

Density distribution of Ni isotope from proton elastic scattering

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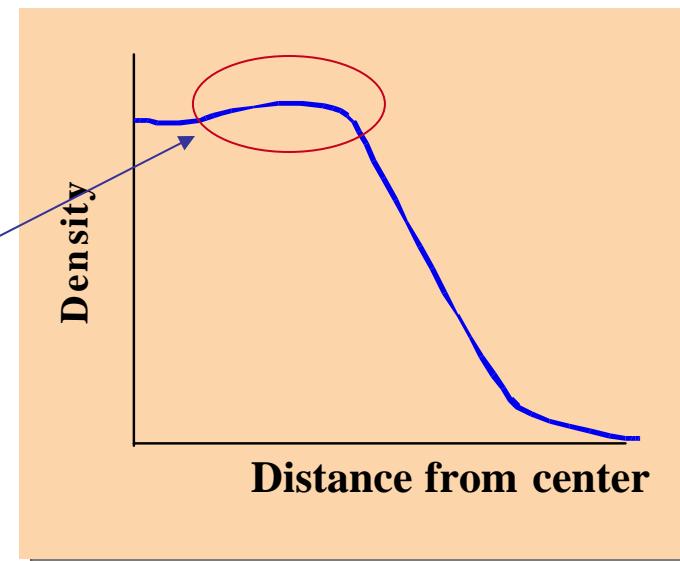
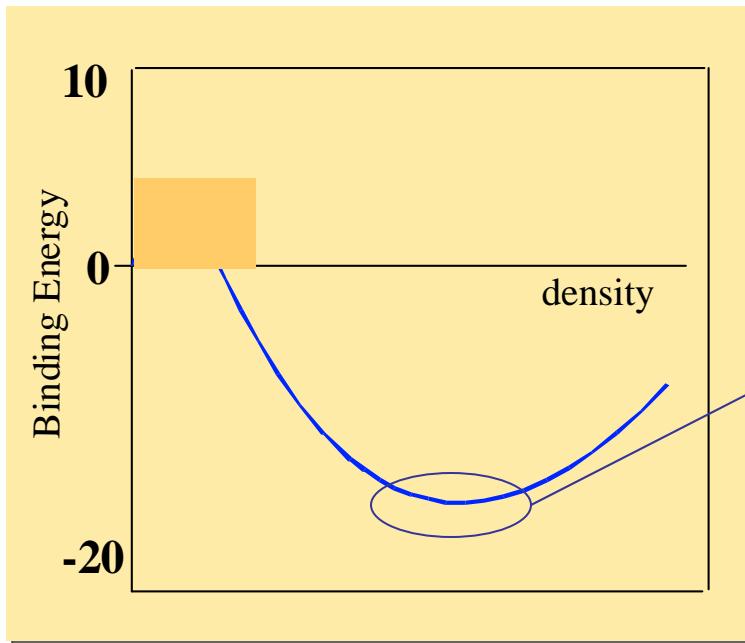
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S272: Density distribution of Ni isotope from proton elastic scattering

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- Year of Approval: 2001 (re-evaluation in 2008)
- Shifts: parasitic test in 2009
49 shifts used in 2010 [60 (main) approved]
8.2 shifts remain

Density Distribution and EOS

- **The saturation density of nuclear matter is reflected in the density of nucleus.**
 - > Saturation density of nuclear matter can be determined from density distributions.
 - > EOS of asymmetric matter can be studied from density distribution of neutron rich nuclei.

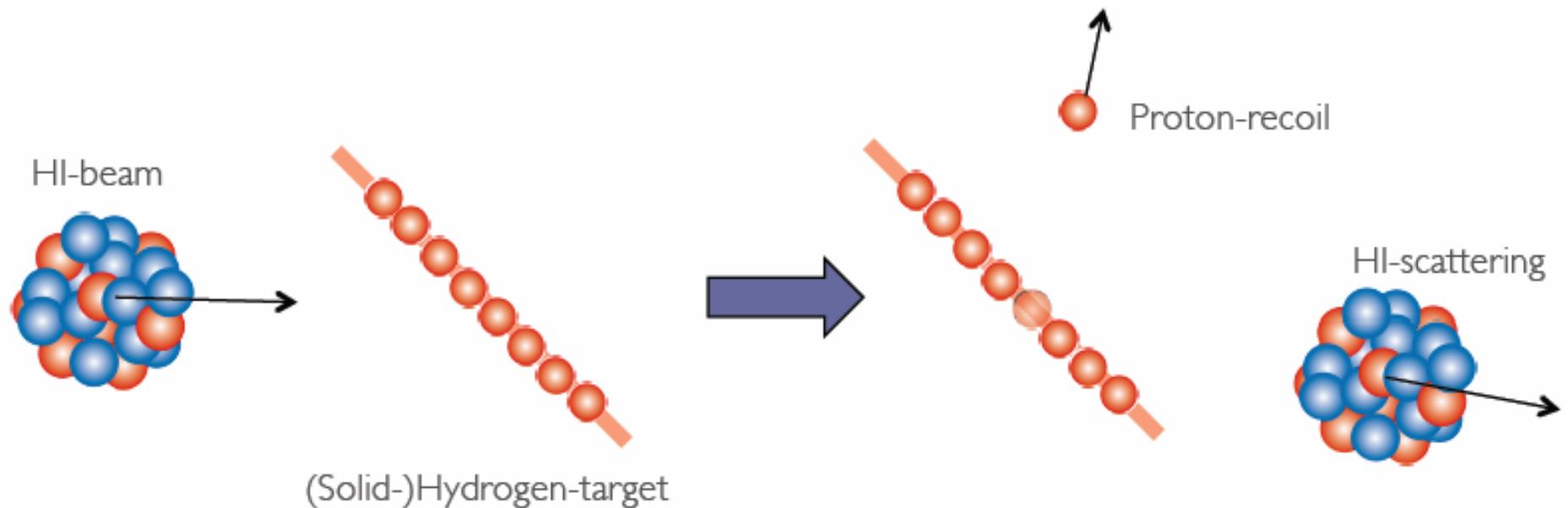


Experimental Principle

- **Proton Elastic scattering in inverse kinematics**

SH (${}^A\text{HI}, p$)

Full tracking of incident particle onto target (x, y, θ , ϕ , p)
position and energy of recoil particle on detector (x, y, p)



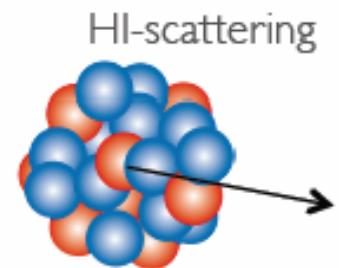
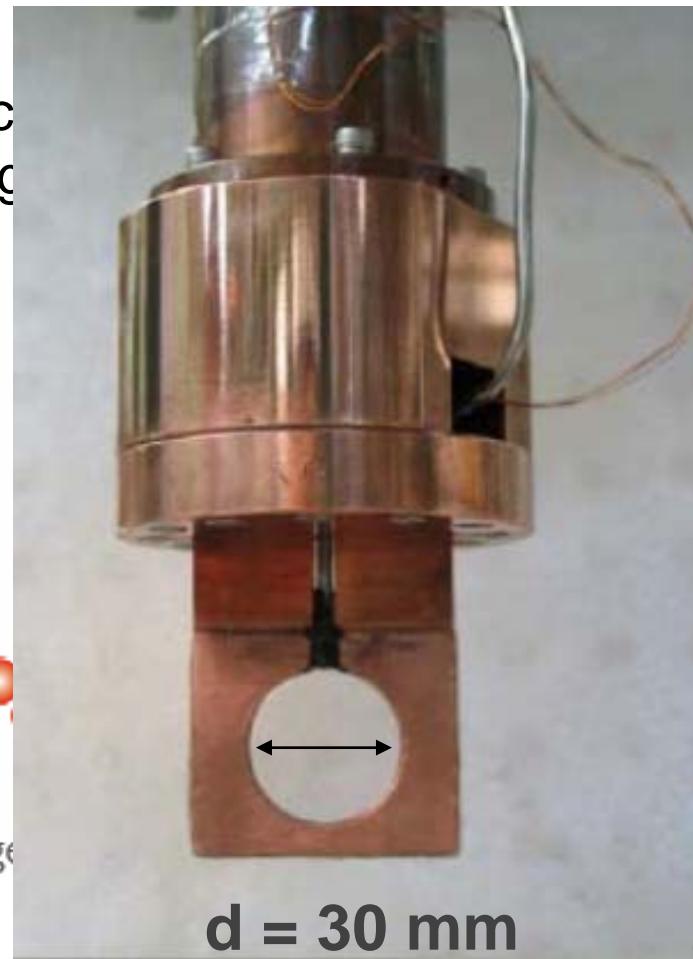
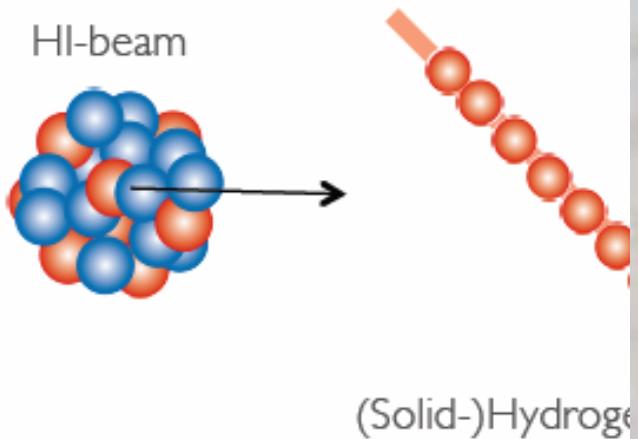
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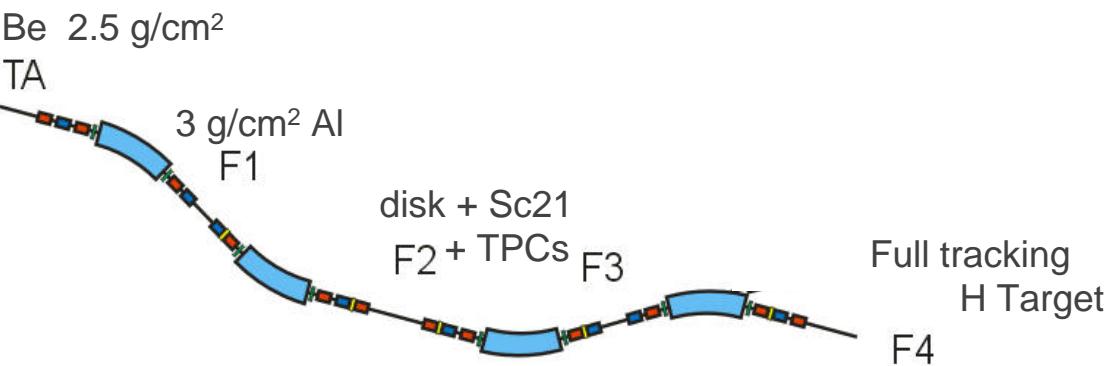
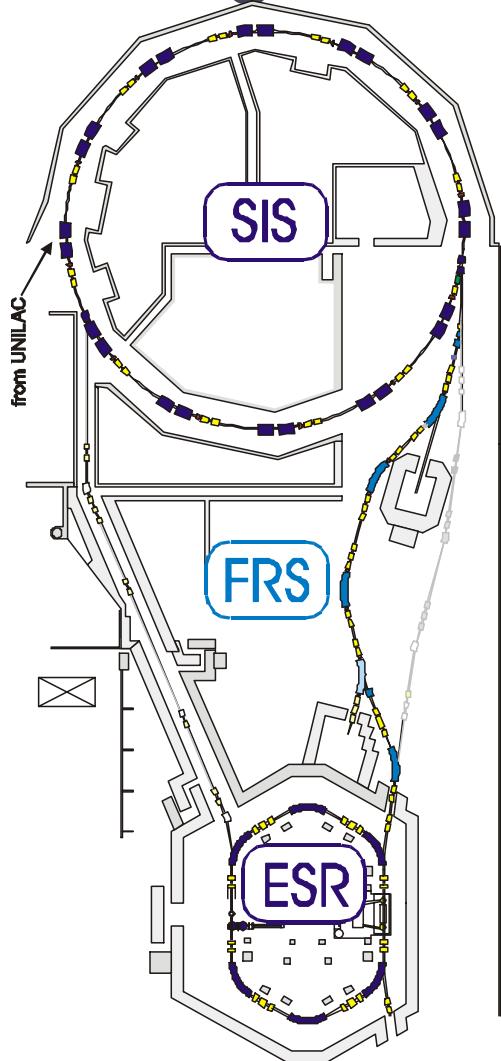
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- Full tracking of incident proton
- position and energy

, θ , ϕ , p)
r (x, y, p)



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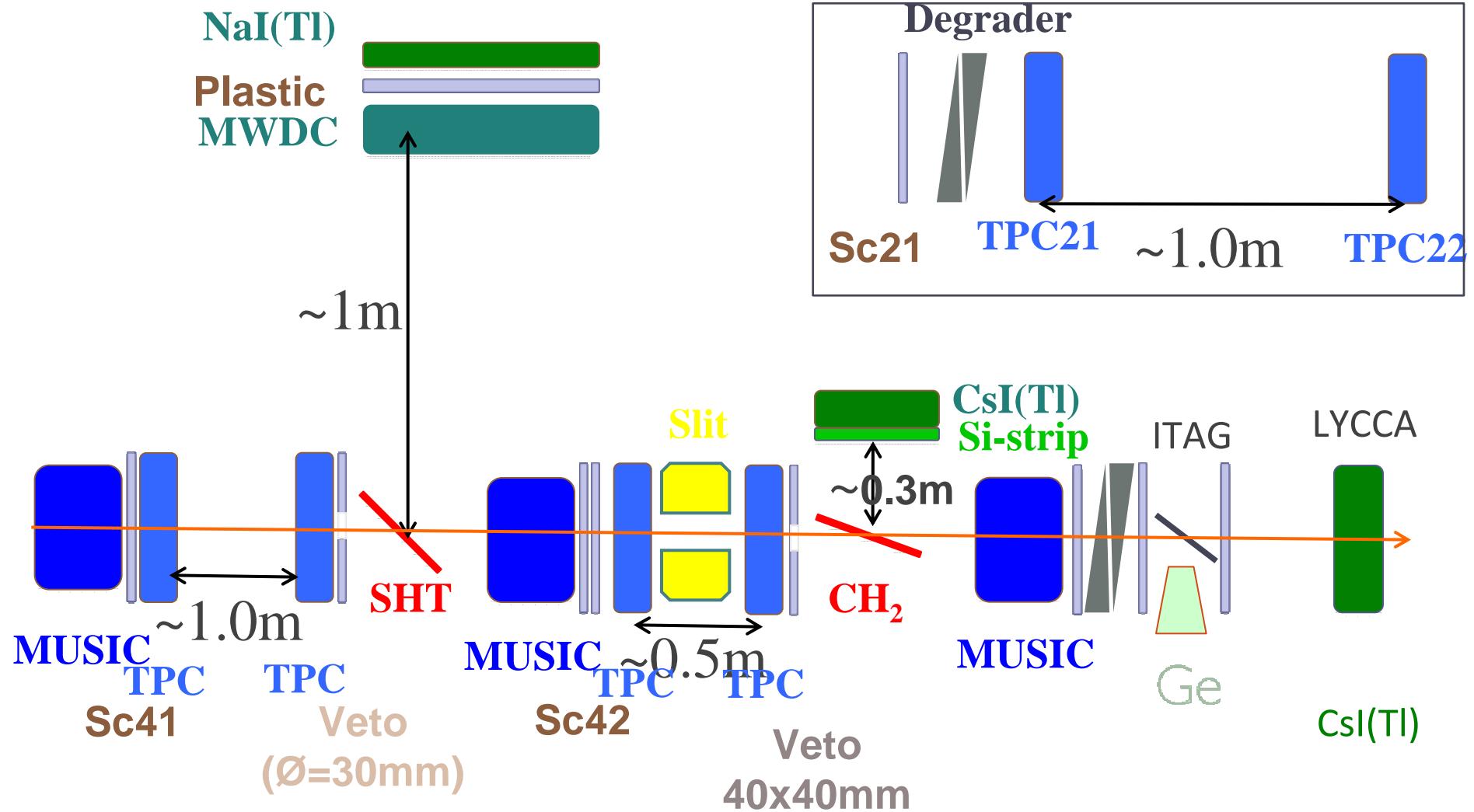
-- Beam Intensities --

^{86}Kr 500 MeV/u $\sim 2 \times 10^{10}$ /spill @ TA
 $[^{58}\text{Ni}$ 320 MeV/u 1×10^6 /spill]

$=>^{70}\text{Ni}$ 300 MeV/u $\sim 1 \times 10^3$ /spill
 ^{66}Ni 300 MeV/u $\sim 2 \times 10^4$ /spill
 $[^{58}\text{Ni}$ 300 MeV/u 1×10^6 /spill]

in March-April/2010

Scheme of Experimental Setup@S4(S2)



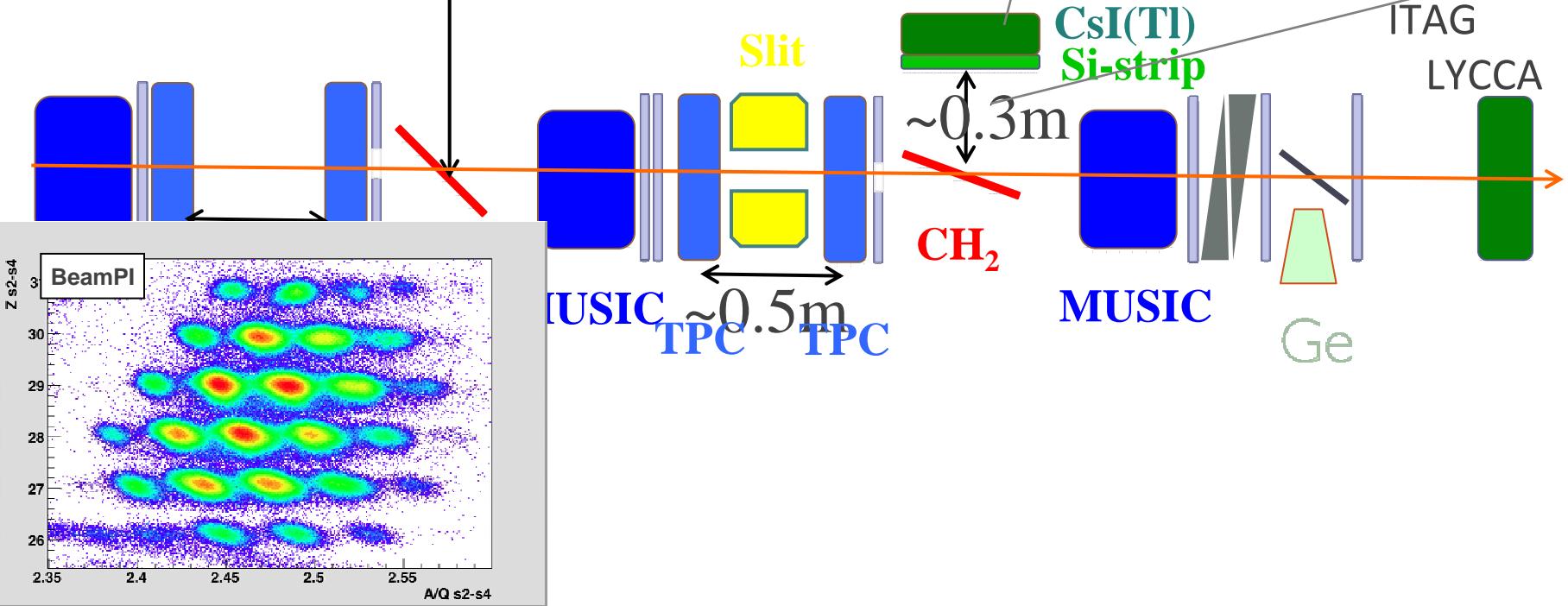
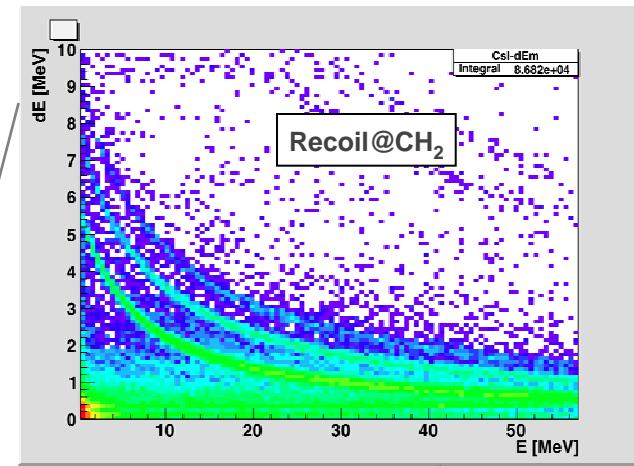
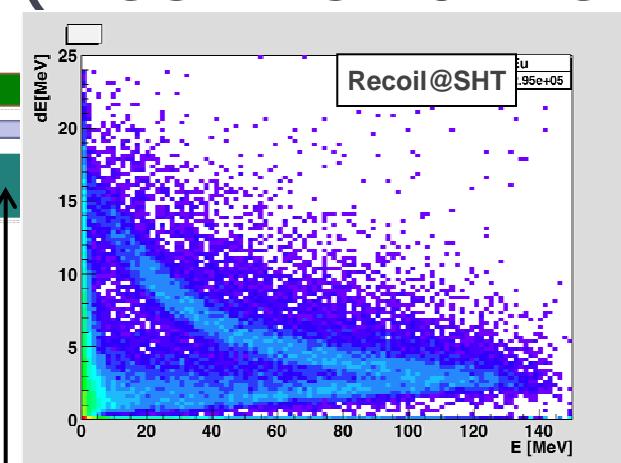
Particle ID (Beam and Recoil)

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NaI(Tl)

Plastic MWDC

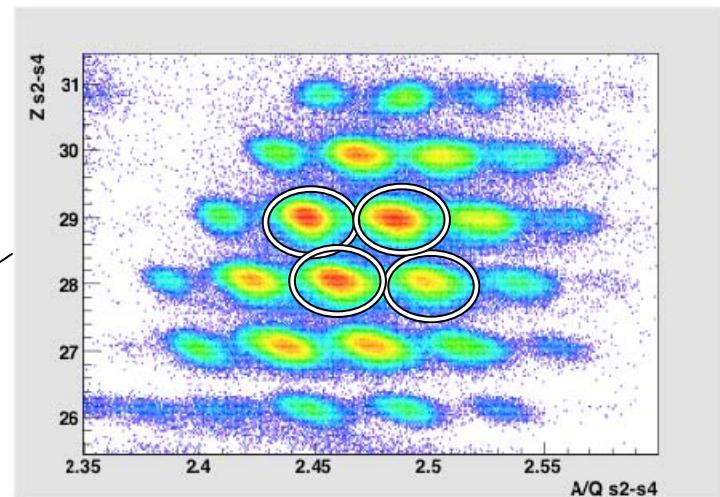
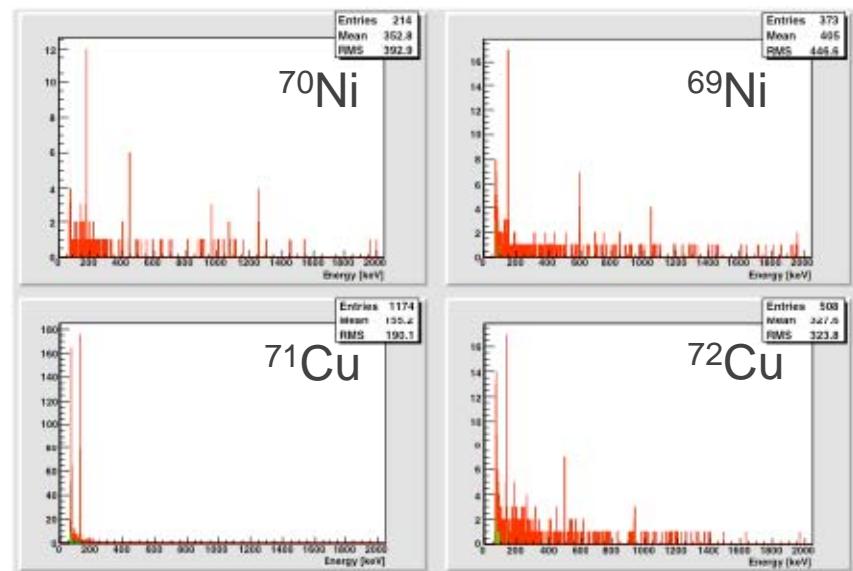
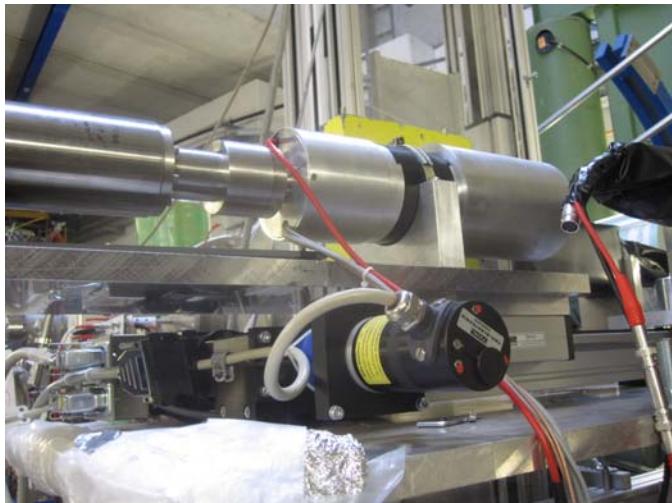
$\sim 1\text{m}$



Isomer Tagging for Beam ID and measurement of isomer ratio

single Ge crystal

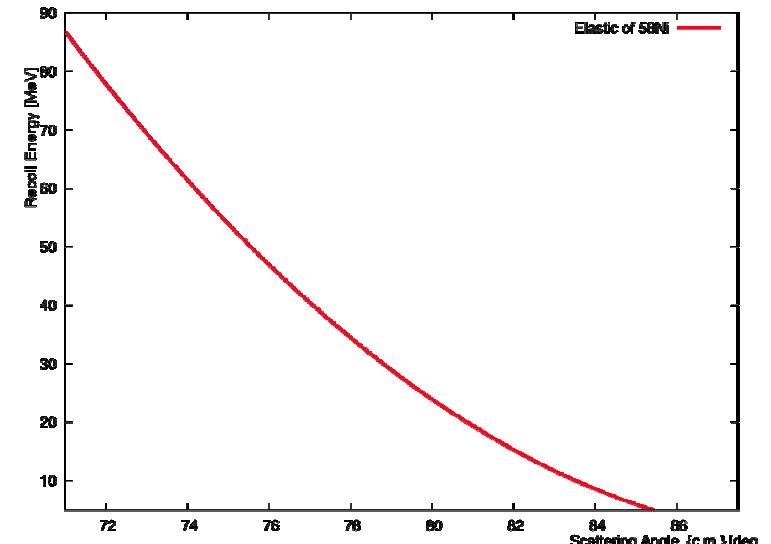
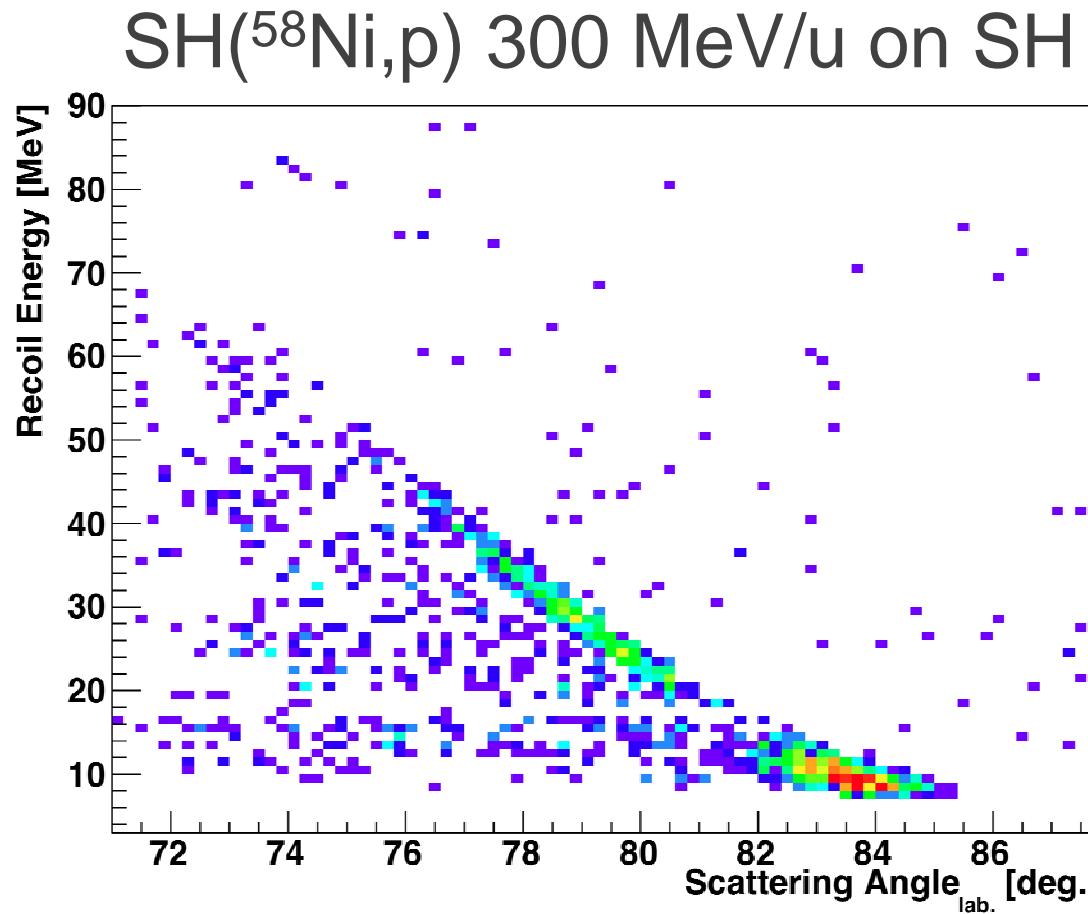
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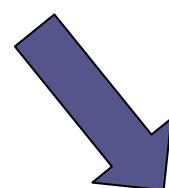
with particle identification and
delayed gates [150-3900 nsec]

Isomer contaminations on the hydrogen target
are small, less than 10 %

Kinematics Correlation

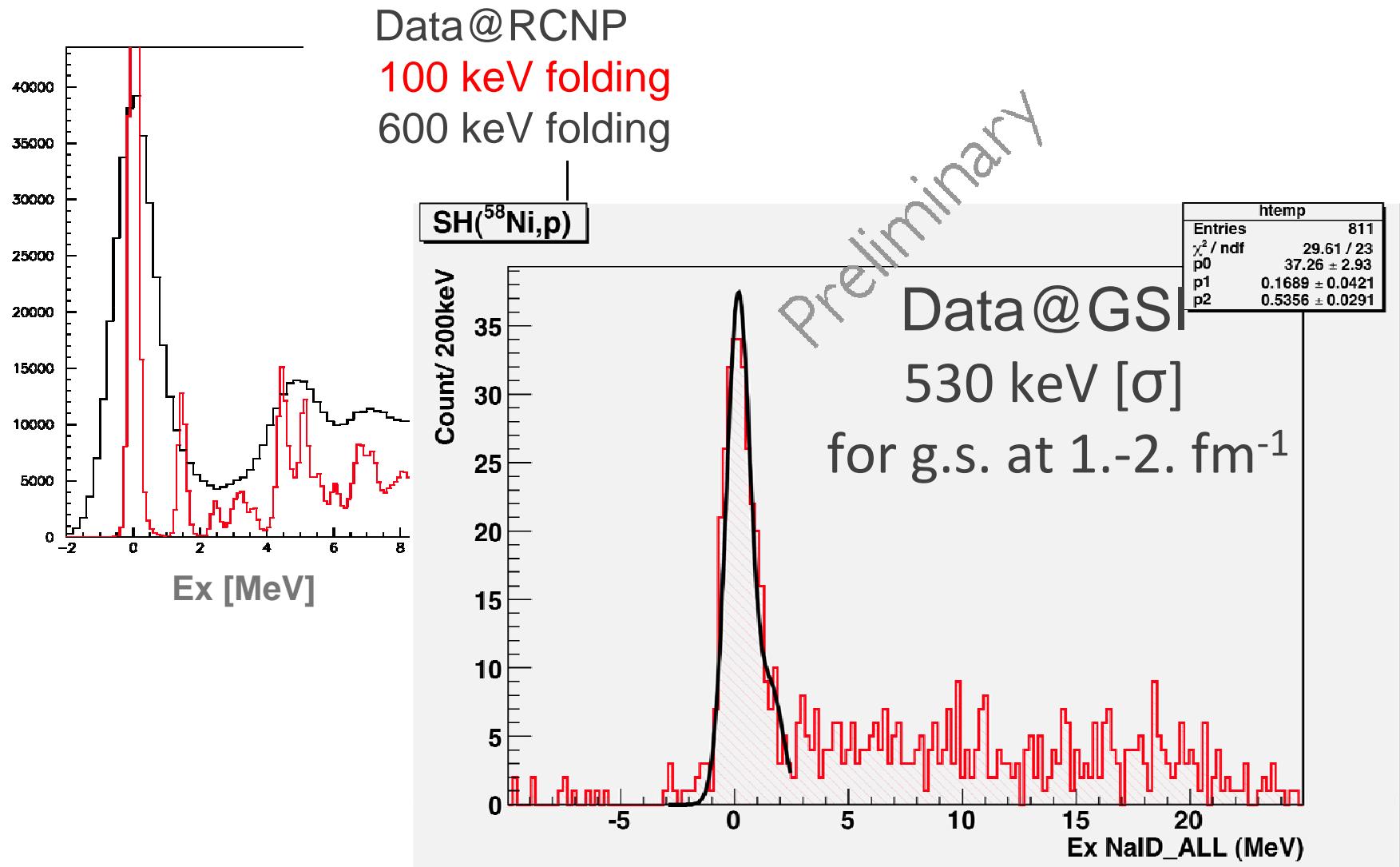


expected kinematics
of elastic channel



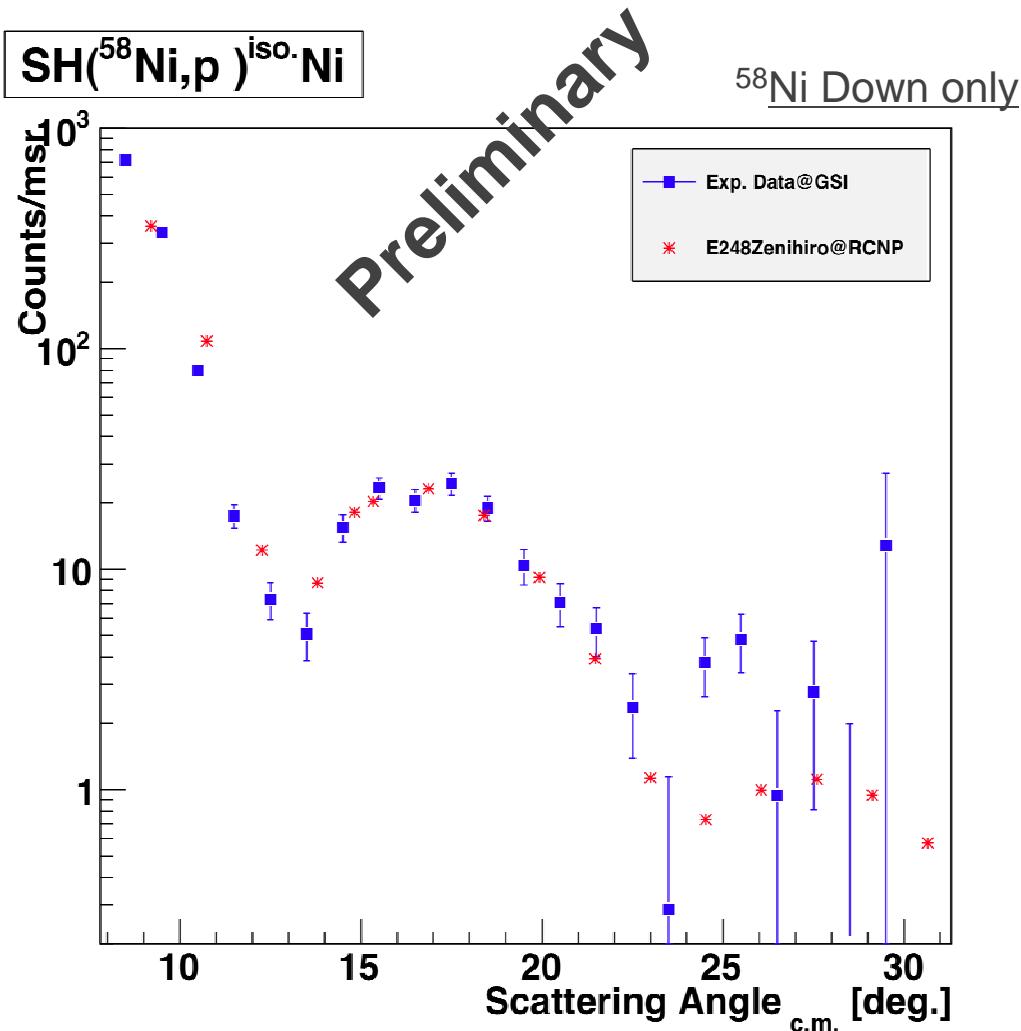
Calculate Q-value
[Excitation Energy]

Typical Energy Spectrum



Angular Distribution

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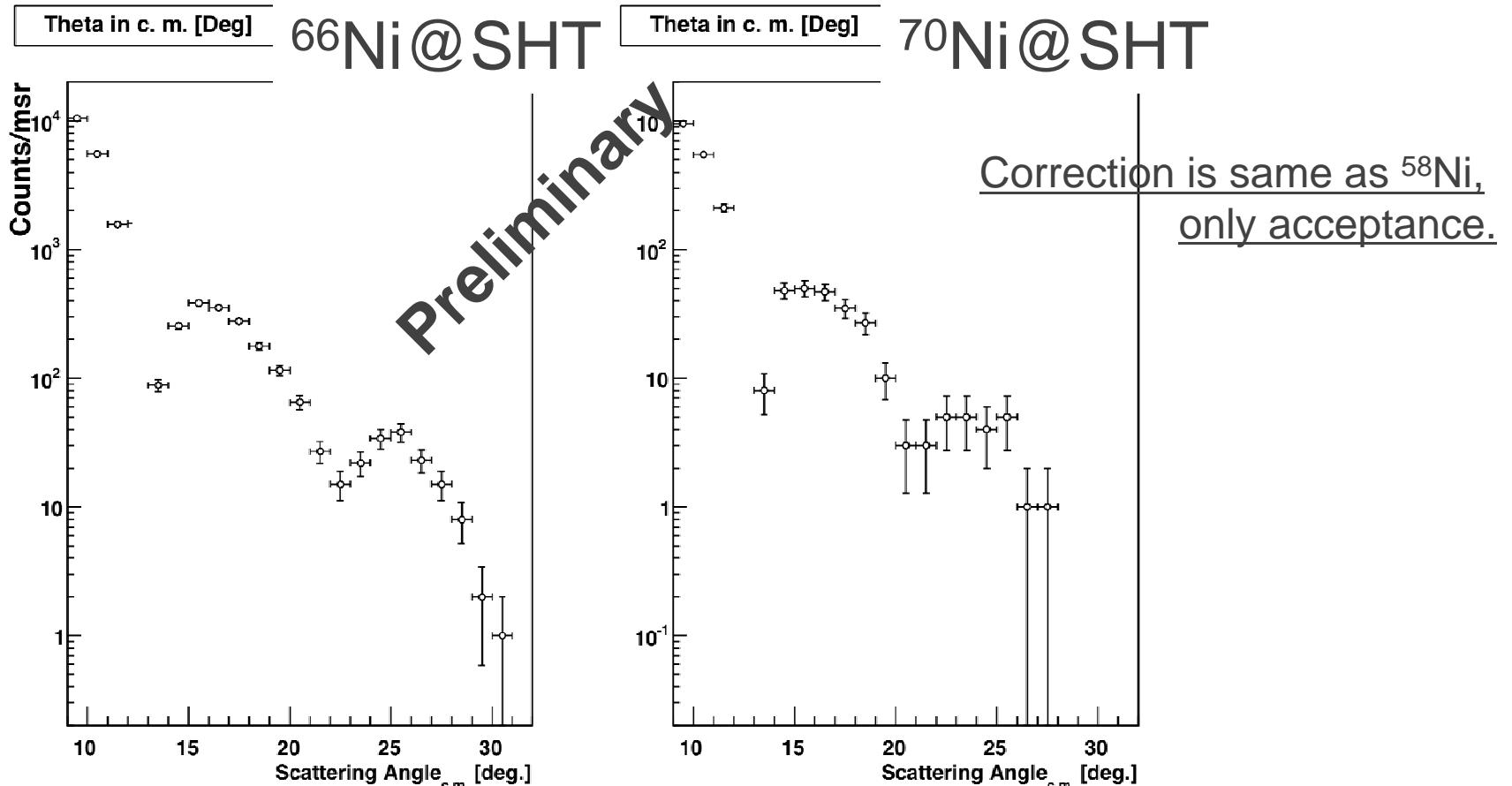


Acceptance correlated,
Efficiencies and beam normalizations
are not included (no absolute values yet)

Reference cross sections (red)
are scaled to 16 deg. -18 deg. region.

Consistency of angular
distribution can be confirmed.

Angular Distribution of exotic Ni



Only 1st target (Solid Hydrogen d = 1 mm, 45° tilt)
Energy: ~300 MeV/u ^{66,70}Ni on SHT

Summary and Perspective

- Proton elastic scattering experiment of Ni isotopes at 300 MeV/u region was performed at GSI for the further understanding of the nuclear EOS.
- Solid hydrogen target can give much better background condition compared to CH_2 .
- Detectors well work, All particle identifications are clear.
- Clear diffraction patterns of elastic $^{58,66,70}\text{Ni}$ were observed in angular distributions.
- Final differential cross sections will be presented as soon as possible.

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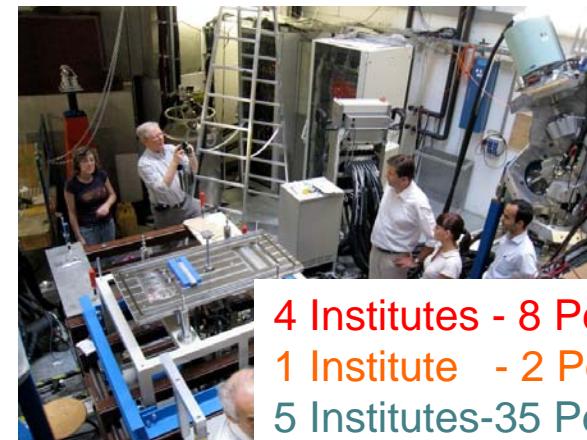
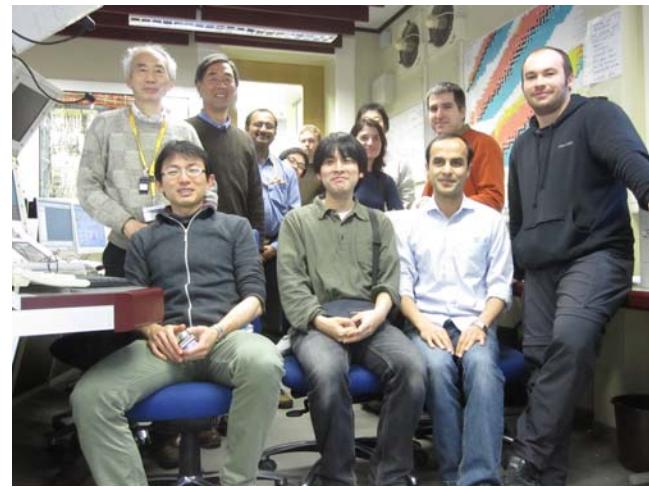
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