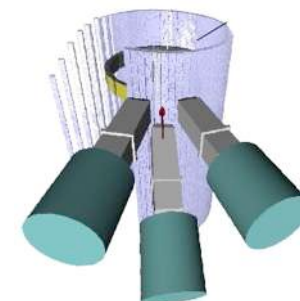
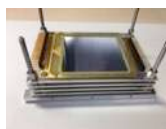
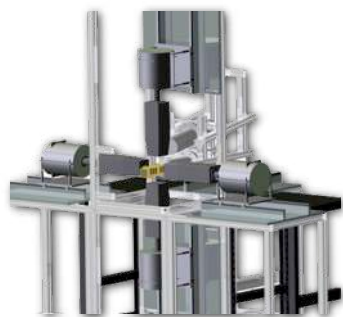




# Rプロセスの研究: 実験的検証と挑戦

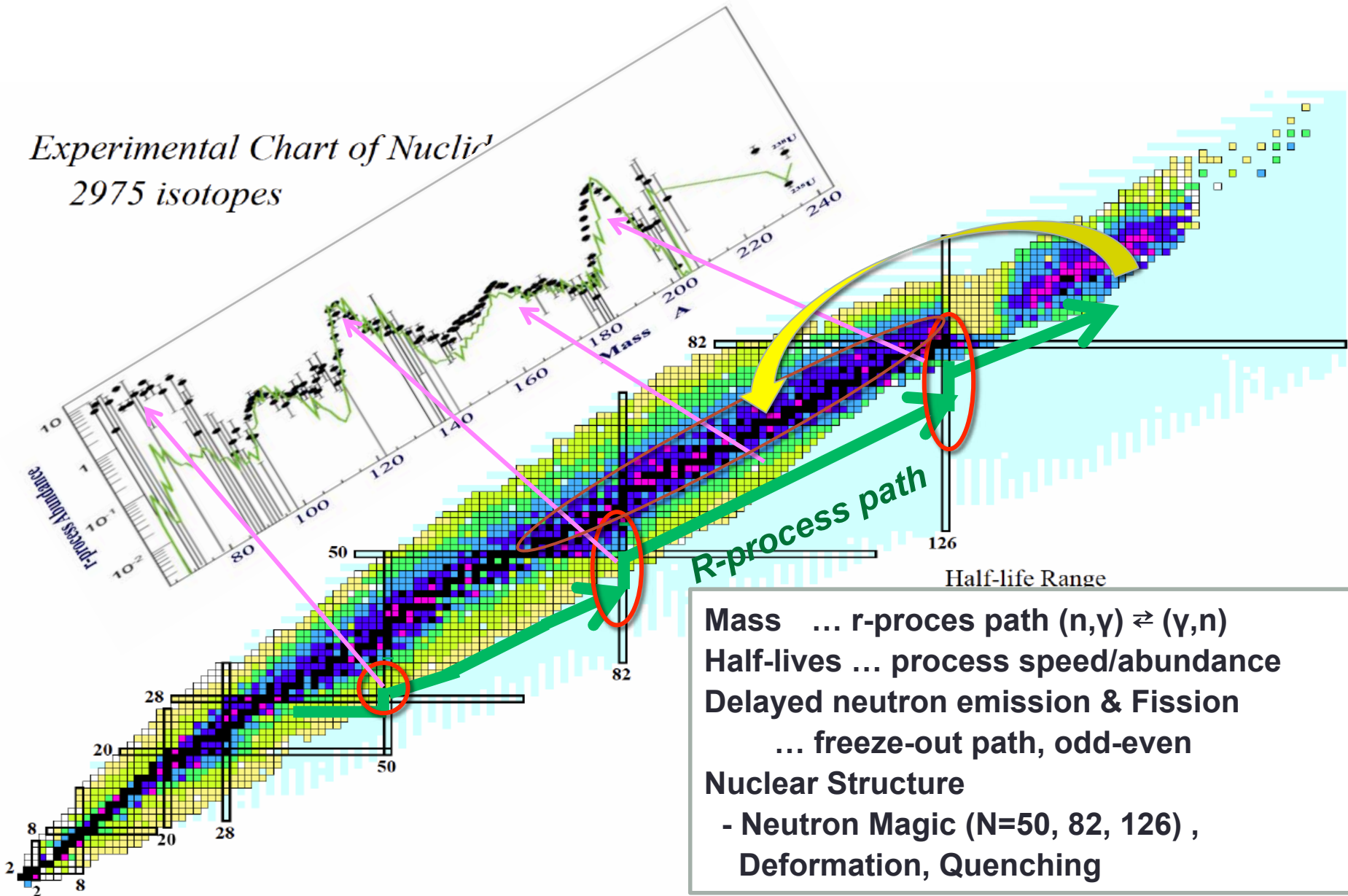
[ 現状と今後の戦略 ]

西村俊二 (理研)



# Nucleosynthesis of Heavy Elements (r-Process)

*Experimental Chart of Nuclides*  
2975 isotopes



**Mass ... r-process path  $(n,\gamma) \rightleftharpoons (\gamma,n)$**   
**Half-lives ... process speed/abundance**  
**Delayed neutron emission & Fission**  
 ... freeze-out path, odd-even  
**Nuclear Structure**  
 - Neutron Magic (N=50, 82, 126) ,  
 Deformation, Quenching

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1. Experiments for r-process nucleosynthesis at RIBF (ZDS)

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4. DTAS

5. Future Plan

Experiments → Nuclear Theory

[ Feedback to Theory ]

3. Other Activities

1. Heavy-ion Collisions (EOS)

Experiments ← Nuclear Theory

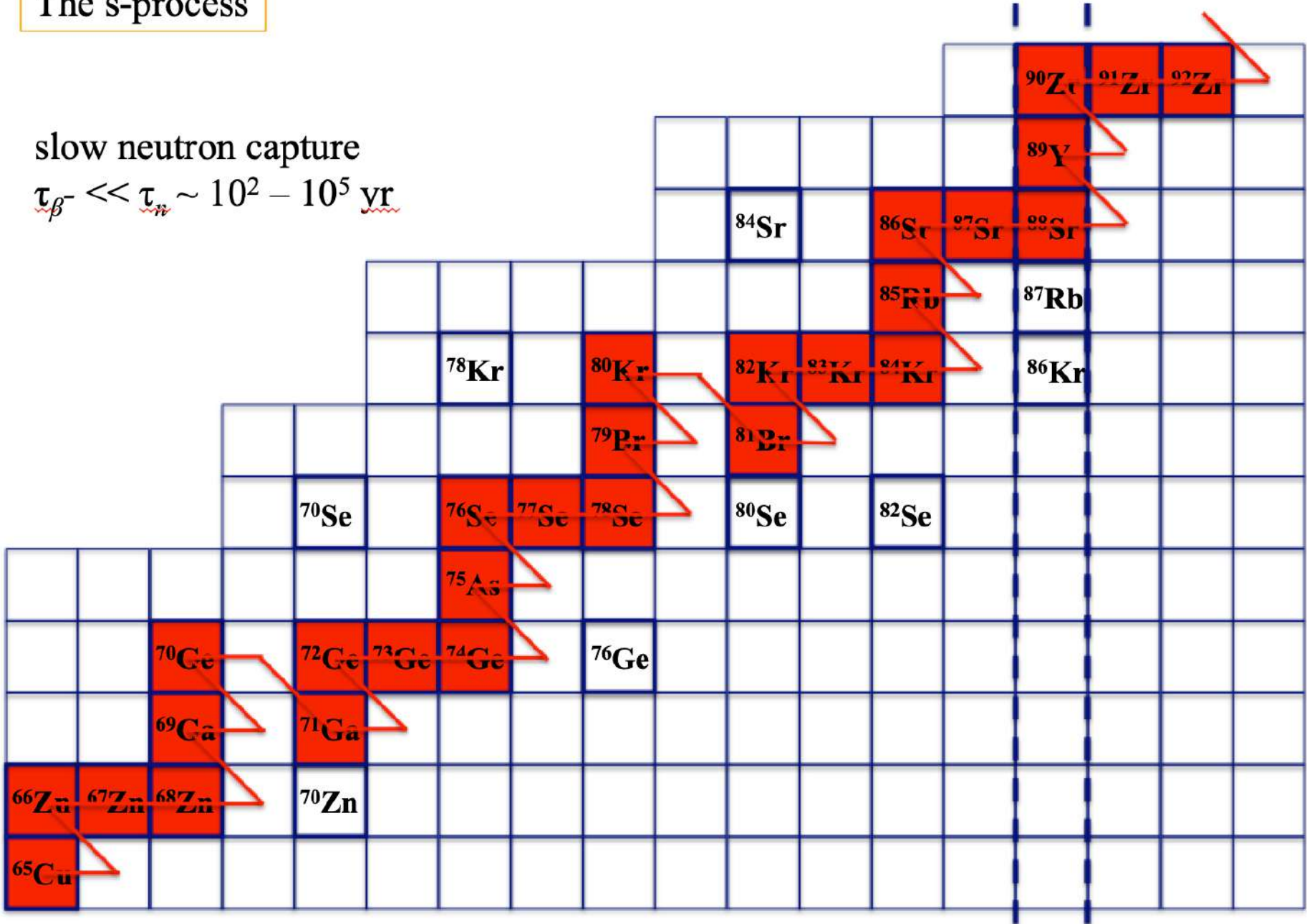
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4. Summary

# The s-process

slow neutron capture

$$\tau_{\beta^-} \ll \tau_n \sim 10^2 - 10^5 \text{ yr}$$

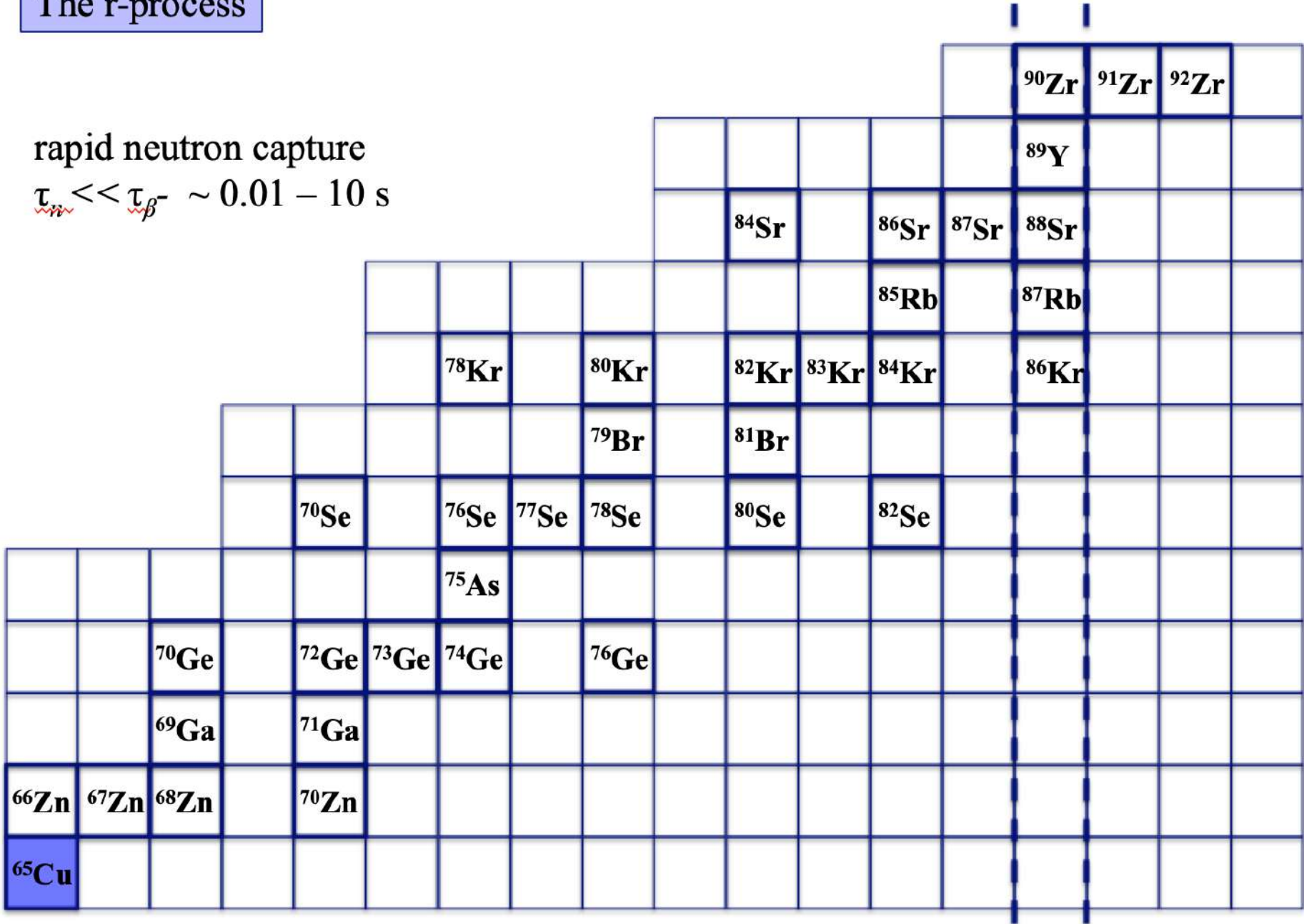


closed neutron shell

# The r-process

rapid neutron capture

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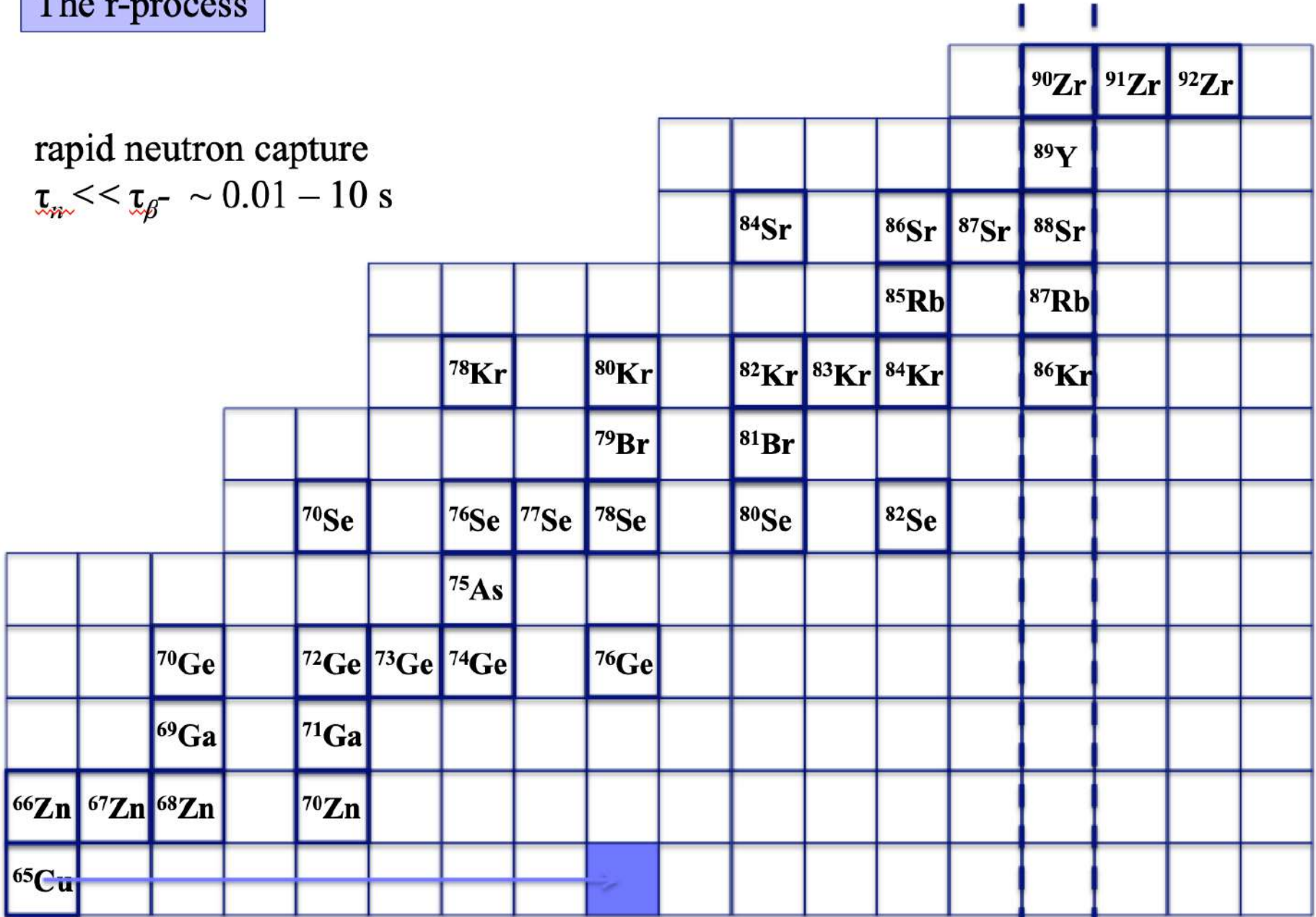


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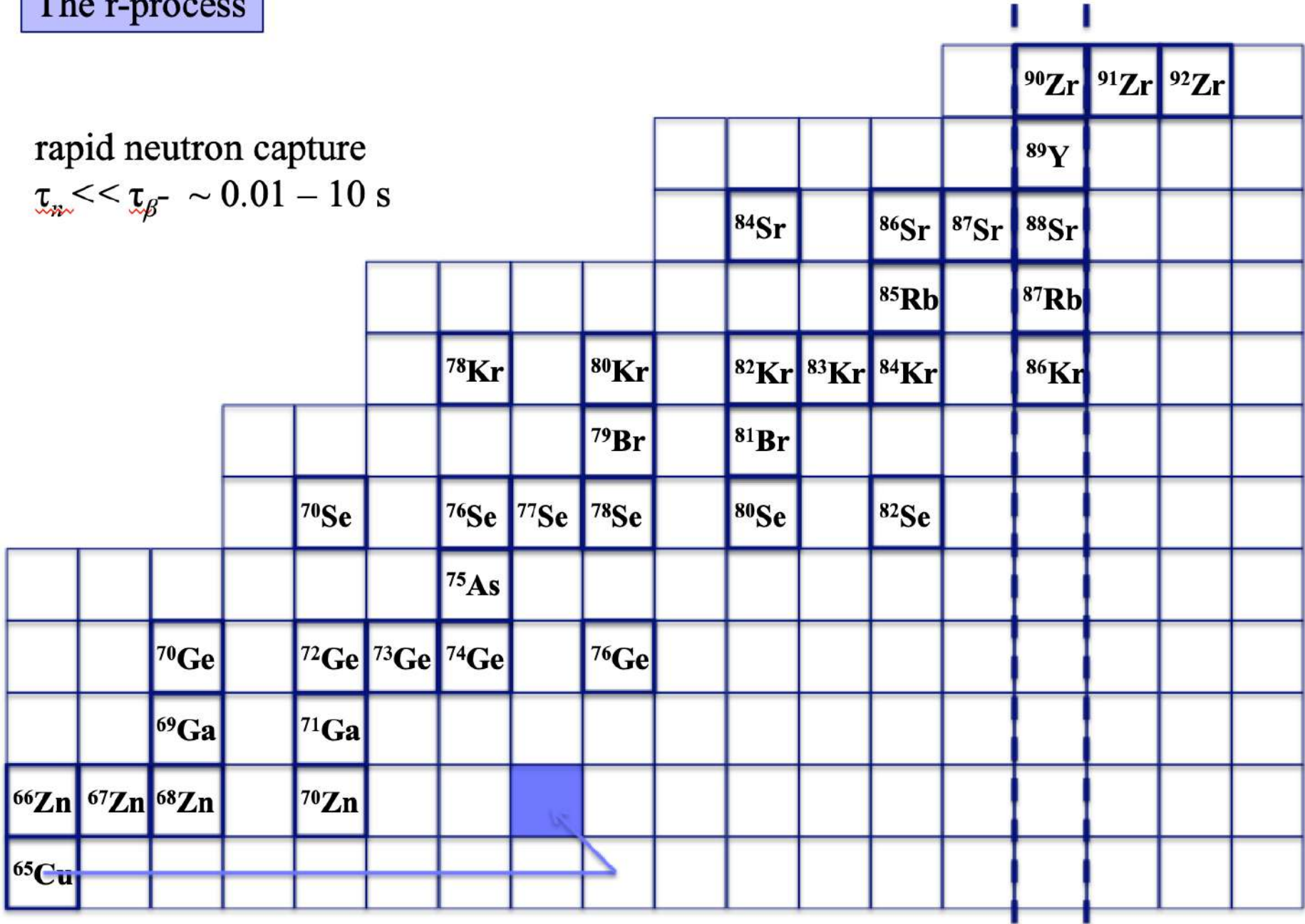


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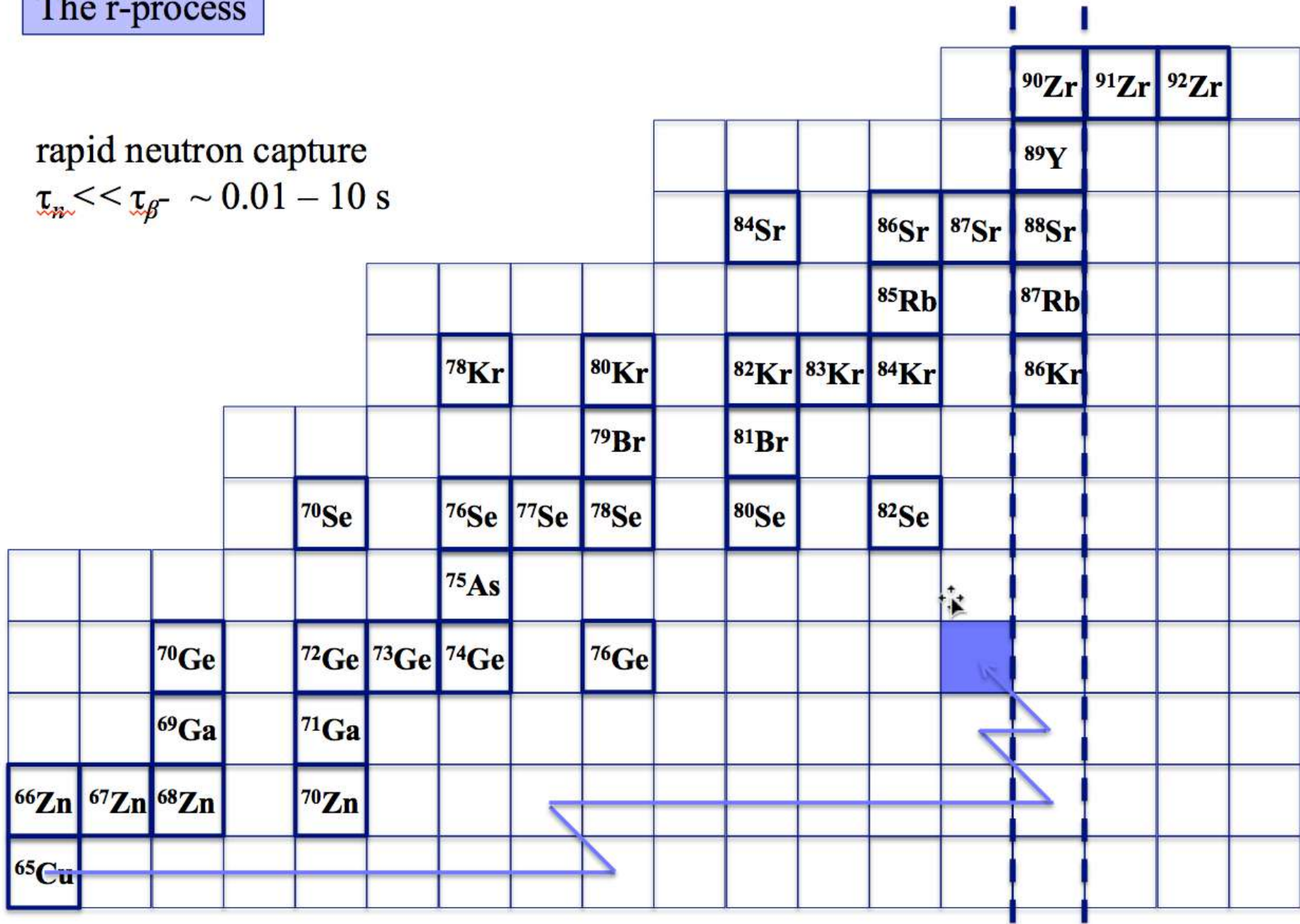


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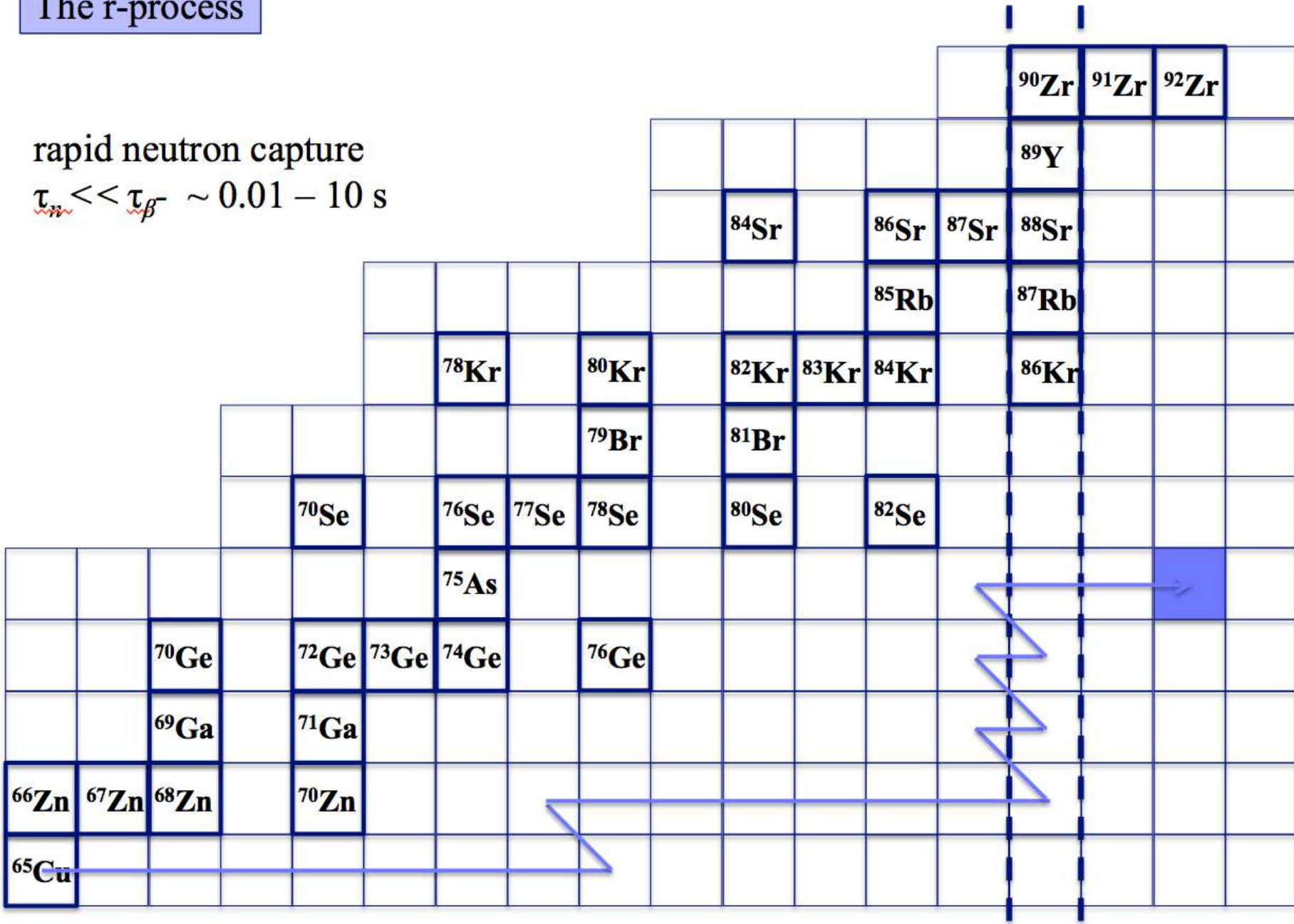


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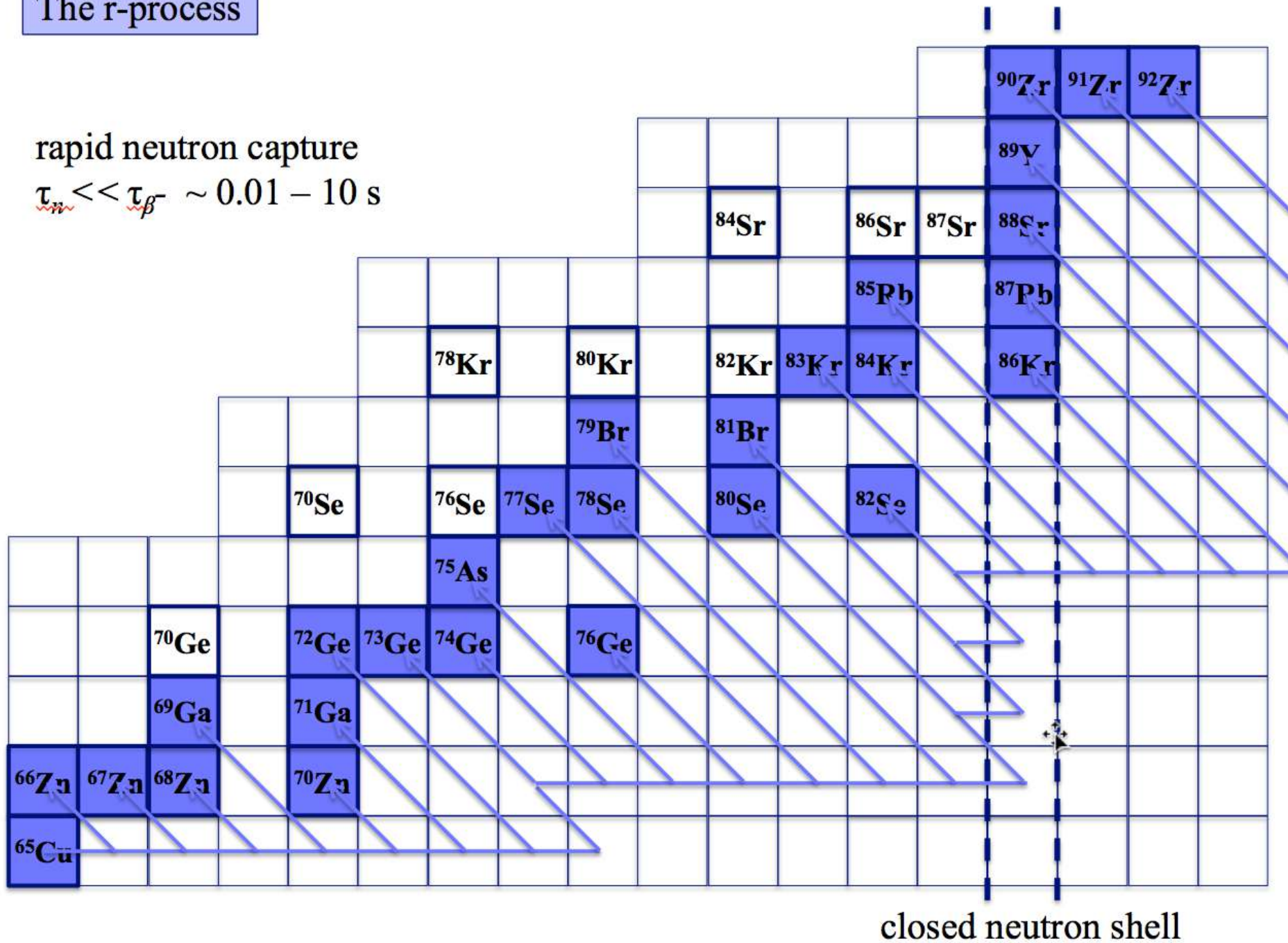


closed neutron shell

# The r-process

rapid neutron capture

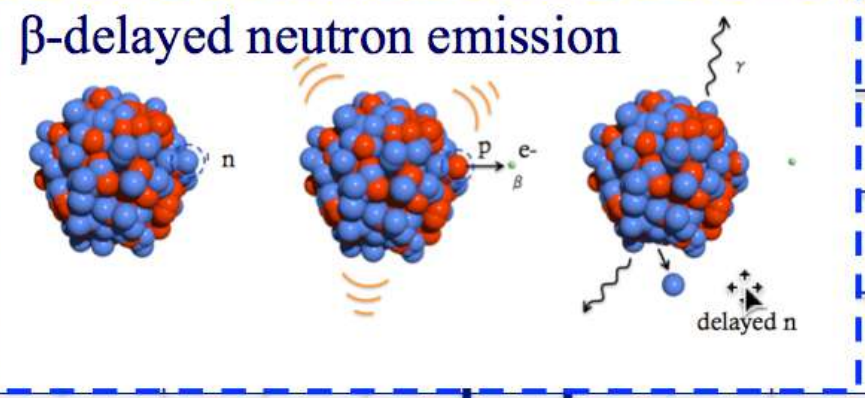
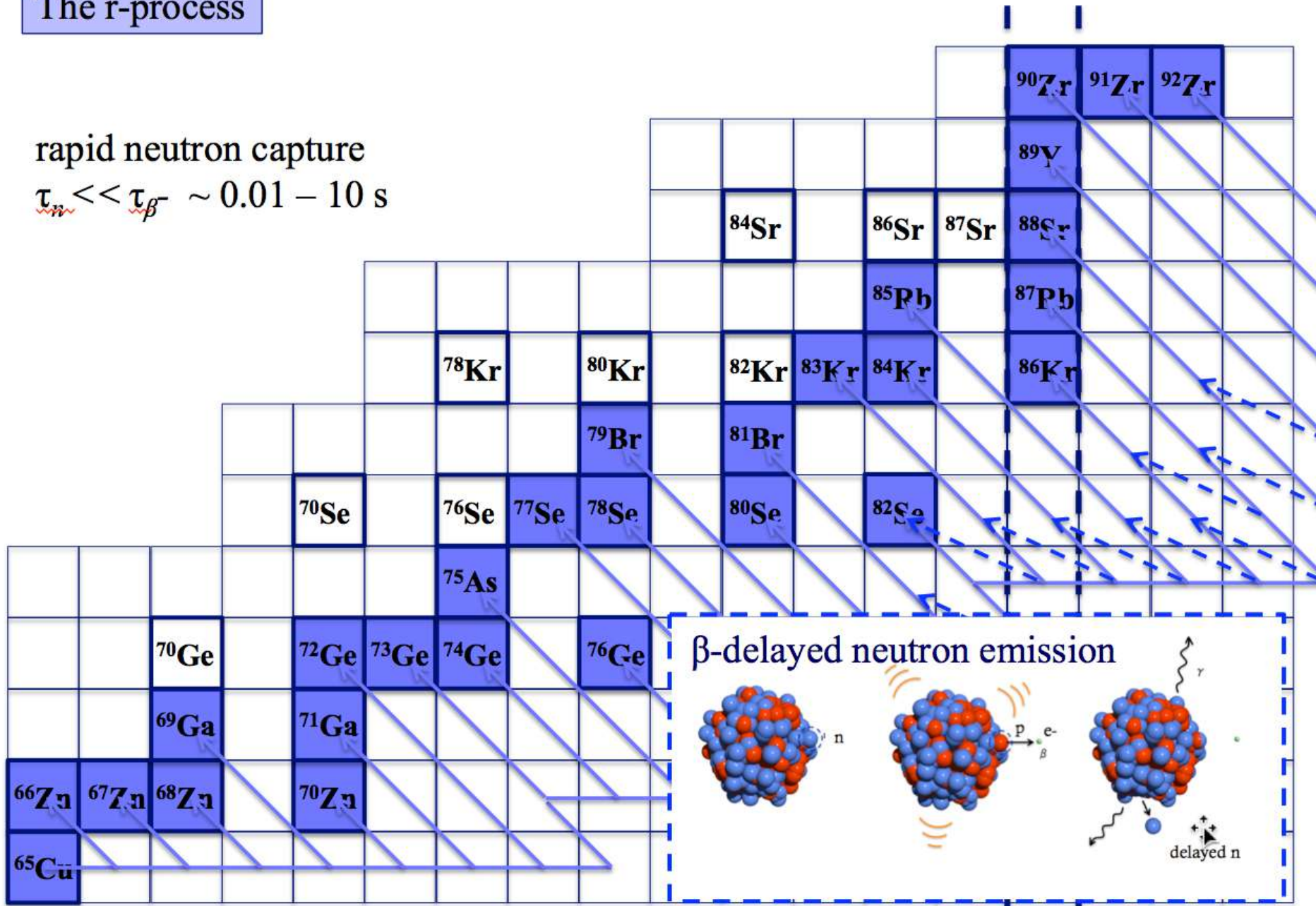
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# The r-process

rapid neutron capture

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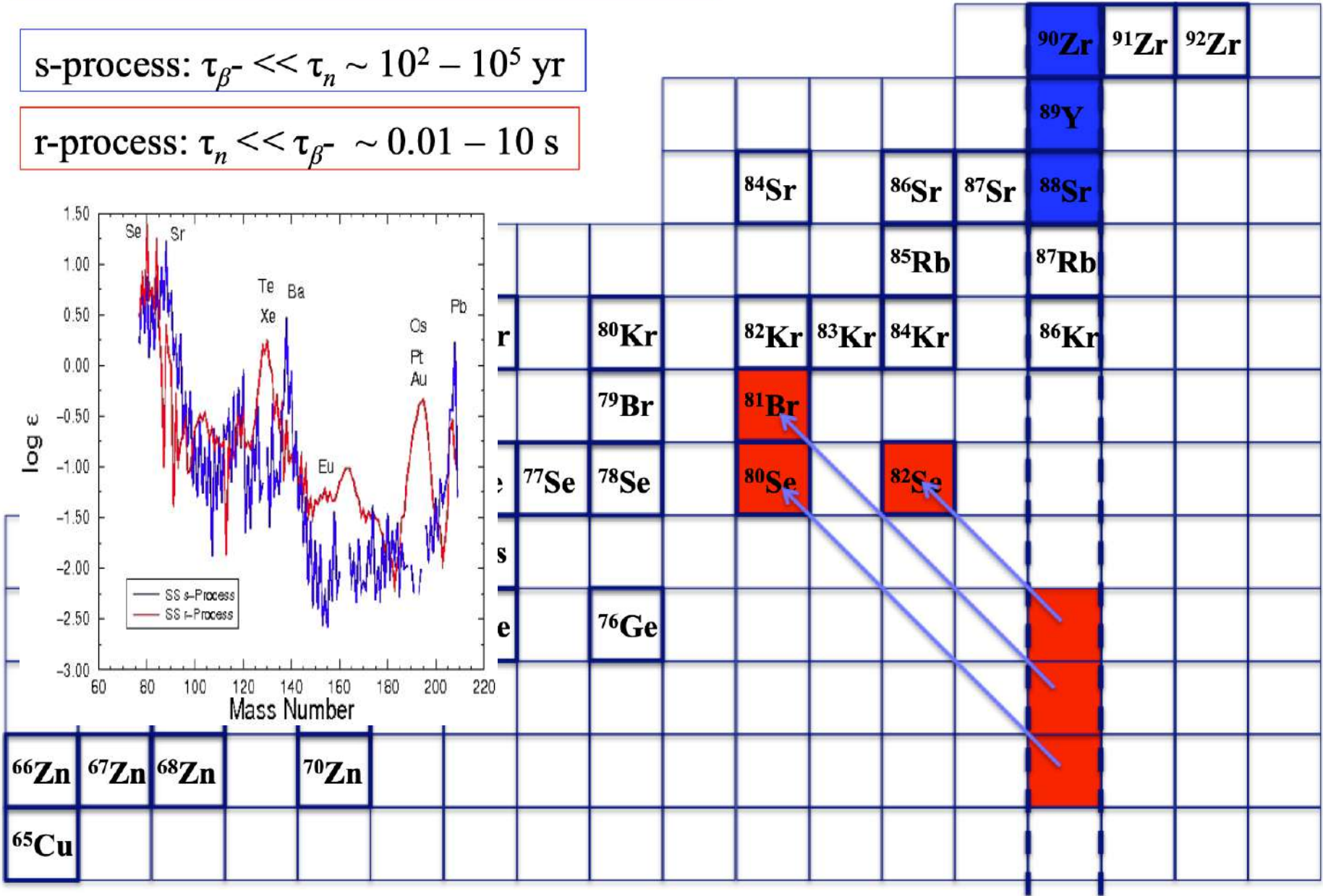
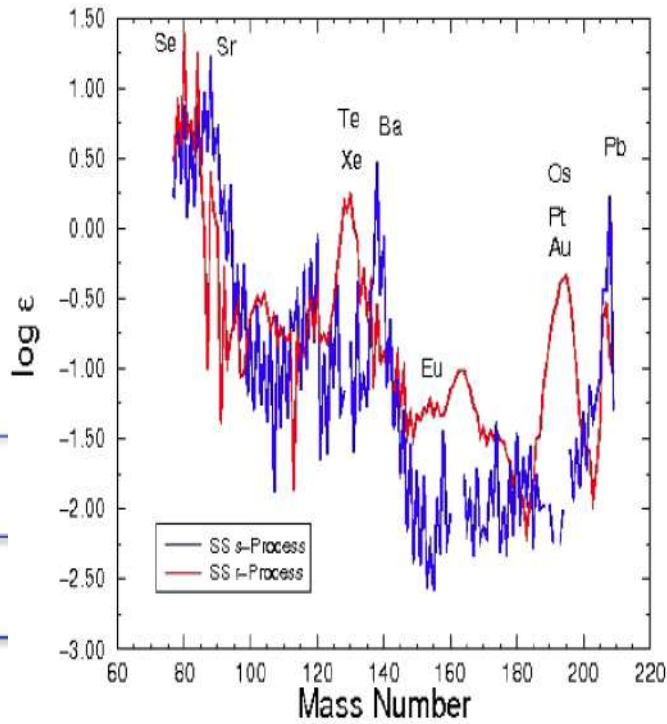
closed neutron shell



# Double peaks due to closed neutron shells

s-process:  $\tau_{\beta^-} \ll \tau_n \sim 10^2 - 10^5$  yr

r-process:  $\tau_n \ll \tau_{\beta^-} \sim 0.01 - 10$  s

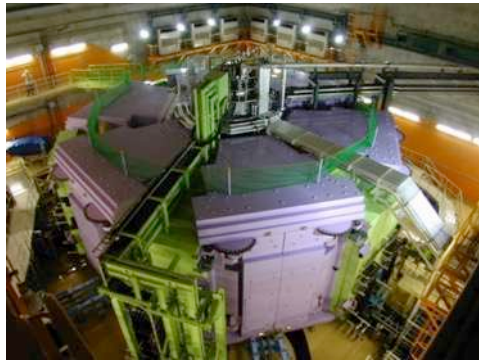


closed neutron shell

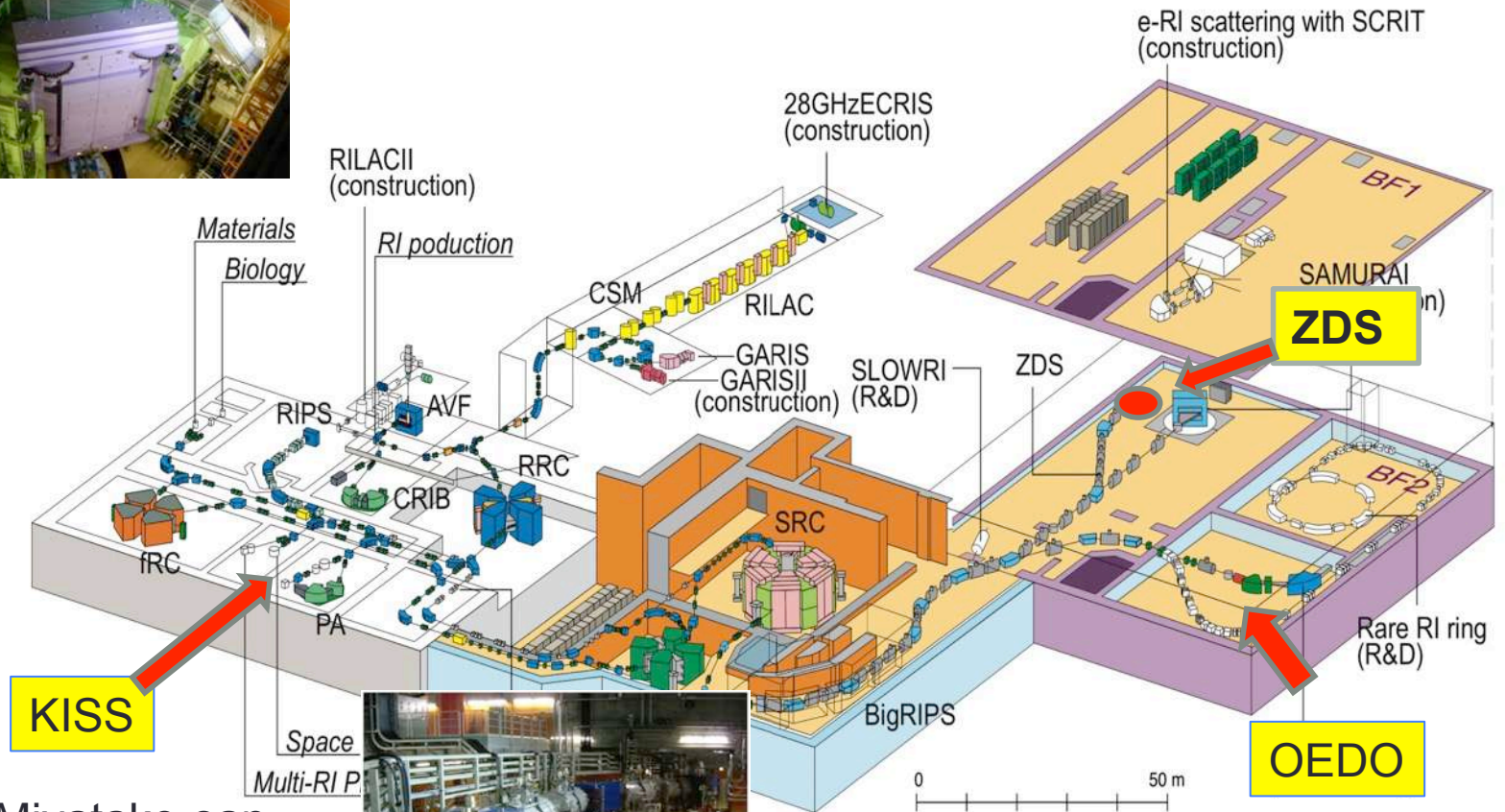
# RI Production



# Location of Decay Station at RIBF



$^{238}\text{U}$  ... 345 MeV/u,  
Intensity = 5 – 12 p nA → 70 p nA !



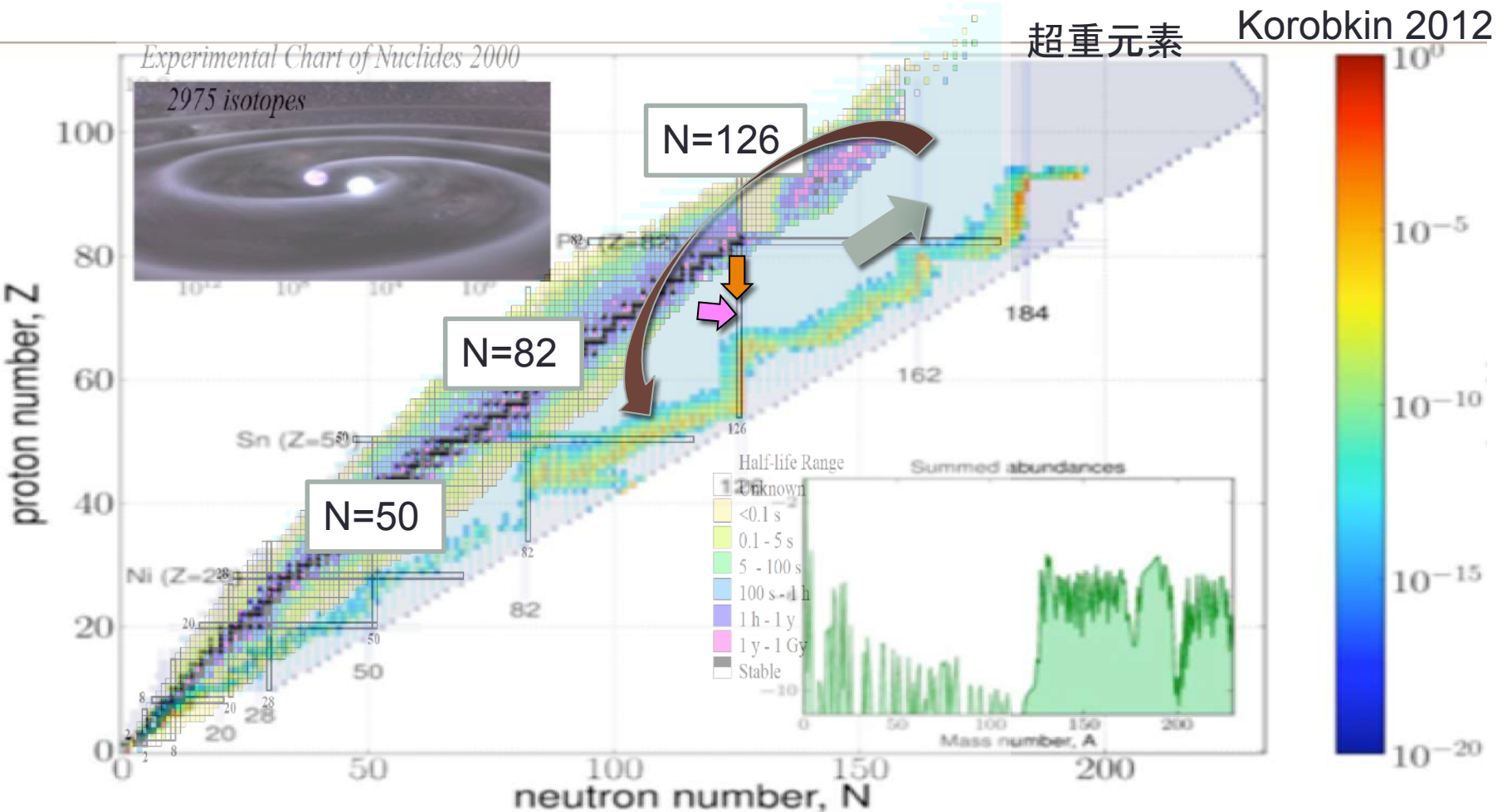
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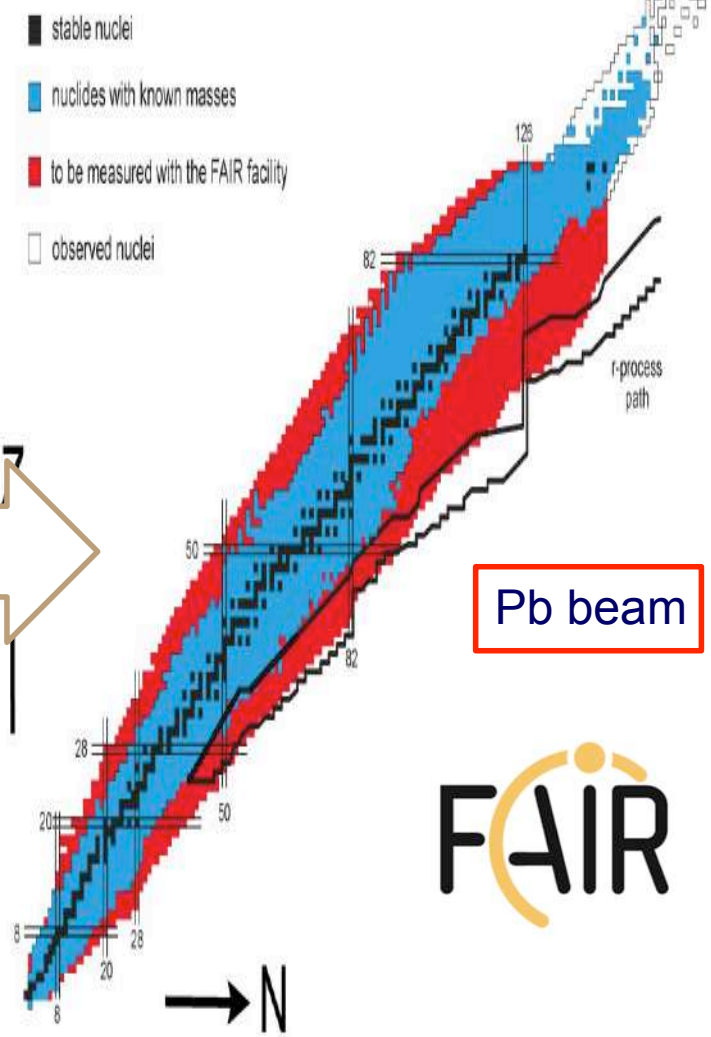
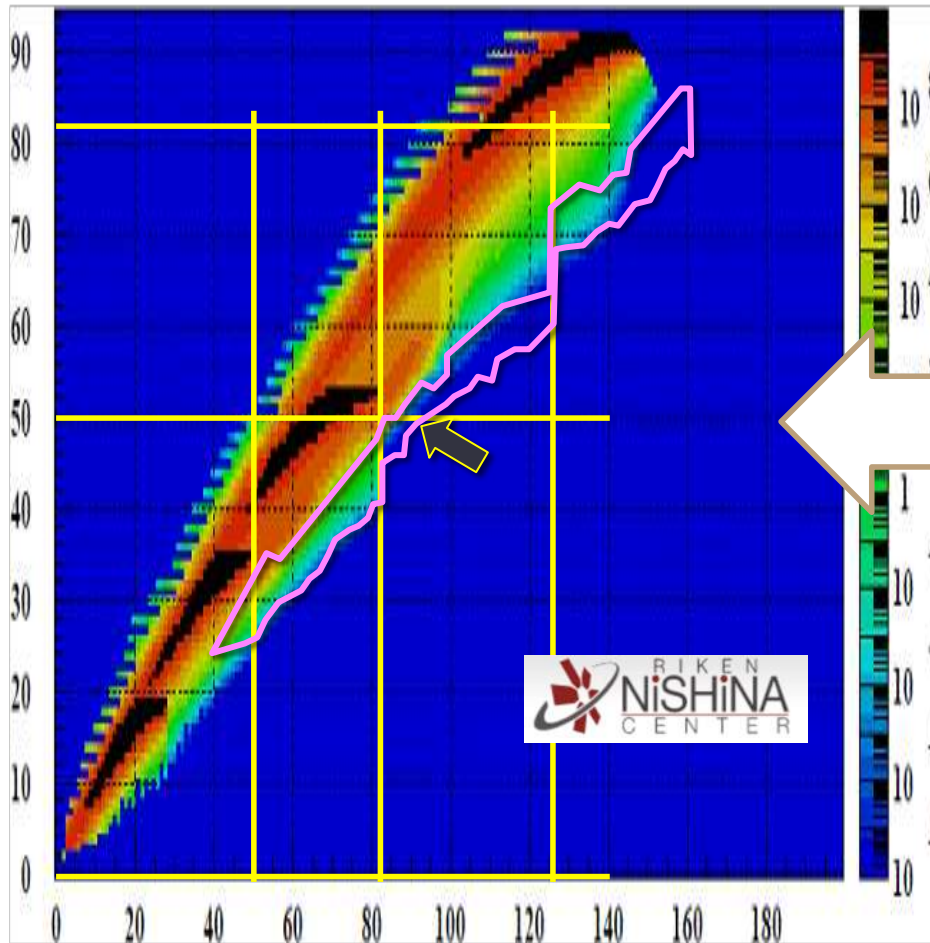
# Question: Accessible r-nuclei

Which part of that nuclear physics data is already known, which part remains yet unmeasured, and which part will be accessible in the new RIB-facilities?



# RI Beam Production : RIBF vs FAIR (FRIB)

RIBF goal = 1000 pnA (current int. = 70 pnA)

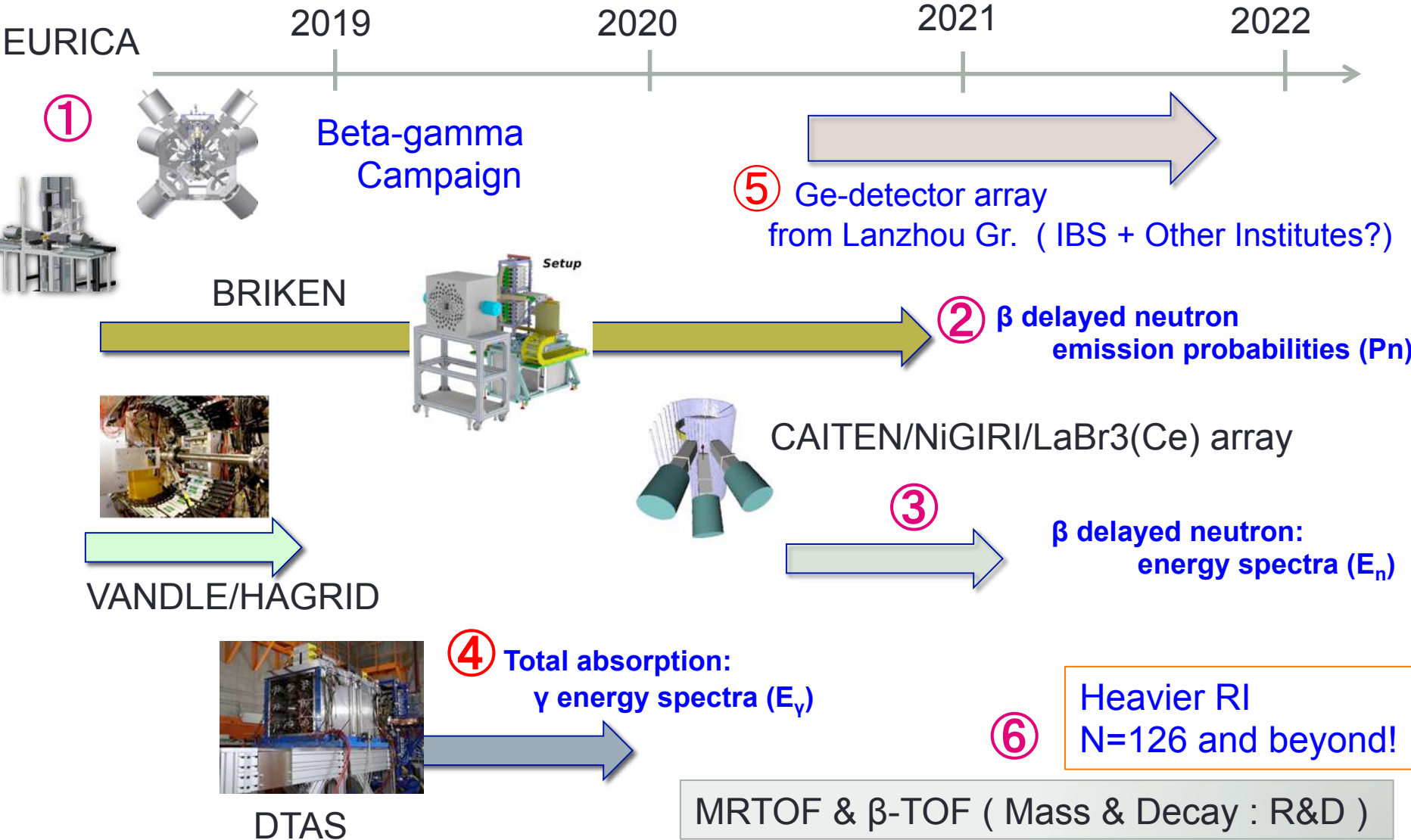


Beam line transport should be taken into account

# Decay Spectroscopy Experiment

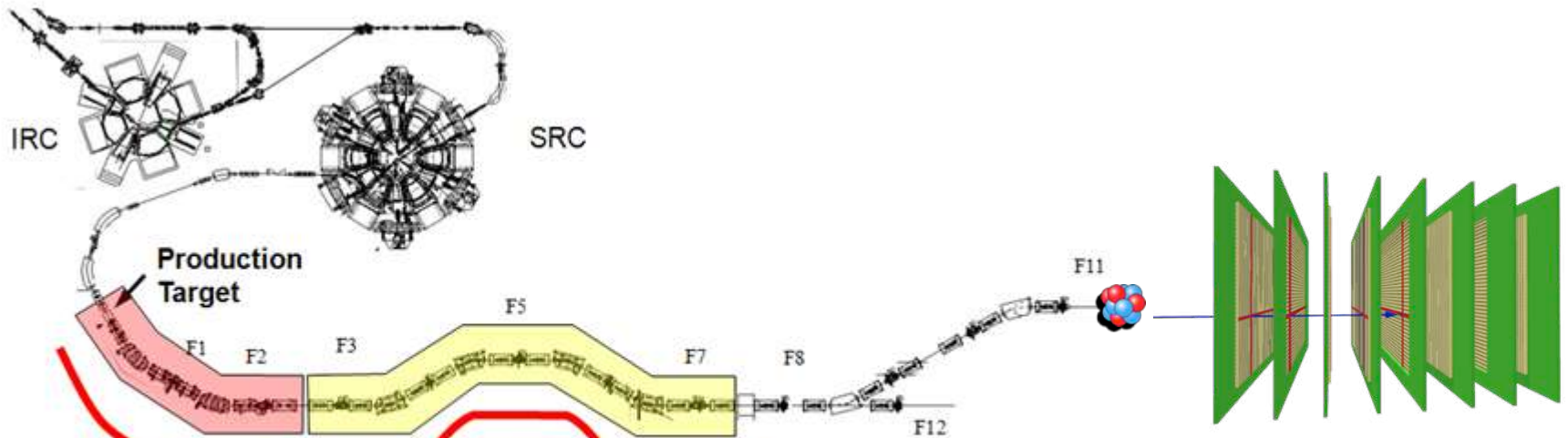


# Decay Exp. Programs at ZDS (Past, Present, Future)





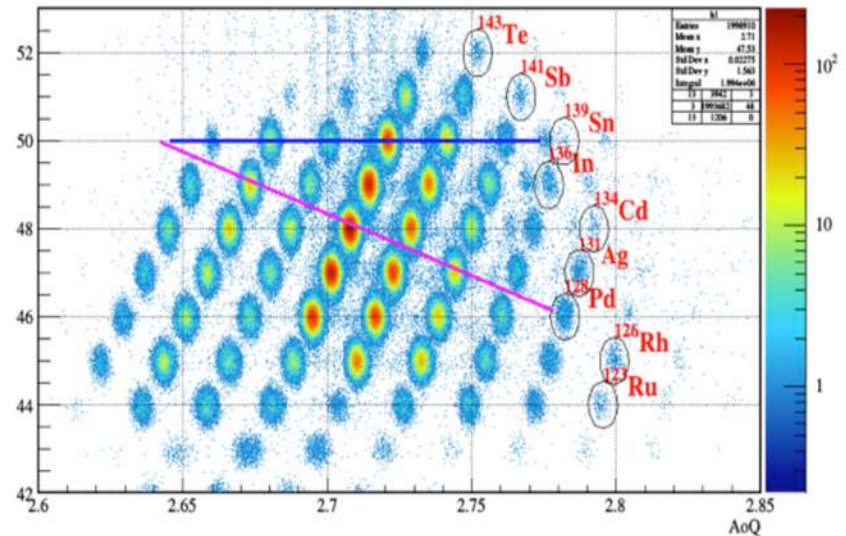
# Beam Production & Decay Station



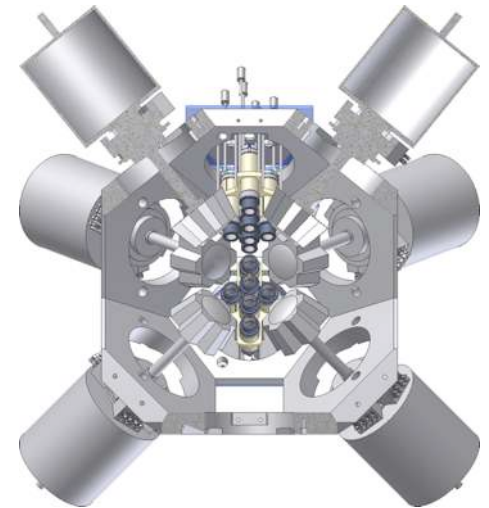
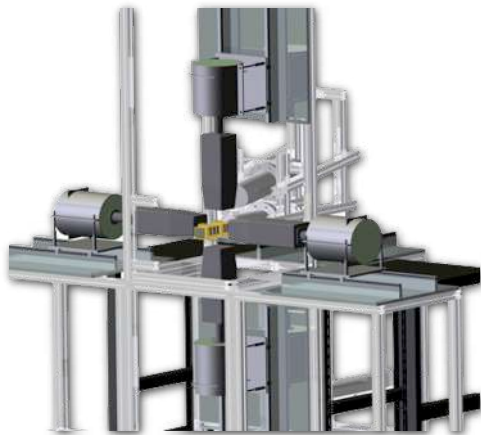
1st stage separation

2nd stage analysis (PID etc) further separation

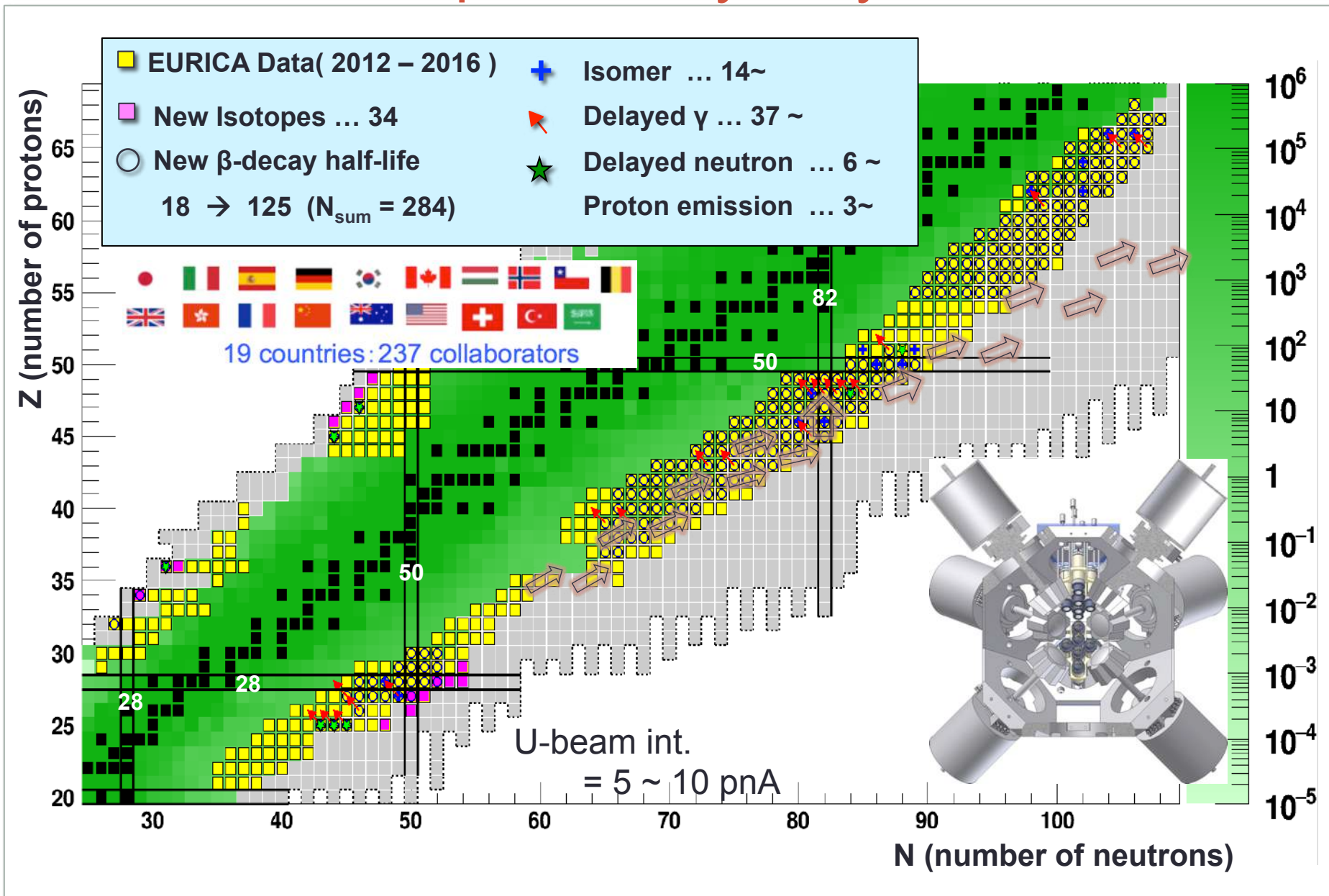
- The implantation of an identified RI is associated with the following  $\beta$ -decay events that are detected in the same silicon pixel (DSSSD).



# Beta-gamma spectroscopy

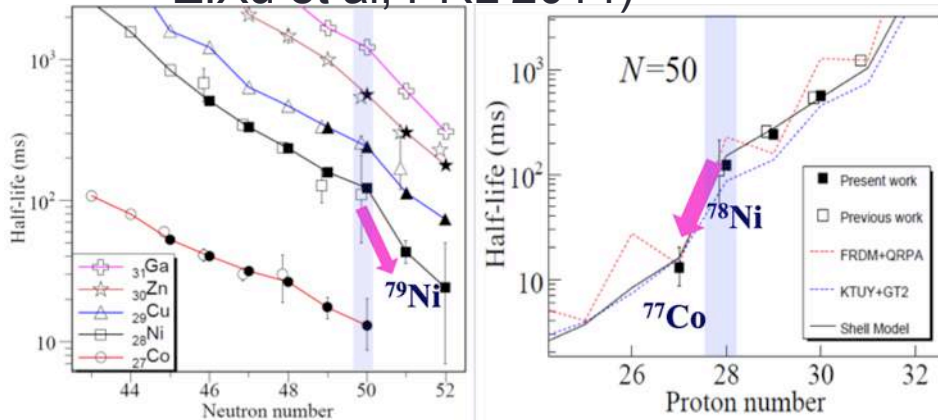


# 440 Exotic Isotopes Surveyed by EURICA

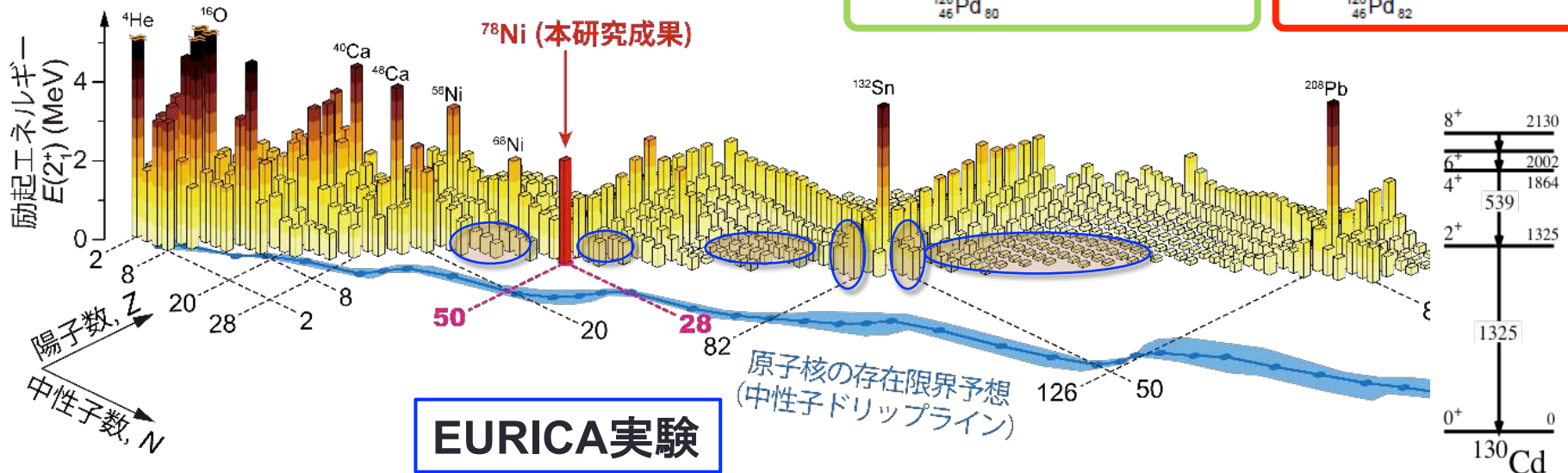
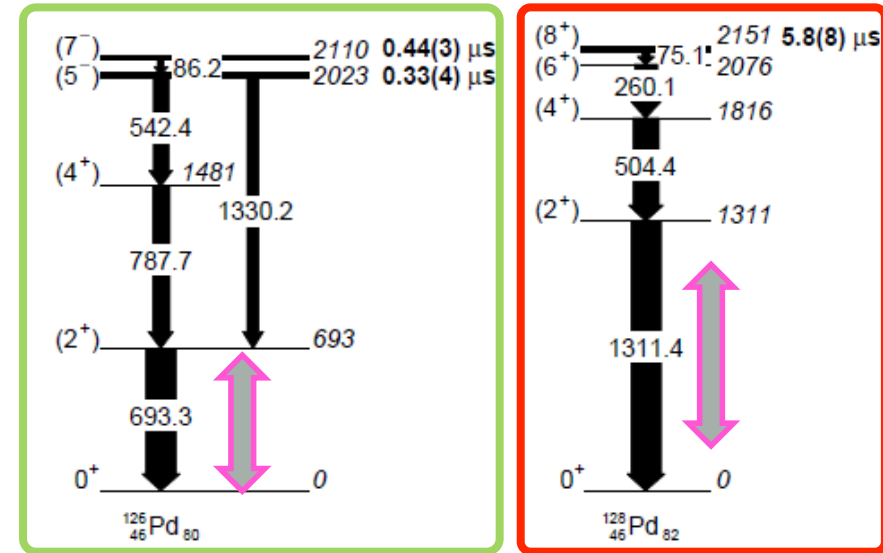


# First Excited States of RI (Even-Z, Even-N)

Z.Xu et al, PRL 2014)

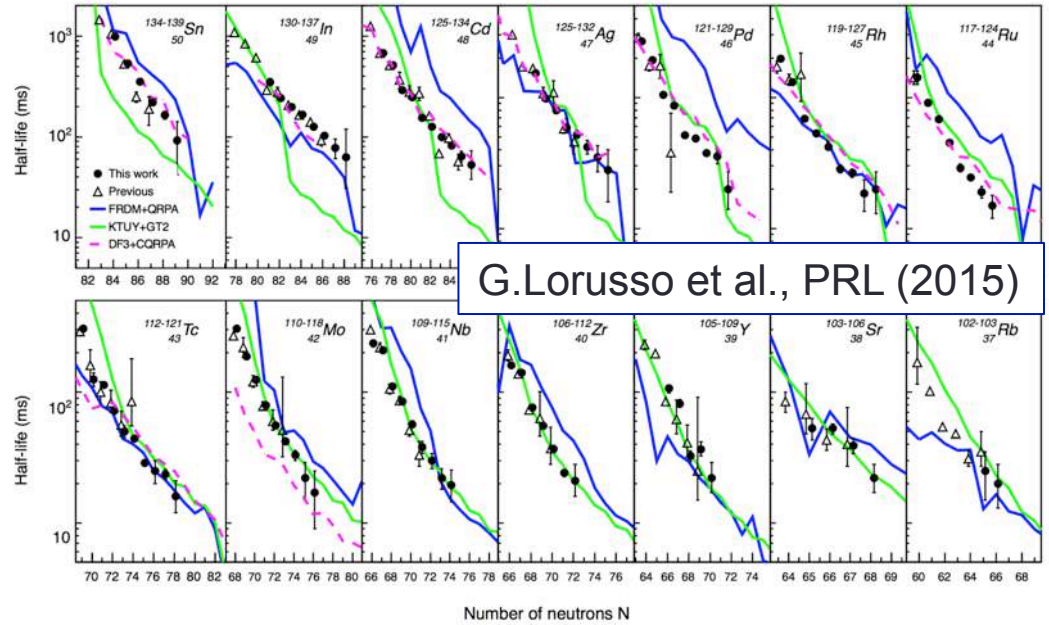
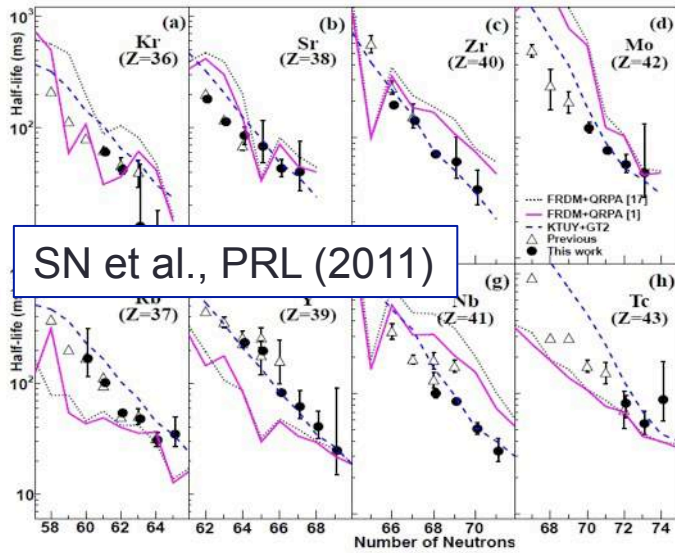


R. Taniuchi et al., Nature (2019)  
In-beam gamma exp.

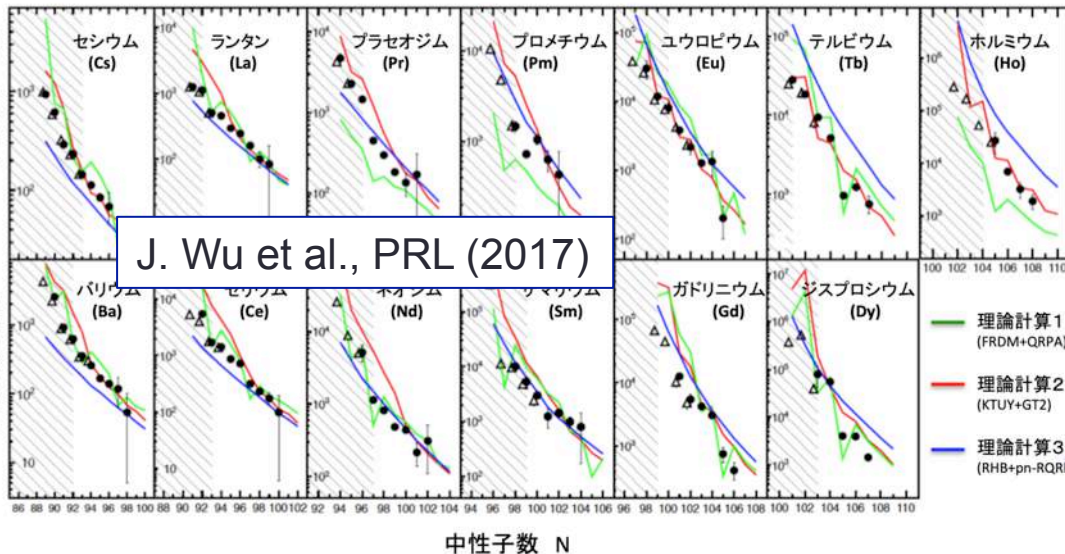




# ~284 Half-lives (New $T_{1/2} \sim 125$ ) Measured at RIBF



半減期中の中性子過剰度依存性 ● 半減期(理研) △ 既知の半減期



$$\frac{1}{T_{1/2}} = \sum_{0 \leq E_i \leq Q_\beta} S_\beta(E_i) \times f(Z, Q_\beta - E_i),$$

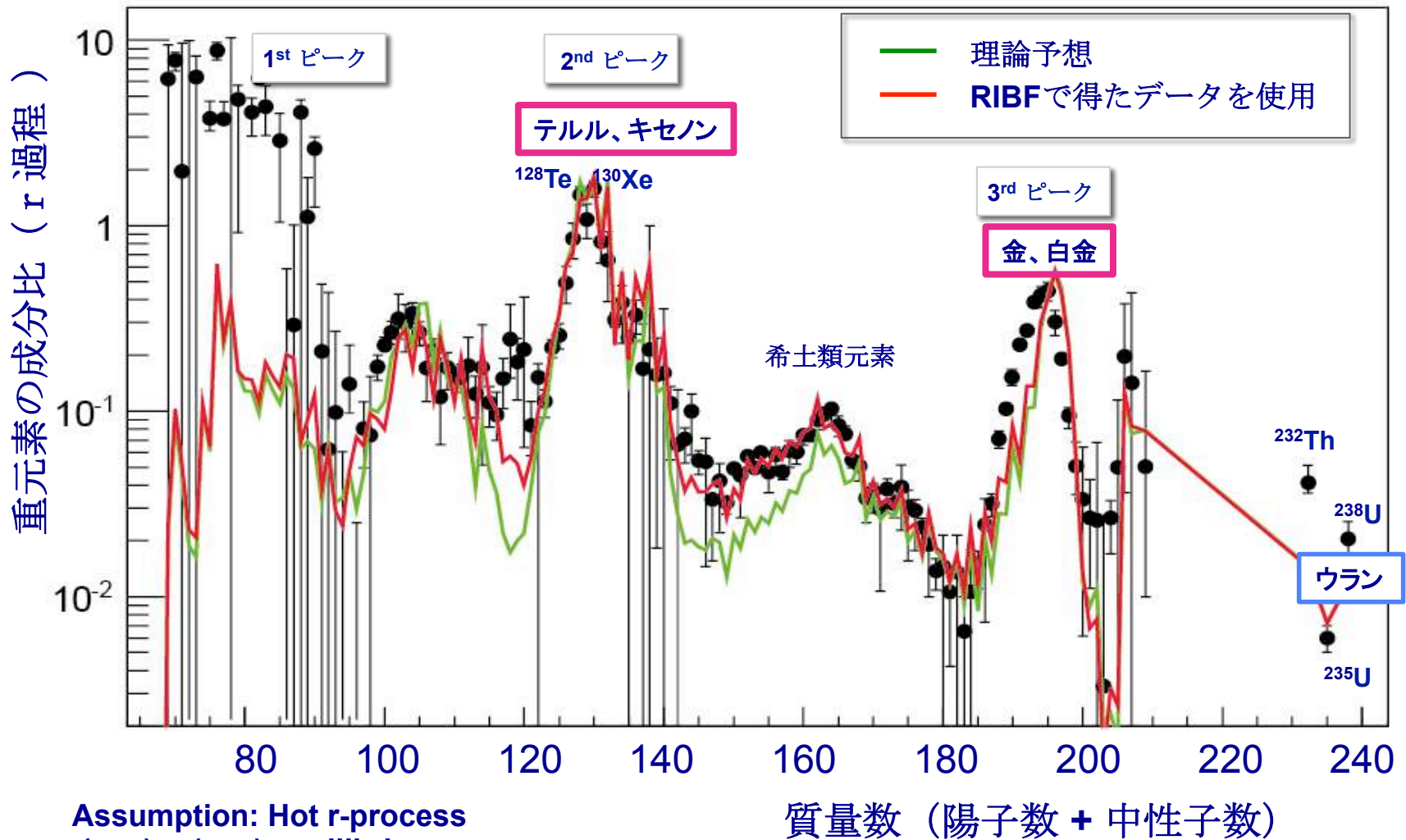
lives (isotope)       $\beta$ -strength function

Phase-space factor  $f \sim (Q_\beta - E_i)^5$ , dominant at neutron rich region (large  $Q_\beta$ )



# Feedback to Network Calculation

G.Lorusso et al., PRL (2015)



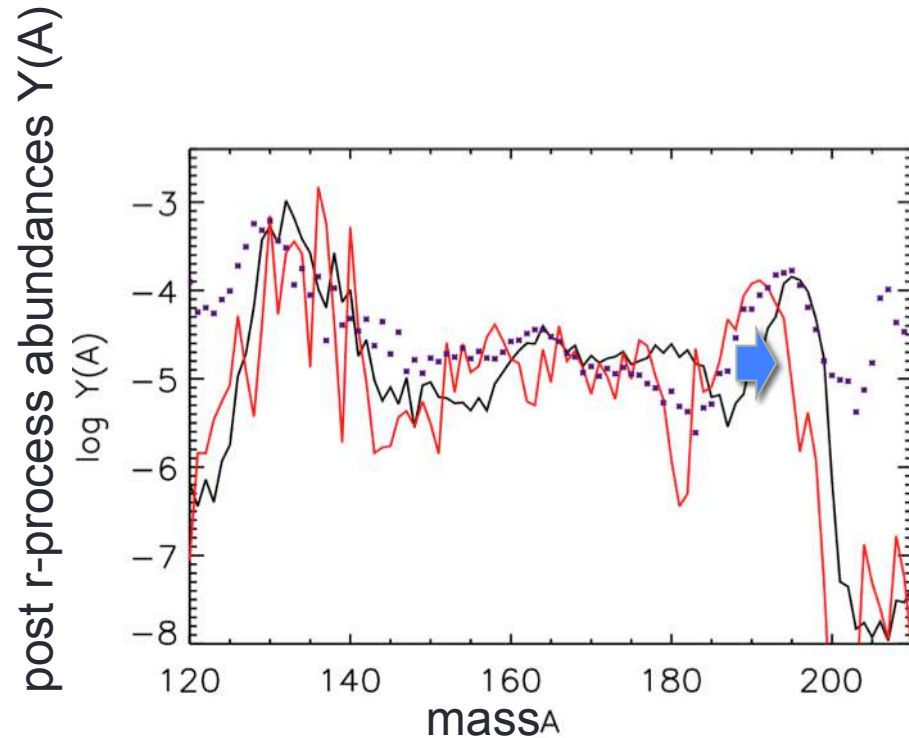
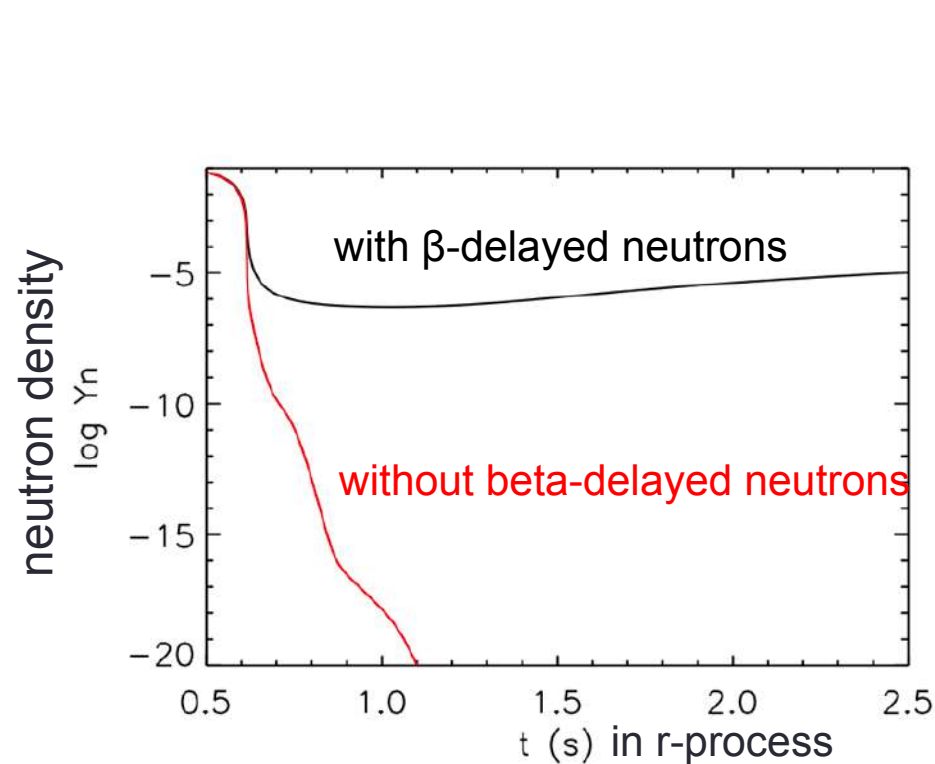
# BRIKEN (2016 – 2021)

Beta-delayed neutron  
emission probabilities



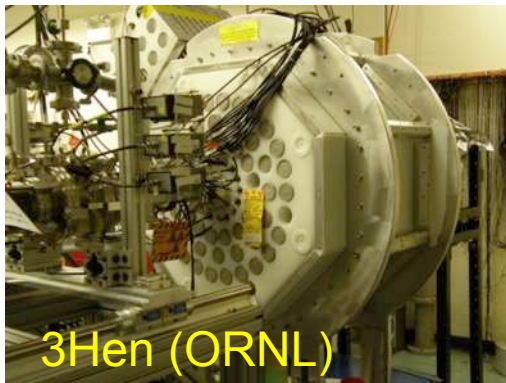
# Impact of $\beta$ -delayed neutrons in R-Process

R. Surman, at Gordon conf., June 2013, at ARIS conf., June 2014

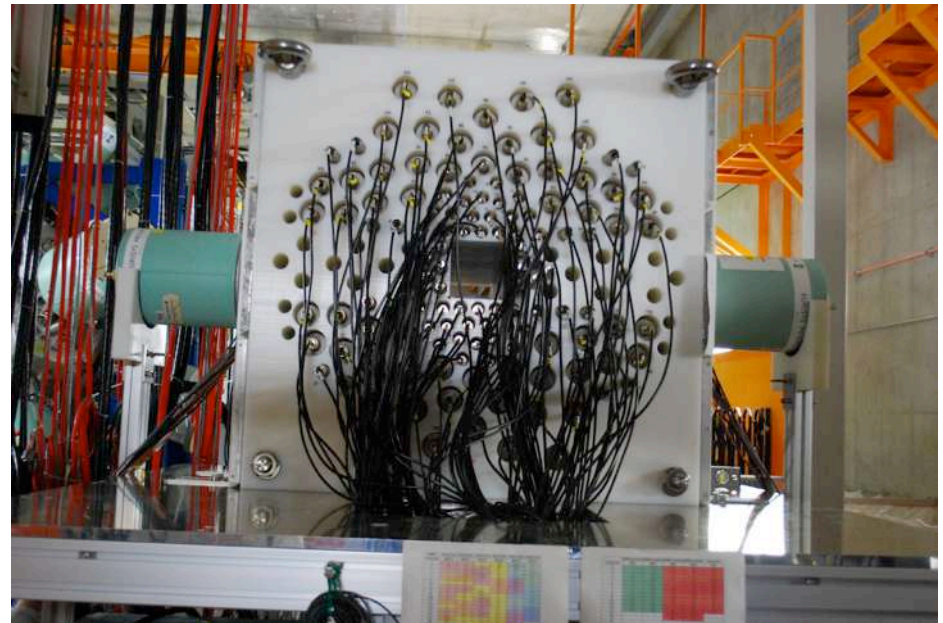


$\beta$ -delayed neutron  $\rightarrow$  (n,  $\gamma$ ) reactions at freeze-out time

# BRIKEN: Highest neutron detection eff.



**BRIKEN @ RIBF**



A.Tarifeno-Saldivia et al.  
BRIKEN design, simulation  
Jour. Instrum. 12, P04006 (2017)



# BRIKEN Experiments (2016 - 2018)

## Commissioning & Experiments (Parasitic Mode)

(1) 2016 Oct.

RIBF123R1 (Takechi Exp.) ... 2 days

$^{77}\text{Ni}$

(2) 2016 Nov.

RIBF03R1 (Fallon Exp.) ... 6.5 days

$^{40}\text{Mg}$

(3) 2017 Mar.

DA16-01 (Ahn Exp.) ... 3 days

$^{40}\text{Mg}$

11.5 days

A.Tolosa-Delgado et al.  
NIMA 925 (2019) 133  
( $^{81,82}\text{Ga}$ ,  $^{80}\text{Zn}$ )

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## 2017 May-June BRIKEN Campaign-1

(4) RIBF127R1 (Rykaczewski) ... 4.5 days

$^{78}\text{Ni}$  (N ~ 50)

(5) RIBF128 (Estrade) ... 6.5 days

$^{128}\text{Pd}$  (N~82)

(6) RIBF148 (Kiss) ... 2 days/11 days

Rare earth (A ~ 150-160)

## 2017 Oct.-Nov. BRIKEN Campaign-2

(7) DA17-02 (Rykaczewski) ... 10 days

$^{82}\text{Cu}$

(8) RIBF139 (Nishimura) ... 5.5 days

Mid-shell (A ~ 90-125)

B.C.Rasco et al. ( $^{77}\text{Cu}$ )  
NIM A 911 (2018) 79

R.Yokoyama et al. ( $^{86,87}\text{Ga}$ )  
(submitted)

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## 2018 Nov. BRIKEN Campaign-3

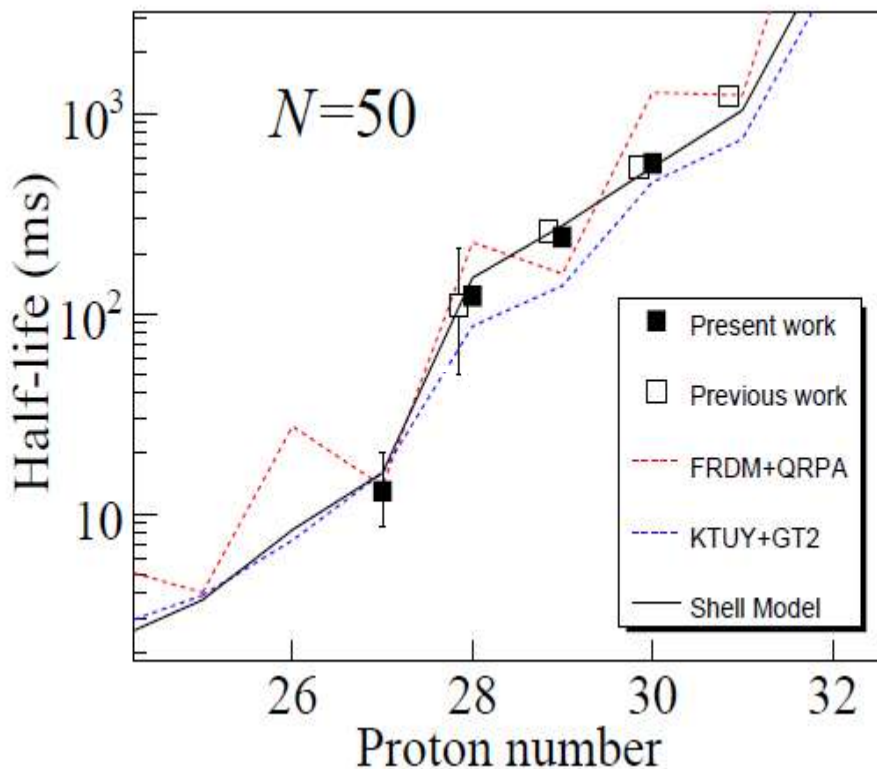
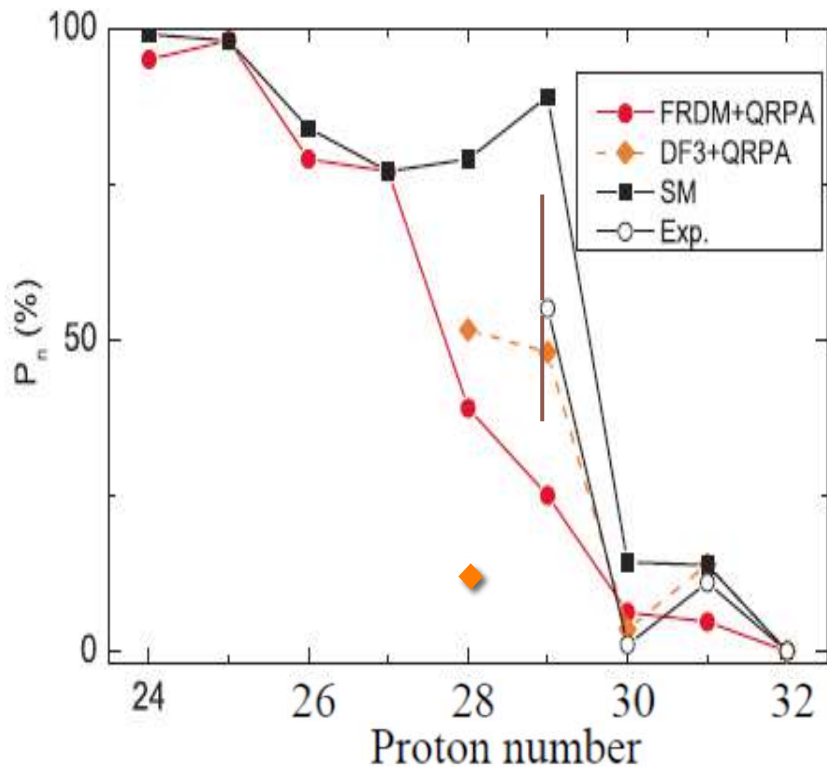
RIBF148 (Kiss) ... 6 days (+2 days..)

Total : ~ 34.5 days

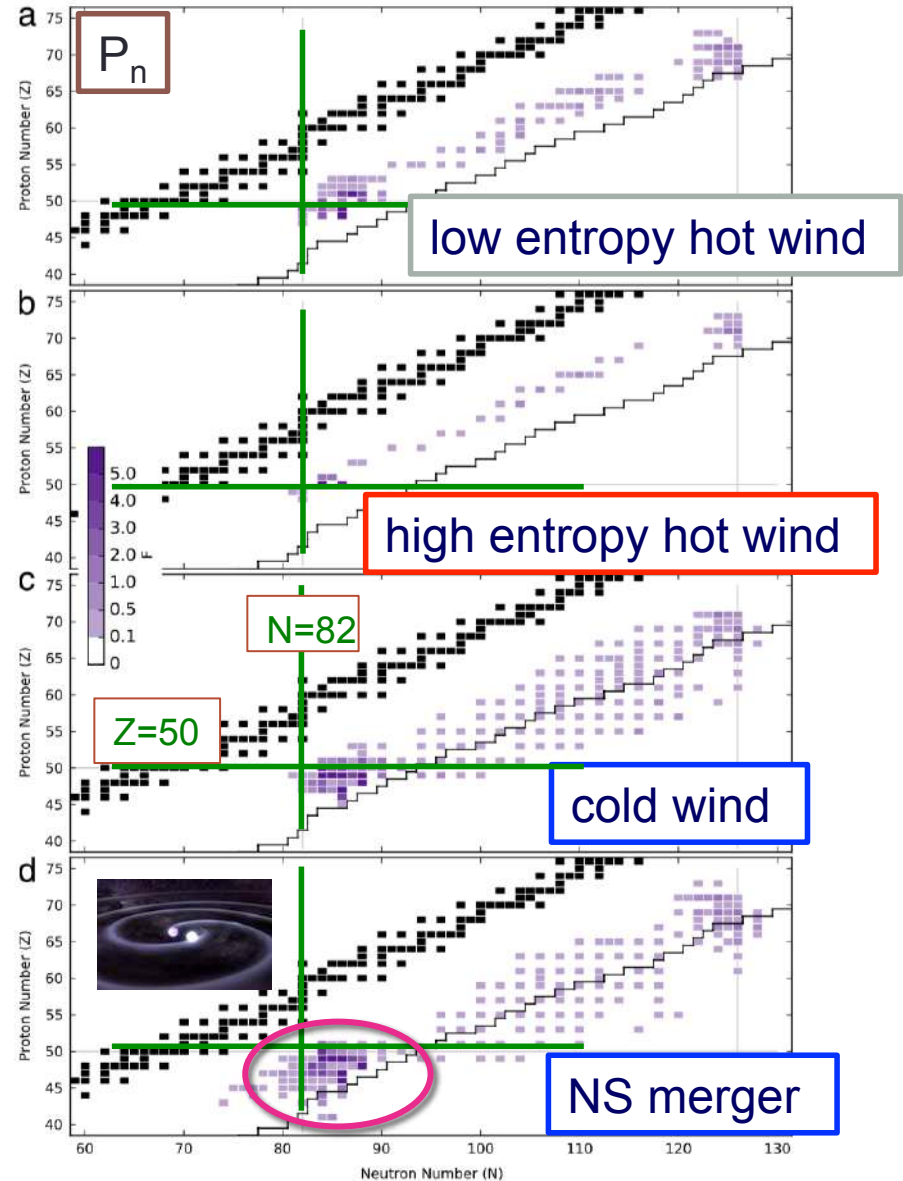
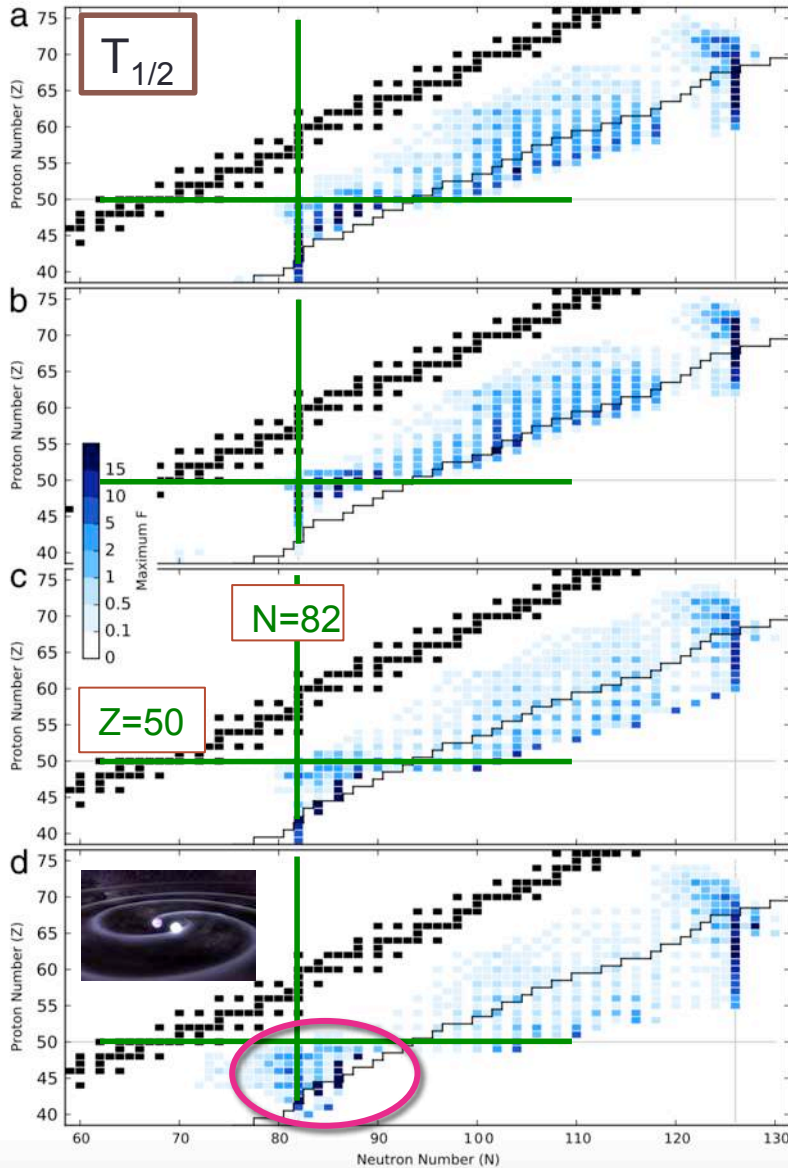
# Delayed neutron of $^{78}\text{Ni}$ on $N = 50$

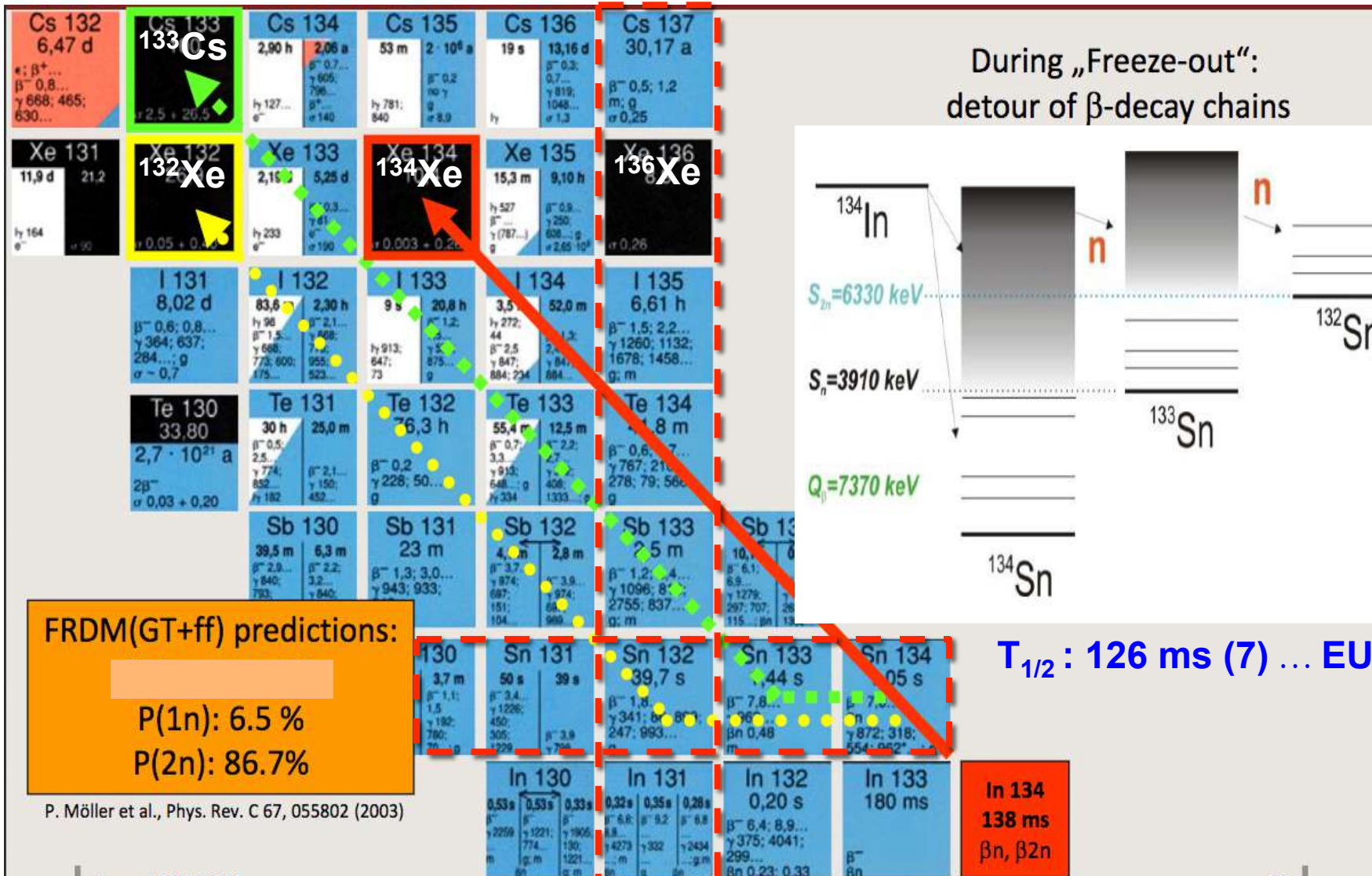
(Experiment  $\leftrightarrow$  Theory)

Z.Xu PhD thesis (2014)



# Sensitivity Study of Decay Properties in r-Process



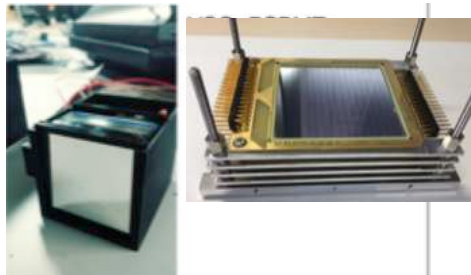
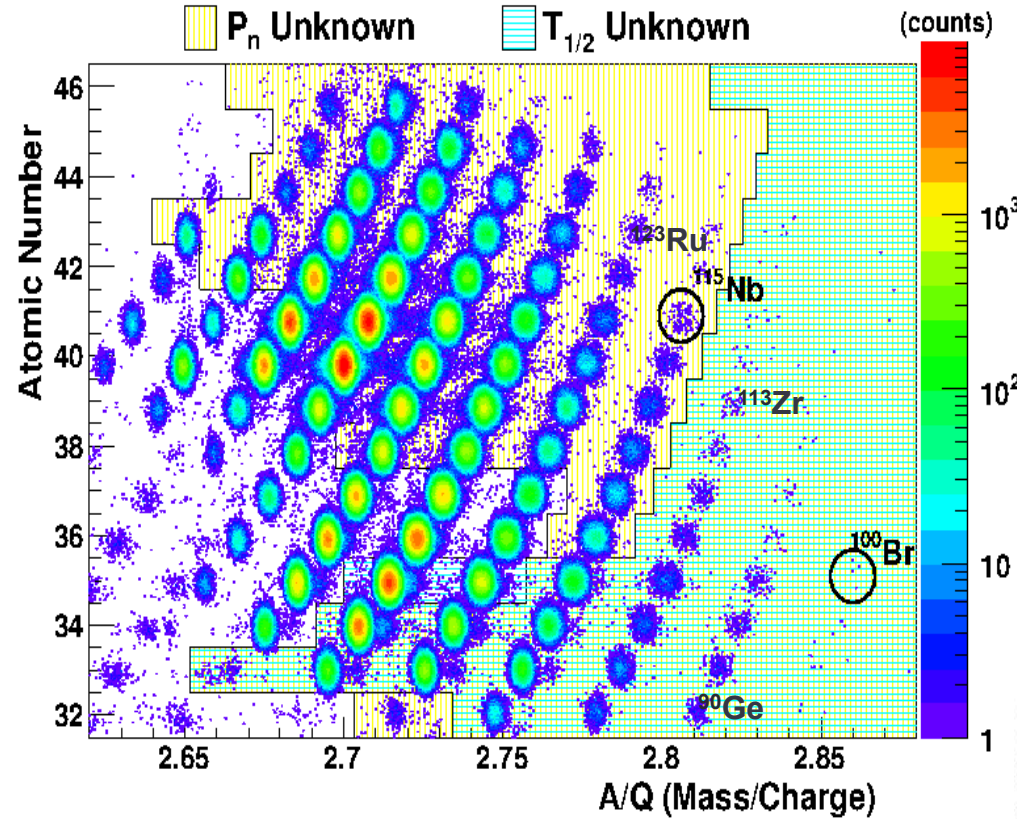


P. Möller et al., Phys. Rev. C 67, 055802 (2003)



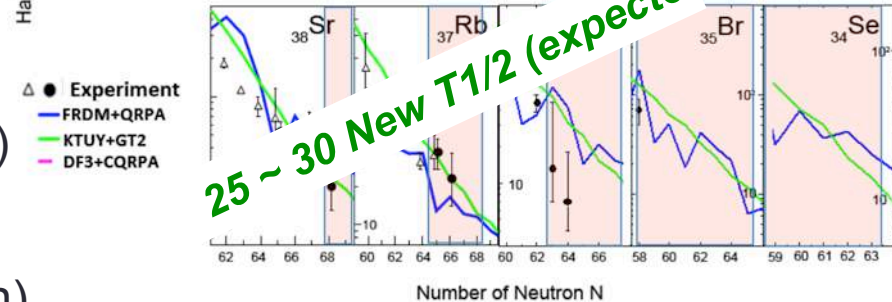
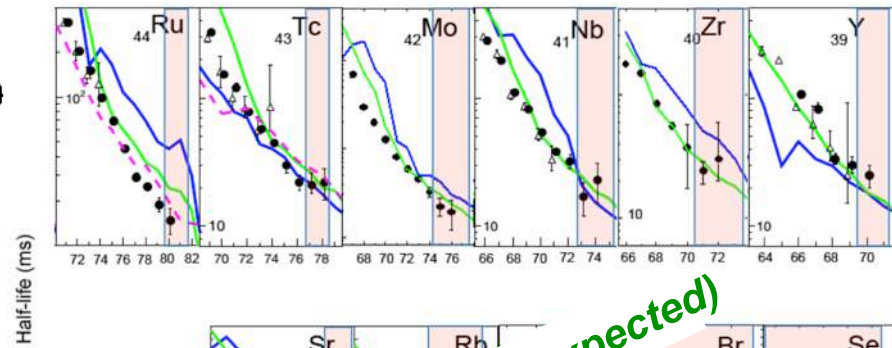
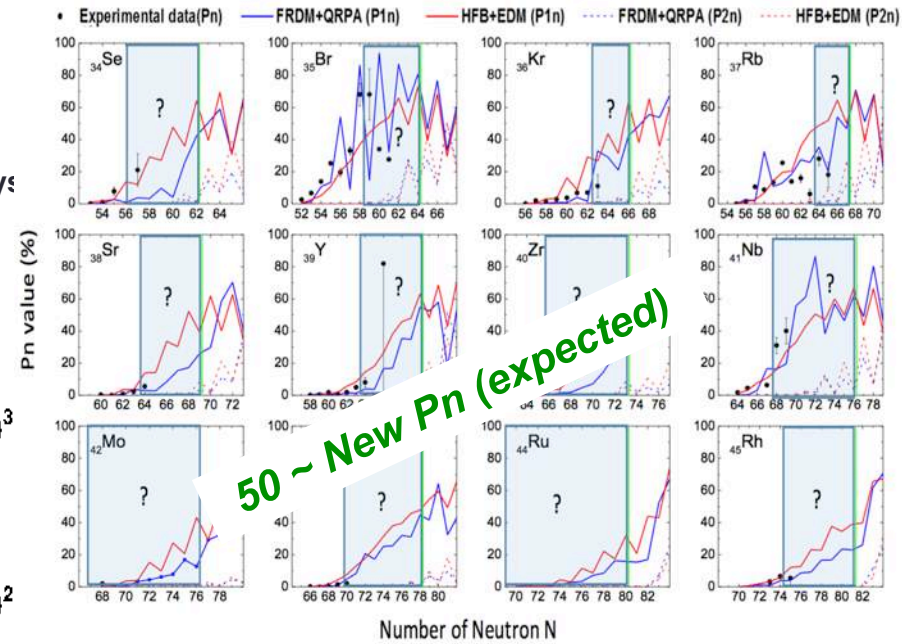
# BRIKEN 2017 Nov.

Spokespersons: S. Nishimura (RIKEN), A. Algora (IFIC-CSIC) 5.5 days

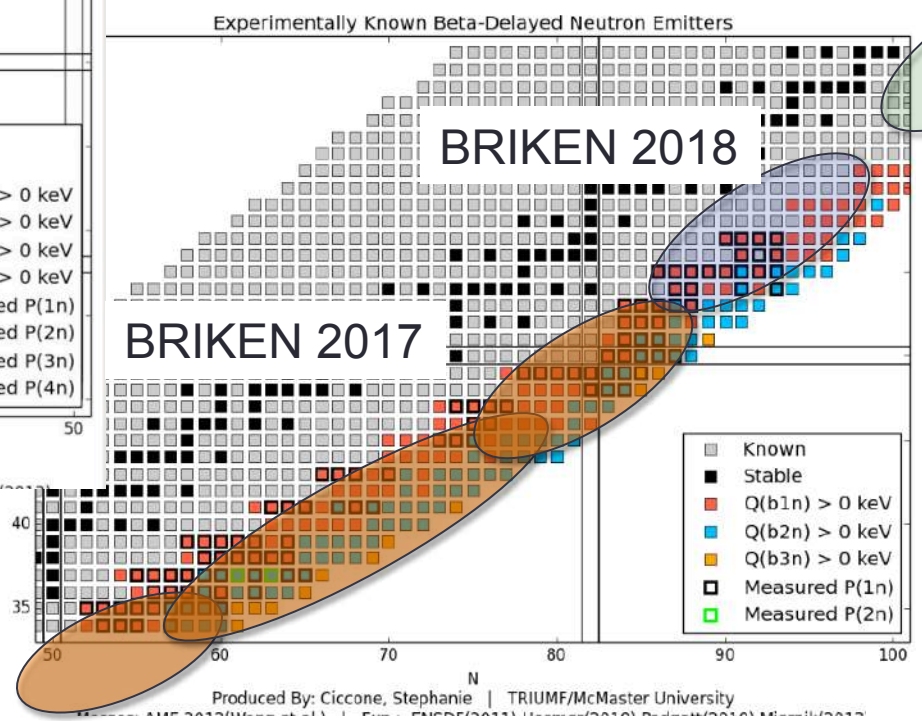
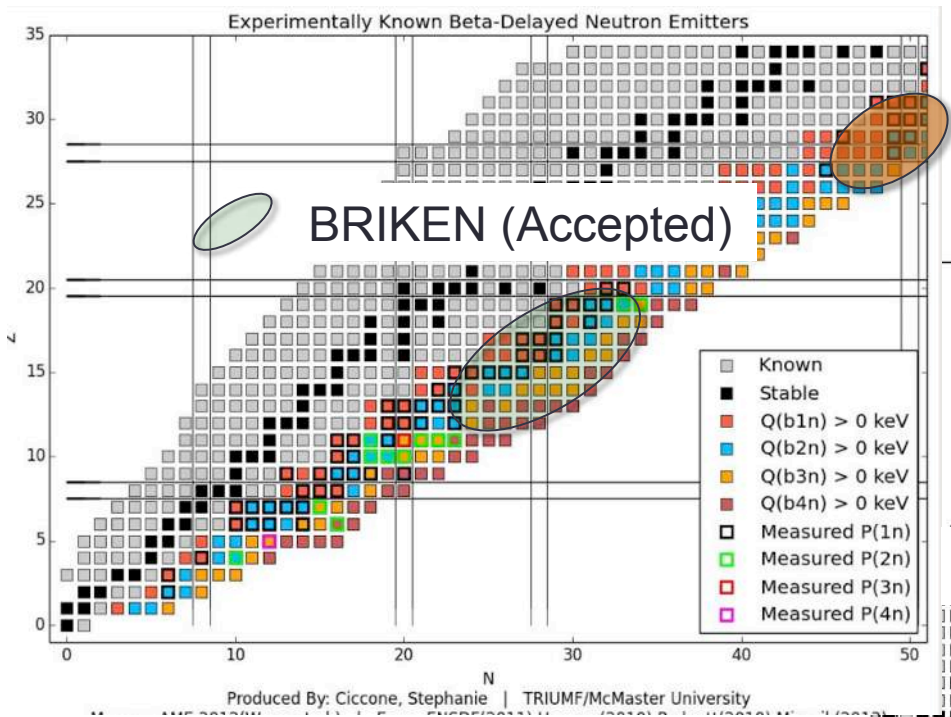


WAS3ABi (Si)  
YSO (U.Tennessee)

7 isomers (known)  
6 isomers (unknown)



# Summary of BRIKEN @ RIBF



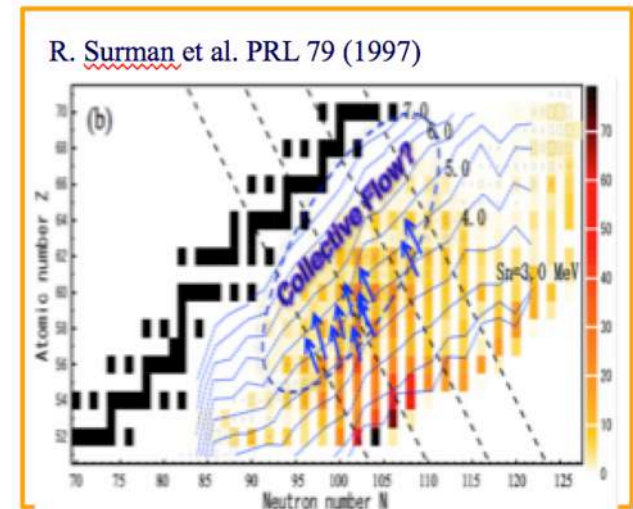
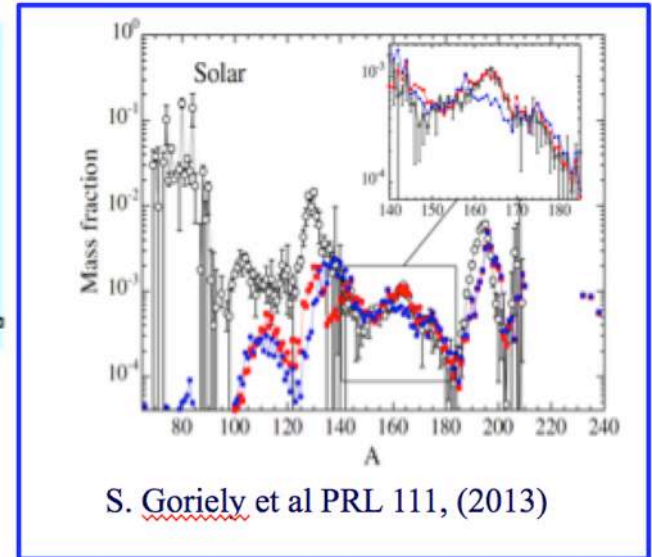
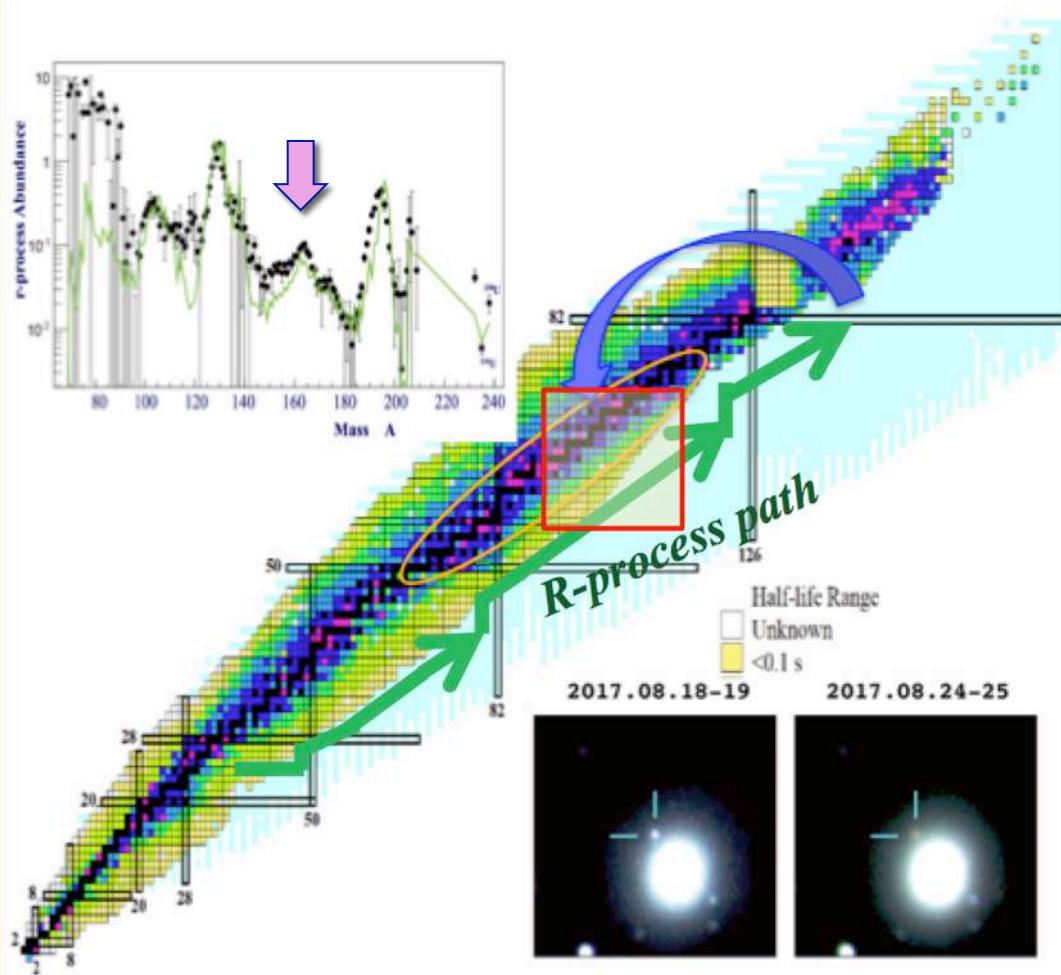
- 284 ( $\rightarrow \sim 340$ )  $T_{1/2}$
- 6 ( $\rightarrow \sim 150$ )  $P_n, P_{2n}, \dots$
- Excited States, Isomers
- Magic / Deformation

Survey of decay properties is in progress.

# Decay Spectroscopy toward Heavier RI

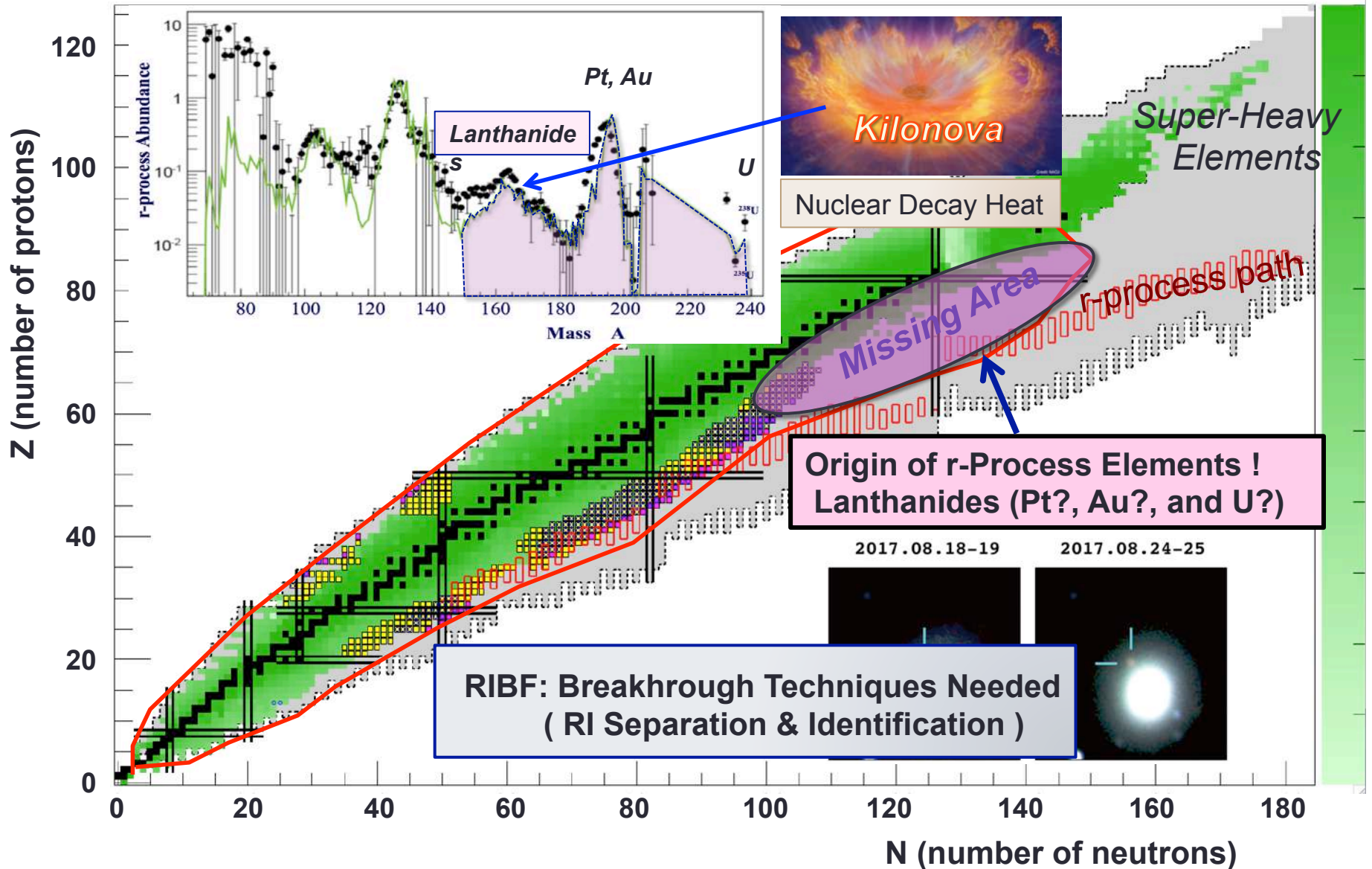


# Origin of Rare-Earth Elements

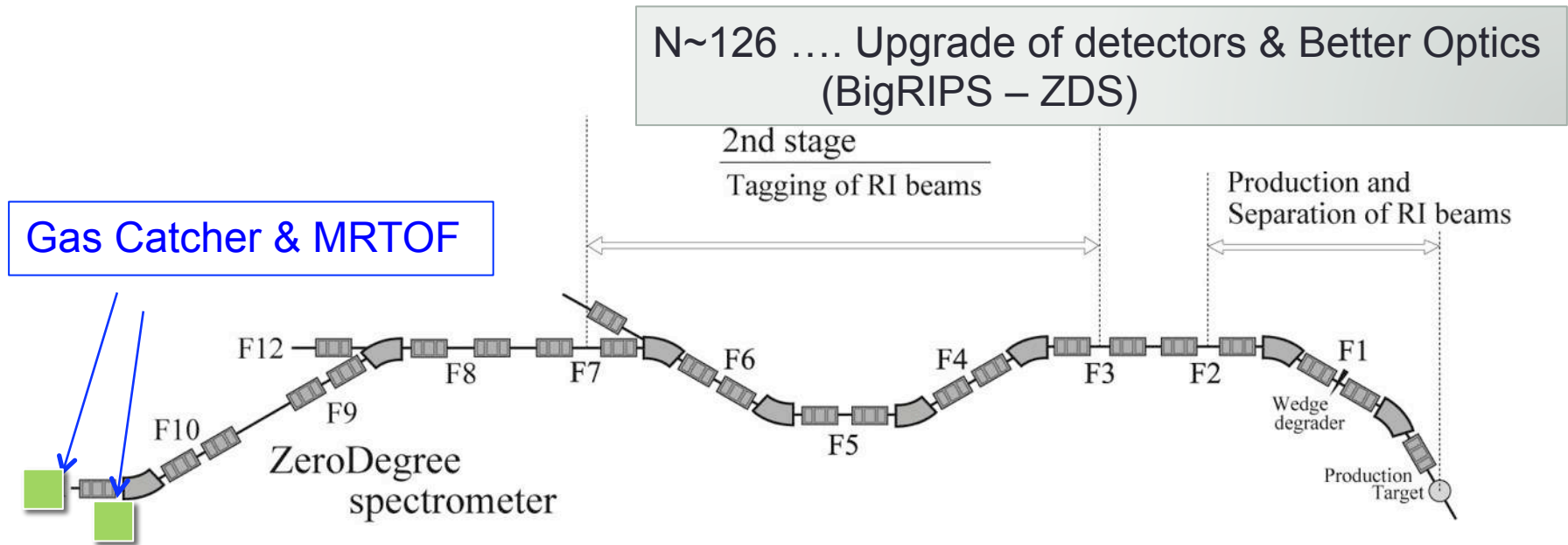




# 3<sup>rd</sup> r-Process Peak ( N = 126 Region )



# Decay Program with ZD-MRTOF



- BigRIPS/ZDS Experiments → MRTOF (Symbiotic Collaboration)
  - In-beam, New isotopes, Interaction cross-section, Decay & Mass

Workshop 2018 Sep. for Gas-Cell & MRTOF development with exotic nuclei

- ZD-MRTOF & Decay for heavy RI (N = 126)

# Summary

- ✓ **Beta-gamma spectroscopy 2009, 2012-2016,**
  - ✓ **Successful Campaigns with EURICA (~ 100 days)**  
**Cluster Detectors are shipped back to GSI**
- ✓ **Beta-Neutron & gamma spectroscopy in progress**
  - ✓ **Successful Campaigns with BRIKEN (~35 days)**  
→ 284 (EURICA) → ~ 340  $T_{1/2}$  , 6 (EURICA) → ~150  $P_{xn}$
- ✓ **Future Plan**
  - ✓ **Decay experiments around N = 126**
  - ✓ **2<sup>nd</sup> Beta-gamma campaign**
  - ✓ **Delayed neutron energy / Fast  $\gamma$ -decay**
  - ✓ **BigRIPS-ZDS → MR-TOF → Decay Station**



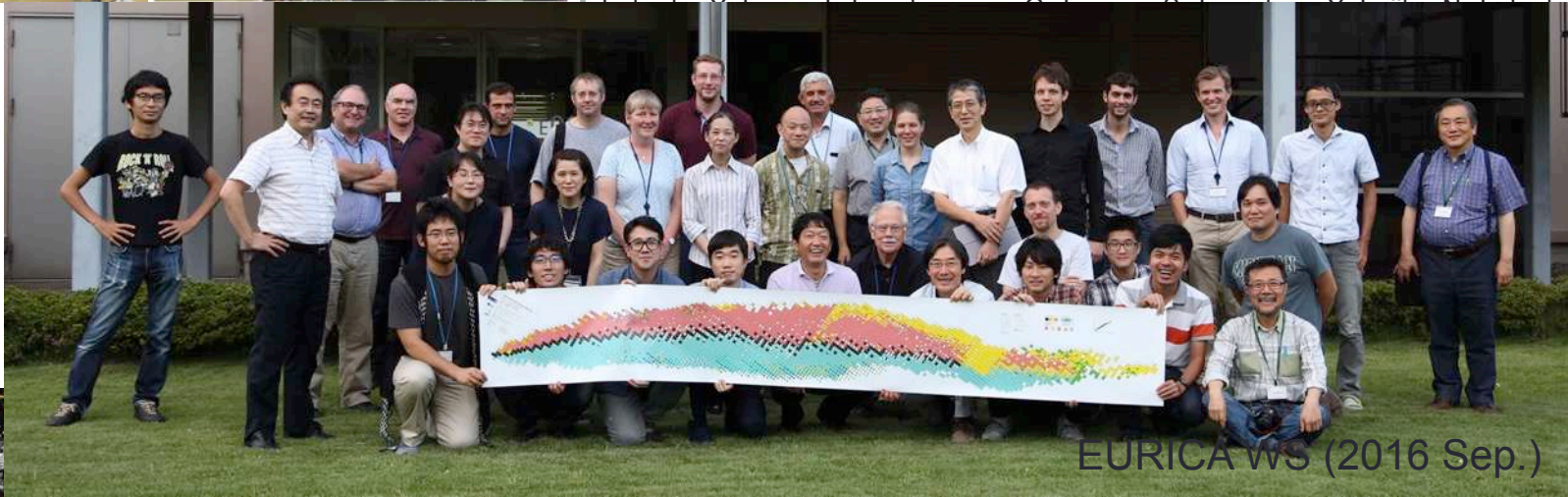
# EURICA Collaboration



19 countries : 237 collaborators



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BRIKEN collaboration (November 2017)

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