

Mesure de la masse du neutrino

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Présentation de l'état de l'art expérimental

- Résultats actuels
- Mesure par désintégration beta simple
- Mesure par double désintégration bêta

Mass du neutrino ?

$$\begin{pmatrix} \nu_e \\ \nu_\mu \\ \nu_\tau \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} U_{e1} & U_{e2} & U_{e3} \\ U_{\mu 1} & U_{\mu 2} & U_{\mu 3} \\ U_{\tau 1} & U_{\tau 2} & U_{\tau 3} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \nu_1 \\ \nu_2 \\ \nu_3 \end{pmatrix}$$

Atmospheric K2K	Reactors (CHOOZ) Accelerators (JPARC)	Solar Reactors
$U = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \cos\theta_{23} & \sin\theta_{23} \\ 0 & -\sin\theta_{23} & \cos\theta_{23} \end{pmatrix} \times \begin{pmatrix} \cos\theta_{13} & 0 & e^{-i\delta_{CP}} \sin\theta_{13} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -e^{i\delta_{CP}} \sin\theta_{13} & 0 & \cos\theta_{13} \end{pmatrix} \times \begin{pmatrix} \cos\theta_{12} & \sin\theta_{12} & 0 \\ -\sin\theta_{12} & \cos\theta_{12} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \times \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & e^{i\alpha/2} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & e^{i\alpha/2+i\beta} \end{pmatrix}$		
$\theta_{23} \sim 45^\circ$	$\theta_{13} < \sim 13^\circ$	$\theta_{12} \sim 30^\circ$
		α, β : Majorana phase
	$\delta_{CP} = \text{CP violation}$	

$$\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_\tau \quad \Delta m^2_{23} \sim 2 \cdot 10^{-3} \text{ eV}^2$$

$$\nu_e \rightarrow \nu_\mu \quad \Delta m^2_{12} \sim 5 \cdot 10^{-5} \text{ eV}^2$$

masse du neutrino ?

Beta decay

$$m_\nu = (\sum |U_{ei}|^2 m_i^2)^{1/2} < 2.3 \text{ eV}$$

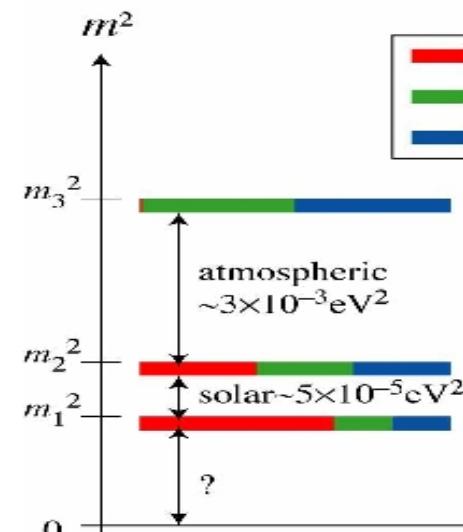
Double beta decay

$$|\langle m_\nu \rangle| = |\sum U_{ei}^2 m_i| < 0.2 - 0.8 \text{ eV}$$

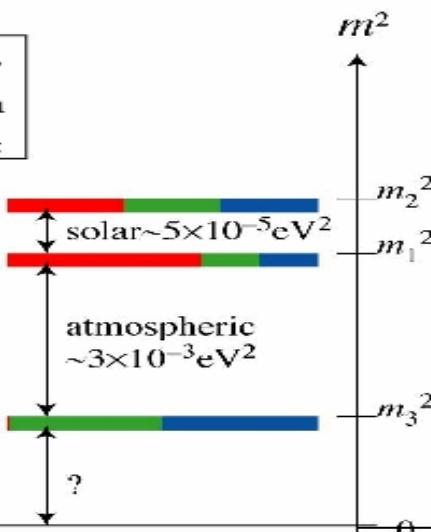
Cosmology

$$\sum m_i = m_1 + m_2 + m_3 < 0.44 - 0.76 \text{ eV}$$

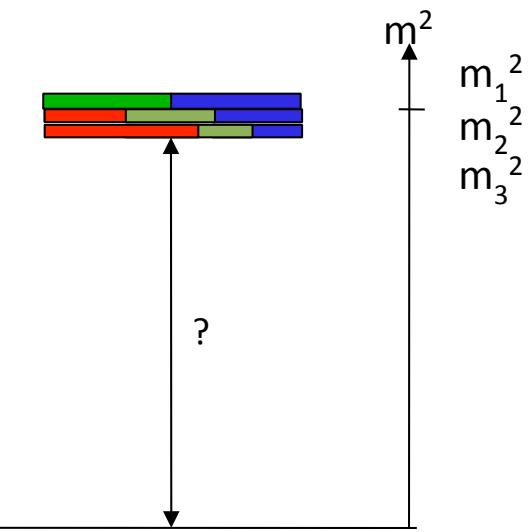
Mass scale ?



Normal hierarchy
 $m_3 > m_2 > m_1$



Inverted hierarchy
 $m_2 \sim m_1 > m_3$



Degenerate
 $m_1 \approx m_2 \approx m_3 \gg |m_i - m_j|$

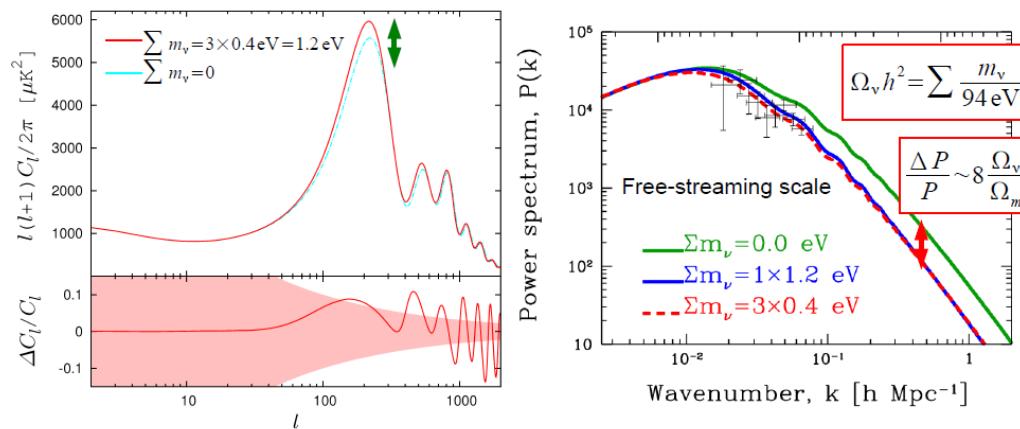
Massé du neutrino: Astrophysique et cosmologie

Astrophysique: neutrino émis par SN 1987A

$$\Delta t = 5.15 \left(\frac{m_\nu}{1 \text{ eV}} \right)^2 \left(\frac{10 \text{ MeV}}{E^2} \right) \frac{D}{10 \text{ kpc}} \text{ ms}$$

$$m(\nu_e) < 5.8 \text{ eV (95 %CL)}$$

Cosmologie: Structure à grande échelle, anisotropie du fond cosmologique



$$\sum m_\nu < 0.44 - 0.76 \text{ eV (95% CL)}$$

CMB (WMAP7+ACBAR+BICEP+QuaD)
+ LSS(SDSS+HPS)
+HST+SNIa

Fortement modèle dépendant

masse du neutrino: mesures directes

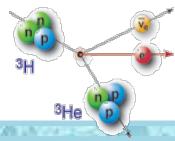
$$m(\nu_\mu) : \begin{array}{c} \pi^+ \not\rightarrow \mu^+ + \nu_\mu \\ \pi^- \not\rightarrow \mu^- + \nu_\mu \end{array} \quad m^2(\nu_\mu) = m^2(\pi) + m^2(\mu) - 2 \cdot m(\pi) \cdot \sqrt{m^2(\mu) + p^2(\mu)}$$

Limité par la précision de la masse du pion $m(\pi)$ et du $m(\mu)$ et du moment du muons $p(\mu)$ lors de la décroissance du pion au repos

$$m(\nu_\mu) < 190 \text{ keV (90 \%CL)}$$

$m(\nu_\tau)$: Décroissance du τ en 5 ou 6 π

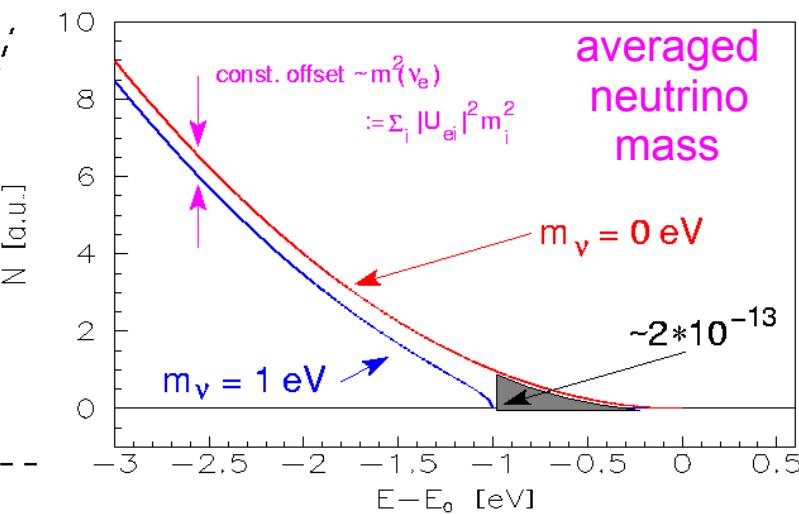
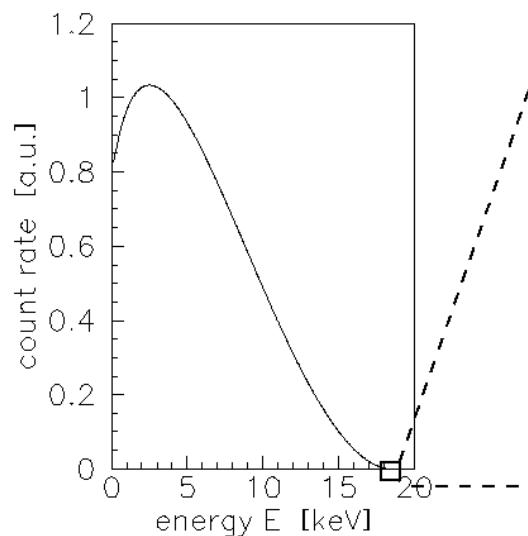
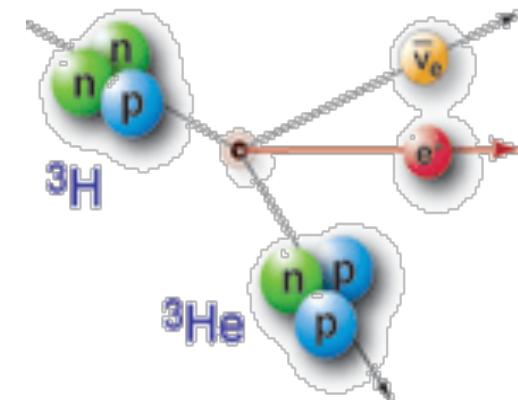
$$m(\nu_\tau) < 18. \text{ MeV (95 \%CL)}$$

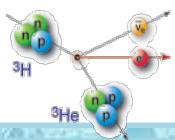


Mesure directe



- Principe très simple
- Réalisation très délicate





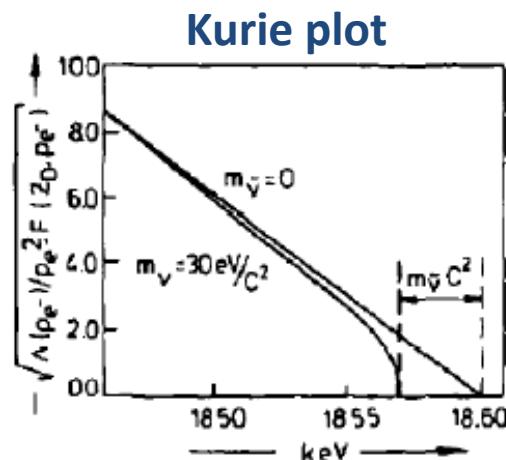
Mesure directe

$$\frac{dN}{dE} \propto |M|^2 \cdot F(E, Z) \cdot p \cdot W \cdot \varepsilon^2 \cdot \sqrt{1 - \frac{m_\nu^2}{\varepsilon^2}}$$

P,W: impulsion et énergie de l'électron

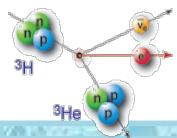
$\varepsilon = E_0 - E$: énergie du neutrino avec $E_0 = E_{\max}$ quand $m_\nu = 0$

F(E,Z) Fonction de fermi: - Effets coulombiens corrigés des effets relativistes
 - Rayon + distribution de charge du noyau
 - Ecrantage du cortège électronique
 - Corrections radiatives



$$K(E) \propto \sqrt{\frac{dN/dE}{FpW}}$$

Sensibilité à m_ν seulement en fin de spectre



Mesure directe

Fraction of decay in $[Q_\beta - m_\nu, Q_\beta] \sim (m_\nu/Q_\beta^3)$

lowest Q_β value
High counting rate
Low background
Energy resolution $\sim m_\nu$

Tritium

- $E_0 = 18.6 \text{ keV}$, $T_{1/2} = 12.3 \text{ a}$
- $S(E) = 1$ (super-allowed)

Rhenium

- $E_0 = 2.47 \text{ keV}$, $T_{1/2} = 43.2 \text{ Gy}$

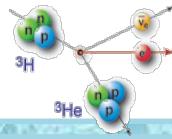
alternative approach:

Holmium (EC decay)

- $Q_{EC} \approx 2.5 \text{ keV}$, $T_{1/2} = 4570 \text{ y}$

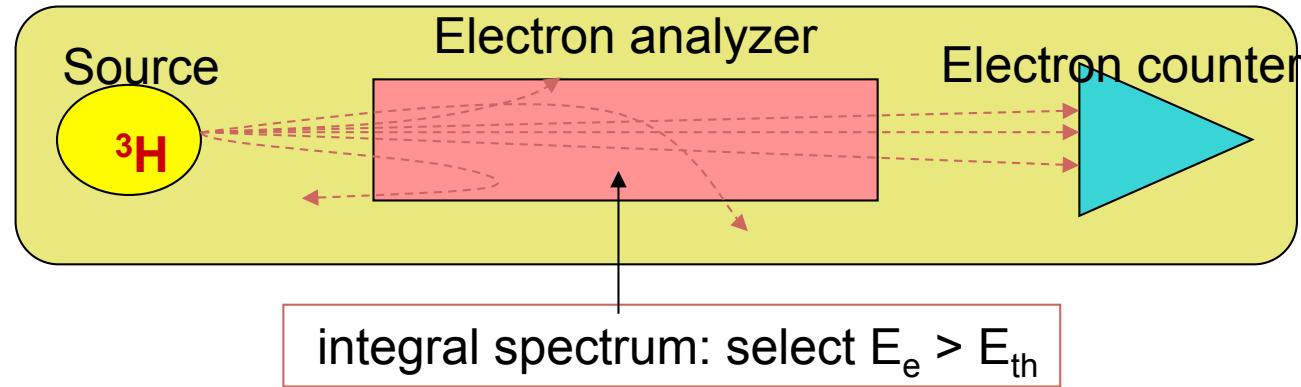
Electrostatic method

Bolometric method



Mesure directe: méthode électrostatique

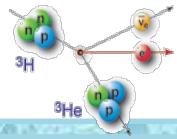
MAC-E spectrometers



- Acceptance angulaire élevée (2π)
- Trajectoires parallélisées
- Analyse électrostatique

Solenoid Retarding Spectrometer: MAINZ experiment

Integral Electrostatic Spectrometer with adiabatic Magnetic Collimation : TROITZK



Mesure directe: méthode électrostatique

Difficultés inhérente à la méthode électrostatique

- **Source**

Forme moléculaire → Etat final change l'Energie

Stabilité dans le vide

Intense }

Compromis

Mince

}

Perte d'énergie

Uniforme

problèmes: backscattering; potentiel,...

- **Mesure de l'énergie**

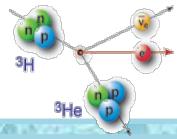
Résolution de l'ordre de la limite sur m_ν

- **Détecteur**

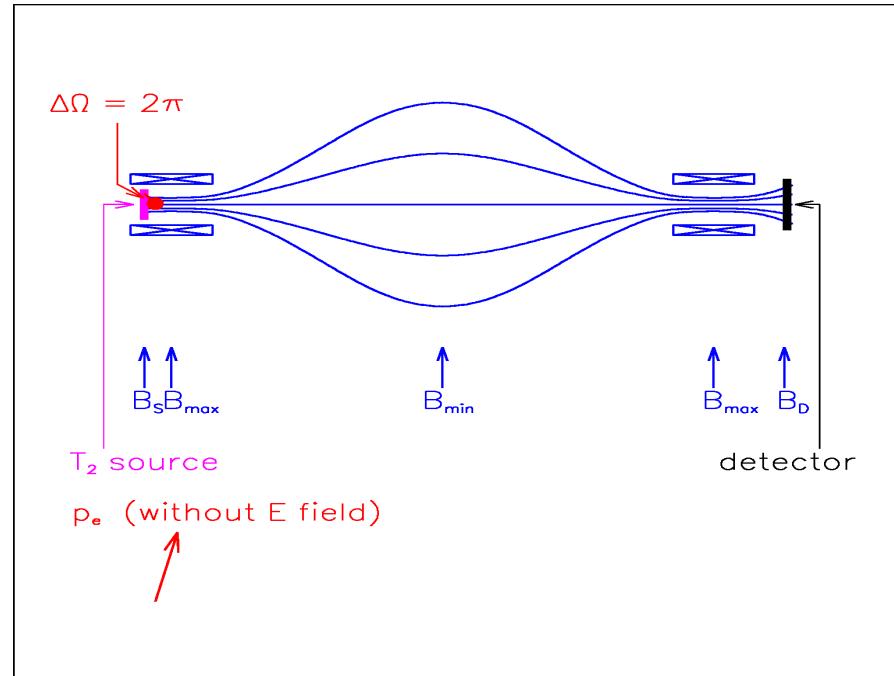
Réponse vs taux comptage

Fond liés aux cosmique, radon , radioactivité naturelle

Spectre non gaussien lié à l'utilisation de fente



Mesure directe: méthode électrostatique

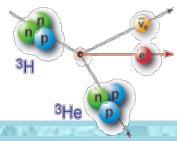


B et E ajustés pour que le mouvement soit adiabatique

μ : moment magnétique de l'orbite cyclotron est un invariant adiabatique

$$\rightarrow \rightarrow \\ E_T = -\mu \cdot B$$

Barrière de potentiel $DE \sim B_{\min}/B_{\max} E$
Filtre passe haut



Mesure directe: méthode électrostatique

Pertes d'énergie:

- interaction inélastiques, excitation et ionisation sur les électrons de la source

Dans T_2 en moyenne perte de 30 eV par interaction

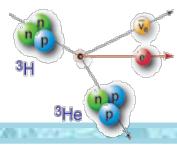
Minimisation des systématiques:

- épaisseur < interaction pour minimiser probabilité d'interaction
- $Z = 1$
- Importance uniformité de la source
- Evaluation de la transmission avec E monoénergétiques

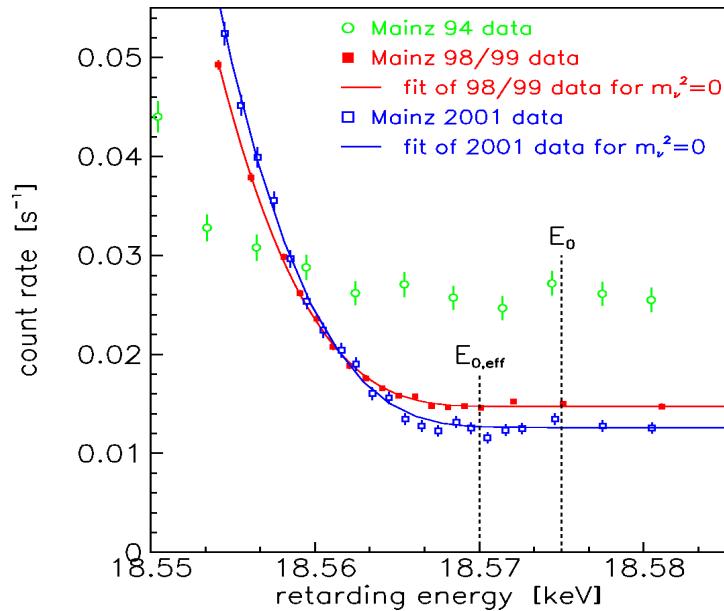
$$\frac{dN}{dE} \propto |M|^2 \cdot F(E, Z) \cdot p \cdot W \sum w_i \cdot \varepsilon^2 \cdot \sqrt{1 - \frac{m_{nu}^2}{\varepsilon^2}} \quad \times \text{Resolution} \times \text{pertes énergie}$$

w_i : probabilité de tomber sur le niveau i

$$\varepsilon_i = E_0 - E - v_i$$



Mesure directe: méthode électrostatique



$$\text{MAINZ: } m_{\nu}^2 = -0.6 \pm 2.2 \pm 2.1 \text{ eV}^2$$

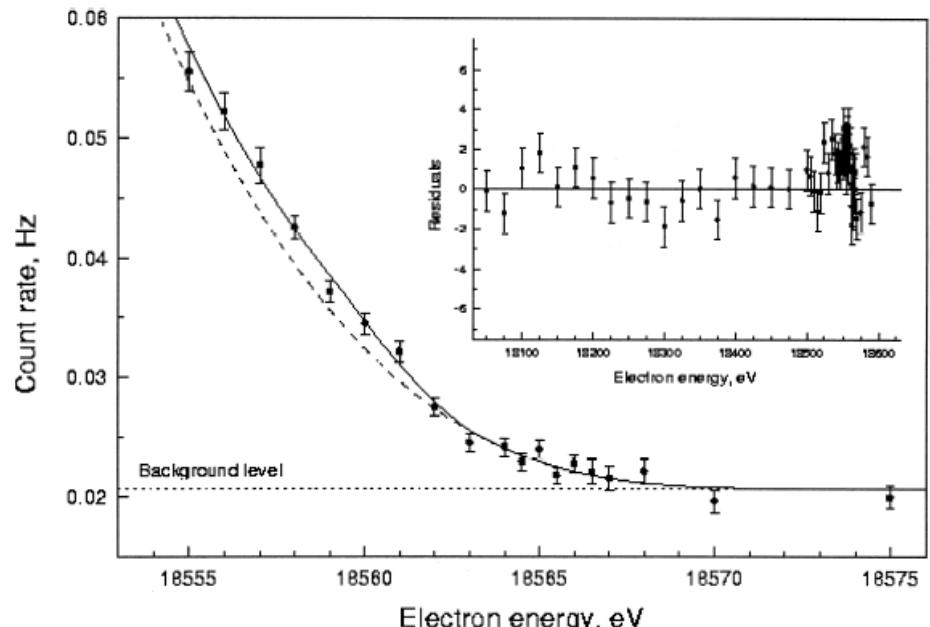
$$\Rightarrow m_{\nu} < 2.3 \text{ eV (95% C.L.)}$$

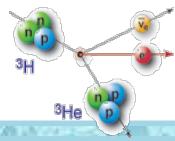
C. Kraus et al., Eur. Phys. J. C 40 (2005) 447

$$\text{Troisk: } m_{\nu}^2 = -2.3 \pm 2.5 \pm 2.0 \text{ eV}^2$$

$$m_{\nu} < 2.05 \text{ eV (95% C.L.)}$$

Mais systématiques liés aux fluctuations de E_0 non incluses





Mesure directe: méthode électrostatique

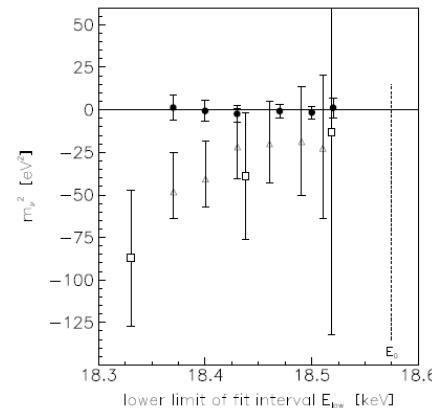
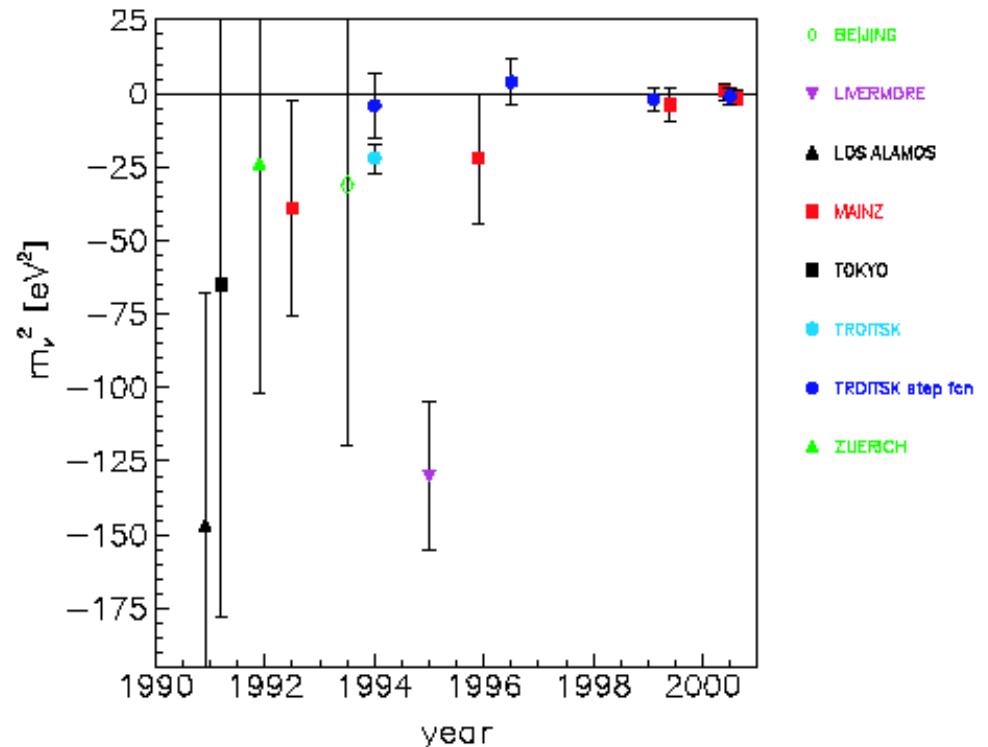
Pourquoi m_ν^2 négatif ?

Paramètres du fit: amplitude libre
energy maximum (E_0)
masse carré du neutrino
bruit de fond

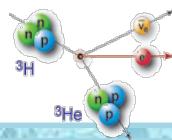
Les sources d'erreurs systématiques:

- Diffusion inélastique dans le film de tritium
- Excitation des molécules voisines
- Etat final de la molécule He^+
- Etat de charge du film source
- Etat de surface de la source

Mainz : source solide déposée sur un film
Troisk: source gazeuse

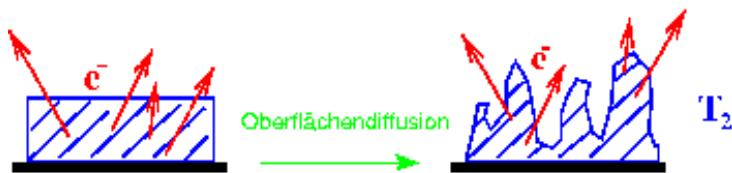


Mainz
Limites en
fonction des runs



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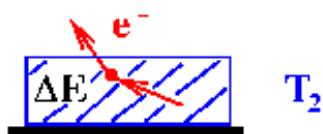
- Roughening transition of T_2 film



Determination of dynamics: $\Delta E = (45 \pm 6) k_B$ K
 ⇒ no roughening transition below 2 K

L. Fleischmann et al., J. Low Temp. Phys. **119** (2000) 615, (with P. Leiderer)
 L. Fleischmann et al., Eur. Phys. J. **B16** (2000) 521 Konstanz)

- Inelastic scattering



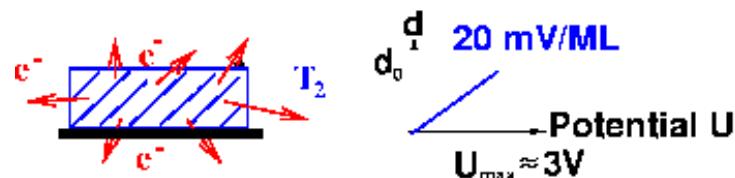
Determination of cross section:

$$\sigma_{tot} = (2.98 \pm 0.16) \cdot 10^{-18} \text{ cm}^2$$

Determination of energy loss function:

V.N. Aseev et al., Eur. Phys. J. **D10** (2000) 39

- Self charging of T_2 film

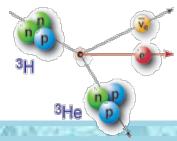


Determination of critical field:

$$E_c = (63 \pm 4) \text{ MV/m}$$

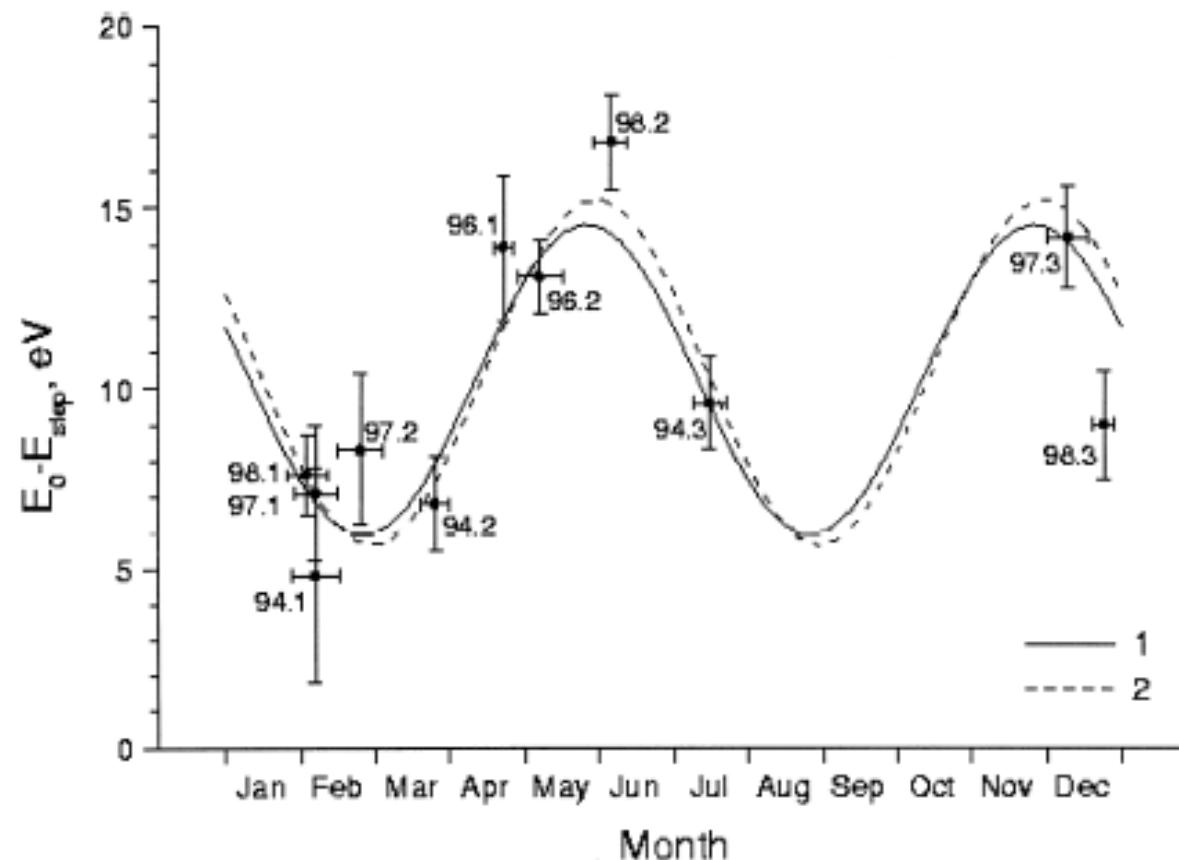
⇒ slight broadening of energy resolution

H. Barth et al., Prog. Part. Nucl. Phys. **40** (1998) 353,
 B. Bornschein, PhD thesis, publication in preparation

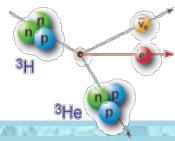


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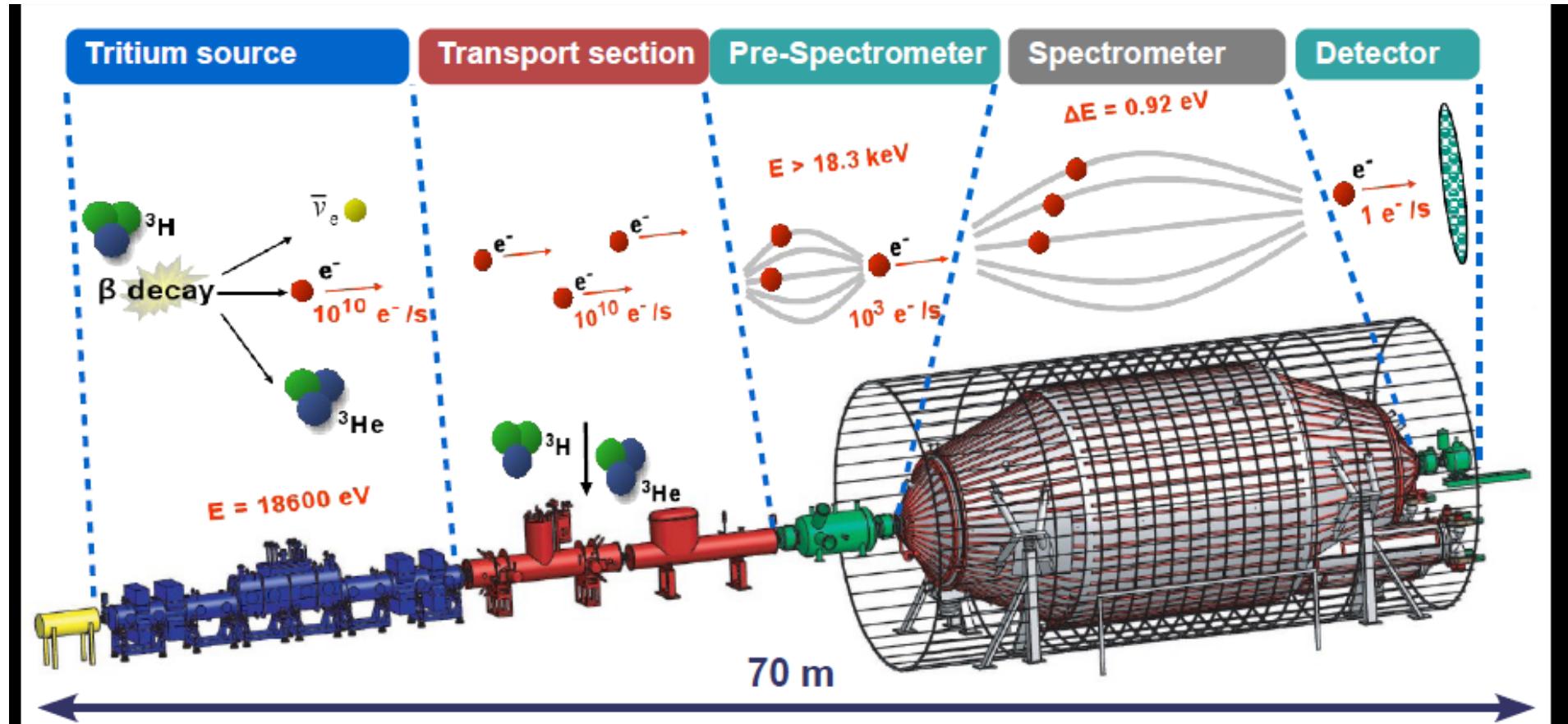
Anomalie de Troisk



Explication exotique : capture des neutrinos fossiles ! ($10^{18} / \text{cm}^3$)

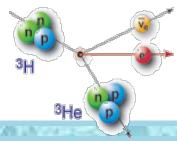


Mesure directe: KATRIN



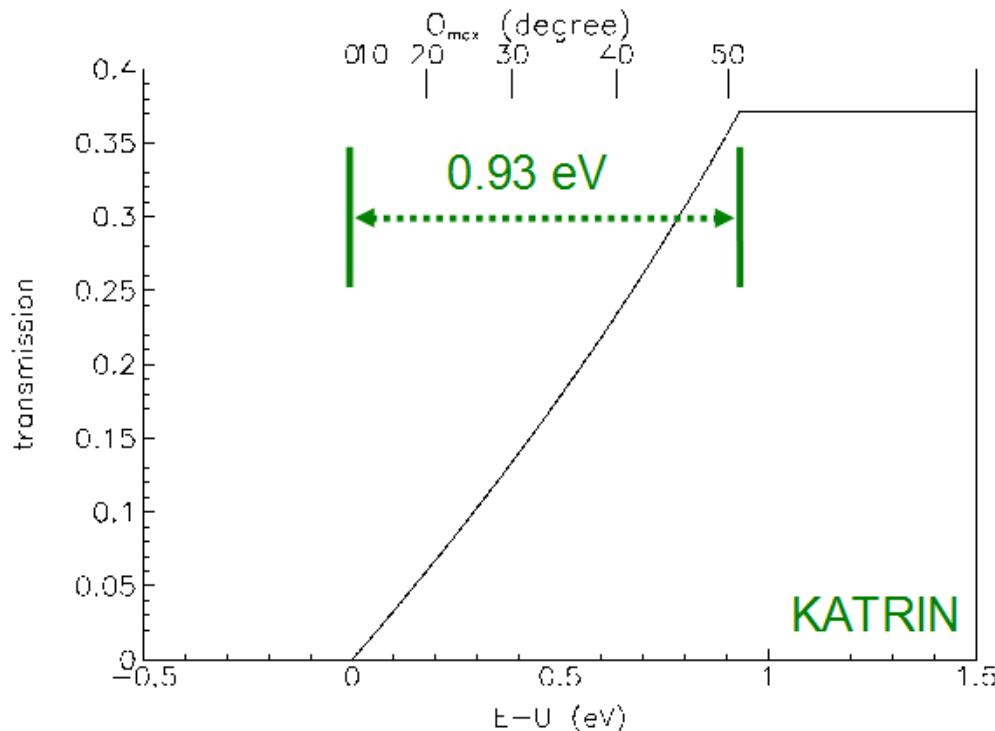
$\Delta E: 0.93 \text{ eV}$ (4.8 eV for Mainz)
Large acceptance
Statistique **100 days** \rightarrow **1000 days**

$m_{\nu(e)} < 0.2 \text{ eV}/c^2$ en 5 ans de données
Mesure à 5σ pour $m_{\nu(e)} = 0.35 \text{ eV}/c^2$



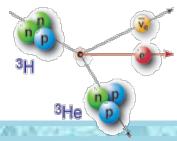
Mesure directe: KATRIN

Magnetic Adiabatic Collimation + Electrostatic Filter
 (A. Picard et al., Nucl. Instr. Meth. 63 (1992) 345)



⇒ sharp integrating transmission function without tails:

$$\Delta E = E \cdot B_{\min} / B_{\max} = E \cdot A_{s,\text{eff}} / A_{\text{analyse}} = 0.93 \text{ eV}, \text{ KATRIN} \quad (4.8 \text{ eV, Mainz})$$



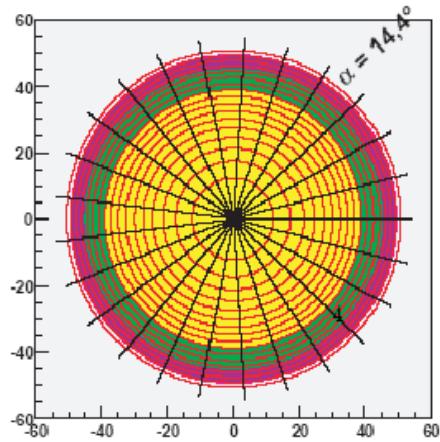
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Detector:

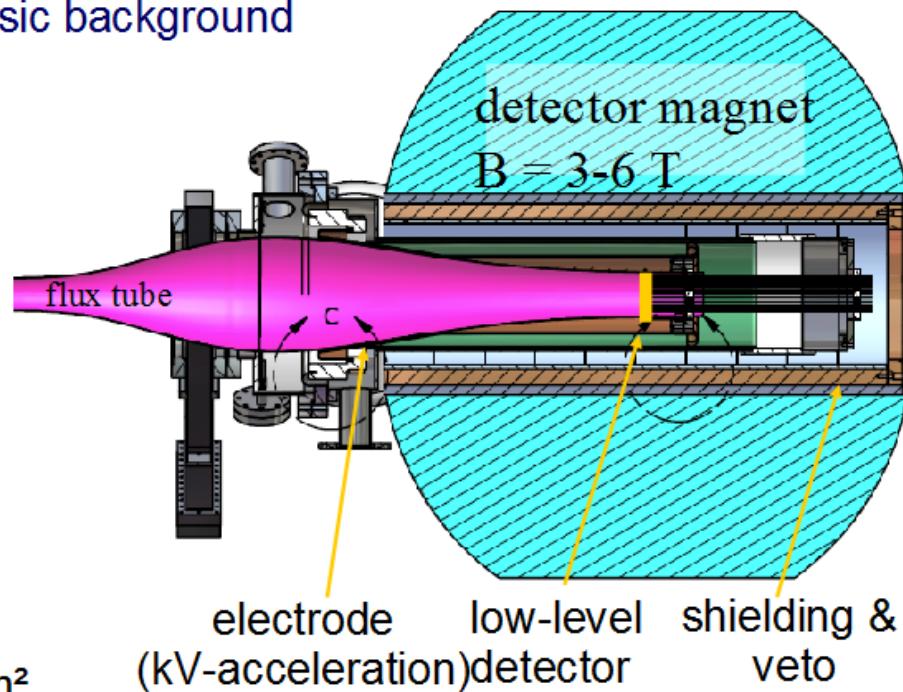
task: detection of transmitted β -decay electrons
with high energy resolution ($\Delta E = 1$ keV)

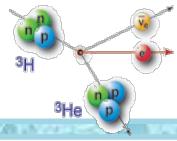
record radial profile of flux tube

aim: background minimisation, systematic effects
⇒ post-acceleration to place signal line
at lower intrinsic background



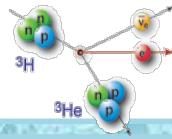
design: radially segmented
Si-PIN diode array
 ~ 150 pixels with $A=100 \text{ cm}^2$





Mesure directe: KATRIN





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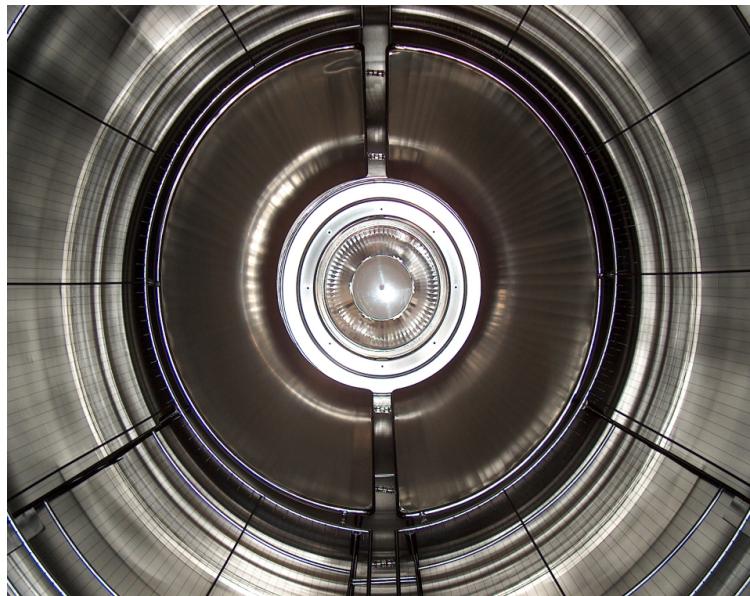
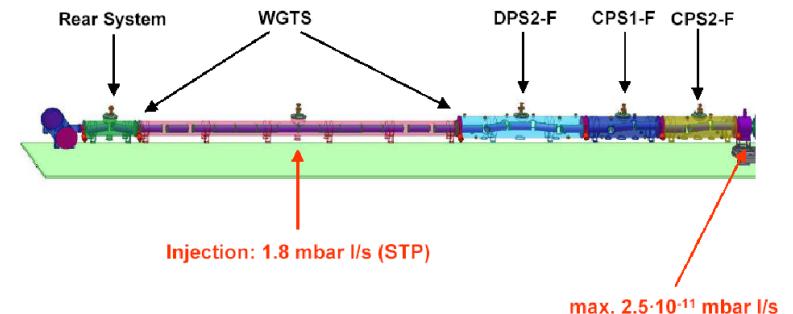
Les défis: la source gazeuse 4,7 Ci/s

pureté de la source > 95% monitorée en permanence par spectroscopie Laser Raman

$\Delta U/U < 10^{-6}$ v Précision sur tension < 60 mV

vide dans le spectromètre 10^{-11} mbar

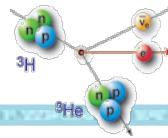
Dégazage < 10^{-13} bar.l/(s.cm²)



Nouveau bruit de fonds :

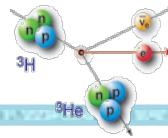
- Electrons delta venant de l'interaction du rayonnement cosmique -> fils de champs
- Radon (30 fois trop haut) piégeage avec azote liquide

Commissioning spectromètre 2012



Mesure directe: spectromètre vs calorimètre

	calorimeter approach (MARE)	spectrometer approach (KATRIN)
source	metallic Re / dielectric AgReO ₄	high purity T ₂
activity	low : $< 10^5 \beta/\text{s}$, $\approx 1\text{Bq}/\text{mg Re}$	high: $\approx 10^5 \beta/\text{s}$, 4.7 Ci/s injection
technique	single crystal bolometers	electrostatic spectrometer
solid angle	4π (source = detector)	40% of 2π (max. forw. angle 51°)
response	entire β -decay energy	kinetic energy of β -decay electrons
interval	entire spectrum	narrow interval close to E_0
method	differential energy spectrum	integrated energy spectrum
setup	modular size, scalable	integral design, size limits
resolution	$\Delta E \sim 11\text{-}25 \text{ eV (FWHM)}$	$\Delta E \sim 0.93 \text{ eV (100%)}$



Mesure directe: MARE

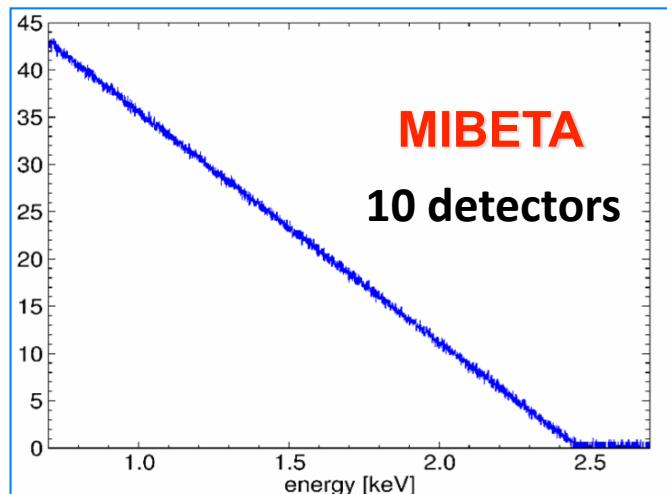
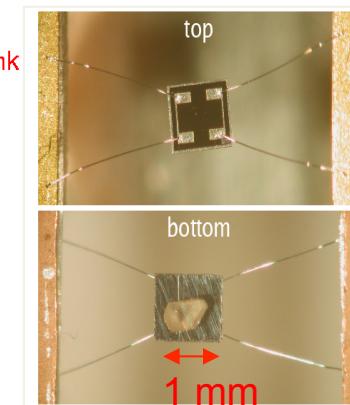
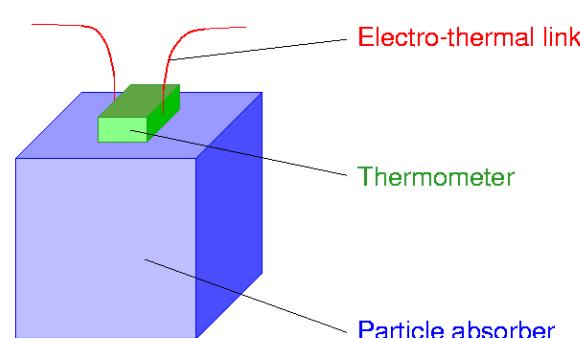
MicroBolometers of ArReO₄

$$^{187}\text{Re} Q_{\beta} = 2.47 \text{ keV}$$

Full energy measurement

No systematic from source

But time response of sensor → pile-up



$$\langle m_{\nu} \rangle^2 = -141 \pm 211_{\text{stat}} \pm 90_{\text{sys}} \text{ eV}^2$$

$$\langle m_{\nu} \rangle < 15 \text{ eV} \text{ (90% c.l.)}$$

MARE-I: 300 detectors

FWHM ~20 eV

$\tau \sim 100 - 500 \mu\text{s}$

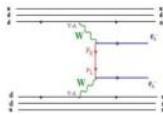
$\langle m_{\nu} \rangle < 2 - 4 \text{ eV (5 years)}$

MARE – II : 5000 detectors (~2018)

FWHM ~20 eV

$\tau \sim 1 - 5 \mu\text{s}$

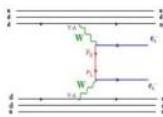
$\langle m_{\nu} \rangle < 0.2 \text{ eV (10 years)}$



Double désintégration bêta

La double désintégration bêta teste différentes propriétés du neutrino

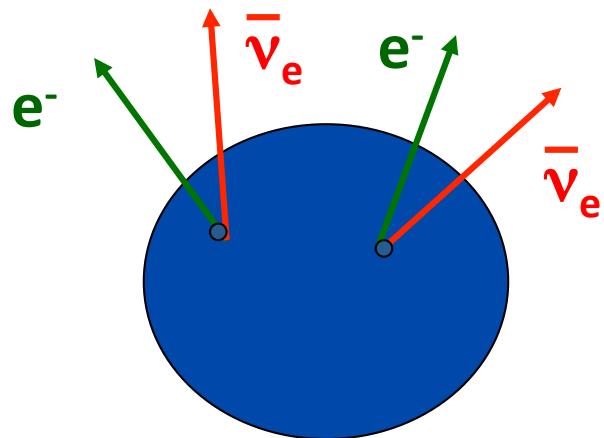
- Nature of neutrino : Dirac ($\nu \neq \bar{\nu}$) or Majorana ($\nu = \bar{\nu}$)
- Absolute neutrino mass and neutrino mass hierarchy
- Right-handed current interaction
- CP violation in leptonic sector
- Search of Supersymmetry and new particles



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$\beta\beta(2\nu)$

Double décroissance bêta avec 2 neutrinos



Processus du second ordre de l'interaction faible

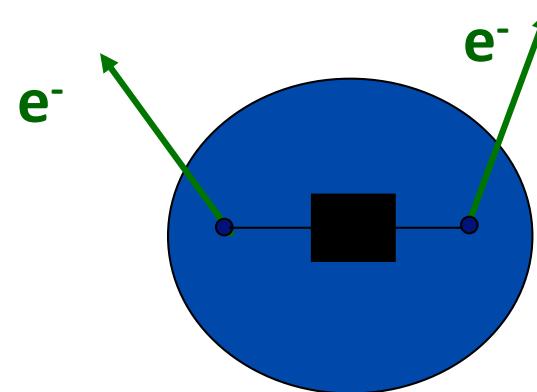
Prédit par M. Goeppert-Mayer en 1935

Observation directe en 1987

Mesure masse du neutrino

$\beta\beta(0\nu)$

Double décroissance bêta sans neutrino

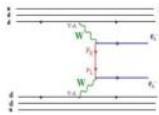


$\Delta L=2$ interdit par model standard

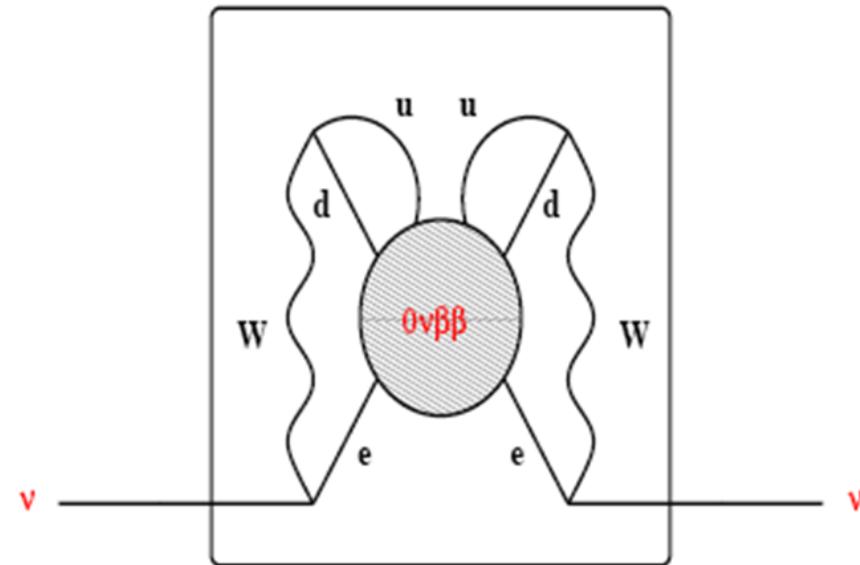
Prédit par Racah et Furry en 1937

Non obervée jusqu'à présent

Ecole de gif septembre 2011



Double désintégration bêta



Schechter & Valle, 1982

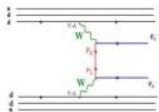
Independent of
mechanism of $0\nu\beta\beta$ decay
Majorana neutrino mass
will appear
in higher order!

Thus:

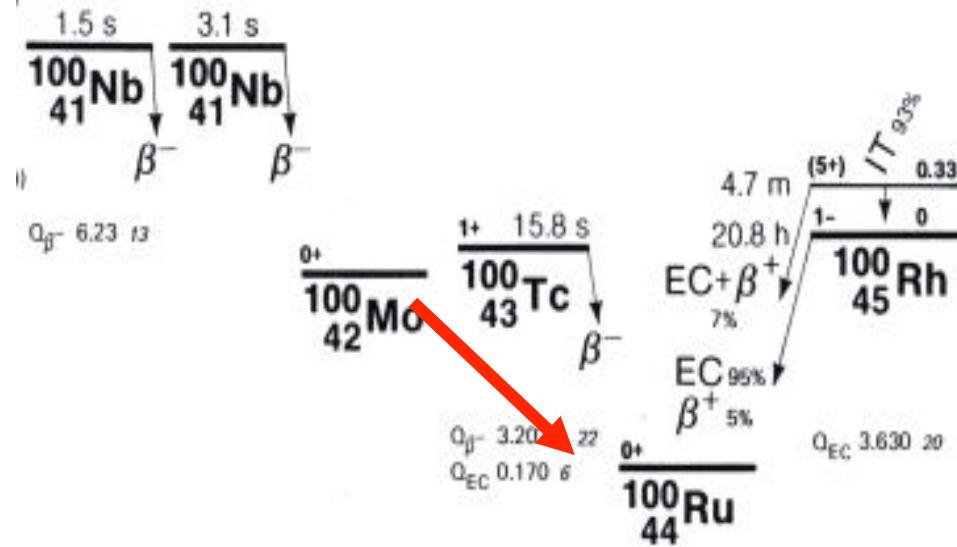
Observe $0\nu\beta\beta$ decay

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Neutrinos are Majorana particles



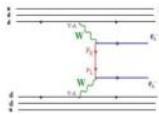
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Bêta simple interdite énergétiquement
ou fortement supprimée par moment angulaire

Transition	$Q_{\beta\beta}$ (keV)	Abondance (%)
$^{146}\text{Nd} \rightarrow ^{146}\text{Sm}$	56 ± 5	17
$^{98}\text{Mo} \rightarrow ^{98}\text{Ru}$	112 ± 7	24
$^{80}\text{Se} \rightarrow ^{80}\text{Kr}$	130 ± 9	50
$^{122}\text{Sn} \rightarrow ^{122}\text{Te}$	364 ± 4	4.6
$^{204}\text{Hg} \rightarrow ^{204}\text{Pb}$	416 ± 2	7
$^{192}\text{Os} \rightarrow ^{192}\text{Pt}$	417 ± 4	41
$^{186}\text{W} \rightarrow ^{186}\text{Os}$	490 ± 2	29
$^{114}\text{Cd} \rightarrow ^{114}\text{Sn}$	534 ± 4	29
$^{170}\text{Er} \rightarrow ^{170}\text{Yd}$	654 ± 2	15
$^{134}\text{Xe} \rightarrow ^{134}\text{Ba}$	847 ± 10	10
$^{232}\text{Th} \rightarrow ^{232}\text{U}$	858 ± 6	100
$^{128}\text{Te} \rightarrow ^{128}\text{Xe}$	868 ± 4	32
$^{46}\text{Ca} \rightarrow ^{46}\text{Ti}$	987 ± 4	-
$^{70}\text{Zn} \rightarrow ^{70}\text{Ge}$	1001 ± 3	0.6
$^{198}\text{Pt} \rightarrow ^{198}\text{Hg}$	1048 ± 4	7
$^{176}\text{Yb} \rightarrow ^{176}\text{Hf}$	1079 ± 3	13
$^{238}\text{U} \rightarrow ^{238}\text{Pu}$	1145 ± 2	99
$^{94}\text{Zr} \rightarrow ^{94}\text{Mo}$	1145 ± 2	17
$^{154}\text{Sm} \rightarrow ^{154}\text{Gd}$	1252 ± 2	23
$^{86}\text{Kr} \rightarrow ^{86}\text{Sr}$	1256 ± 5	17
$^{104}\text{Ru} \rightarrow ^{104}\text{Pd}$	1299 ± 4	19
$^{142}\text{Ce} \rightarrow ^{142}\text{Nd}$	1418 ± 3	11
$^{160}\text{Gd} \rightarrow ^{160}\text{Dy}$	1729 ± 1	22
$^{148}\text{Nd} \rightarrow ^{148}\text{Sm}$	1928 ± 2	6
$^{110}\text{Pd} \rightarrow ^{110}\text{Cd}$	2013 ± 19	12
$^{76}\text{Ge} \rightarrow ^{76}\text{Se}$	2040 ± 1	8
$^{124}\text{Sn} \rightarrow ^{124}\text{Te}$	2288 ± 2	6
$^{136}\text{Xe} \rightarrow ^{136}\text{Ba}$	2479 ± 8	9
$^{130}\text{Te} \rightarrow ^{130}\text{Xe}$	2533 ± 4	34
$^{116}\text{Cd} \rightarrow ^{116}\text{Sn}$	2802 ± 4	7
$^{82}\text{Se} \rightarrow ^{82}\text{Kr}$	2995 ± 6	9
$^{100}\text{Mo} \rightarrow ^{100}\text{Ru}$	3034 ± 6	10
$^{96}\text{Zr} \rightarrow ^{96}\text{Mo}$	3350 ± 3	3
$^{150}\text{Nd} \rightarrow ^{150}\text{Sm}$	3667 ± 2	6
$^{48}\text{Ca} \rightarrow ^{48}\text{Ti}$	4271 ± 4	0.2

35 $\beta\beta$ émetteurs



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Process:

Light neutrino exchange

(V+A) current

Majoron emission

SUSY

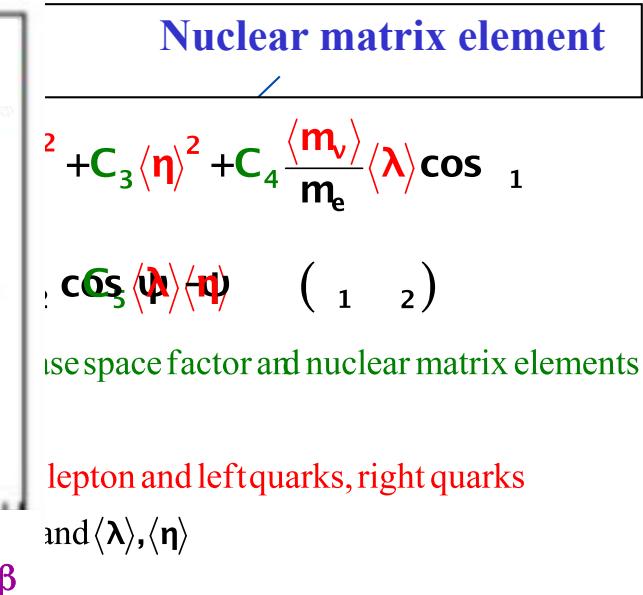
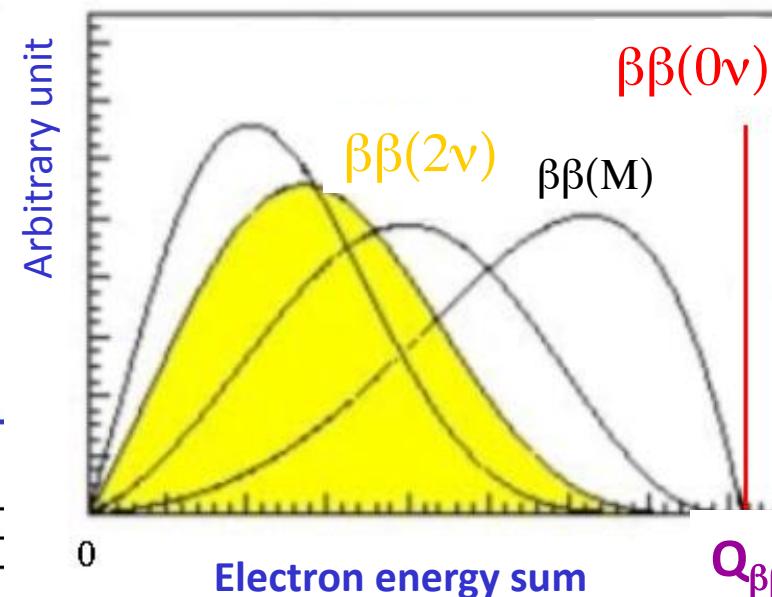
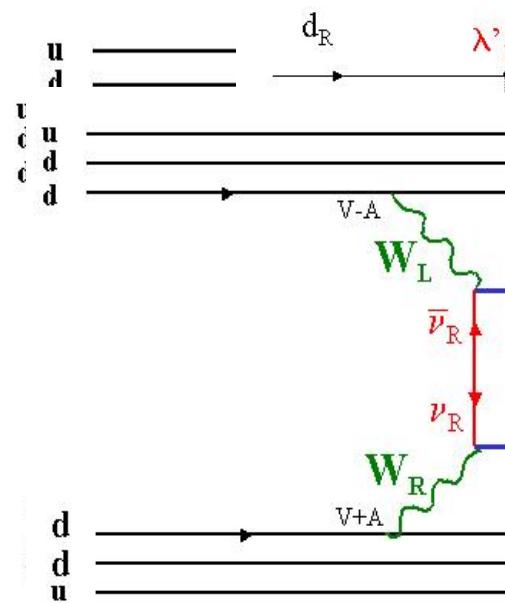
Parameters

$\langle m_\nu \rangle$

$\langle m_\nu \rangle, \langle \lambda \rangle, \langle \eta \rangle$

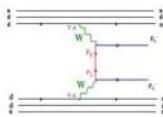
$\langle g_M \rangle$

$\lambda'_{111}, \lambda'_{113}, \lambda'_{131}, \dots$

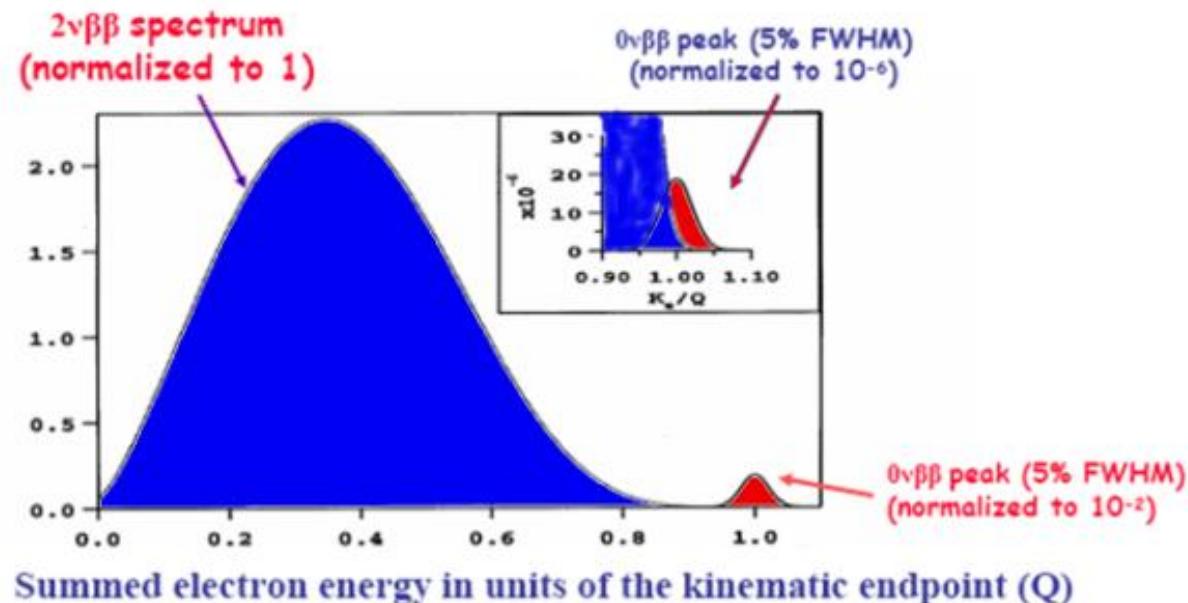


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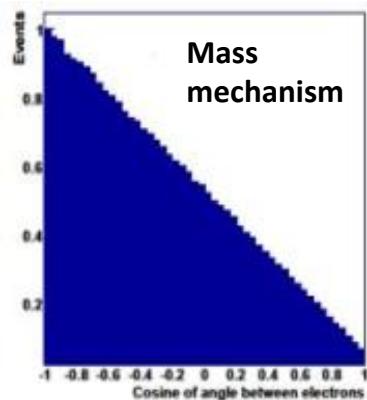
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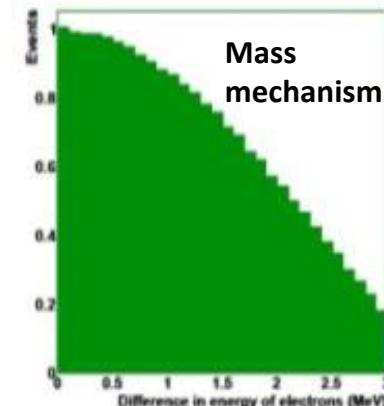
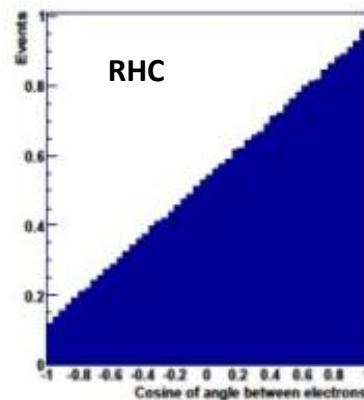
Observables expérimentales



From G. Gratta

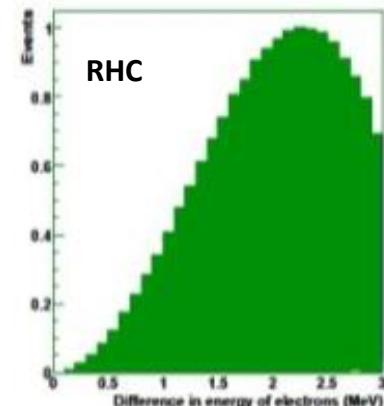


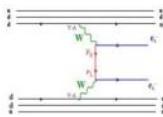
Angular distribution



Ee1 – Ee2 distribution

150Nd distribution s arxiv: 1005.1241v1 [hep-ex]





Masse effective et oscillations

Masse effective en fonction des oscillations de neutrino

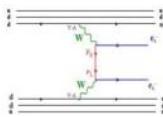
$$\begin{aligned}\langle m_\nu \rangle &= c_\odot^2 c_R^2 m_{\nu_1} \\ &+ s_\odot^2 c_R^2 e^{i\alpha} \sqrt{m_{\nu_1}^2 + \Delta m_\odot^2} \\ &+ s_R^2 e^{i\beta} \sqrt{m_{\nu_1}^2 + \Delta m_\odot^2 + \Delta m_{\text{Atm}}^2}\end{aligned}$$

Normal

hierarchy: $\langle m_\nu \rangle \simeq s_{12}^2 \sqrt{\Delta m_\odot^2} \simeq 3 \times 10^{-3} \text{ eV}$

Inverse

hierarchy: $\langle m_\nu \rangle \simeq \sqrt{\Delta m_{\text{Atm}}^2} \simeq 5 \times 10^{-2} \text{ eV}$

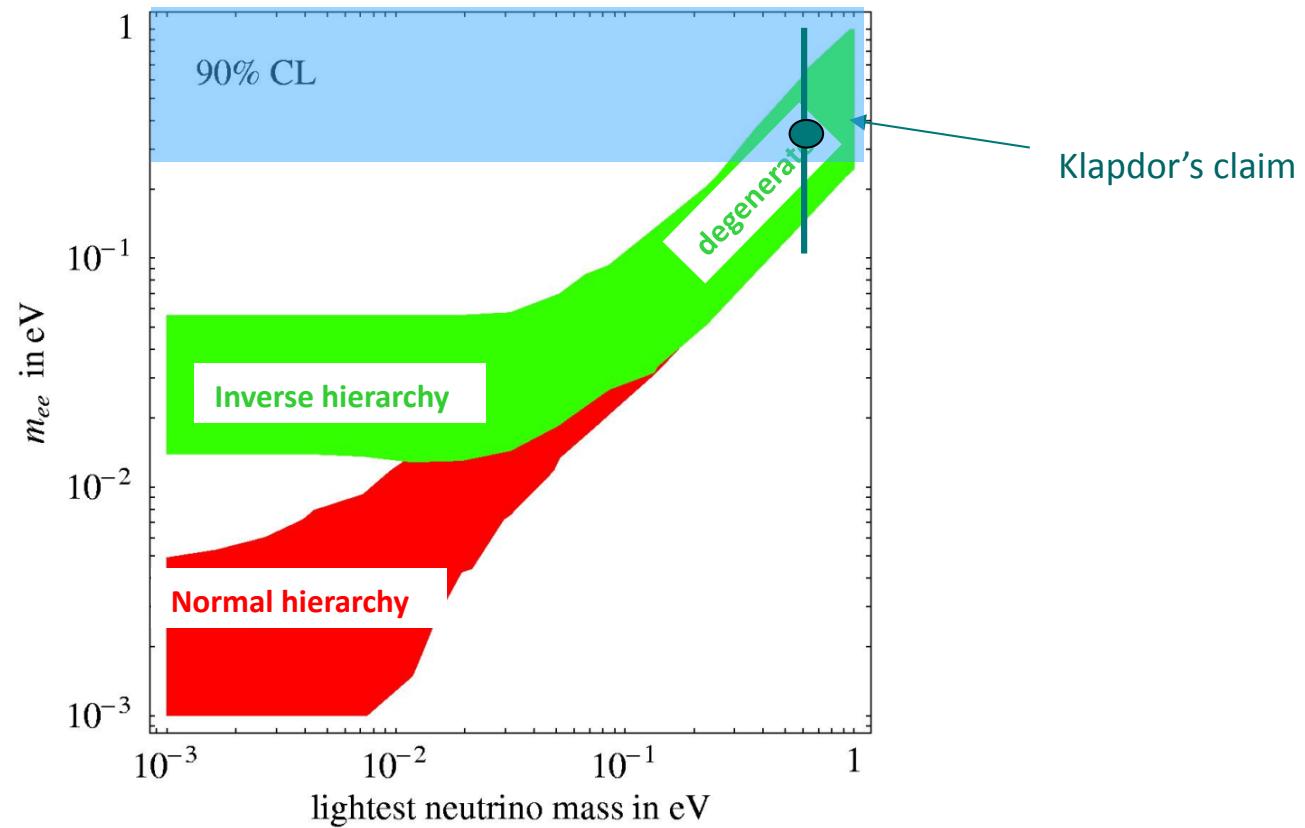


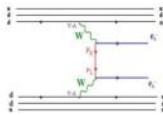
Masse effective et oscillations

$$\langle m_\nu \rangle = \left| \sum_i U_{ei} m_i \right| = \left| \cos^2 \theta_{13} (\bar{m}_1 \cos^2 \theta_{12} + \bar{m}_2 e^{2ia} \sin^2 \theta_{12}) + \bar{m}_3 e^{2i\beta} \sin^2 \theta_{13} \right|$$

Expériences ~10 kg

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IGEX
Cuoricino
NEMO3





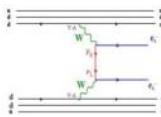
Comment choisir le meilleur noyau

$$T_{1/2}^{-1} = F(Q_{\beta\beta}^5, Z) |M|^2 \langle m_\nu \rangle^2$$

Les critères possibles:

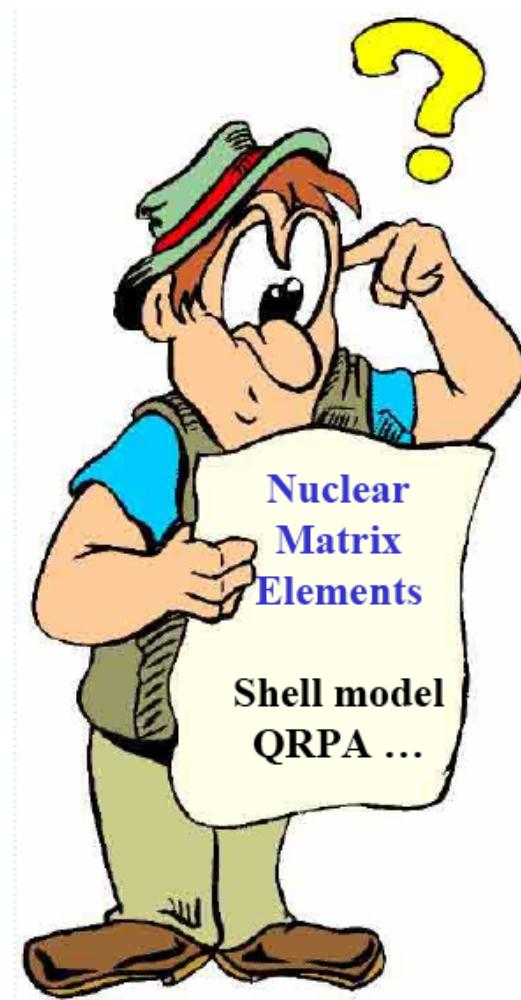
- Espace de phase (bruit de fond)
- La possibilité d'enrichissement
- Element de matrice nucléaire
- Technique expérimentale

	$Q_{\beta\beta}$ (MeV)	Abondance isotopique
$^{48}\text{Ca} \rightarrow ^{48}\text{Ti}$	4.271	0.187
$^{76}\text{Ge} \rightarrow ^{76}\text{Se}$	2.040	7.8
$^{82}\text{Se} \rightarrow ^{82}\text{Kr}$	2.995	9.2
$^{96}\text{Zr} \rightarrow ^{96}\text{Mo}$	3.350	2.8
$^{100}\text{Mo} \rightarrow ^{100}\text{Ru}$	3.034	9.6
$^{110}\text{Pd} \rightarrow ^{110}\text{Cd}$	2.013	11.8
$^{116}\text{Cd} \rightarrow ^{116}\text{Sn}$	2.802	7.5
$^{124}\text{Sn} \rightarrow ^{124}\text{Te}$	2.228	5.64
$^{130}\text{Te} \rightarrow ^{130}\text{Xe}$	2.533	34.5
$^{136}\text{Xe} \rightarrow ^{136}\text{Ba}$	2.479	8.9
$^{150}\text{Nd} \rightarrow ^{150}\text{Sm}$	3.367	5.6



Les éléments de matrice nucléaire

Nuclear matrix elements



Experimentalists:

- What are the best $0\nu\beta\beta$ -decay candidates?

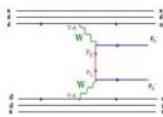
Particle physicists:

- What is the absolute ν mass scale?
- Will the evidence of the $0\nu\beta\beta$ -decay allow to conclude about Majorana CP-phases?

It is a complex task

- Medium and heavy open shell nuclei with a complicated nuclear structure
- The construction of complete set of the states of the intermediate nucleus is needed
- Many-body problem \Rightarrow approximations needed
- Nuclear structure input has to be fixed

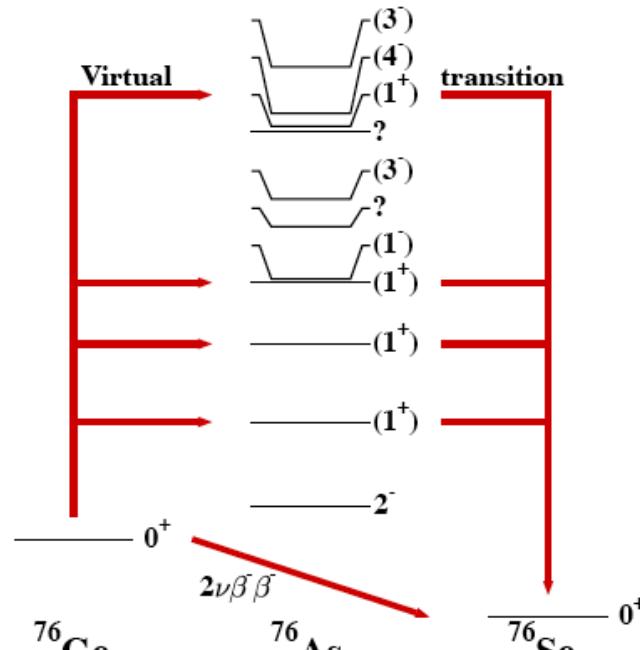
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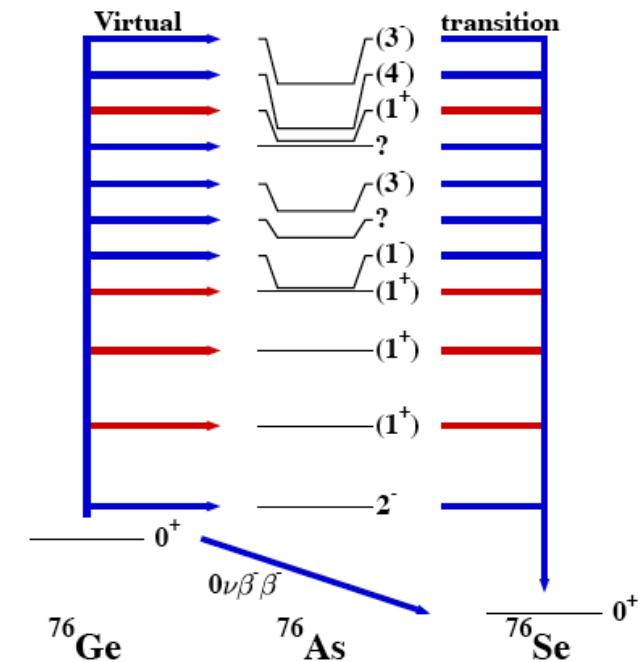
$\beta\beta(2\nu)$

$$T_{1/2}^{-1} = F'(Q_{\beta\beta}, Z) |M'|^2 \langle m_\nu \rangle^2$$



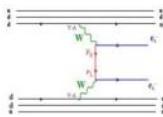
$\beta\beta(0\nu)$

$$T_{1/2}^{-1} = F(Q_{\beta\beta}, Z) |M|^2 \langle m_\nu \rangle^2$$



LES NME ne sont pas les mêmes, contribution des tous les états intermédiaires pour $\beta\beta(0\nu)$

Modèle en couche ou QRPA



Les éléments de matrice nucléaire

Uncertainties

List of reasons, why QRPA-like $0\nu\beta\beta$ -decay NME
are different (13 reasons)

Quasiparticle mean field
fixing of pp,nn (pn) pairing

two-nucleon s.r.c. (~ 50%)
has to be considered

Many-body approximations
QRPA, RQRPA, SRQRPA

finite size of nucleon (~10%)
form factors

Choice of NN interaction
Schem., realistic (Bonn, Paris ...)

h.o.t. of nucleon curr. (~30%)
Induced PS, weak magnetism

the closure approximation
p-h interaction ($g_{ph} \approx 1$)
fixed to GT resonance

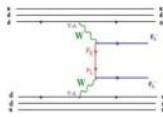
the overlap factor
the BCS overlap

The size of model space

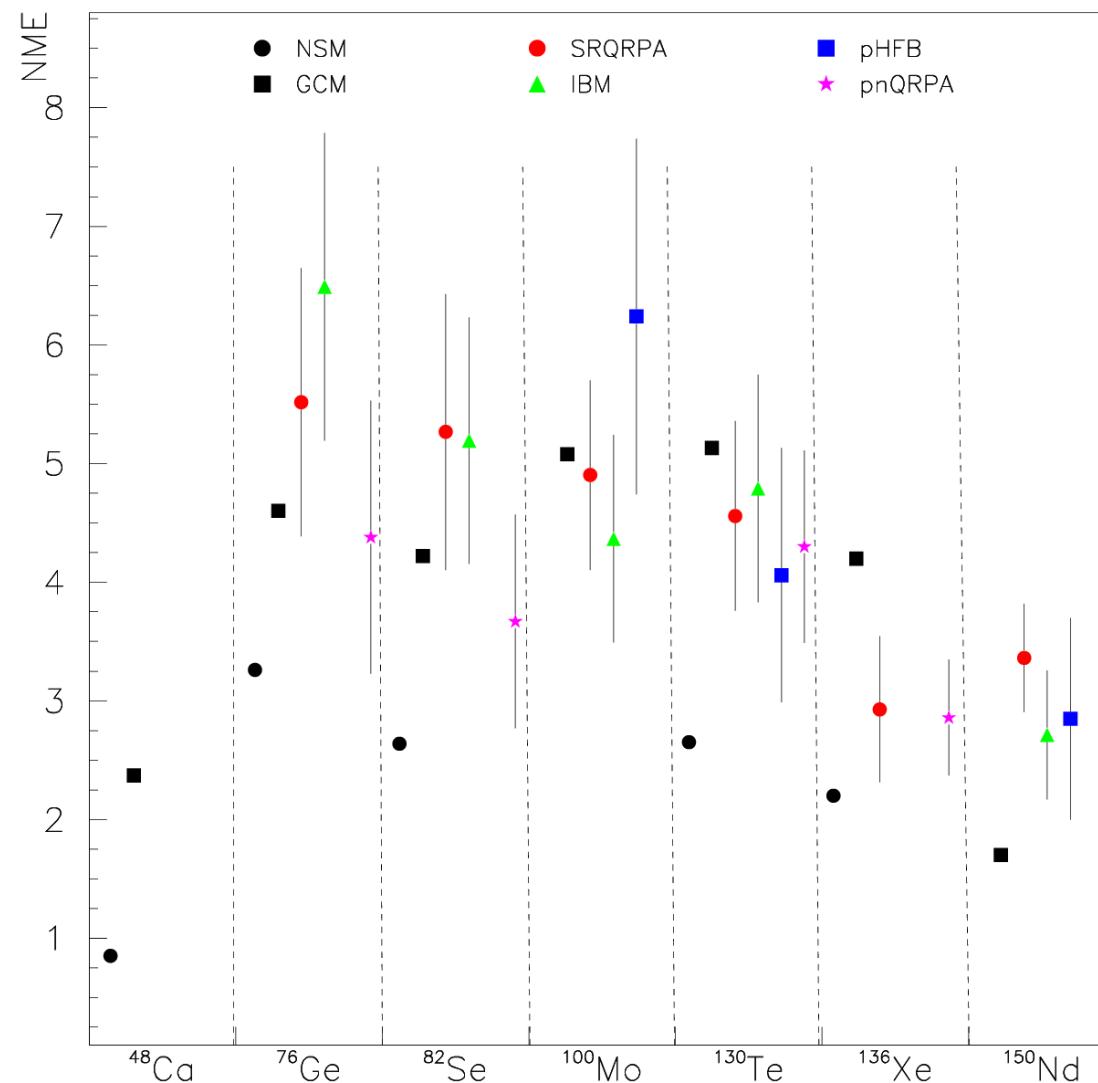
the axial-vector coupling
 $g_A = 1.0$ or 1.25

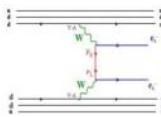
p-p interaction (g_{pp})
fixed to β or $\beta\beta$ -decay resonance,
or $g_{pp} = 1$

Nuclear shape
Spherical, not deformed yet



Les éléments de matrice nucléaire





Les éléments de matrice nucléaire

Isotope	Q [keV]	Nat. abund. (enr.) [%]	$G_{0\nu}$ ($\tilde{G}_{0\nu}^{76}$) [10^{-14} (y^{-1})] ^a	$M_{0\nu}$ ^a	$T_{1/2,2\nu,exp}$ [10^{19} (y)]
⁴⁸ Ca	4270	0.187 (73 ^b)	6.35 (16.1)	0.85 – 2.37	4.4 ^e
⁷⁶ Ge	2039	7.83 (86 ^c)	0.623 (1)	2.81 – 7.24	155 ^f
⁸² Se	2995	8.73 (97 ^b)	2.70 (4)	2.64 – 6.46	9.6 ^e
⁹⁶ Zr	3350	2.8 (57 ^b)	5.63 (7.1)	1.56 – 5.65	2.35 ^e
¹⁰⁰ Mo	3034	9.63 (99 ^b)	4.36 (5.3)	3.103 – 7.77	0.716 ^e
¹¹⁶ Cd	2802	7.49 (93 ^b)	4.62 (4.8)	2.51 – 4.72	2.88 ^e
¹³⁰ Te	2527	34.08 (90 ^b)	4.09 (3.8)	2.65 – 5.50	70 ^e
¹³⁶ Xe	2480	8.857 (80 ^d)	4.31 (3.9)	1.71 – 4.2	211 ^g
¹⁵⁰ Nd	3367	5.6 (91 ^b)	19.2 (15.6)	1.71 – 3.7	0.91 ^e

Q : below 2.6 ²⁰⁸Tl γ -line, below 3.2 ²¹⁴Bi Q -value

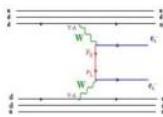
$\tilde{G}_{0\nu}^{76} = (G_{0\nu}/A)$ then normalized to the value for ⁷⁶Ge

$M_{0\nu}$: small theor. value or difficult to compute...

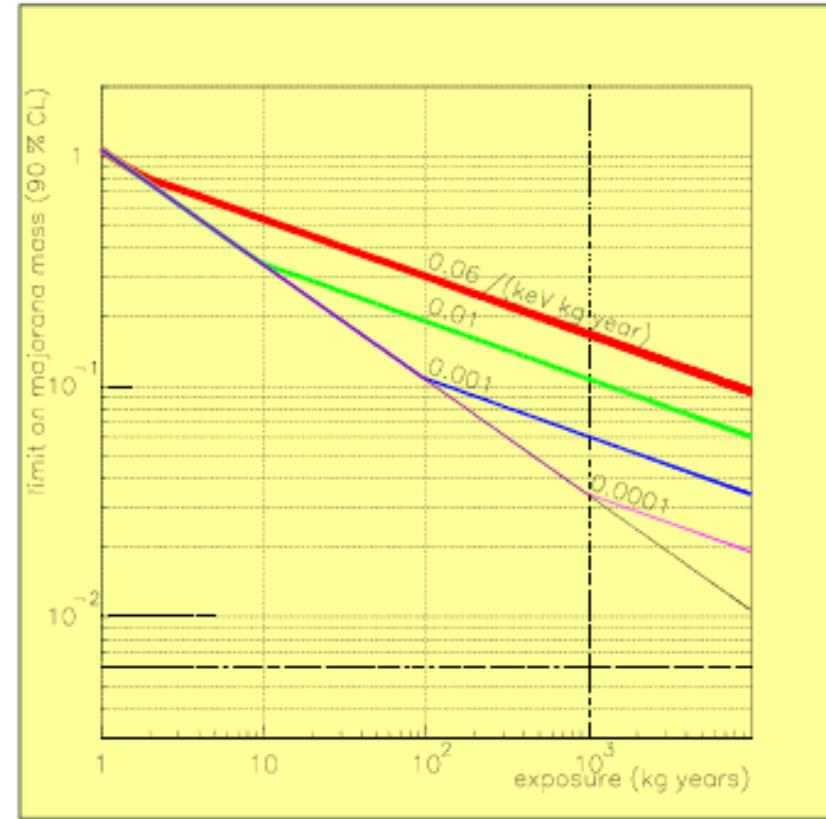
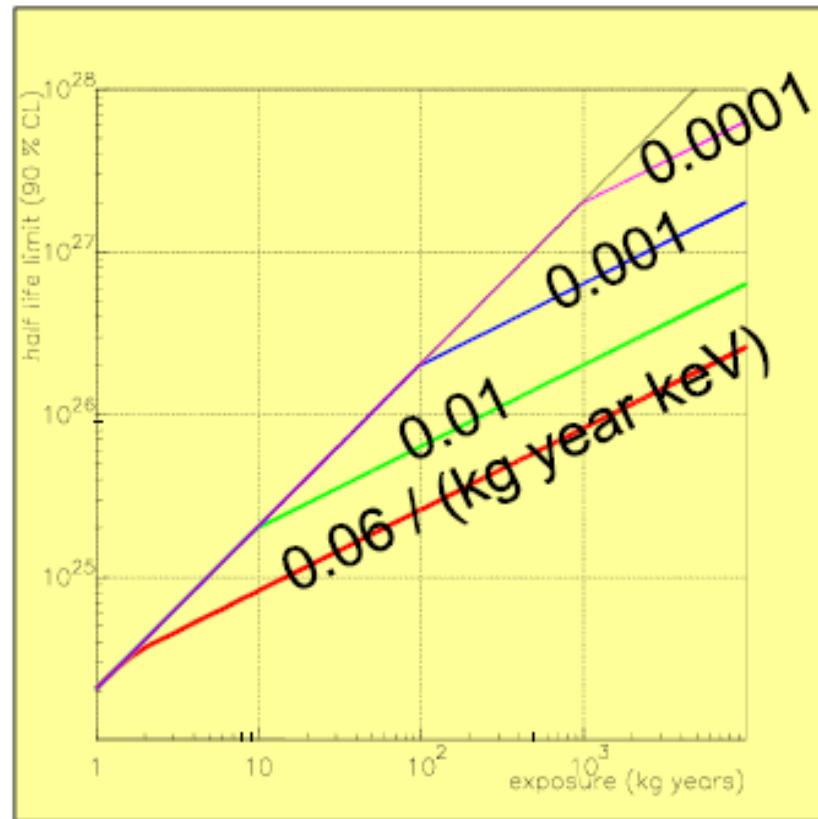
^a from PRD 83, 113010 (2011)

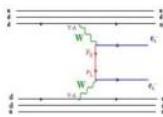
^b achieved in NEMO-3, ^c achieved in HM, ^d achieved in EXO-200

^e from NEMO3 (see TAUP 2011), ^f from HM, ^g from EXO-200 (arXiv-1108.4193)



Les effets du bruit de fond





Les sources de bruit de fond

Natural radioactivity (^{40}K , ^{60}Co , $^{234\text{m}}\text{Pa}$, external ^{214}Bi and $^{208}\text{Tl}...$)

^{214}Bi and Radon

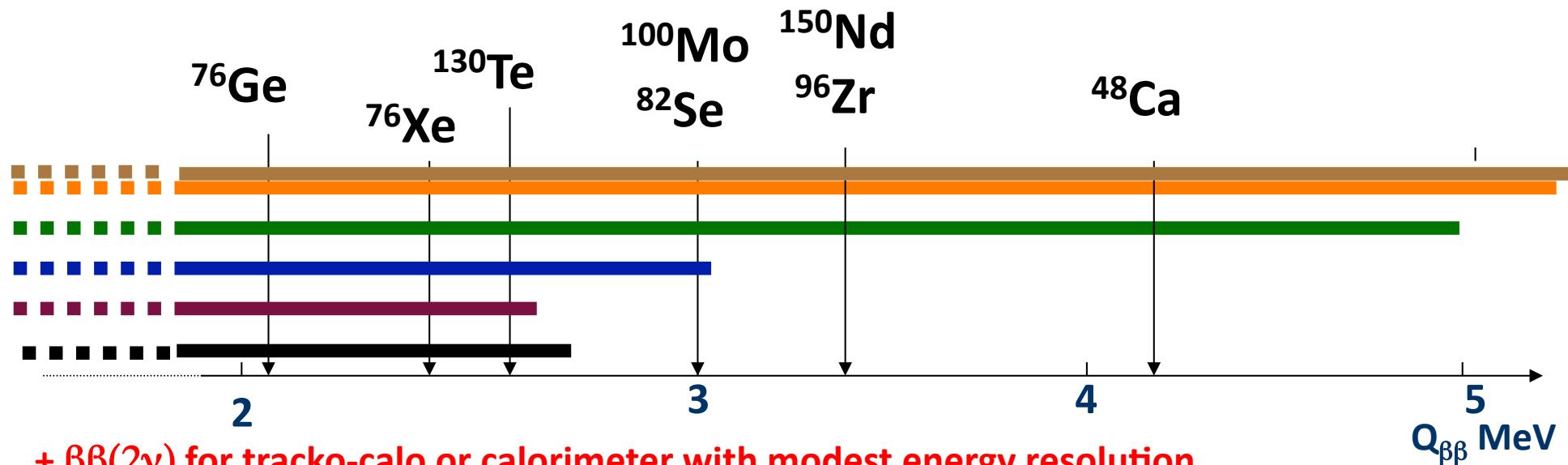
^{208}Tl (2.6 MeV γ line) and Thoron

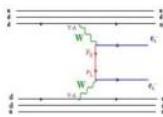
γ from (n,γ) reaction and muons bremsstrahlung

+ more specific background for calorimeter

Surface or bulk contamination in α emitters

cosmogenic production





Les techniques expérimentales

With background:

$$T_{1/2}^{0\nu}(y) > \frac{\ln 2 \cdot \mathcal{N}}{k_{\text{C.L.}}} \cdot \frac{\epsilon}{A} \cdot \sqrt{\frac{M \cdot t}{N_{\text{Bckg}} \cdot \Delta E}}$$

M: masse (g) $k_{\text{C.L.}}$: Confidence level

ϵ : efficiency \mathcal{N} : Avogadro number

t: time (y) N_{Bckg} : Background events ($\text{keV}^{-1} \cdot \text{g}^{-1} \cdot \text{y}^{-1}$)

ΔE : energy resolution (keV)

No background:

$$T_{1/2}^{0\nu}(y) \propto \frac{\epsilon}{A} M \cdot t$$

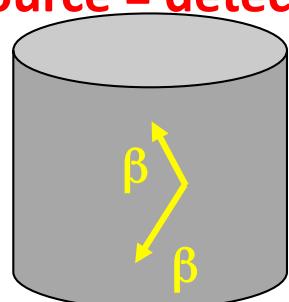
Today, no technique able to optimize all the parameters

Calorimeter

Semi-conductors

Bolometers

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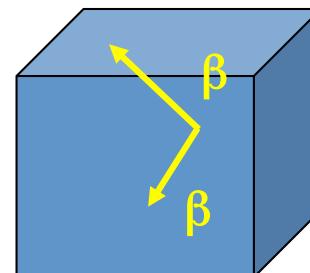


$\epsilon, \Delta E$

Calorimeter

(Loaded) Scintillator

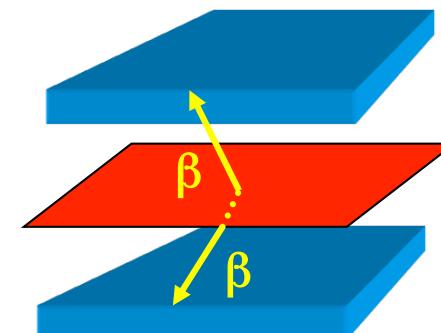
Source = detector



ϵ, M

Tracko-calor

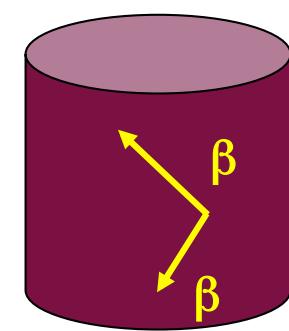
Source ≠ detector



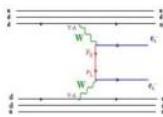
$N_{\text{Bckg}}, \text{isotope choice}$

Xe TPC

Source = detector

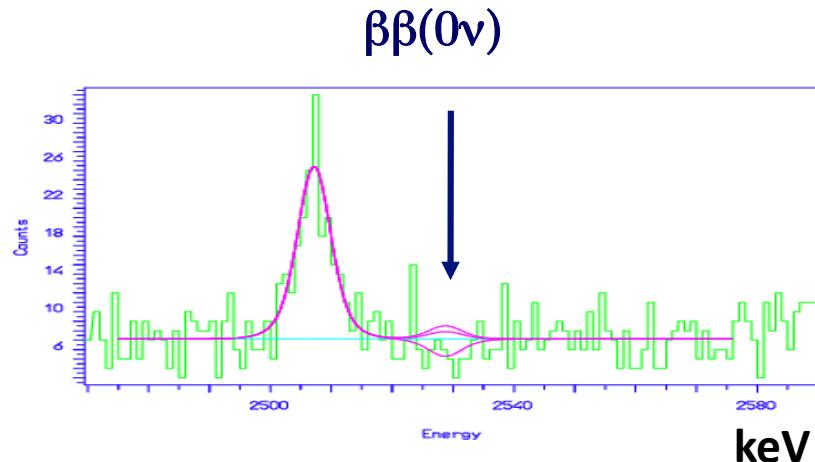
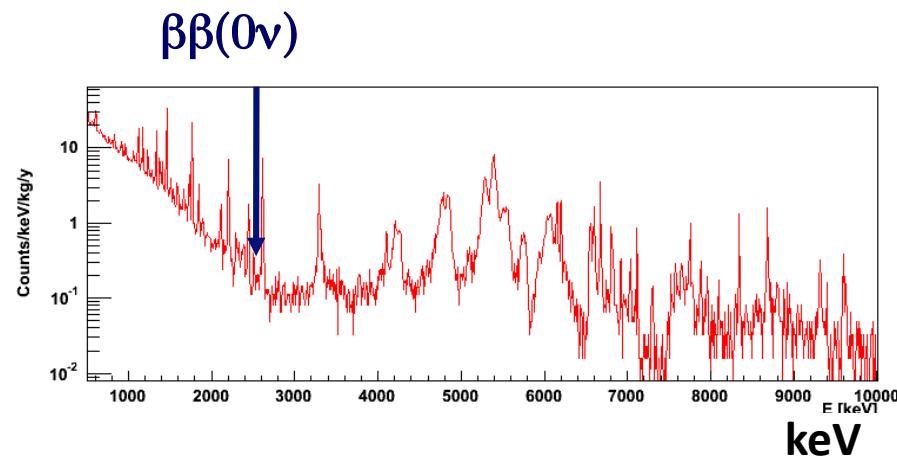


$\epsilon, M, (N_{\text{Bckg}})$

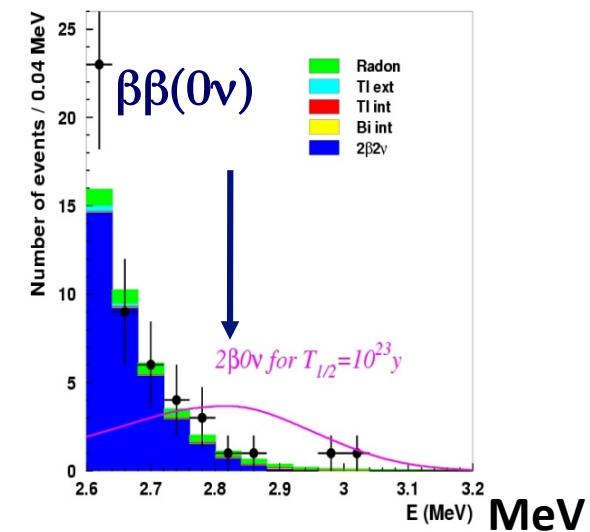
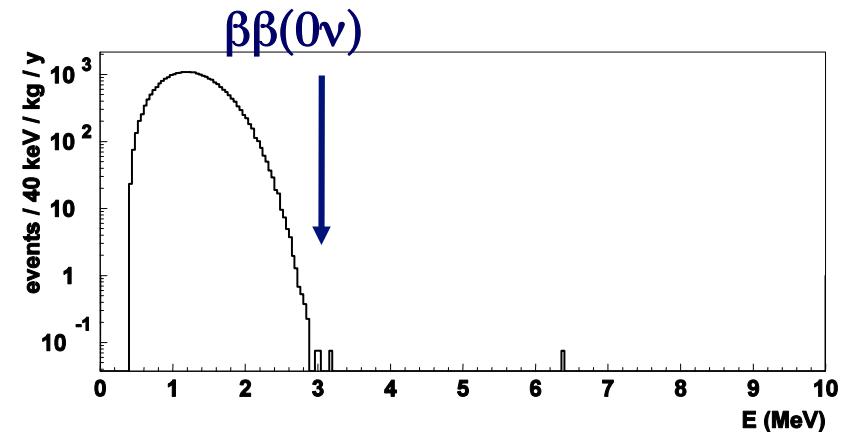


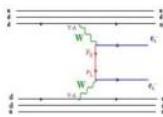
Les techniques expérimentales

High energy resolution
Modest background rejection



High background rejection
Modest energy resolution

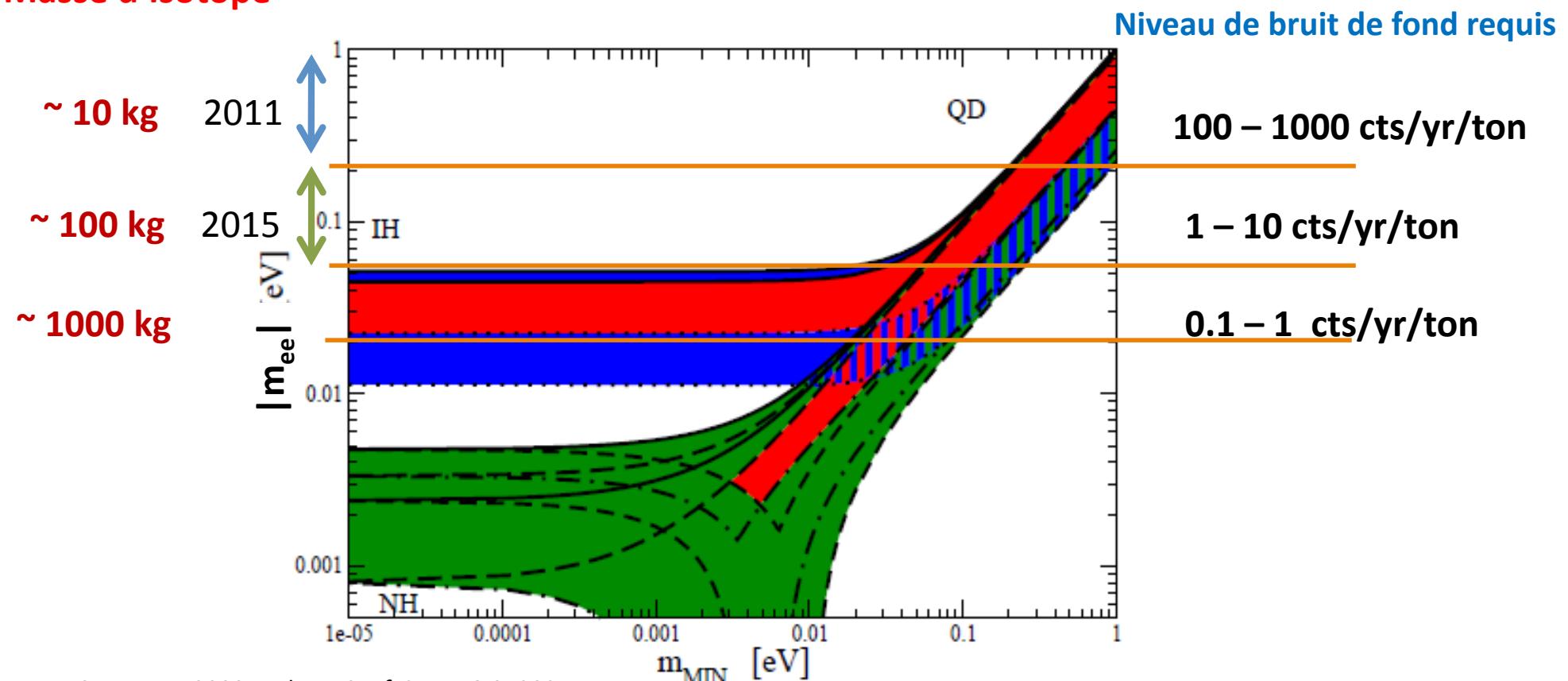




Présent et futur

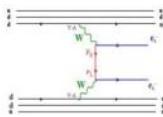
$$|\langle m_\nu \rangle| = |\sum U_{e_i}^2 m_i| = |\cos^2 \theta_{13} (m_1 \cos^2 \theta_{12} + m_2 e^{2i\alpha} \sin^2 \theta_{12}) + m_3 e^{2i\beta} \sin^2 \theta_{13}|$$

Masse d'isotope

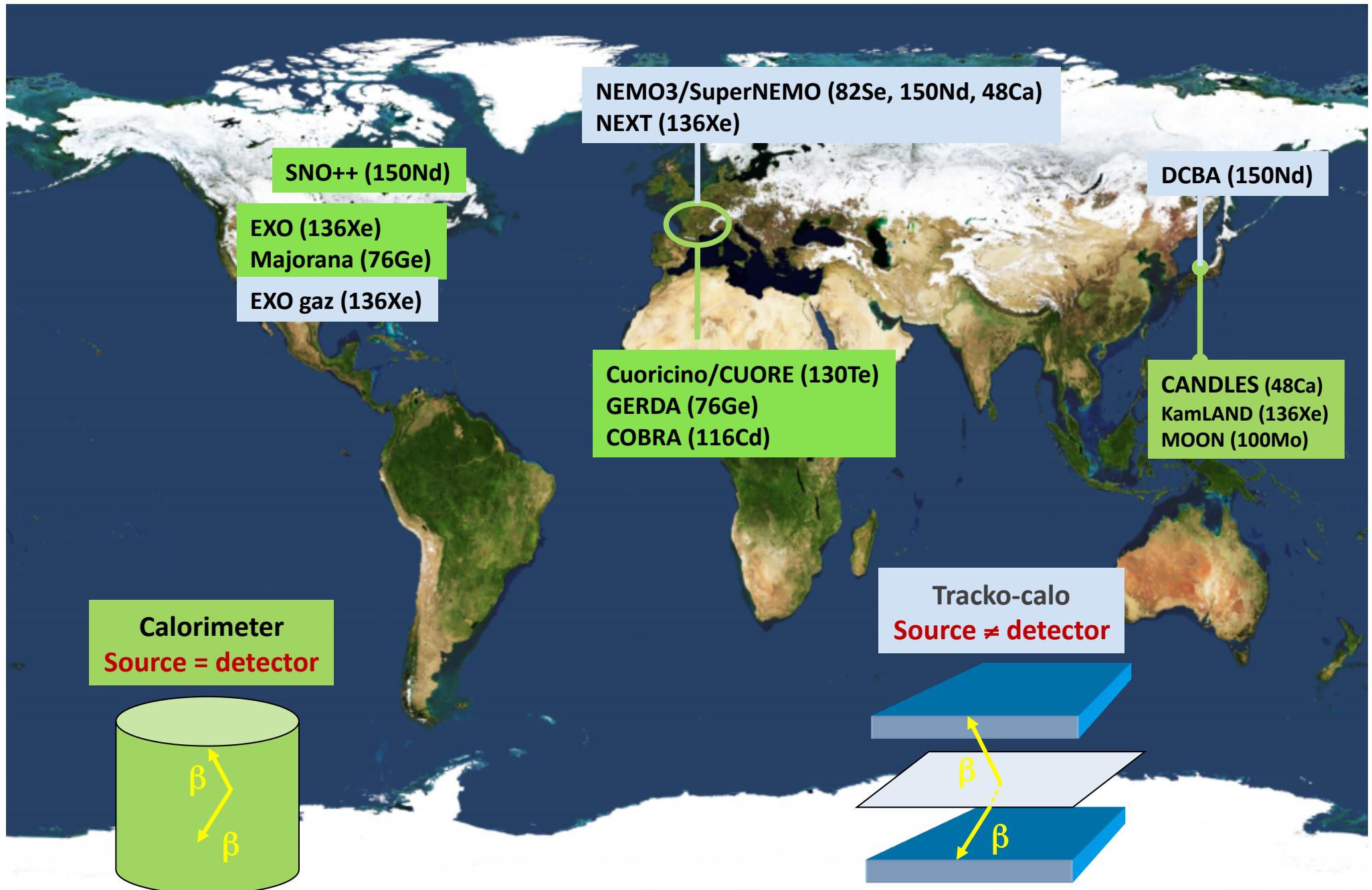


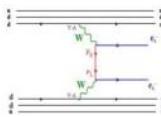
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Next step ~ 100 kg experiment 2011 - 2015

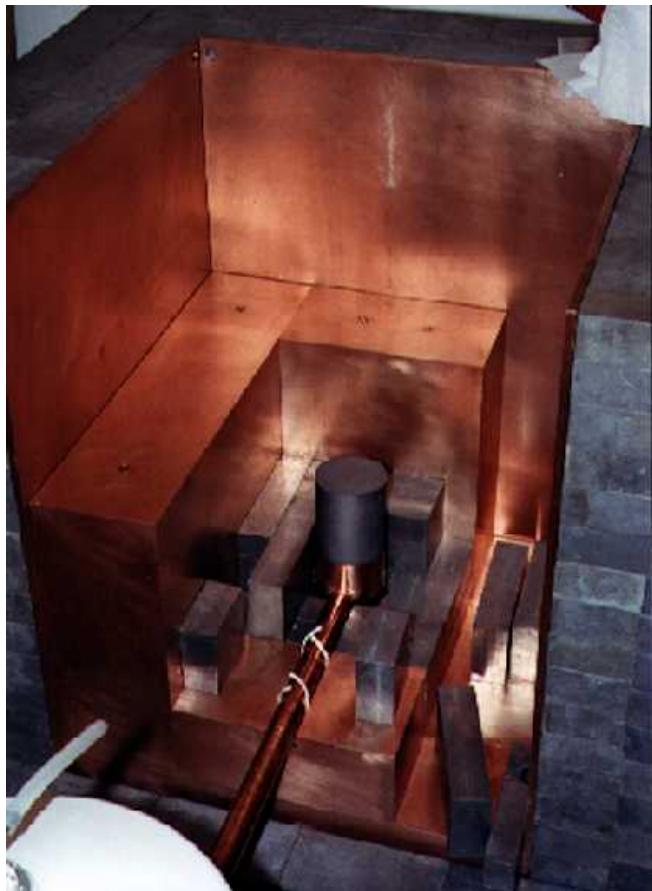


Les expériences dans le monde

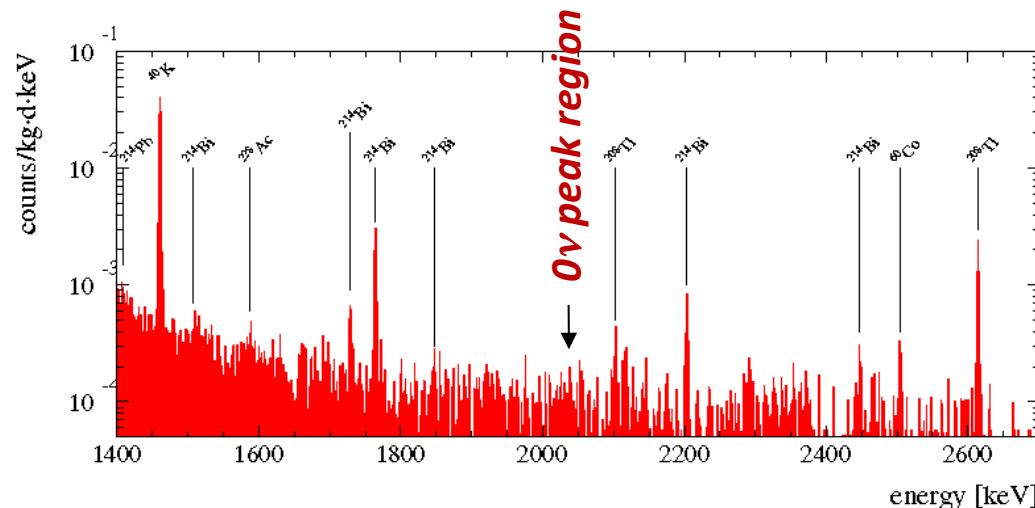




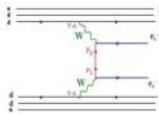
Les détecteurs Germanium



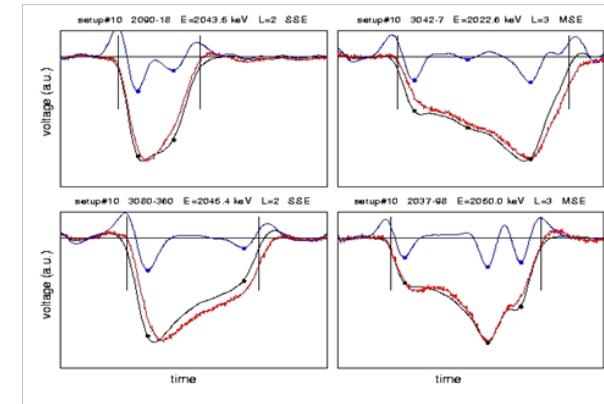
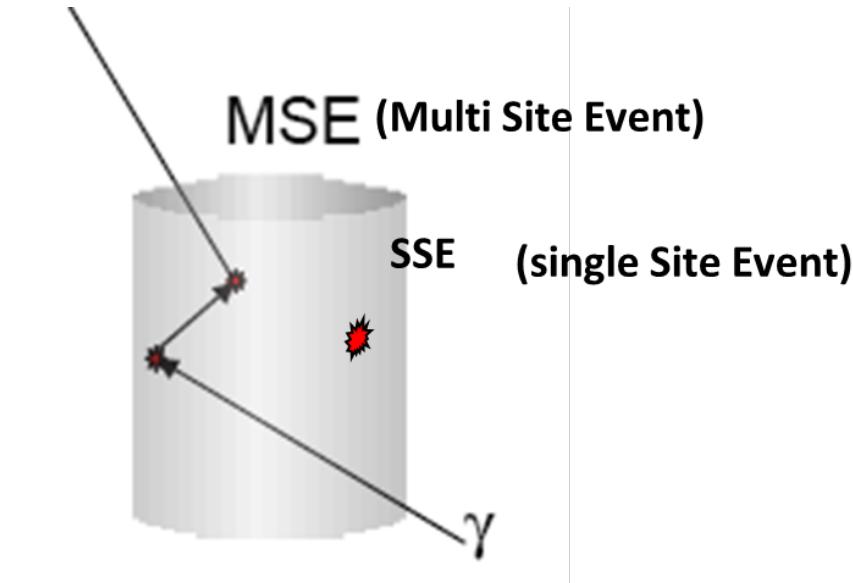
Ge detector: - Very good energy resolution
- Efficiency
- Compact detector



	M(kg.y)	T _{1/2} (y)	<m>
HM	36.53	>1.9 10 ²⁵	0.35-1.05
IGEX	4.64	>1.57 10 ²⁵	0.33-1.31



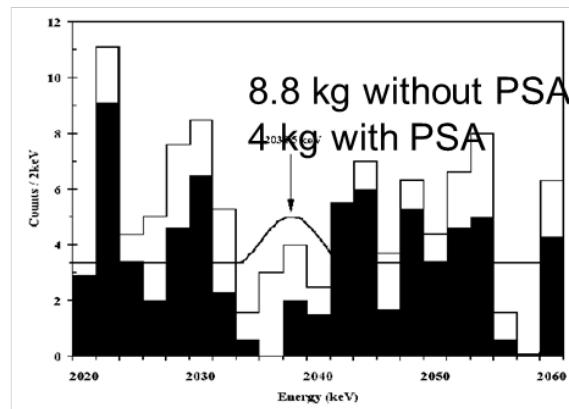
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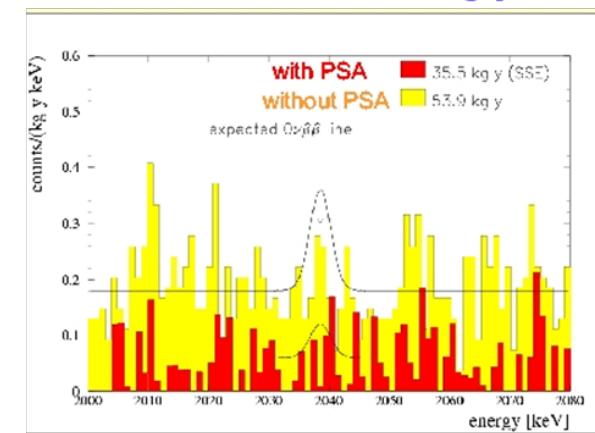
Efficiency to reject bad events: 60-80 %

HM: 0.06 counts/kg.y.keV

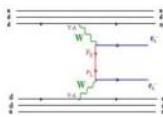
IGEX: 0.09 counts/kg.y.keV



IGEX

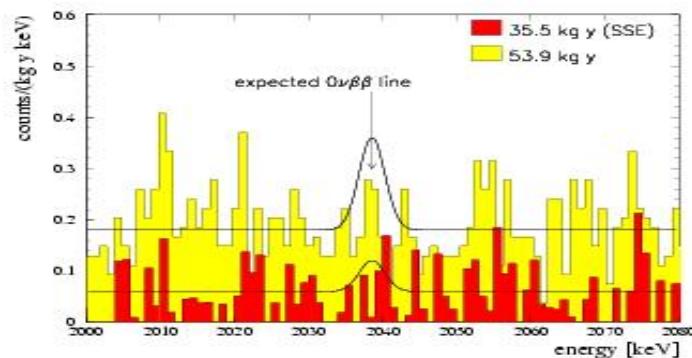


HM



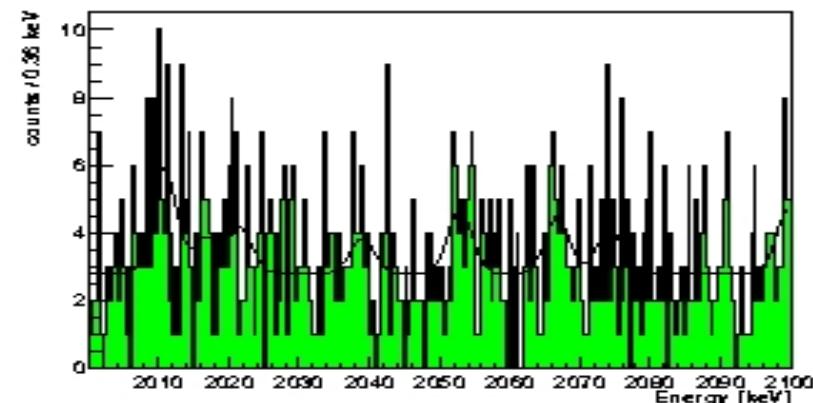
H-M claim

2001



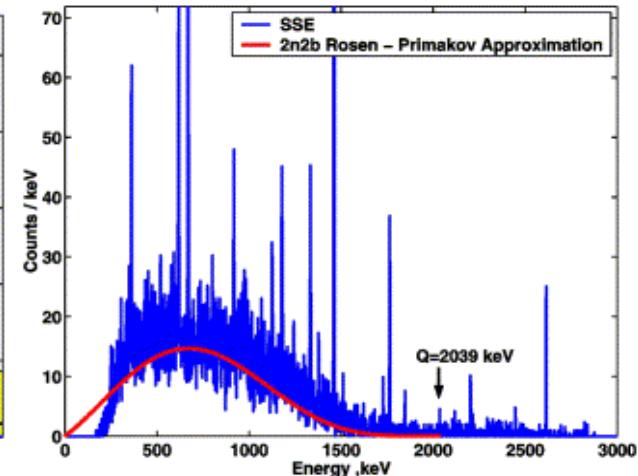
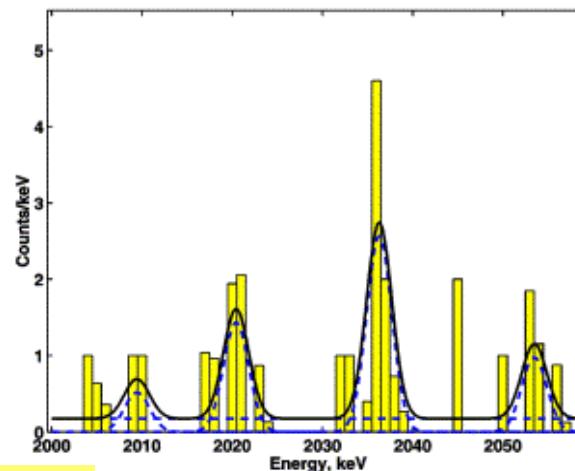
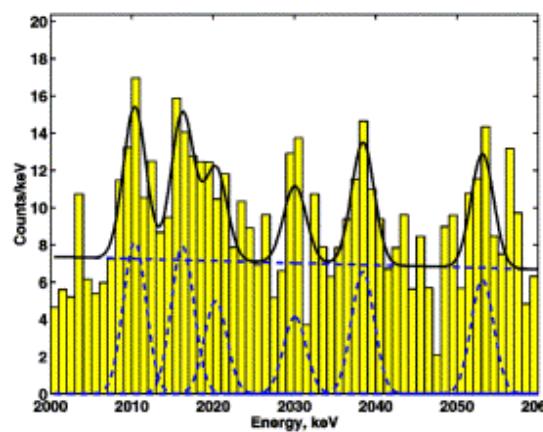
$$T_{1/2} > 1.9 \cdot 10^{25} \quad \langle m_n \rangle < 0.35 - 1.05 \text{ (90\%)}$$

2002 (3.1 σ)



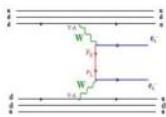
$$T_{1/2} = (0.8 - 18.3) \cdot 10^{25} \text{ y} \quad \langle m_n \rangle = 0.11 - 0.56 \text{ eV}$$

2004: new calibration (4 σ)



$$T_{\frac{1}{2}} = (0.69 - 4.18) \cdot 10^{25} \text{ ans(90 CL)} \\ \langle m_\nu \rangle = 0.28 - 0.58 \text{ eV}$$

Best value: 0.39 eV



H-M claim

Statistical effect ?

Estimation of the background level ?

Problems for some well-known peaks (^{214}Bi)

Some unknown lines in the same region

Les possibilités

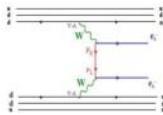
^{56}Co produced by cosmic rays (2034 keV photon + 6 keV X-ray)

$^{76}\text{Ge}(n, \gamma)^{77}\text{Ge}$ (2038 keV photon)

Some unknown line

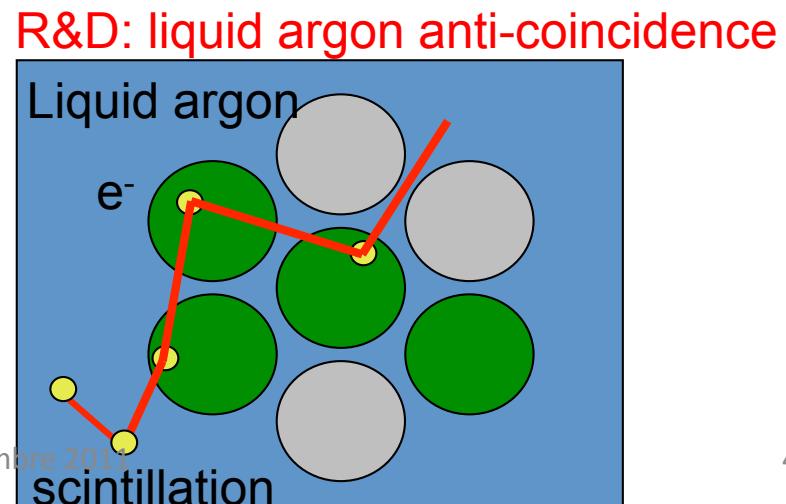
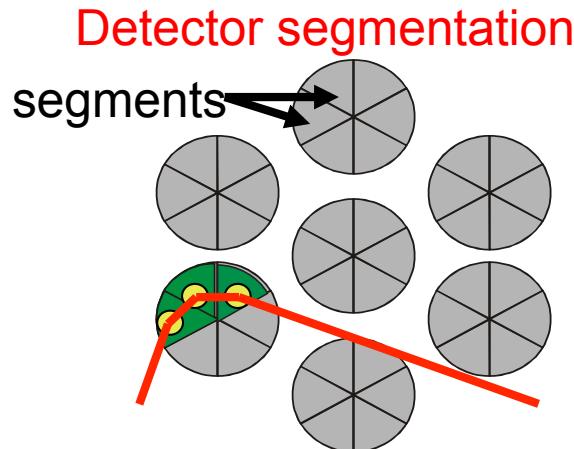
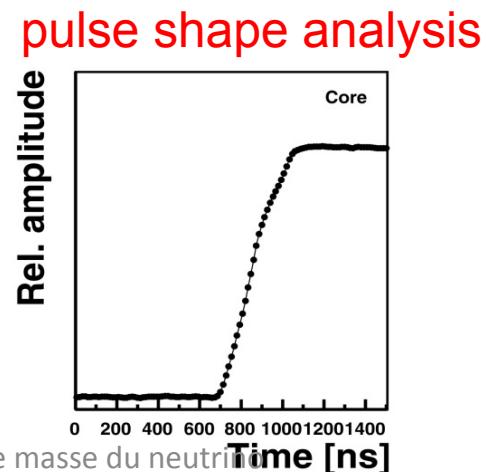
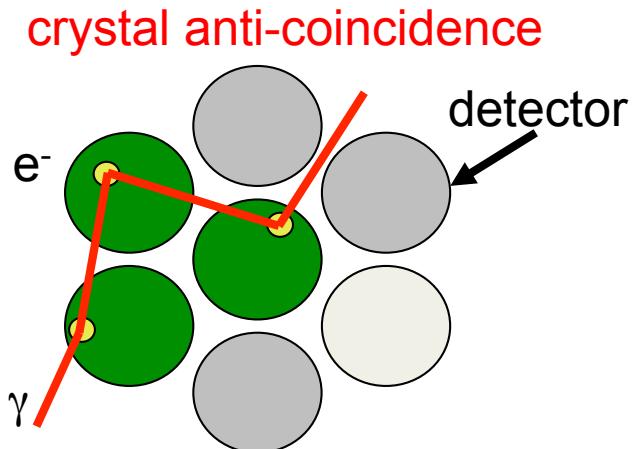
Inelastic neutron scattering ($n, n'\gamma$) on lead

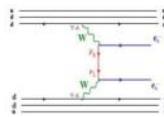
Other suggestions, can be combination of all



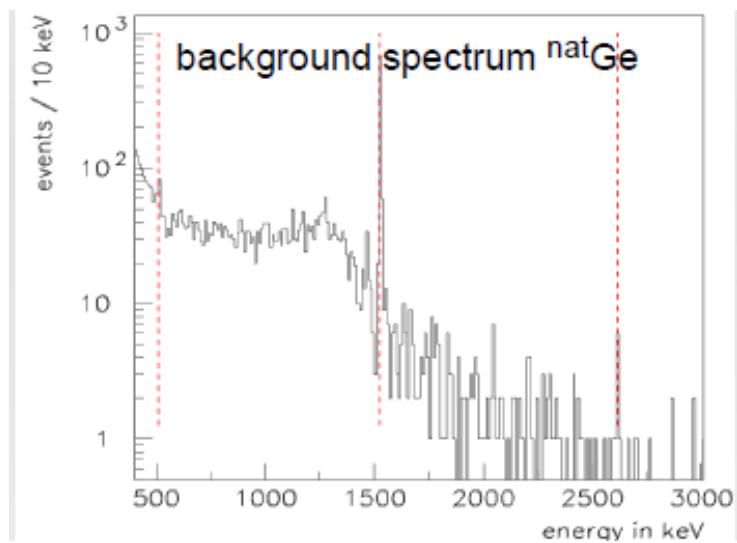
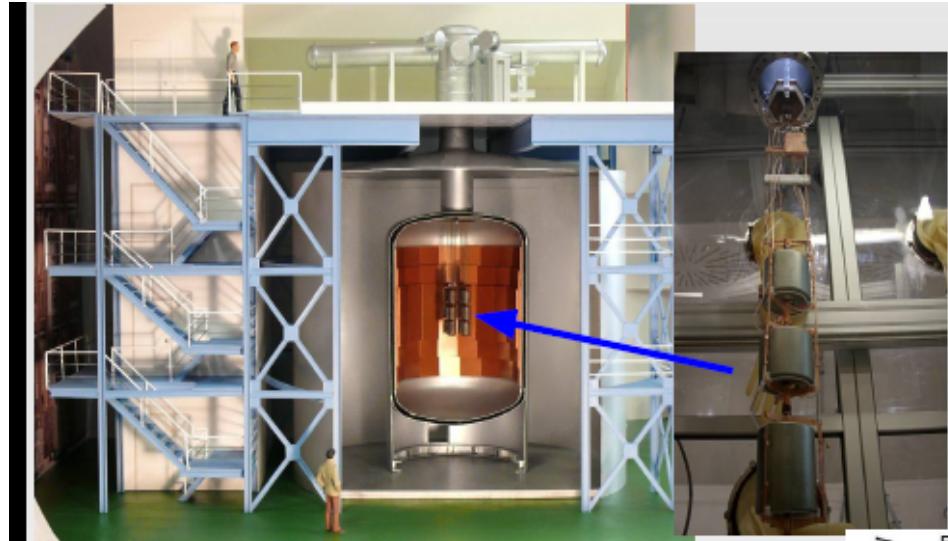
Le futur des détecteurs germanium

Strategies: Ge detectors in liquid nitrogen to remove materials
Active shielding and segmentation of detectors to reject gamma-rays





GERDA



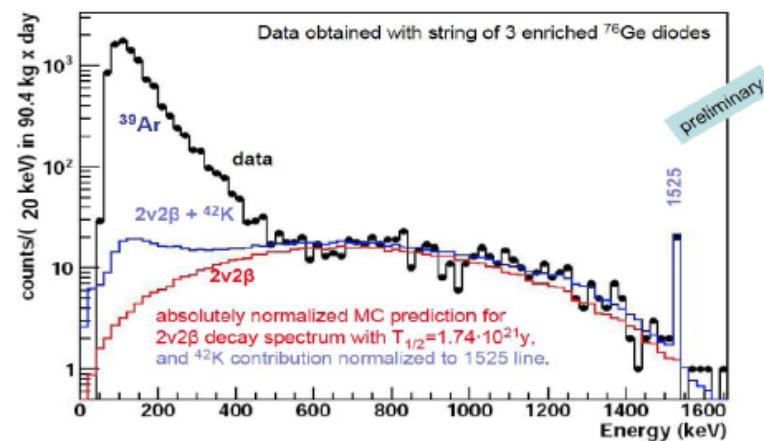
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Removal of matter

Use of liquid nitrogen or argon for active shielding

Segmentation

Improvement of Pulse Shape Analysis

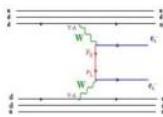


Objectif : 0.01 coups/keV/kg/an

mesuré 0.06 coups/keV/kg/an

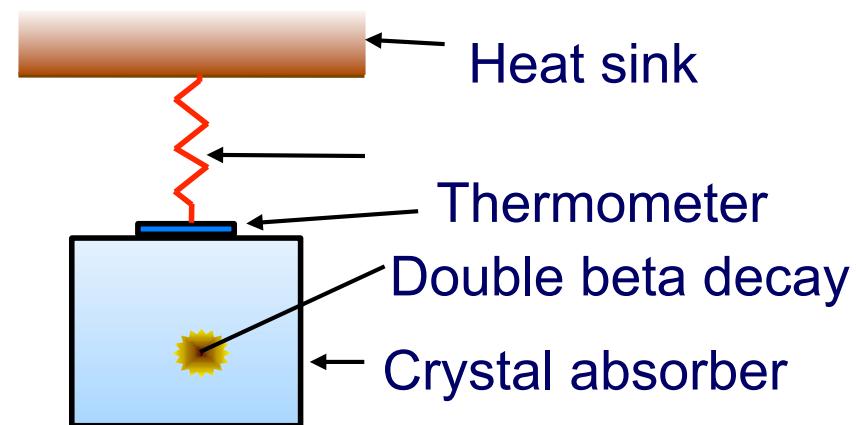
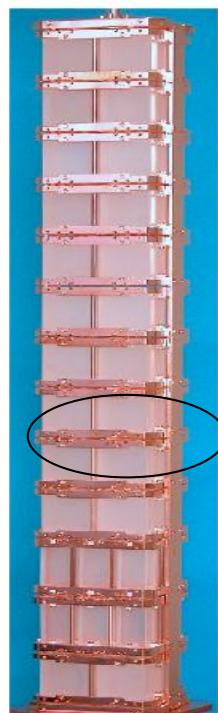
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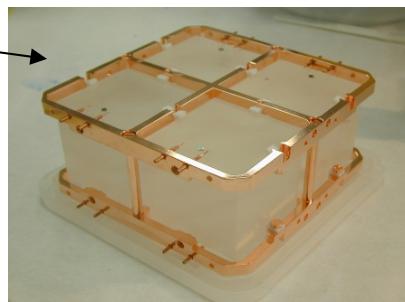
Les bolomètres : CUORICINO

Bolometers of TeO_2 ($Q_{\beta\beta} = 2.528 \text{ MeV}$)



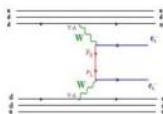
$$\text{Signal: } \Delta T = E/C$$

High energy resolution 5-7 keV (FWHM)
Natural abundance for ^{130}Te : 34%
High efficiency: 86%

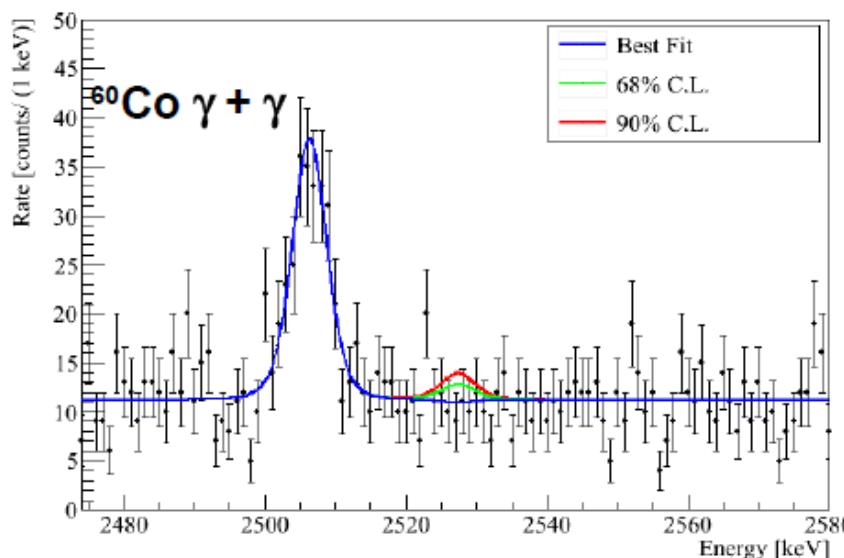
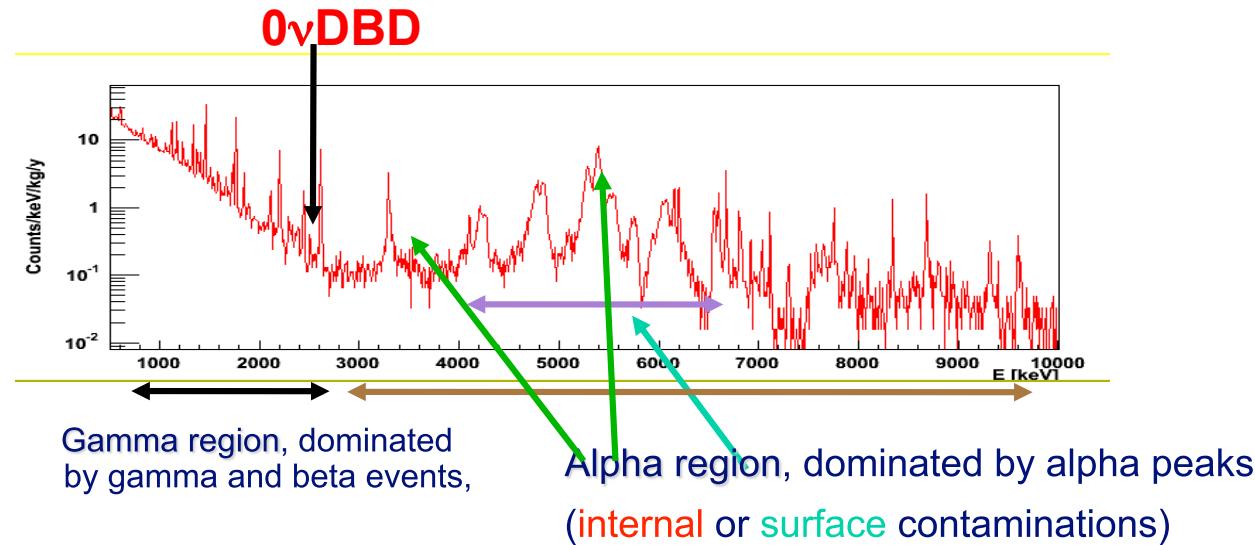


10.4 kg of ^{130}Te

Running at Gran Sasso since 2003



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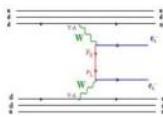


Bkg at Q-value: **0.17 counts/(keV kg y)**

Statistics: **19.75 kg(^{130}Te) y**

$$T_{1/2}^{0\nu} > 2.8 \times 10^{24} \text{ y} \quad @ \text{90\% CL}$$

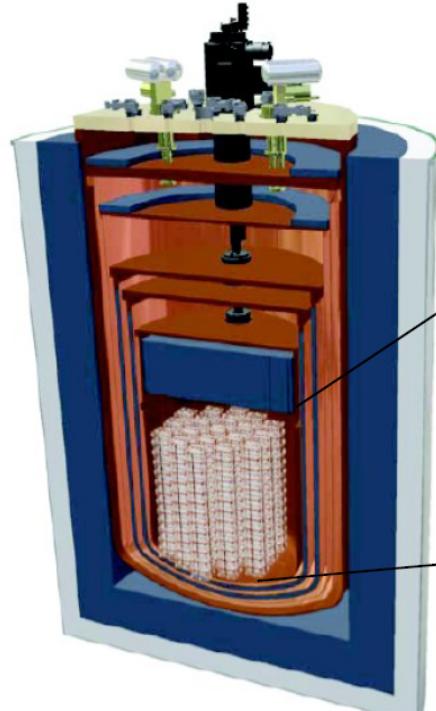
$$m_{\beta\beta} \left\{ \begin{array}{l} < (300 - 570) \text{ meV} \\ < (360 - 580) \text{ meV} \\ < (570 - 710) \text{ meV} \\ < 370 \text{ meV} \end{array} \right. \quad \begin{array}{l} (\text{R})\text{QRPA} \\ \text{pnQRPA} \\ \text{ISM} \\ \text{IBM-2} \end{array}$$



Le futur des bolomètres CUORE

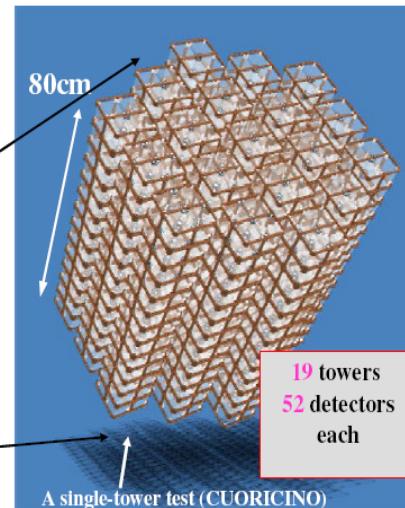
(Italy, USA, Spain)

Single dilution refrigerator ~10 mK



for Rare Events

- $\beta\beta 0\nu$, Cold Dark Matter, Axion searches
proposal hep/ph 0501010



750 kg of $\text{TeO}_2 \rightarrow$ 203 kg of ^{130}Te

Array of 988 TeO_2 5x5x5 cm³ crystals

Improvement of surface event rejection

Goal : $N_{\text{bckg}} = 0.01 \text{ cts. keV}^{-1} \cdot \text{kg}^{-1} \cdot \text{yr}^{-1}$
(Factor 20 compared to Cuoricino)

Data taking foreseen in 2014

Expected sensitivities (5 years of data)

$$N_{\text{bckg}} = 0.01 \text{ cts. keV}^{-1} \cdot \text{kg}^{-1} \cdot \text{yr}^{-1}$$

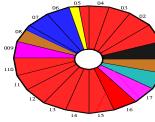
$$T_{\nu} > 2.1 \cdot 10^{26} \text{ yr}$$

$$\langle m_{\nu} \rangle < 0.03 - 0.17 \text{ eV}$$

$$N_{\text{bckg}} = 0.001 \text{ cts. keV}^{-1} \cdot \text{kg}^{-1} \cdot \text{yr}^{-1}$$

$$T_{\nu} > 6.6 \cdot 10^{26} \text{ yr}$$

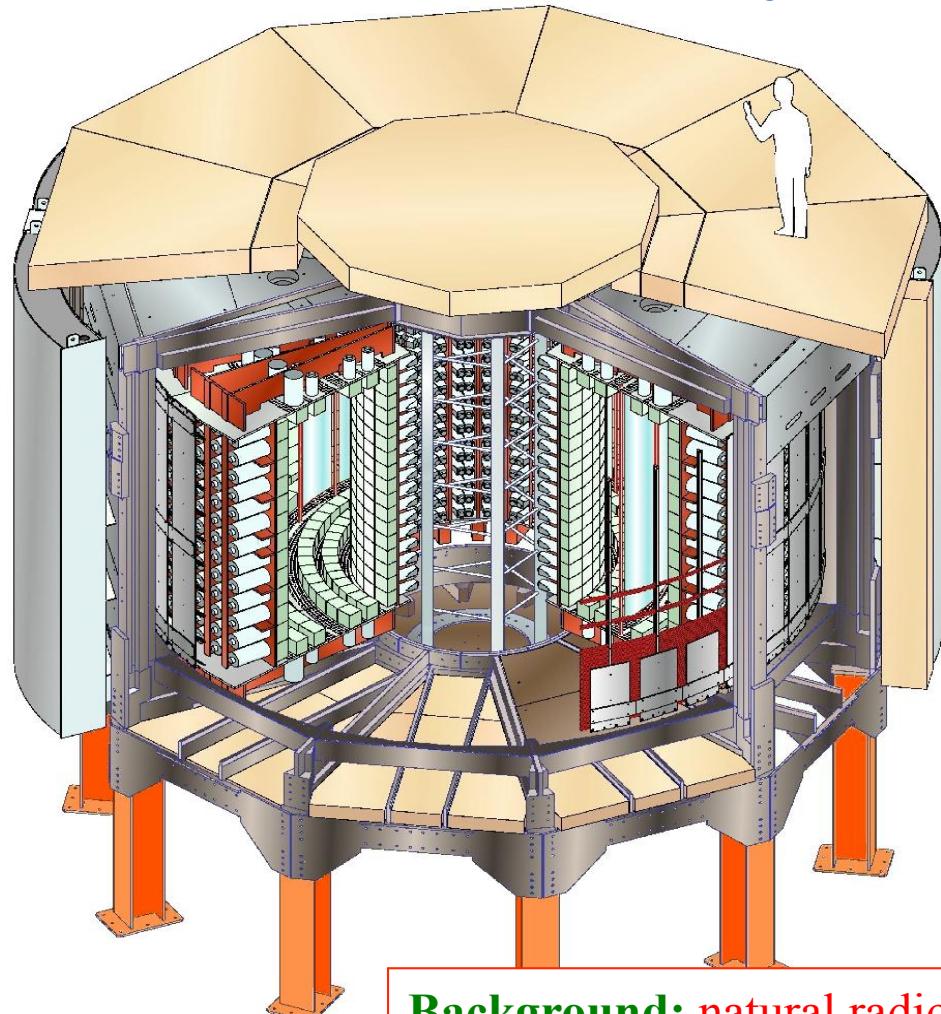
$$\langle m_{\nu} \rangle < 0.015 - 0.1 \text{ eV}$$



Un détecteur tracko-calorimétrique: NEMO 3



Fréjus Underground Laboratory : 4800 m.w.e.



Source: 10 kg of $\beta\beta$ isotopes
cylindrical, $S = 20 \text{ m}^2$, 60 mg/cm^2

Tracking detector:

drift wire chamber operating
in Geiger mode (6180 cells)

Gas: He + 4% ethyl alcohol + 1% Ar + 0.1% H₂O

Calorimeter:

1940 plastic scintillators
coupled to low radioactivity PMTs

Magnetic field: 25 Gauss

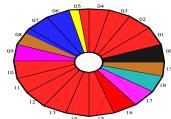
Gamma shield: Pure Iron (18 cm)

Neutron shield: borated water
+ Wood

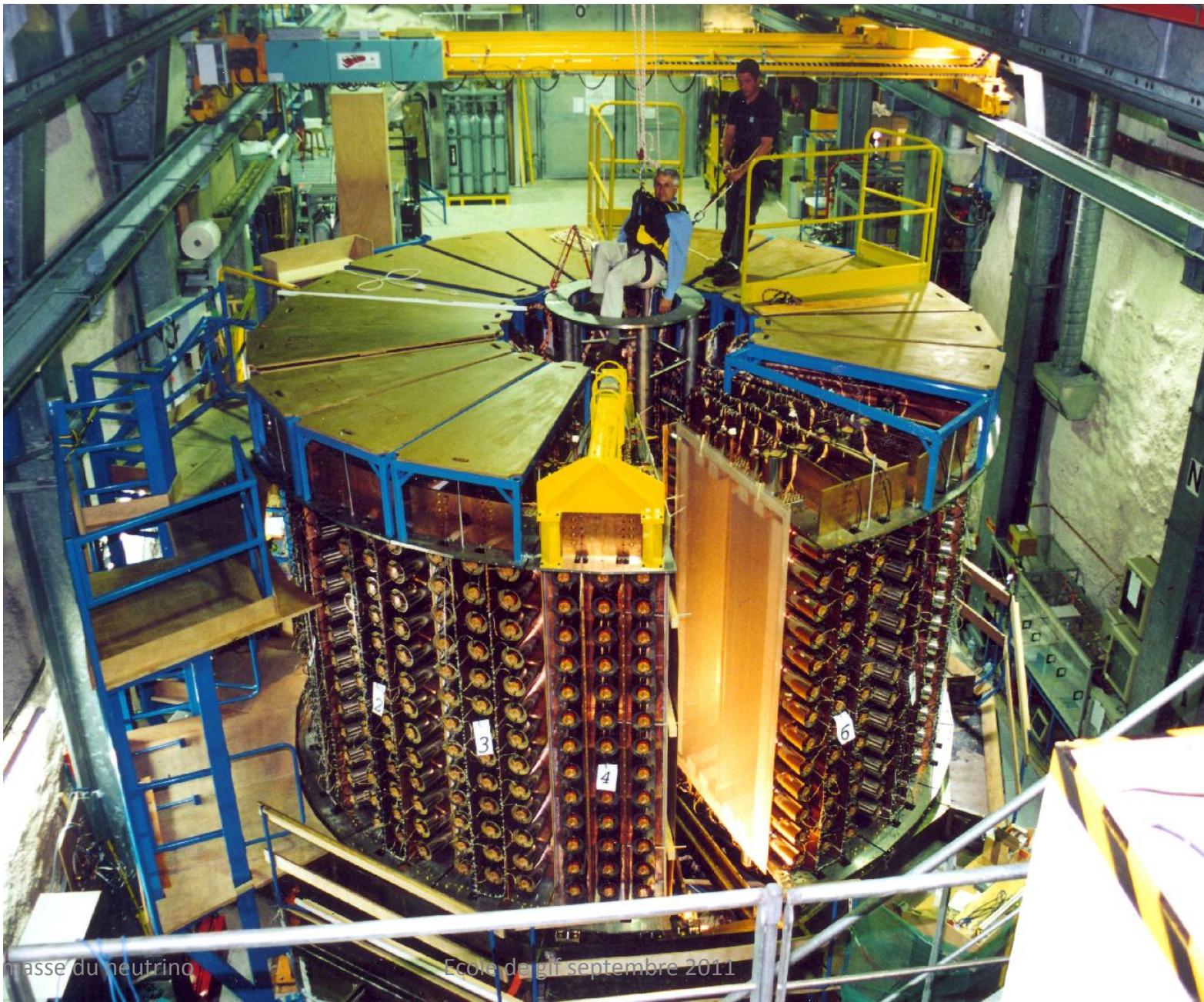
Background: natural radioactivity mainly ^{214}Bi et ^{208}Tl ($\sim 2.6 \text{ MeV}$)



Able to identify e^- , e^+ , γ and α

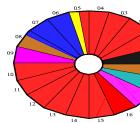


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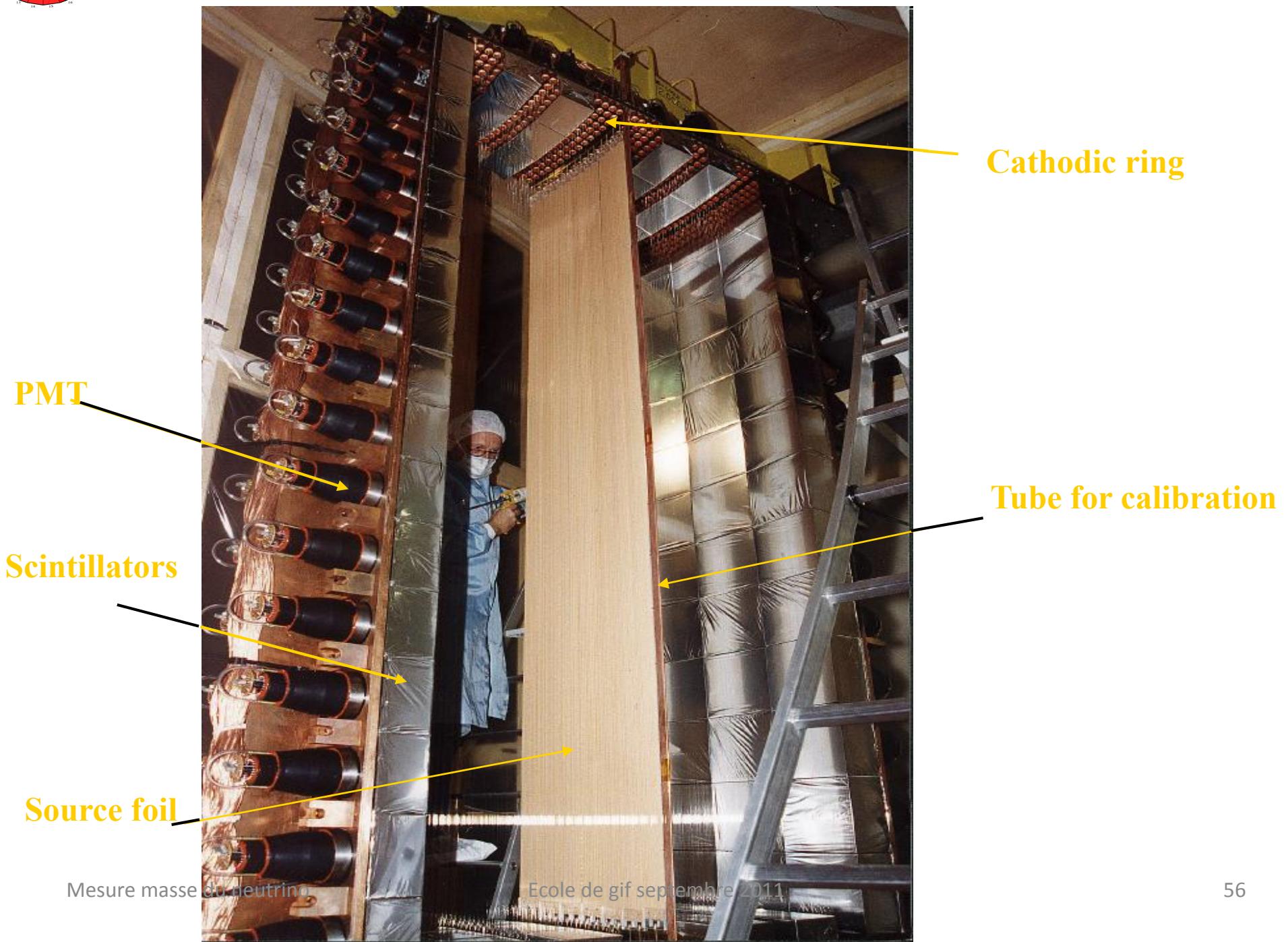


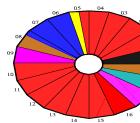
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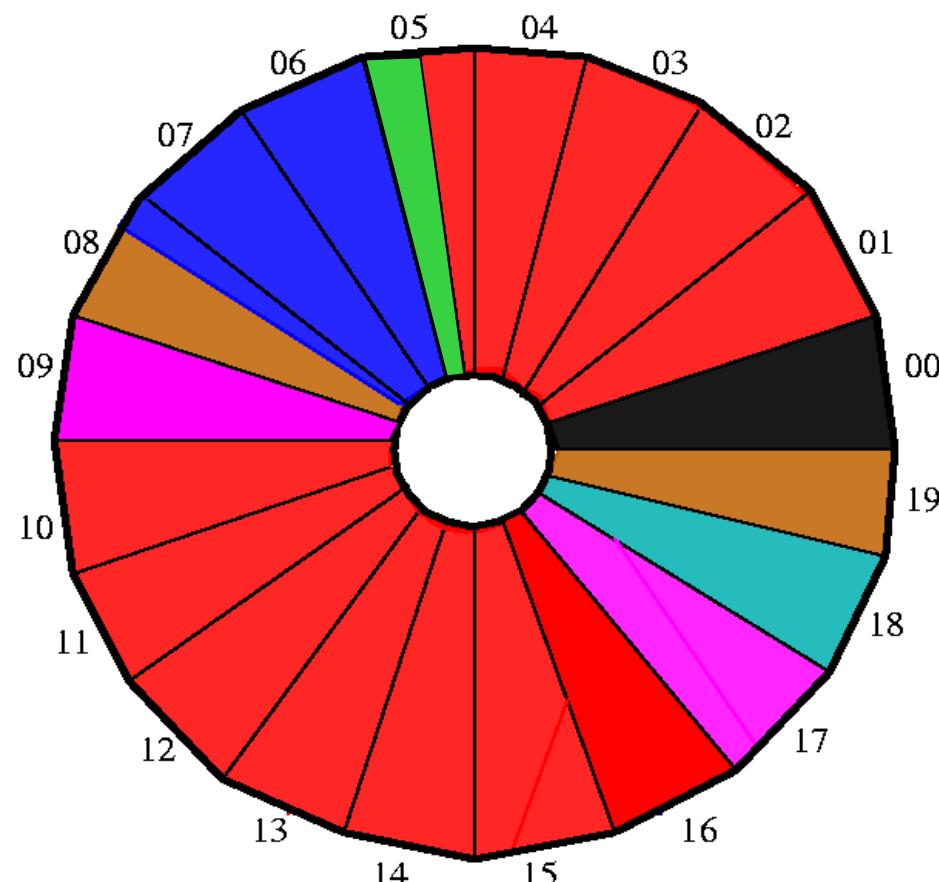
^{100}Mo 6.914 kg
 $Q_{\beta\beta} = 3034 \text{ keV}$

&

^{82}Se 0.932 kg
 $Q_{\beta\beta} = 2995 \text{ keV}$



0 $\nu\beta\beta$ decay search



^{116}Cd 405 g
 $Q_{\beta\beta} = 2805 \text{ keV}$

^{96}Zr 9.4 g
 $Q_{\beta\beta} = 3350 \text{ keV}$

^{150}Nd 37.0 g
 $Q_{\beta\beta} = 3367 \text{ keV}$

^{48}Ca 7.0 g
 $Q_{\beta\beta} = 4272 \text{ keV}$

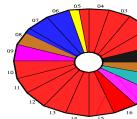
^{130}Te 454 g
 $Q_{\beta\beta} = 2529 \text{ keV}$

$^{\text{nat}}\text{Te}$ 491 g

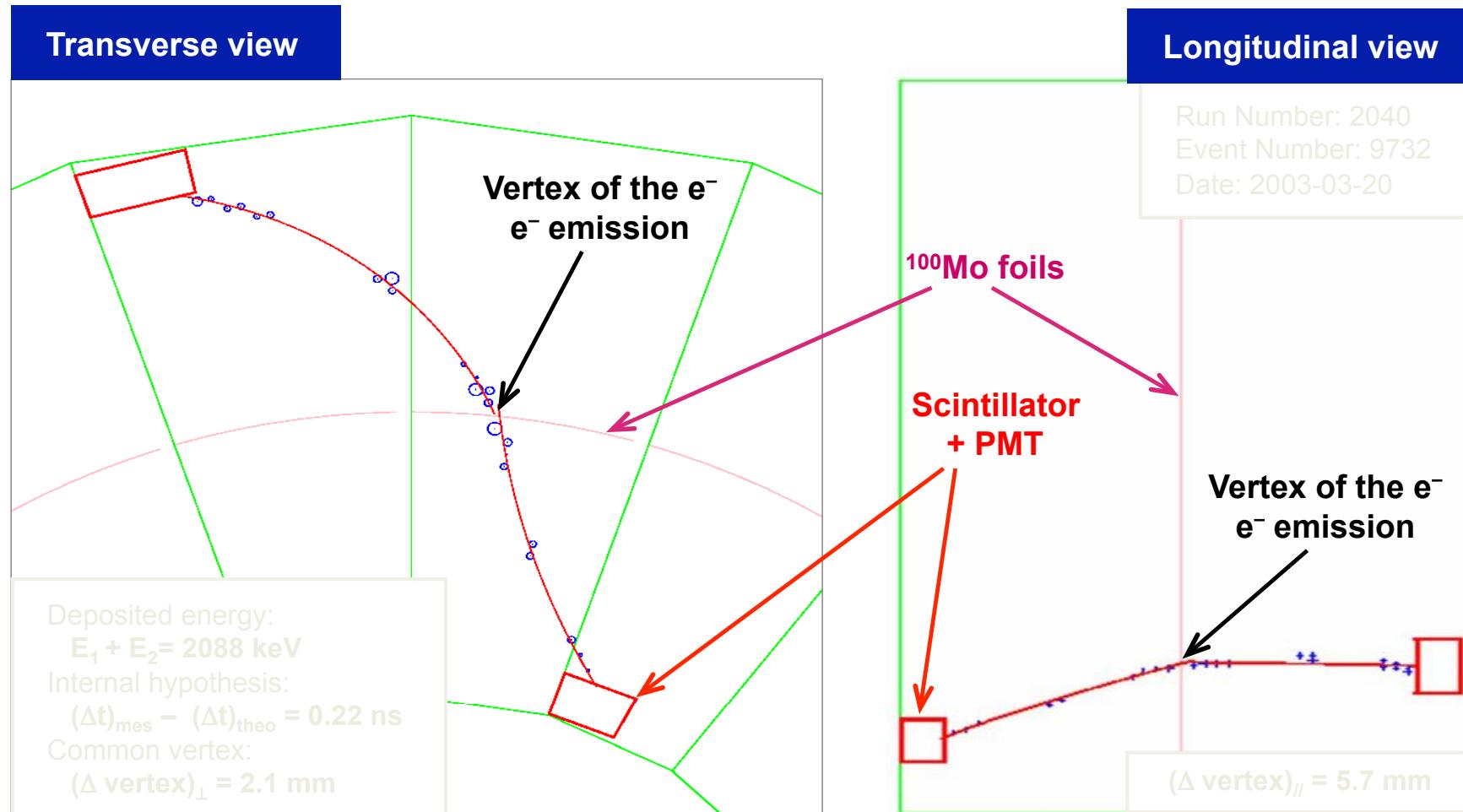
Cu 621 g

2 $\nu\beta\beta$ decay measurement

External background measurement



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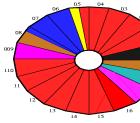


Criteria to select $\beta\beta$ events:

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- 2 tracks with charge < 0
- 2 PMTs, each > 200 keV
- PMT-Track association
- Common vertex
- Internal hypothesis TOF (external event rejection)
- No other isolated PMT (γ rejection)
- No delayed α track (^{214}Bi rejection)

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Tracking detector: drift chambers (6180 Geiger cells)
 $\sigma_t = 5 \text{ mm}$, $\sigma_z = 1 \text{ cm}$ (vertex)

Calorimeter (1940 plastic scintillators and PMTs)
Energy Resolution FWHM=8 % (3 MeV)

Identification e^- , e^+ , γ , α
Very high efficiency for background rejection

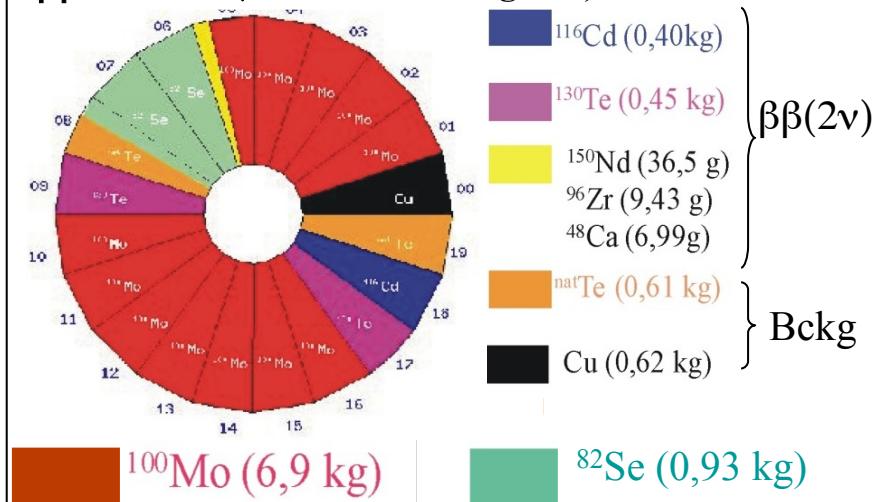
Background level @ $Q_{\beta\beta}$ [2.8 – 3.2 MeV] : $1.2 \cdot 10^{-3} \text{ cts/keV/y}$

Running at Modane underground laboratory (2003 - 2011)



Multi-source detector

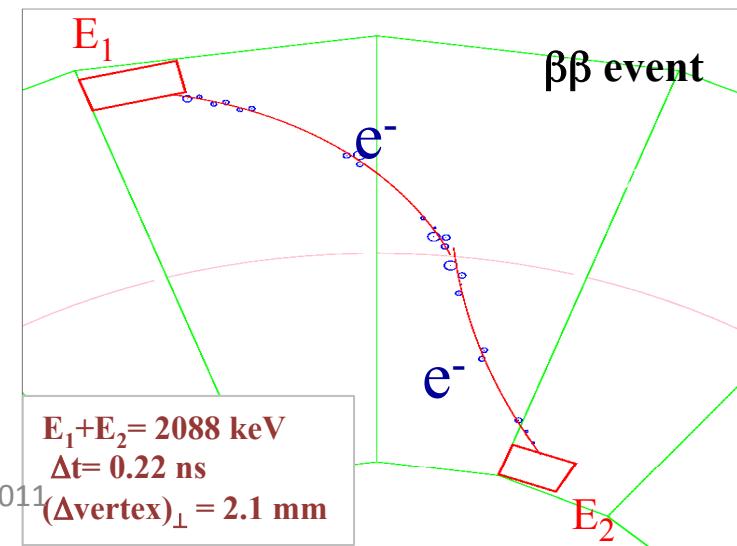
$\beta\beta$ sources (thickness $\sim 60 \text{ mg/cm}^2$)

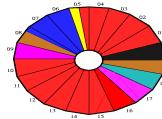


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Unique feature

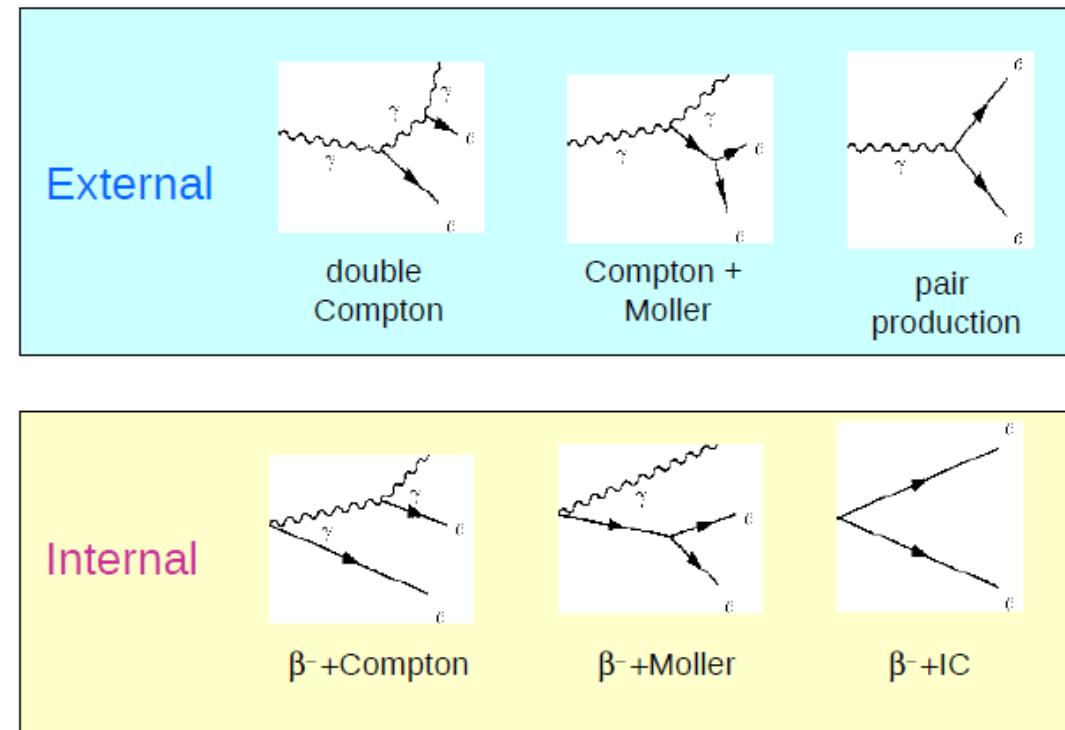
Measurement of all kinematic parameters: individual energies and angular distribution



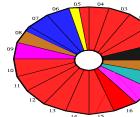


NEMO backgrounds

- Natural radioactivity outside and inside source foils:
 - ^{238}U / ^{232}Th chains
 - ^{40}K
 - Rn
- cosmic μ
- neutrons

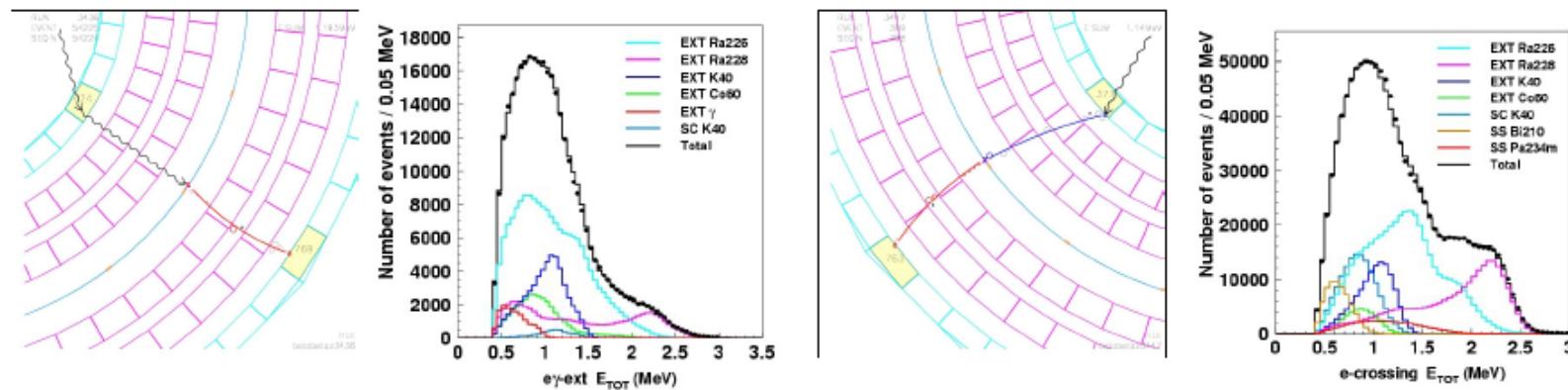


Background measurement in NEMO-3: NIM A606 (2009) 449

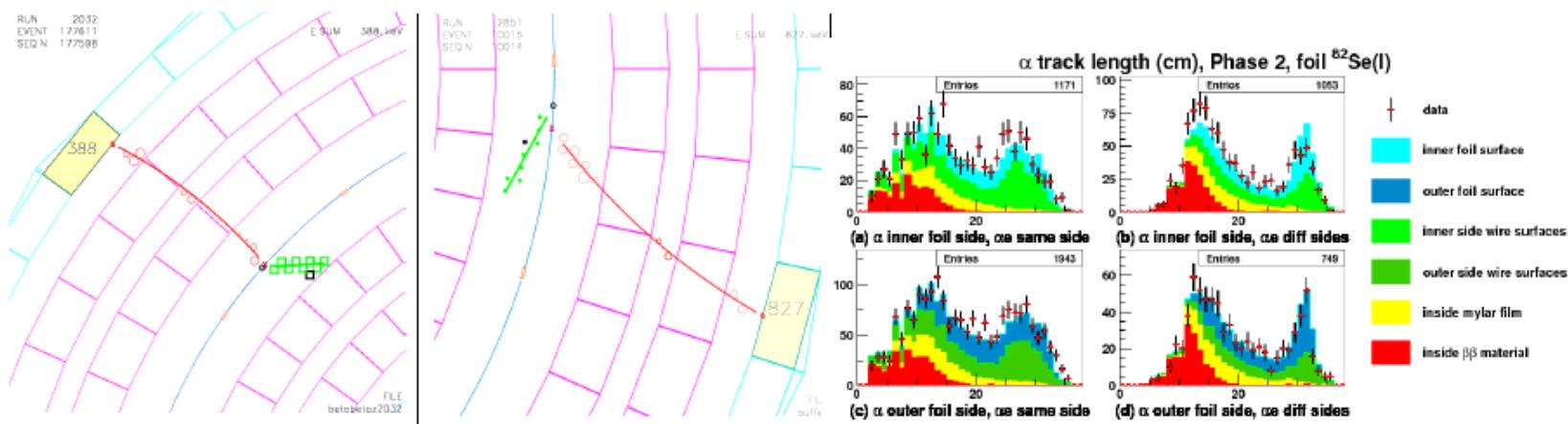


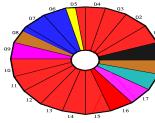
NEMO 3 measures each component of its background

External background: $e\gamma$ -external and e-crossing events



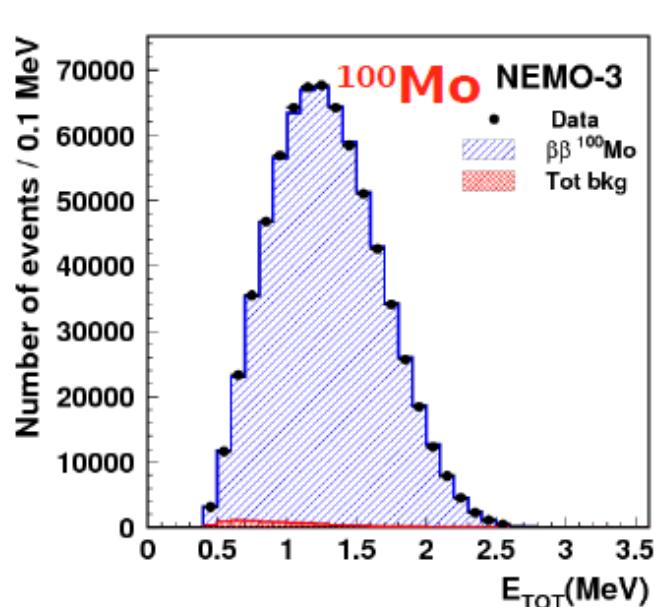
Internal ^{214}Bi : $e\alpha(\gamma)$ -events from foil



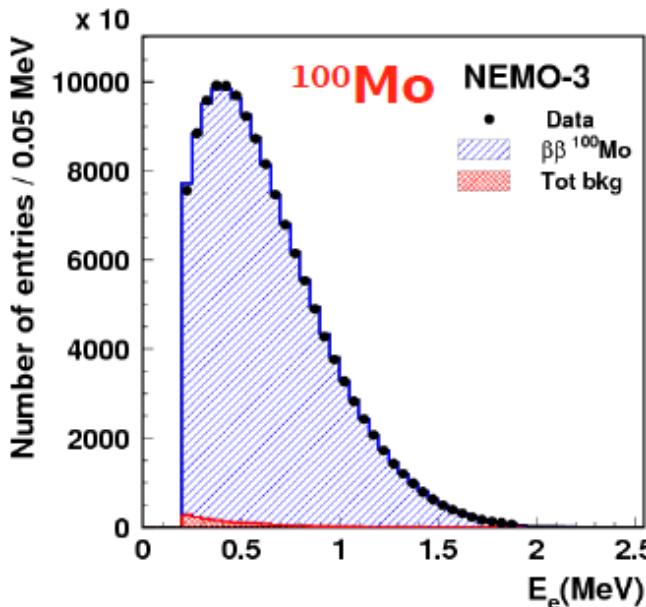


NEMO 3: $\beta\beta 2\nu$ results for ^{100}Mo source

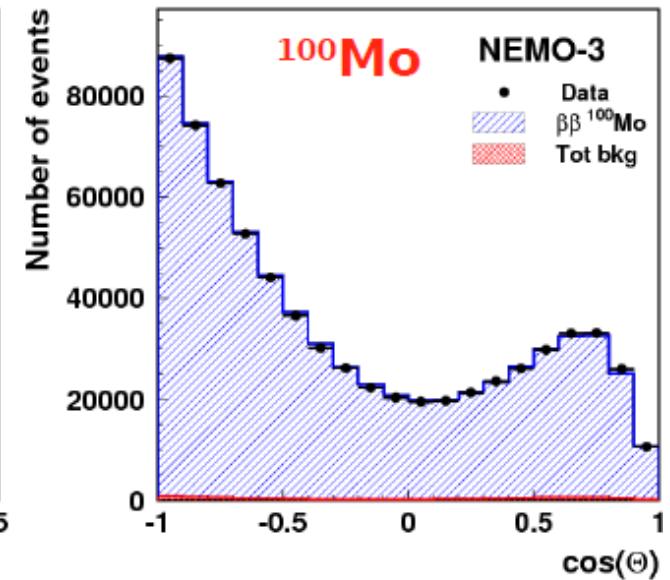
Phase 2 : 4 years of data



Energy sum of the
2 electrons events



Single electron energy



Angular distribution
between the 2 electrons

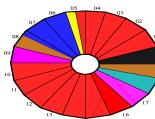
700 000 two-electron events from ^{100}Mo source foils

Ratio Signal/Background : 76

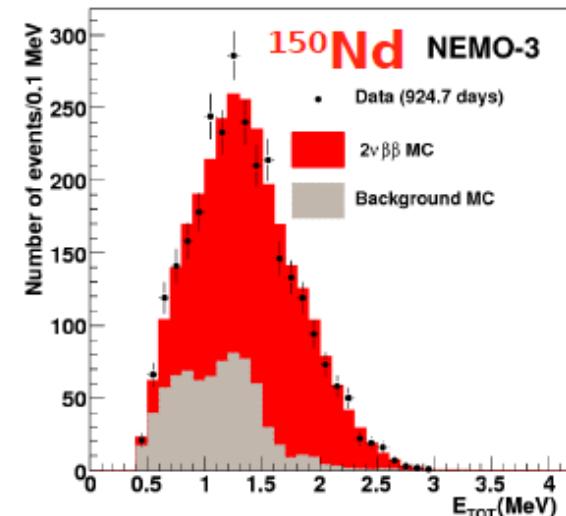
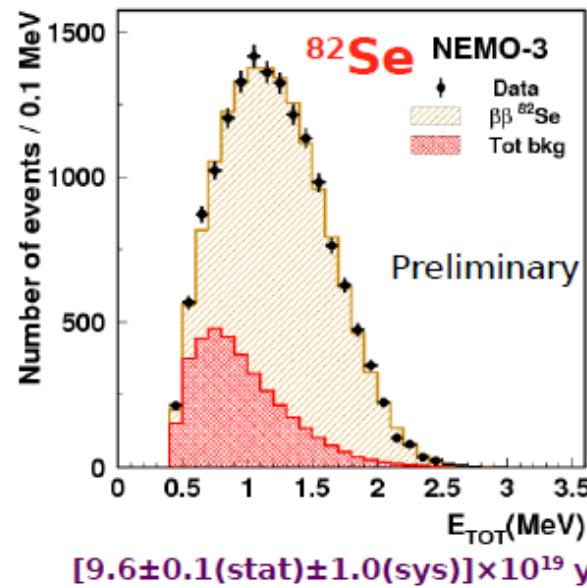
$T_{1/2}(\beta\beta 2\nu) = (7.16 \pm 0.01) \cdot 10^{18} \text{ y}$ (preliminary)

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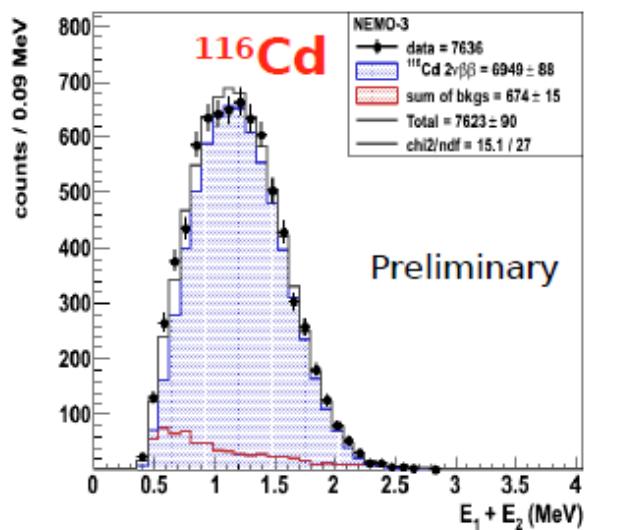
(published phase 1 $T_{1/2} = [7.11 \pm 0.02 \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.54 \text{ (sys)}] \cdot 10^{18} \text{ y}$)



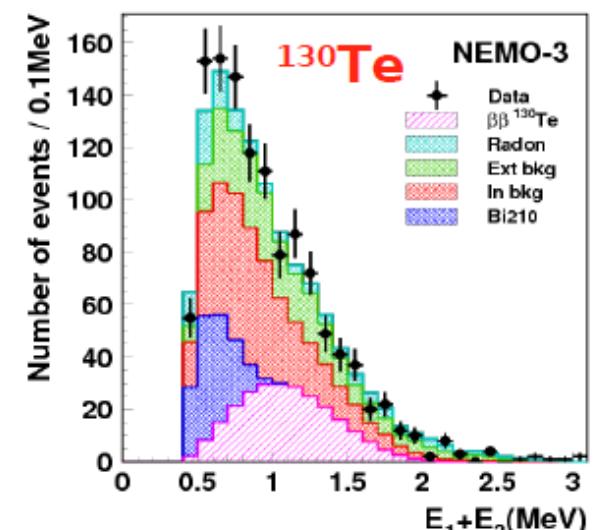
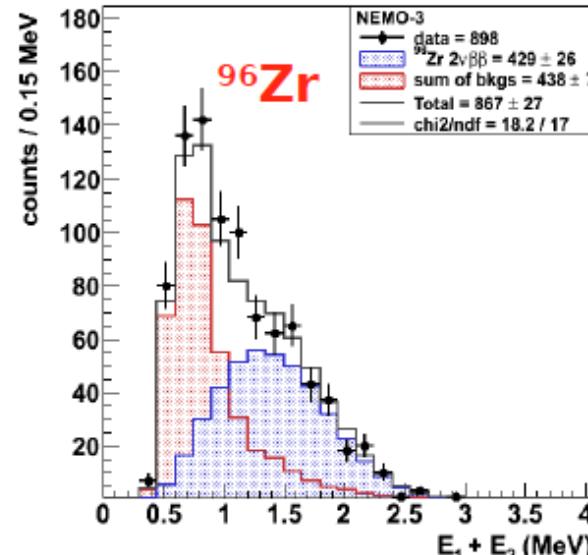
NEMO 3: other $\beta\beta 2\nu$ period results



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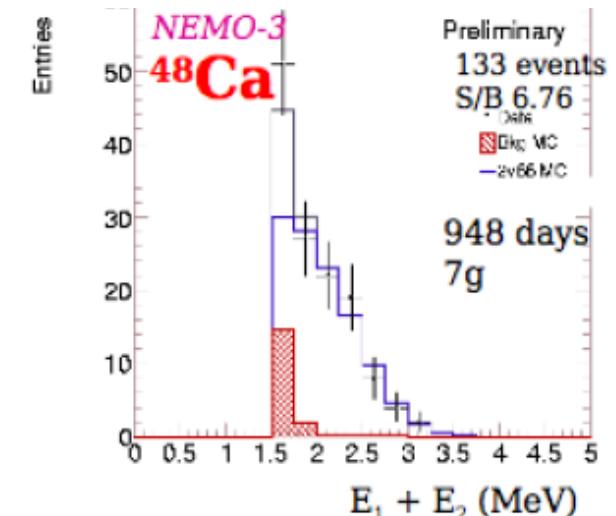


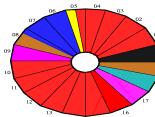
$[2.88 \pm 0.04(\text{stat}) \pm 0.16(\text{sys})] \times 10^{19} \text{ y}$



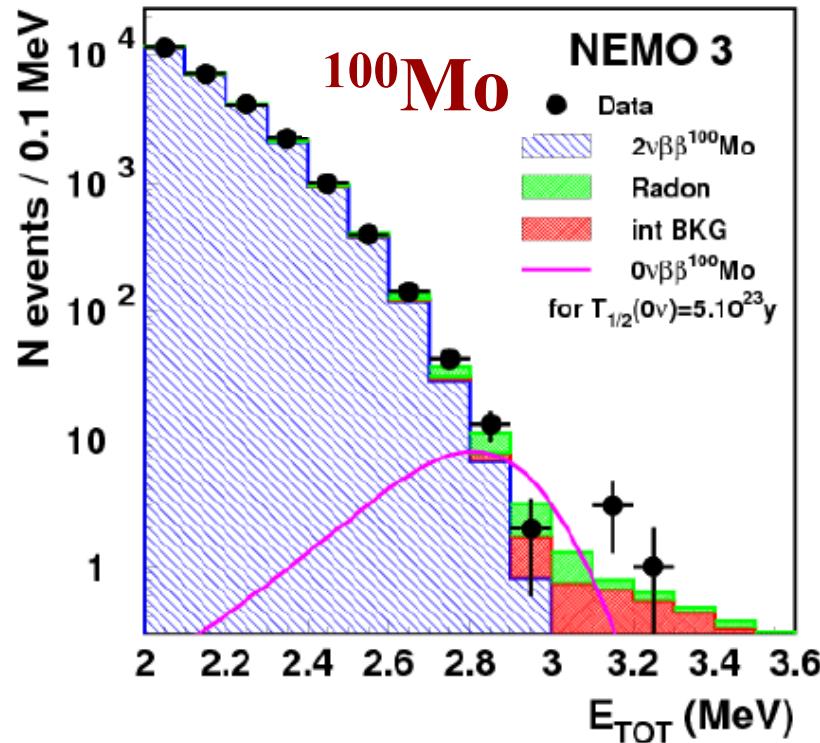
$[7.0 \pm 0.9(\text{stat}) \pm 0.9(\text{sys})] \times 10^{20} \text{ y}$

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NEMO 3: $\beta\beta(0\nu)$ search results (4.5 y of data)

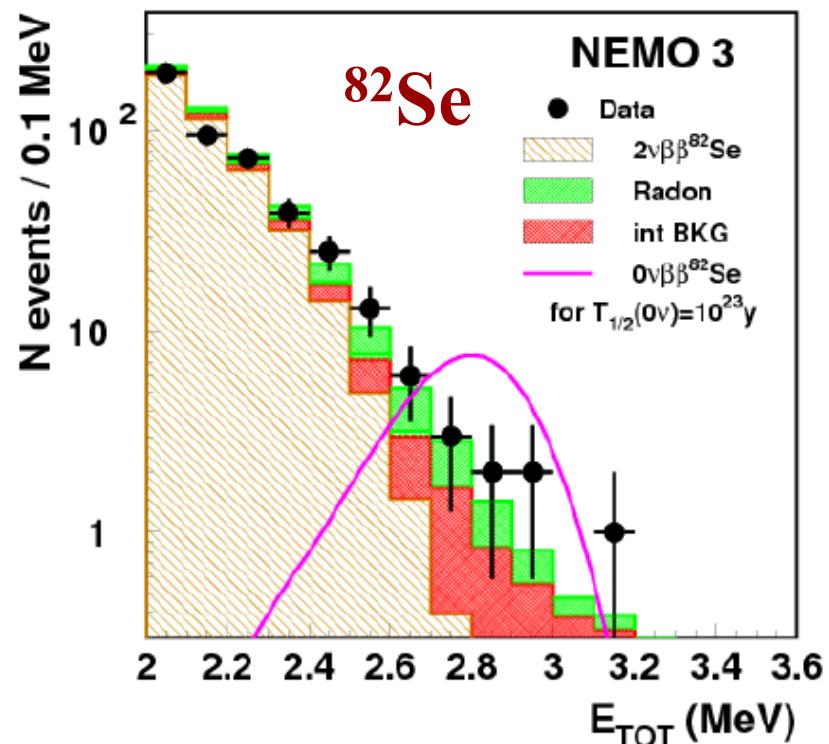


[2.8 – 3.2] MeV 18 observed events, 16.4 ± 1.3 expected

100Mo $T_{1/2}(\beta\beta 0\nu) > 1.0 \cdot 10^{24} \text{ y}$ (90% C.L.)

$\langle m_\nu \rangle < 0.31 - 0.96 \text{ eV}$

NEM Ref [1-5]



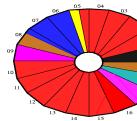
[2.6 – 3.2] MeV 14 observed events, 11.3 ± 1.3 expected

82Se $T_{1/2}(\beta\beta 0\nu) > 3.2 \cdot 10^{23} \text{ y}$ (90% C.L.)

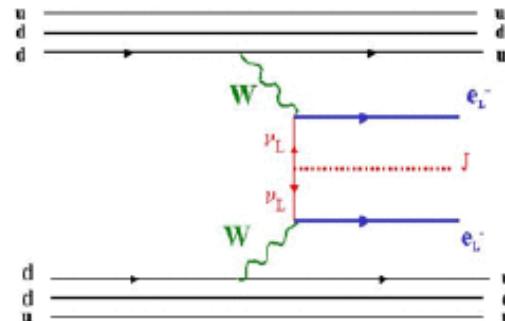
$\langle m_\nu \rangle < 0.94 - 2.6 \text{ eV}$

NEM Ref [1-4 and 6]

Limit set by Modified Frequentist Method (CLs) using full distribution shape

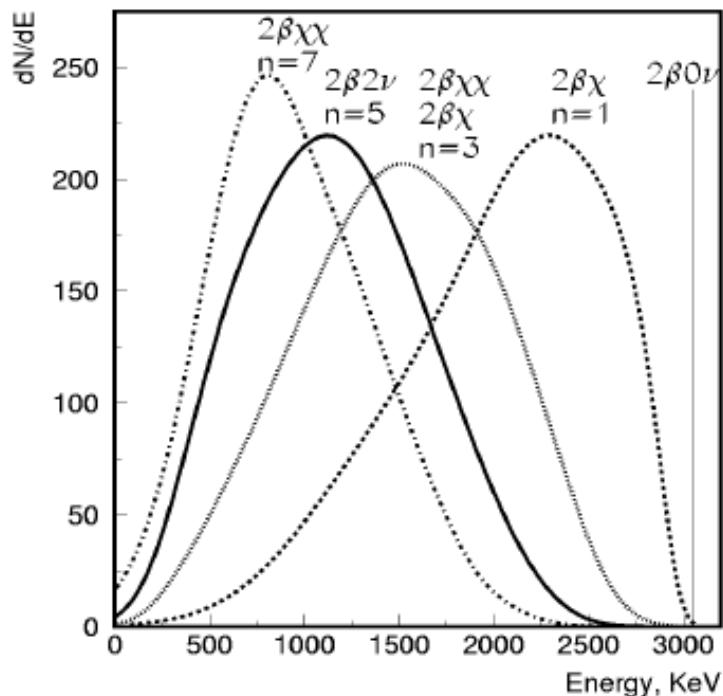


Majorons and V+A currents



Majoron emission would distort the shape of the energy sum spectrum

$$(A, Z) \rightarrow (A, Z + 2) + 2e^- + \chi^0(\chi^0)$$

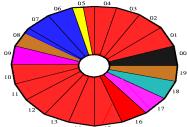


	V+A *	n=1 **	n=2 **	n=3 **	n=7 **
Mo	$>5.7 \cdot 10^{23}$ $\lambda < 1.4 \cdot 10^{-6}$	$>2.7 \cdot 10^{22}$ $G_{ee} < (0.4 - 1.8) \cdot 10^{-4}$	$>1.7 \cdot 10^{22}$	$>1.0 \cdot 10^{22}$	$>7 \cdot 10^{19}$
Se	$>2.4 \cdot 10^{23}$ $\lambda < 2.0 \cdot 10^{-6}$	$>1.5 \cdot 10^{22}$ $G_{ee} < (0.7 - 1.9) \cdot 10^{-4}$	$>6 \cdot 10^{21}$	$>3.1 \cdot 10^{21}$	$>5 \cdot 10^{20}$

n: spectral index, limits on half-life in years

* Phase I+Phase II data

** Phase I data, R.Arnold et al. Nucl. Phys. A765 (2006) 483



From NEMO 3 to SuperNEMO



$$T_{1/2}(\beta\beta 0\nu) > \ln 2 \times \frac{N_A}{A} \times \frac{M \times \epsilon \times T_{obs}}{N_{90}}$$

NEMO-3

^{100}Mo	isotope
7 kg	isotope mass M
8 %	efficiency ϵ
$^{208}\text{TI}: < 20 \mu\text{Bq/kg}$	internal contaminations
$^{214}\text{Bi}: < 300 \mu\text{Bq/kg}$	^{208}TI and ^{214}Bi in the $\beta\beta$ foil

8% @ 3MeV

energy resolution (FWHM)

SuperNEMO

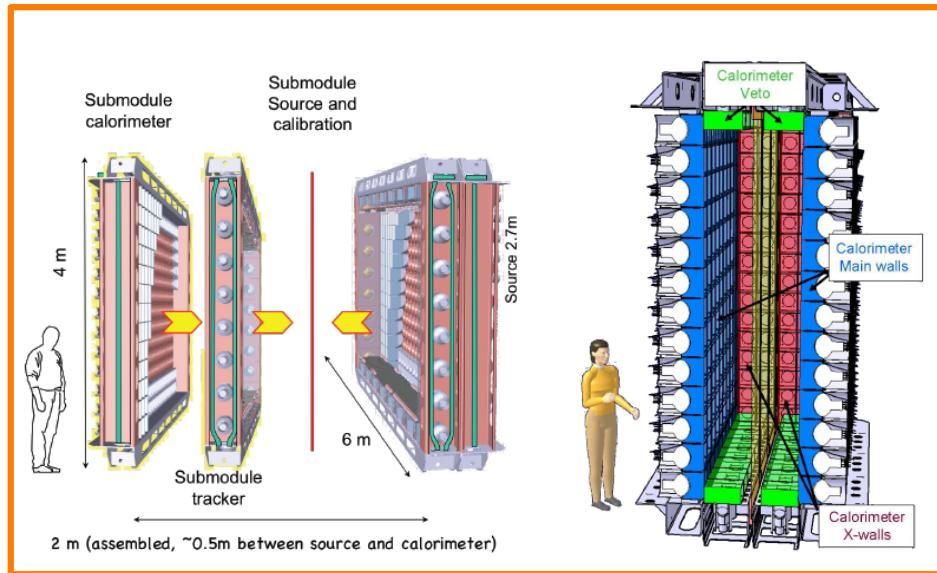
^{82}Se (baseline) or 150Nd or ^{48}Ca
100-200 kg
~ 30 %
$^{208}\text{TI} < 2 \mu\text{Bq/kg}$ if ^{82}Se : $^{214}\text{Bi} < 10 \mu\text{Bq/kg}$

4% @ 3 MeV

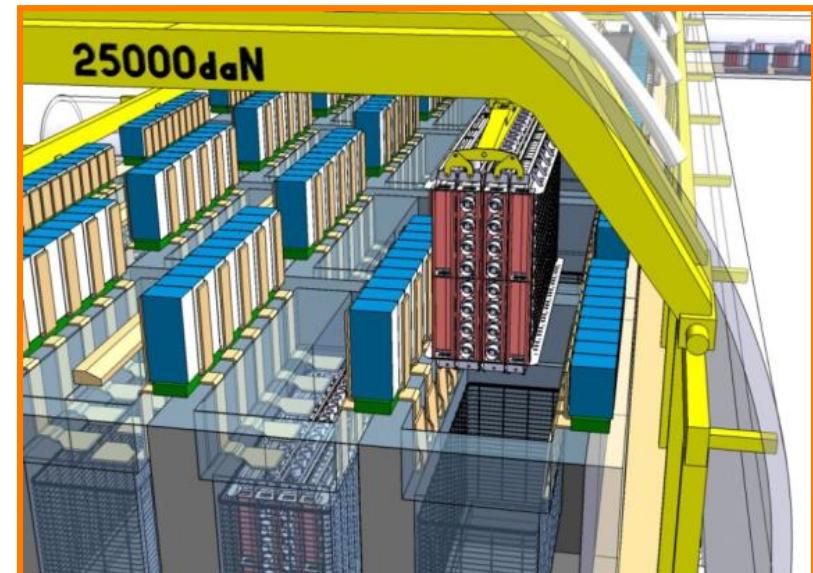
$T_{1/2}(\beta\beta 0\nu) > 2 \times 10^{24} \text{ y}$
 $\langle m_\nu \rangle < 0.3 - 1.3 \text{ eV}$

$T_{1/2}(\beta\beta 0\nu) > 1 \times 10^{26} \text{ y}$
 $\langle m_\nu \rangle < 40 - 100 \text{ meV}$

A module

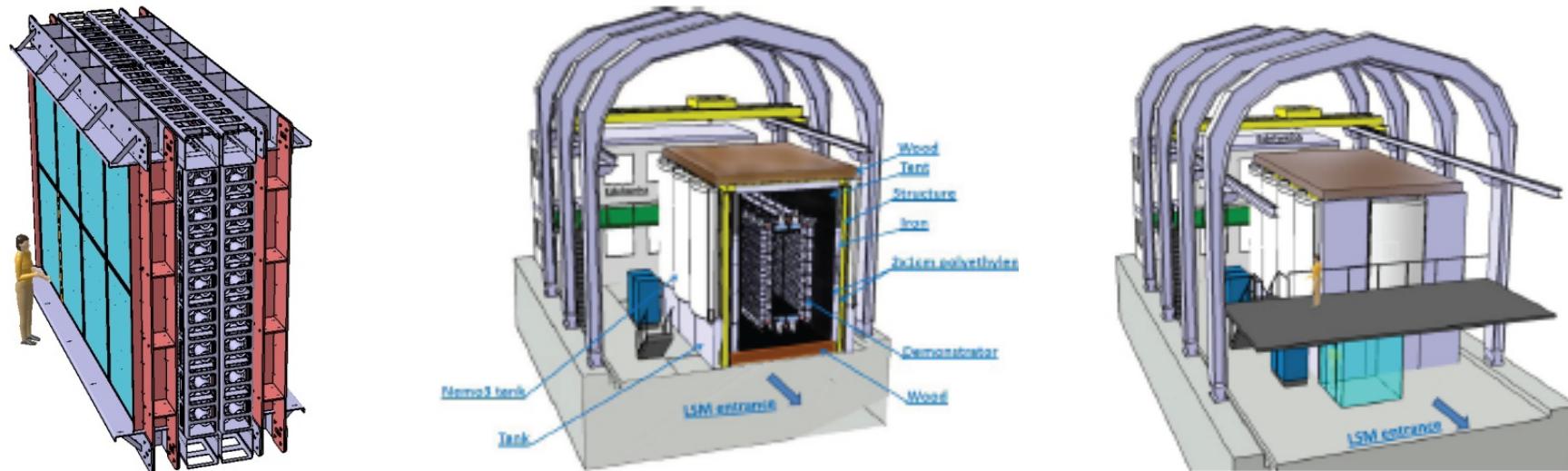


20 modules



	Demonstrator module	20 Modules
Source : ^{82}Se	7 kg	100 kg
Drift chambers for tracking	2 0000	40 000
Electron calorimeter	500	10 000
γ veto (up and down)	100	2 000
$T_{1/2}$ sensitivity	$6.6 \cdot 10^{24} \text{ y}$ (No background)	$1. \cdot 10^{26} \text{ y}$
$\langle m_\nu \rangle$ sensitivity	200 – 400 meV	40 – 100 meV

SuperNEMO demonstrator module



The main goals of the demonstrator module are

- demonstration of the feasibility of a full scale detector with the requested performances (e.g. calorimeter energy and time resolution, tracker efficiency and radio-purity).
- measurement of the radon background contribution especially from internal materials outgassing.
- measurement of the background contribution from the detector components.
- finalize/optimize the design of the full scale detector.
- production of a competitive measurement with ^{82}Se (2.5 years of data taking with a 7 kg source). After 17 kg.yr exposure with ^{82}Se , the sensitivity of the demonstrator will be $6.6 \cdot 10^{24} \text{ y}$ (90% CL) which is equivalent to $3 \cdot 10^{25} \text{ y}$ obtained with ^{76}Ge . This will lead to a neutrino mass sensitivity similar to GERDA Phase-I : $\langle m_\nu \rangle \simeq 200\text{-}400 \text{ meV}$.
- Expected start of data taking: 2014/T2 for 3 years

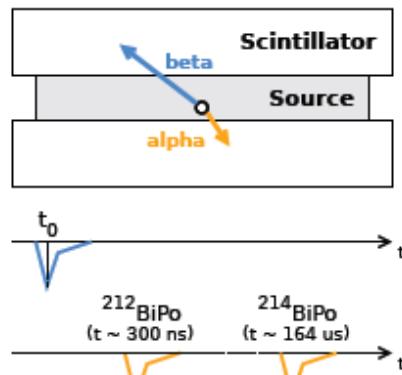
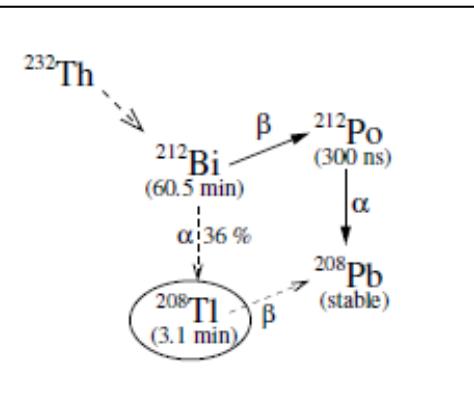
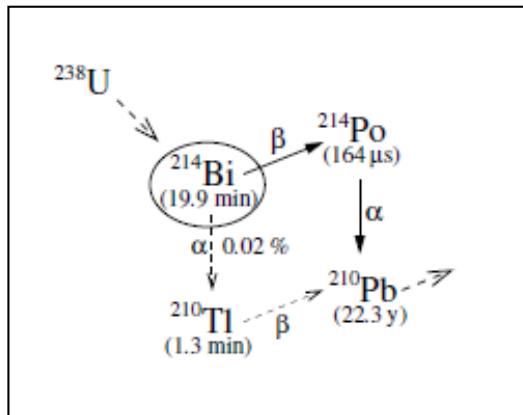
SuperNEMO : BiPo detector

To measure source foils at the level of:

- $2 \mu\text{Bq/kg}$ for ^{208}Tl

- $10 \mu\text{Bq/kg}$ for ^{214}Bi

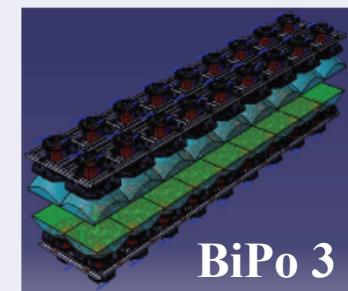
using the Bi – Po delayed coincidence
in U and Th chains



BiPo sensitivity (3.24 m^2)

- Surface background measurement :

- ▶ $A(^{208}\text{Tl})_{\text{BiPo}1} \sim 1.5 \mu\text{Bq}/\text{m}^2$
($258 \text{ days} \cdot \text{m}^2$ @ LSM)
- ▶ $0.6 < A(^{214}\text{Bi})_{\text{BiPo}3} < 23.0 \mu\text{Bq}/\text{m}^2$
($5.34 \text{ days} \cdot \text{m}^2$ @ LSC)

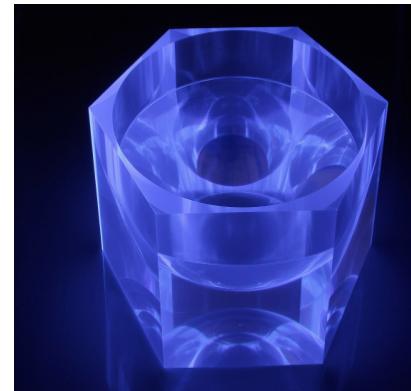
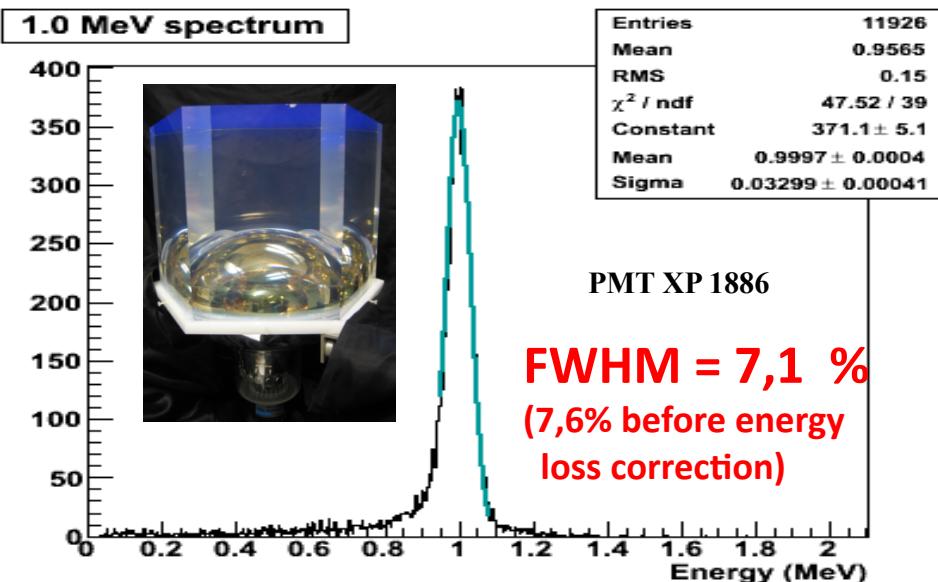
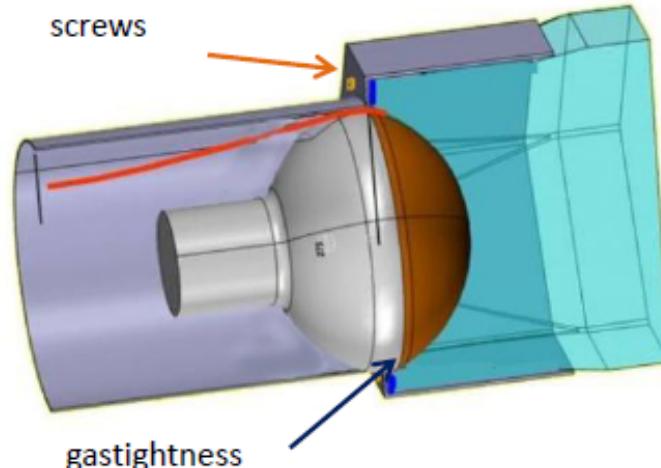


- BiPo-3 sensitivity for SuperNEMO ^{82}Se sources :

- ▶ $A(^{208}\text{Tl}) < 2 \mu\text{Bq/kg}$ in 6 months
- ▶ $A(^{214}\text{Bi}) < 10 \mu\text{Bq/kg}$ in 6 month

Installation of BiPo 3 in LS Canfranc

SuperNEMO : Calorimeter

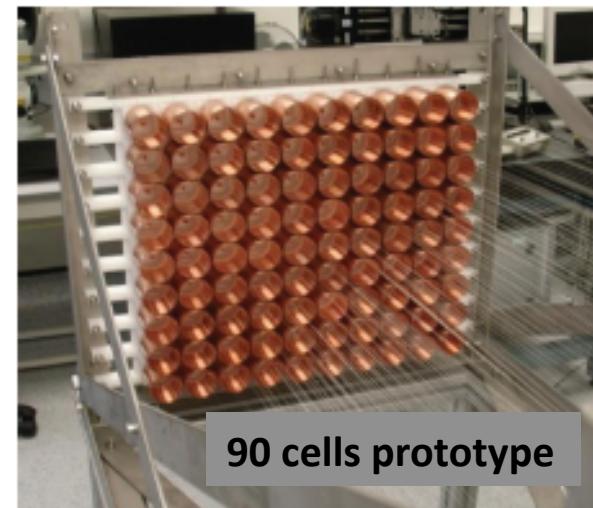
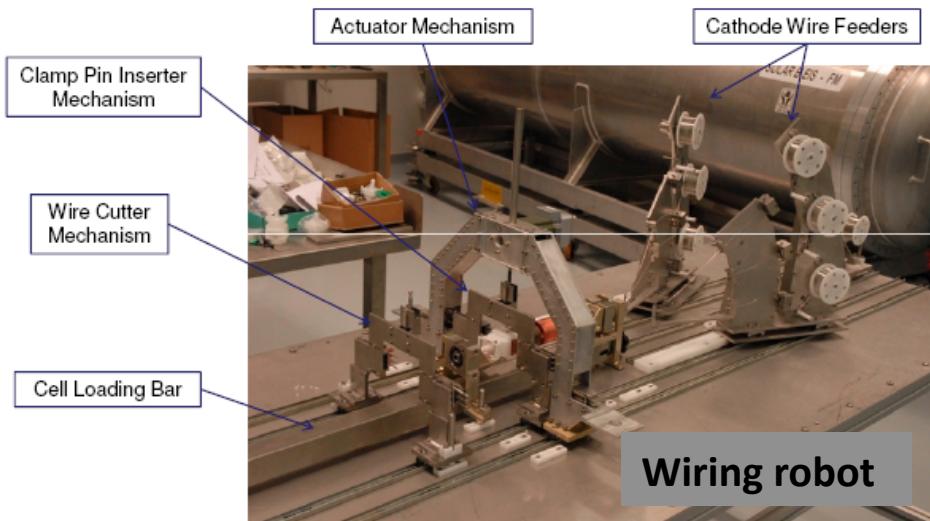


Volume: 8 l (NEMO3 4 l)
 8" PMT (NEMO3 5" PMT)
 $\Delta E/E$ 6.5 – 8 %
 Mesure masse du neutrino
Factor 2 less compared to NEMO3

Calorimeter

Required resolution demonstrated with cubic PVT (256×256 mm² entrance surface, ≥12cm thick) directly coupled to a 8" PMT (R5912MOD)

FWHM = 7.3% @ 1MeV
FWHM = 4.2% @ 3MeV



Tracker

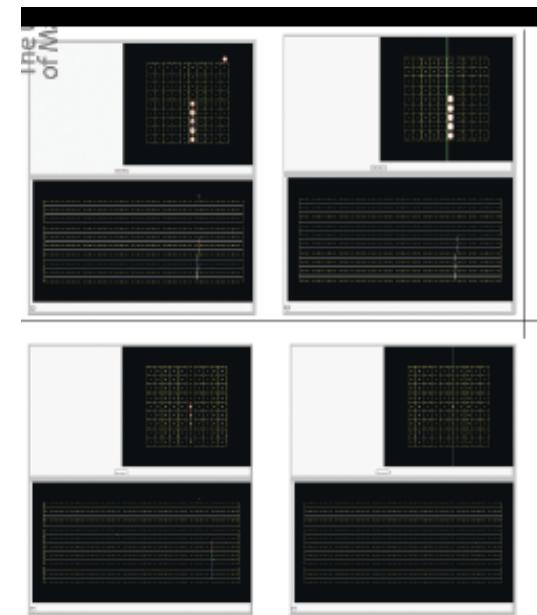
- Basic 90 cells prototype developed
 - ▷ $\varnothing = 44 \text{ mm}$
 - ▷ $L = 3.7 \text{ m}$
- Required performances demonstrated using cosmic muon data

$$\sigma_T \sim 0.7 \text{ mm} \quad \sigma_L \sim 1 \text{ cm}$$

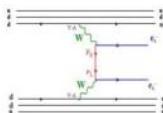
$$\epsilon_{\text{Geiger}} > 98\%$$

Mesure masse du neutrino

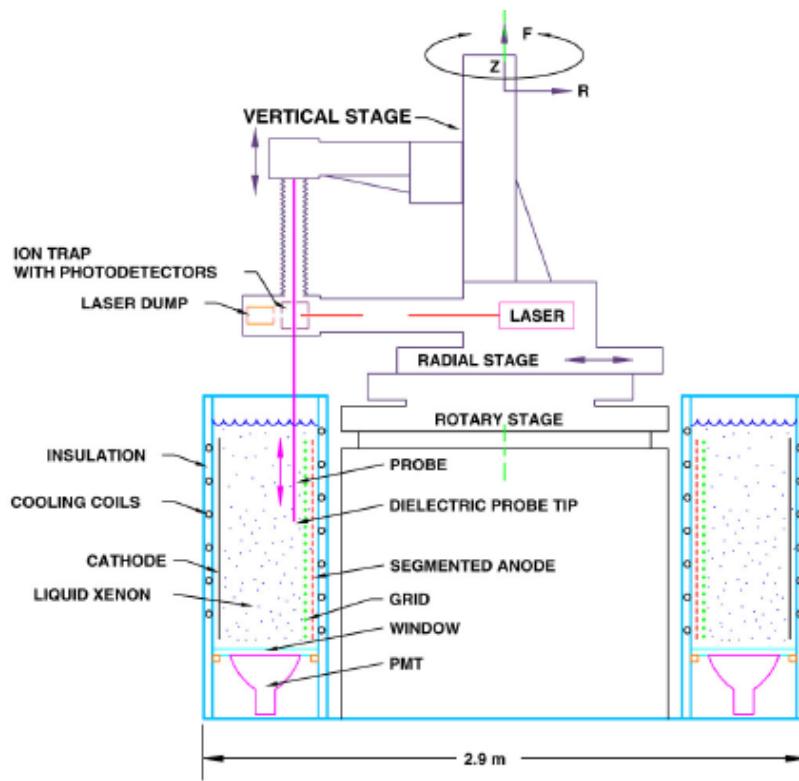
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90 cells prototype : data with cosmic rays



EXO



Prototype EXO-200

200 kg of ^{136}Xe , no Ba ion tagging

Installation in WIPP underground lab 2007

EXO 200 (2 years) $T_{1/2} > 6.4 \cdot 10^{25} \text{ yr}$ (90% CL) $\langle m_\nu \rangle < 0.27 - 0.38 \text{ eV}$

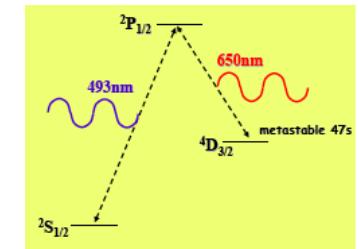
Liquid Xe TPC

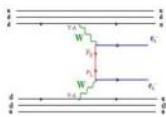
Energy measurement by ionization + scintillation
Tagging of Baryum ion ($^{136}\text{Xe} \rightarrow ^{136}\text{Ba}^{++} + 2 e^-$)

Large mass of Xe
Identification of final state → background rejection

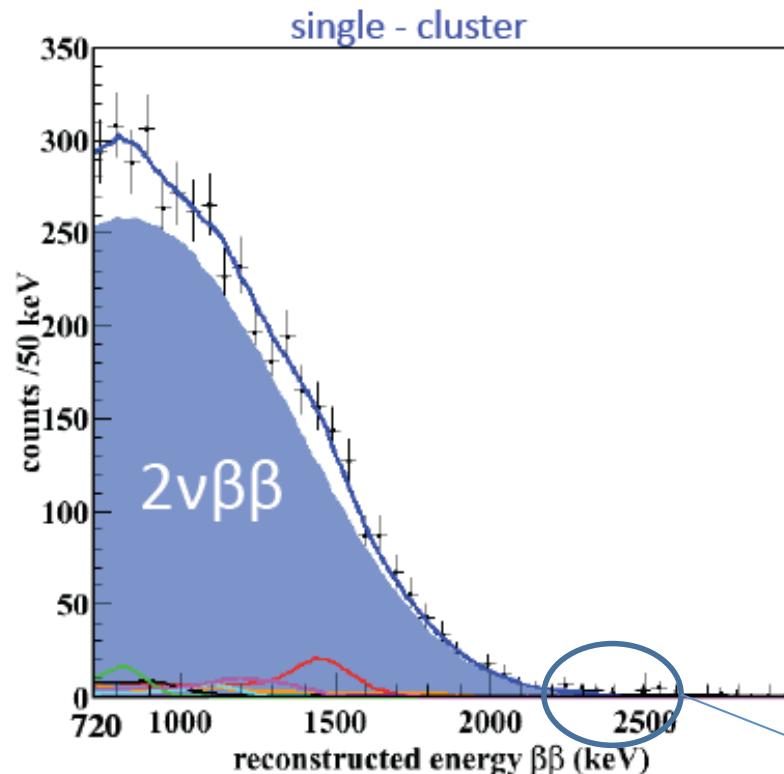
But no e^- identification
Poor background rejection without Ba ion tagging

R&D for Ba ion tagging in progress



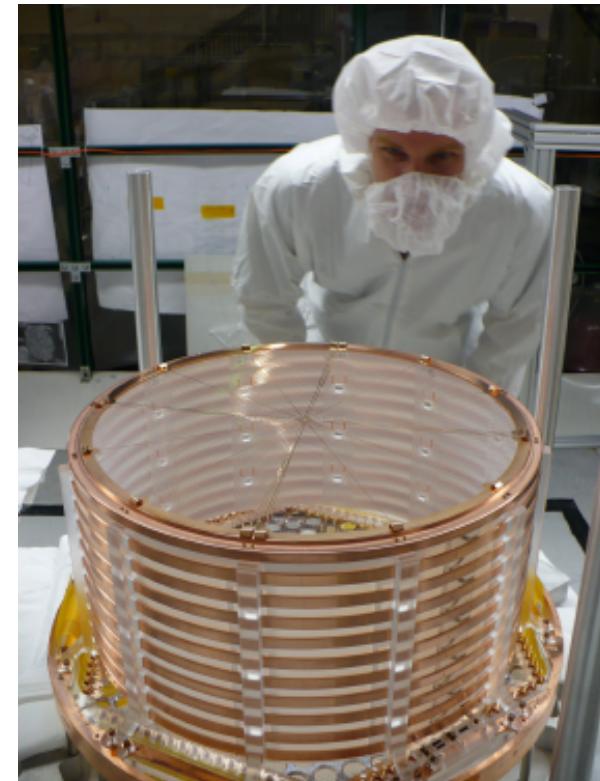


EXO

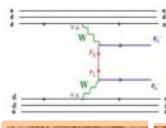


- 31 live-days of data
- 63 kg active mass
- Signal / Background ratio 10:1
 - as good as 40:1 for some extreme fiducial volume cuts

$T_{1/2} = 2.11 \cdot 10^{21} \text{ yr } (\pm 0.04 \text{ stat}) \text{ yr } (\pm 0.21 \text{ sys})$ [arXiv:1108.4193]



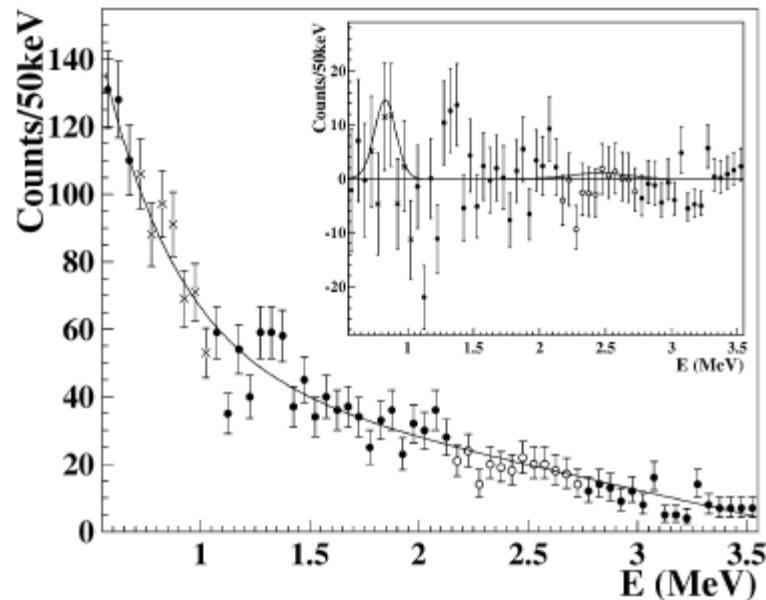
Mais fond pour $\beta\beta(0\nu)$
15 fois plus grand qu'attendu
Avec volume fiduciel 1/3



EXO

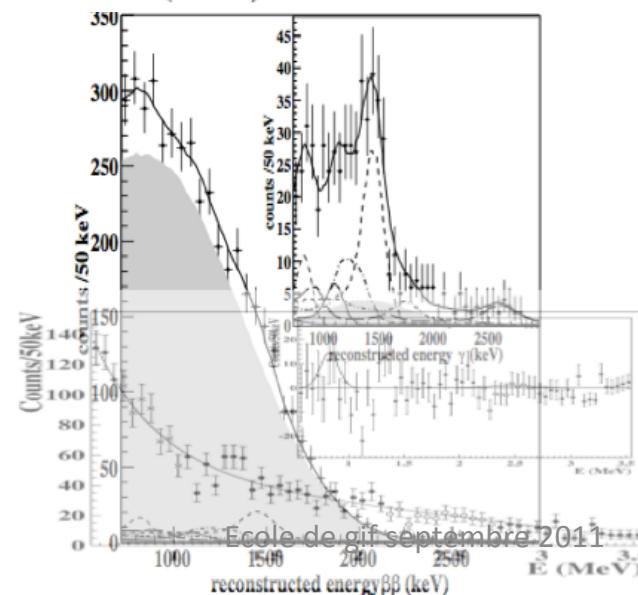
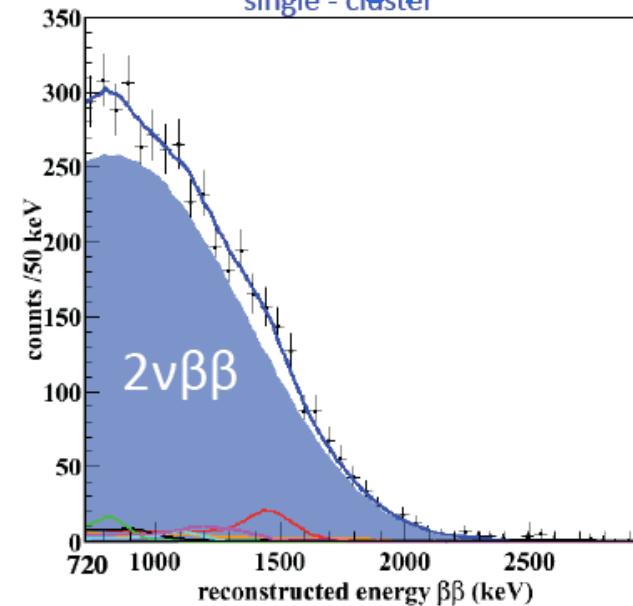
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4,5 kg.y



EXO

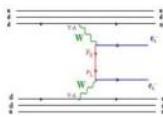
5,6 kg.y
single - cluster



Mesure masse du neutrino

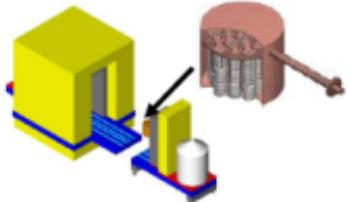
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Projets à 100 kg ou plus

MAJORANA Ge segmented Diode



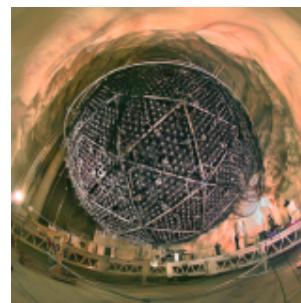
DUSEL laboratory

2011: 20 kg of ^{nat}Ge

2013 ? : 30 kg of ^{76}Ge

+ Energy resolution

SNO++ Nd salt + liquid scintillator



SNOLAB laboratory

2010: 740 kg of ^{nat}Nd

(44 kg of ^{150}Nd)

Dissolved in scintillator

+ Large mass

+ low background detector

KamLAND-Zen Xe + liq. scintillator



Kamioka laboratory

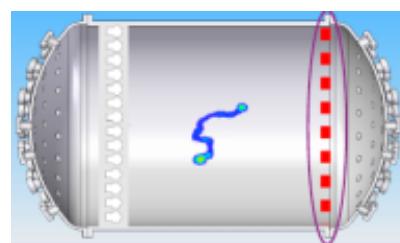
2011: 400 kg of ^{136}Xe

Dissolved in
liq. scintillator

+ Large mass

+ low background detector

NEXT Xe high pressure TPC

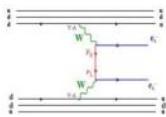


Canfranc laboratory

2011: 1 kg of ^{136}Xe

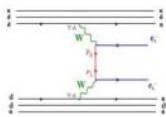
2013 : 100 kg

+ Background rejection



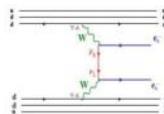
Liste de projets et R&D

Experiments	Isotopes	Techniques	Main characteristics
NEMO3	^{100}Mo , ^{82}Se	Tracking + calorimeter	Bckg rejection, isotope choice
SuperNEMO	^{82}Se , ^{150}Nd	Tracking + calorimeter	Bckg rejection, isotope choice
Cuoricino	^{130}Te	Bolometers	Energy resolution, efficiency
CUORE	^{130}Te	Bolometers	Energy resolution, efficiency
GERDA	^{76}Ge	Ge diodes	Energy resolution, eficiency
Majorana	^{76}Ge	Ge diodes	Energy resolution, efficiency
COBRA	^{130}Te , ^{116}Cd	ZnCdTe semi-conductors	Energy resolution, efficiency
EXO	^{136}Xe	TPC ionisation + scintillation	Mass, efficiency, final state signature
MOON	^{100}Mo	Tracking + calorimeter	Compactness, Bckg rejection
CANDLES	^{48}Ca	CaF_2 scintillating crystals	Efficiency, Background
SNO++	^{150}Nd	Nd loaded liquid scintillator	Mass, efficiency
XMASS	^{136}Xe	Liquid Xe	Mass, efficiency
CARVEL	^{48}Ca	CaWO_4 scintillating crystals	Mass, efficiency
Yangyang	^{124}Sn	Sn loaded liquid scintillator	Mass, efficiency
DCBA	^{150}Nd	Gazeous TPC	Bckg rejection, efficiency
LUCIFER	^{82}Se , ^{100}Mo	Scintillating bolometers	Bckg rejection, efficiency, resolution



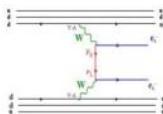
Où en est-on pour les bruits de fond ?

- ^{130}Te [MEDEX'11] :
 - Cuoricino : $B \simeq 0.18$ counts/keV/y/kg
 - CUORE R&D : $B \simeq 0.05\text{-}0.10$ counts/keV/y/kg
 - CUORE target : $B \simeq 0.01$ counts/keV/y/kg
- ^{76}Ge [Moriond'11] :
 - HM : $B \simeq 0.06$ counts/keV/y/kg (PSA)
 - GERDA R&D : $B \simeq 0.05$ counts/keV/y/kg
 - GERDA I (II) target : $B \simeq 0.01$ (0.001) counts/keV/y/kg
- ^{136}Xe [arXiv :1108.4193] :
 - EXO-200 : $B \gtrsim 0.02$ counts/keV/y/kg
 - EXO-200 target : $B \gtrsim 0.001$ counts/keV/y/kg



Que signifient les bruit de fond annoncés ?

Experiment	Isotope	Mass [kg]	$\Delta E/E$ @ Q[%]	B [/keV/kg/y]	n_{bkgd}^{ROI} (5y)
CUORE	^{130}Te	200 (1 t)*	0.3	0.01	50
GERDA	^{76}Ge	I. 18	0.16	0.01	3
		II. 40		0.001	0.6
		III. 1000		<0.001	<15
MAJORANA	^{76}Ge	I. 30-60	0.16	0.001	0.5
		II. 1000		0.00025	3
EXO	^{136}Xe	I. 200	3.8	0.001	100
		II. 1000		$2 \cdot 10^{-6}$	1
SuperNEMO	^{82}Se	I. 7	4-5	$2 \cdot 10^{-5}$	0
		II. 100			1-2
KamLAND-ZEN	^{136}Xe	I. 400 (16 t)*	10	10^{-6}	20
		II. 1000 (40 t)*			50
SNO+	^{150}Nd	I. 56 (1000 t)*	6.4	10^{-6}	800



Sensibilités attendues d'ici 5 ans

	Technique	Location	Mass kg	start	Bckg Cts/keV/kg/yr	$T_{1/2}(0\nu)$ 5 yr	$\langle m_{ee} \rangle$ meV
EXO	Liquid Xe ^{136}Xe	WIPP (USA)	200	2010	0.002	$6.4 \cdot 10^{25}$	< 109 - 135
GERDA	Diode Ge ^{76}Ge	Gan sasso (Italy)	18	2010	0.01	$3 \cdot 10^{25}$	< 250– 380
			40	2012	0.001	$3 \cdot 10^{26}$	< 80 - 120
CUORE-0			13	2011	0.12	$8 \cdot 10^{25}$	<100 - 200
CUORE	Bolometers ^{130}Te	Gan sasso (Italy)	200	2013	0.01 0.001	$2.1 \cdot 10^{26}$ $6.5 \cdot 10^{26}$	< 41 -82 < 23- 47
SN module0	Tracko-calorimeter $^{82}\text{Se}, ^{150}\text{Nd}$	Modane (France)	7	2013	0.0001	$6 \cdot 10^{24}$	< 200 –600
SuperNEMO			100	2015	0.0001	10^{26}	< 53 – 145
SNO+	Liq. Scint. ^{150}Nd	SNOLAB (Canada)	44	2012			< 100
KamLAND	Liq. Scinti ^{136}Xe	Kamioka (Japan)	400	2011			< 60 (2 yr)

Mesure masse du neutrino

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Conclusion

La mesure de la masse du neutrino est un long chemin

Mais un gros progrès : jusqu'en 1998 on n'était pas que le neutrino soit massif....

Mesure directe: cosmologie semble s'approcher du but mais modèle dépendant

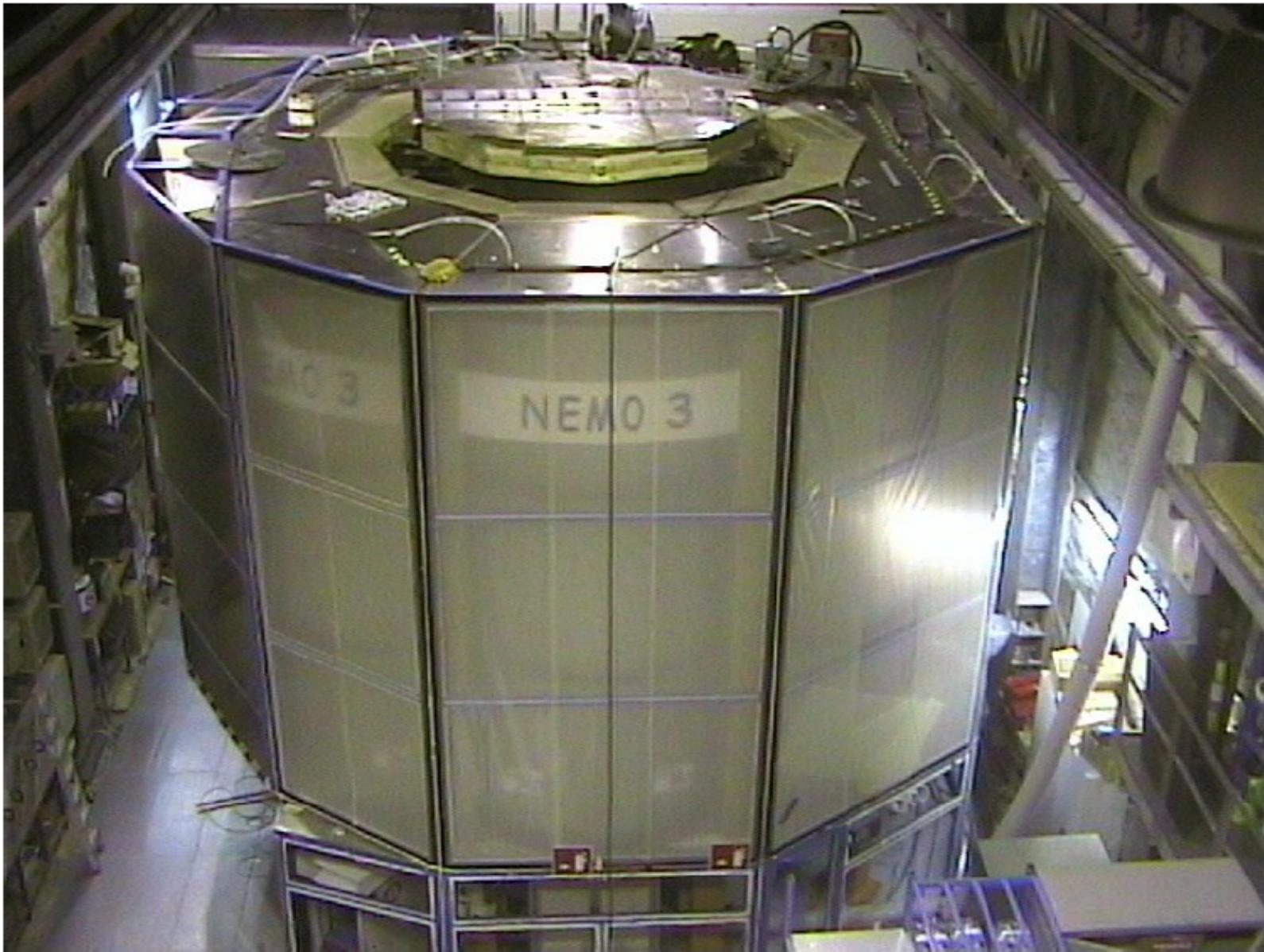
Simple beta: KATRIN devrait atteindre d'ici 2017 -2018 $m_\nu < 0,2 \text{ eV}$
MARE et d'autre développements pourrait permettre d'aller plus loin

Double beta : - La masse du neutrino est un des aspects de la physique avec la $\beta\beta(0\nu)$
- La prochaine génération cherche à atteindre 50 – 100 meV
- Toutes les techniques extrapolable à 100 kg sont dans le bruit de fond
- De nouvelles R&D (bolomètres scintillants, semi-conducteur)
- Progrès lents (avec du bruit de fond $m_\nu \sim M^{-4}$)
- Parler de la tonne n'a pas de sens aujourd'hui (enrichissement, fond, technique)

Double désintégration bêta

Double désintégration bêta

Entire NEMO-3



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Picture from LSM's Camera

Neutrino mass

Absolute mass ?

Beta decay

$$m_\nu = \sum |U_{ei}| m \left[< 2.3 \text{ eV}^2 \right]^{1/2}$$

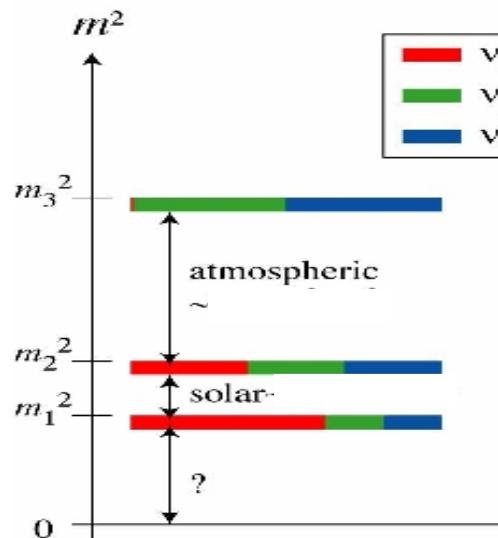
Double beta decay

$$|\langle m_\nu \rangle| = |\sum U_{ei} m_i| < 0.2 - 0.8 \text{ eV}$$

Cosmology

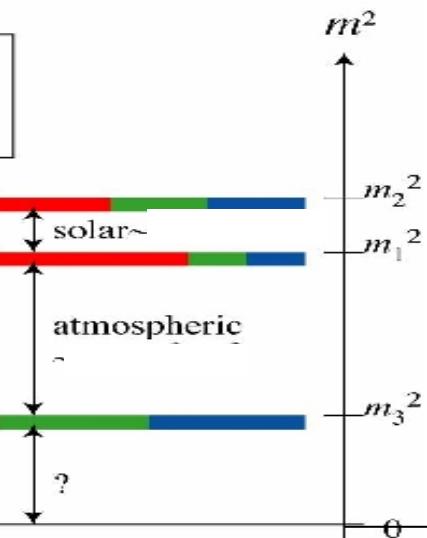
$$\sum m_i = m_1 + m_2 + m_3 < \sim 1 \text{ eV}$$

Mass hierarchy ?



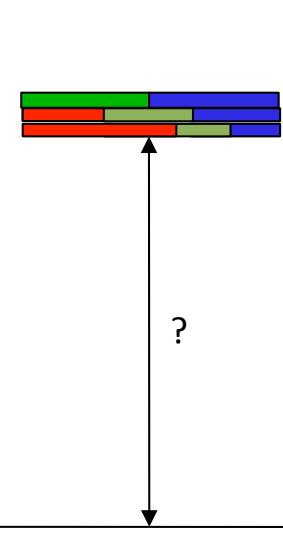
Normal hierarchy
 $m_3 \gg m_2 \sim m_1$

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Inverted hierarchy
 $m_2 \sim m_1 \gg m_3$

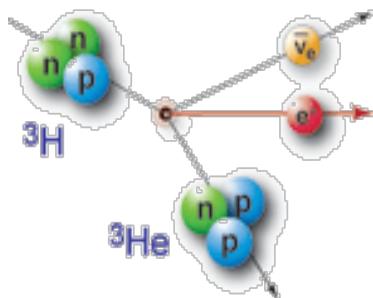
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Degenerate
 $m_1 \approx m_2 \approx m_3 \gg |m_i - m_j|$

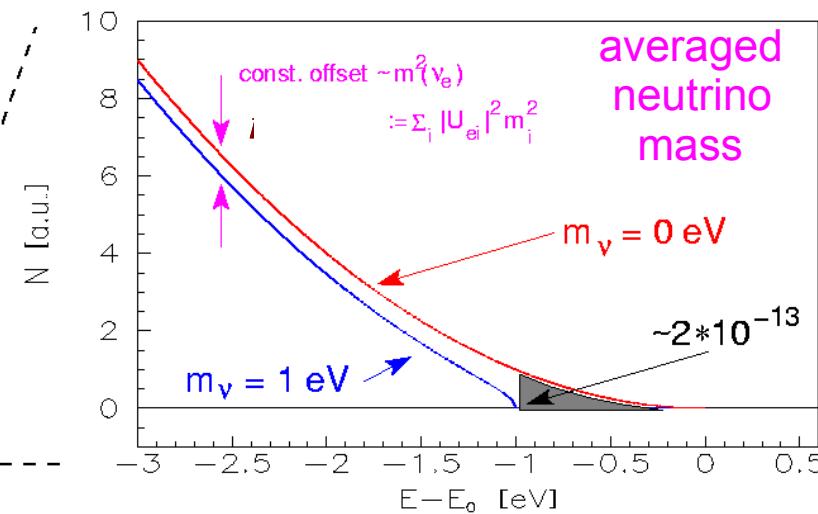
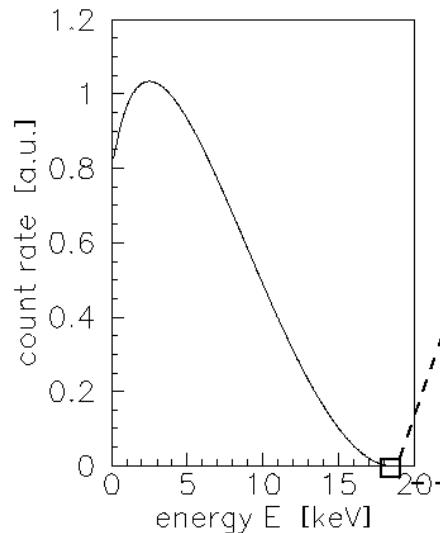
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Beta decay



$$dN/dE \sim [(E_0 - E_e)^2 - m_{\nu i}^2]^{1/2}:$$

$$m_\nu^2 = \sum |U_{e_i}|^2 m_i^2$$



Fraction of decay in $[Q_\beta - m_\nu, Q_\beta] \sim (m_\nu / Q_\beta)$ ${}^3\text{H}$ → lowest Q_β value ${}^3\text{H}$ ($Q_\beta = 18.6$ keV)

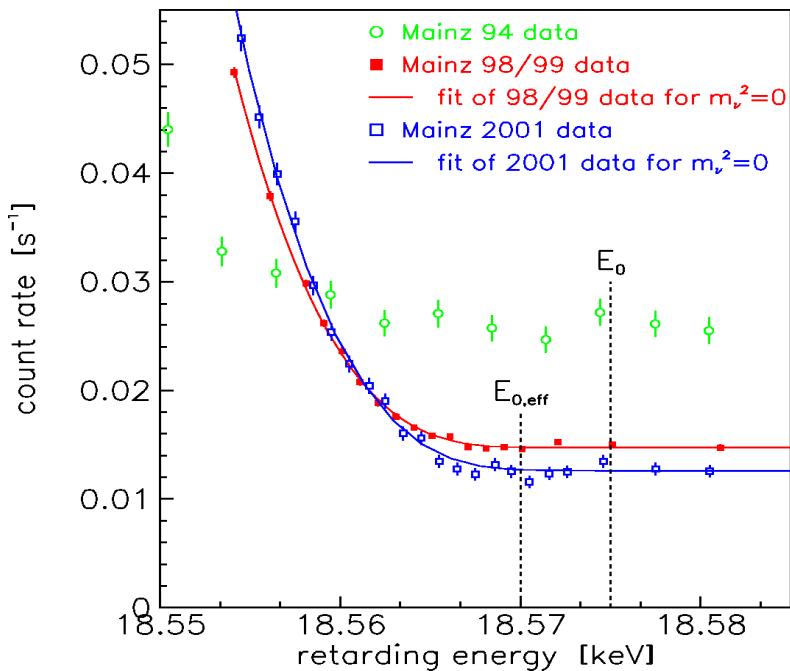
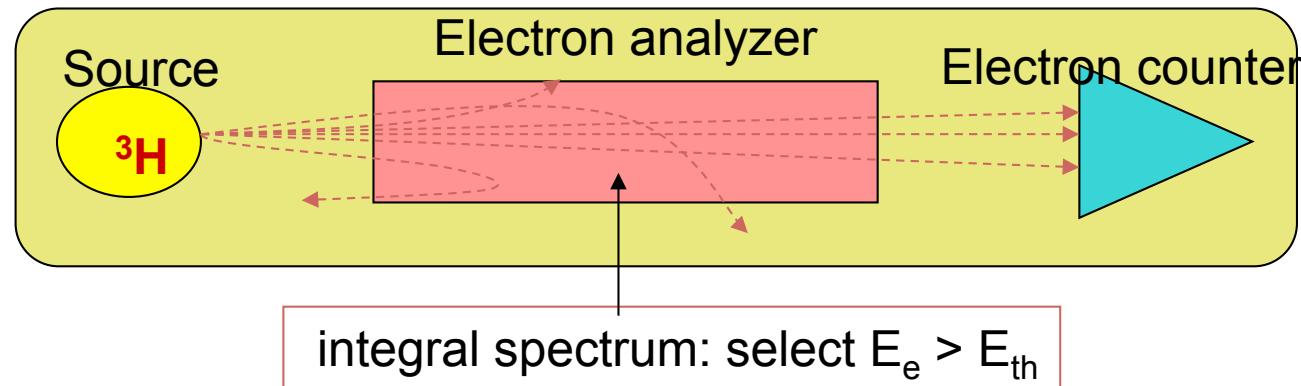
High counting rate

Low background

Energy resolution $\sim m_\nu$

Beta decay: present status

MAC-E spectrometers



MAINZ: $m_{\nu}^2 = -0.6 \pm 2.2 \pm 2.1 \text{ eV}^2$

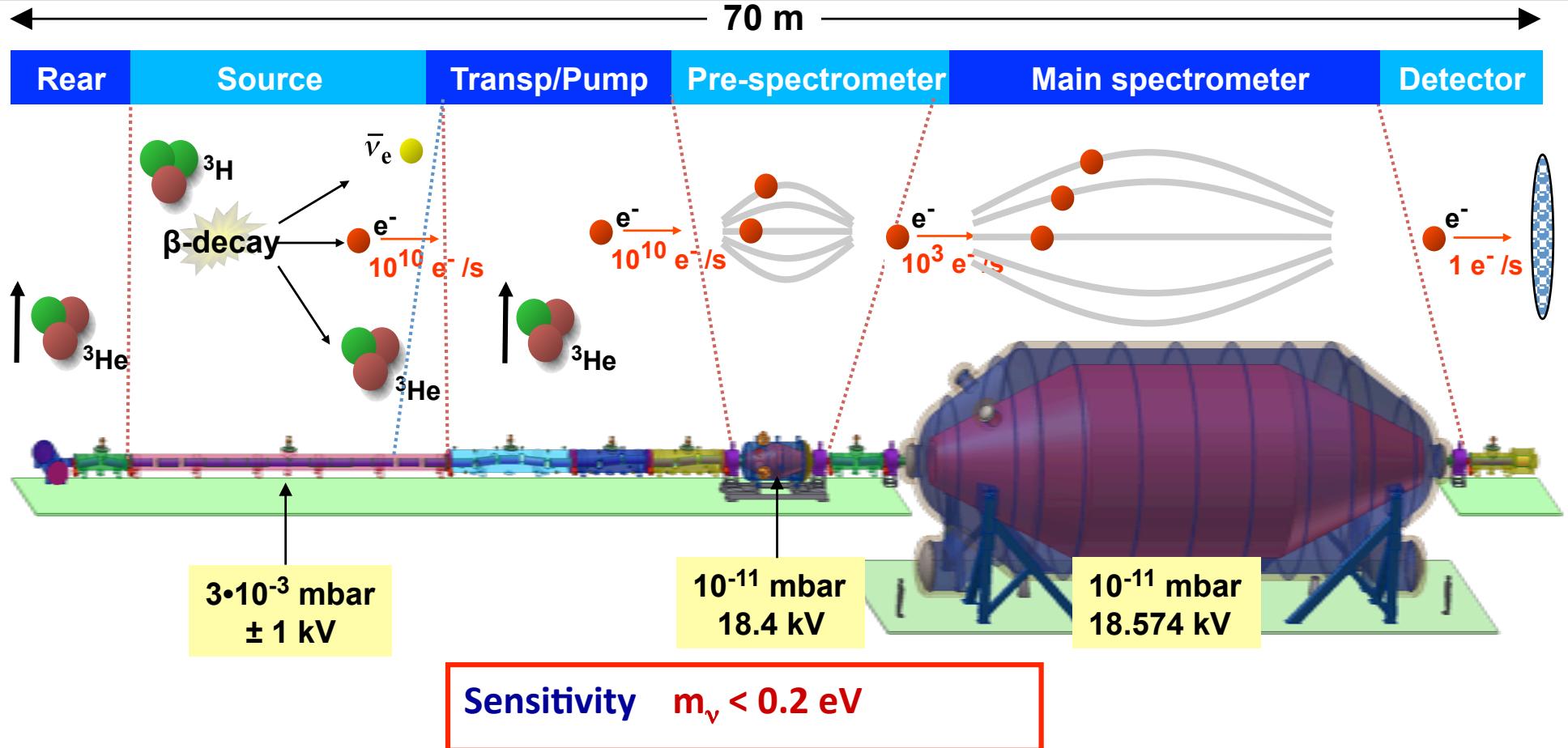
$\Rightarrow m_{\nu} < 2.3 \text{ eV (95% C.L.)}$

C. Kraus et al., Eur. Phys. J. C 40 (2005) 447

Troisk: $m_{\nu}^2 = -2.3 \pm 2.5 \pm 2.0 \text{ eV}^2$

$m_{\nu} < 2.05 \text{ eV (95% C.L.)}$

Beta decay: KATRIN experiment



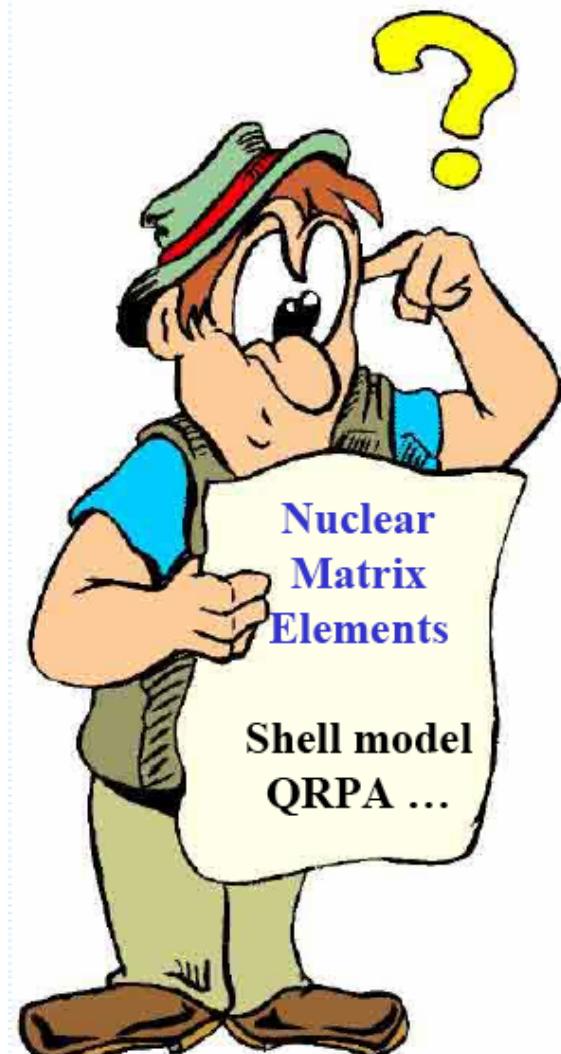
Improvement of ΔE : **0.93 eV** (4.8 eV for Mainz)

Larger acceptance

Statistics **100 days \rightarrow 1000 days**

Commissioning and start of data taking: 2010

Nuclear matrix elements



Mesure masse du neutrino

Experimentalists:

- What are the best $0\nu\beta\beta$ -decay candidates?

Particle physicists:

- What is the absolute ν mass scale?
- Will the evidence of the $0\nu\beta\beta$ -decay allow to conclude about Majorana CP-phases?

It is a complex task

- Medium and heavy open shell nuclei with a complicated nuclear structure
- The construction of complete set of the states of the intermediate nucleus is needed
- Many-body problem \Rightarrow approximations needed
- Nuclear structure input has to be fixed

Uncertainties

F. Simkovic

List of reasons, why QRPA-like $0\nu\beta\beta$ -decay NME
are different (13 reasons)

Quasiparticle mean field
fixing of pp,nn (pn) pairing

two-nucleon s.r.c. (~ 50%)
has to be considered

Many-body approximations
QRPA, RQRPA, SRQRPA

finite size of nucleon (~10%)
form factors

Choice of NN interaction
Schem., realistic (Bonn, Paris ...)

h.o.t. of nucleon curr. (~30%)
Induced PS, weak magnetism

the closure approximation
p-h interaction ($g_{ph} \approx 1$)
fixed to GT resonance

the overlap factor
the BCS overlap

The size of model space

the axial-vector coupling
 $g_A = 1.0$ or 1.25

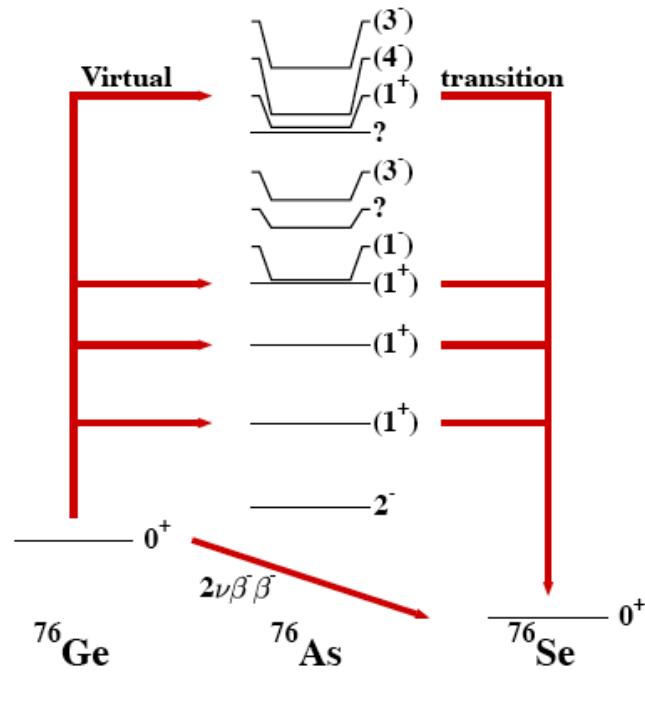
p-p interaction (g_{pp})
fixed to β or $\beta\beta$ -decay resonance,
or $g_{pp}=1$

Nuclear shape
Spherical, not deformed yet

How to calculate Nuclear Matrix Elements ?

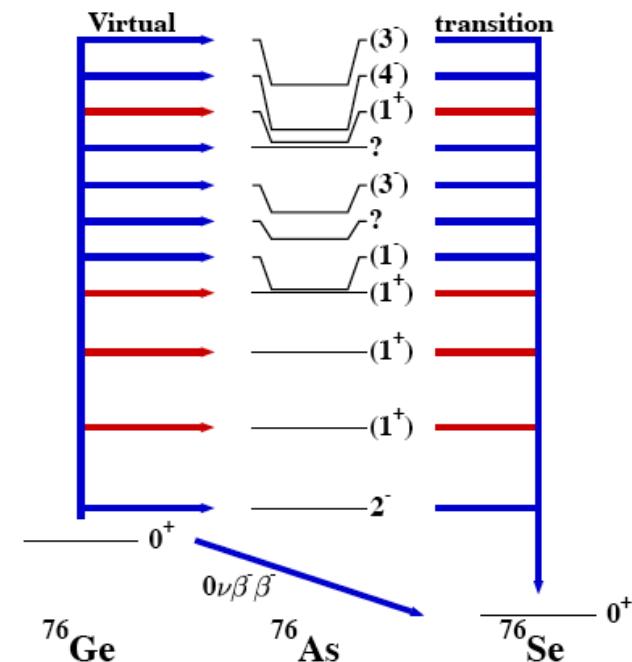
$\beta\beta(2\nu)$

$$T_{1/2}^{-1} = F'(\mathbf{Q}_{\beta\beta}, Z) |\mathbf{M}'|^2 \langle m_\nu \rangle^2$$



$\beta\beta(0\nu)$

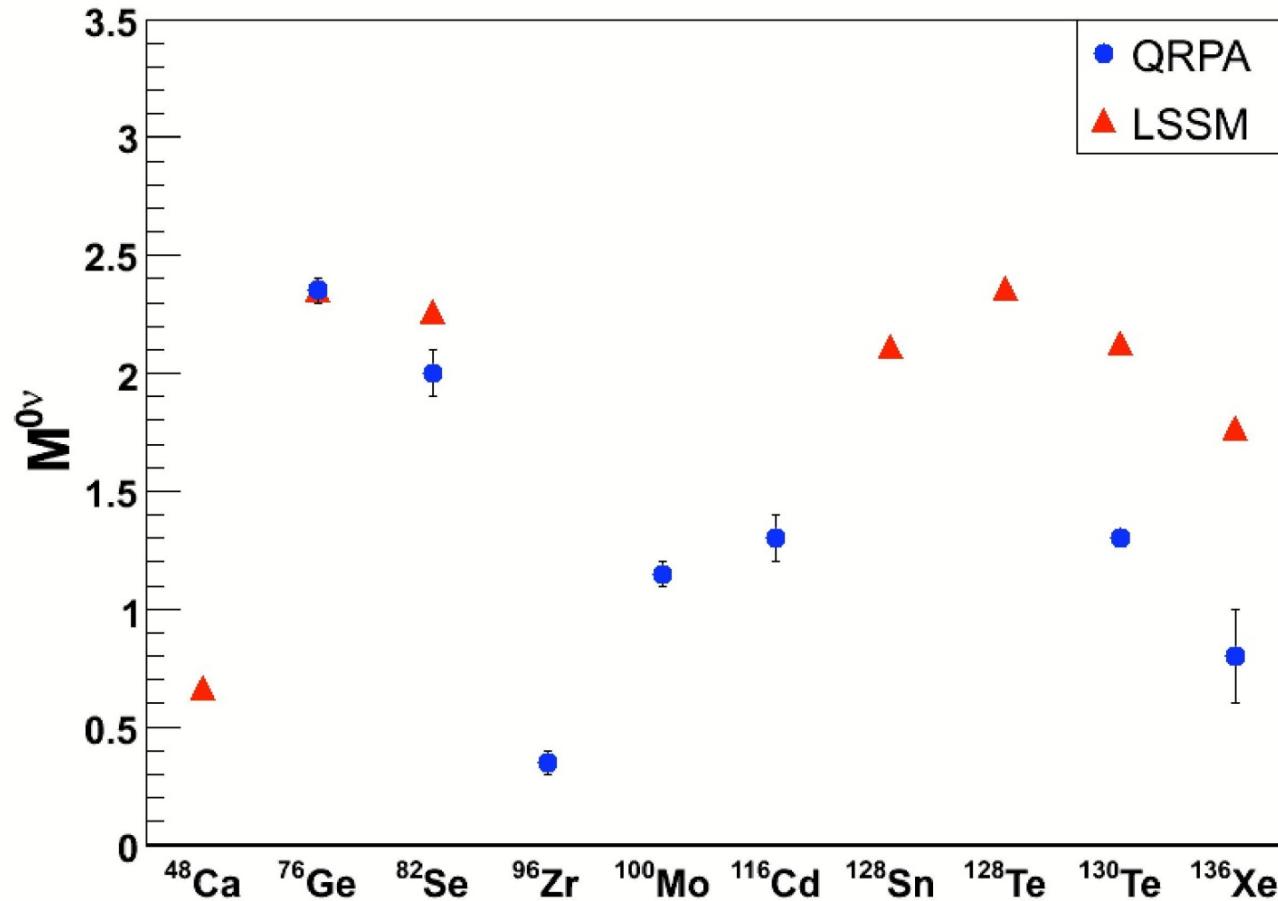
$$T_{1/2}^{-1} = F(\mathbf{Q}_{\beta\beta}, Z) |\mathbf{M}|^2 \langle m_\nu \rangle^2$$



NME are not the same, higher multipole contribute for $\beta\beta(0\nu)$

Shell Model Calculation or QRPA

QRPA vs Shell Model



QRPA: Nucl. Phys. A, 766 107 (2006)
LSSM: From Poves NDM06 talk (Caurier, Nowacki, Poves)

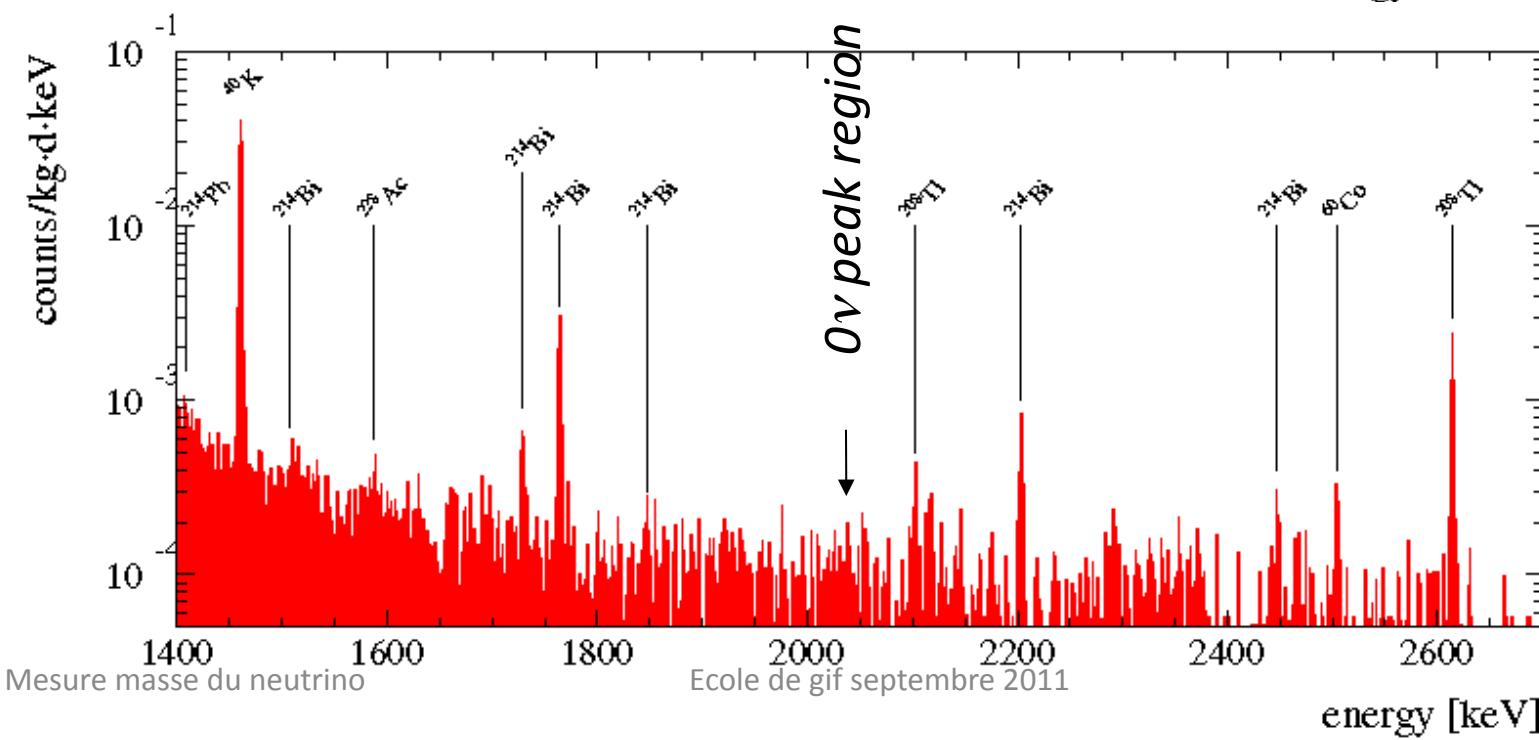
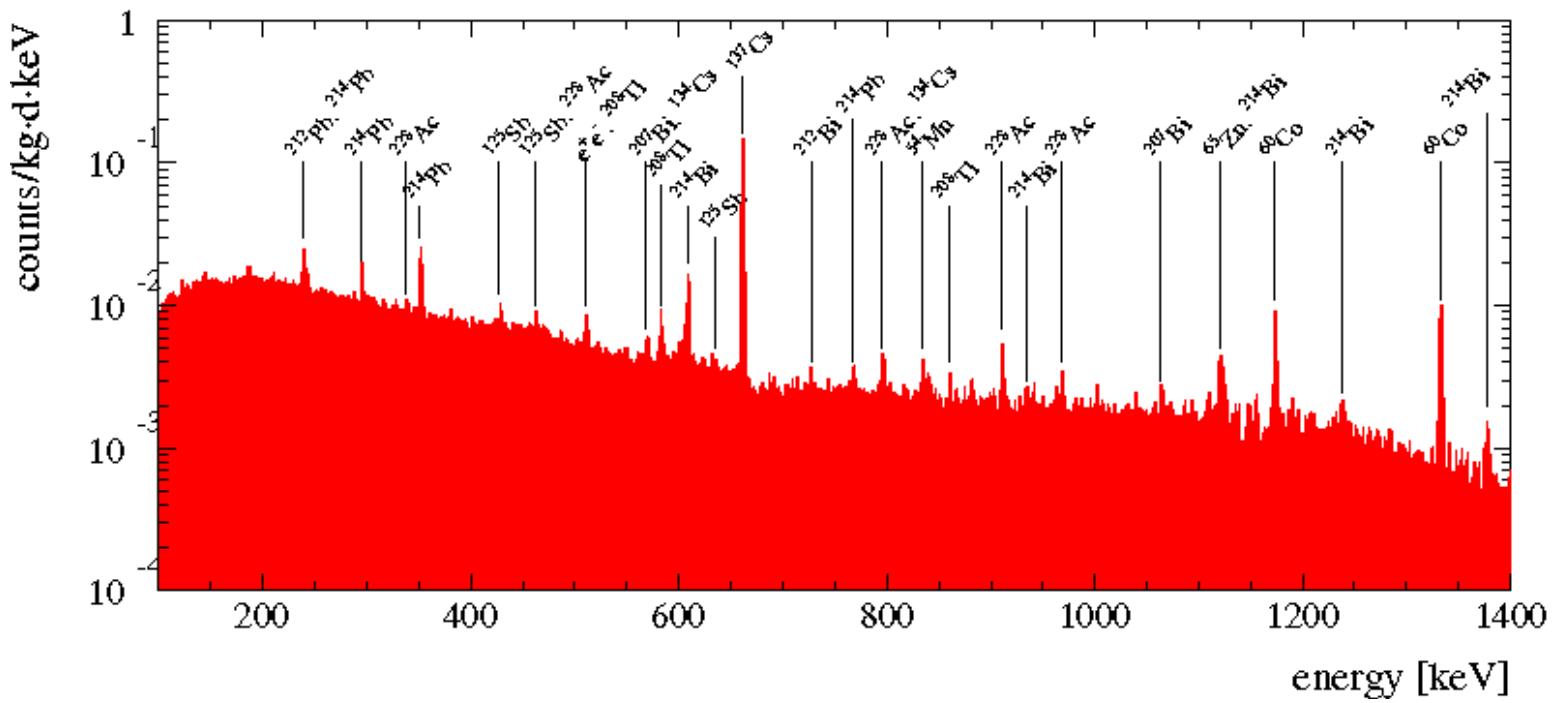
Heidelberg – Moscou and IGEX experiment



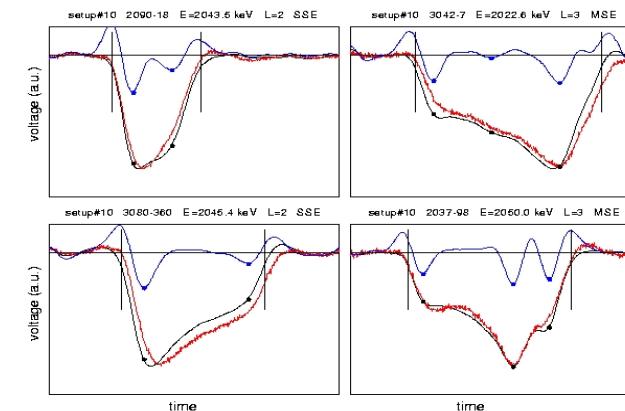
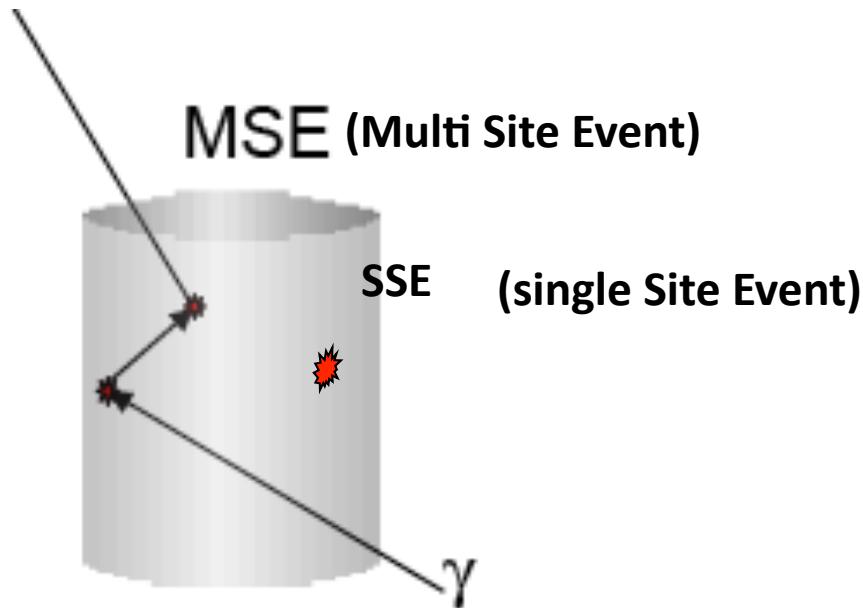
Ge detector: - Very good energy resolution

- Efficiency

- Compact detector

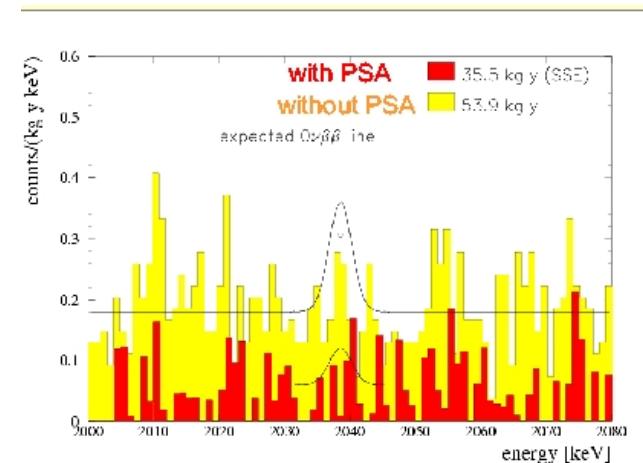
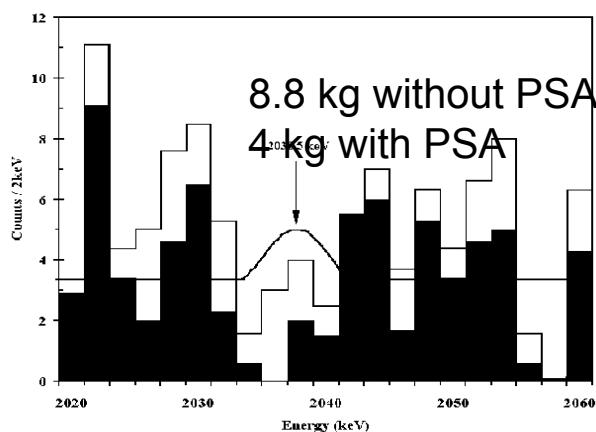


Pulse shape analysis



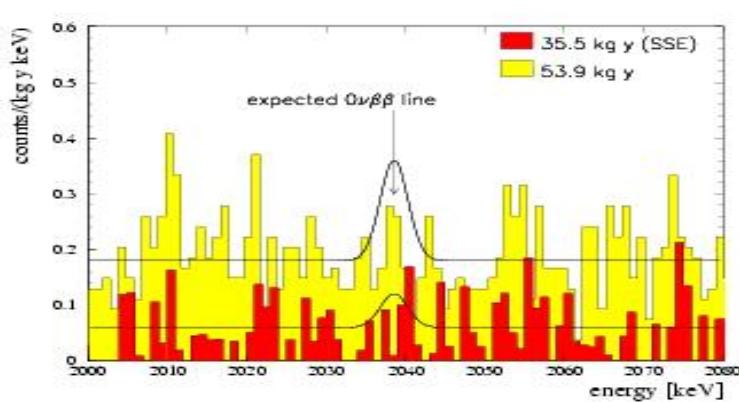
Efficiency to reject bad events: 60-80 %

HM: 0.06 counts/kg.y.keV
IGEX: 0.09 counts/kg.y.keV



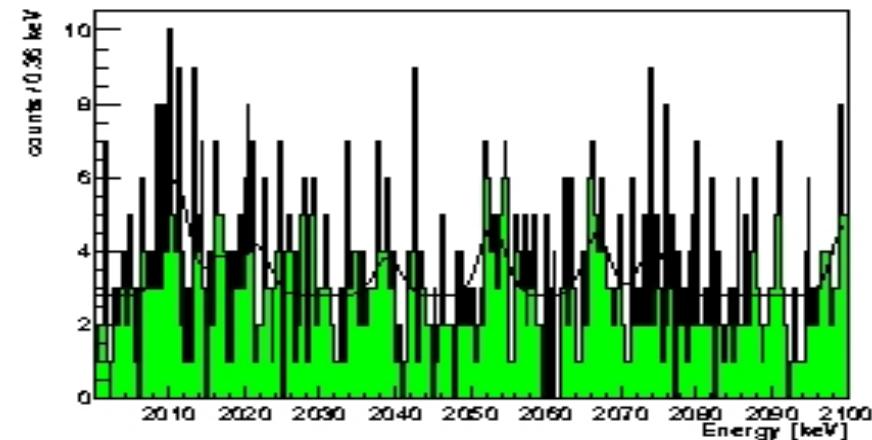
$\beta\beta(0\nu)$ signal ? HM claim

2001



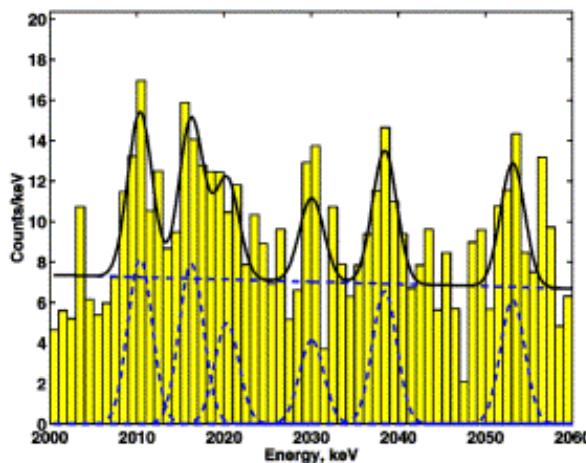
$T_{1/2} > 1.9 \cdot 10^{25}$ $\langle m_n \rangle < 0.35 - 1.05$ (90%)

2002 (3.1σ)

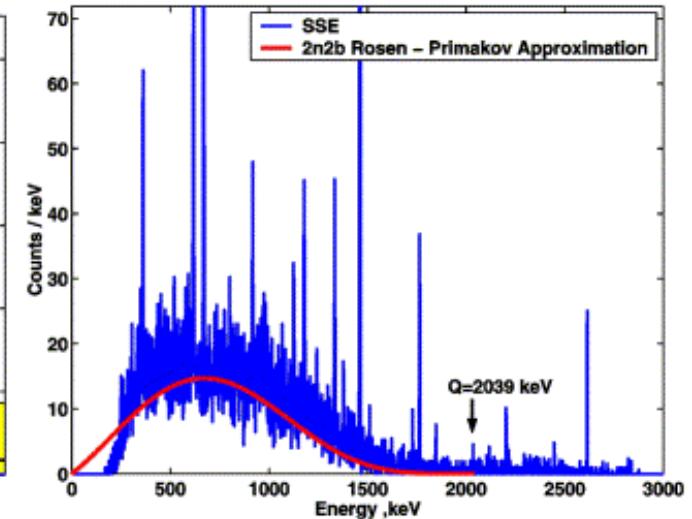
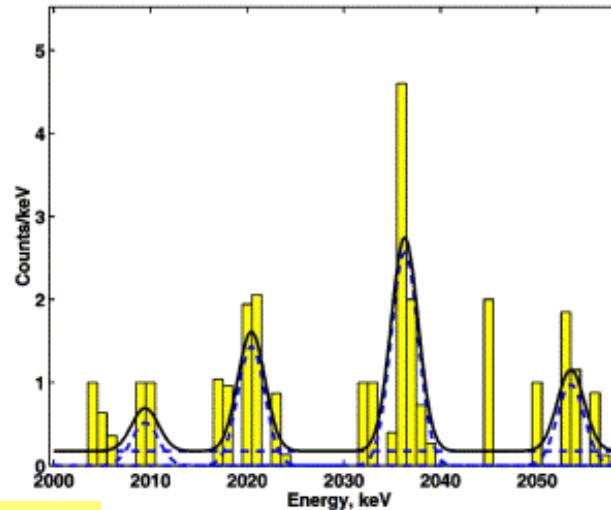


$T_{1/2} = (0.8 - 18.3) \cdot 10^{25} \text{ y}$ $\langle m_n \rangle = 0.11 - 0.56 \text{ eV}$

2004: new calibration (4σ)



$T_{\frac{1}{2}} = (0.69 - 4.18) \cdot 10^{25} \text{ ans (90 CL)}$
Mesure masse du neutrino
 $\langle m_\nu \rangle = 0.28 - 0.58 \text{ eV}$



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Best value: 0.39 eV

$\beta\beta(0\nu)$ signal ?

Statistical effect

Estimation of the background level

Problems for some well-known peaks (^{214}Bi)

Some unknown lines in the same region

^{56}Co produced by cosmic rays (2034 keV photon + 6 keV X-ray)

$^{76}\text{Ge}(n, \gamma)^{77}\text{Ge}$ (2038 keV photon)

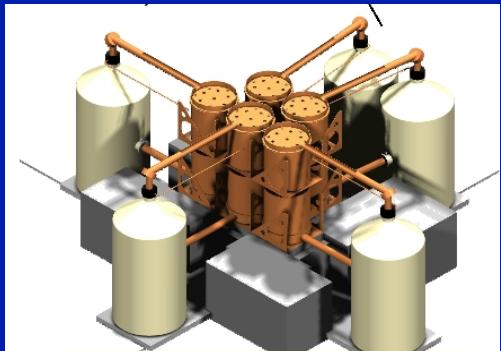
Some unknown line

Inelastic neutron scattering ($n, n'\gamma$) on lead

Other suggestions, can be combination of all

GE futur

MAJORANA (USA,Russia)



Objective: 500 kg of ^{76}Ge
210 enriched segmented detectors

Detector segmentation
PSD improvement
Material selection

Feasability of segmented detector checked

In progress tests of 16 détecteurs of natural Ge
+ 2 enriched

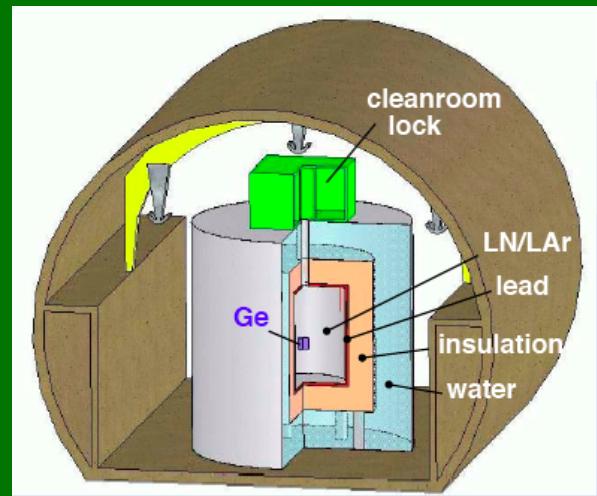
~10 ans to have full detector

Mesure masse du neutrino
2015 ?: $T_{1/2} > 4 \cdot 10^{27} \text{ y}$

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$<\text{m}_\nu> 0.02 - 0.03 \text{ eV}$

GERDA (Europe,Russia)



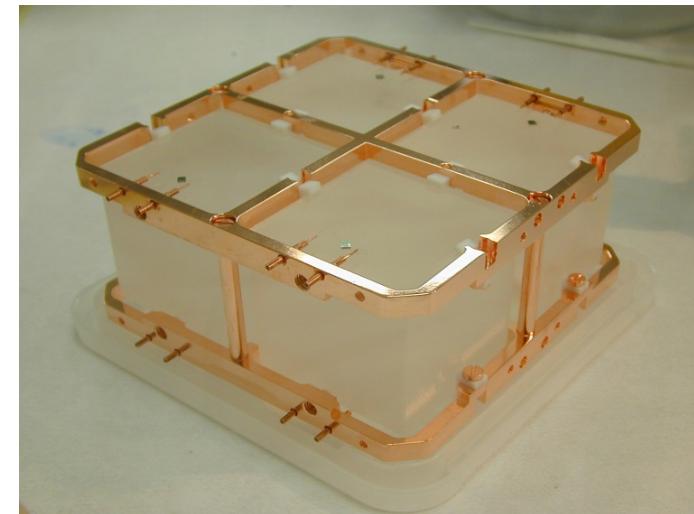
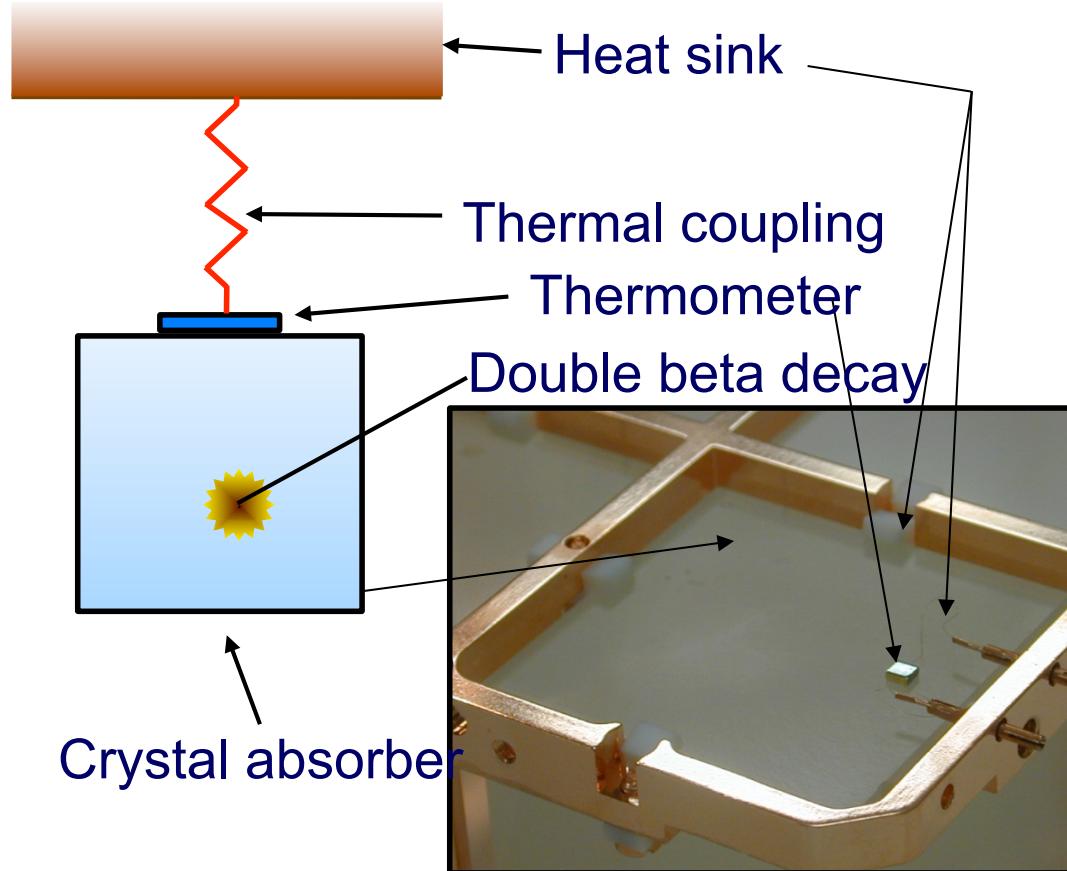
Objective: 100 kg of ^{76}Ge
Suppression of matter

Ge placed in liquid nitrogen or argon
(active veto to reject background)
PSD improvement

Feasability of Ge in liquid N_2 shown
2008: cristaux HM+IGEX to test HM signal
 $\text{Si bdf} = 0.01 \text{ cps.kev}^{-1}.\text{kg}^{-1}.\text{an}^{-1}$
HM rejeté à 99.6% en 1 an
2010: 100 kg (détecteurs segmentés)

2015: $T_{1/2} > 2 \cdot 10^{26} \text{ ans}$ $<\text{m}_\nu> 0.09 - 0.29 \text{ eV}^{97}$

Bolometer: cuorecino - cuore



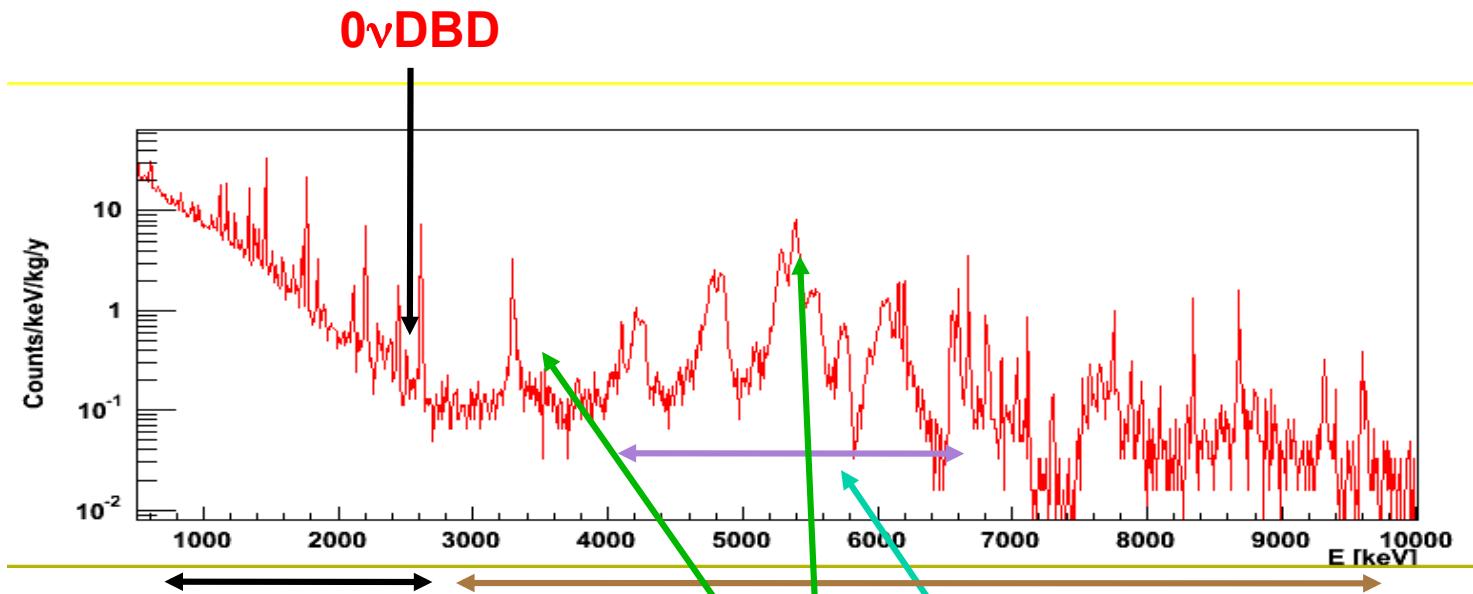
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example: 750 g of TeO_2 @ 10 mK

$$C \sim T^3 \text{ (Debye)} \Rightarrow C \sim 2 \times 10^{-9} \text{ J/K}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 1 \text{ MeV } \gamma\text{-ray} &\Rightarrow \Delta T \sim 80 \mu\text{K} \\ &\text{Ecole de gif septembre 2011} \\ &\Rightarrow \Delta U \sim 10 \text{ eV} \end{aligned}$$

Cuoricino spectrum



Gamma region,
dominated by gamma
and beta events,
highest gamma line =
2615 keV ^{208}TI line
(from ^{232}Th chain)

Alpha region, dominated by alpha peaks
(internal or surface contaminations)

Cuoricino results

Bolometers of TeO₂ ($Q_{\beta\beta} = 2,528$ MeV)
Natural abundance ¹³⁰Te 30%
Resolution (FWHM at 1 MeV) 5-7 keV

CUORICINO: 1 tower de CUORE

42 modules of 5*5*5 cm³
18 modules of 2*3*6 cm³

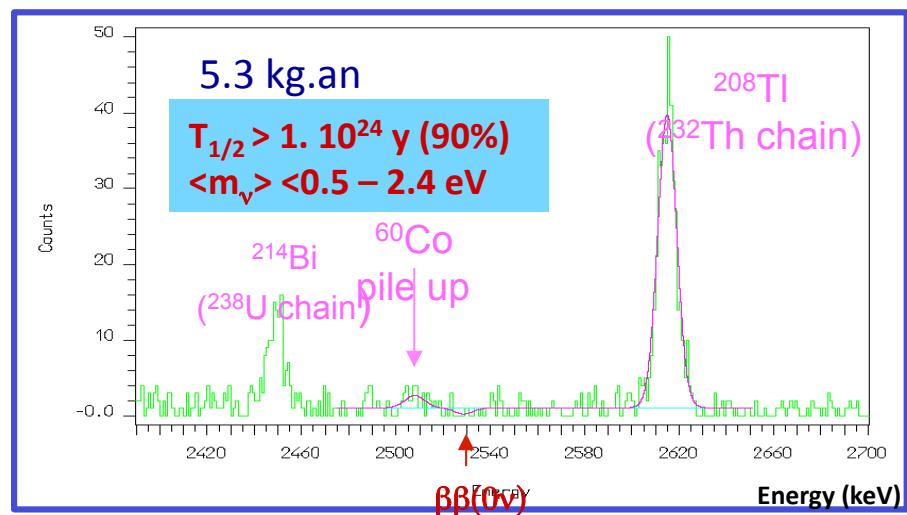
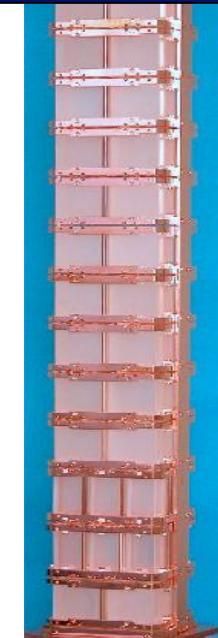
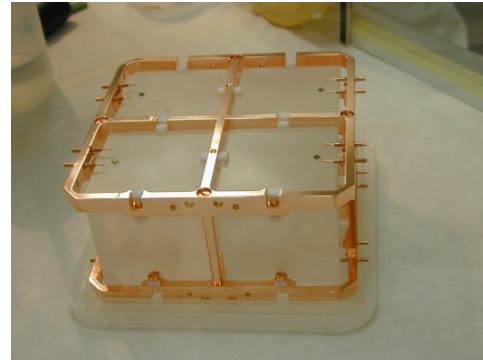
10.4 kg of ¹³⁰Te

Efficacy: 86 %

Run since 2003

Bckg: 0.17 evt.keV⁻¹.kg⁻¹.y⁻¹
²⁰⁸Tl in materials, surface contamination
in α et β emitters

Italy, Spain, Netherland, USA

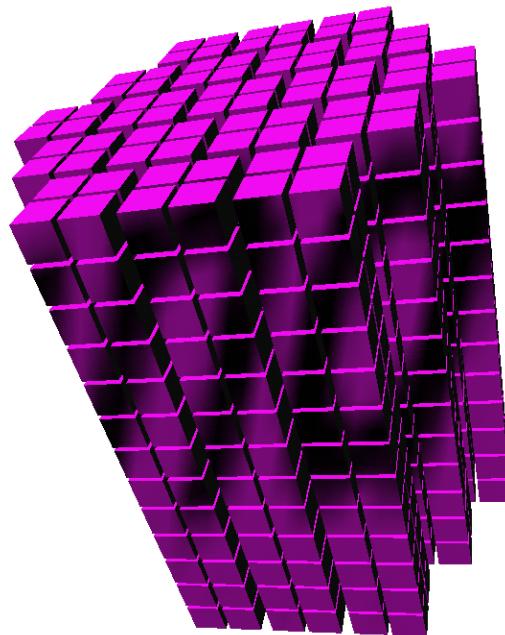


In 3 ans: $T_{1/2} > 4 \cdot 10^{24}$ y $\langle m_\nu \rangle < 0.2 - 1.2$ eV

Meure masse du neutrino

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CUORE



750 kg $\text{TeO}_2 \rightarrow$ 203 kg ^{130}Te
19 towers x 13 modules x 4 detectors

R&D for CUORE

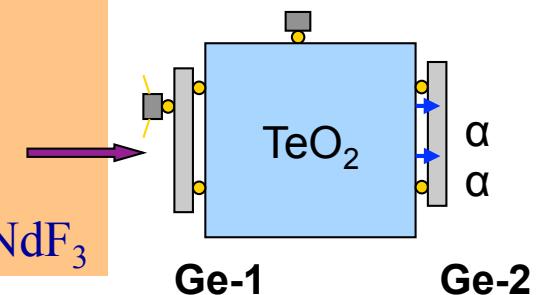
$$0.17 \rightarrow 0.01 \text{ cps.keV}^{-1} \cdot \text{kg}^{-1} \cdot \text{an}^{-1}$$

Surface cleaning

Supression of α events in surface

Détection scintillation ?

$^{48}\text{CaF}_2$, ^{76}Ge , $^{100}\text{MoPbO}_4$, $^{116}\text{CdWO}_4$, $^{150}\text{NdF}_3$



Sensitivities for 5 years

$$N_{\text{bdf}} = 0.01 \text{ cps.keV}^{-1} \cdot \text{kg}^{-1} \cdot \text{y}^{-1}$$

$$N_{\text{bdf}} = 0.001 \text{ cps.keV}^{-1} \cdot \text{kg}^{-1} \cdot \text{y}^{-1}$$

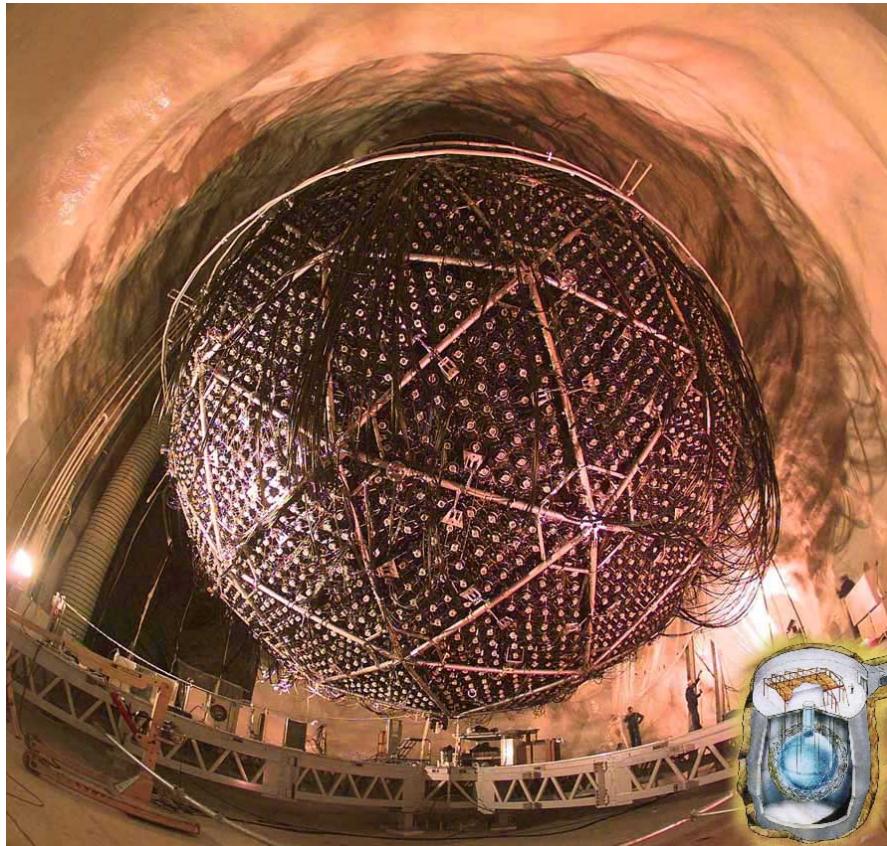
$$T_{1/2} > 2.1 \cdot 10^{26} \text{ y}$$

$$T_{1/2} > 6.6 \cdot 10^{26} \text{ y}$$

$$\langle m_\nu \rangle < 0.03 - 0.17 \text{ eV}$$

$$\langle m_\nu \rangle < 0.015 - 0.1 \text{ eV}$$

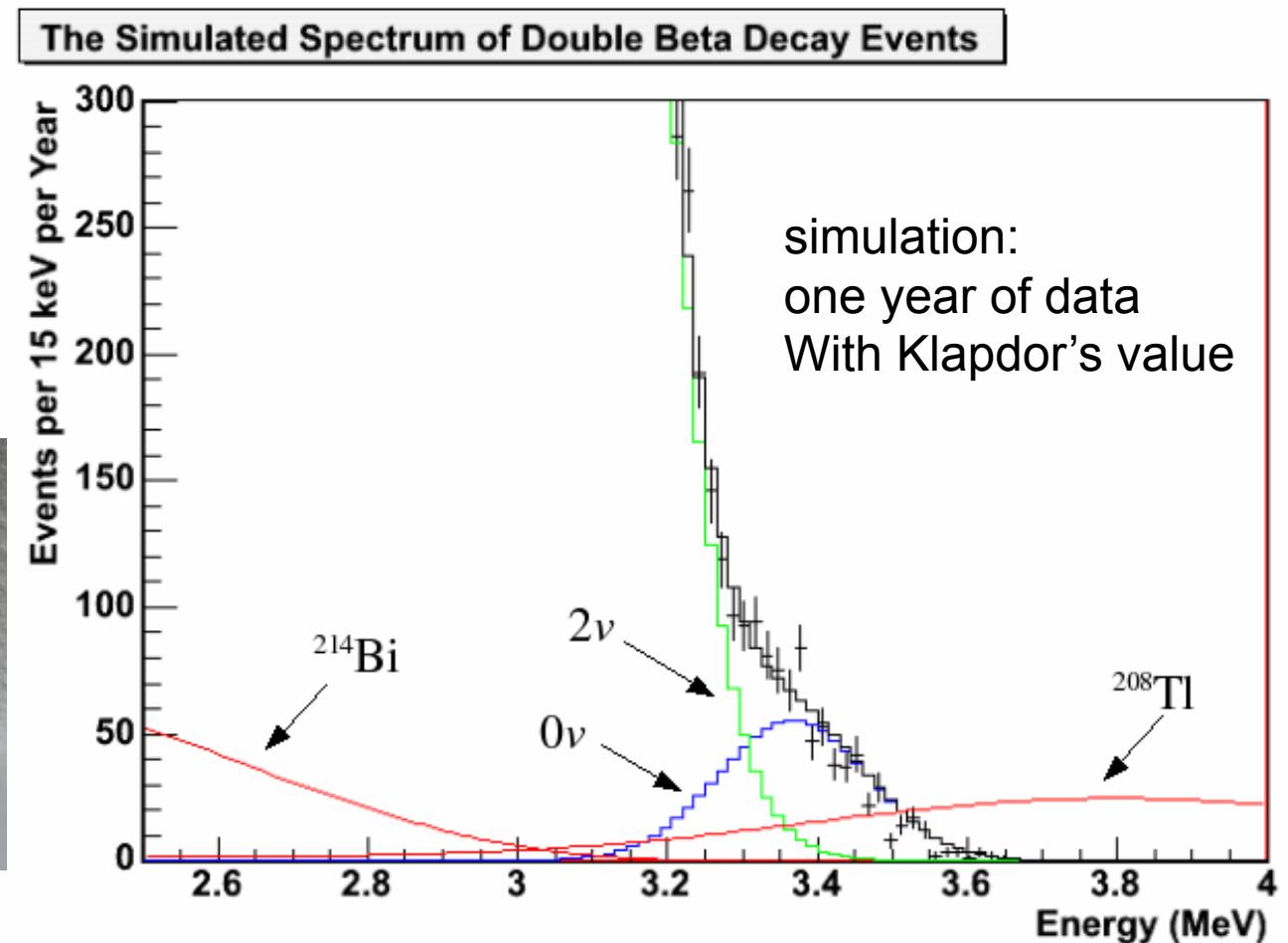
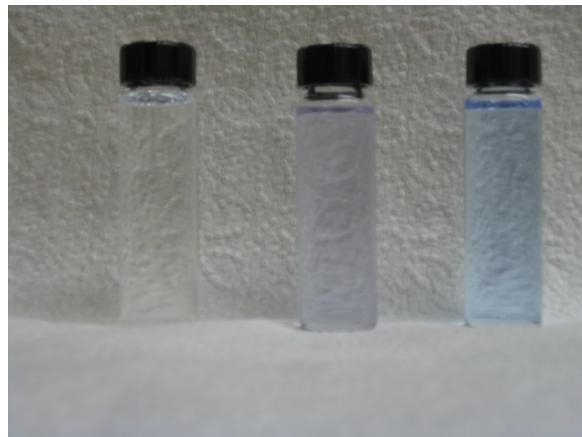
SNO+



SNO + SNO filled with liquid scintillator for solar neutrino detection

SNO++

0ν : 1000 events per year with 1% natural Nd-loaded liquid scintillator in SNO++



*maximum likelihood statistical test of the shape to extract
 0ν and 2ν components...~240 units of $\Delta\chi^2$ significance after only 1 year!*