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Experimental Study of the Kaonic Bond State

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Purpose in perspective manner

similar to other meson studies...

- to detect quark degree of freedom

nature of confinement ...

- chiral symmetry breaking and its restoration

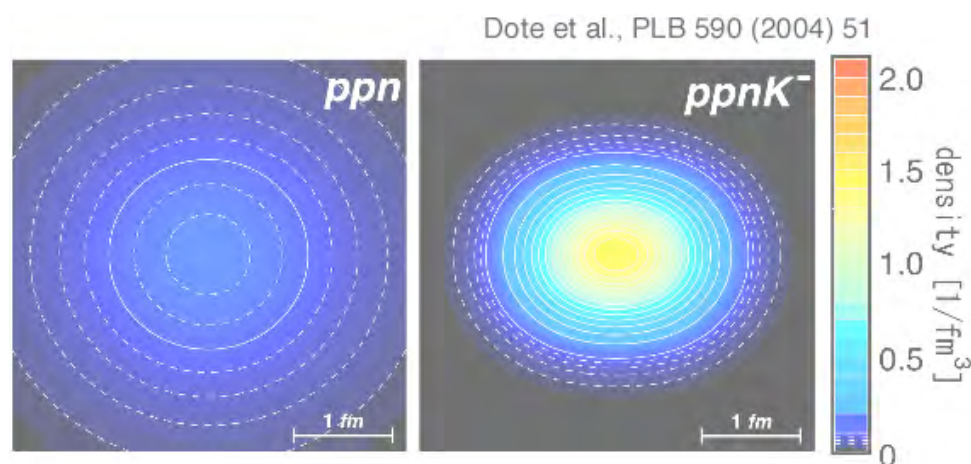
origin of hadron mass ...

- kaon condensation?

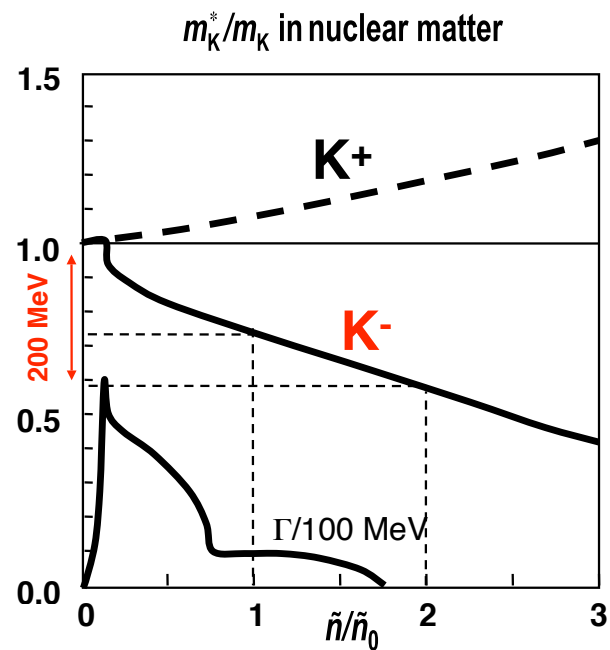
- high density object?

neutron star ... ?

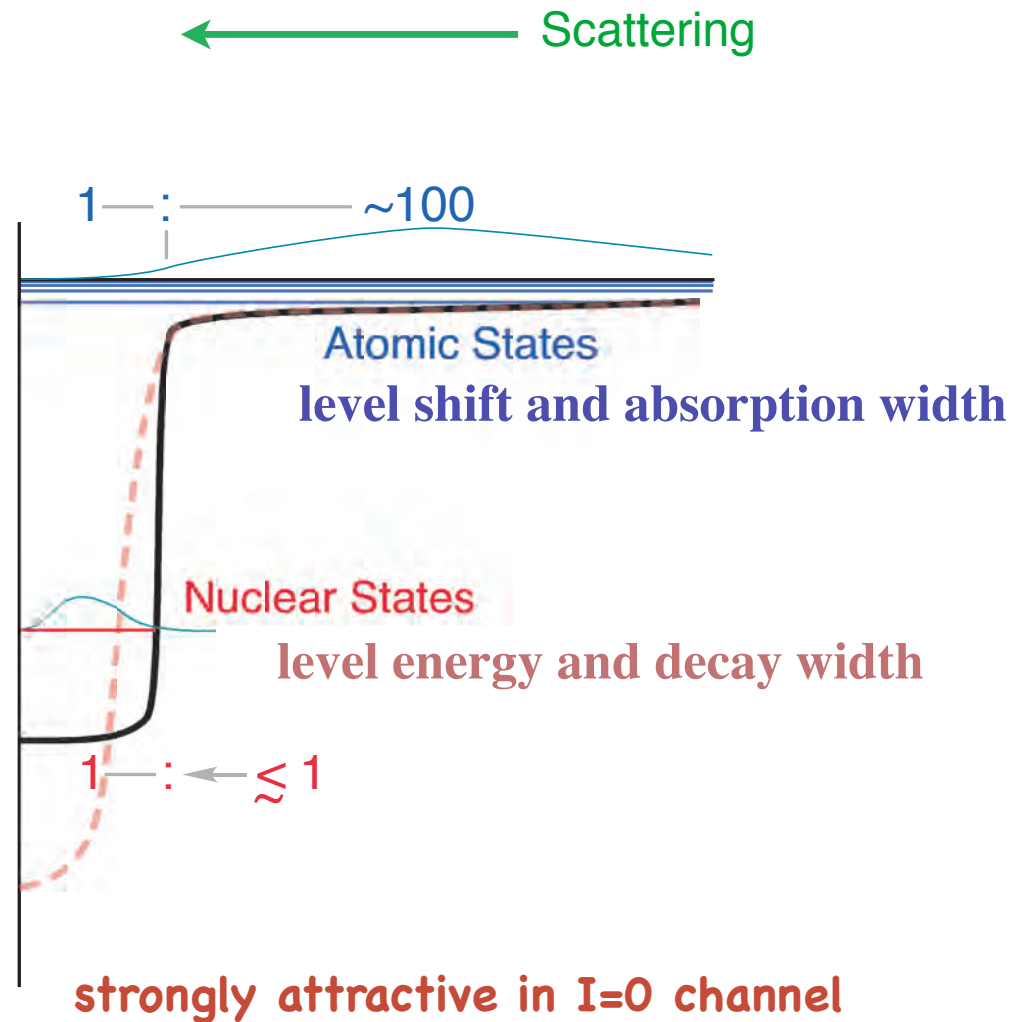
... long way to go ...



Study of $\bar{K}N$ interaction



T. Waas, N. Kaiser & W. Weise, Phys. Lett. B379 (1996) 34.



$\bar{K}N$ study by atomic states

level shift and absorption width

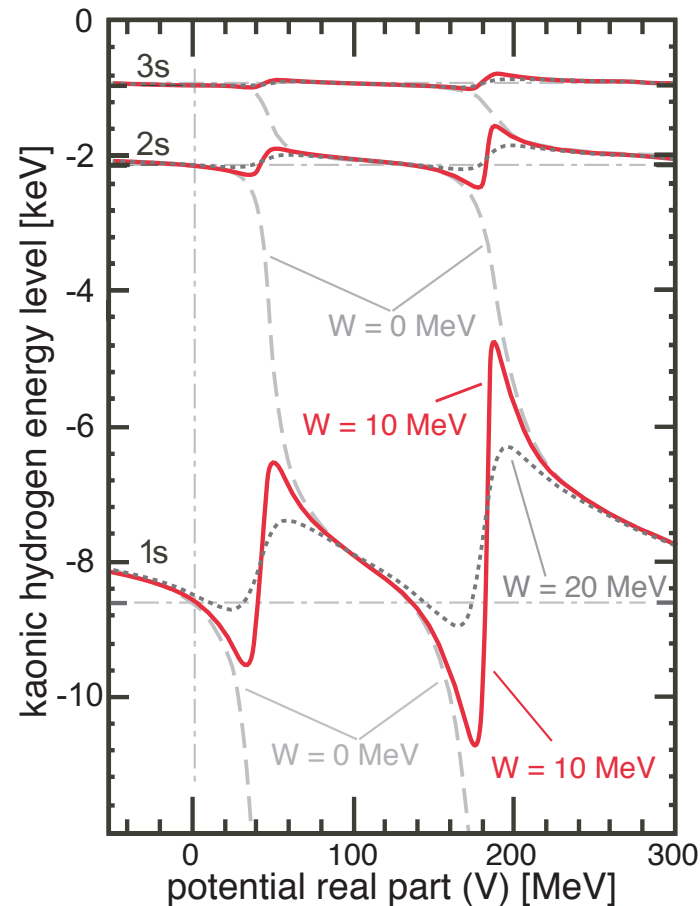
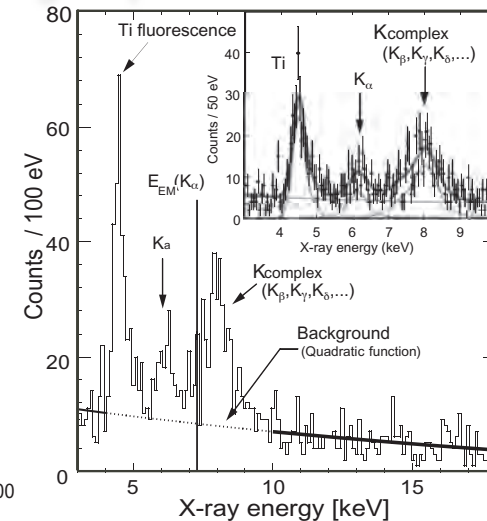
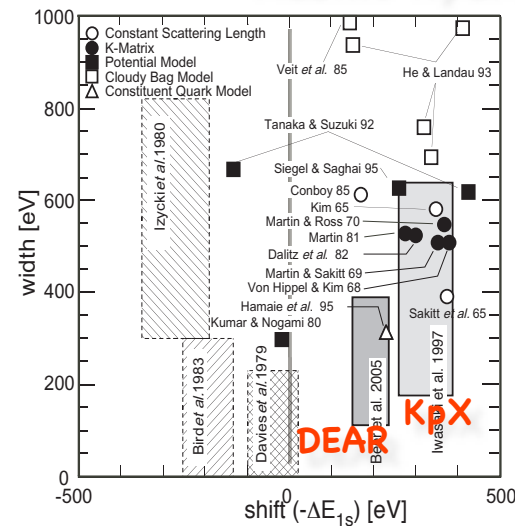


Fig. 3. A diagram of the level shift of the s -wave kaonic-hydrogen atom as a function of real part of the local potential. The level shift is calculated by the simple Schrödinger equation in a Coulomb field together with the Yukawa potential as a local part, $(V + iW) \exp(-r/\lambda)/r$. Three curves of the imaginary part, $W = 0$ (dashed), 10 (solid) and 20 (dotted line), are plotted. The range parameter λ is fixed to be 1 fm.

Kaonic hydrogen puzzle



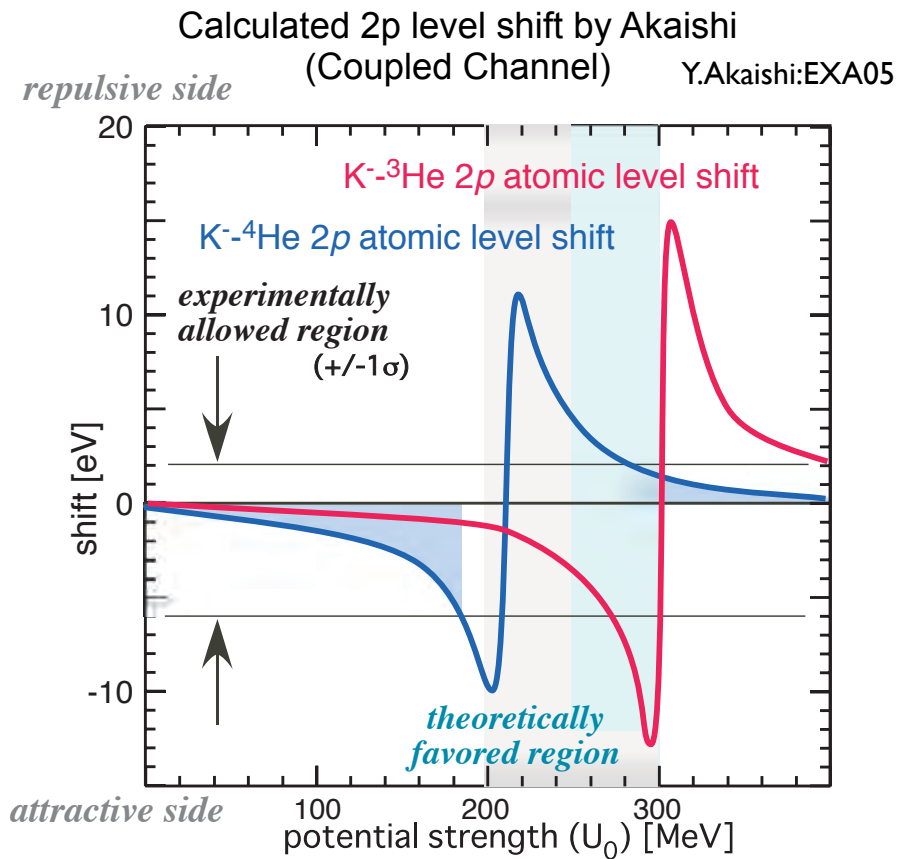
KpX (KEK) & DEAR (DAFNE)

what is the nature of $\Lambda(1405)$?

SIDDHARTA (DAFNE) ... Widmann
E17 (J-PARC) ... Hayano

$\bar{K}N$ study by atomic states

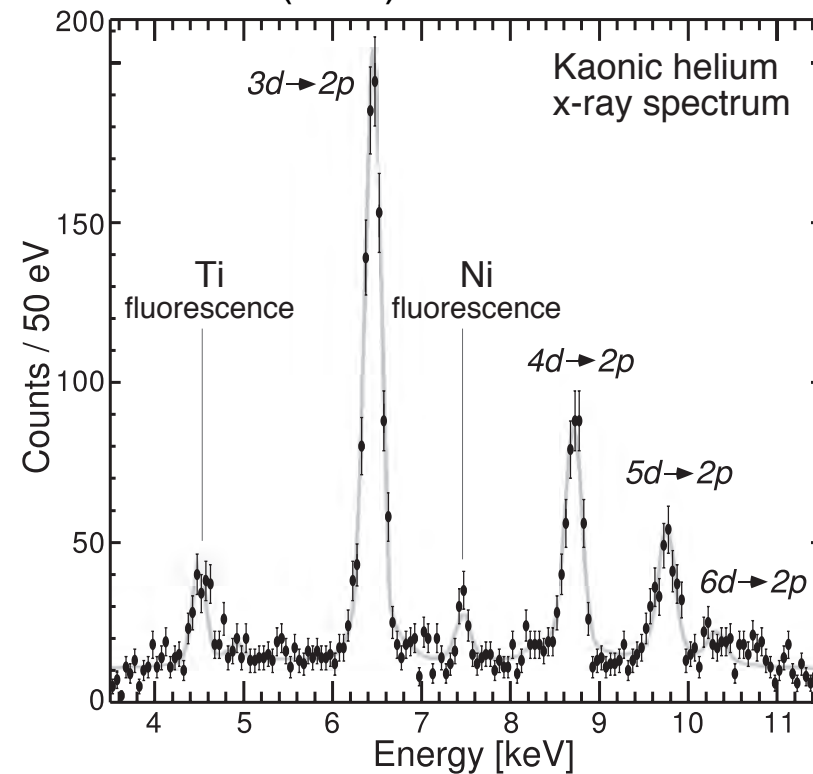
level shift and absorption width



first ~ eV precision experiment

E570 (KEK)

... Tatsuno



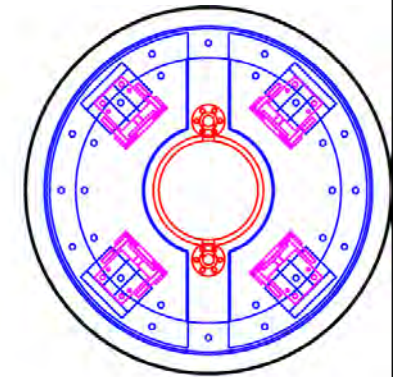
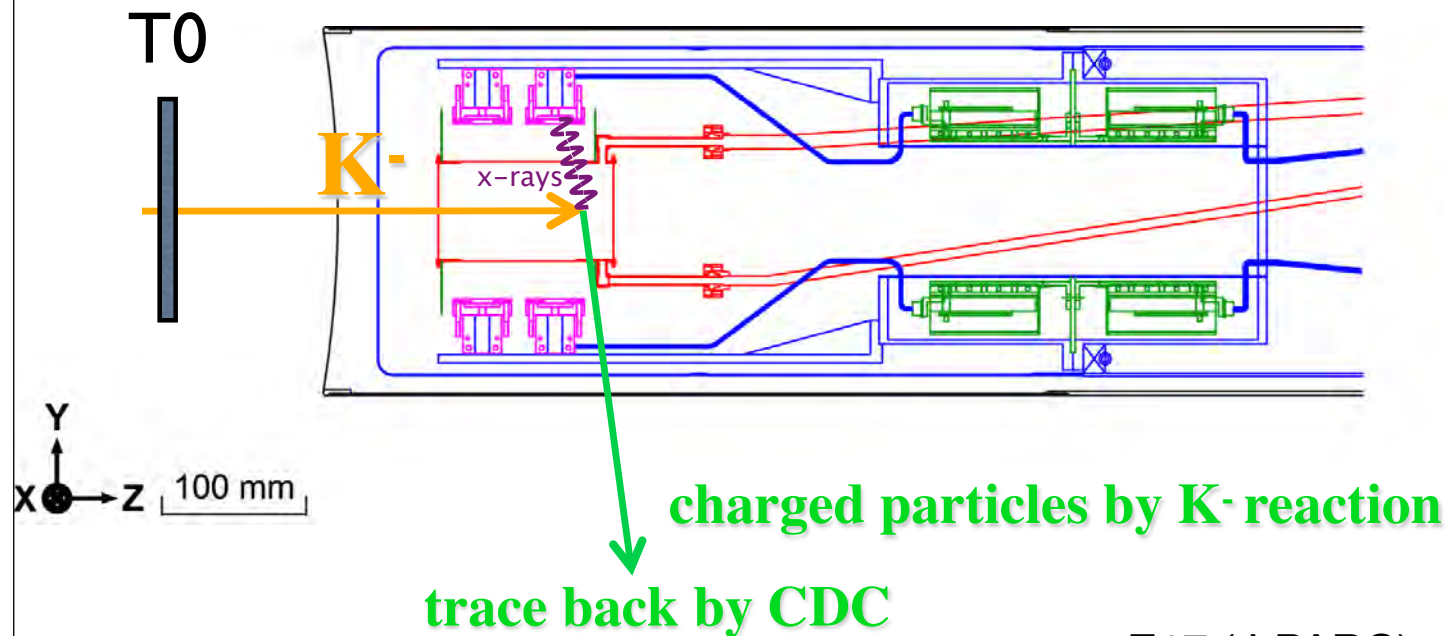
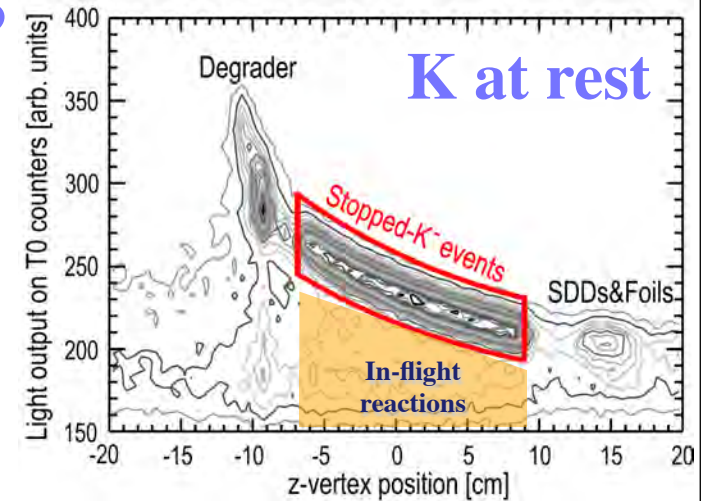
smaller shift is also possible ...

$\bar{K}N$ study by atomic states

level shift and absorption width

E17: $K^- {}^3\text{He } 3d - 2p$ x-ray

application of well proven
experimental method in KEK PS-E570



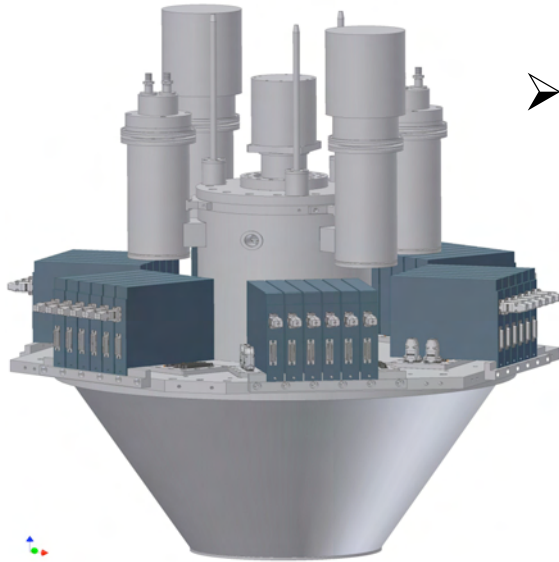
E17 (J-PARC)

... Hayano

$\bar{K}N$ study by atomic states

isospin dependence of $\bar{K}N$

SIDDHARTA (DAFNE) ... Widmann



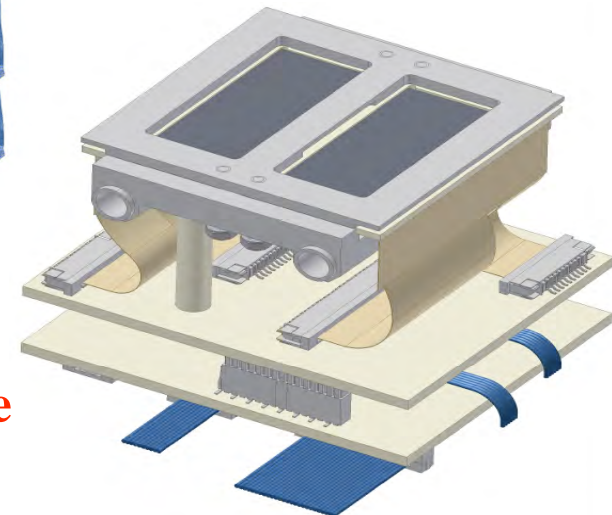
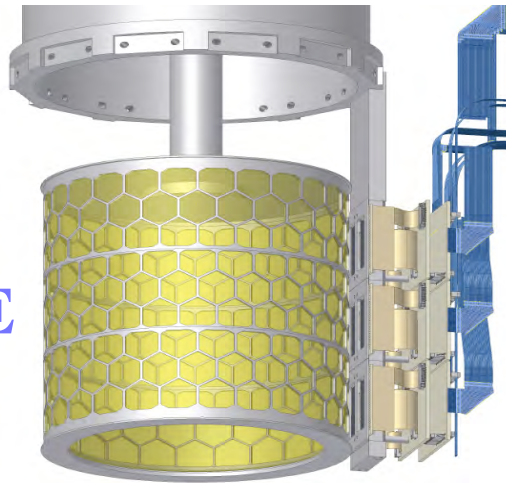
➤ kaonic hydrogen run (with improved shielding) is possible with an integrated luminosity of 400 pb^{-1}

shift $\sim \pm 10 \text{ eV}$

width $\sim \pm 35 \text{ eV}$

SIDDHARTA DAFNE

K^-p & K^-d $2p - 1s$

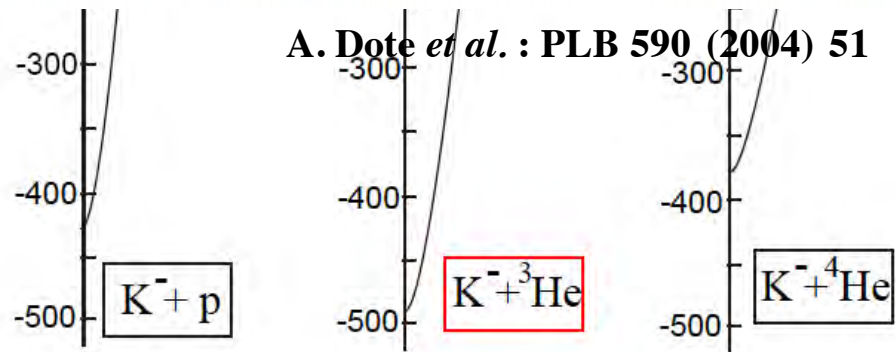
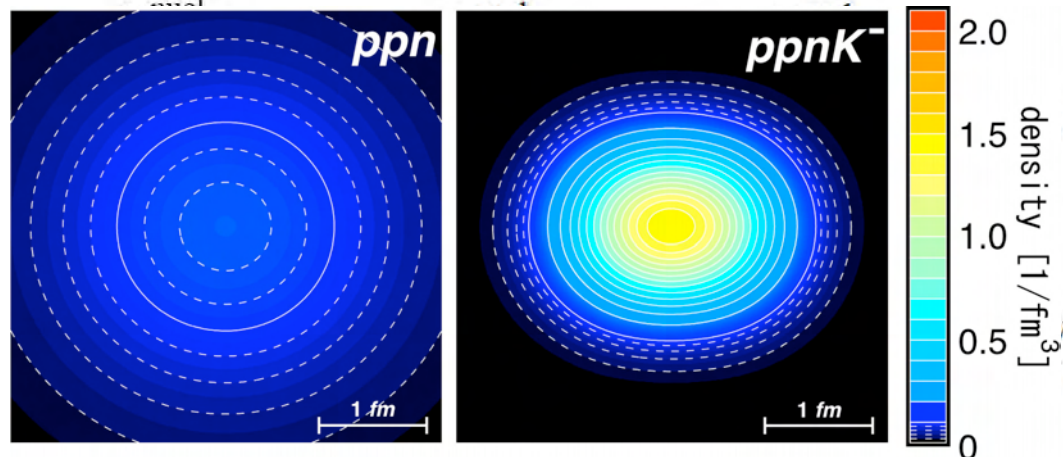


➤ a first kaonic deuterium experiment needs improvement - has to be achieved during the kaonic hydrogen run

$\bar{K}N$ study by nuclear states

Does it exist? ... need more study

$\Lambda(1405)$ as a K^-p bound state
resolved kaonic hydrogen puzzle



Y. Akaishi & T. Yamazaki : PRC 65 (2002) 044005

- Deep!

KEK-PS E228 (KpX)

~ 100 MeV

cf: $B_N \sim 10$ MeV

- Narrow!

~ 20 MeV

= meta-stable

- Shrink!

= high density!

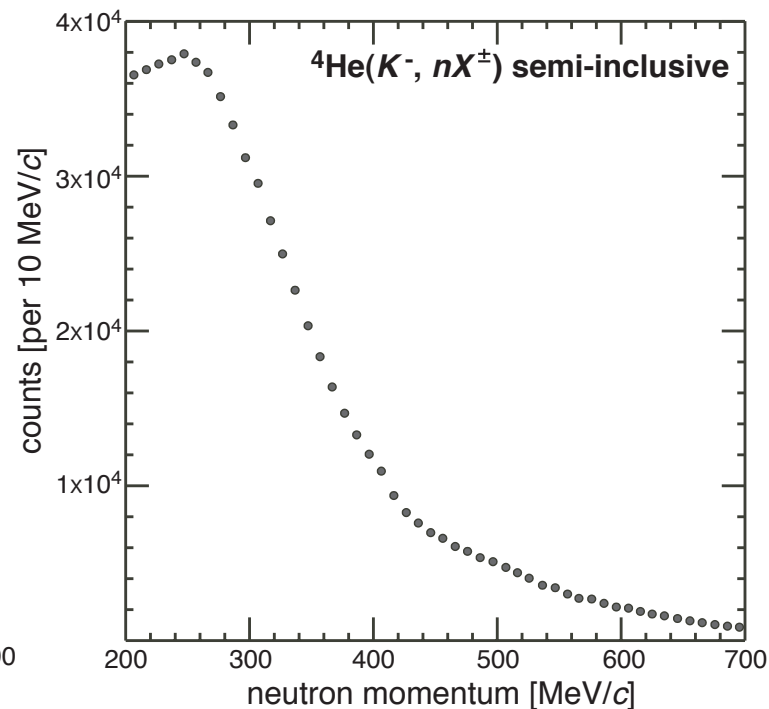
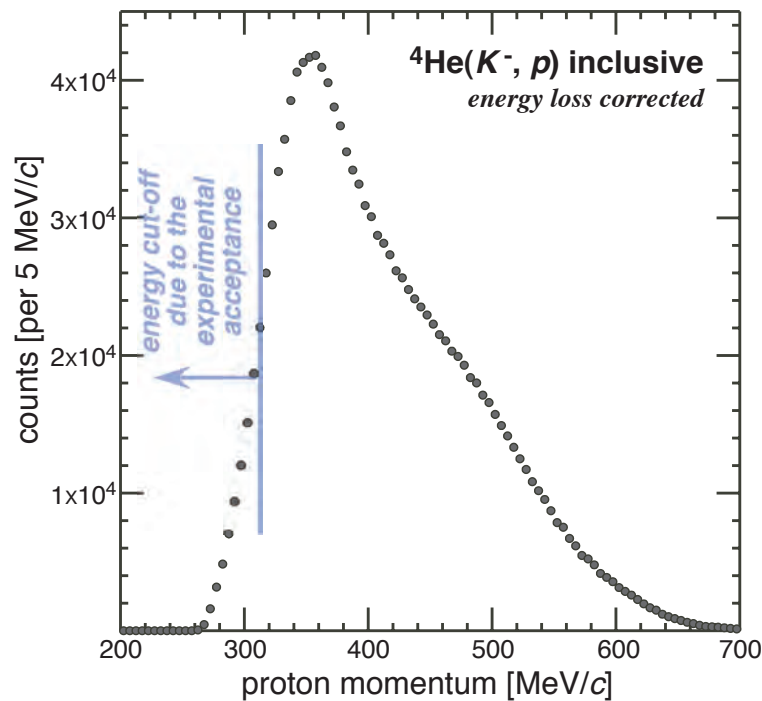
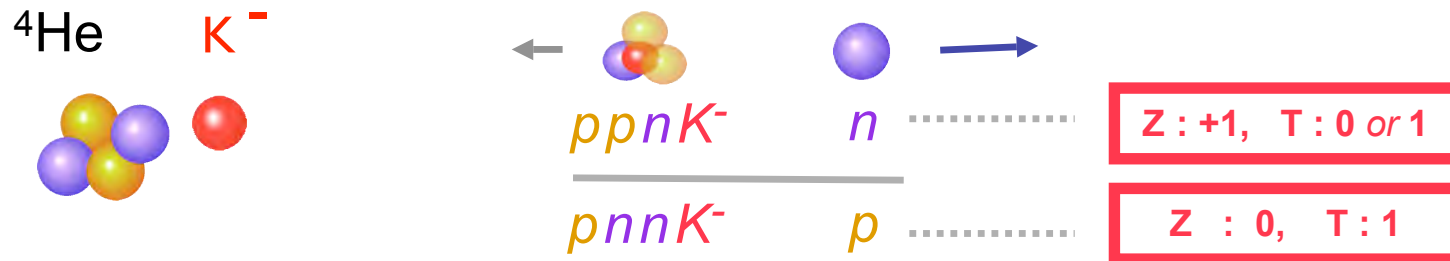
☞ hadron mass

☞ astronomical study

KN study by nuclear states

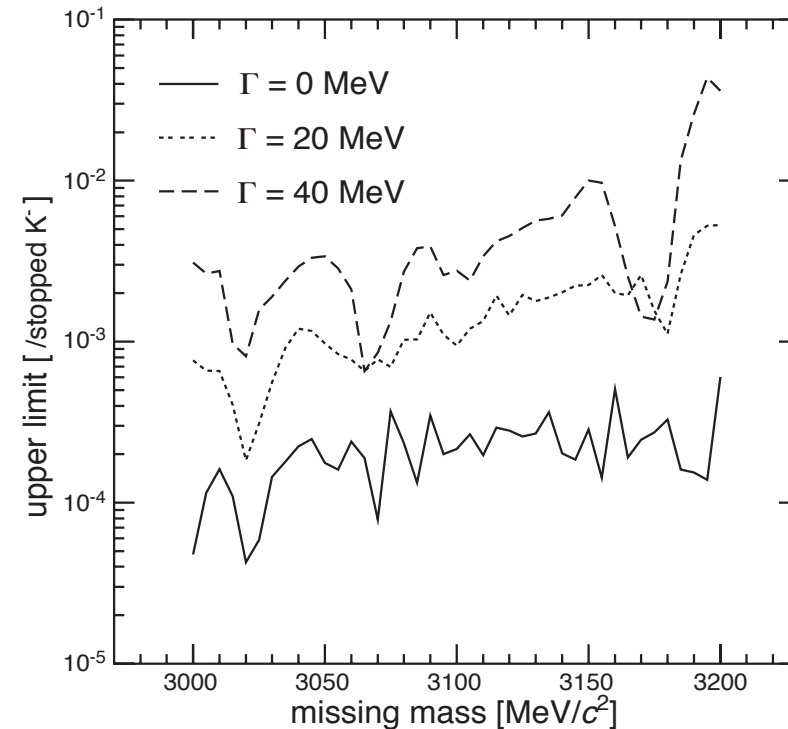
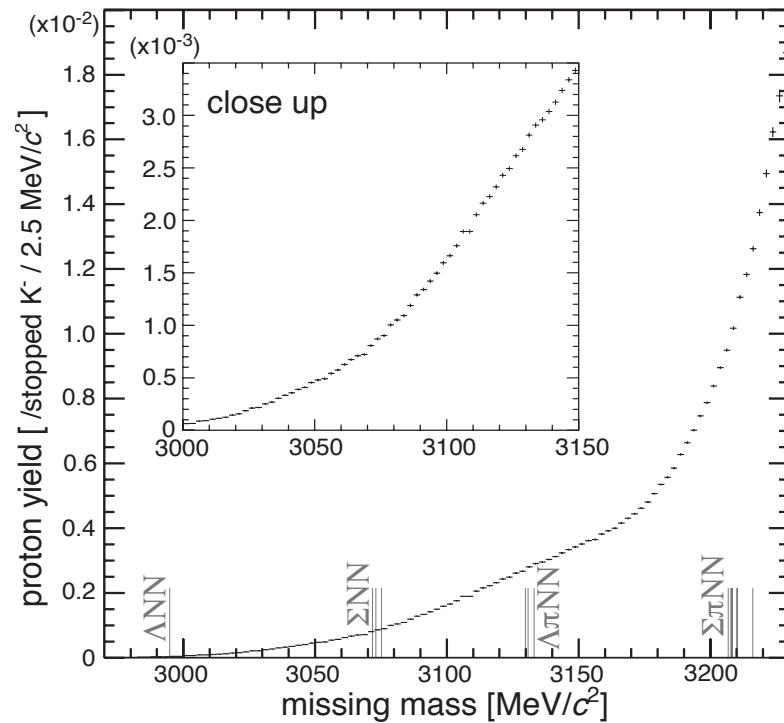
KEK PS-E549: ${}^4\text{He}(\text{stopped } K^-, N)$

${}^4\text{He}(\text{stopped } K^-, n)$ spectroscopy



KN study by nuclear states

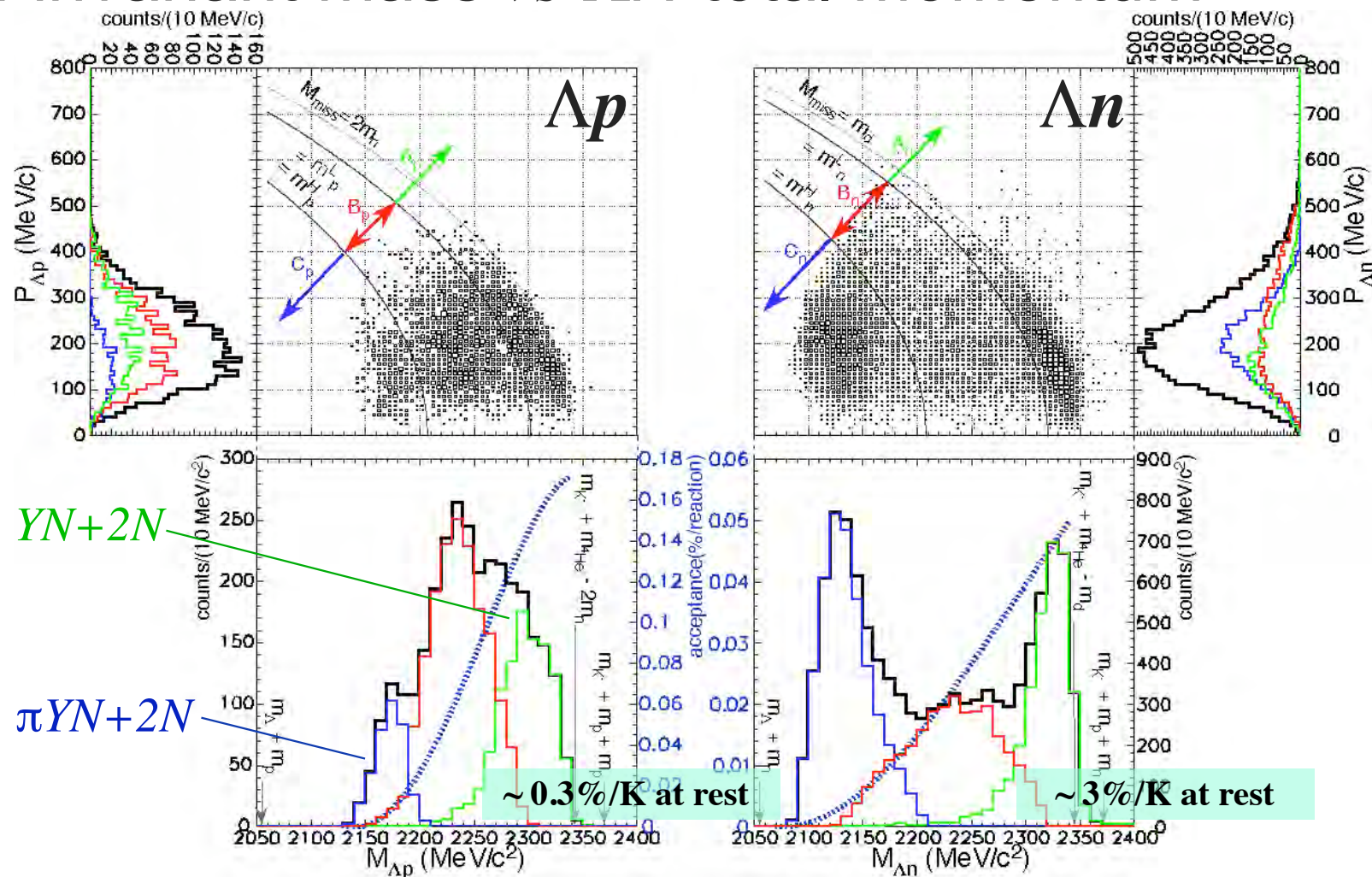
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deep & narrow excluded.
 ($BE > 100 \text{ MeV}$) ($\Gamma < 20 \text{ MeV}$)

wide, if exist (more difficult)

ΛN invariant mass ν_s ΛN total momentum



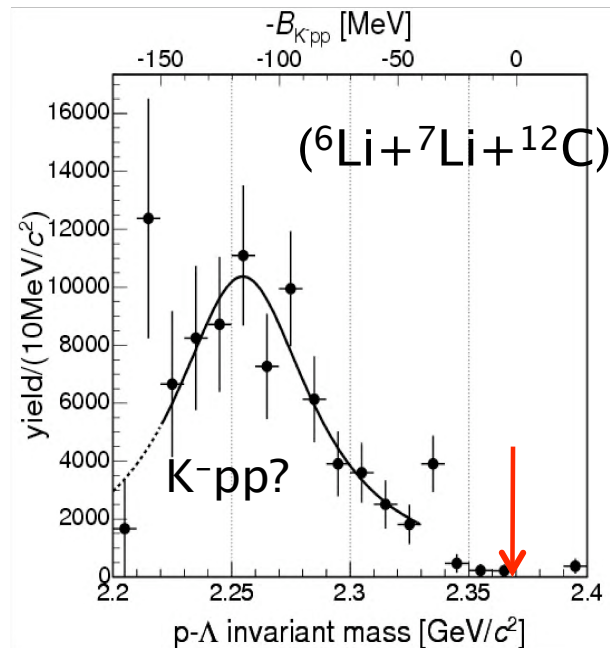
1. ' NN ' _{$l=0, s=1$} dominance of $K^- 'NN'_{l,s} \rightarrow \Lambda N$
2. More intense contribution of $B_{p/n}$

severe background 2N abs.
for kaon at rest kinematics

FINUDA experiment

invariant mass of back-to-back Λp pair from kaon absorption at rest

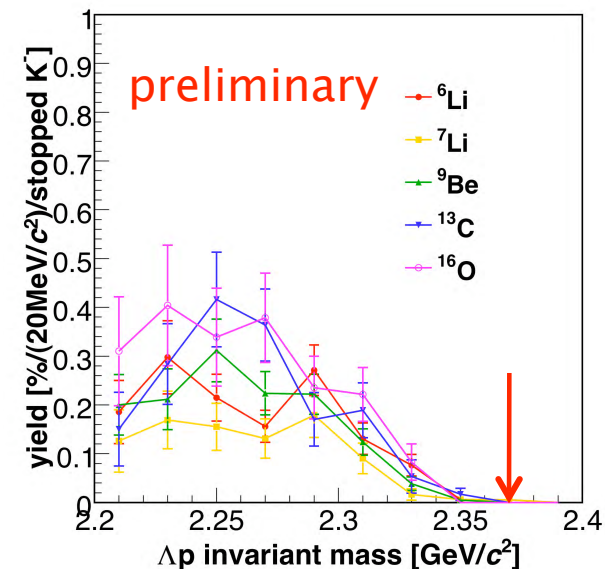
RUN-I (2003-2004)
PRL 94, 212303 (2005)



- target dependence
- effect of FSI (pointed by Magas et al.)



RUN-II (2006-2007)

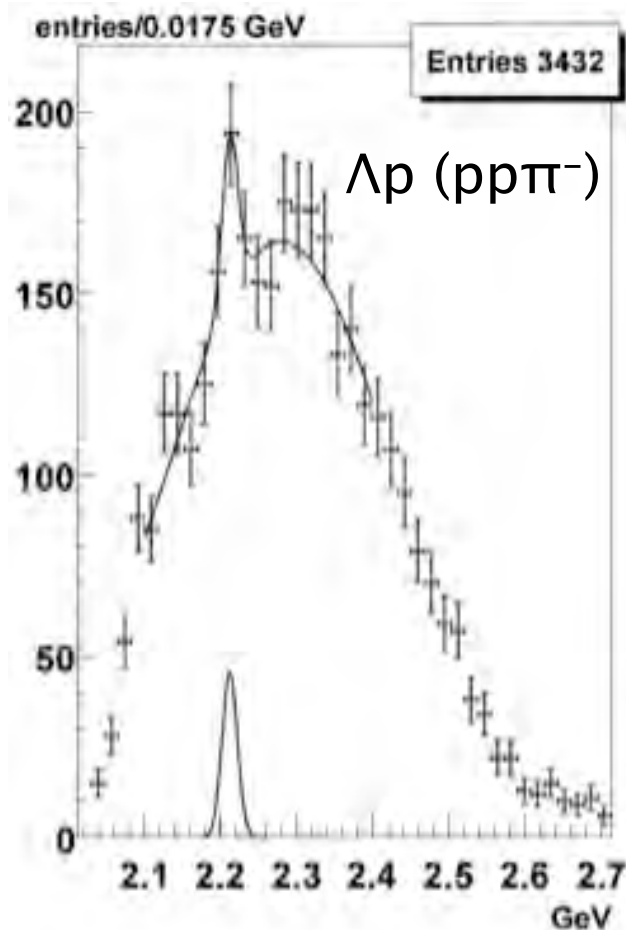


$$B = 115_{-5}^{+6}(\text{stat})_{-4}^{+3}(\text{syst}) \text{ MeV}$$

$$\Gamma = 67_{-11}^{+14}(\text{stat})_{-3}^{+2}(\text{syst}) \text{ MeV}$$

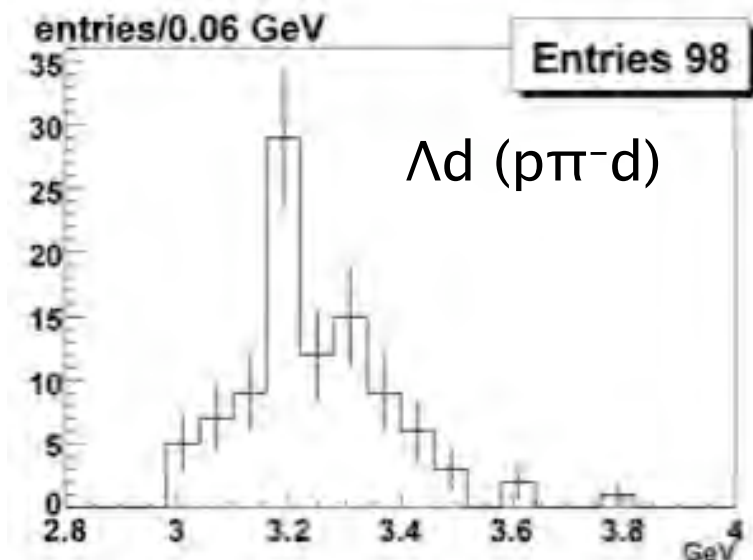
The correlation between another YN pairs (Λn , $\Sigma^- p$) has been also investigated.

OBELIX experiment ($\bar{p}$ annihilation on ${}^4\text{He}$ at rest)



$$B = 160.9 \pm 4.9 \text{ MeV}$$

$$\Gamma < 24.4 \pm 8.0 \text{ MeV}$$



$$B = 121 \pm 15 \text{ MeV}$$

$$\Gamma < 60 \text{ MeV}$$

not highly consistent though

New data from Osaka group

(one of new data : in-flight)

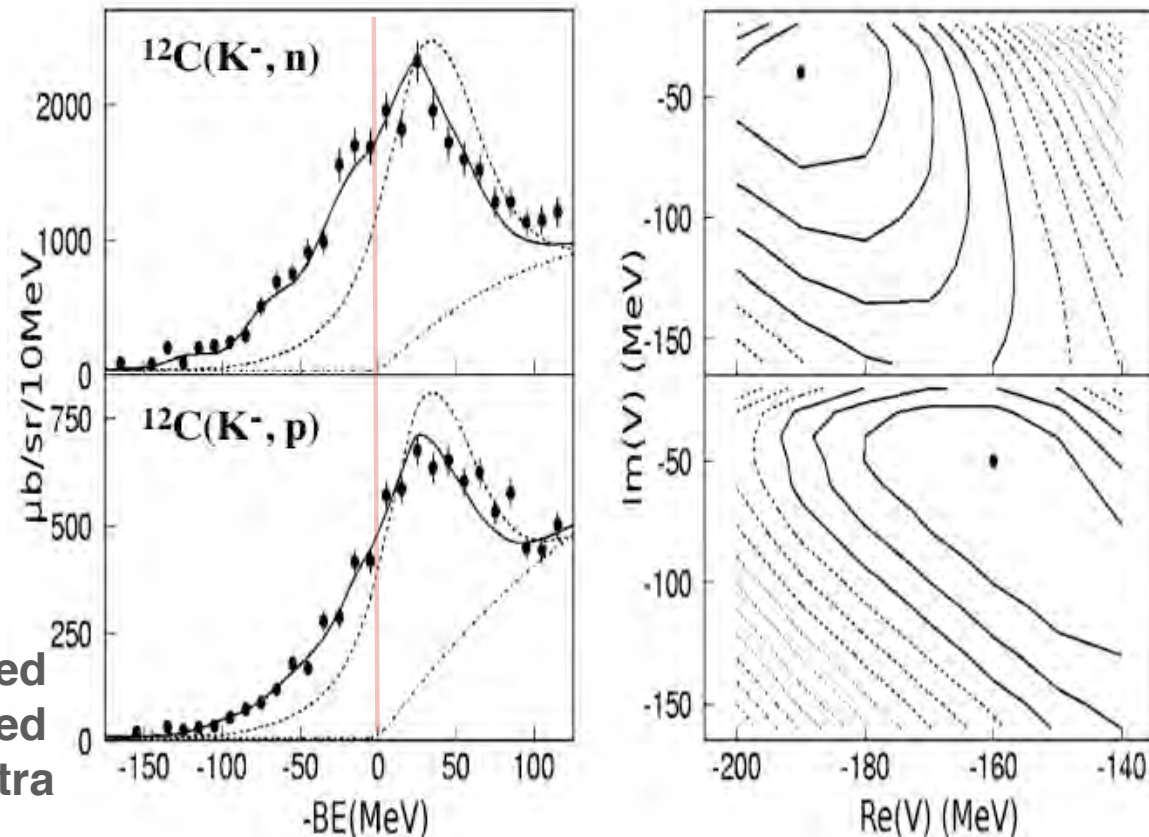
in-flight (K^- , n) reaction @ 1 GeV/c

*indicating very deep potential
Kaon condensation?*

T. Kishimoto et al., Prog. Theor. Phys. 118 (2007) 181

fit = Green's function

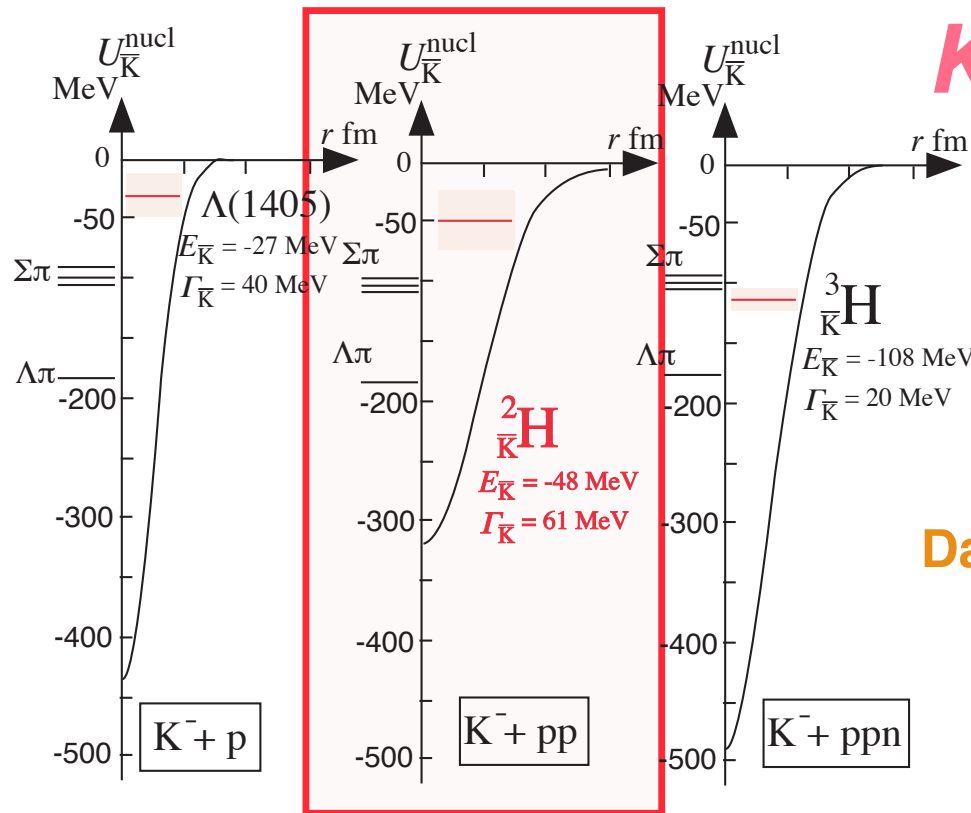
- deep & wide KN pot.
Re(V) $\sim$ 200 MeV
Im(V) $\sim$ 50 MeV
- lower background
in-flight ensures ...
2N process suppressed
kinematically separated
not seen in the spectra



$\bar{K}N$ study by nuclear states

level energy and decay width

E15: ${}^3\text{He}(\bar{K}^-, n)$ missing & invariant mass



K^-pp

- **simplest system**
less excited states
less ambiguity
full kinematical reconstruction
- **minimum absorption**
multi-nucleon absorption

Data from FINUDA group

M. Agnello et al.

Phys. Rev. Lett. 94 (2005) 212303

T. Yamazaki, Y. Akaishi / Physics Letters B 535 (2002) 70

Faddeev Calculations of K^-pp

N.V. Shevchenko, A. Gal and J. Mares, Phys. Rev. Lett. 98 (2007) 082301

$$E = -55 \sim -70 \text{ MeV}, \quad \Gamma = 90 \sim 110 \text{ MeV}$$

"Because the coupling of the K^-p channel to the absorptive pY channels was substituted by an **energy-independent complex $K^{\text{bar}}N$ potential**, the **YA results** for BE and Γ of the K^-pp system provide at best only a **rough estimate**."

"Although the BE calculated here is similar to YA's, the calculated **width is considerably larger than YA's estimate $\Gamma=61$ MeV**."

Y. Ikeda and T. Sato, arXiv:nucl-th/0704.1978

$$E \sim -80 \text{ MeV}, \quad \Gamma \sim 73 \text{ MeV}$$

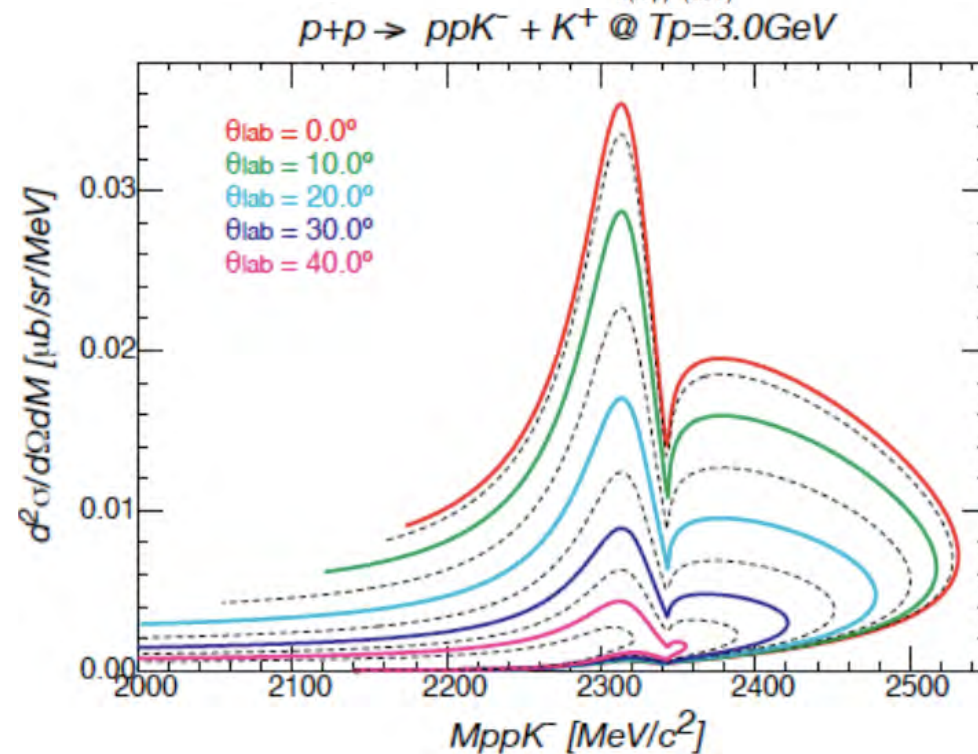
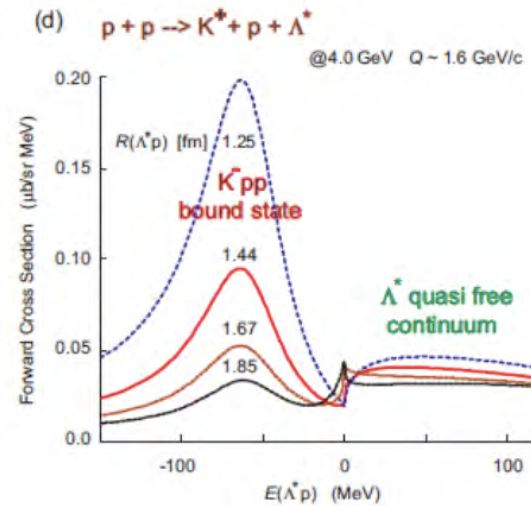
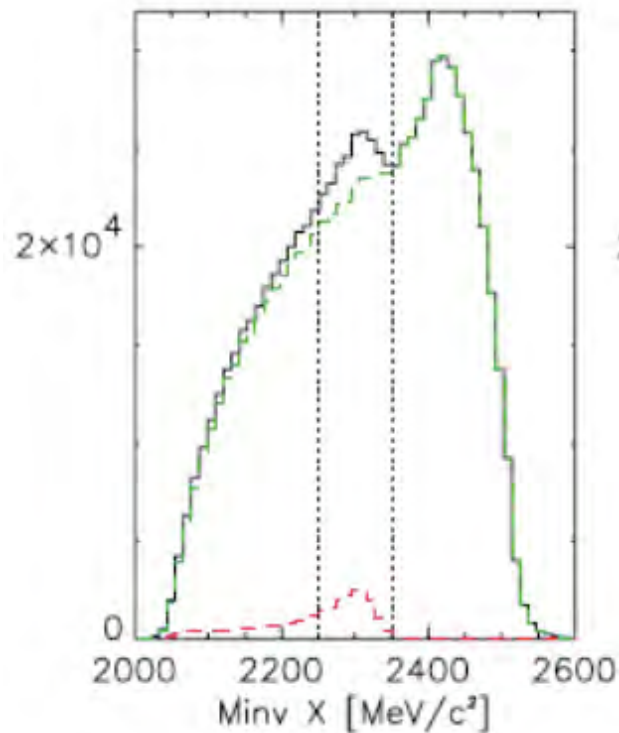
"Our resonance has a **deeper BE** and a **similar Γ** compared with YA's. However it is **not straightforward to compare with YA's pole energy** because of the differences in the method and on the model for the $K^{\text{bar}}N$ interaction."

$p(p, K^+)$ $pp \rightarrow \text{"}pp K^- \text{"} + K^+$

ANKE? @ COSY missing mass

FOPI @ GSI invariant mass

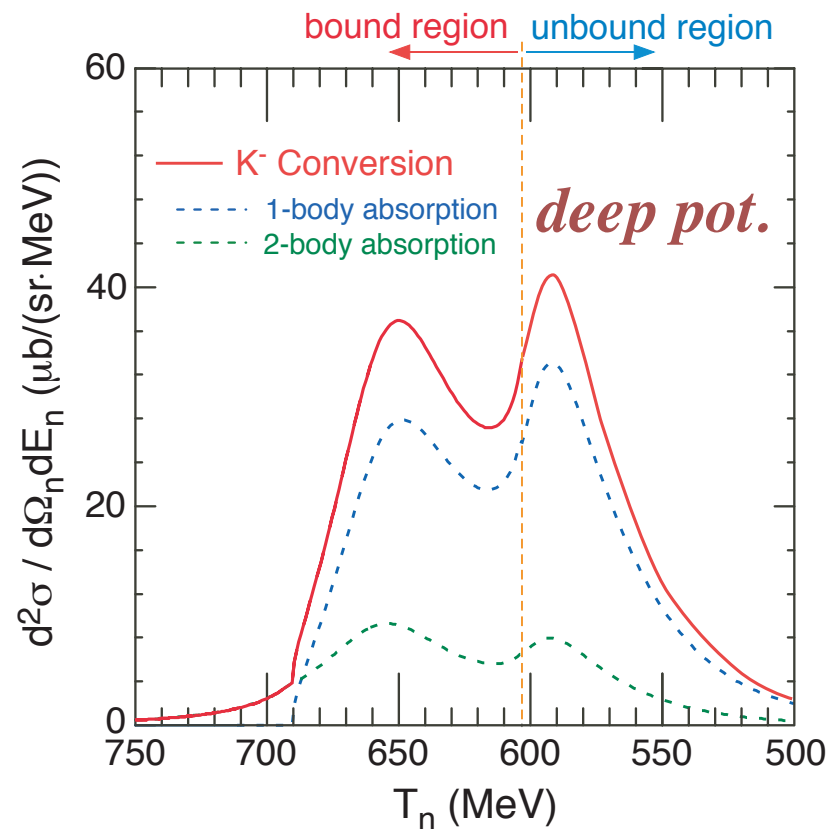
FOPI simulation (from proposal)



Theoretical progress

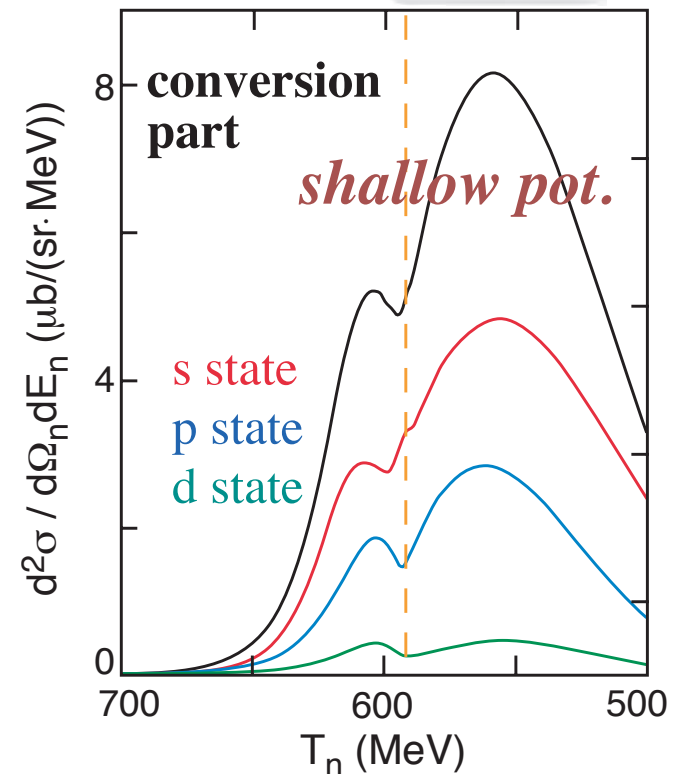
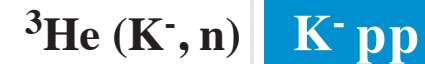


- bound state will be seen
- yield $5 \sim 40 \mu\text{b} / (\text{sr MeV})$
- resolution must $< 20\text{MeV}$



T. Koike, T. Harada, Phys. Lett. B652 (2007) 262

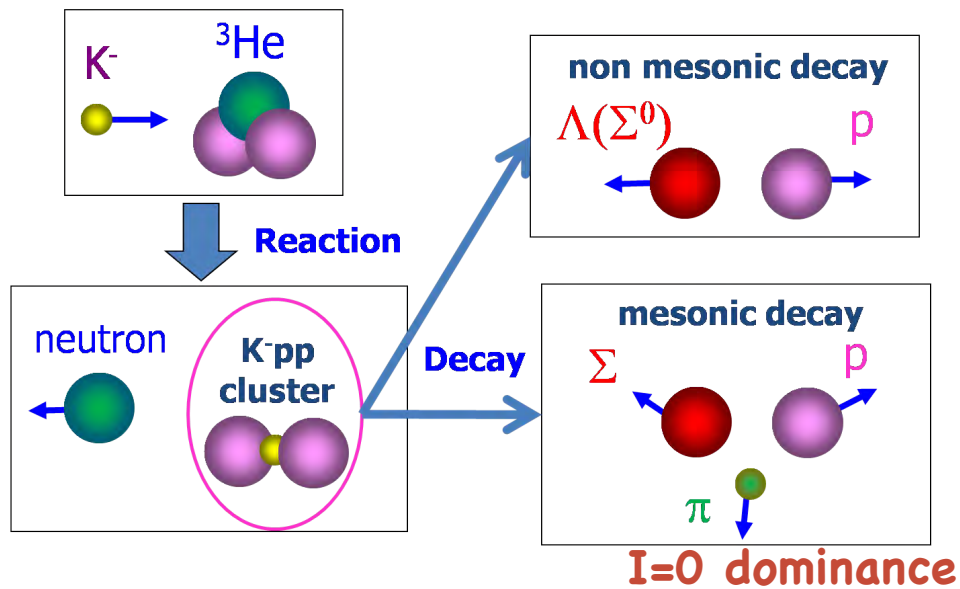
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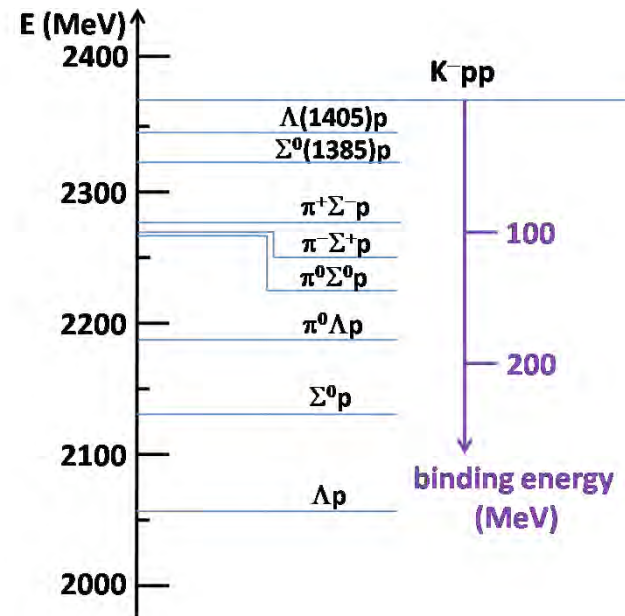
J. Yamagata, S. Hirenzaki, H. Nagahiro, D. Jido, Mod. Phys. Lett. A accepted. Proc. of Chiral07.

mesonic decay mode

shallow pot. case



$\Sigma^\pm \pi^\mp p$ decay channel
can also be tagged
by $\pi^+ \pi^-$ tag

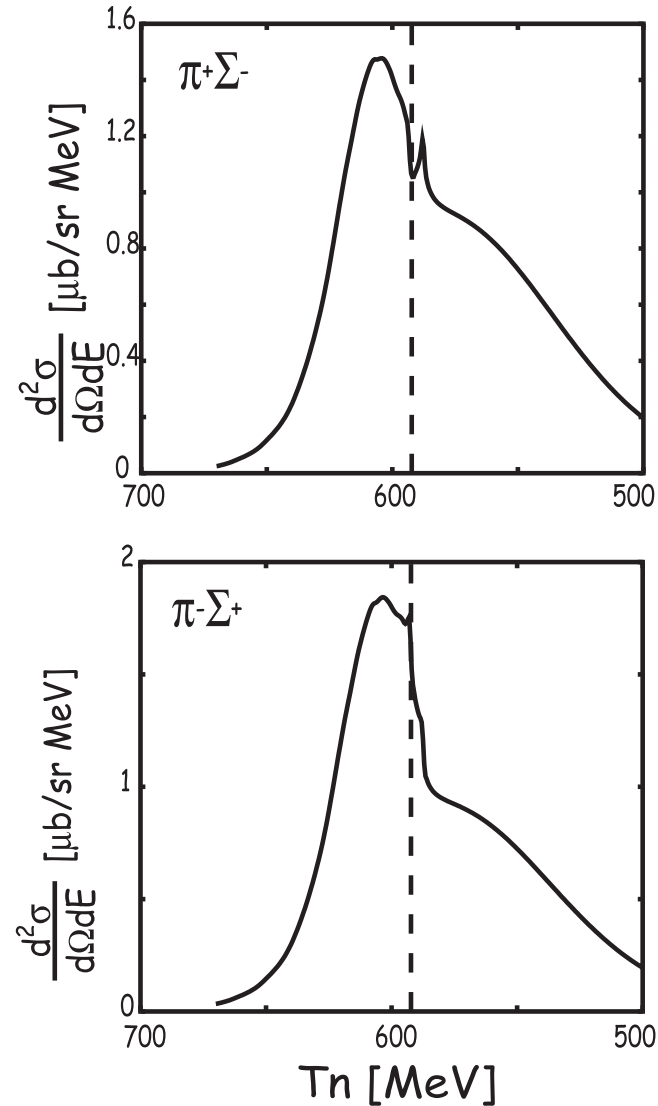
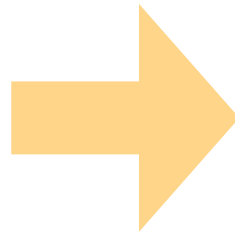
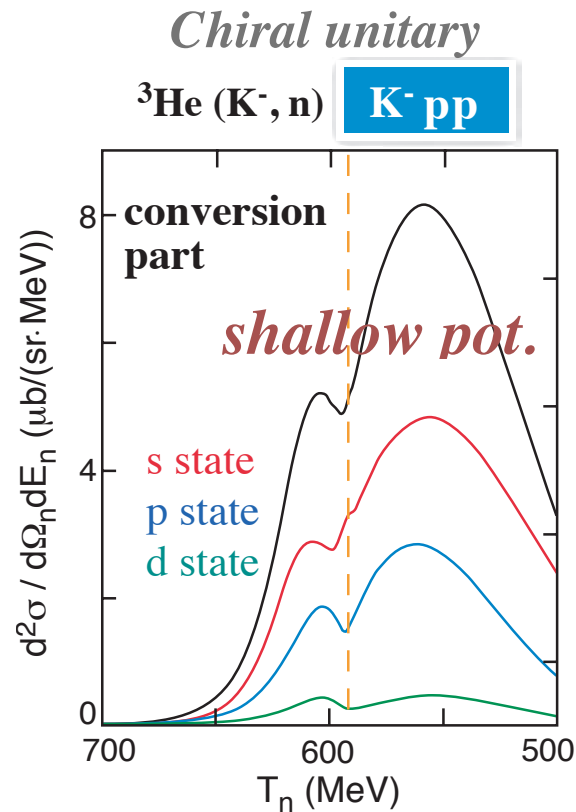


Theoretical progress

*Chiral unitary
shallow pot.*

J. Yamagata-Sekihara, H. Nagahiro,
D. Jido, S. Hirenzaki, in preparation

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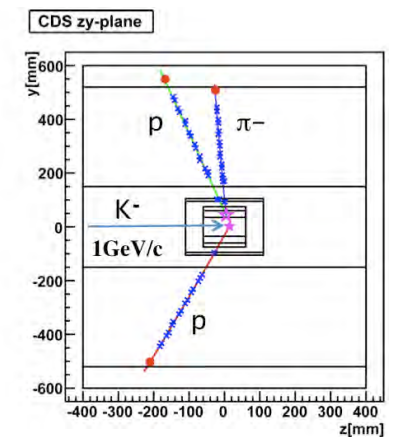
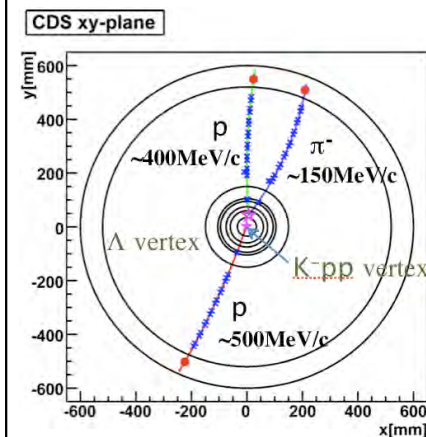
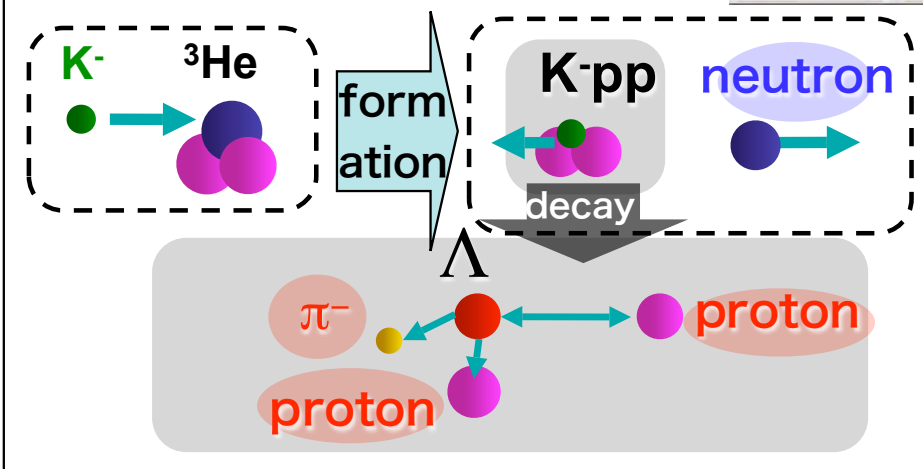
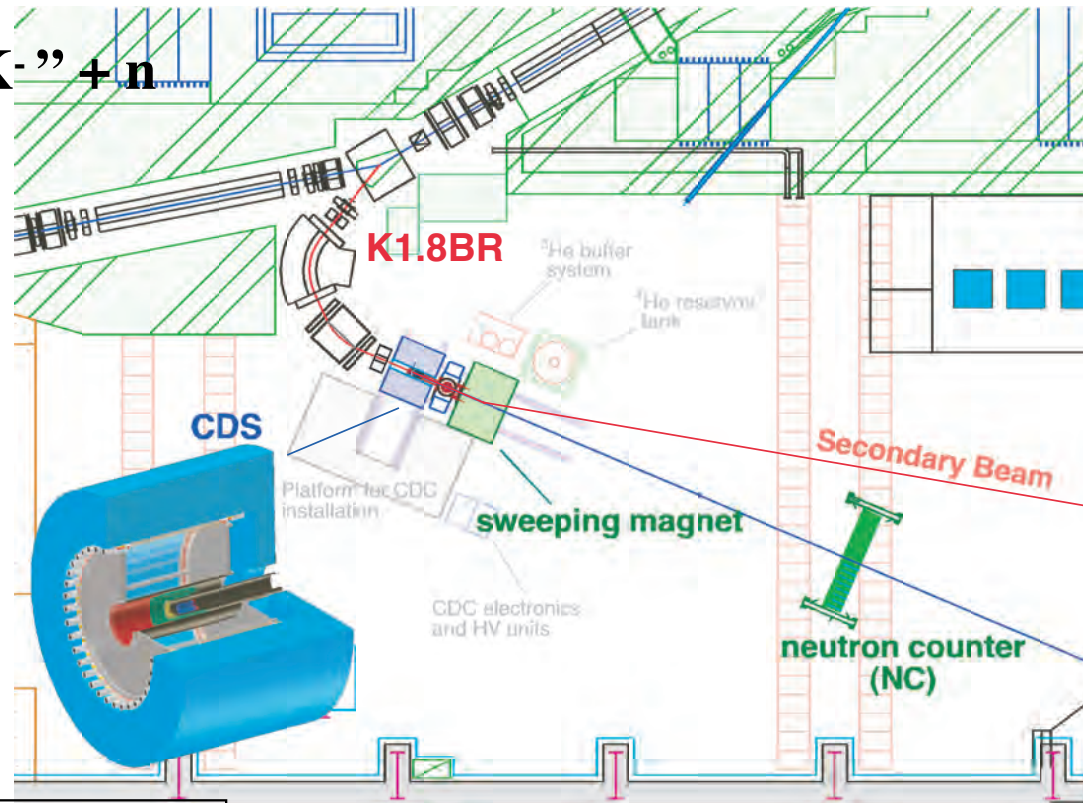
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${}^3\text{He}(\text{K}^-, n)$ $\text{K}^- {}^3\text{He} \rightarrow \text{pp K}^- + n$

E15 @ J-PARC

1 GeV/c
missing & invariant mass

-  Cylindrical Detector System
 - 1) solenoid
 - 2) CDC
 - 3) hodoscope
-  ${}^3\text{He}$ target
-  neutron counter
-  beam line detector



Summary

... atomic states

DAFNE SIDDARTA: $K^- p$ & $K^- d$ $2p - 1s$

J-PARC E17: $K^- {}^3\text{He}$ $3d - 2p$

... nuclear states (not clear so far)

COSY ANKE: $p(p, K^+)$ missing mass

GSI FOPI: $p(p, K^+)$ invariant mass

J-PARC E15: ${}^3\text{He}(K^-, n)$ missing & invariant mass

DAFNE AMADEUS: ${}^3\text{He}(\textit{stopped } K^-, N)$

LEPS ? more..?

situation will be clarified soon

Thank you!