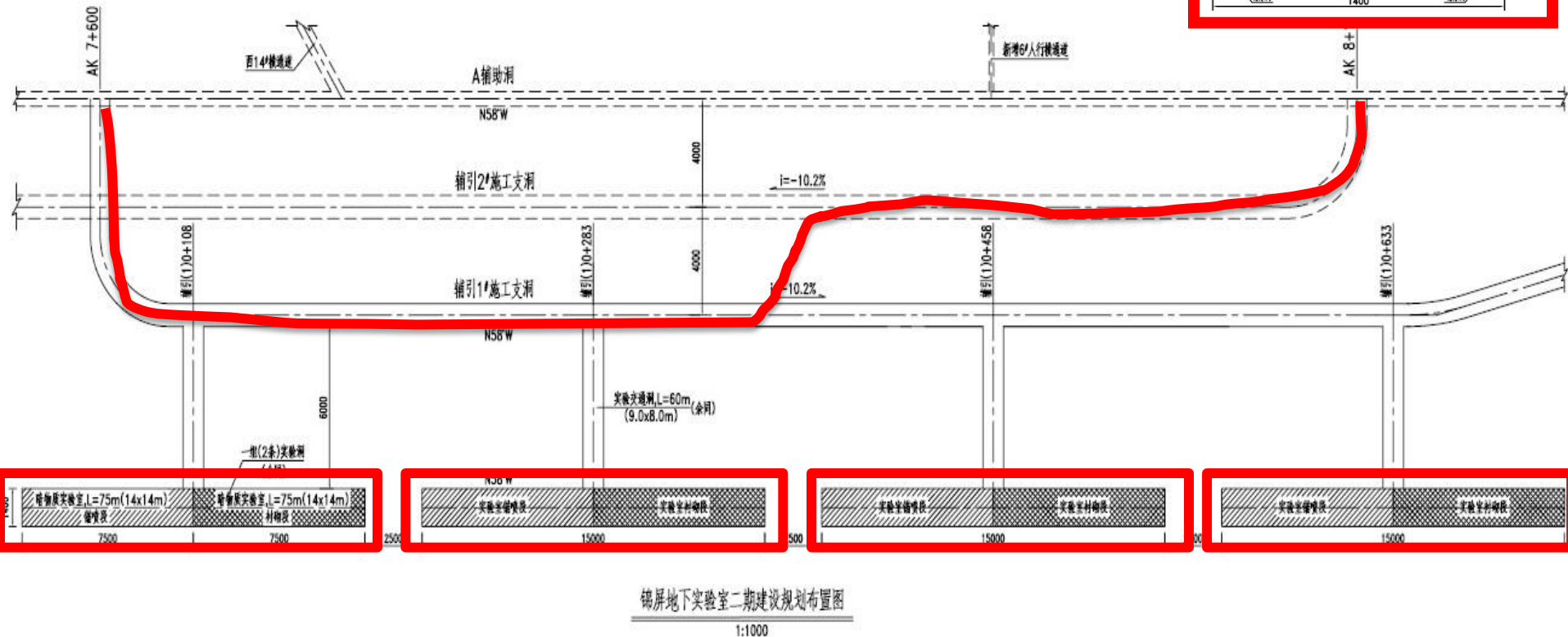
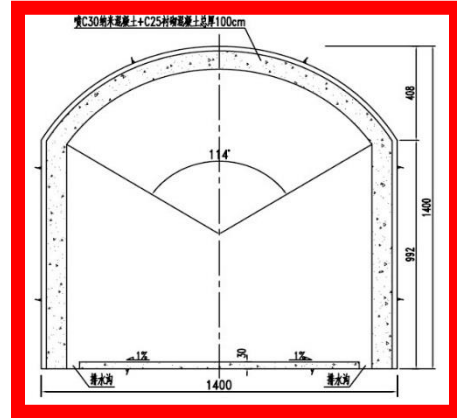


	Hall	PE shielding
Thermal Neutron Rate	~ 30 cpd	< 1 cpd
Thermal Neutron Flux	4.34×10^{-6} n/cm ² /s	$< 1.45 \times 10^{-7}$ n/cm ² /s



CJPL Future: CJPL-II

Total volume 10^5m^3 米



Four 12m*12m*150m rooms, to be finished in 2015.

CDEX – Status - Membership



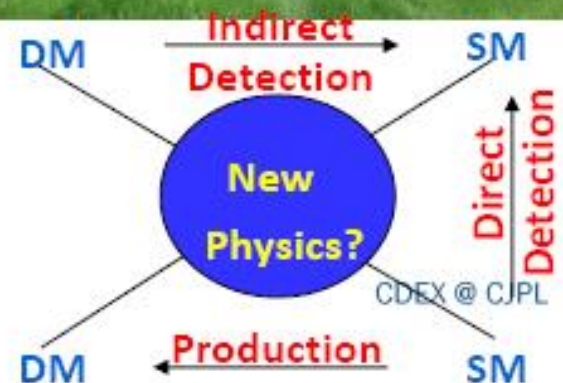
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- Ertan Hydropower Development Company

Yalong River Company

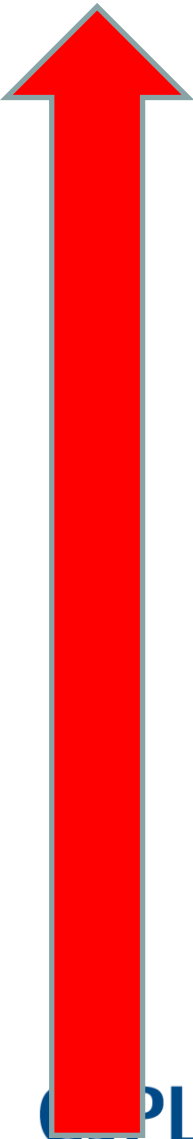
CDEX Target:

Direct Search of Cold Dark Matter with O(10 kg) Ge detectors of Sub-keV Energy Sensitivity.

Goal: $O(0.1 \text{ cpkkd})$, $< 300 \text{ eV}$



Before and after CDEX born



2015: Design of CDEX-1T (based on new CJPL space)

2014: CDEX-10 10kg Ge array + LAr shielding

2013: CDEX-1 preliminary result(without B/S and ACV)

2011: CDEX-1 Detector test and data taking

2010: CJPL run; CDEX-1 20g Array +1kg PPCGe

2009: CJPL planed; CDEX was born

2005: 5g Ge det. run in Y2L, S. Korea

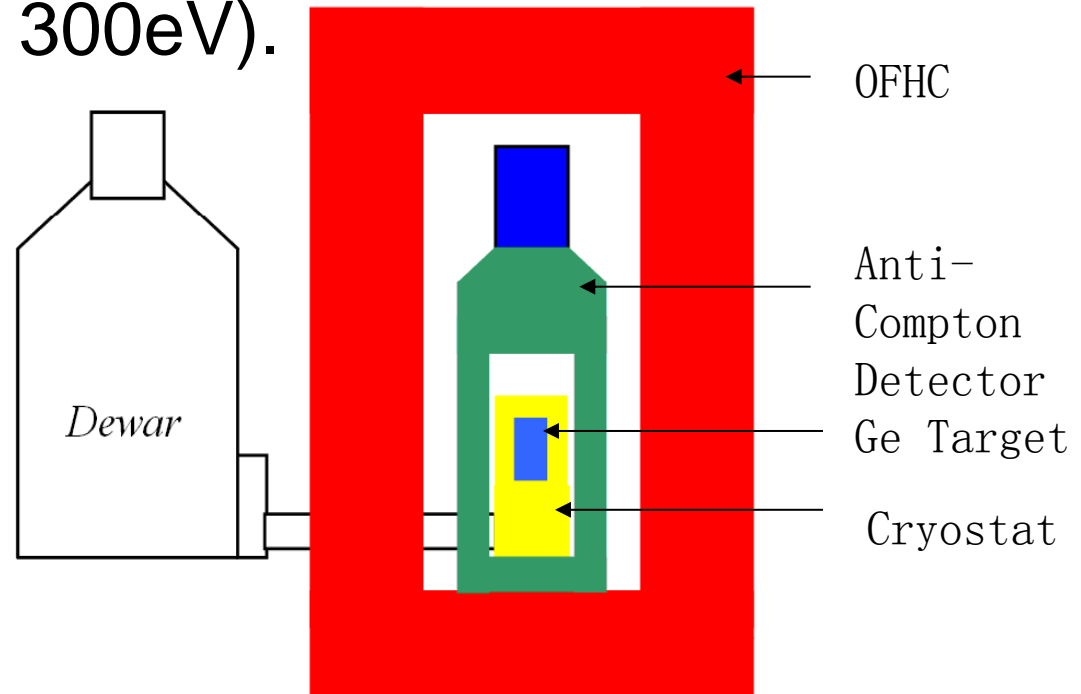
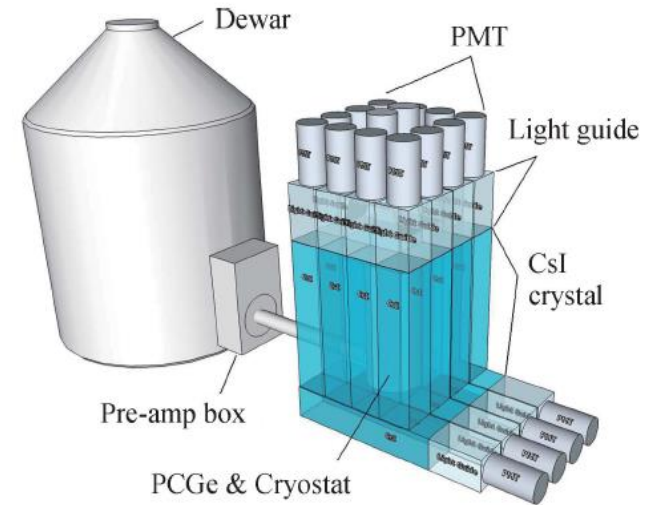
2003: Join in TEXONO and KIMS

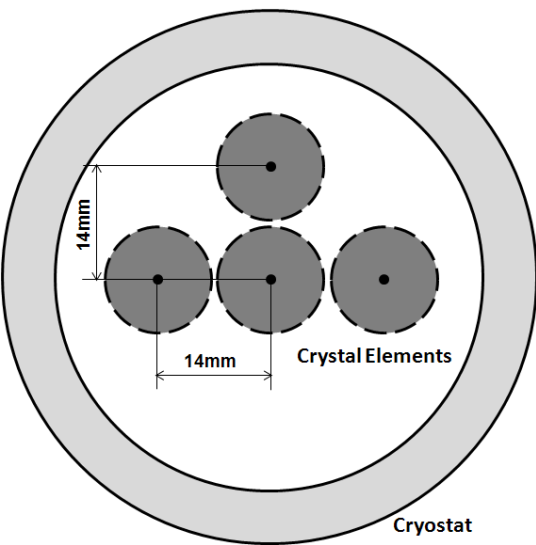
CDEX-1kg @ CJPL

✓ Mass of Ge target:
20g, 1000g.

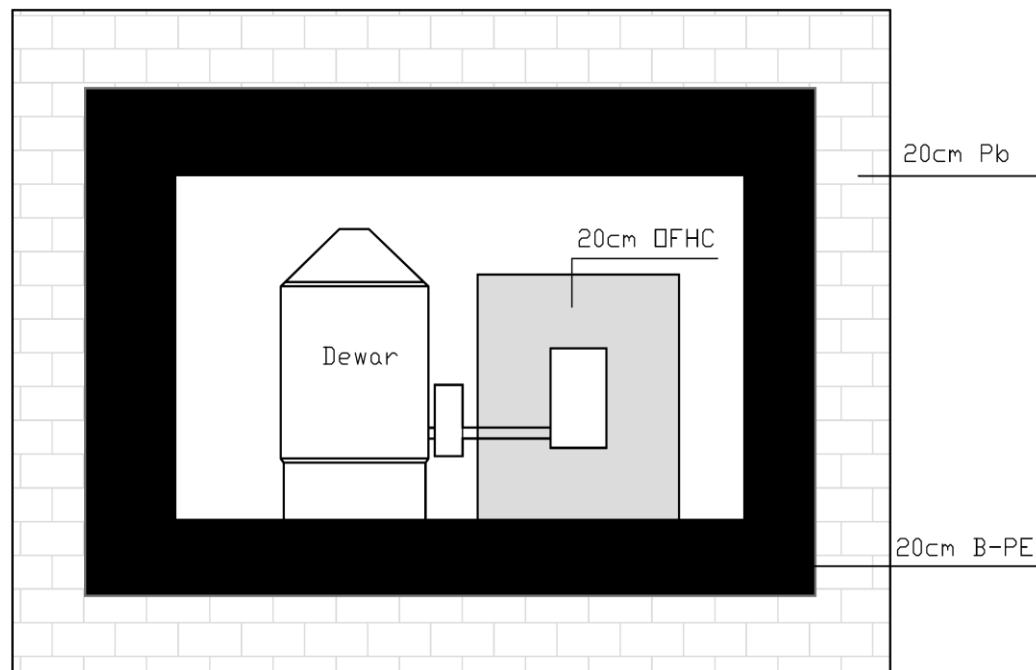
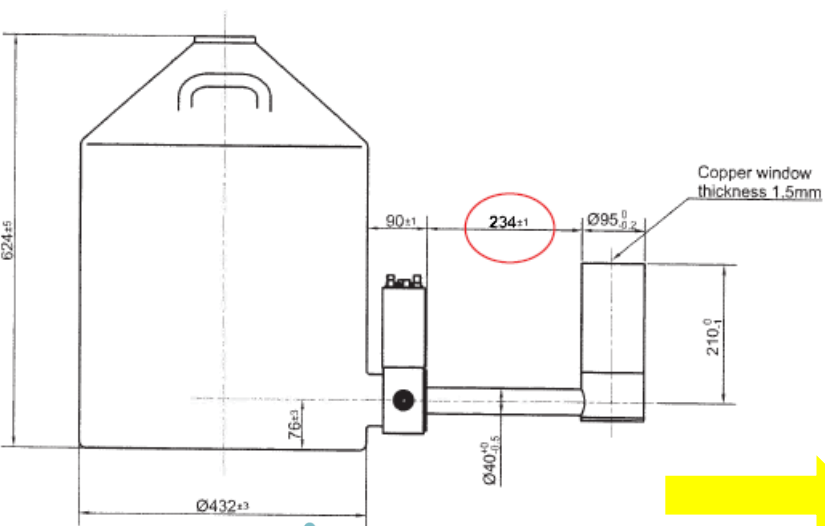
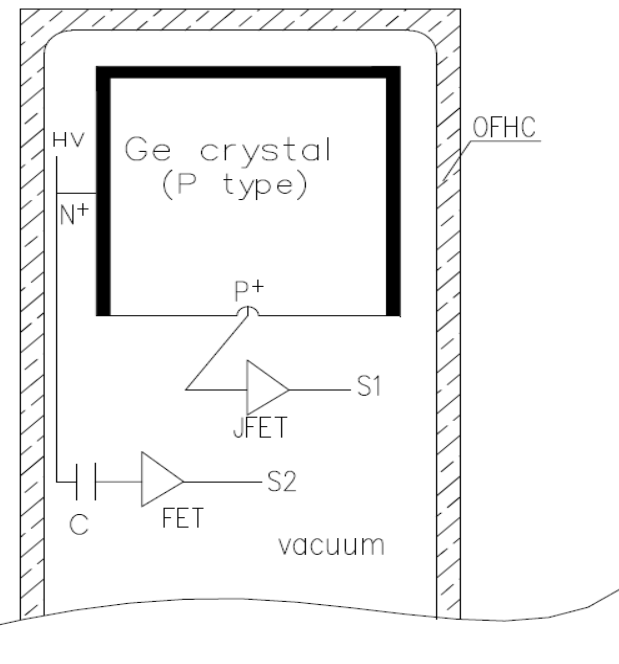
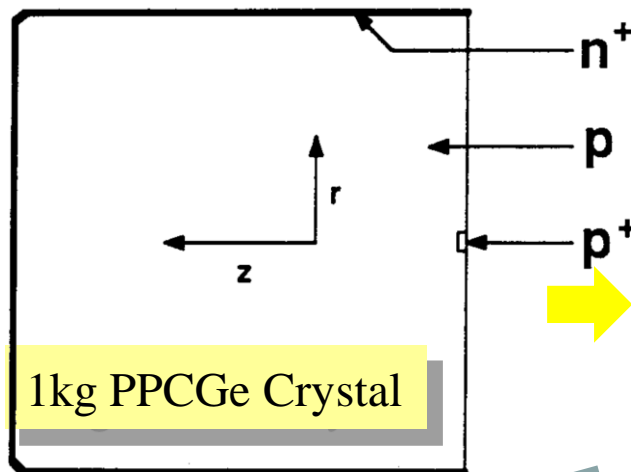
✓ Point-contact Ge detector with ultra-low energy threshold ($< 300\text{eV}$).

✓ Further ultra-pure crystal serve as active shielding and anti-compton detector.





20g PPCGe Crystal

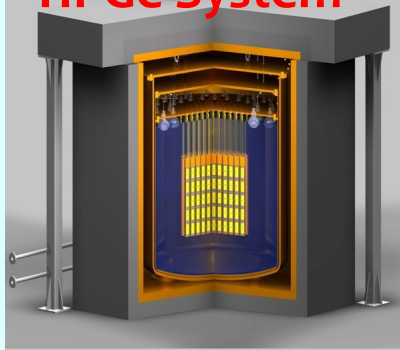


CDEX-1 Shielding System



PE shielding room

**10Kg-scale
HPGe System**



**CDEX-1
Shielding
system**

CDEX-1 Exp

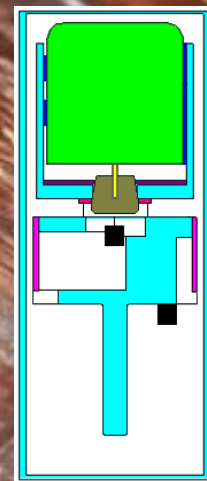
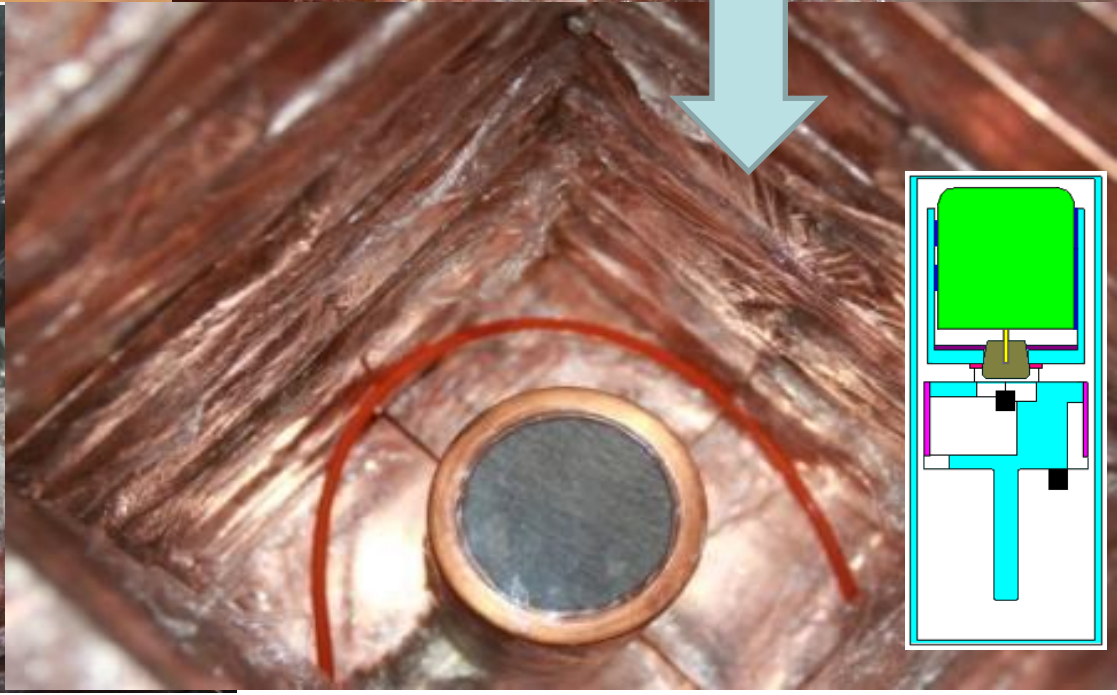
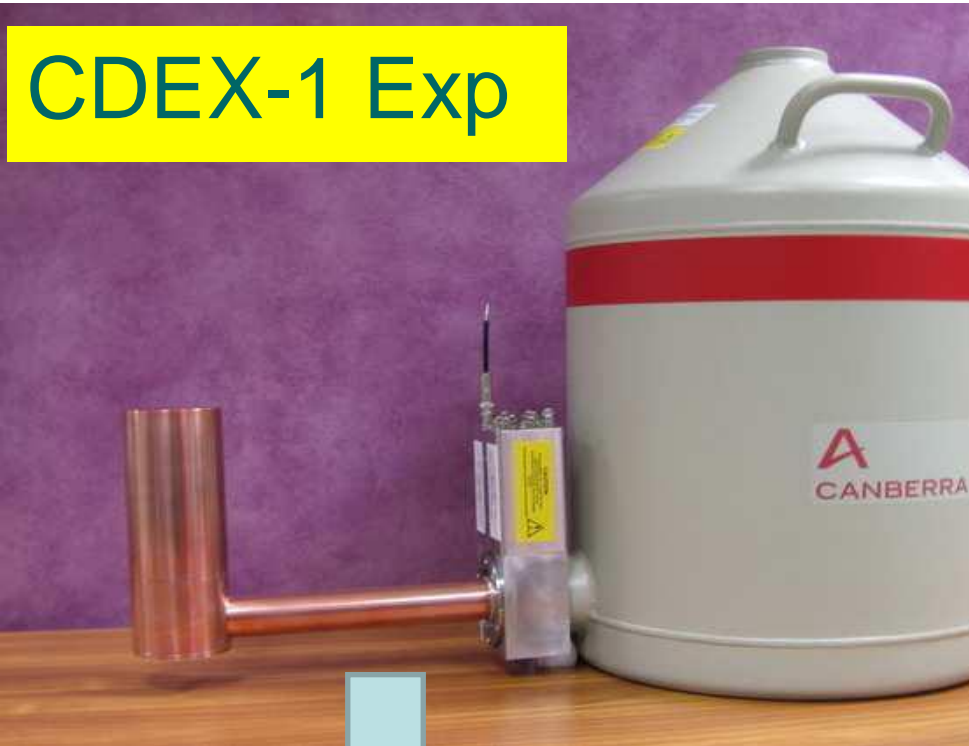
20g PCGe

1kg ULEGe

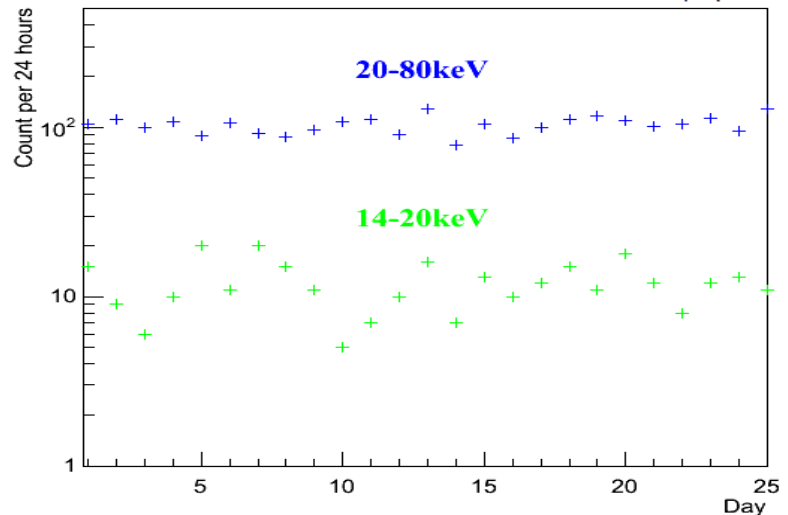
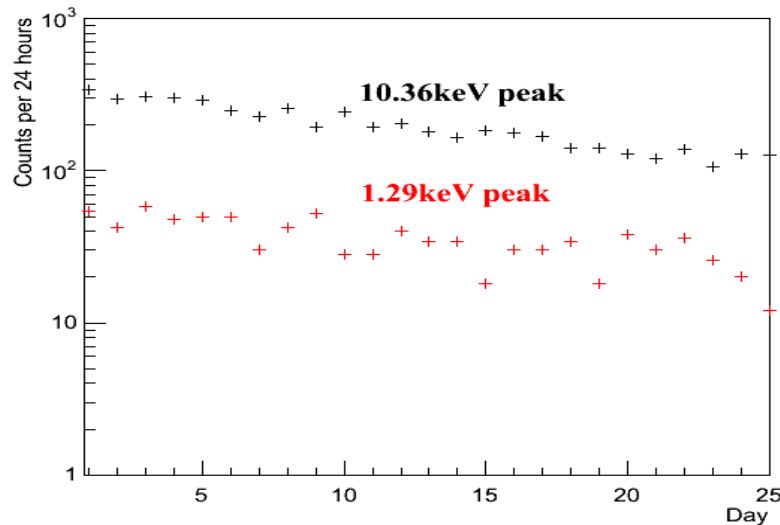
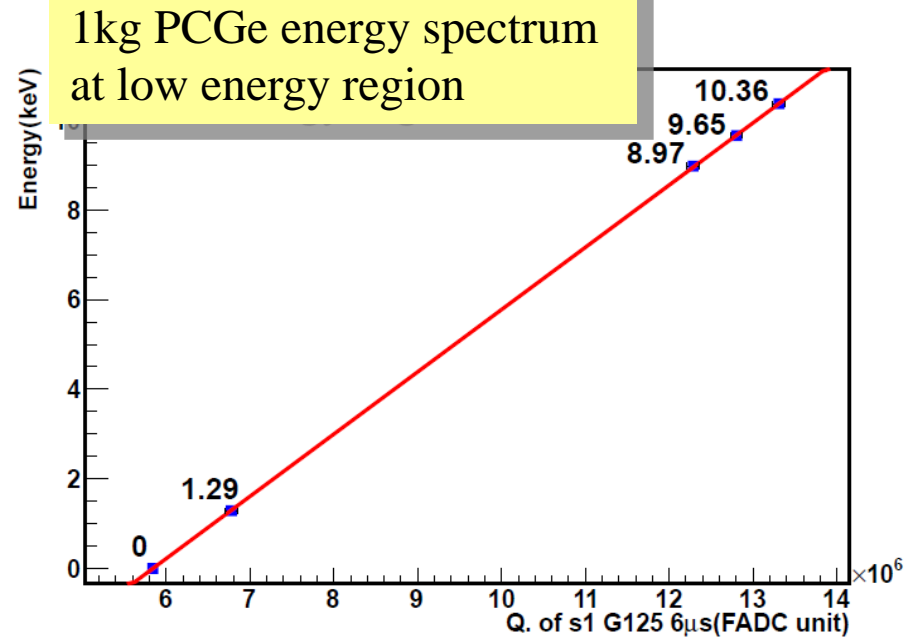
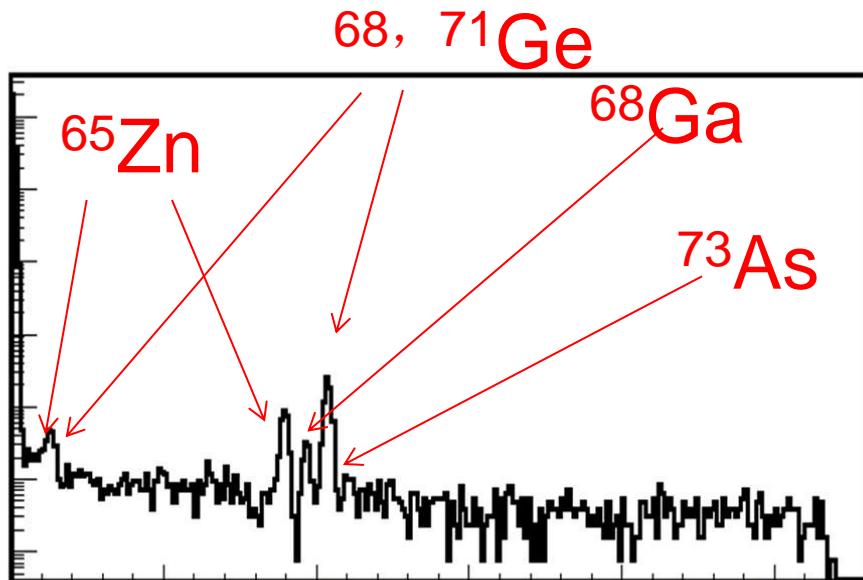
20cm OFHC Copper
+20cm Lead



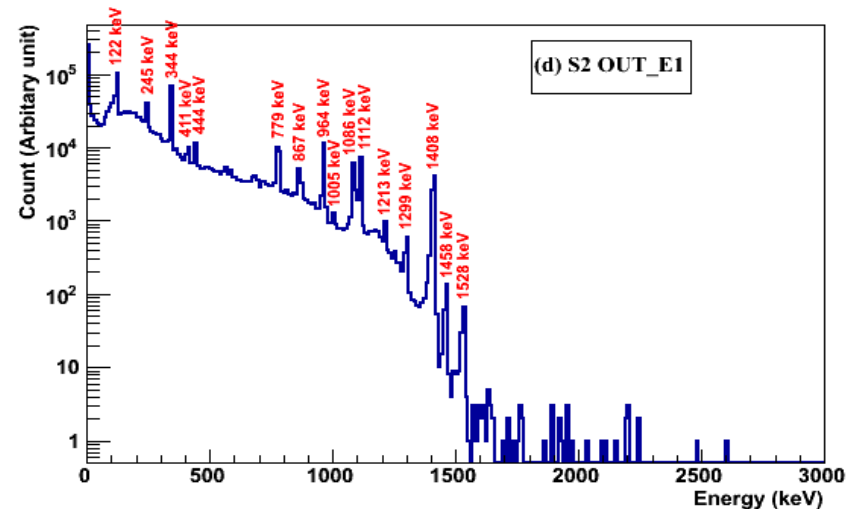
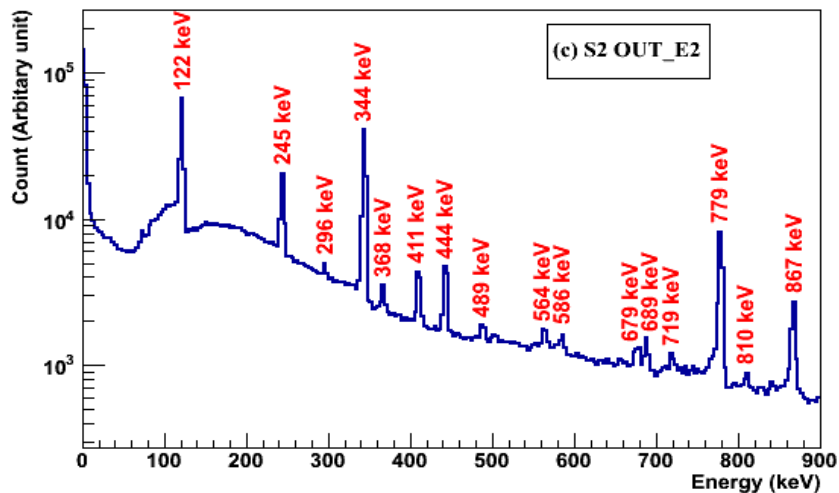
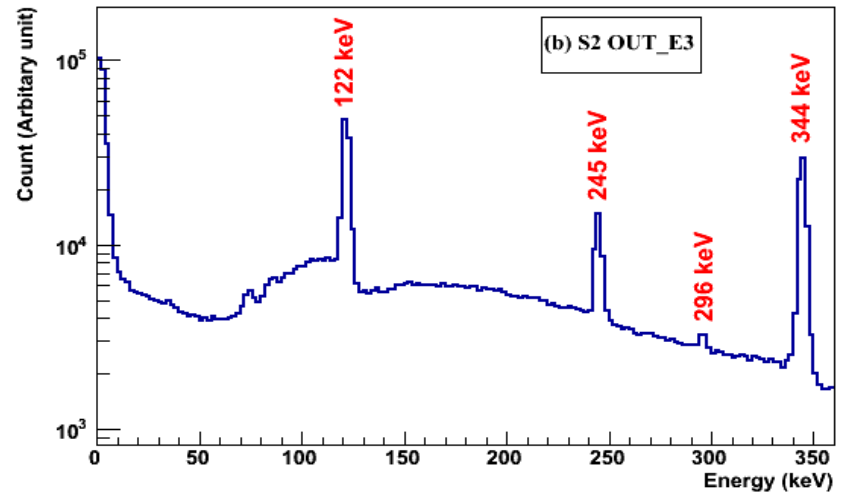
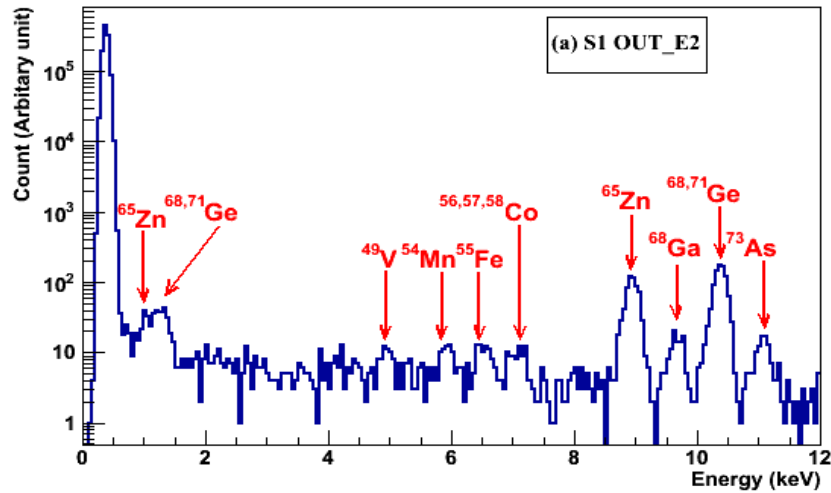
CDEX-1 Exp



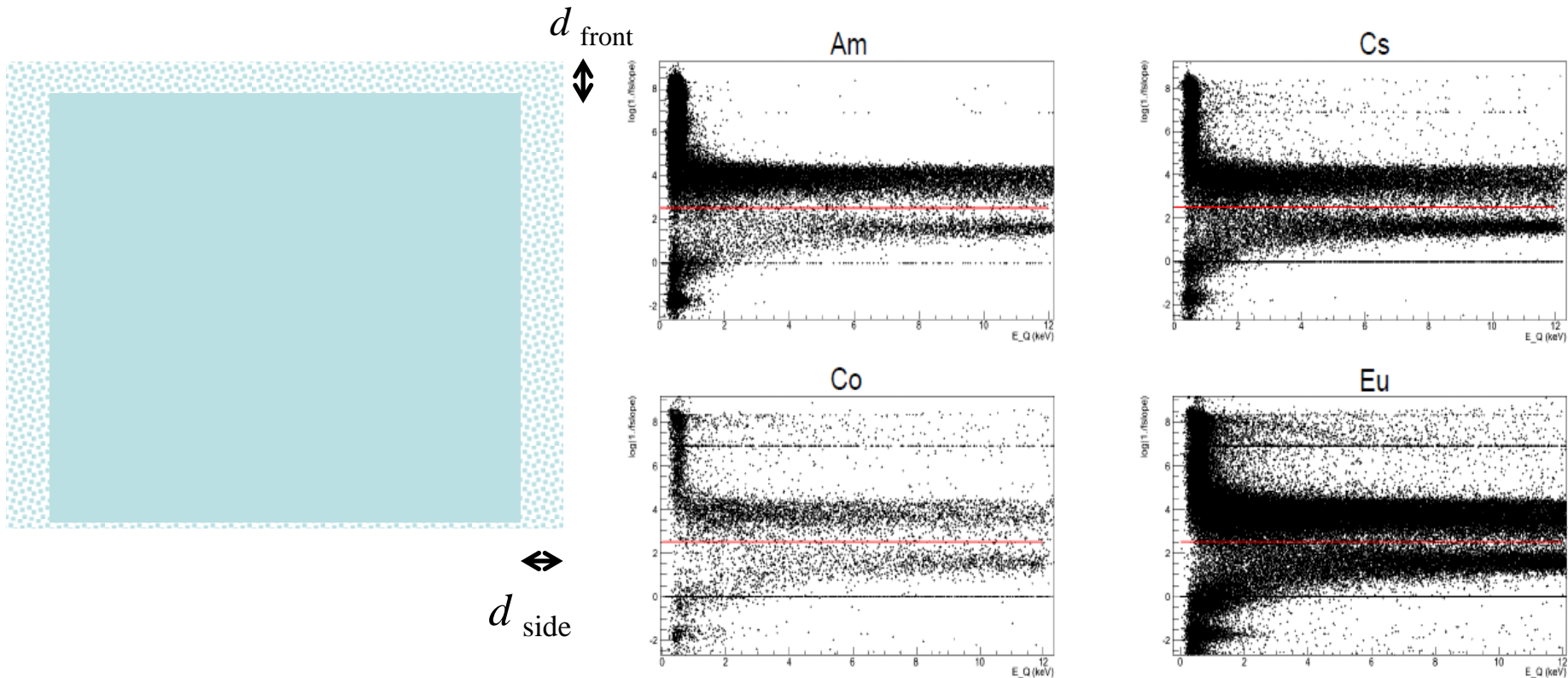
Background understand of PCGe detector



1kg-Ge Background spectrum



Bulk/surface discrimination



❖ Finished simulation

$$d_{\text{front}} = d_{\text{side}} = 0.0 \sim 1.5 \text{ mm}$$

$d=0.5 \text{ mm}, \quad m=955\text{g}$
 $d=0.78\text{mm}, \quad m=933\text{g}$
 $d=1.16\text{mm}, \quad m=905\text{g}$

First results on low-mass WIMPs from the CDEX-1 experiment at the China Jinping underground laboratory

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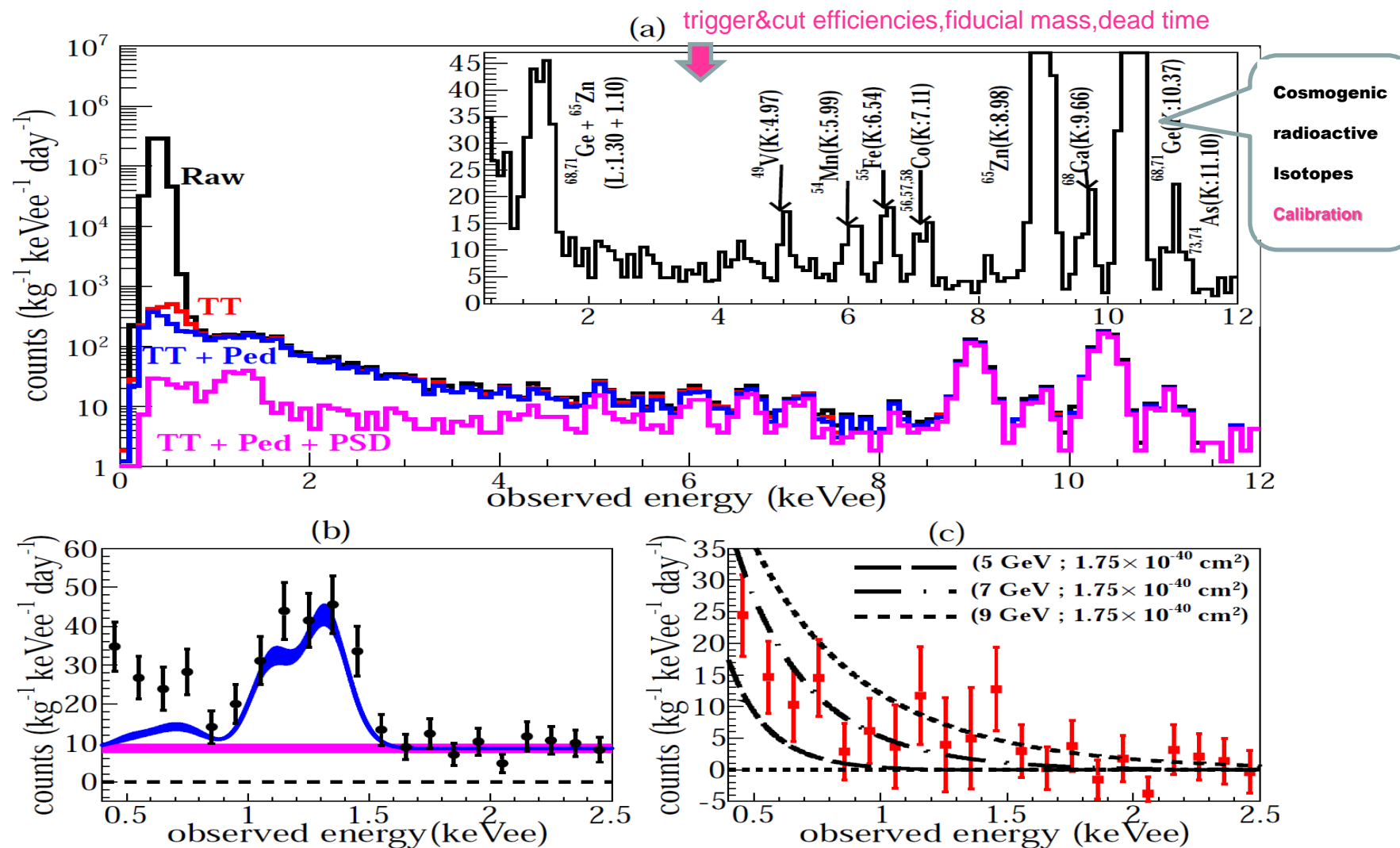
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The China Dark Matter Experiment Collaboration reports the first experimental limit on weakly interacting massive particles (WIMPs) dark matter from 14.6 kg-days of data taken with a 905 g p-type point-contact germanium detector at the China Jinping underground laboratory where the rock overburden is more than 2400 m. The energy threshold achieved was 400 eVee. According to the 14.6 kg-day live data, we placed the limit of $\sigma_{\chi N} = 1.75 \times 10^{-40} \text{ cm}^2$ at a 90% confidence level on the spin-independent cross section at a WIMP mass of 7 GeV before differentiating bulk signals from the surface backgrounds.

TT: time intervals between the event and its nearest prior and post-inhibit signals.

CDEX-1 low energy spectra



B/S~2-3

Dead layer

1.16mm ?

More data for

redidual

spectrum

AC detector?

20gGe + AC

6 month data

Data taking

& analysis

Publish in

Next month

1kg no AC

New result

this month

1kg +AC

90% C.L.

CRESST-I

CDEX-1
(This Work)

TEXONO 2007

TEXONO 2013

CDMS-II (Ge-Low)

DAMA

CRESST-II

CoGeNT 2013

CDMS-II Si

XENON10

XENON100

CDMS-II (Si)

CDMS-II (Ge)

M_χ (GeV/c²)

σ_p^{SI} (cm²)

C...

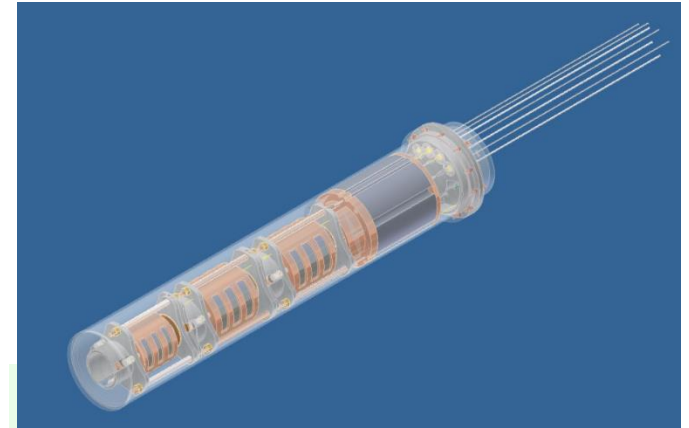
CDEX-10kg Experiment

Ge: Encapsulated into copper vacuum tube.

LAr: Passive shielding + Active shielding.

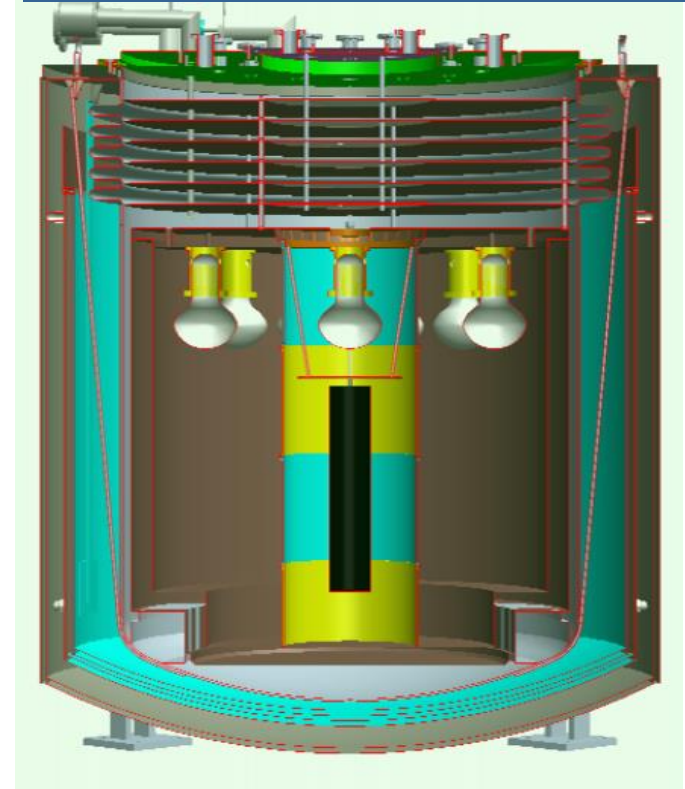
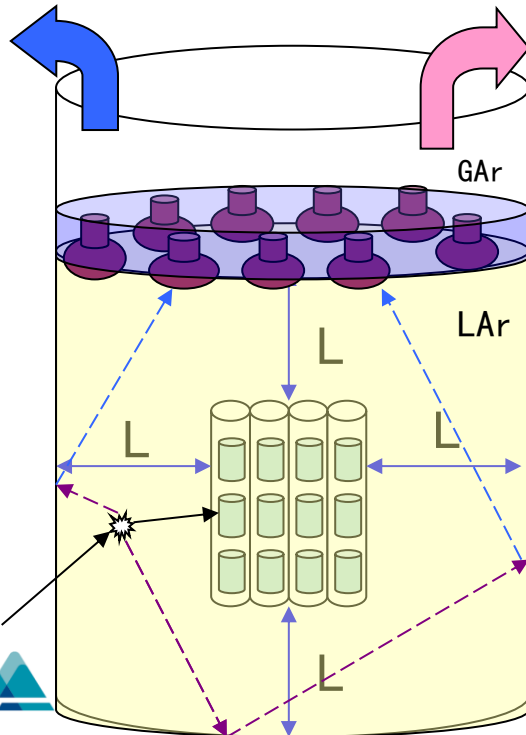
PMT: Detecting $\sim 420\text{nm}$ light

WLS: Transferring 128nm light to $\sim 420\text{nm}$ light.

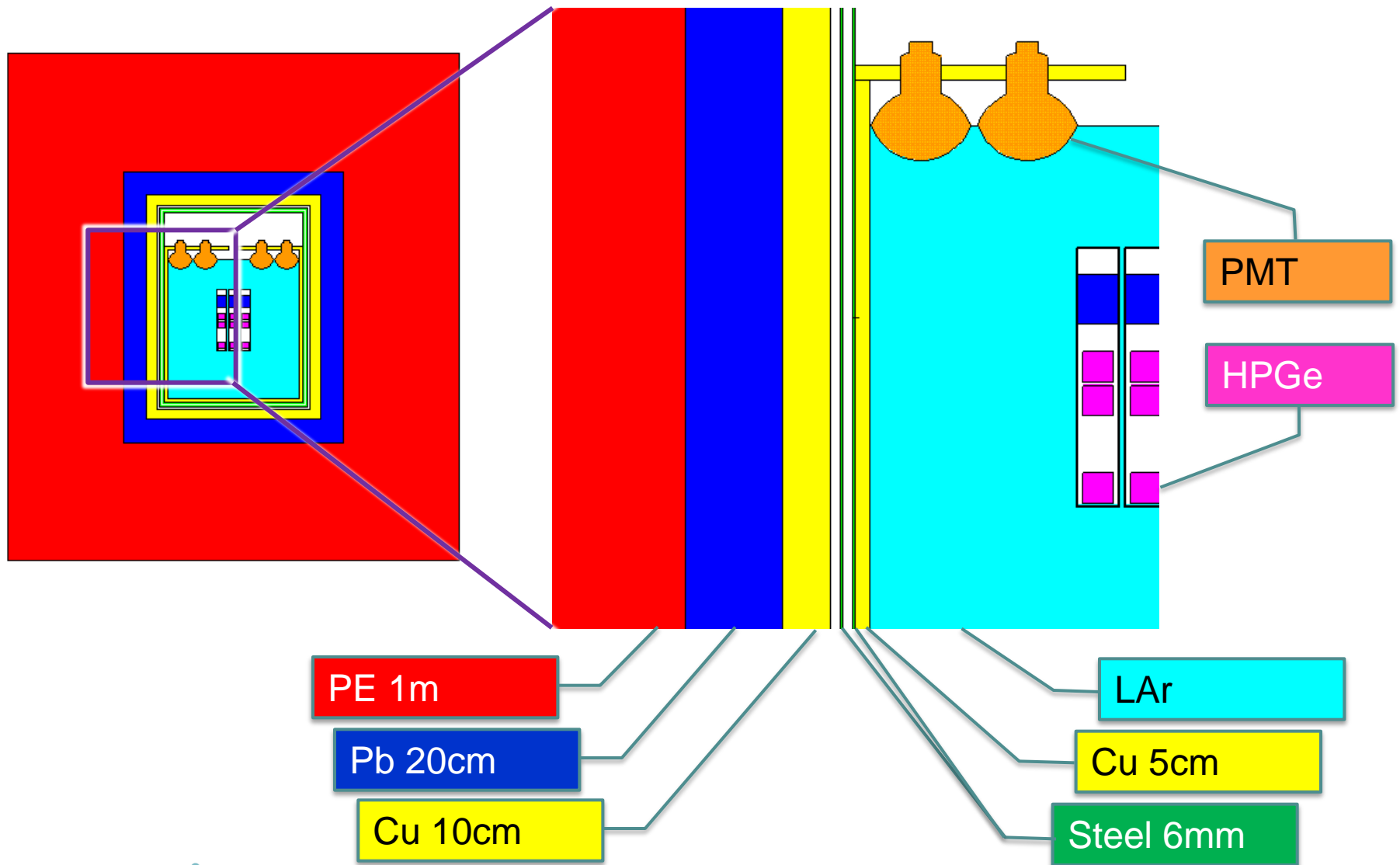


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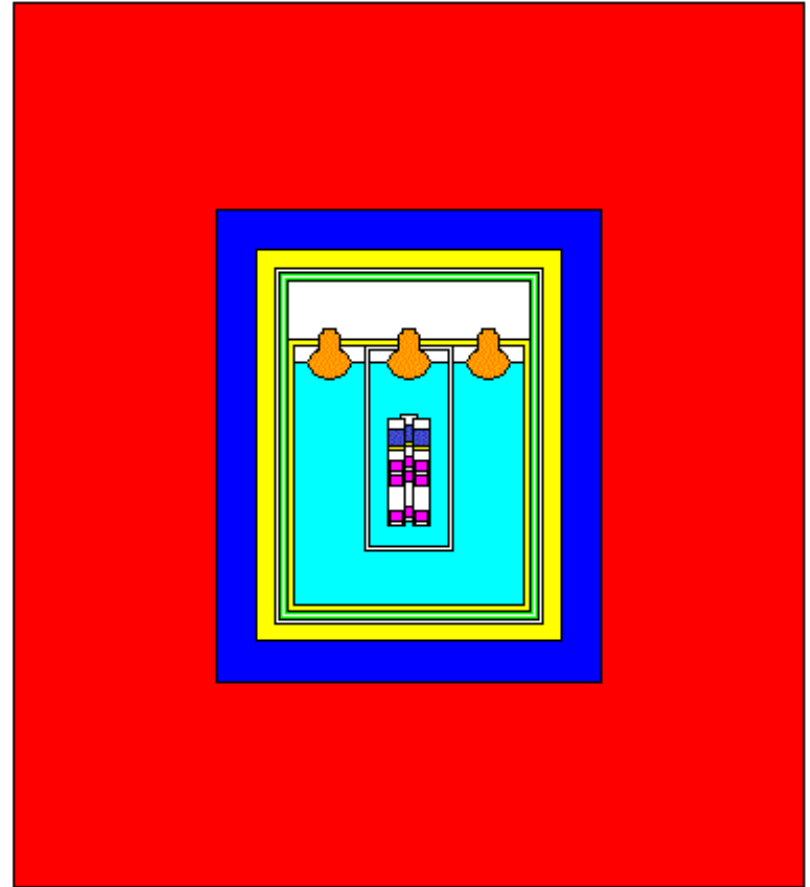
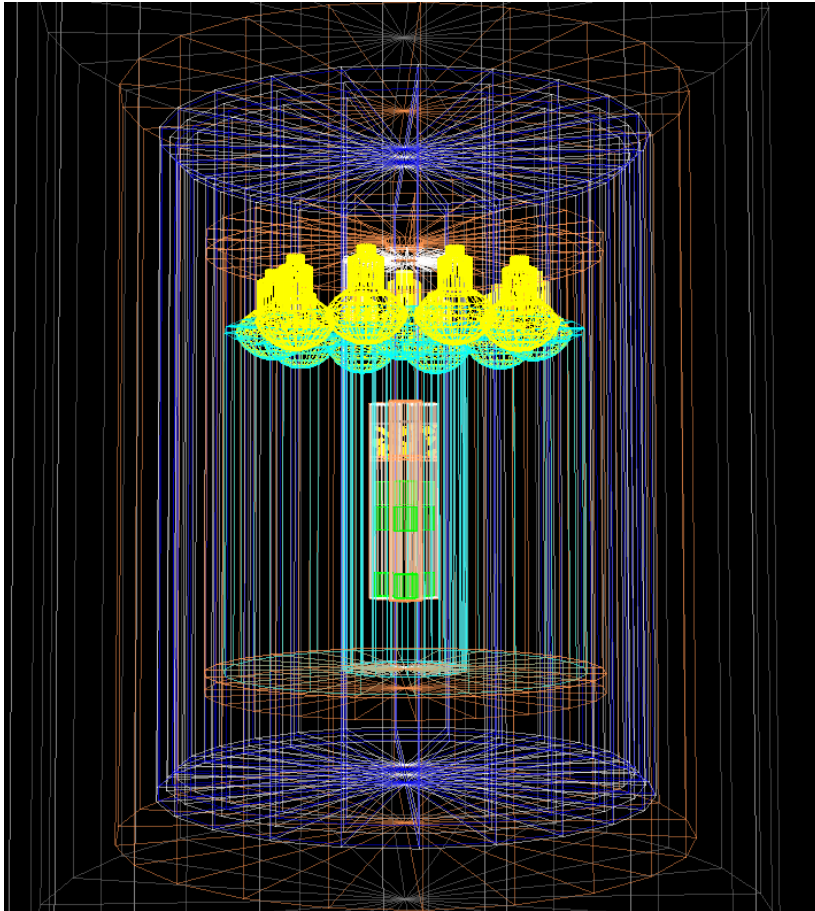
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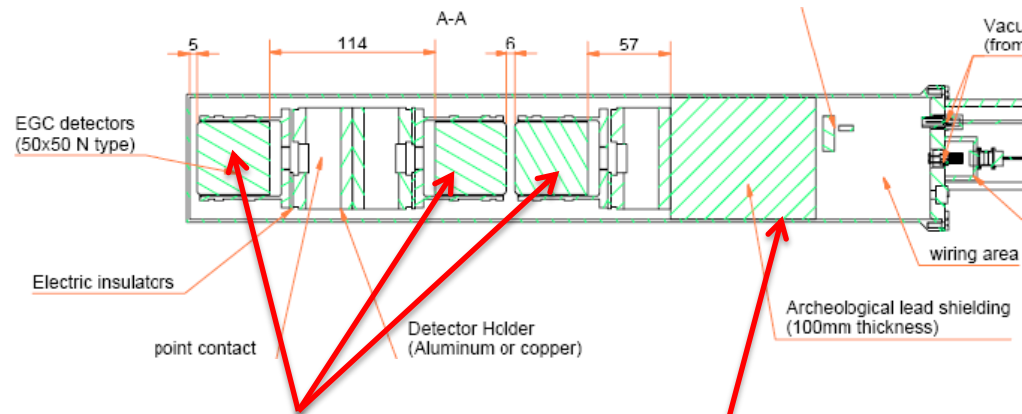
CDEX shielding system



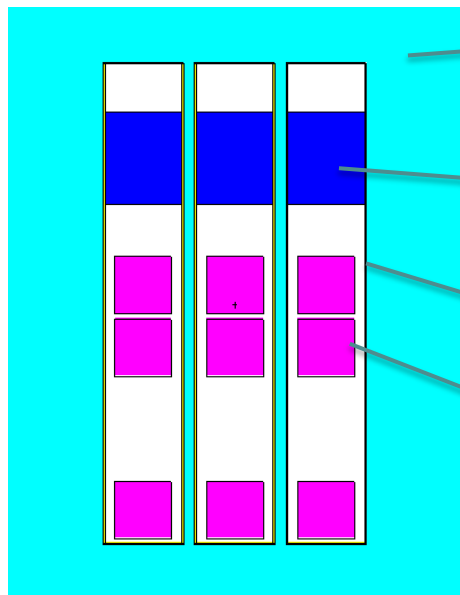
CDEX-10 simulation



PCGe detector



HPGe crystal

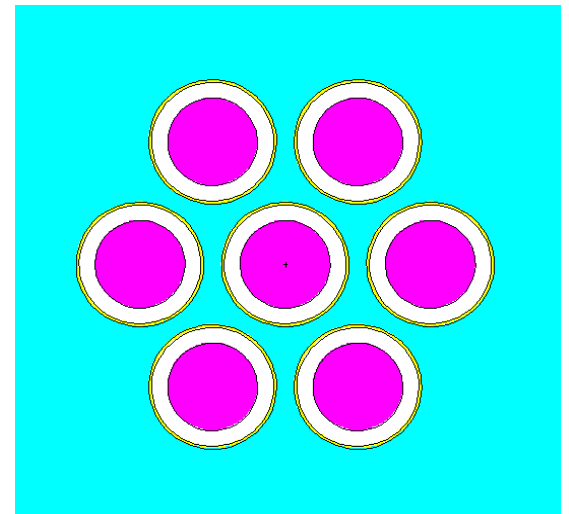


LAr

9mmLead +
1mm

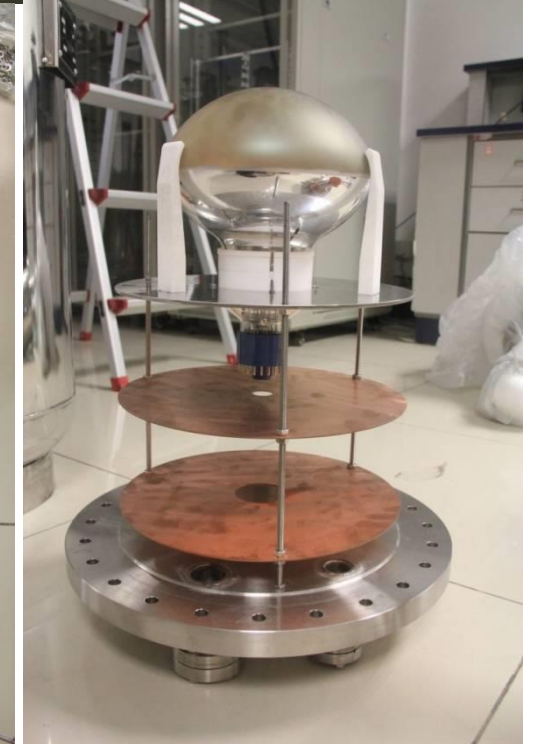
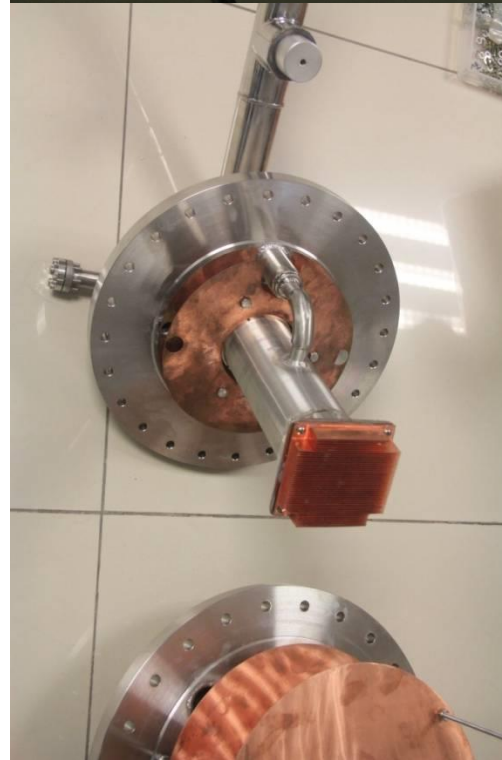
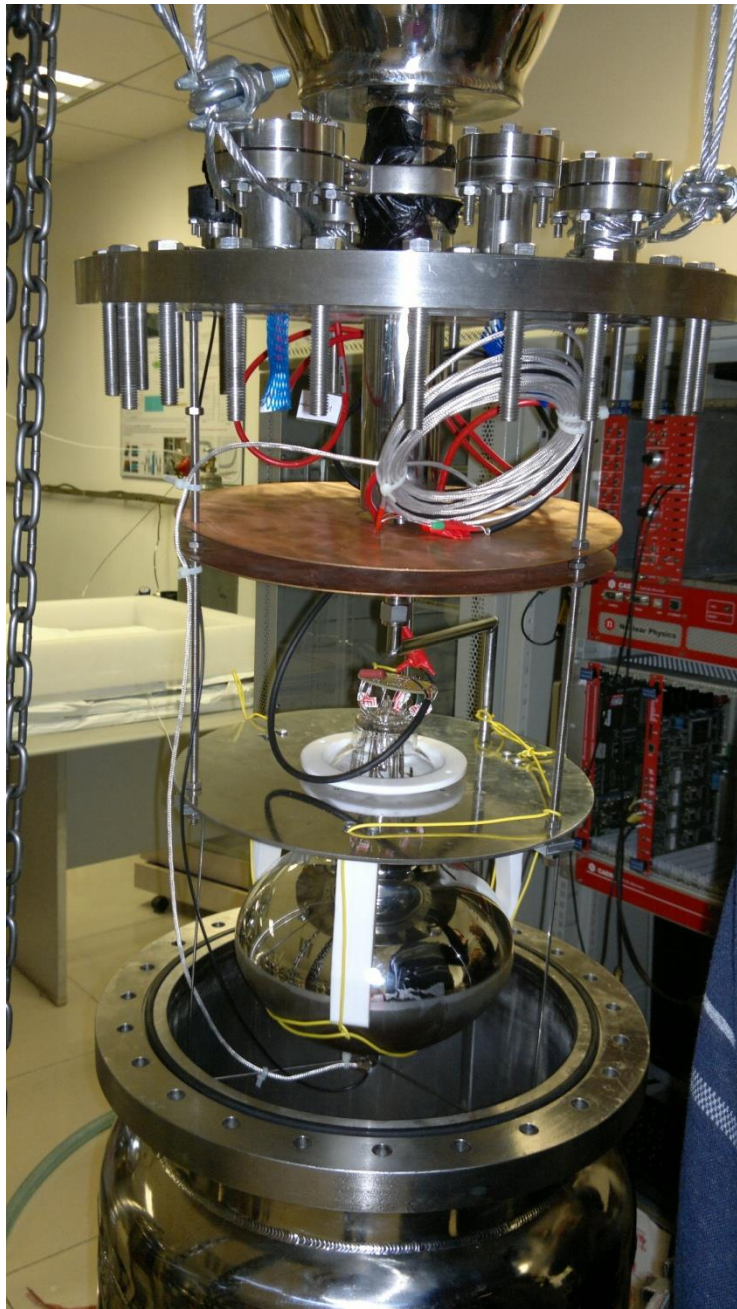
Cu 2mm

HPGe (1kg)

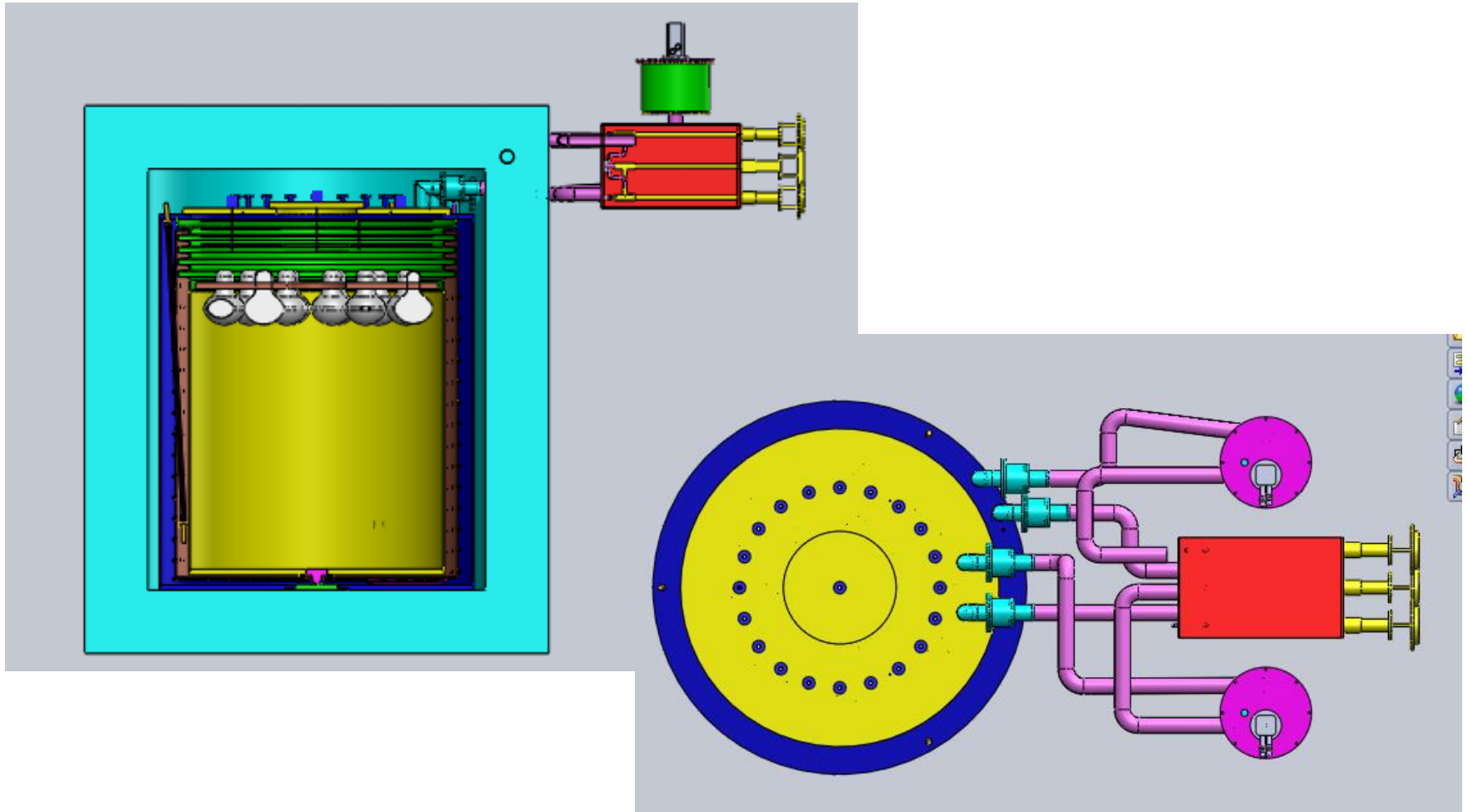


LAr AC detector





CDEX-10 LAr AC system



CDEX-10 Layout

Ground testing at SCU starts from this May
plan to ship to CJPL in 2014



July 1, 2013

9 crystals with LAr

3 new crystals already come to Lab
Other 6 crystals available at end of year

1 crystals with
LN2 cool finger

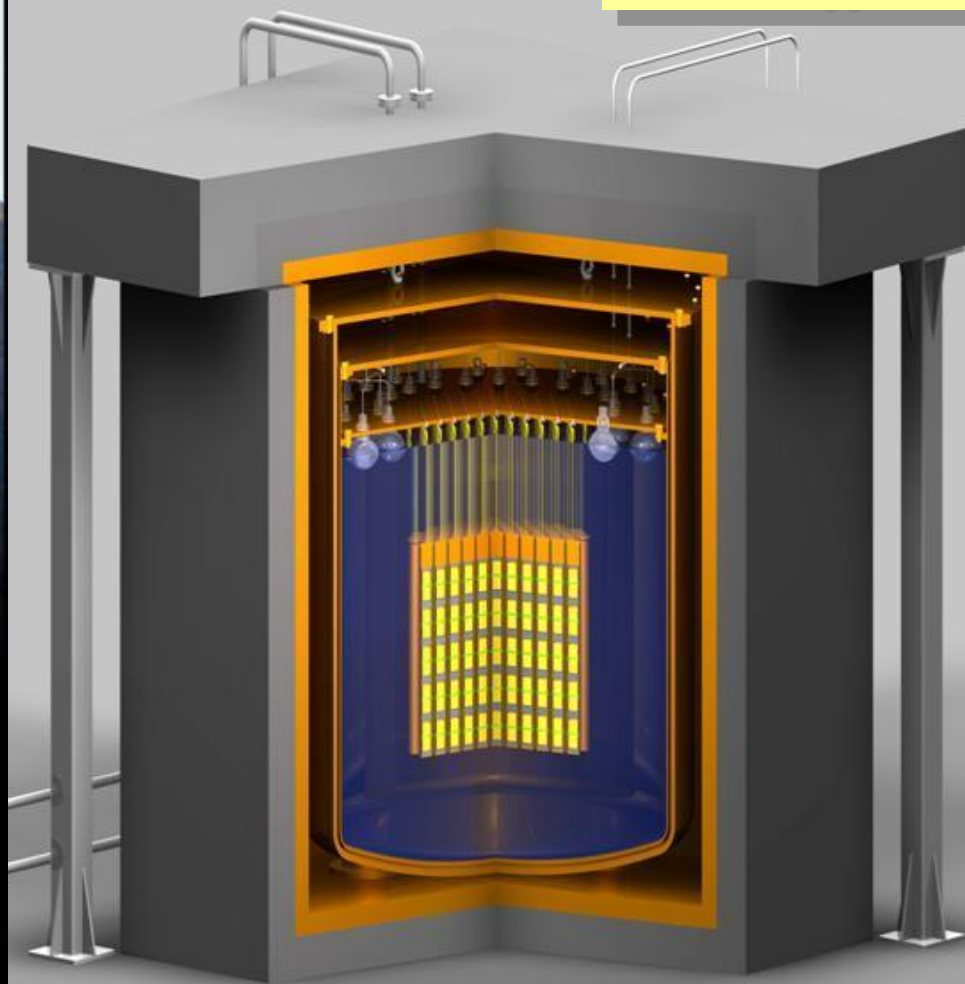
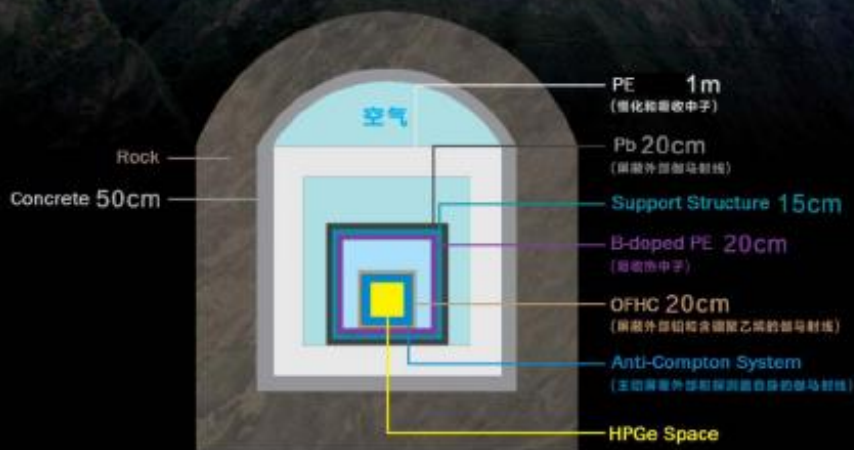


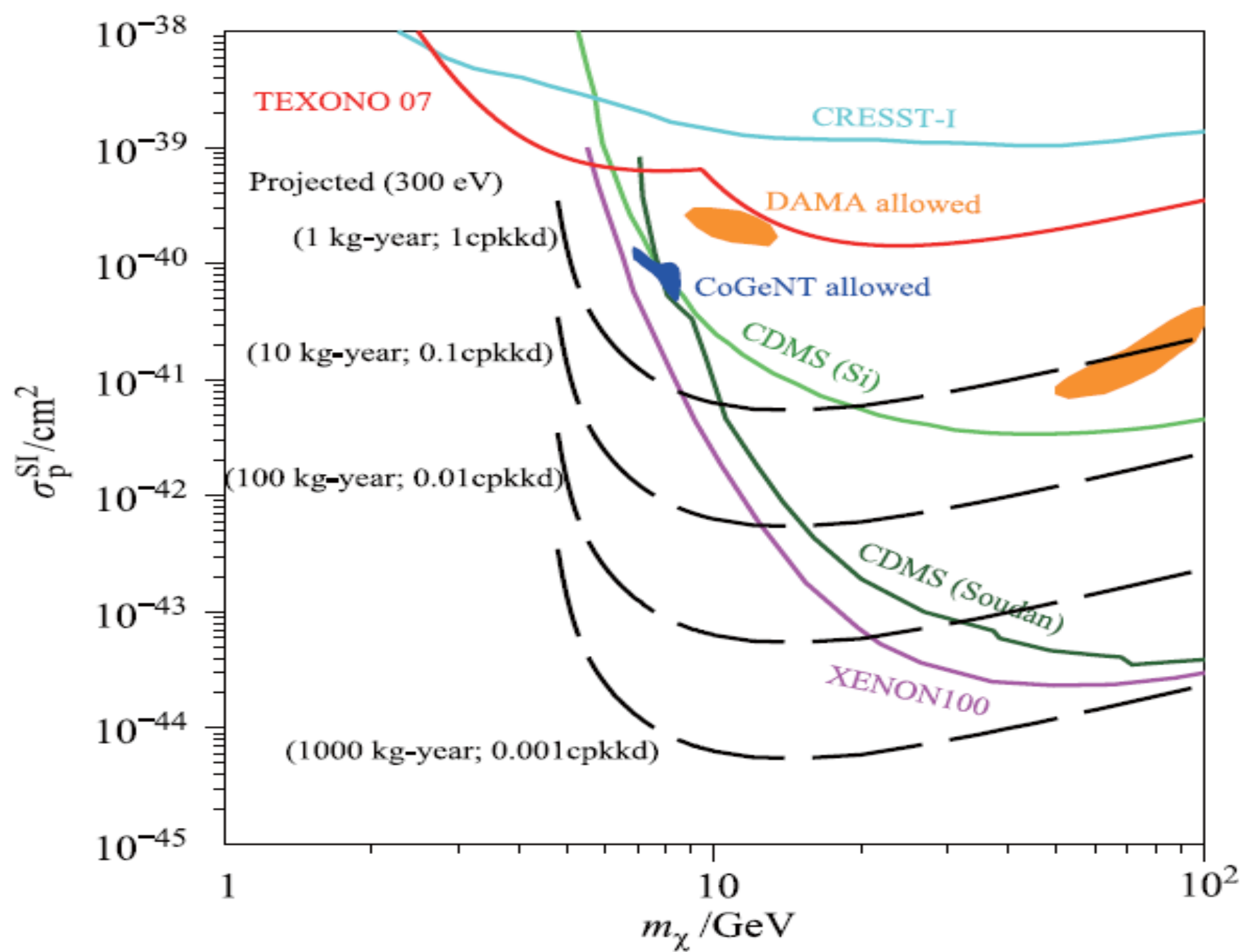
CDEX-1T plan

In new bigger Lab

- background understanding
- detector fabrication
- crystal growth
- electronics

Layout of CDEX Shielding System





Summary

- CJPL with deepest rock overburden in the world run now.
CJPL-II with 20 times space under design.
- CDEX has started CDEX-1 experiment, and a first physics result is already published.
- CDEX-10 (PCGe+Lar AC) already start ground testing at SCU from this May and plan to ship to CJPL in 2014.
- CDEX-1T related technologies has been exploited by CDEX including background understanding, detector fabrication, crystal growth, electronics and so on.



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China Jinping Underground Laboratory

Thank you for your attention!