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# J-PARCでの ハイパー核物理の展開

Prospect of Hypernuclear Physics at J-PARC



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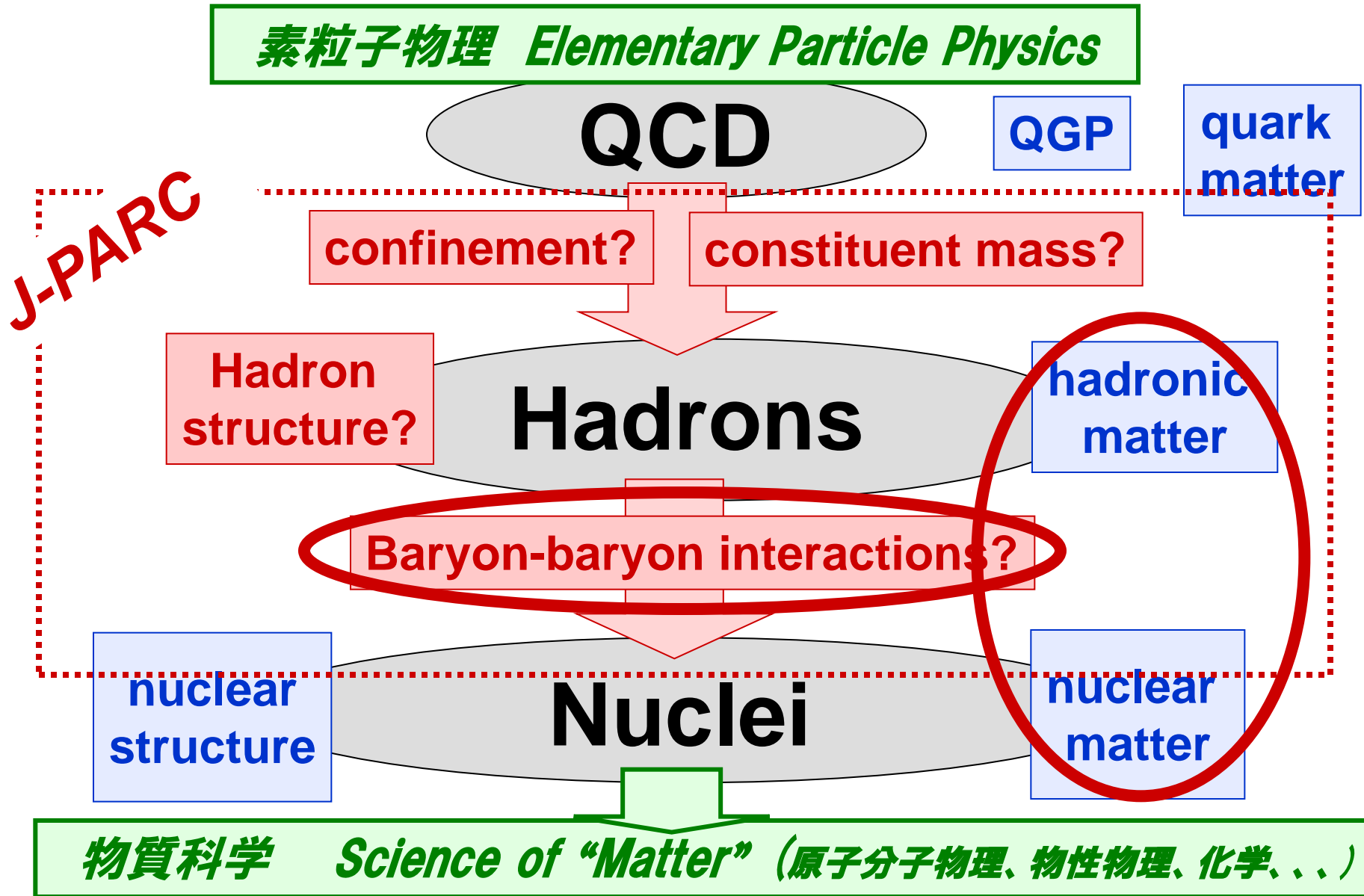
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# **1. Introduction**

# J-PARC connects

## Elementary Particle Physics and Science of Matter



# Origin of nuclear force

Nuclear force: the starting point of “physics of matter”

Force between white (neutral) composite particles = complicated as molecular force  
Short range parts not understood yet

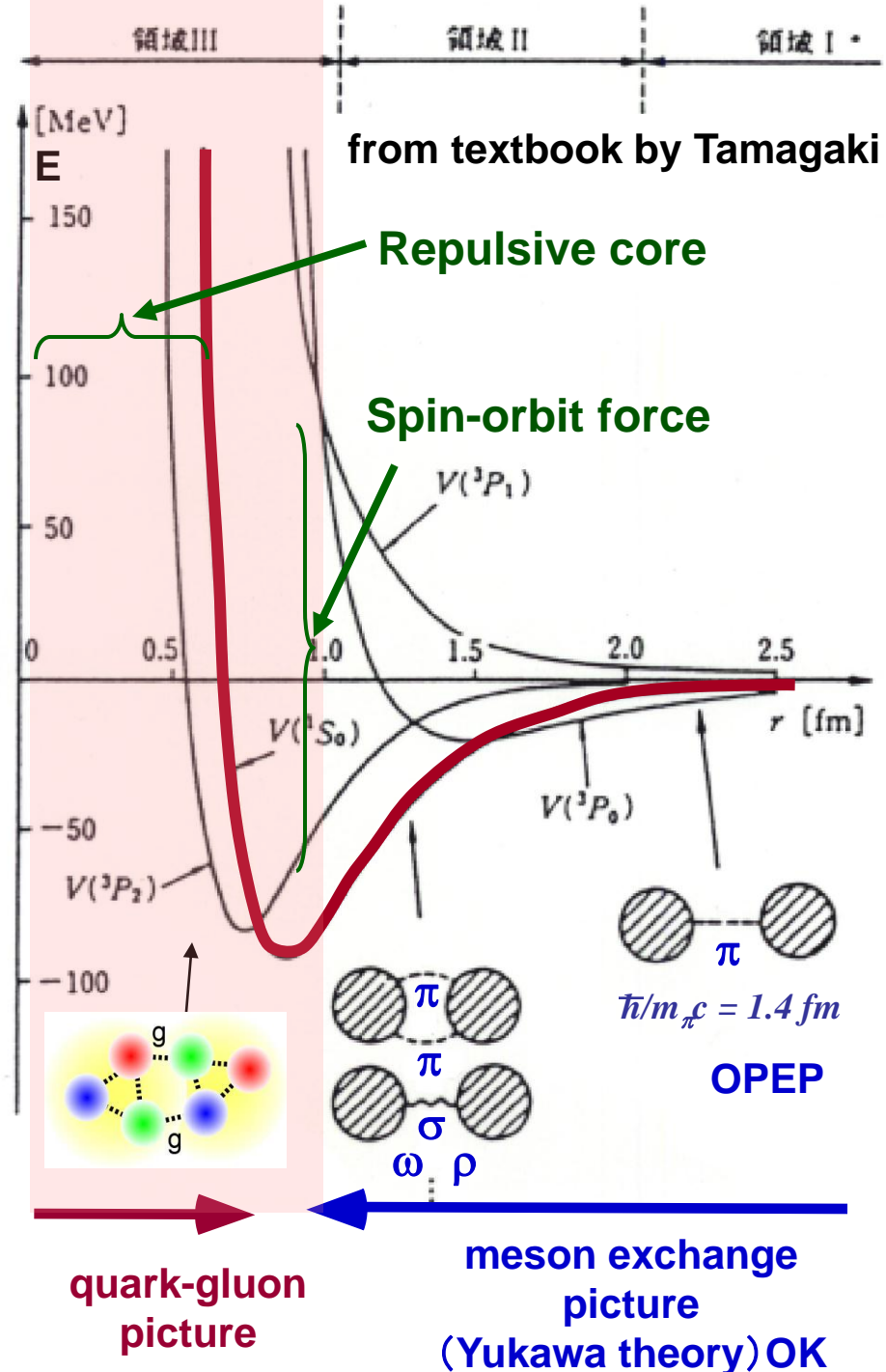
- Repulsive core => stability of nucleus
  - Spin-orbit force => magic numbers
- > Abundance of elements

Meson exchange picture does not work.  
 Quark-gluon picture works well?

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 s quark gives a clue !

Hyperon forces are very different?  
 The miracle balance between attraction and repulsion in NN force is universal?

Extend nuclear force into u,d,s world and achieve **unified understanding of baryon-baryon forces**



# Origin of nuclear force

Nucleon

Force between  
particle

Short range

■ Repulsive

■ Spin-dependent

Meson

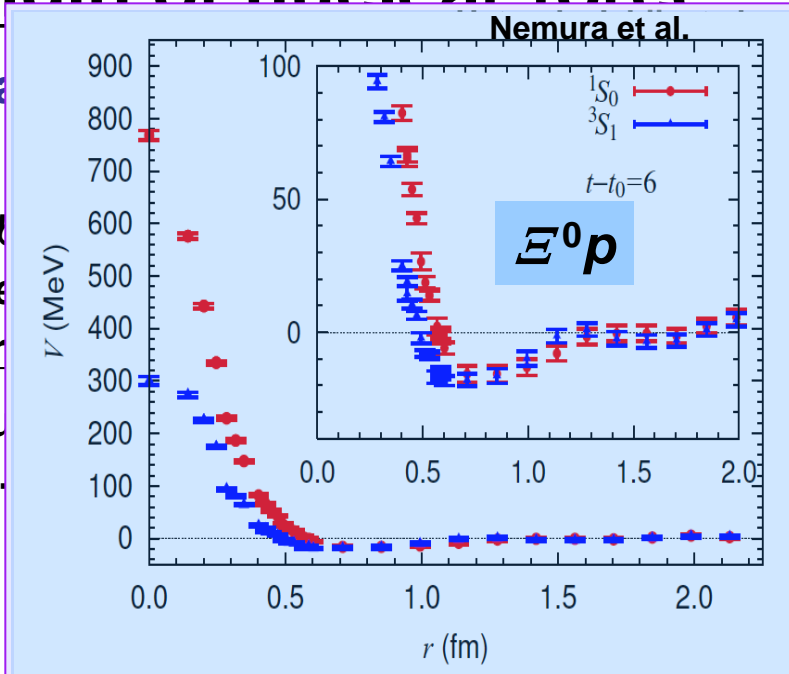
Quark

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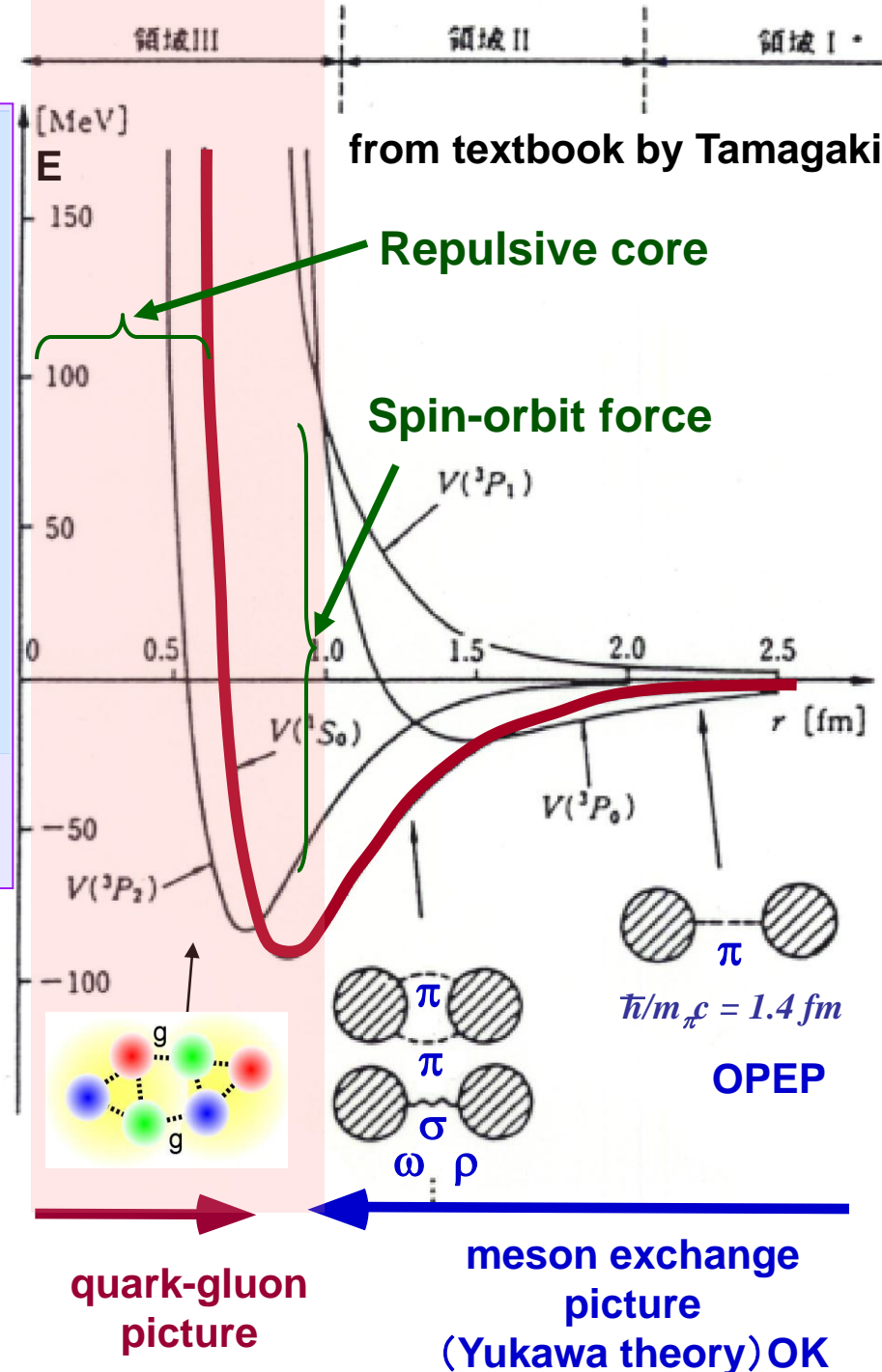
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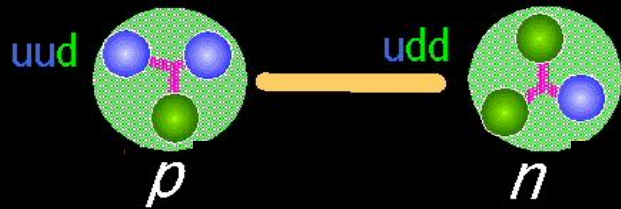
Extend nuclear force into u,d,s world and achieve **unified understanding of baryon-baryon forces**



Lattice QCD can calculate B-B potentials.  
 Accuracy is getting better  
 → can be compared with experimental data.



# Nuclear force ( $SU_f(2)$ )

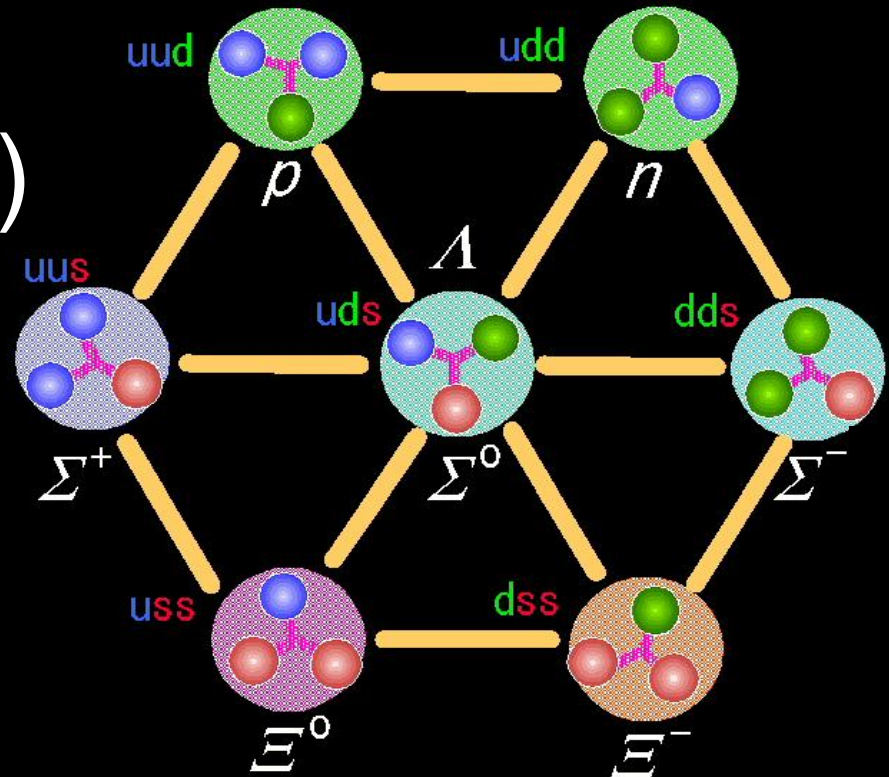


Baryon Octet (spin=1/2)



to

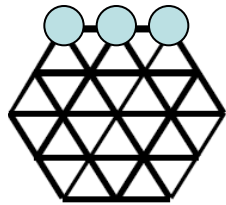
# B-B force ( $SU_f(3)$ )



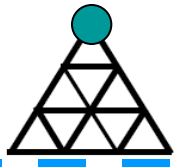
# Baryon Baryon interaction by Lattice QCD

- 6 independent forces in flavor SU(3) symmetry

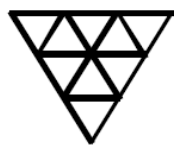
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(27)



(10\*)



(10)



(8s)



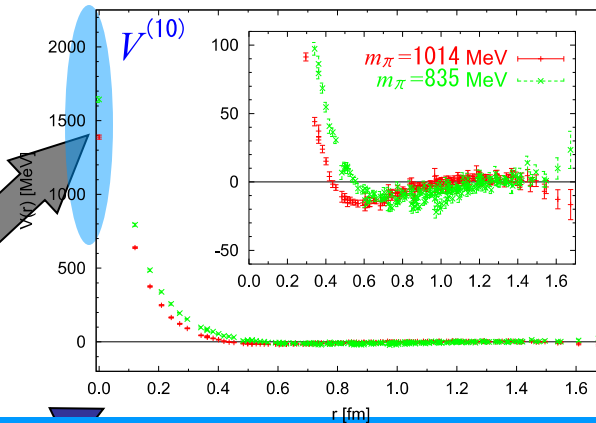
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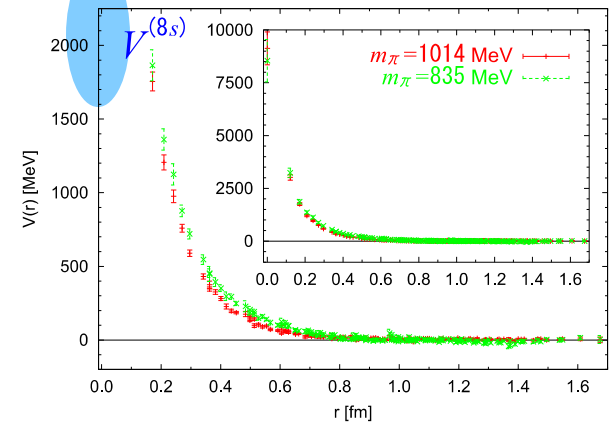
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Strong repulsive core

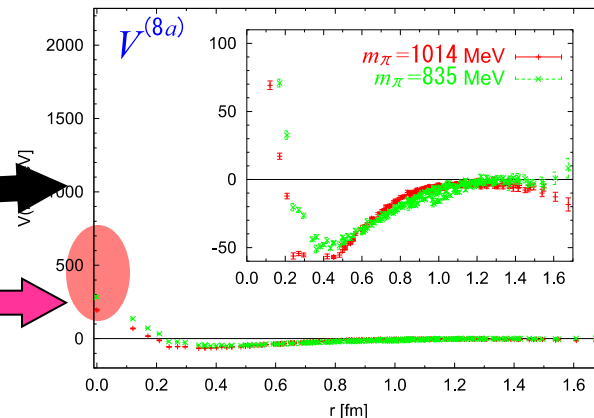
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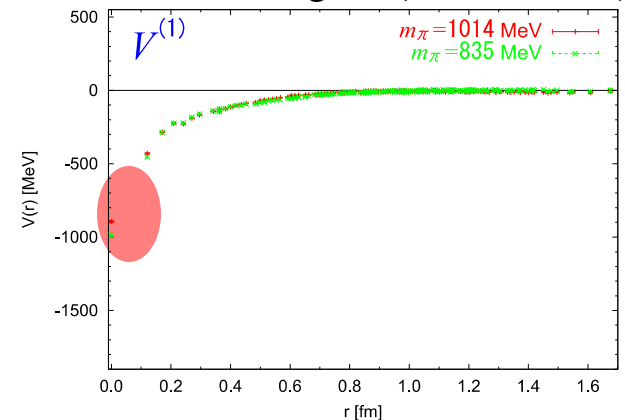
$\Sigma^- p$  (S=0, T=1/2)



$\Xi^- p$  (T=0)



Flavor singlet (H-Channel)



Lattice QCD,  
T. Inoue et al.

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Weak or attractive Core

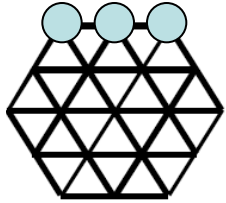


# Baryon

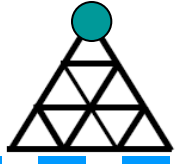
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**The same behavior was already predicted by Oka-Yazaki's Quark Cluster Model**

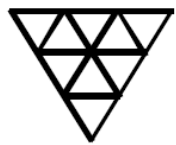
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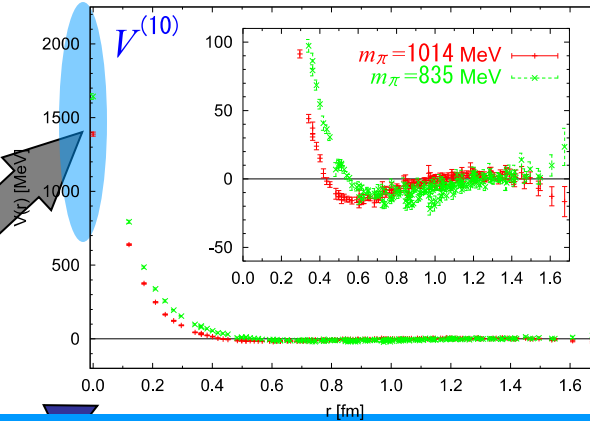
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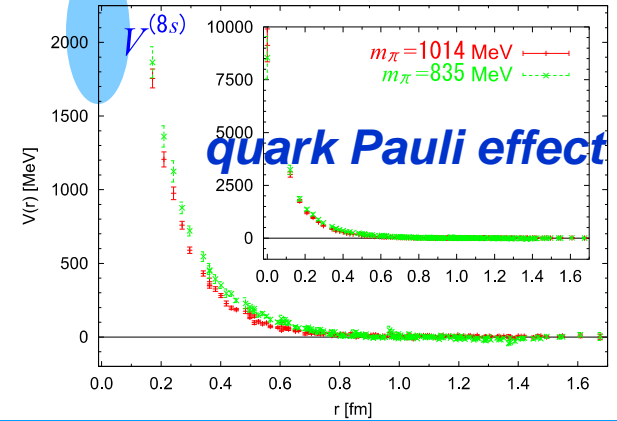
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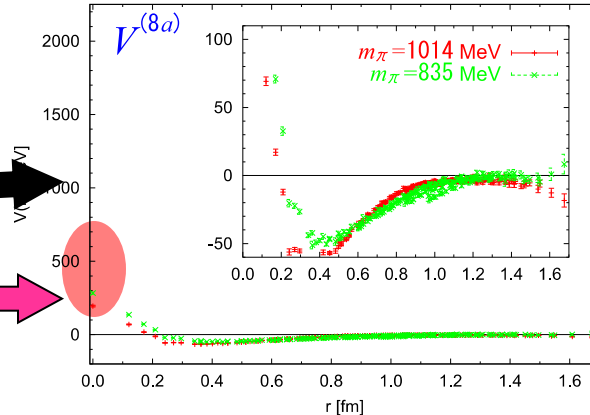
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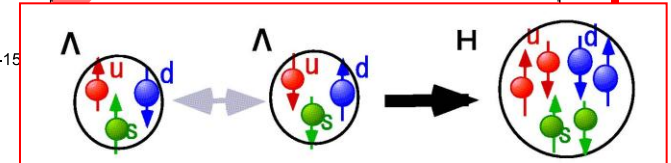
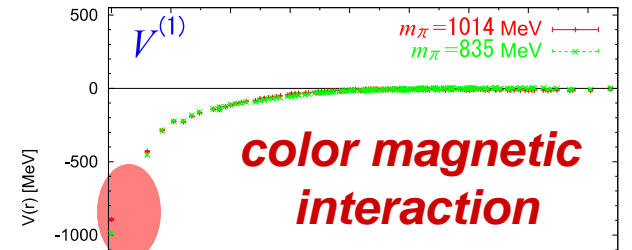
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Weak or attractive Core

# World of matter made of u, d, s quarks

$N_u \sim N_d \sim N_s$



“Stable”

Strangeness in neutron stars ( $\rho > 3 - 4 \rho_0$ )

Strange hadronic matter ( $A \rightarrow \infty$ )

$p, n, \Lambda, \Xi^0, \Xi^-$

Higher density



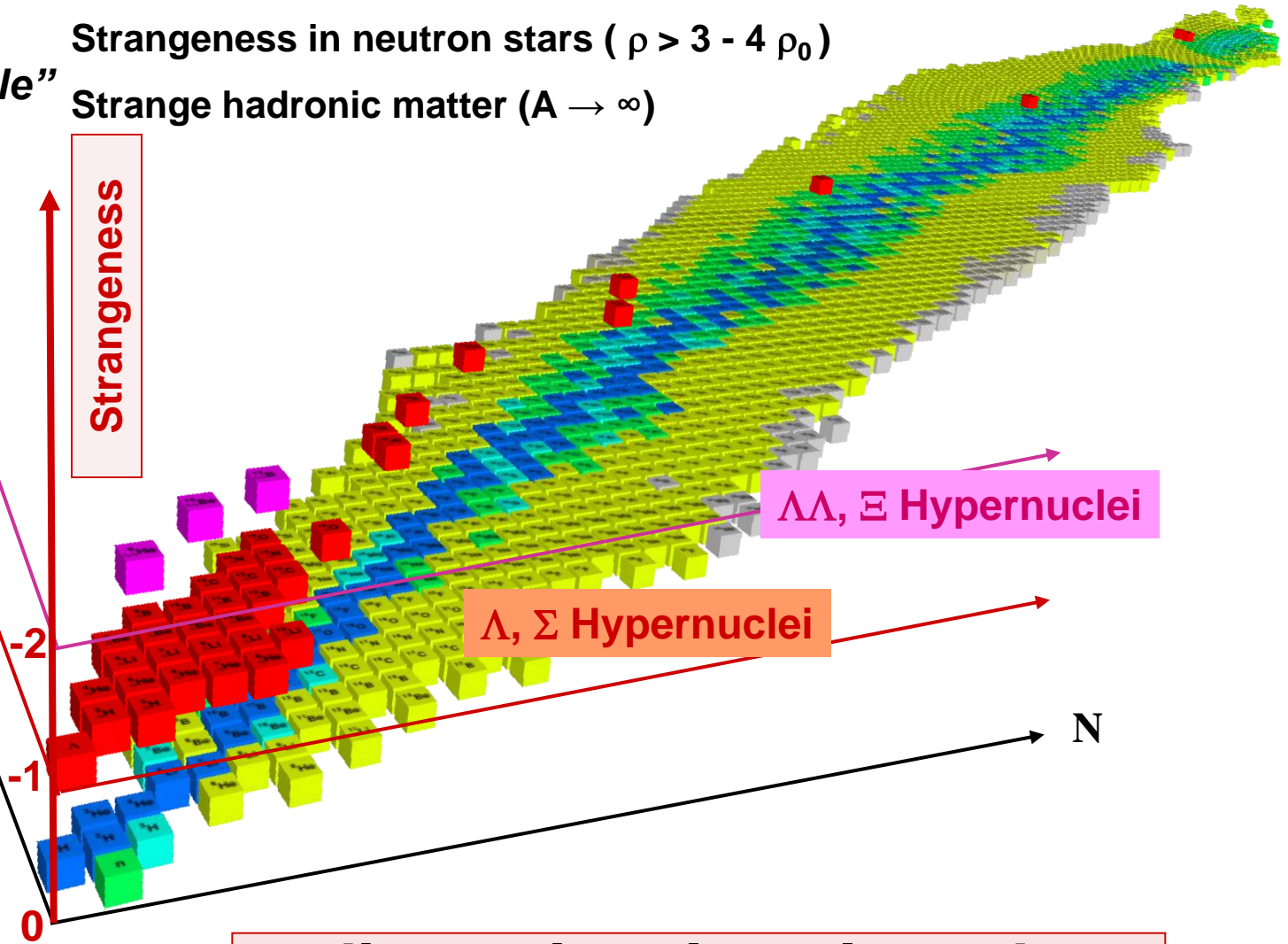
$\Lambda$



p

n

Z



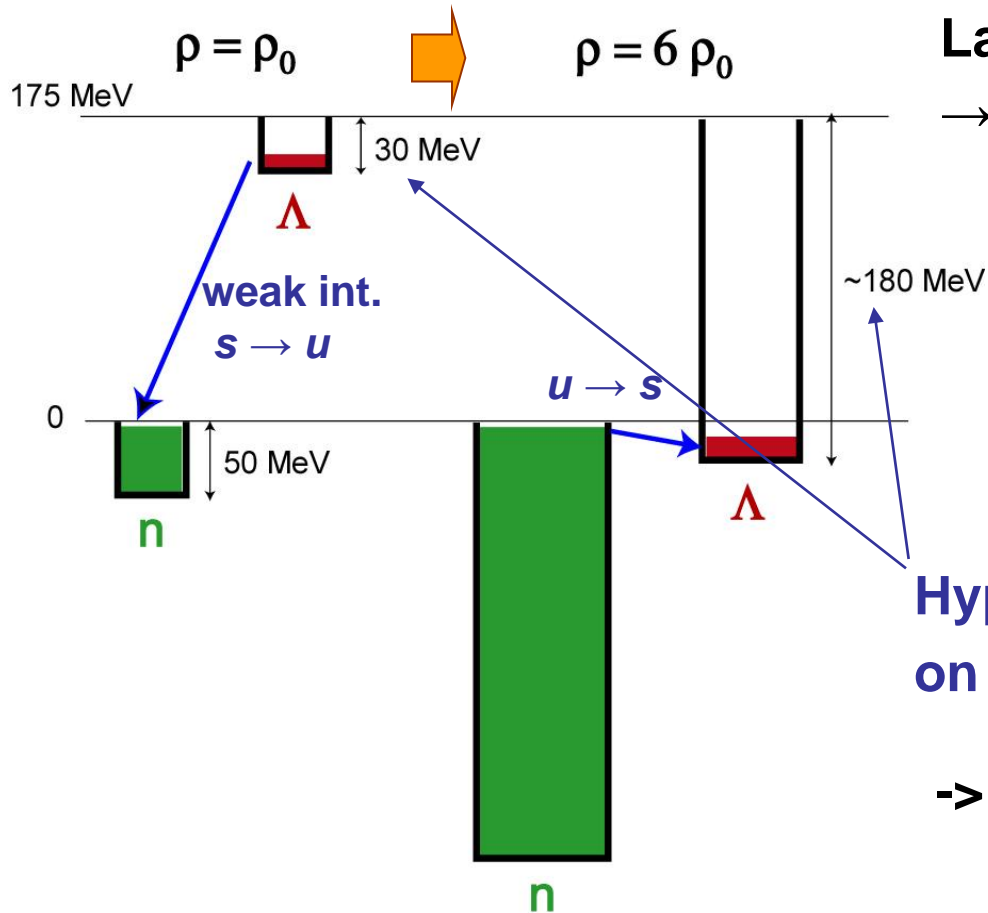
$\Lambda\Lambda, \Xi\Xi$  Hypernuclei

$\Lambda, \Sigma$  Hypernuclei

**3-dimensional nuclear chart**

Motoba-Bando's diagram (designed by M. Kaneta)

# Hyperon mixing in neutron stars



**Large neutron Fermi energy**

→ **Hyperons appear**

→ **density up (softening of EOS)**

→ **cannot support n star**

(→ **black hole**)

**= smaller maximum mass of n star**

**Hyperon fraction depends sensitively on YN, YY interactions**

**-> Maximum mass, Cooling speed**

**Recent hypernuclear data -> realistic calculations possible**

# High density matter in neutron stars

We still need

$\Xi N$ ,  $\Lambda\Lambda$ ,  $\Sigma N$  forces,

$\bar{K}N$  forces,

$\Lambda N$  p-wave force,

NNN and YNN force, ...

The heavy n-star ( $M=1.97 \pm 0.04 M_{\odot}$ )

can be supported?

$\Sigma$ 's appear?

$\bar{K}^{\text{bar}}$  appear?

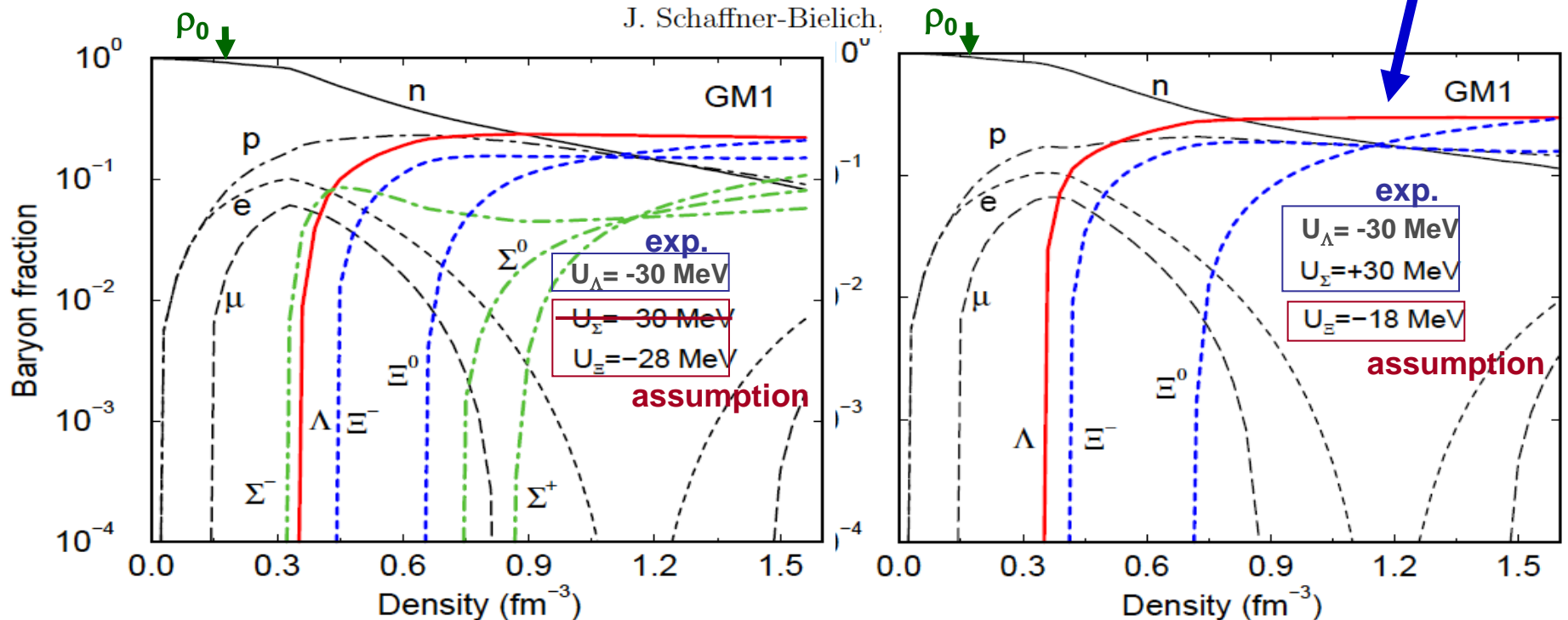
Strange hadronic matter exists?

Quark matter exists?

$N_u \sim N_d \sim N_s$



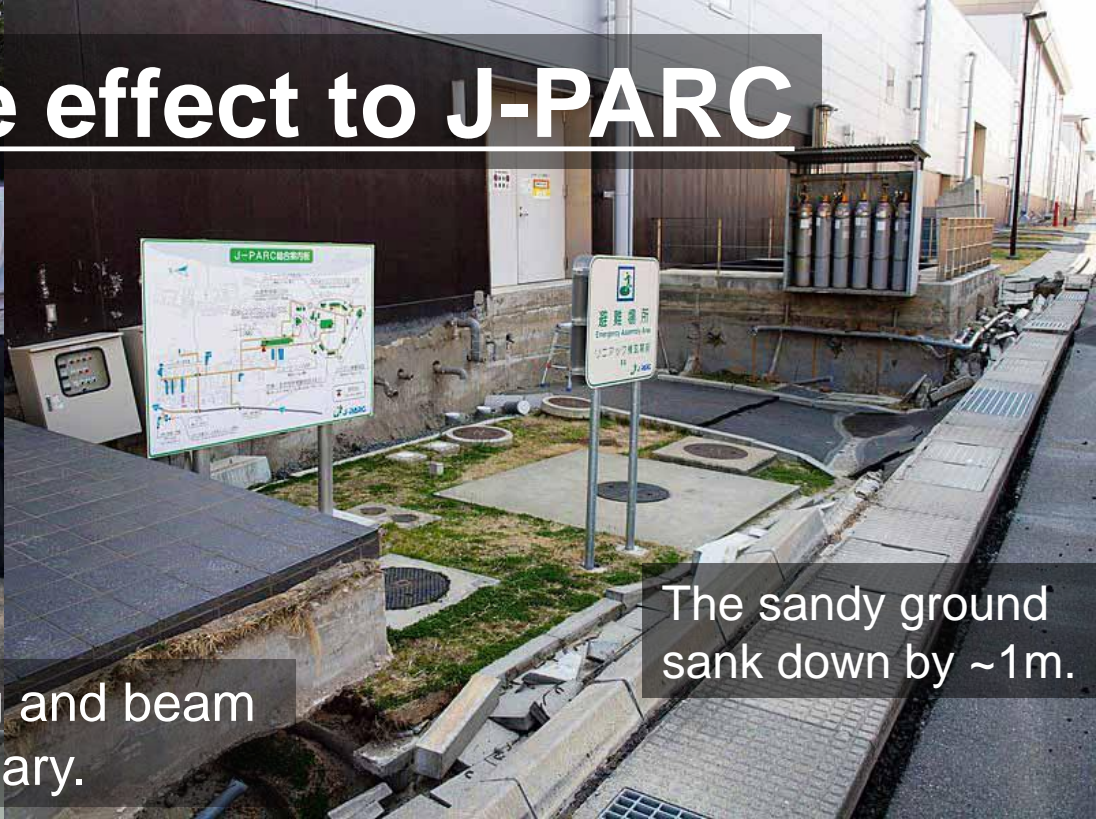
$p, n, \Lambda, \Xi^0, \Xi^-$



# Earthquake effect to J-PARC



Re-alignment of all the Main Ring and beam line magnets were necessary.



The sandy ground sank down by ~1m.



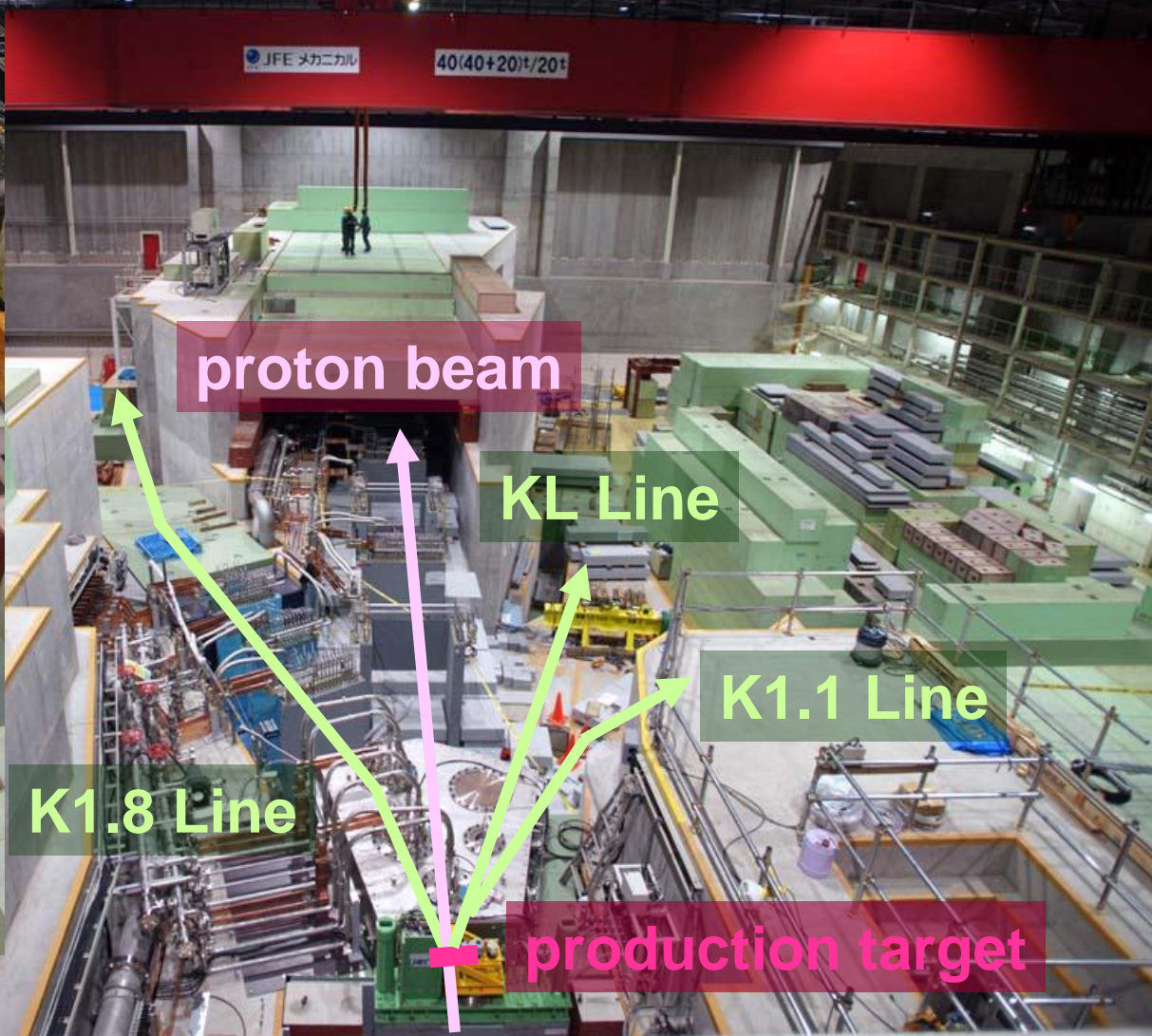
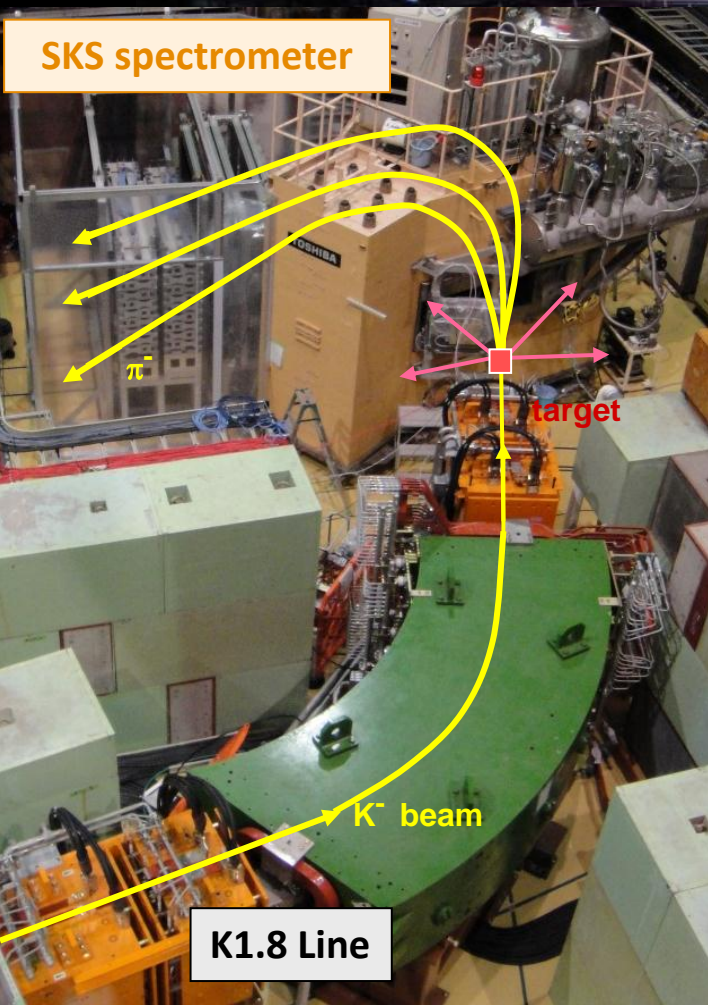
The beam came back in December, only 9 months after the disaster.



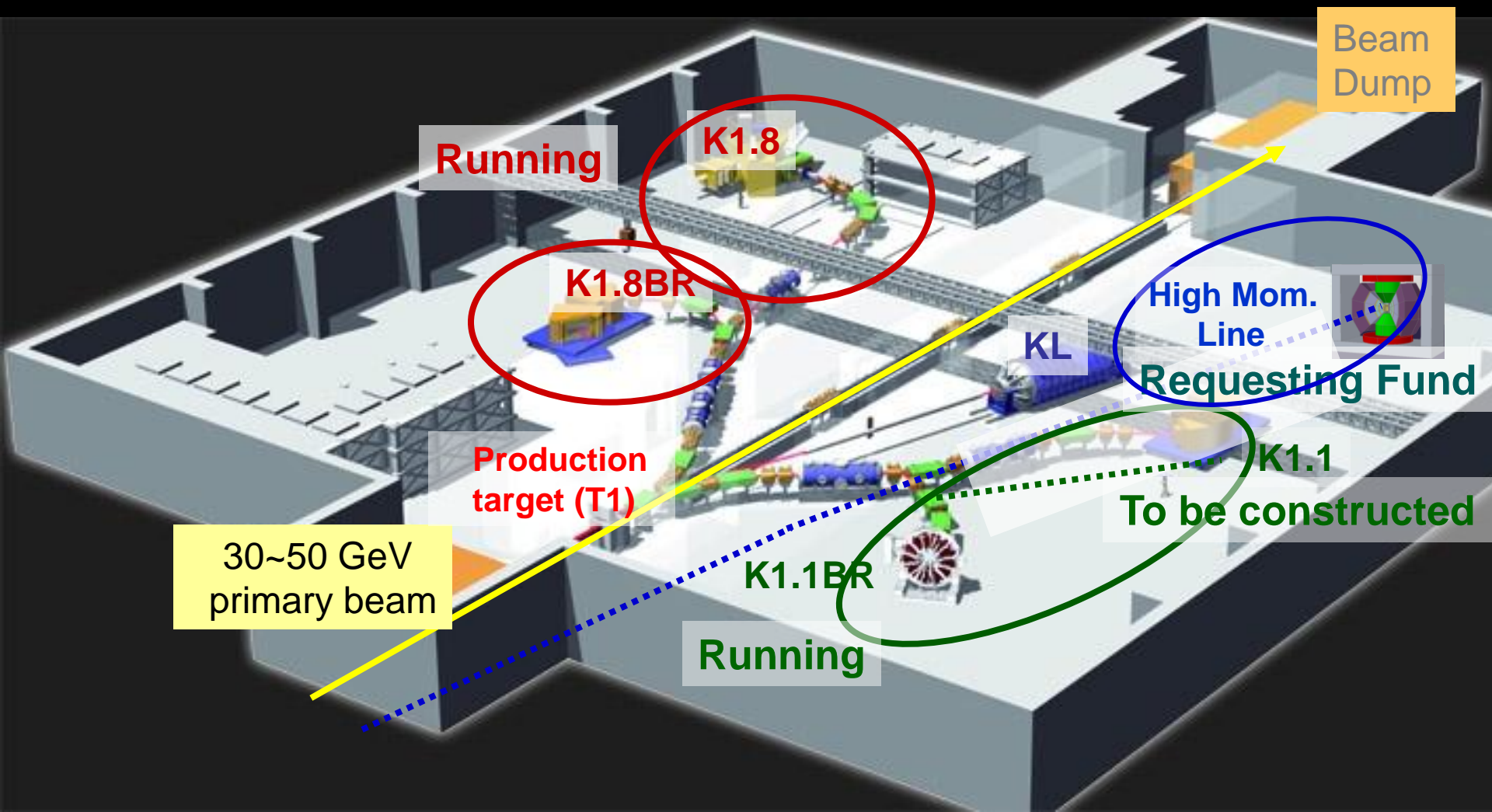
Roads, power/water stations, and pipes/cables to the accelerator facilities were heavily damaged.

Underground water flew into LINAC.

# J-PARC Hadron Hall: re-aligned



# J-PARC Hadron Hall and nuclear/hadron physics



# J-PARC H

*S = -2 systems  
quite unique at J-PARC*

- $\gamma$  spectroscopy of  $\Lambda$  hypernuclei
- n-rich  $\Lambda$  hypernuclei
- $\Xi$  hypernuclei
- $\Lambda\Lambda$  hypernuclei
- $\Xi$ -atomic X rays
- $\Theta^+$  search
- K-pp bound states
- Weak decays of  $\Lambda$  hypernuclei
- Pion double charge exchange
- $\Sigma p$  scattering
- $\omega$  nucleus
- H resonance and  $\Lambda\Lambda$  correlation

Running

K1.8

K1.8BR

- K- pp bound states
- K- atomic X rays
- $\Lambda(1405)$
- $\eta$  nucleus
- $\phi$  nucleus

- Hadron mass in nuclei
- Nucleon quark structure
- Charmed baryons

Production target (T1)

30~50 GeV primary beam

*S = -1 systems*

Running

- $\gamma$  spectroscopy of  $\Lambda$  hyp.
- Weak decays of  $\Lambda$  hypernuclei
- $\Sigma$  hypernuclei
- YN scattering
- $\phi$  nucleus
- $\Theta^+$  study
- $\Theta^+$  hypernuclei

stage 2 / stage 1 approved  
proposed (incl. LOI)

finished / running as of 2012.6

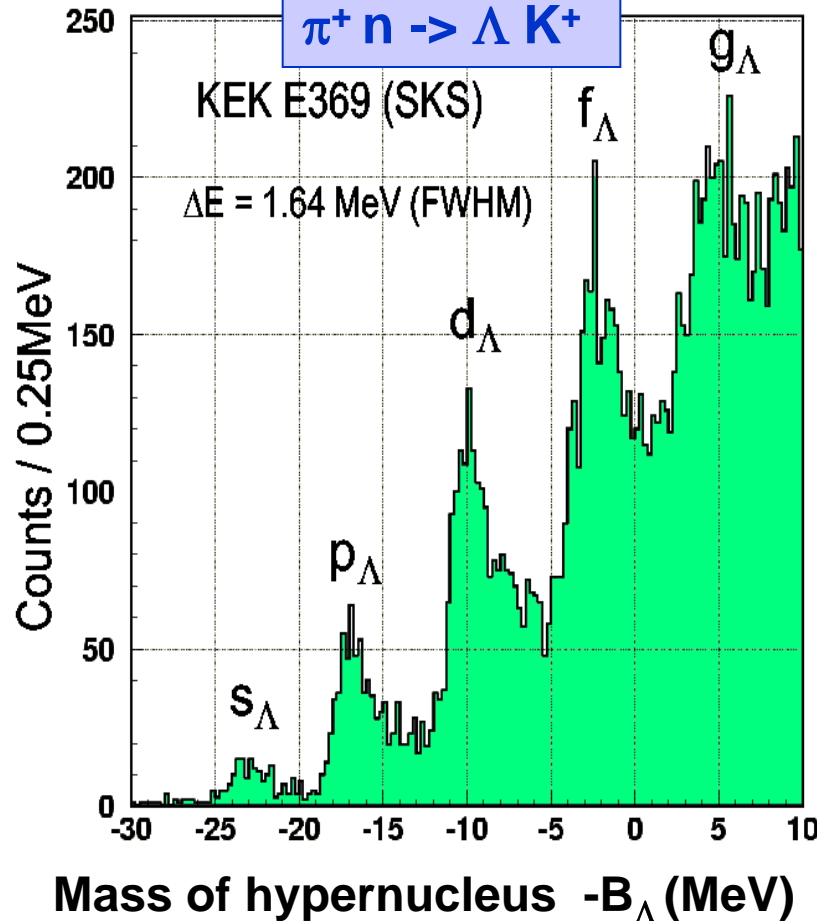
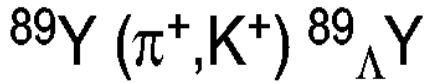


## **2. Baryon-baryon interactions**

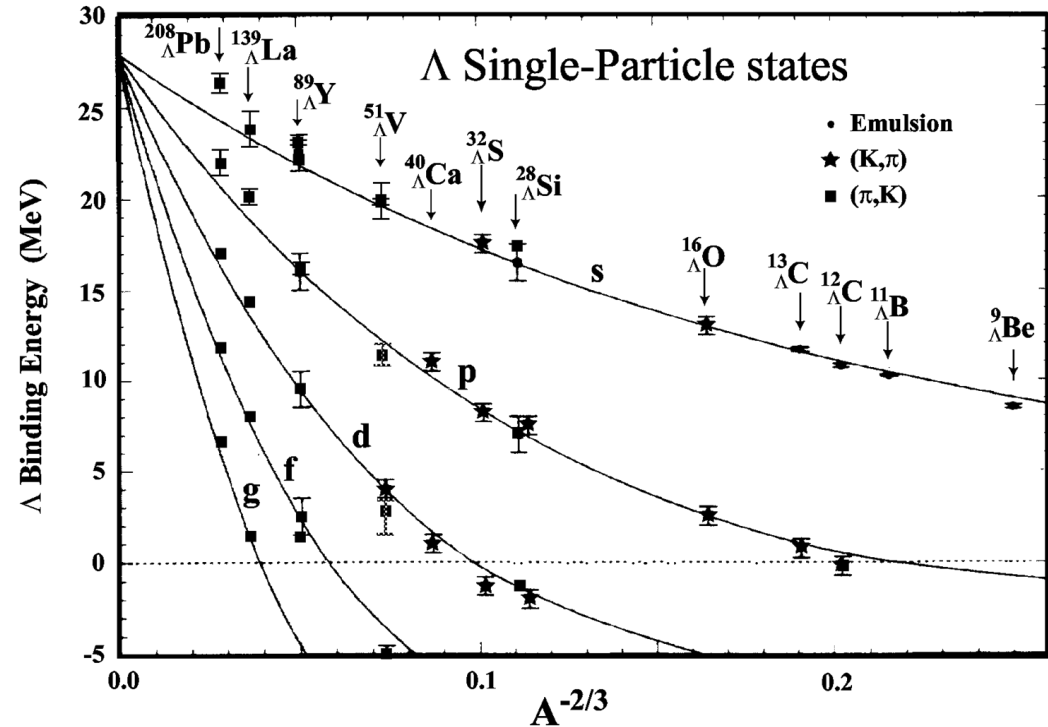
### **2.1 $\Lambda$ hypernuclei and $\Lambda N$ force**

# Previous ( $\pi^+, K^+$ ) data and $\Lambda N$ interaction

SKS at KEK-PS



Hotchi et al., PRC 64 (2001) 044302



-> Nuclear potential of  $\Lambda$

$$U_\Lambda = -30 \text{ MeV (c.f. } U_N = -50 \text{ MeV)}$$

Better resolution is necessary

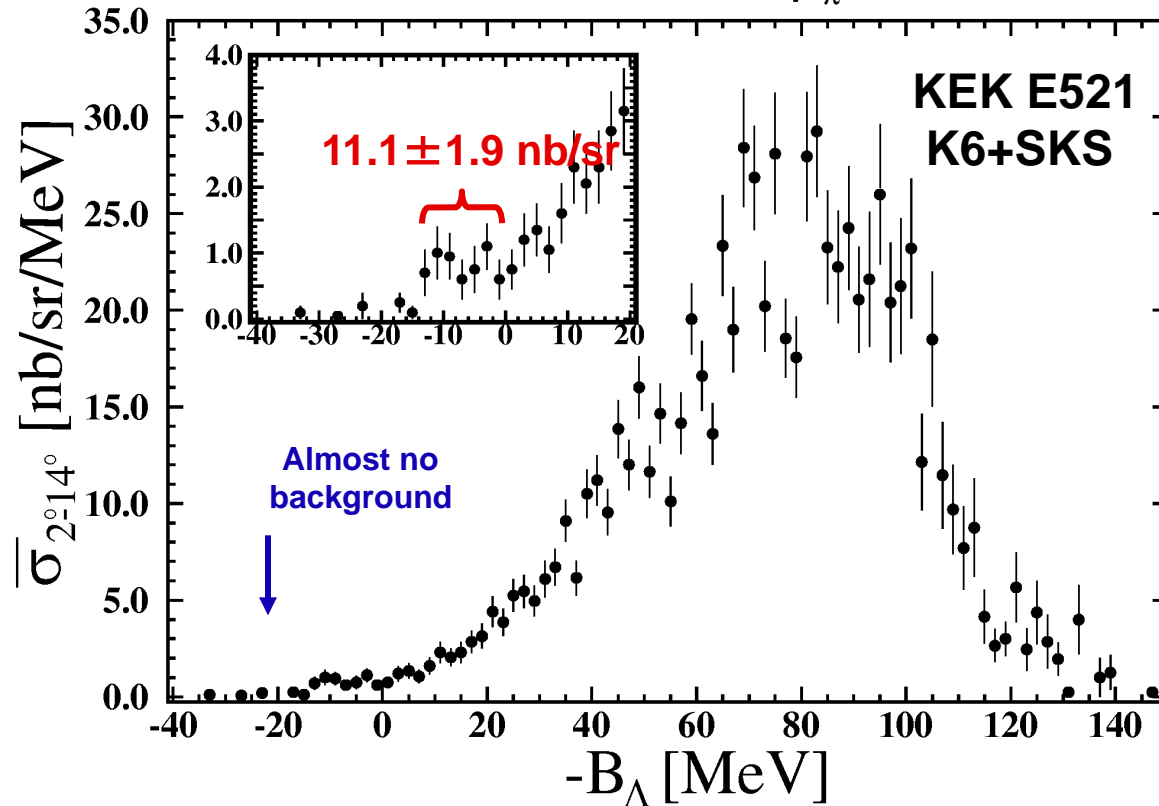
for  $\Lambda N$  spin-dependent forces,  $\Lambda N$ - $\Sigma N$  force, ..

$(\pi, K^+) \rightarrow (e, e'K^+)$  at JLab

$\gamma$  spectroscopy at KEK/BNL, J-PARC

# Neutron-rich hypernuclei

$^{10}\text{B} (\pi^-, \text{K}^+) ^{10}_{\Lambda}\text{Li}$   $p_{\pi} \sim 1.2 \text{ GeV}/c$



Saha et al., PRL 94 (2005) 052502

*First data on n-rich hypernucleus*

FINUDA data suggests  $^6_{\Lambda}\text{H}$  by  $^6\text{Li}(\text{K}^-_{\text{stop}}, \pi^+)$

J-PARC E10:  $^6_{\Lambda}\text{H}$  and  $^9_{\Lambda}\text{He}$  by  $(\pi^-, \text{K}^+)$

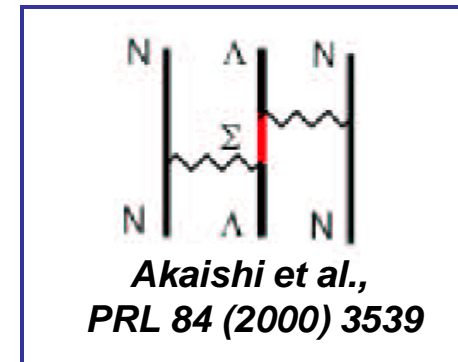
$\pi^- p p \rightarrow \Lambda n \text{K}^+$

2-step charge exchange  
( $\pi^- p \rightarrow \pi^0 n$ ,  $\pi^0 p \rightarrow \text{K}^+ \Lambda$  etc.)

Via  $\Sigma^-$  admixture in  $\Lambda$  hyp.  
( $\pi^- p \rightarrow \Sigma^- \text{K}^+$ ,  $\Sigma^- p \leftrightarrow \Lambda n$ )

## Physics Interest

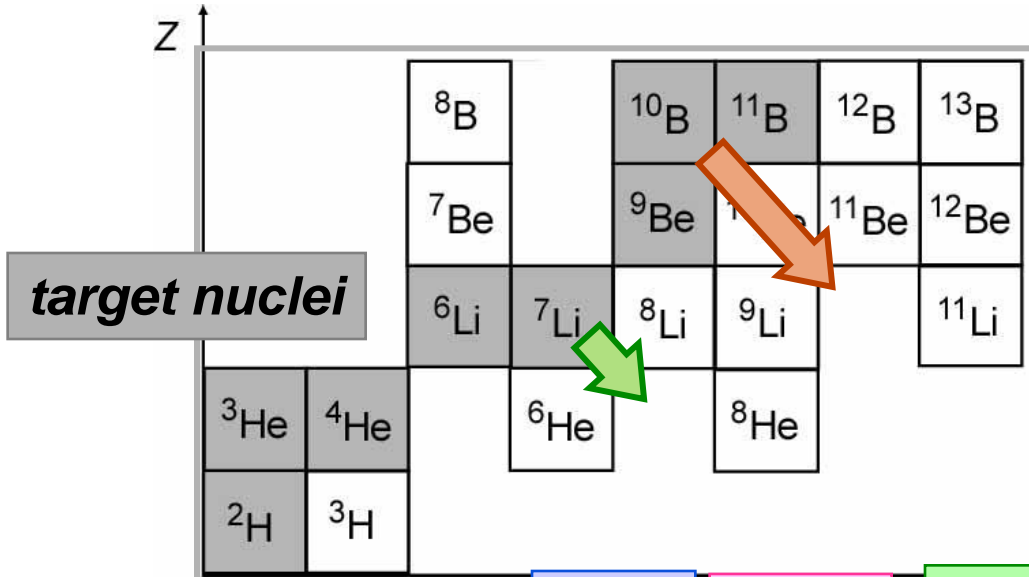
- $\Lambda$ - $\Sigma$  coherent coupling  
->  $\Lambda$ NN attraction



Coherently enhanced in large isospin environment  
-> important in neutron stars

- Cross section sensitive to  $\Sigma^-$  admixture in  $\Lambda$  hyp.
- n-halo disappear by  $\Lambda$  ?

# How to extend S=-1 nuclear chart?

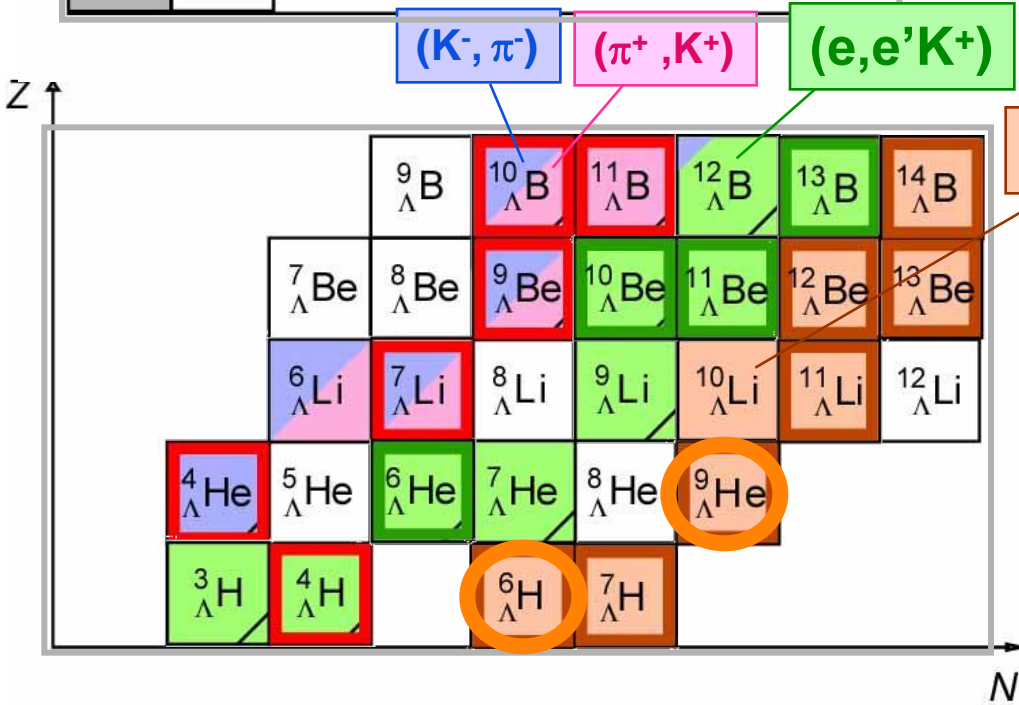


**J-PARC E10**

${}^6_{\Lambda}\text{H}$  “hyperheavy hydrogen”

${}^9_{\Lambda}\text{He}$  deeply bound by additional binding (+1.4 MeV) from  $\Lambda\text{NN}$  force (Akaishi)

single charge exchange

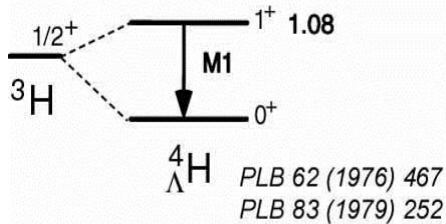


double charge exchange

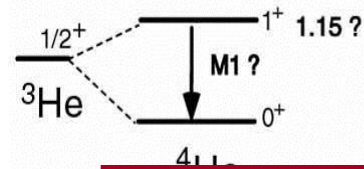
$(\pi^-, K^+)$

# Hypernuclear $\gamma$ -ray data

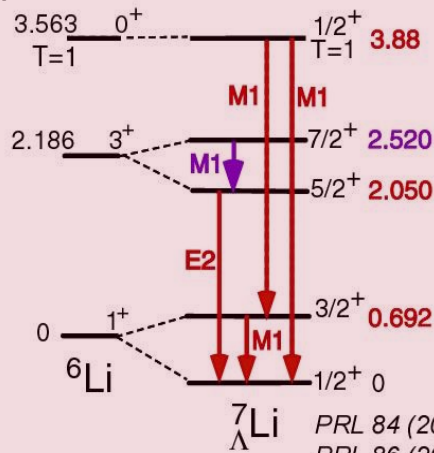
${}^7\text{Li}$  etc. ( $K^-_{\text{stop}}, \gamma \pi^-$ ) CERN (Nal)



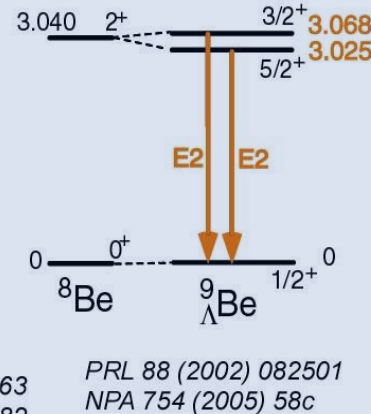
${}^7\text{Li}$  ( $K^-_{\text{stop}}, \gamma \pi^0$ )



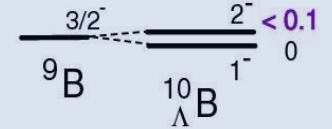
${}^7\text{Li}$  ( $\pi^+, K^+ \gamma$ ) KEK E419



${}^9\text{Be}$  ( $K^-, \pi^- \gamma$ ) BNL E930('98)



${}^{10}\text{B}$  ( $K^-, \pi^- \gamma$ ) BNL E930('01)

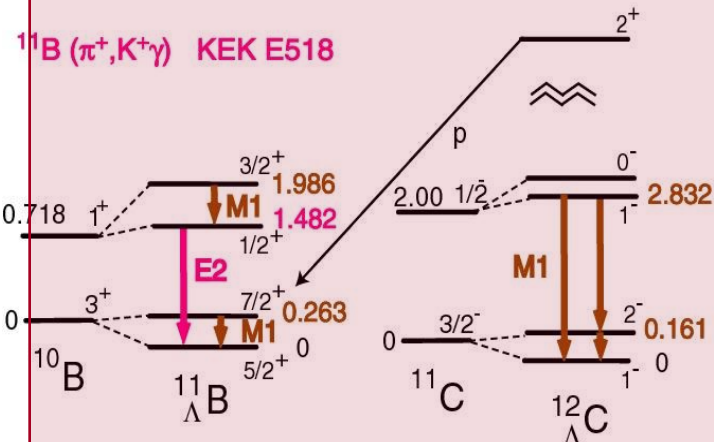


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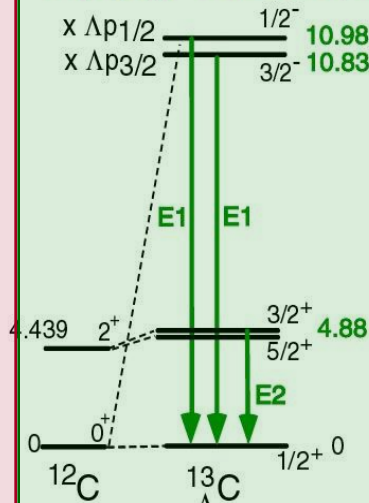
$(\pi^+, K^+ \gamma)$  at KEK-PS

$(K^-, \pi^- \gamma)$  at BNL-AGS

${}^{12}\text{C}$  ( $\pi^+, K^+ \gamma$ ) KEK E566

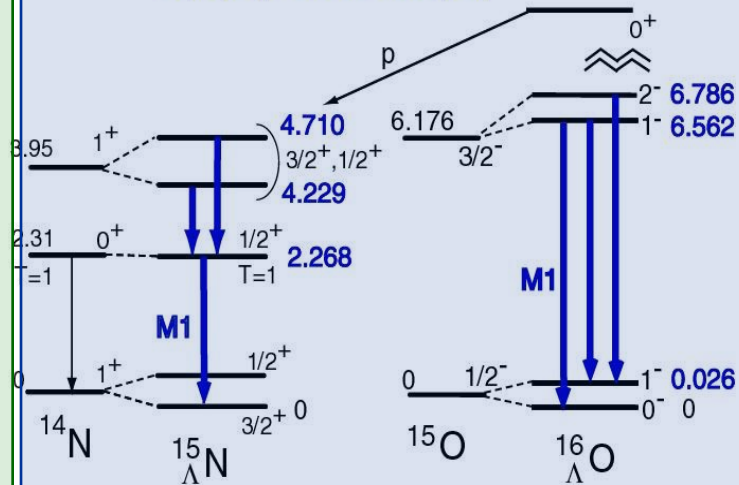


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PRL 86 (2001) 4255  
 PRC 65 (2002) 034607

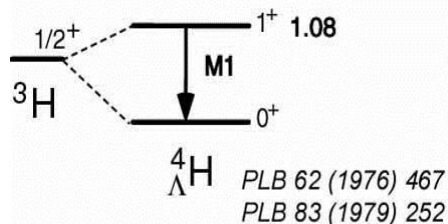
${}^{16}\text{O}$  ( $K^-, \pi^- \gamma$ ) BNL E930('01)



PRL 93 (2004) 232501  
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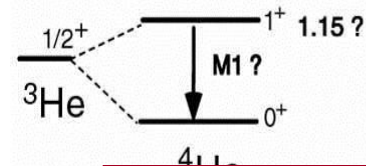
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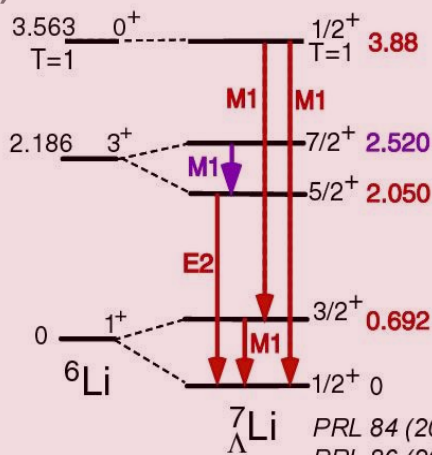


PLB 62 (1976) 467  
PLB 83 (1979) 252

${}^7\text{Li}$  ( $K^-_{\text{stop}}, \gamma \pi^0$ )

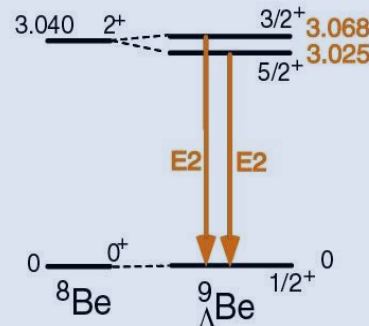


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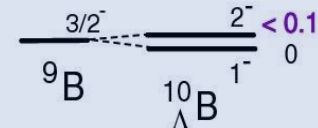
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${}^9\text{Be}$  ( $K^-, \pi^-\gamma$ ) BNL E930('98)



PRL 88 (2002) 082501  
NPA 754 (2005) 58c

${}^{10}\text{B}$  ( $K^-, \pi^-\gamma$ ) BNL E930('01)



NPA 754 (2005) 58c

( $\pi^+, K^+\gamma$ ) at KEK-PS

( $K^-, \pi^-\gamma$ ) at BNL-AGS

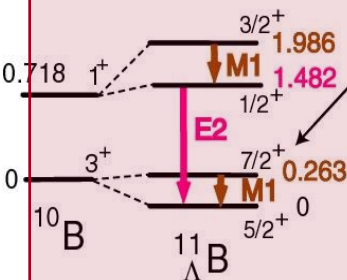
$\Rightarrow \Delta E \sim 2 \text{ MeV} \rightarrow 3 \text{ keV (FWHM)}$

Observation of hypernuclear fine structure

$\Lambda\text{N}$  spin-dependent interaction

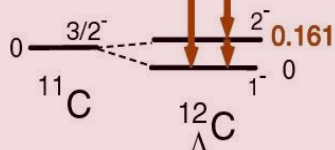
Nuclear shrinkage by a  $\Lambda$  from B(E2)

${}^{11}\text{B}$  ( $\pi^+, K^+\gamma$ ) KEK E518



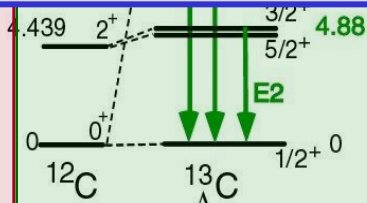
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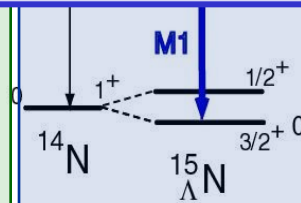
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${}^{13}\text{C}$  ( $K^-, \pi^-\gamma$ ) BNL E929 (Nal)



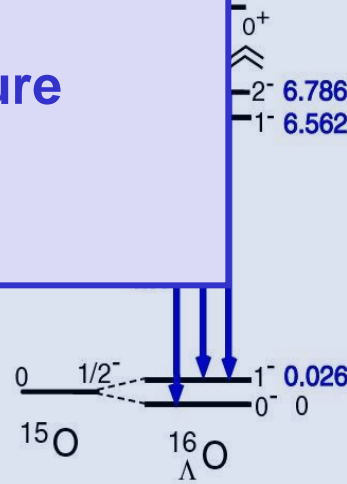
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${}^{14}\text{N}$  ( $K^-, \pi^-\gamma$ ) BNL E930('98)



PRC 77 (2008) 054315

${}^{15}\text{O}$  ( $K^-, \pi^-\gamma$ ) BNL E930('01)

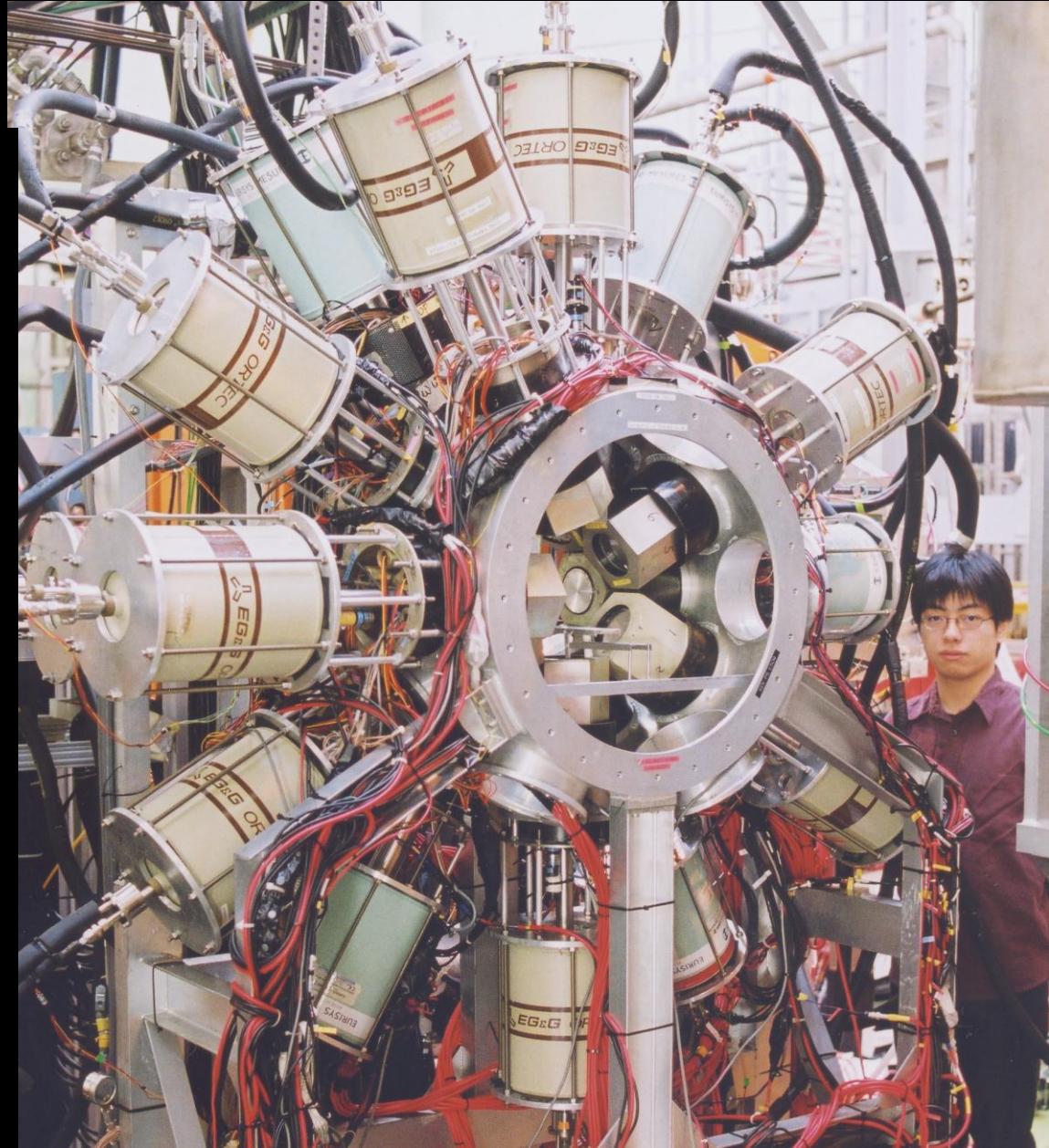
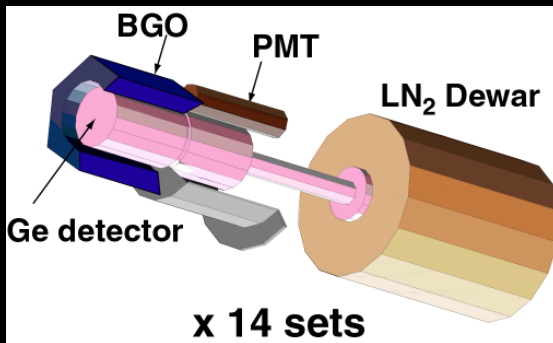


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# Ge detector array: Hyperball

Constructed  
by Tohoku/ KEK/ Kyoto  
in 1998

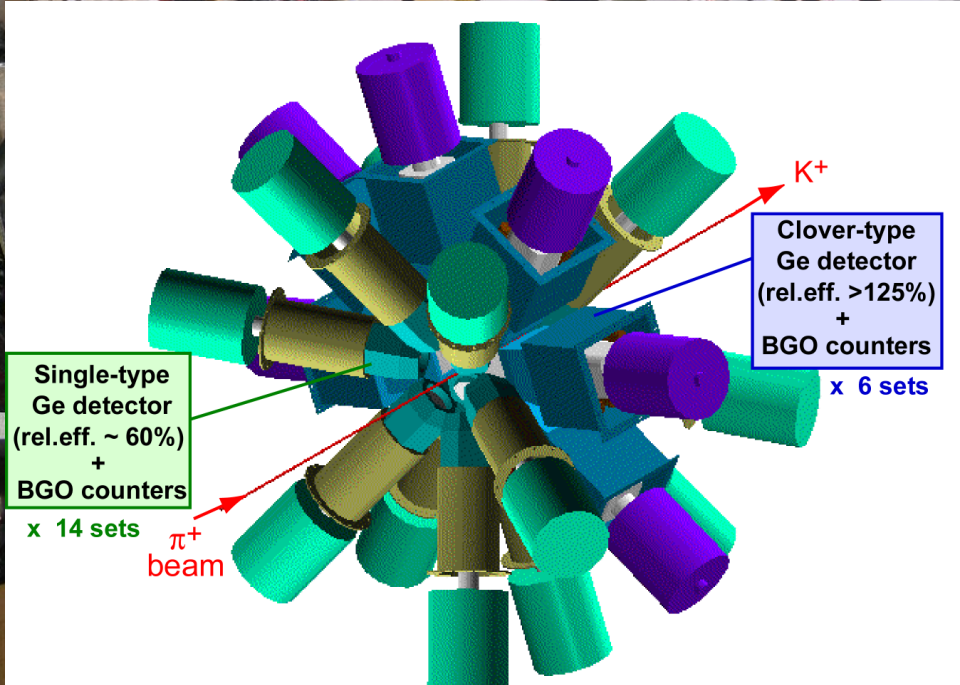
- Large acceptance for small hypernuclear  $\gamma$  yields  
Ge (r.e. 60%) x 14  
 $\Omega \sim 15\%$ ,  $\epsilon \sim 3\%$  at 1 MeV
- High-rate electronics for huge background
- BGO counters for  $\pi^0$  and Compton suppression



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Upgraded to Hyperball2  
in Tohoku (2005~)

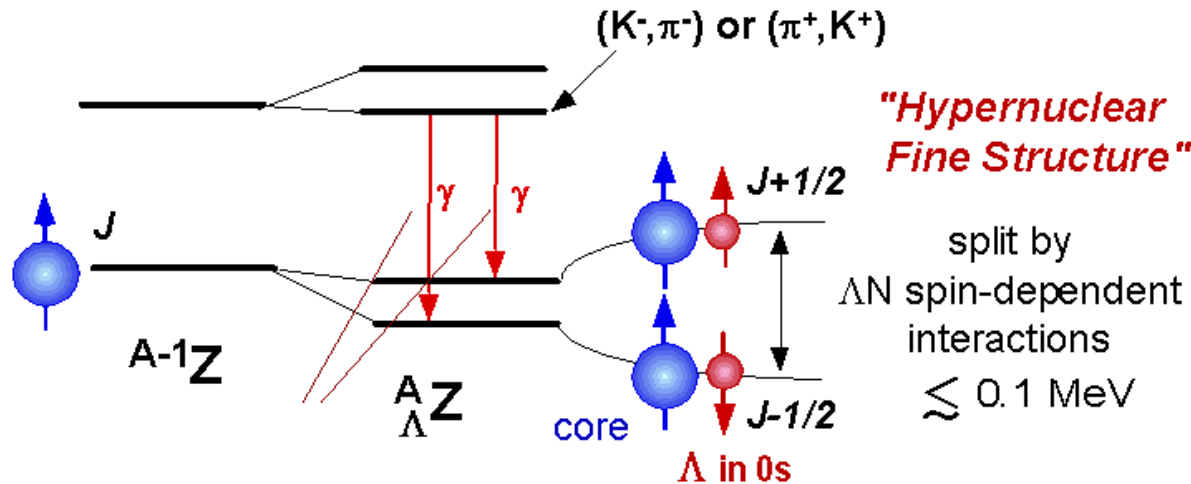
Efficiency 2.4%  $\rightarrow$   $\sim$ 4%





# $\Lambda$ spin-dependent interactions

## ■ Low-lying levels of $\Lambda$ hypernuclei



**Level spacing:  
Linear combination  
of  $\Delta$ ,  $S_\Lambda$ ,  $S_N$ ,  $T$**

## ■ Two-body $\Lambda N$ effective interaction

Dalitz and Gal, Ann. Phys. 116 (1978) 167  
Millener et al., Phys. Rev. C31 (1985) 499

$$V_{\Lambda N}^{\text{eff}} = V_0(r) + \underbrace{V_\Delta(r)}_{\Delta} \underbrace{\vec{s}_\Lambda \vec{s}_N}_{S_\Lambda} + \underbrace{V_\Lambda(r)}_{S_\Lambda} \underbrace{\vec{l}_{\Lambda N} \vec{s}_\Lambda}_{S_N} + \underbrace{V_N(r)}_{S_N} \underbrace{\vec{l}_{\Lambda N} \vec{s}_N}_{T} + \underbrace{V_T(r)}_{T} S_{12}$$

Well known from  $U_\Lambda = -30$  MeV

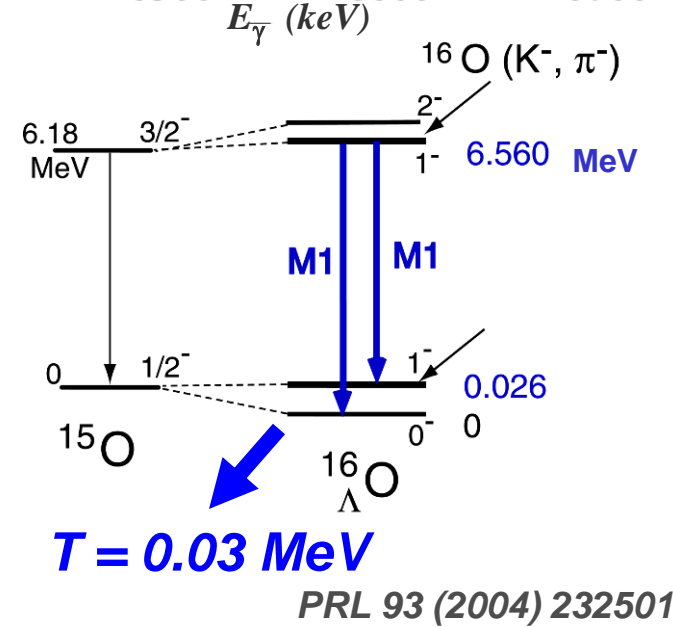
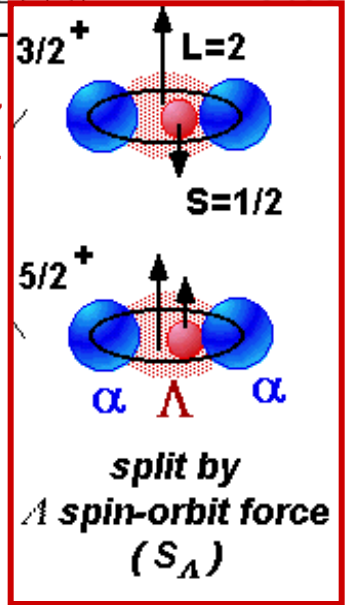
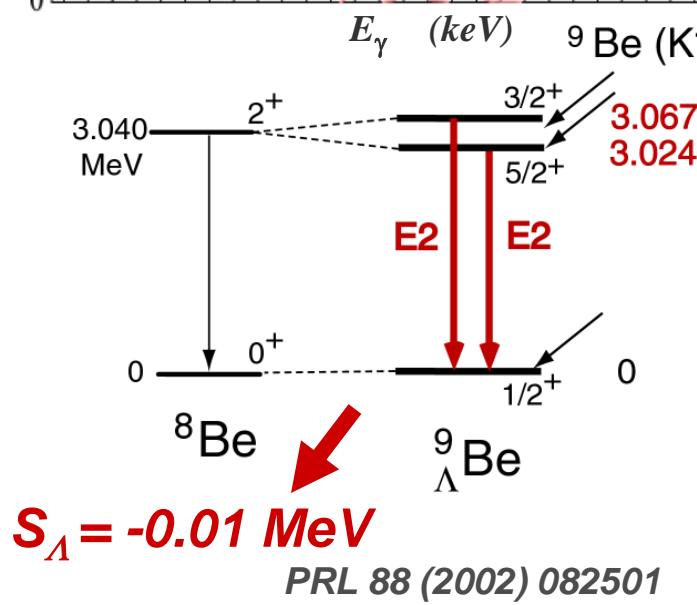
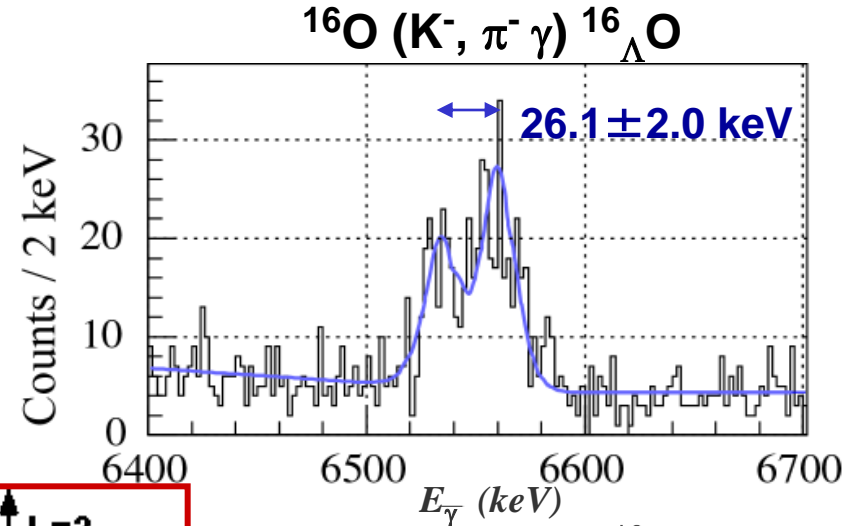
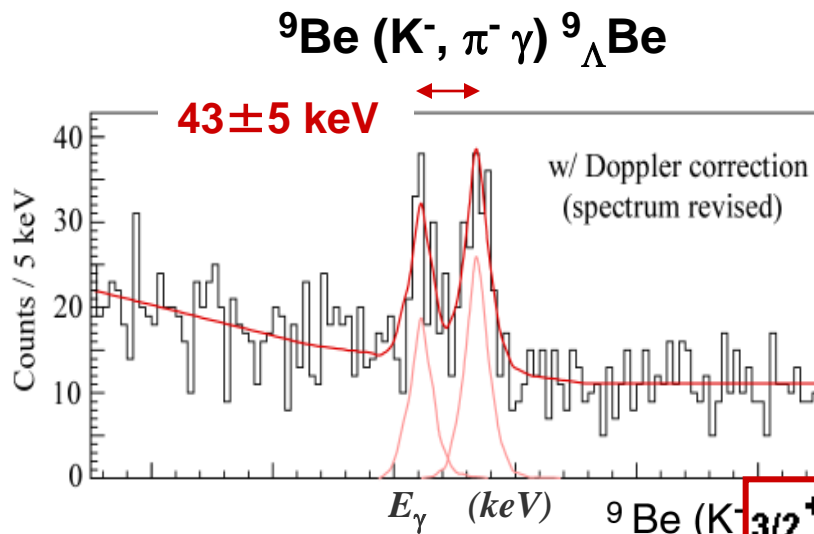
*p-shell: 5 radial integrals for  $s_\Lambda p_N$  w.f.*

$\Delta = \int V(\vec{r}) |u(r)|^2 r^2 dr, \quad \vec{r} = \vec{r}_{s_\Lambda} \vec{r}_{p_N}$

$\gamma$ -ray data  $\Rightarrow \Delta = 0.33$  (0.43 for  $A=7$ ),  $S_\Lambda = -0.01$ ,  $S_N = -0.4$ ,  $T = 0.03$  [MeV]  
Small spin-dependent forces have been established.

# Observation of "Hypernuclear Fine Structure"

BNL E930 (AGS D6 line + Hyperball)



consistent with Quark Cluster Model

consistent with Meson Exch. Model

**Nijmegen meson-exchange models****Feedback to  
YN interaction  
models**

	Via G-matrix calc.	$S_{\Lambda}$	$S_N$	$T$	(MeV)
ND	-0.048	-0.131	-0.264	0.018	
NF	0.072	-0.175	-0.266	0.033	
NSC89	1.052	-0.173	-0.292	0.036	
NSC97f	0.421	-0.149	-0.238	0.055	
ESC04a	0.381	-0.108	-0.236	0.013	
ESC08a	0.146	-0.074	-0.241	0.055	
(“Quark”		0.0	-0.4		)
Strength equivalent to quark-model LS force by Fujiwara et al.					
Exp.	0.4	-0.01	-0.4	0.03	

**spin-spin:** $\Delta = 0.33\text{--}0.43 \text{ MeV} \Rightarrow \text{NSC97f selected (consistent with } {}^4_{\Lambda}\text{H}(1^+,0^+))$ **spin-orbit:** $S_{\Lambda} = -0.01 \text{ MeV}$   
(SLS+ALS) $S_N = -0.4 \text{ MeV}$   
(SLS-ALS) $\Rightarrow$  **All Nijmegen models fail.**  
**Quark model looks OK.** ${}^9_{\Lambda}\text{Be} = \alpha\alpha\Lambda$  model  
Hiyama et al., PRL 85 (2000) 270  
Fujiwara et al. Prog.Part.Nucl.Phys.58 (2007) 439.**tensor:** $T = 0.03 \text{ MeV}$  $\Rightarrow$  **Nijmegen models OK**

# Reproduction of hypernuclear level energies

## Millener's parameter set

J-PARC E13

$$\begin{aligned}
 A=7\sim 9 & \quad \Delta = 0.430 \quad S_A = -0.015 \quad S_N = -0.390 \quad T = 0.030 \\
 A=10\sim 16 & \quad \Delta = 0.330 \quad S_A = -0.015 \quad S_N = -0.350 \quad T = 0.0239
 \end{aligned}$$

MeV

Calculated from G-matrix using  $\Lambda N$ - $\Sigma N$  force in NSC97f

doublet spacing

		contribution of each term (keV)						keV	
	$J_u^\pi$	$J_l^\pi$	$\Lambda\Sigma$	$\Delta$	$S_A$	$S_N$	$T$	$\Delta E^{th}$	$\Delta E^{exp}$
${}^7_\Lambda\text{Li}$	$3/2^+$	$1/2^+$	72	628	-1	-4	-9	693	692
${}^7_\Lambda\text{Li}$	$7/2^+$	$5/2^+$	74	557	-32	-8	-71	494	471
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${}^9_\Lambda\text{Li}$	$5/2^+$	$3/2^+$	116	530	-17	-18	-1	589	
${}^9_\Lambda\text{Li}$	$3/2_2^+$	$1/2^+$	-80	231	-13	-13	-93	-9	
${}^9_\Lambda\text{Be}$	$3/2^+$	$5/2^+$	-8	-14	37	0	28	44	43
${}^{10}_\Lambda\text{B}$	$2^-$	$1^-$	-15	188	-21	-3	-26	120	< 100
${}^{11}_\Lambda\text{B}$	$7/2^+$	$5/2^+$	56	339	-37	-10	-80	267	264
${}^{11}_\Lambda\text{B}$	$3/2^+$	$1/2^+$	61	424	-3	-44	-10	475	505
${}^{12}_\Lambda\text{C}$	$2^-$	$1^-$	61	175	-12	-13	-42	153	161
${}^{15}_\Lambda\text{N}$	$1/2_1^+$	$3/2_1^+$	44	244	34	-8	-214	99	
${}^{15}_\Lambda\text{N}$	$3/2_2^+$	$1/2_2^+$	65	451	-2	-16	-10	507	481
${}^{16}_\Lambda\text{O}$	$1^-$	$0^-$	-33	-123	-20	1	188	23	26
${}^{16}_\Lambda\text{O}$	$2^-$	$1_2^-$	92	207	-21	1	-41	248	224

# Reproduction of hypernuclear level energies

Can we derive the effect of  $\Sigma N$ - $\Lambda N$  coupling force?  
 → NSC97f looks good, but we need more data.

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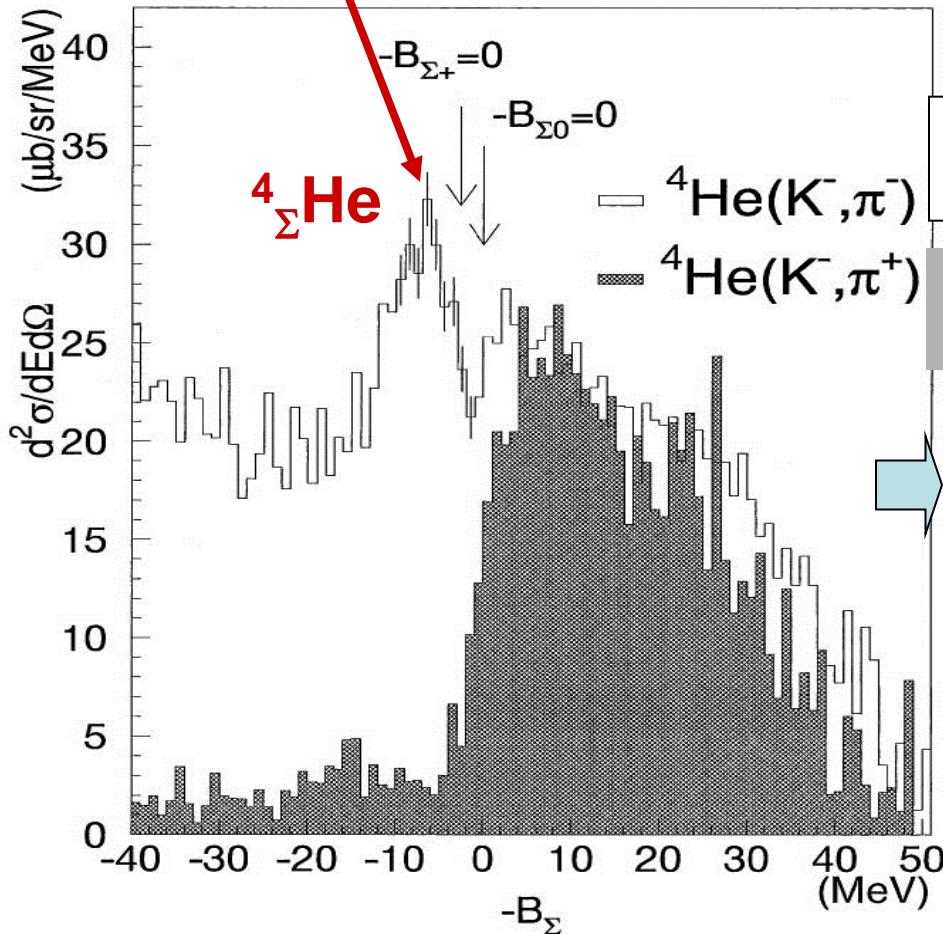
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## **2.2 $\Sigma$ -nuclear systems and $\Sigma N$ force**

# The only $\Sigma$ -nuclear bound state so far observed

Substitutional ( $\Delta L=0$ ) state:  $n(s_{1/2})^{-1}\Lambda(s_{1/2}1)$



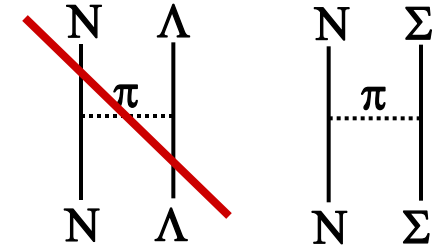
$T$ : total isospin

$T=1/2, 3/2$

$S=0$

$T=3/2$  only

$S=0$



One pion exchange plays important role in  $\Sigma N$

Large spin-isospin dependence in  $\Sigma N$  int.

$(I, S) = (3/2, 0), (1/2, 1)$  attractive

$(3/2, 1), (1/2, 0)$  repulsive

-- Consistent with meson exchange models

OPEP:

$$\propto (\tau_1 \cdot \tau_2) \{ (\sigma_1 \cdot \sigma_2) + Z(r/m) \mathbf{S}_{12} \} e^{-r/m} / r$$

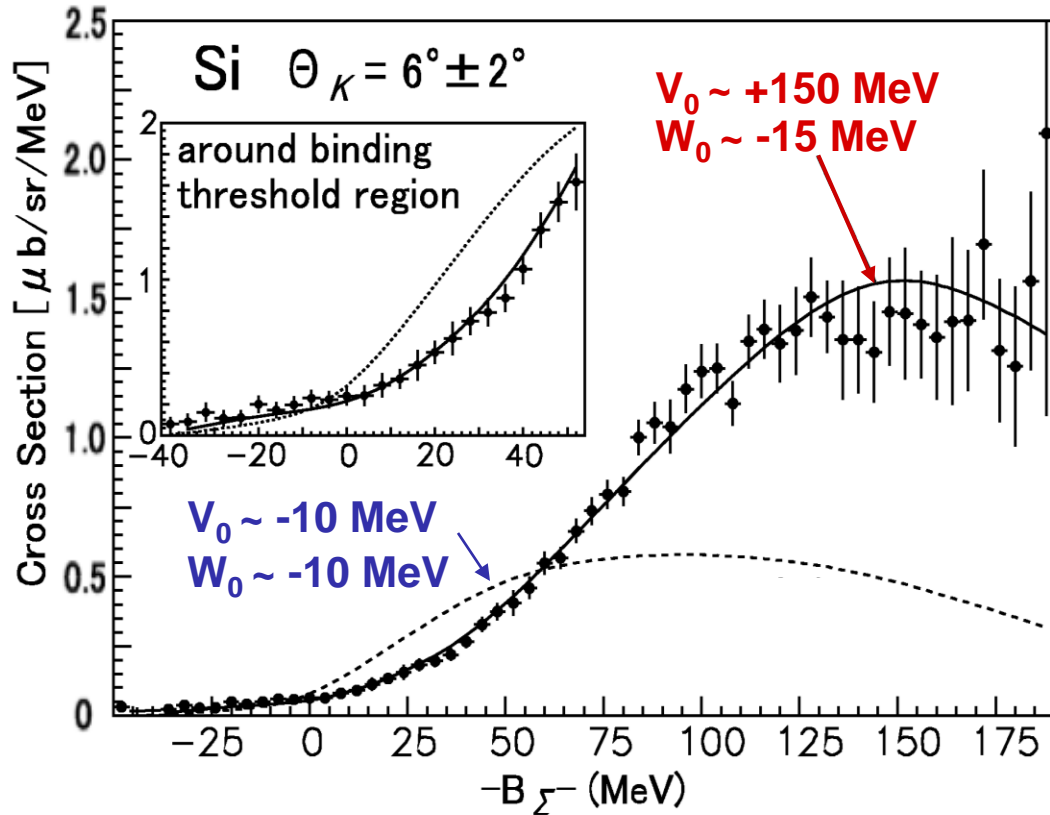
BNL-AGS, Nagae et al., PRL 80 (1995) 1605

No  $\Sigma$  bound states observed in other (heavier)  $\Sigma$  hypernuclei

How about spin-isospin averaged pot.?  $\Sigma$  in neutron stars?

# $\Sigma^-$ - $^{28}\text{Si}$ Nuclear potential (KEK E438)

$^{28}\text{Si}$  ( $\pi^-$ ,  $K^+$ ) at 1.2 GeV/ with SKS



Noumi et al., PRL 87(2002) 072301

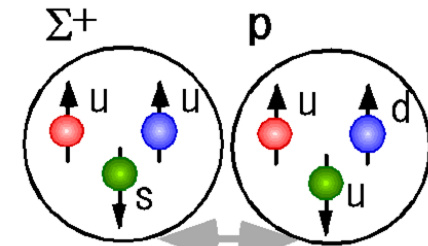
**Strongly repulsive potential ( $U_{\Sigma^-} \sim +30 \text{ MeV}$ )**

How repulsive are

$(I, S) = (3/2, 1), (1/2, 0)$  channels?

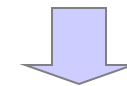
■ Strong repulsion coming from Pauli effect between quarks?

Quark Cluster Model  
Lattice QCD



$$\Sigma N (I, S) = (3/2, 1)$$

■  $\Sigma'$ 's never appear in n-stars?



**High statistics**

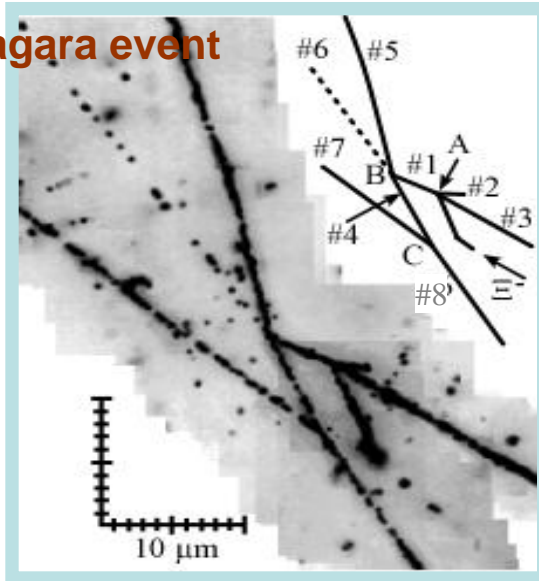
$\Sigma^+p / \Sigma^-p$  scattering experiment  
planned at J-PARC (E40)



## **2.3 $\Lambda\Lambda$ , $\Xi$ hypernuclei and $\Lambda\Lambda$ , $\Xi N$ forces**

# $\Lambda\Lambda$ hypernuclei via emulsion+counter hybrid method (KEK E373)

Nagara event

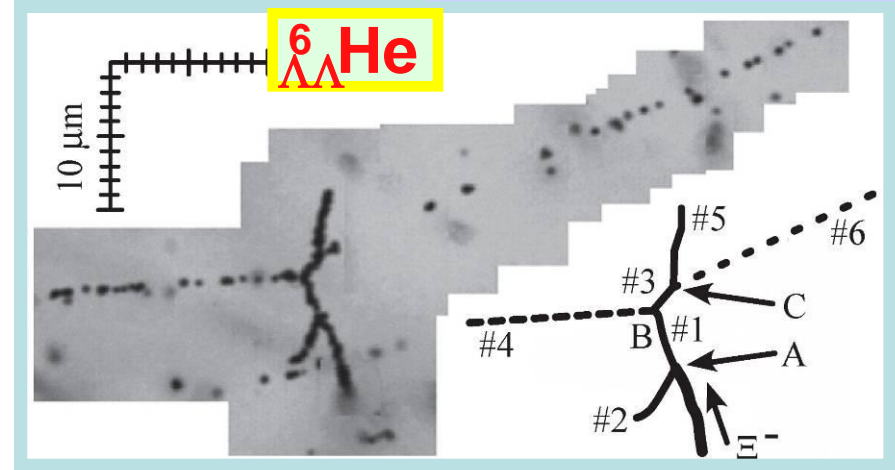


${}^6_{\Lambda\Lambda}\text{He}$   
(unique and accurate)

$\Delta B_{\Lambda\Lambda} = 0.67 \pm 0.17$  MeV

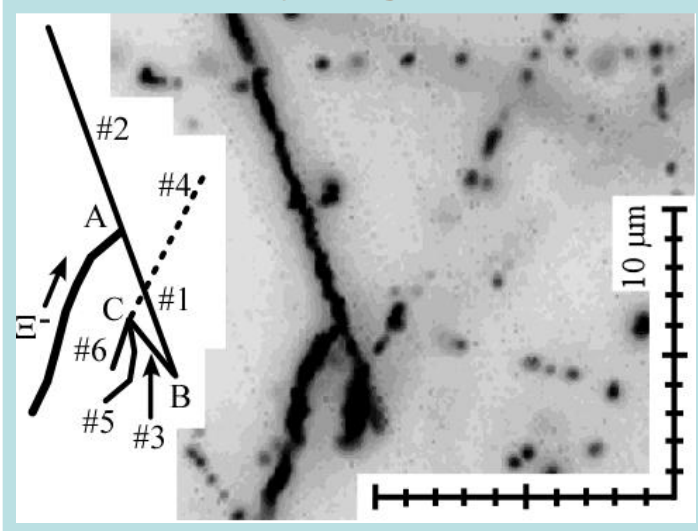
Mikage event

$\Delta B_{\Lambda\Lambda} = 3.82 \pm 1.72$  MeV



${}^6_{\Lambda\Lambda}\text{He}$

Demachi-yanagi event

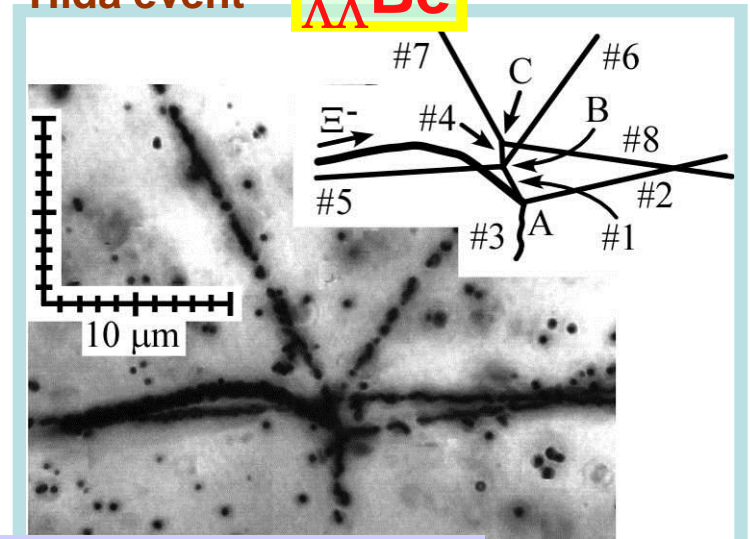


${}^{10}_{\Lambda\Lambda}\text{Be}^*$   
(w/ theoretical help)

$\Delta B_{\Lambda\Lambda} = -1.52 \pm 0.15 + 3.0$   
*cf. Ex = 3.0*

Hida event

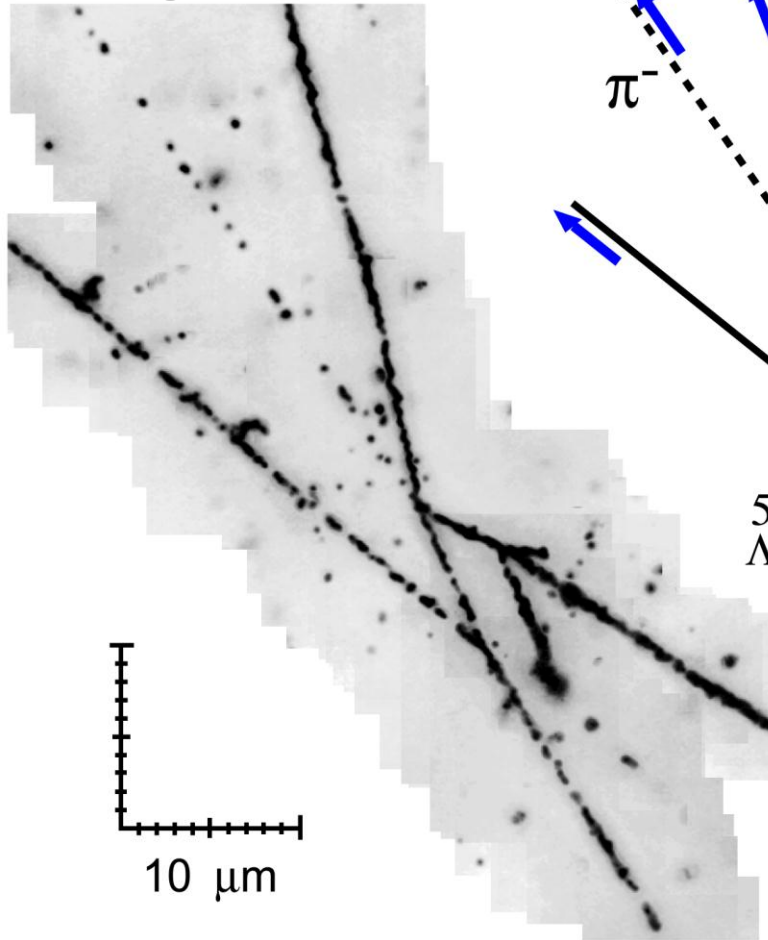
${}^{11}_{\Lambda\Lambda}\text{Be}$



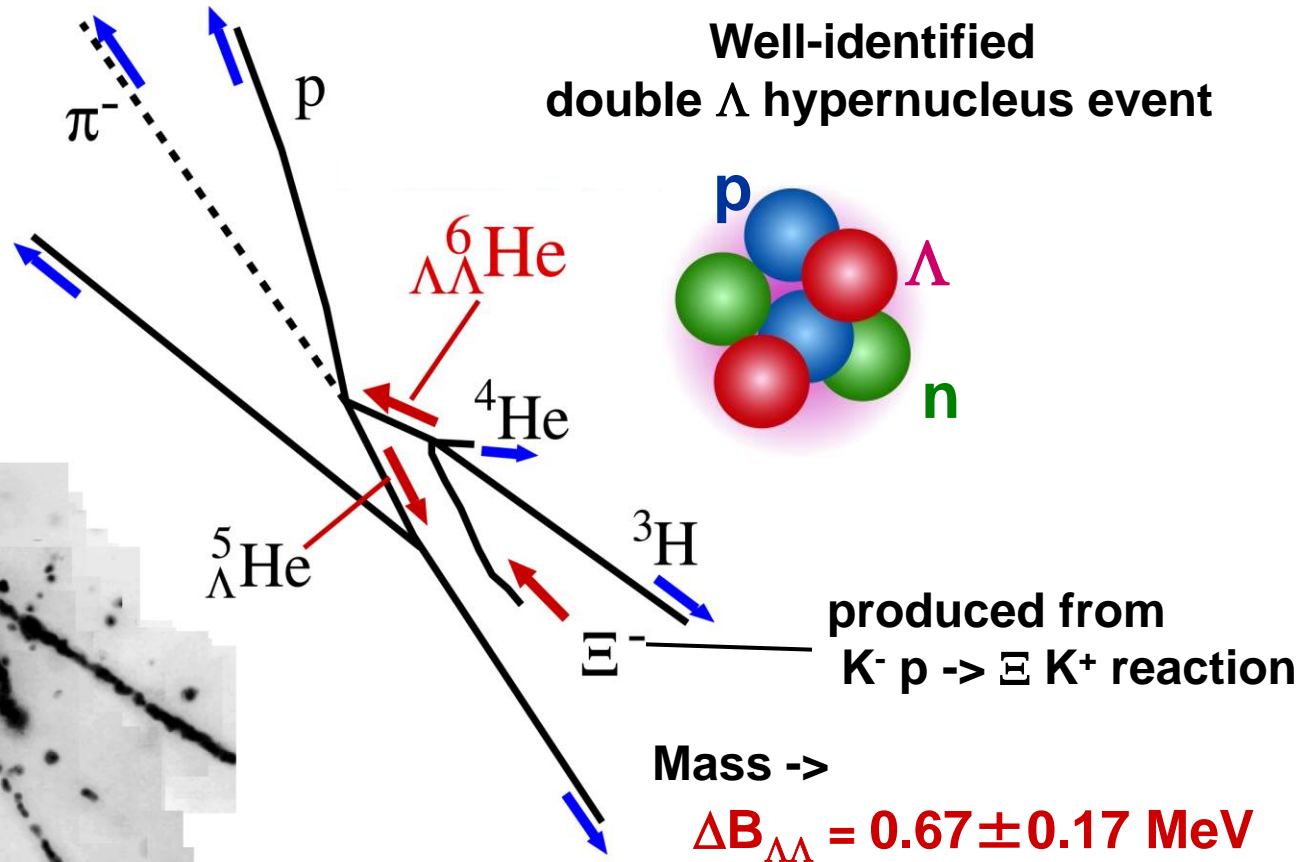
$\Delta B_{\Lambda\Lambda} = 2.27 \pm 1.23$  MeV

# $\Lambda\Lambda$ interaction strength

Nagara event



Well-identified  
double  $\Lambda$  hypernucleus event



Interaction between  $\Lambda\Lambda$  is weakly attractive  
Bound H dibaryon does not exist.



quark model prediction: strongly attractive  
and makes H dibaryon

Takahashi et al., PRL 87 (2001) 212502

# Theoretical prediction and J-PARC experiment

HIYAMA, KAMIMURA, MOTOKA, YAMADA, AND YAMAMOTO

PHYSICAL REVIEW C 66, 024007 (2002)

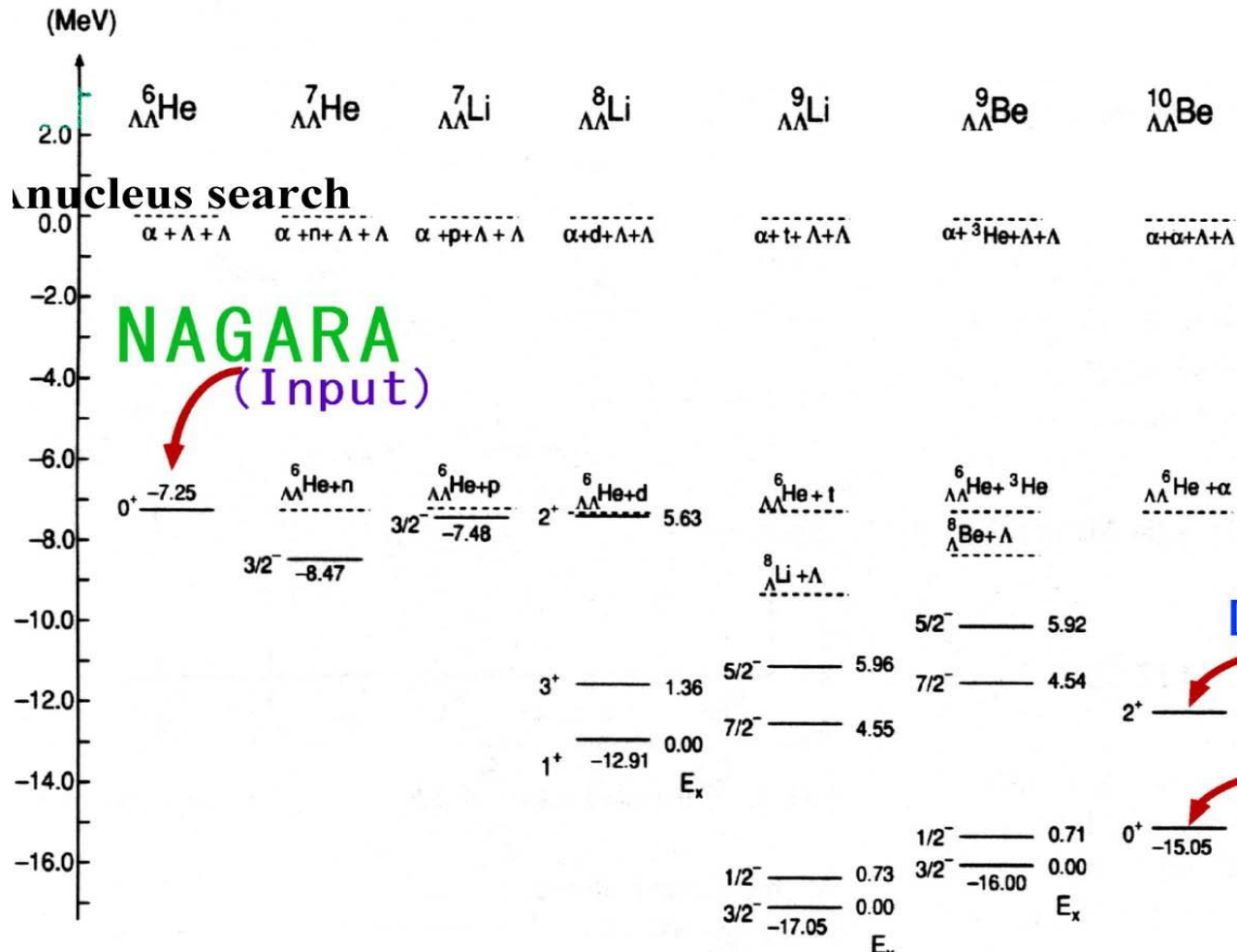


FIG. 12. Summary of the energy levels of the double- $\Lambda$  hypernuclei  ${}^6_{\Lambda\Lambda}\text{He}$ ,  ${}^7_{\Lambda\Lambda}\text{He}$ ,  ${}^7_{\Lambda\Lambda}\text{Li}$ ,  ${}^8_{\Lambda\Lambda}\text{Li}$ ,  ${}^9_{\Lambda\Lambda}\text{Li}$ ,  ${}^9_{\Lambda\Lambda}\text{Be}$ , and  ${}^{10}_{\Lambda\Lambda}\text{Be}$  calculated using the  $\alpha+x+\Lambda+\Lambda$  model with  $x=0,n,p,d,t,{}^3\text{He}$ , and  $\alpha$ , respectively.

*Slide by Hiyama*

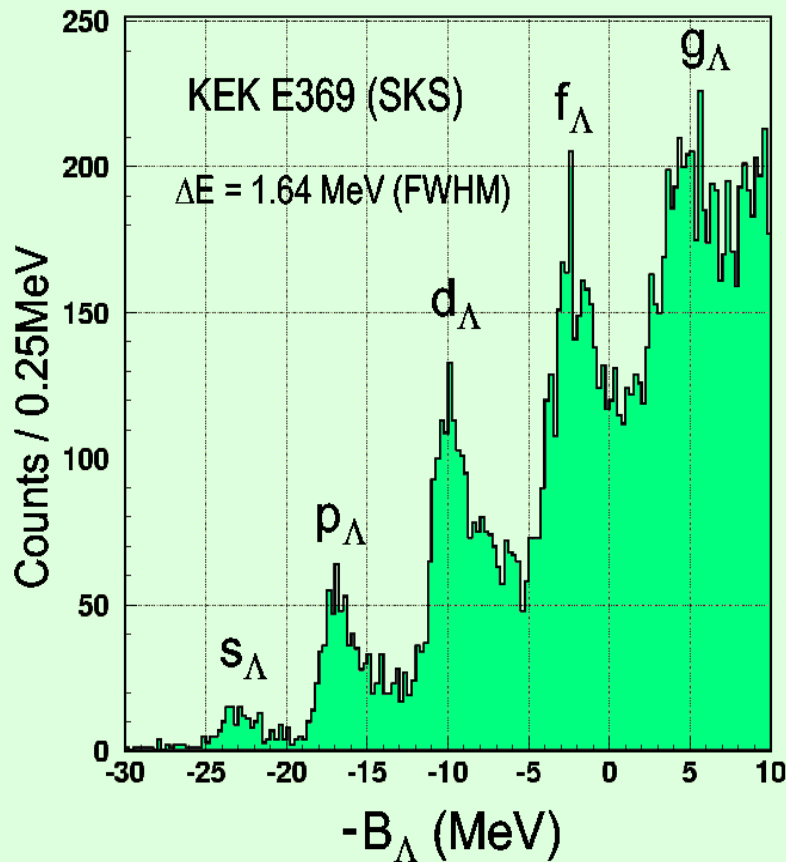
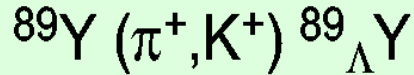
- ~10 times more  $\Lambda\Lambda$  hypernuclear events ( $10^2$  events) at J-PARC (E07)
- => • Precise data for  $\Lambda\Lambda$  interaction w/o nuclear effect
- $\Lambda\Lambda \rightarrow \Sigma N$  decay to search for  $\Lambda\Lambda$  correlation in a nucleus

# From ( $\pi^+, K^+$ ) to ( $K^-, K^+$ ) reaction



J-PARC E05

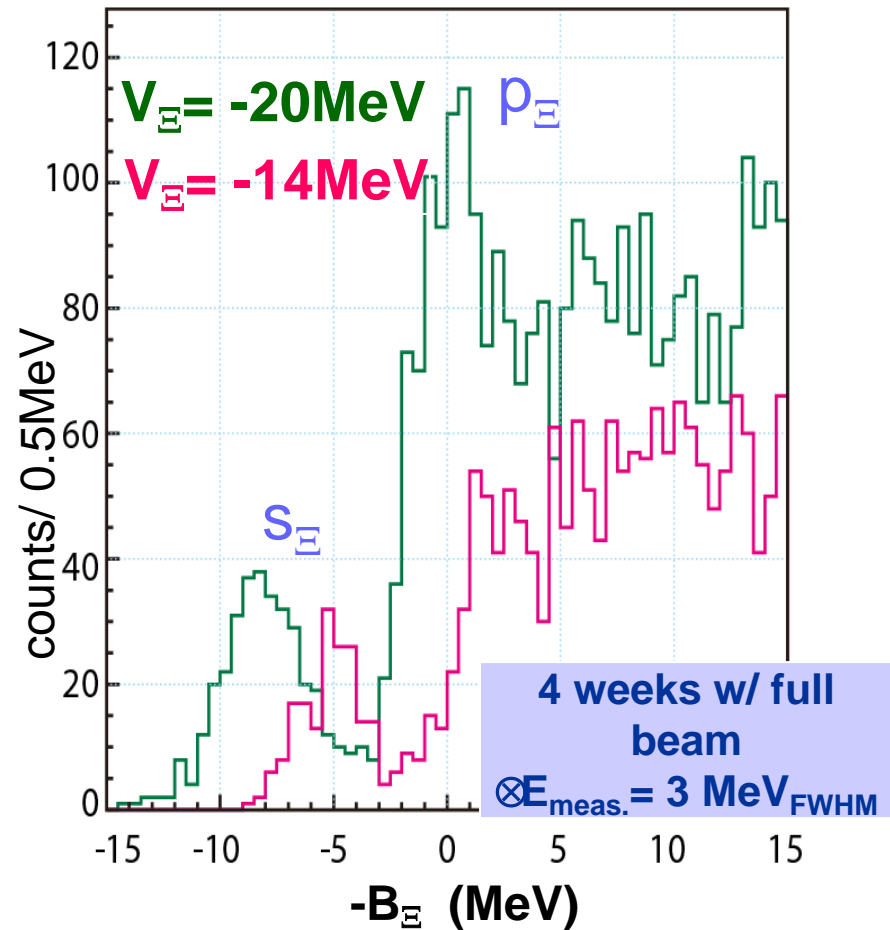
PRC 64 (2001) 044302



->  $U_{\Lambda} = -30 \text{ MeV}$

How about ( $K^-, K^+$ ) reaction?

Expected  $^{12}\text{C} (K^-, K^+) ^{12}_{\Xi}\text{Be}$  Spectrum



First step to multi-strangeness baryon systems

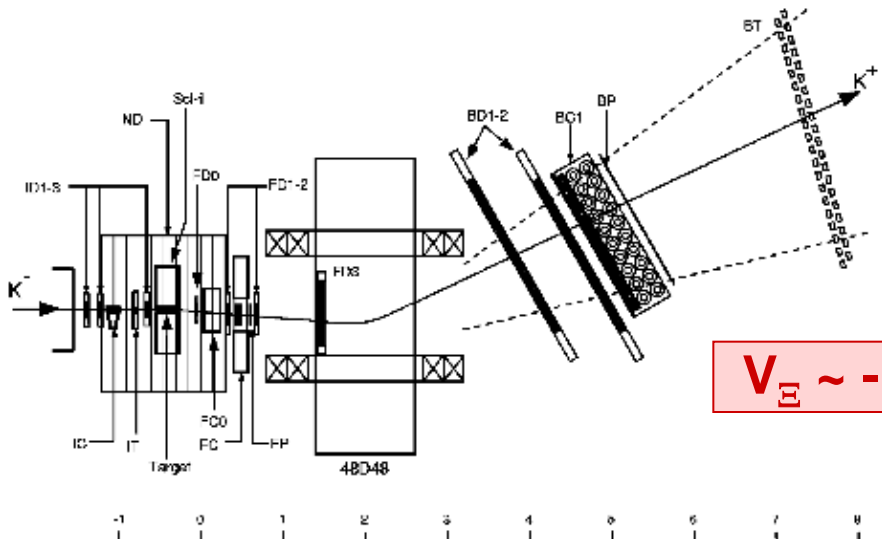
# Previous data on $\Xi N$ interaction

(BNL AGS E855)

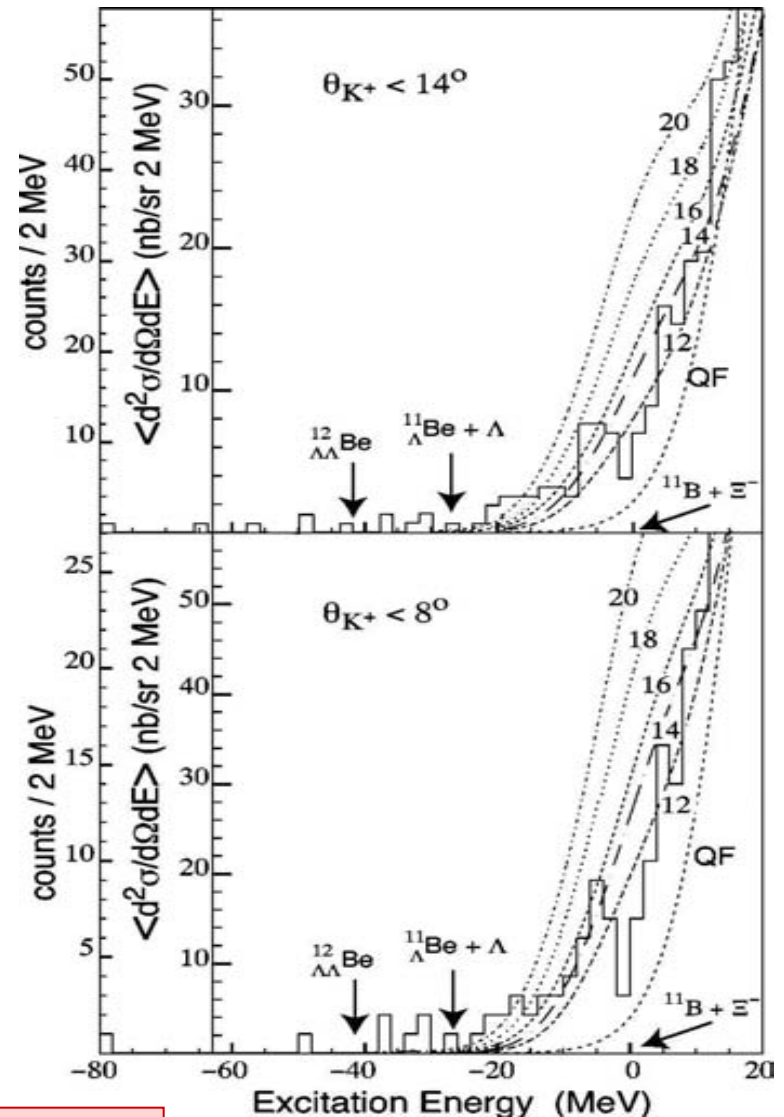
$P_K = 1.8 \text{ GeV}/c$   
 $\otimes M = 9.9 \text{ MeV}/c^2 \text{ (FWHM)}$   
 for  $p(K^-, K^+) \epsilon^-$

$20 < E_\epsilon < 0 \text{ MeV}$   
 $89 \pm 14 \text{ nb/sr} \text{ } (< 8^\circ)$   
 $42 \pm 5 \text{ nb/sr} \text{ } (< 14^\circ)$

P. KHAUSTOV *et al.*



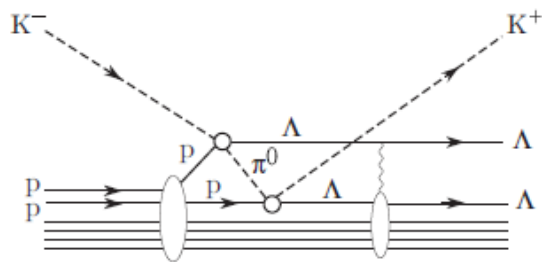
$V_{\Xi} \sim -14 \text{ MeV?}$



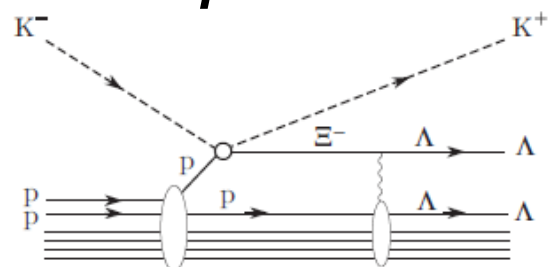
Excitation-energy spectra from E885 for  $^{12}\text{C}(K^-, K^+)X$  for  $\theta_{K^+} < 14^\circ$  (top figure) and  $\theta_{K^+} < 8^\circ$  (bottom figure) along with  $^{12}\text{Be}$  production theoretical curves for  $V_{0\Xi}$  equal to 20, 18, 16, 14, and 12 MeV. The results of a quasifree  $\Xi$  production calculation are also shown (curve QF). The expected location of the ground state of  $^{12}_{\Lambda\Lambda}\text{Be}$  and the thresholds for  $^{11}_{\Lambda}\text{Be} + \Lambda$  and  $^{11}\text{B} + \Xi^-$  production are indicated with arrows.

# $\Xi$ - $\Lambda\Lambda$ hypernuclear mixing states

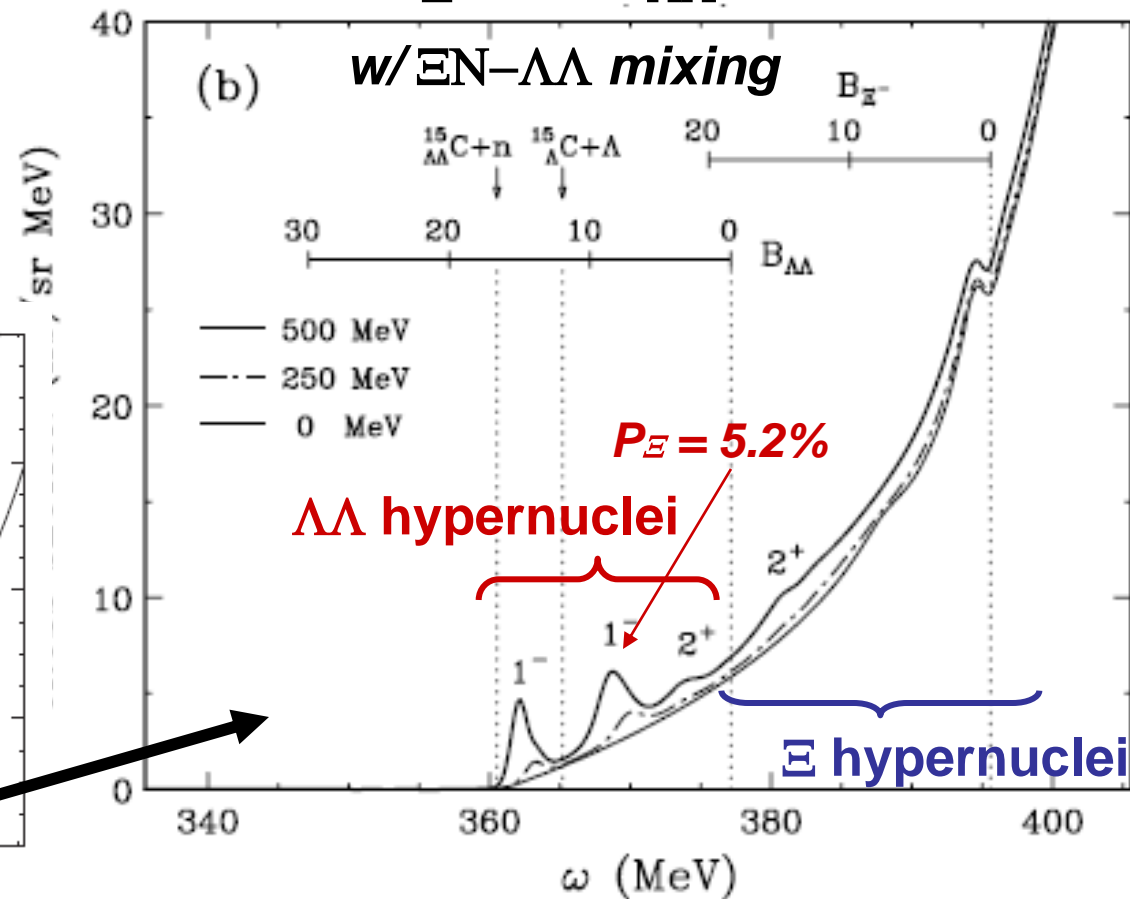
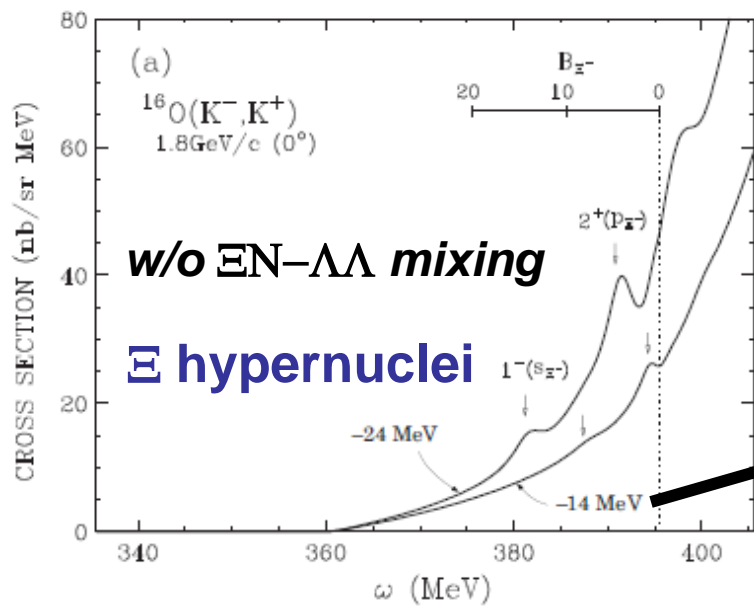
Harada et al., PLB690 (2010) 363



2 step (a)



1 step (b)



# Summary for the YN, YY interactions

- $\Lambda N$       Established      Suggested      Unknown  
Attractive ( $\sim 2/3$  of NN force)       $\leftarrow$   ${}_{\Lambda}Z$   $\Lambda$ -single particle orbit data  
Very small LS force, small spin-spin/ tensor forces       $\leftarrow$   ${}_{\Lambda}Z$  p-shell  $\gamma$ -ray data etc.  
 $\Lambda N$ - $\Sigma N$  coupling force       $\leftarrow$  s-shell  $\Lambda$  hypernuclei  
p-wave force?      Charge symmetry breaking ( $\Lambda p$   $\bar{\Lambda} n$ )??
  - $\Sigma N$   
Strong isospin dependence (attractive for  $T=3/2, S=0$  and  $T=1/2, S=1$ )       $\leftarrow$   ${}^4_{\Sigma}\text{He}$   
Strongly repulsive in average       $\leftarrow$   ${}^{28}\text{Si} (\pi^-, K^+)$  spectrum  
How large is the repulsive ( $T=3/2, S=1$ ) channel?
  - $\Lambda\Lambda$   
Weakly attractive       $\leftarrow$   ${}^6_{\Lambda\Lambda}\text{He}$   
 $\Lambda\Lambda$ - $\Xi N$ - $\Sigma\Sigma$  coupling force ???
  - $\Xi N$   
Weakly attractive??       $\leftarrow$   ${}^{12}\text{C} (K^-, K^+)$  spectrum  
Isospin dependence???
  - $\Lambda\Sigma, \Sigma\Sigma, \Xi\Lambda, \Xi\Sigma, \Xi\Xi; \Omega N$       Unknown at all ???
- J-PARC  
will answer



# **3 How to approach nuclear matter in neutron stars**

# Neutron Star Matter

- Final form of matter in matter evolution in the universe

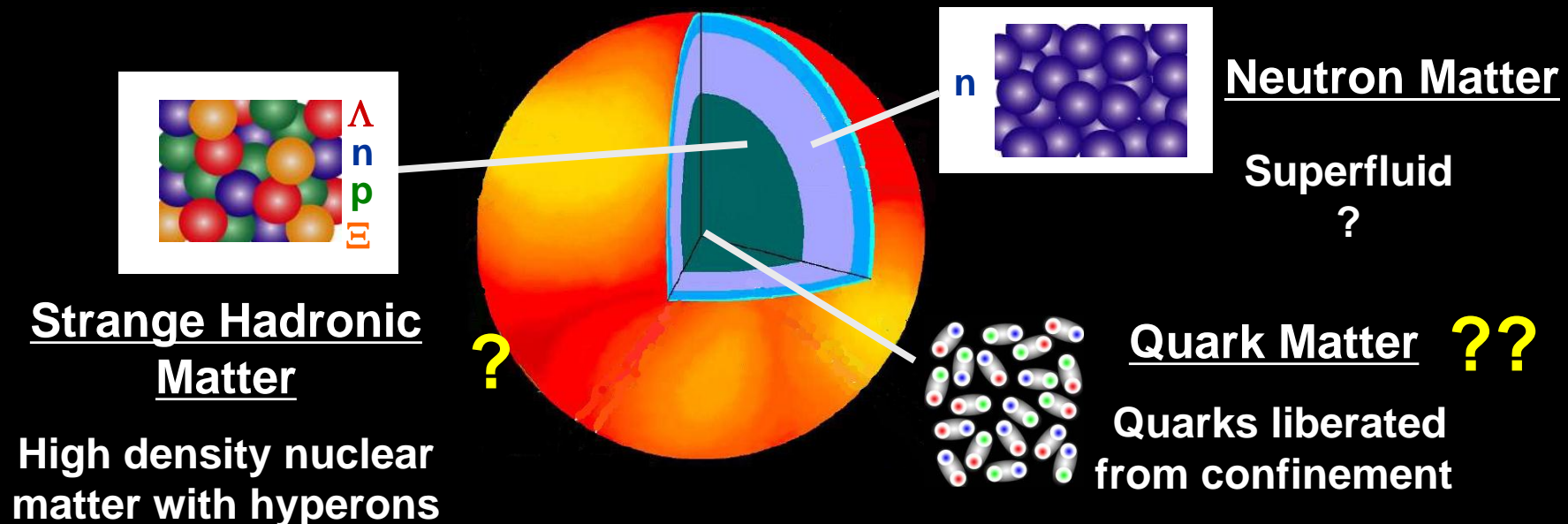
Supernova explosion, Many samples as X-ray pulsars

- Highest density matter in the universe

Mass =  $1\sim 2 M_{\odot}$ ,  $R \sim 10$  km? (no direct observation)

$\Rightarrow \rho$  (center) =  $3\sim 10 \rho_0$

- Various forms of matter made of quarks



# Joint research to reveal neutron star matter

*X-ray satellite*  
**ASTRO-H**

**“Quark-based matter” physics**

**World-best  
accelerators and  
satellite in Japan**

**Inner structure of neutron stars**

**Theories**

**“EOS” of nuclear matter**

*Factory for  
unstable nuclei*  
**RIBF**

**X-ray astronomy**

**⇒ neutron star radii**

*High-intensity  
proton accelerator*  
**J-PARC**

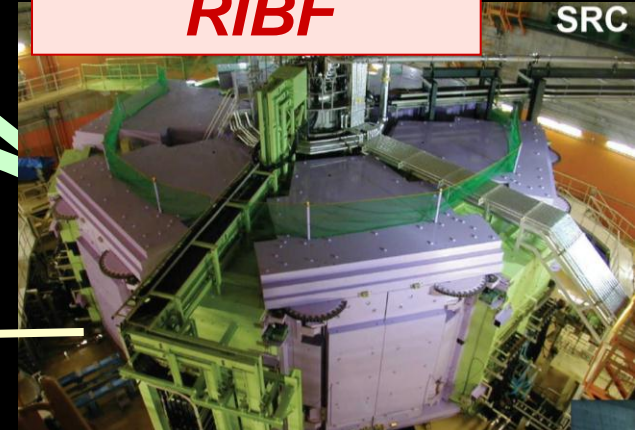
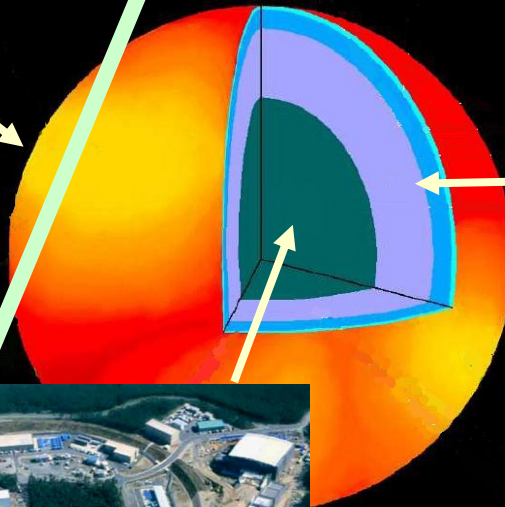
**Strange nuclei**

**⇒ Interactions of hyperons**

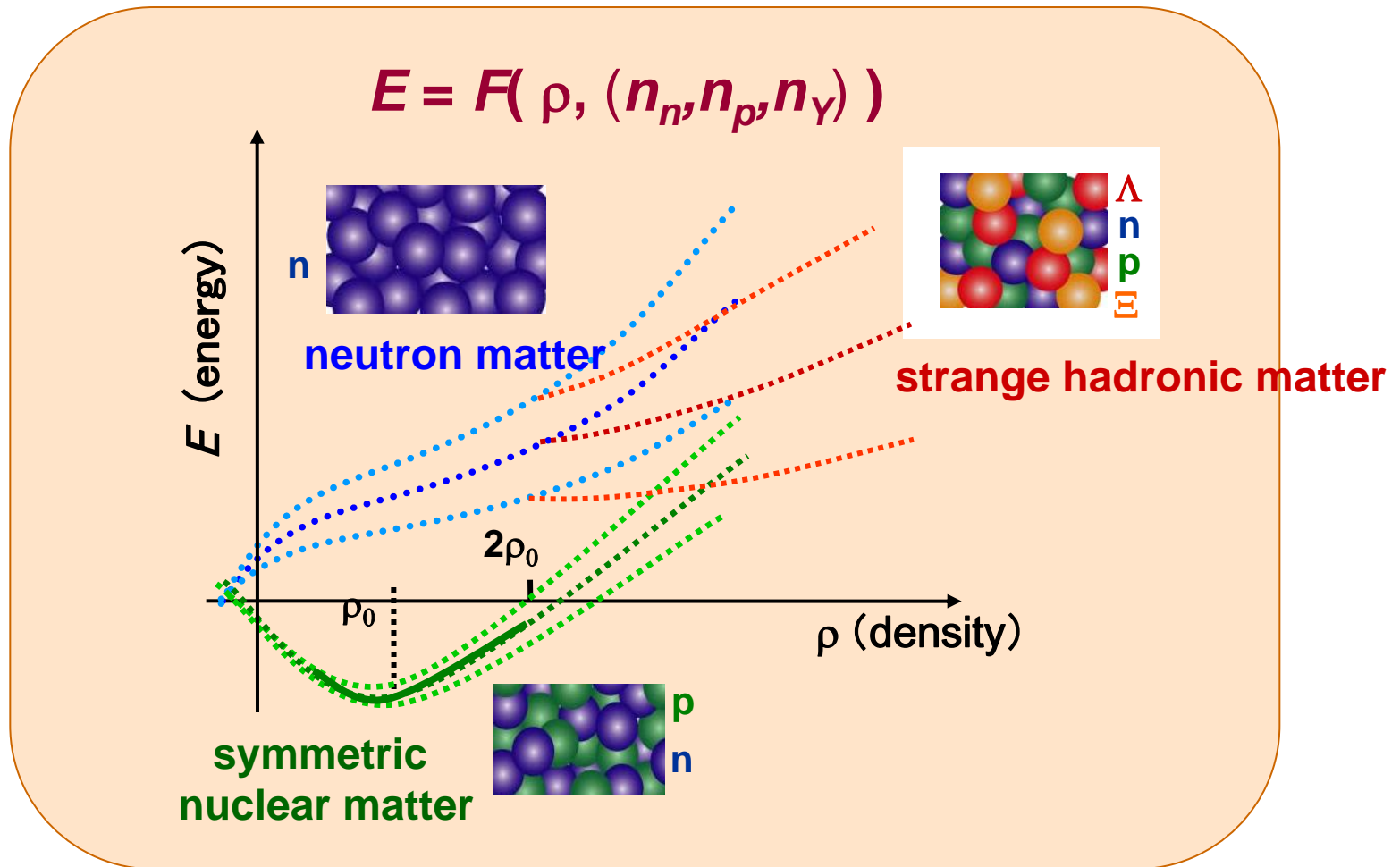
**Neutron-rich nuclei**

**Cold Atoms**

**⇒ Properties of  
neutron matter**



# Equation of state (EOS) for nuclear matter



**EOS**  $\rightarrow$  **inner structure of n-star**

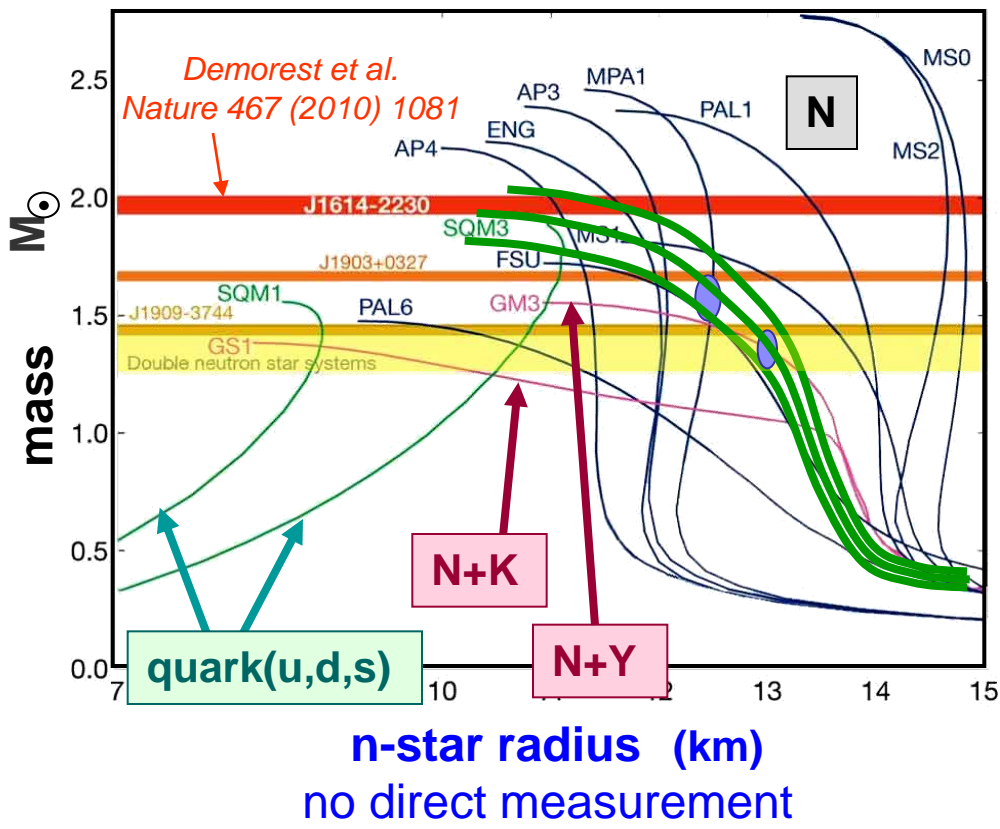
# Why experiment-observation joint research?

EOS of nuclear matter

$$E = F(\rho, (n_n, n_p, n_Y))$$

unique correspondence  $\leftrightarrow$  by gravity-pressure balance

Mass-Radius relation



experimental info on nucl. matter + theory

determine EOS +

measurement of radius by X-ray satellite

confirm EOS

establish the EOS

Also establish theoretical framework existence of quark matter

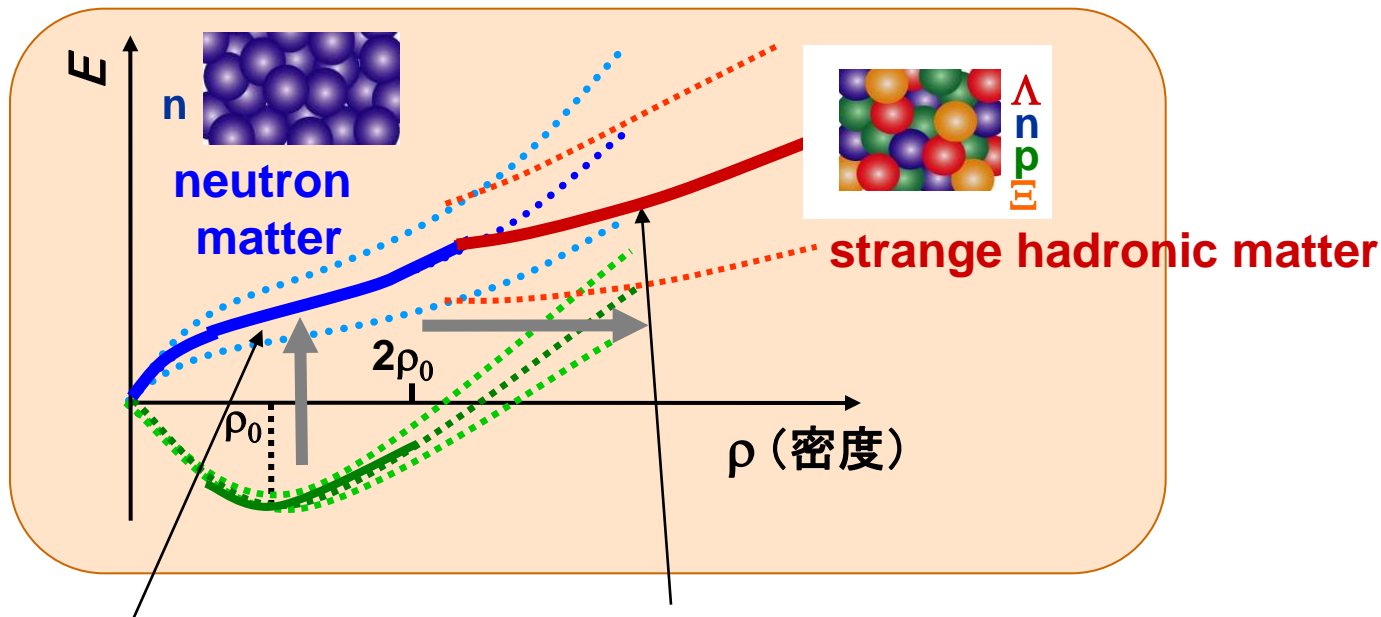
# How to determine EOS from experiments

■ Inner crust, outer core ( $\rho < 2\rho_0$ )

How EOS changes when going to neutron richer matter?

■ Inner core ( $\rho > 2\rho_0$ )

How much and which hyperons appear?

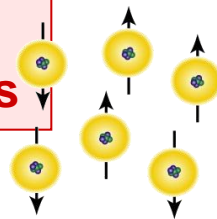


 EOS for neutron matter

n-rich nuclei@RIBF

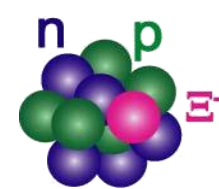
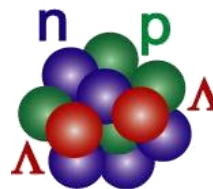
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Ultra-cold Fermi atom gas



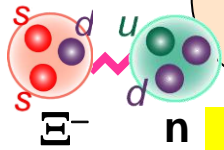
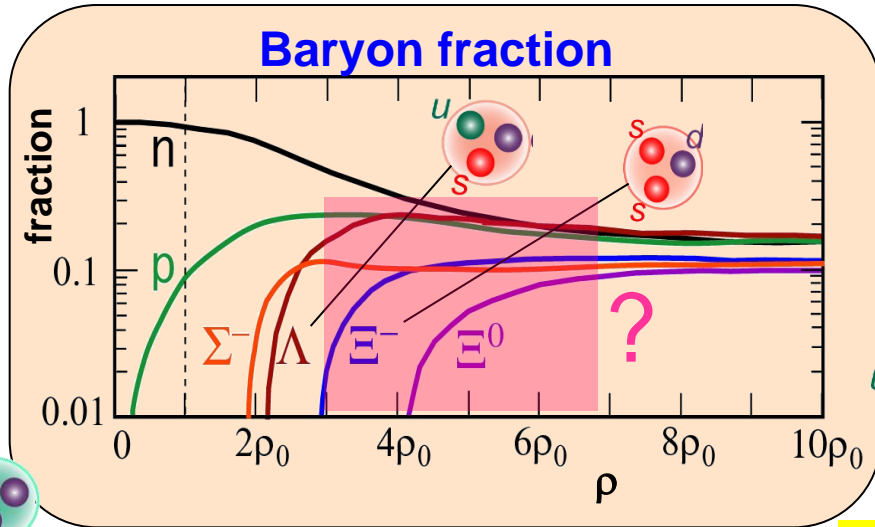
YN, YY interactions used as input for EOS

Various hypernuclei@J-PARC



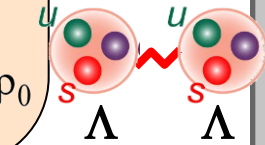
# B-B interactions of multi-strange systems

Determine hyperon mixing in central region ( $\rho > 3\rho_0$ )  $\rightarrow$  EOS



$\Xi N$  int.

$\Xi N \rightarrow \Lambda\Lambda$  int.



$\Lambda\Lambda$  int.

**$\Lambda\Lambda$  correlation**

hyperon decay spectrometer

**J-PARC P43**

$(d^2\sigma/d\Omega dm) \mu\text{b}/(\text{sr } 7.5 \text{ MeV}/c^2)$

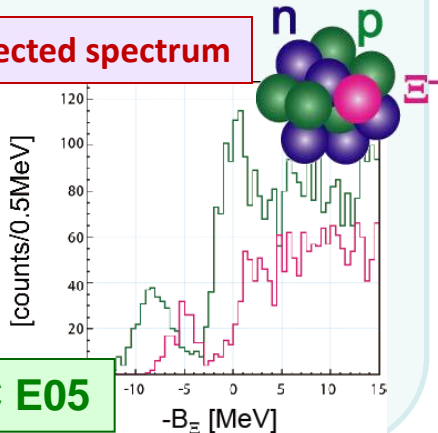
$\Lambda\Lambda$  Invariant Mass  $-2M_\Lambda$  (MeV/ $c^2$ )

**$\Lambda\Lambda$  invariant mass**

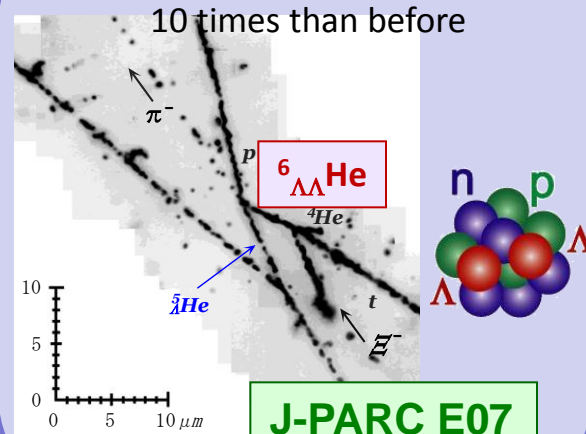
- A Phase Space for  $K^{-12}\text{C} \rightarrow {}^{10}\text{Be}(\text{g.s.}) K^+ \Lambda\Lambda$
- B INC (FSI OFF)
- C INC+FSI (fss2)
- D INC+FSI (ESC04d)
- E INC+FSI (ESC04d)

**$\Xi$  hyp. spectroscopy**

${}^{12}\Xi\text{Be}$  expected spectrum



**$\Lambda\Lambda$  hyp. emulsion exp.**



# Strangeness in neutron-rich environment

Strangeness mixing by  $S=-1$  hadrons  
in  $\rho = 2\sim 3\rho_0$  region

$\Sigma^+p$  scattering exp.

->  $\Sigma^-n$  ( $= \Sigma^+p$ ) interaction

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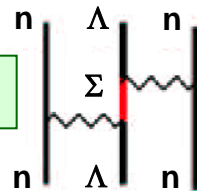
=> Existence of  $\Sigma^-$  in n-star  
Confirm "quark Pauli effect"

$\Lambda$  hyp.  $\gamma$ -spectroscopy

J-PARC E13

->  $\Lambda N, \Lambda NN$  ( $\Lambda N-\Sigma N$ ) interaction

$\Lambda-\Sigma$  coherent coupling



Neutron-rich  $\Lambda$  hyp. spectroscopy

->  $\Lambda nn$  interaction  
in neutron-rich environment

J-PARC E10

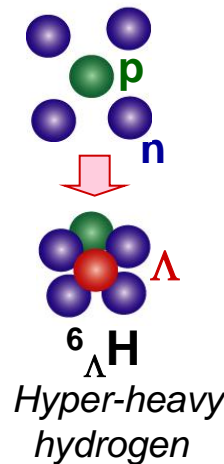
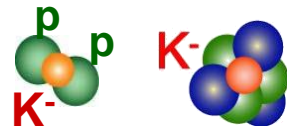
=>  $\Lambda$  fraction in neutron matter

$K^-$  nuclear bound states

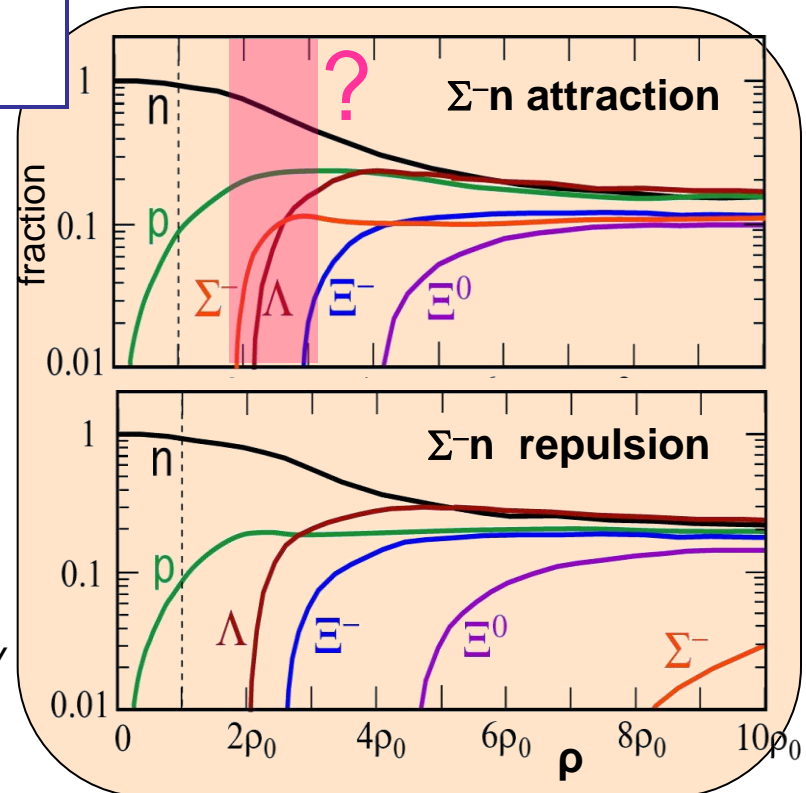
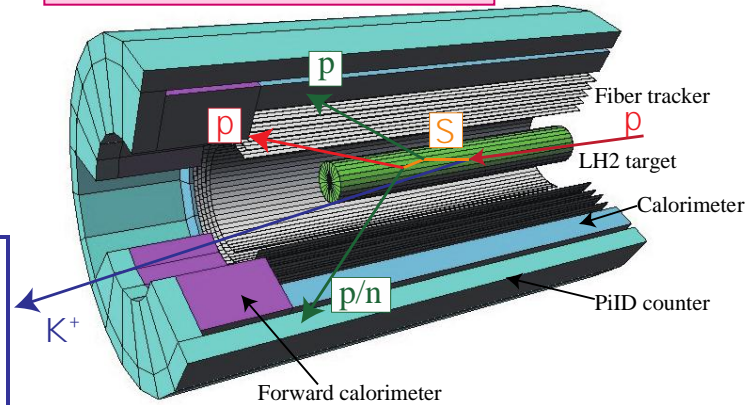
-> How large is the  $K^{\text{bar}}N$  interaction

=> Determine existence of Kaon  
condensation in n star

J-PARC E15, E27



proton scattering detector





# 5. Summary

- J-PARC connects QCD and nuclear physics through studies of BB forces and high density nuclear matter with strangeness
- Study of YN and YY forces via strange nuclear systems enables unified understanding of BB forces including their short range parts, and then, high density nuclear matter in neutron stars.
- $\Lambda$ N force has been well studied via  $(\pi, K^+)$  spectroscopy and  $\gamma$ -spectroscopy. Further study of neutron-rich  $\Lambda$  hypernuclei is necessary for  $\Lambda$ NN force.
- $\Sigma$ N force looks strongly repulsive probably due to quark Pauli effect. It will be confirmed by a  $\Sigma p$  scattering experiment.
- $\Lambda\Lambda$  force was found to be weakly attractive. More data necessary to precisely determine the force and investigate  $\Lambda\Lambda$  correlation/ H resonance.
- $\Xi$ N force will be studied from  $\Xi$  hypernuclei via  $(K^-, K^+)$  reaction.
- Joint research together with neutron-rich nuclei, ultra-cold atoms, X-ray astronomy, and theories will reveal the neutron star matter.
- Impurity effects and baryon properties and behavior in nuclei can be also investigated by strangeness nuclear physics.