

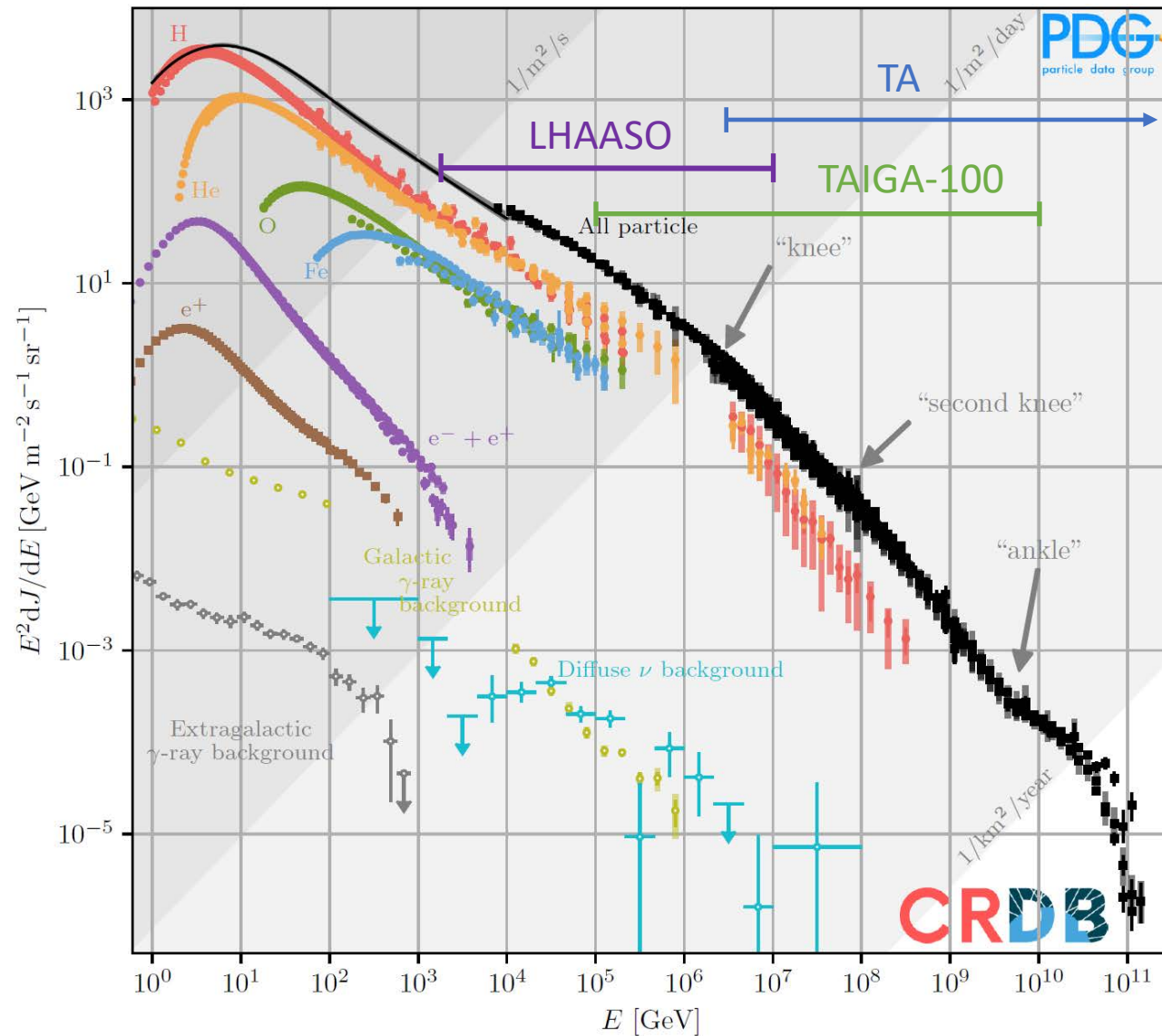
Астрофизика частиц и космические лучи

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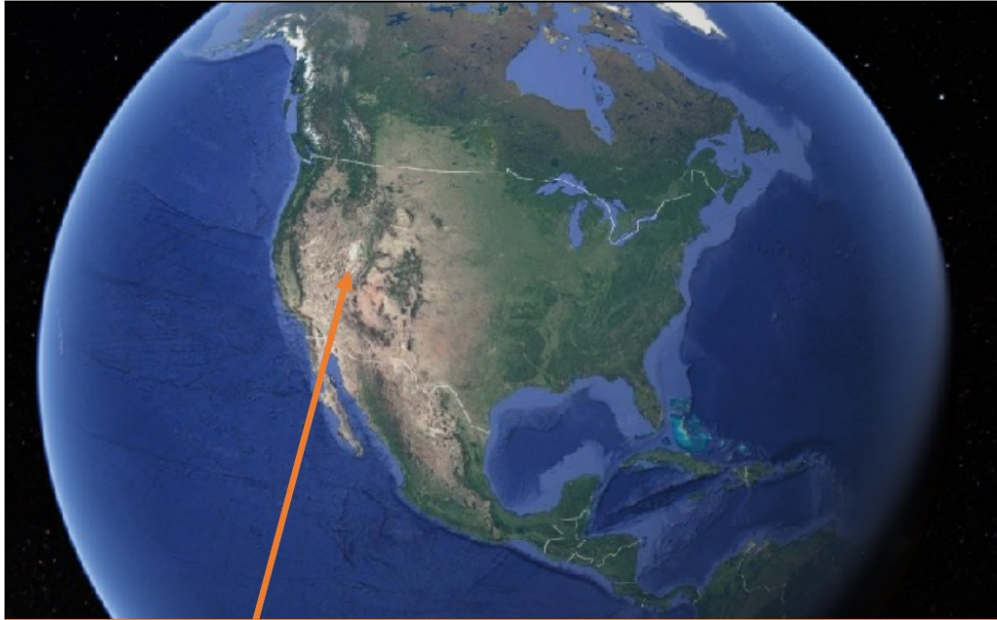
- Обзор результатов эксперимента Telescope Array (TA) [по докладу Г.И. Рубцова на ВККЛ2026]
- Обзор результатов эксперимента LHAASO [по докладу Zhiyong You на ВККЛ2026]
- Обзор проекта TAIGA-100 [по докладу Р.Д. Монхоева на ВККЛ2026]

Энергетический спектр космический лучей



Telescope Array observatory

- The largest cosmic ray observatory in the northern hemisphere



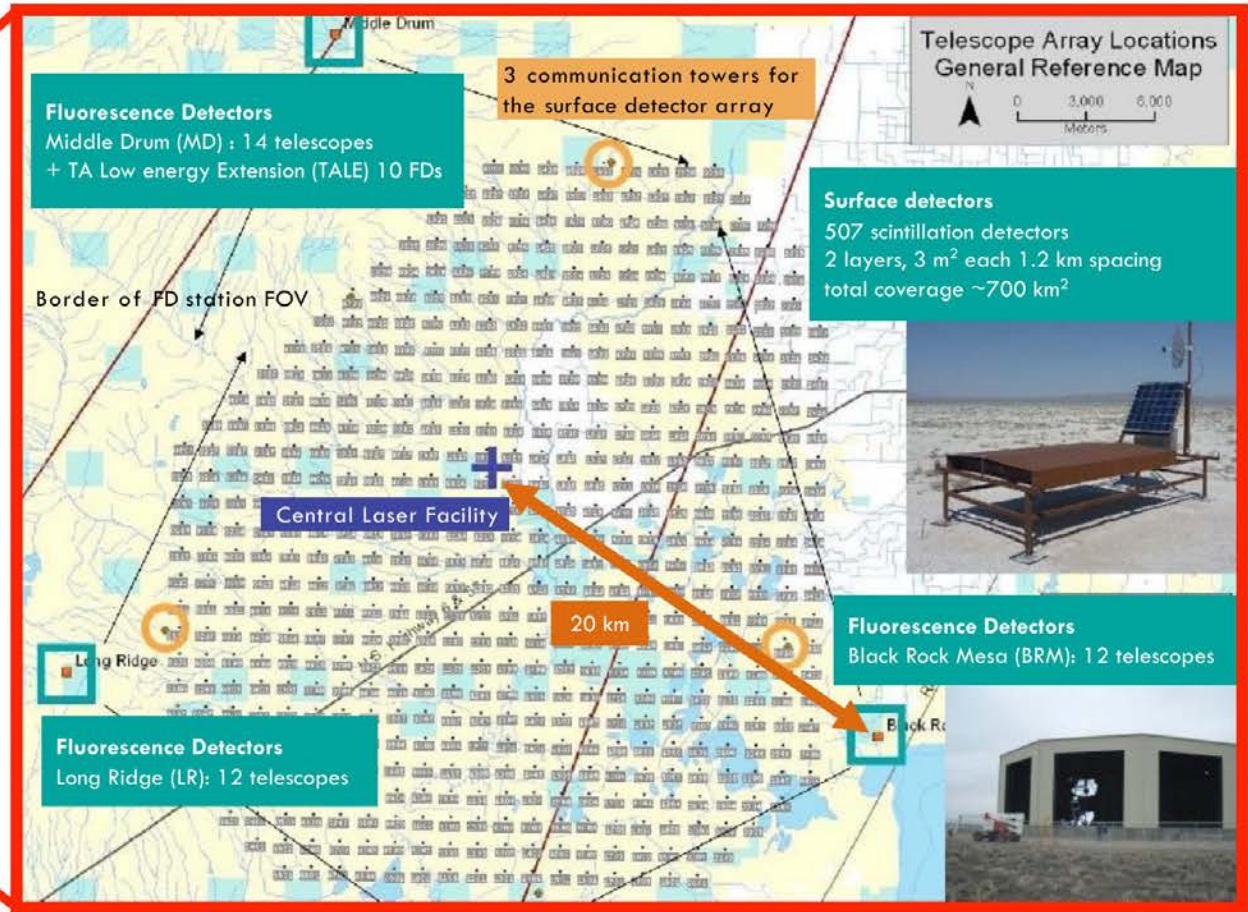
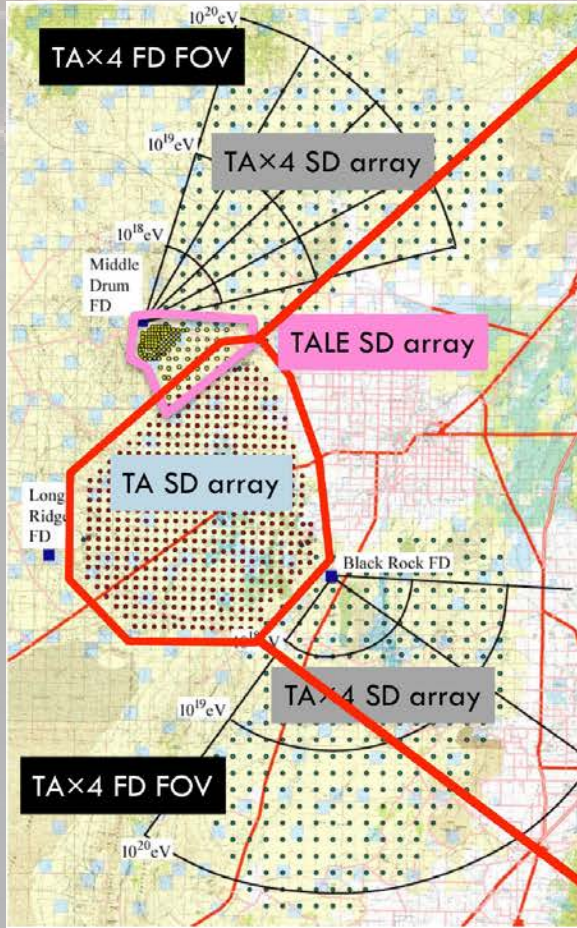
Telescope Array

- Delta, Utah, USA. $\sim 1\,400$ m above sea level
- Collaborators from HiRes, AGASA and other institutes

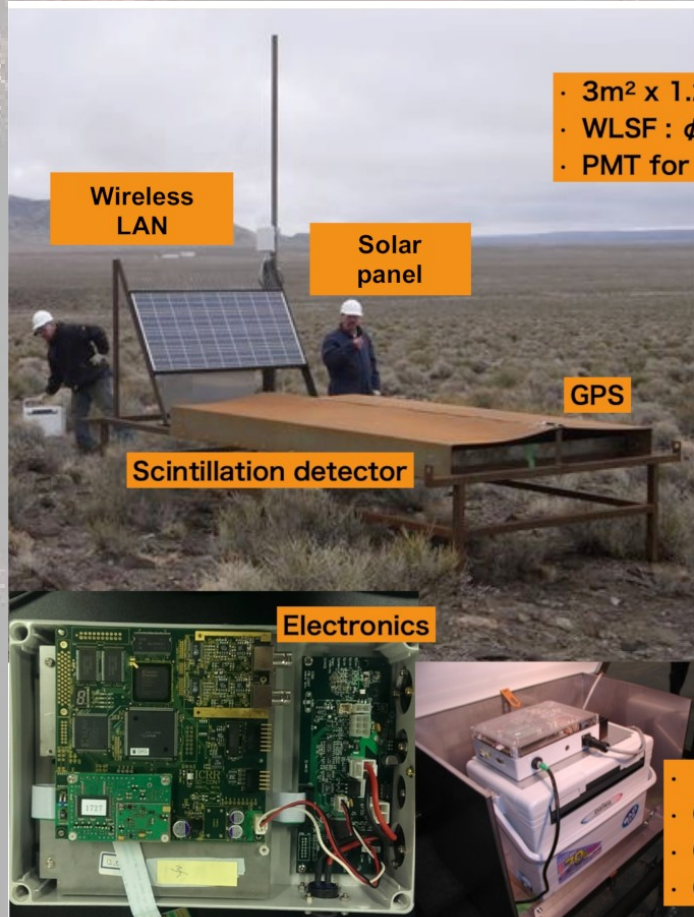
Scientific Goals

- Origin and nature of the ultra-high energy cosmic rays:
 - spectrum, composition, anisotropy
- Physics of high energy hadronic interactions
- Multi-messenger and interdisciplinary studies
 - photons, neutrinos, dark matters
 - thunderstorms, terrestrial gamma-ray flash
 - meteoroids
- Development of the next-generation experiments

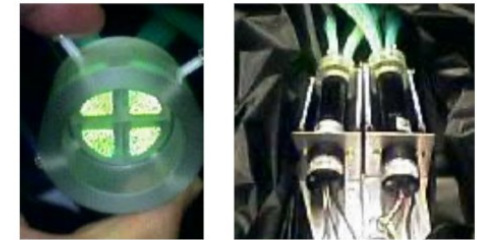
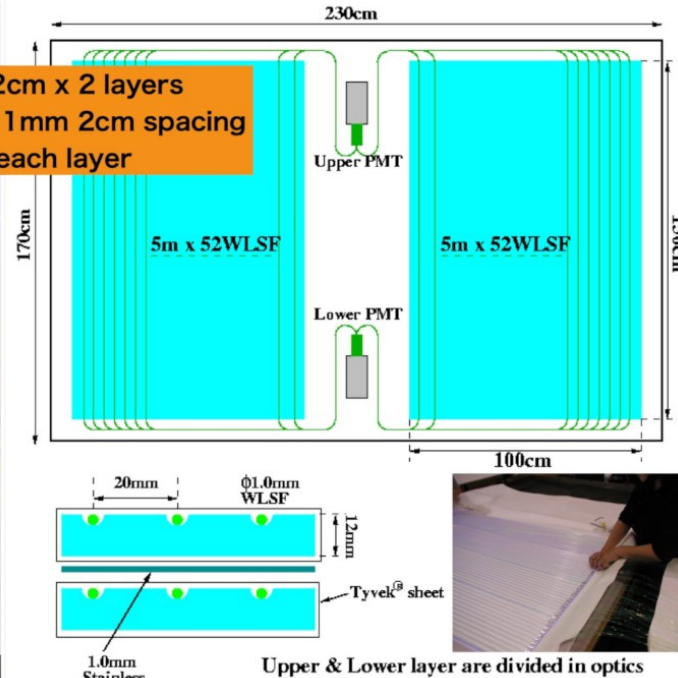
Telescope Array observatory



Surface Detector (SD)



- $3\text{m}^2 \times 1.2\text{cm} \times 2$ layers
- WLSF : $\phi 1\text{mm}$ 2cm spacing
- PMT for each layer

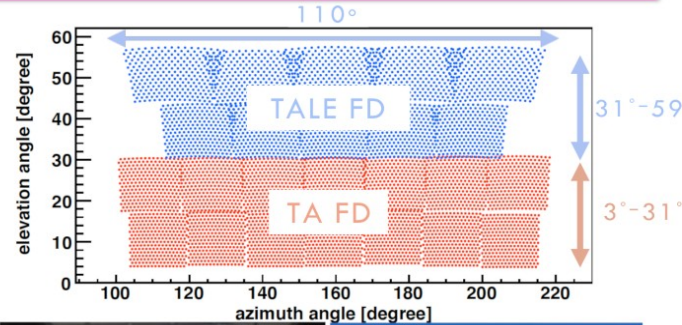
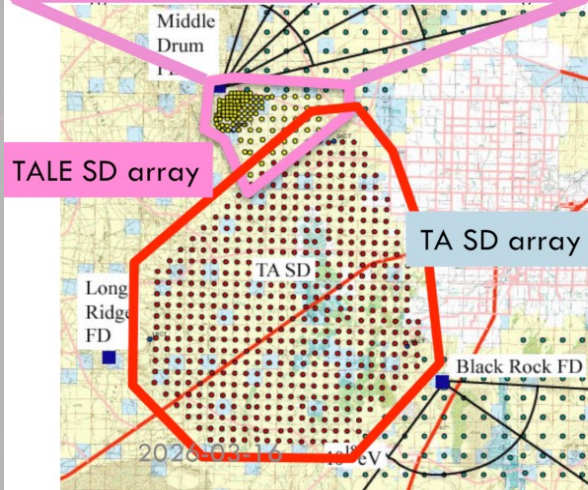
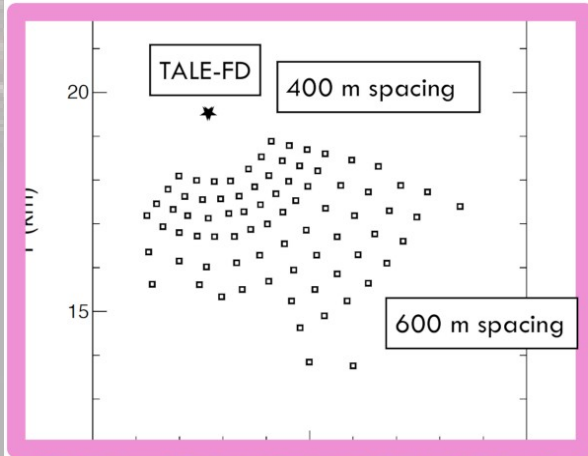


- 12bit 50MHz FADC x 2 layers
- CPU : Renesas SH4(25MHz)
- GPS, WLAN-modem
- Charge controller

- 507 plastic scintillation stations
- 2 layers, 1.2 cm thick, 3 m^2 area
- 1.2 km square grid spacing covering

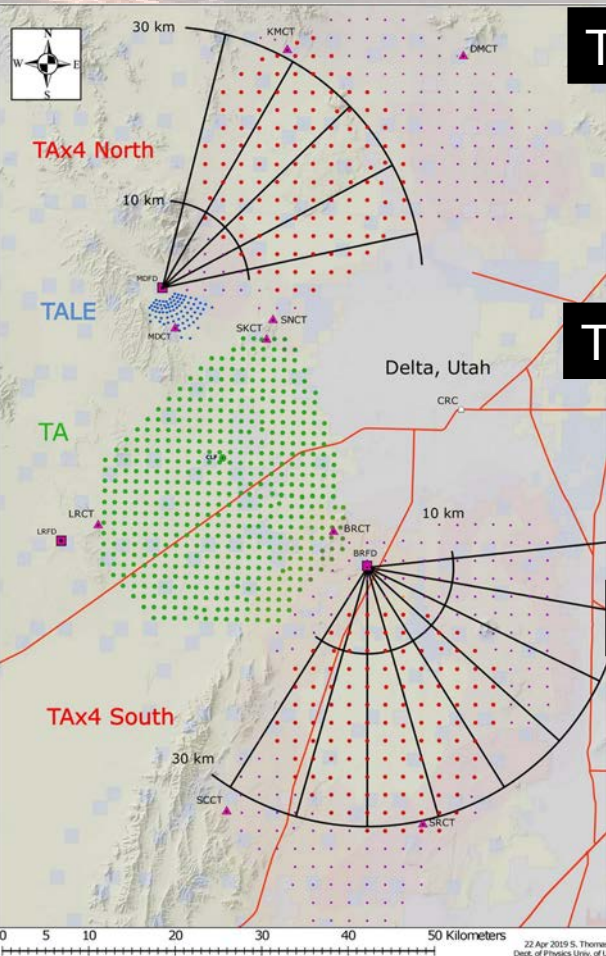
~700 km²

TA Low Energy extension (TALE)

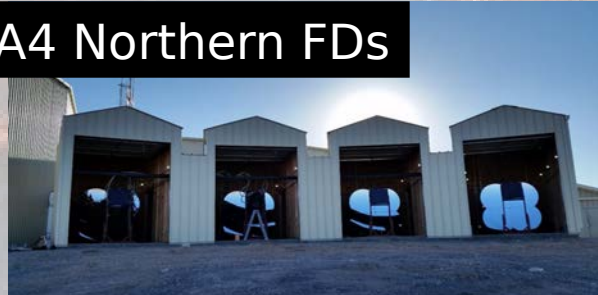


- Low energy extension of TA sensitivity down to $\sim 10^{15}$ eV
- Hybrid measurement
 - 10 FDs observing higher elevation of $31^\circ\text{--}59^\circ$
 - 80 SDs with 400–600 m spacing
 - 50 SDs with nearly 100 m spacing
- Precise measurement of the composition
 - FDs since Sep. 2013
 - SDs since Nov. 2017
 - 100 m SDs since Nov. 2023

TAx4 project, $\sim 3000 \text{ km}^2$



TA4 Northern FDs



TA4 Southern FDs

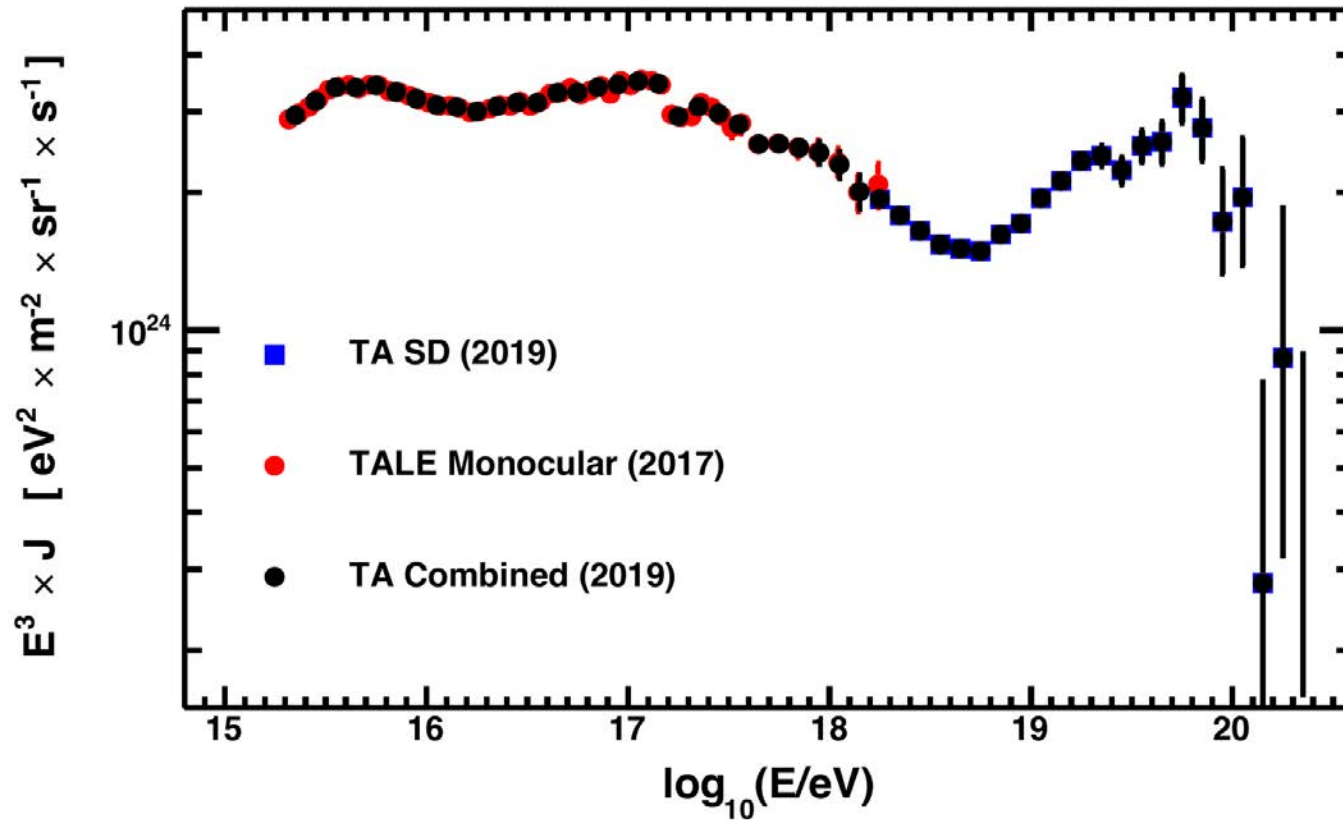


TA4 SDs



- TA4 motivation
 - greatly increase the data sample at the highest energies in order to identify UHECR sources
- SDs
 - 500 new SDs at 2.08 km spacing
 - 257 deployed thus far and operational since 2019
- FDs
 - 12 telescopes deployed and operational
 - 4 North and 8 South

From 10^{15} eV to more than 10^{20} eV within one observatory



The Pierre Auger Observatory

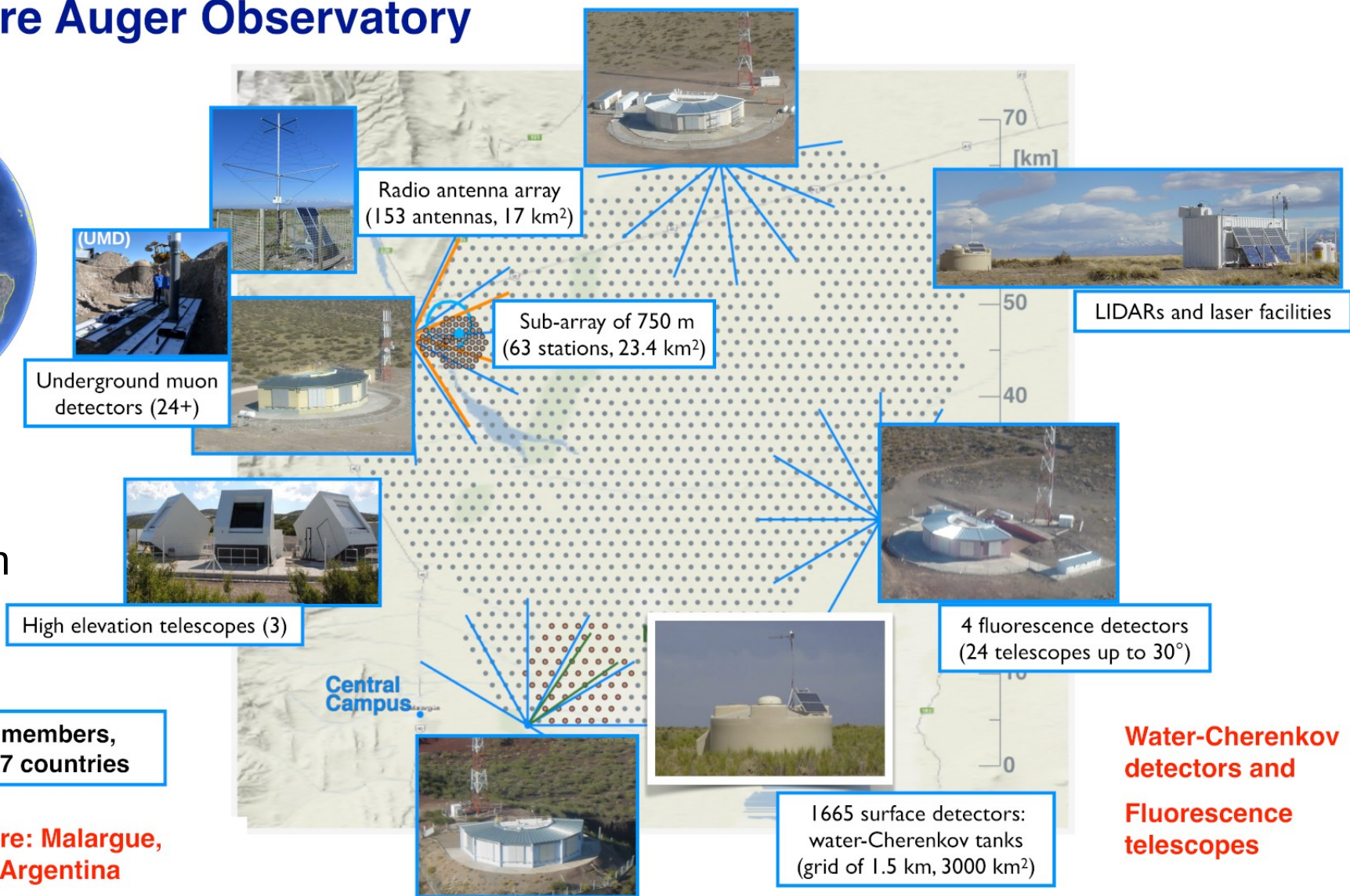


Pierre Auger Observatory
Province Mendoza, Argentina

Configuration
until
31.12.2022

More than 400 members,
98 institutes, 17 countries

Southern hemisphere: Malargue,
Province Mendoza, Argentina



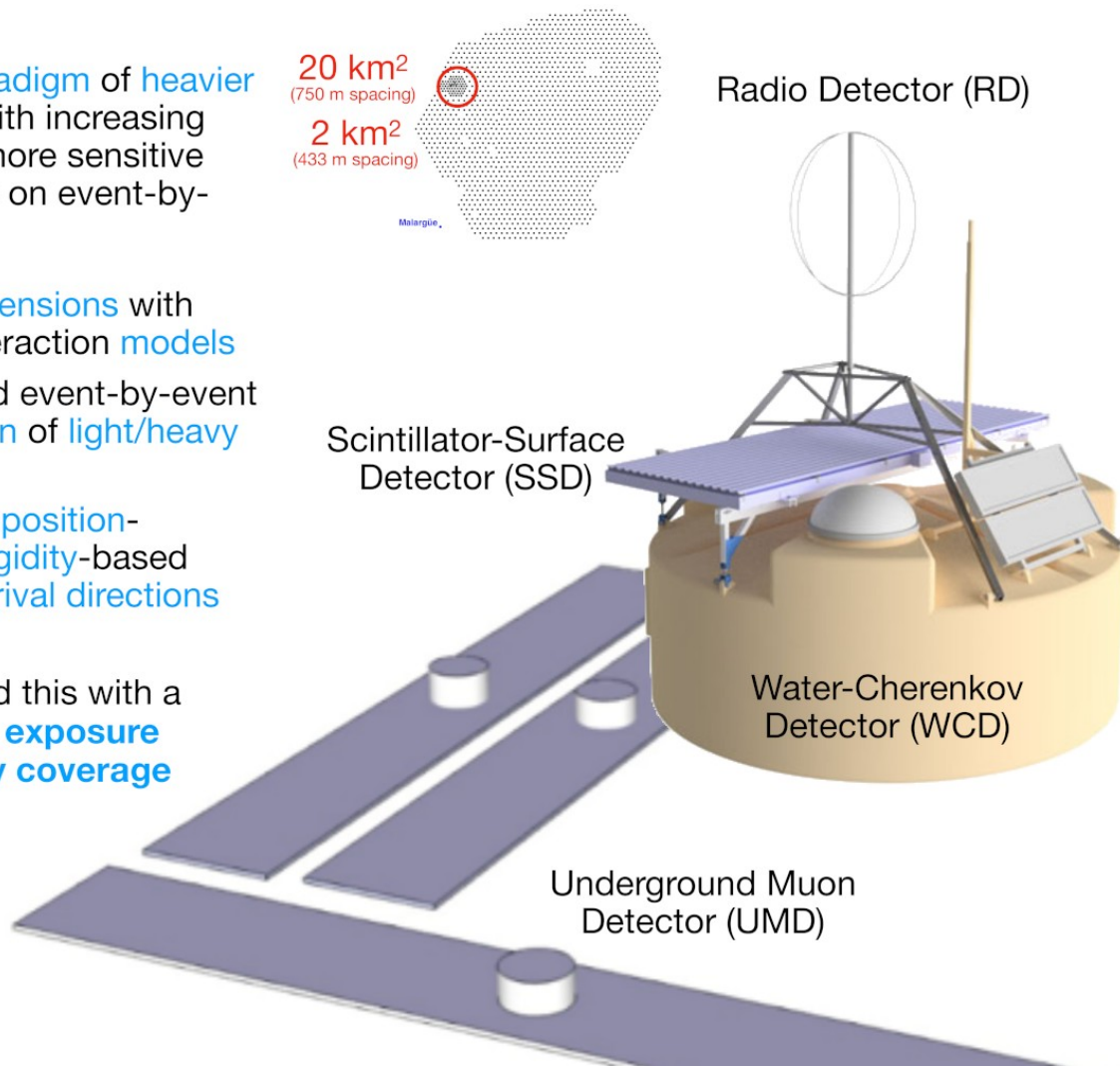
AugerPrime | Motivation & instrument

Motivation

Given **new paradigm** of **heavier composition** with increasing energy, need more sensitive measurements on event-by-event basis to:

- understand **tensions** with **hadronic interaction models**
- achieve good event-by-event **discrimination** of **light/heavy particles**
- perform **composition-enhanced**, **rigidity-based studies** of **arrival directions**

and we need this with a **very large exposure** and **full sky coverage**



D. Schmidt, ICRC 2025

Энергетический спектр



Greisen-Zatsepin-Kuzmin cutoff

END TO THE COSMIC-RAY SPECTRUM?

Kenneth Greisen

Cornell University, Ithaca, New York
(Received 1 April 1966)

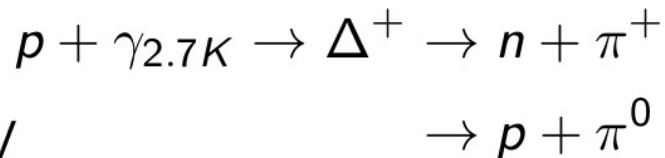
The primary cosmic-ray spectrum has been measured up to an energy of 10^{20} eV,¹ and several groups have described projects under development or in mind² to investigate the spectrum further, into the energy range 10^{21} - 10^{22} eV. This note predicts that above 10^{20} eV the primary spectrum will steepen abruptly, and the experiments in preparation will at last observe it to have a cosmologically meaningful termination.

1966

О ВЕРХНЕЙ ГРАНИЦЕ СПЕКТРА КОСМИЧЕСКИХ ЛУЧЕЙ

Г.Т.Зацепин, В.А.Кузьмин

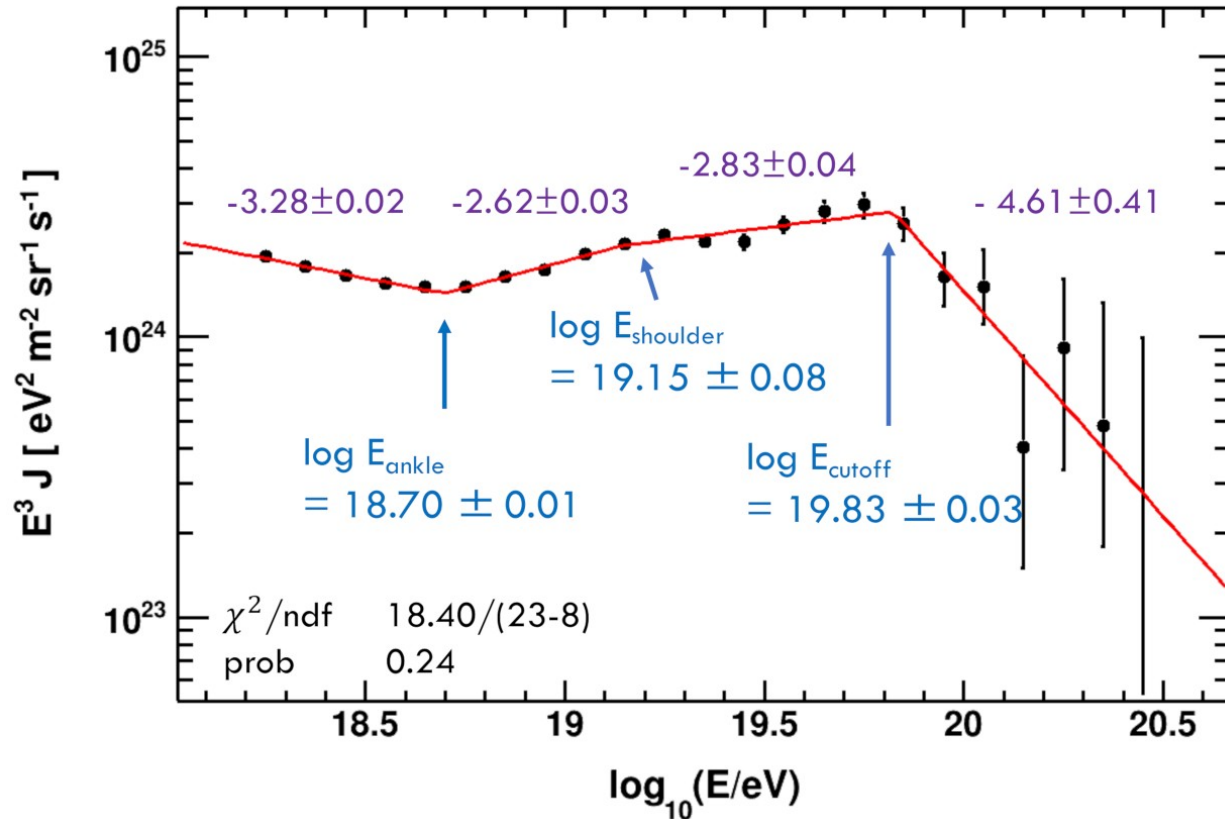
В недавних измерениях [1,2] обнаружено мощное изотропное тепловое излучение Вселенной, обладающее, по-видимому, распределением Планка с температурой $T \approx 3^\circ\text{K}$. Интенсивность этого излучения такова ($N \approx 550$ фотонов/см³, $kT \approx 2,5 \cdot 10^{-4}$ эв), что возникают специфические эффекты при прохождении через него космических лучей сверхвысоких энергий, в частности обрезание спектра космических лучей в области 10^{20} эв.



Heavy nuclei photodisintegrate
at the same energies

16-year TA SD Spectrum

Data collection: 2008-05-11 through 2024-05-10

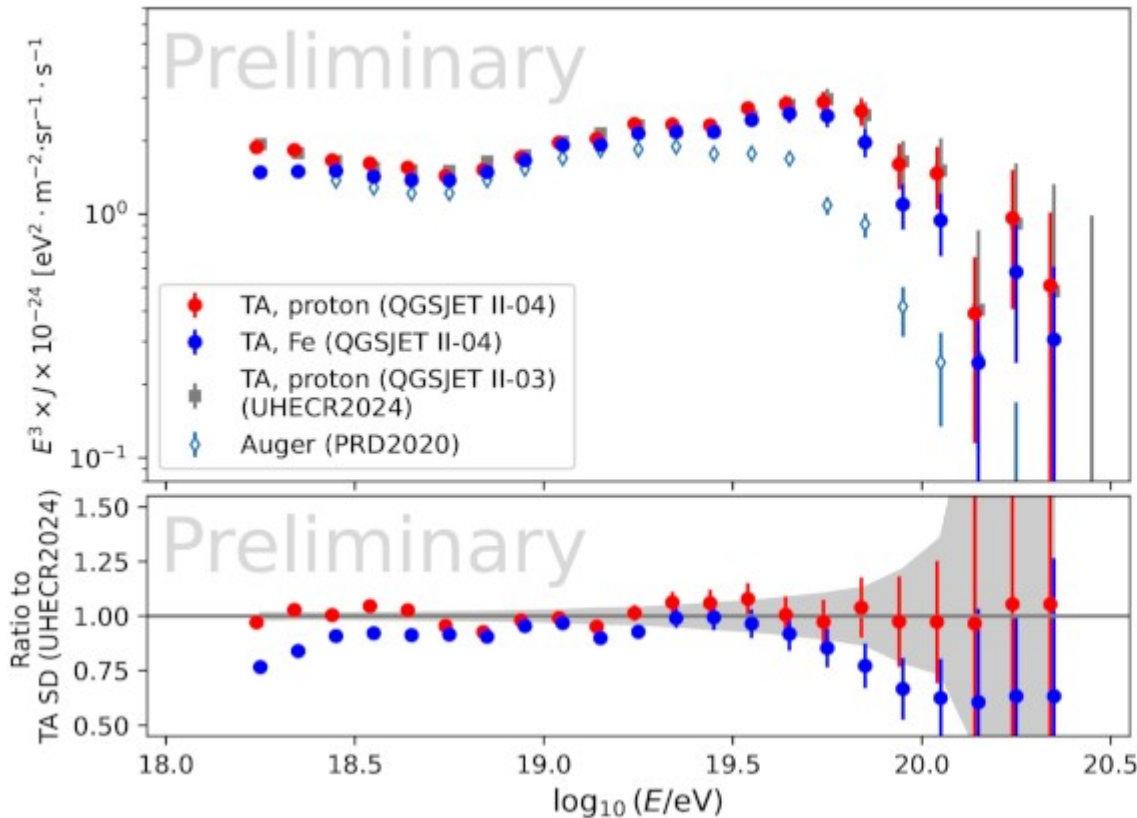


- **Cutoff** feature at $10^{19.83} \text{ eV}$
 N_{exp} : 173.7
 N_{obs} : 97
 Chance probability: 1.6×10^{-10} , $\sim 6.3\sigma$
- **Shoulder** feature at $10^{19.15} \text{ eV}$
 N_{exp} : 2156.4
 N_{obs} : 1921
 Chance probability: 1.3×10^{-7} , $\sim 5.2\sigma$
- We observe the softening feature in the northern hemisphere at $10^{19.15 \pm 0.08} \text{ eV}$ with a 5.2σ significance, while Auger sees it at $10^{19.15 \pm 0.03} \text{ eV}$ (with +9% energy rescaling).
- TA and Auger agree well.

TA SD spectrum: Composition dependence

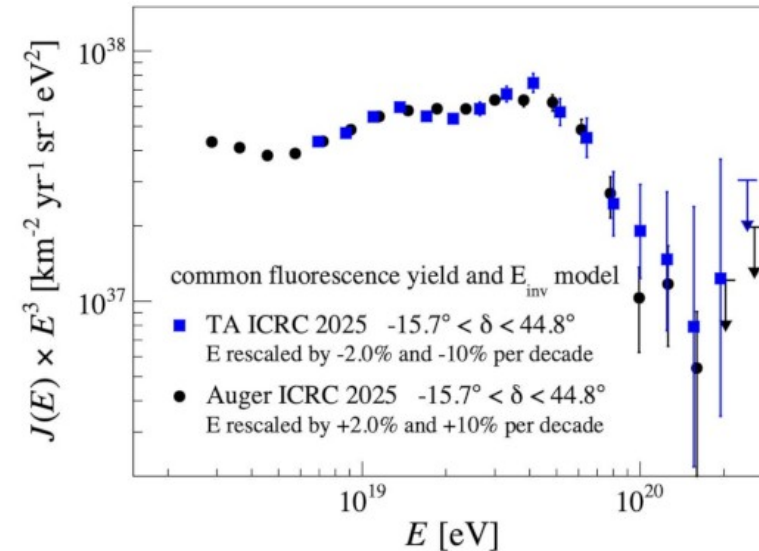
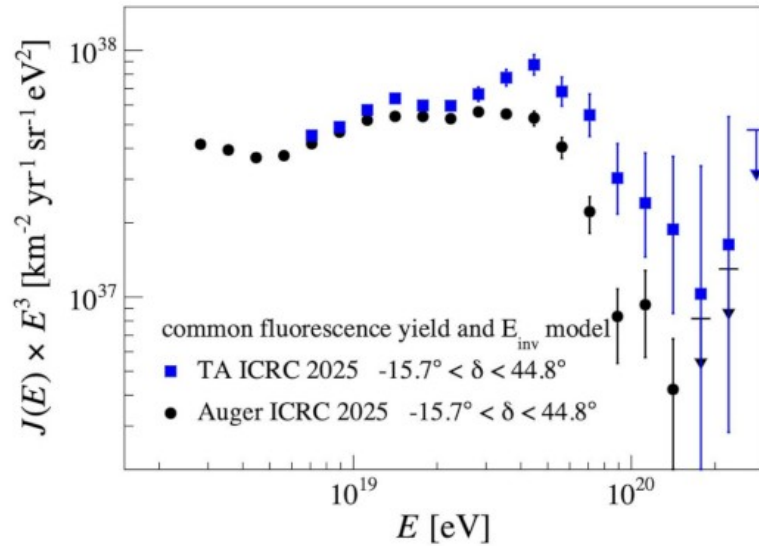


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- Demonstrated the systematic impacts from the primary mass assumption and the hadronic interaction model on the measured cosmic-ray energy spectrum.
- Energy-dependent bias was studied with extreme case of pure-iron MC simulations at entire energies.
- The discrepancy of the energy spectrum at higher energies was not explained in this study.

Auger and TA spectrum results



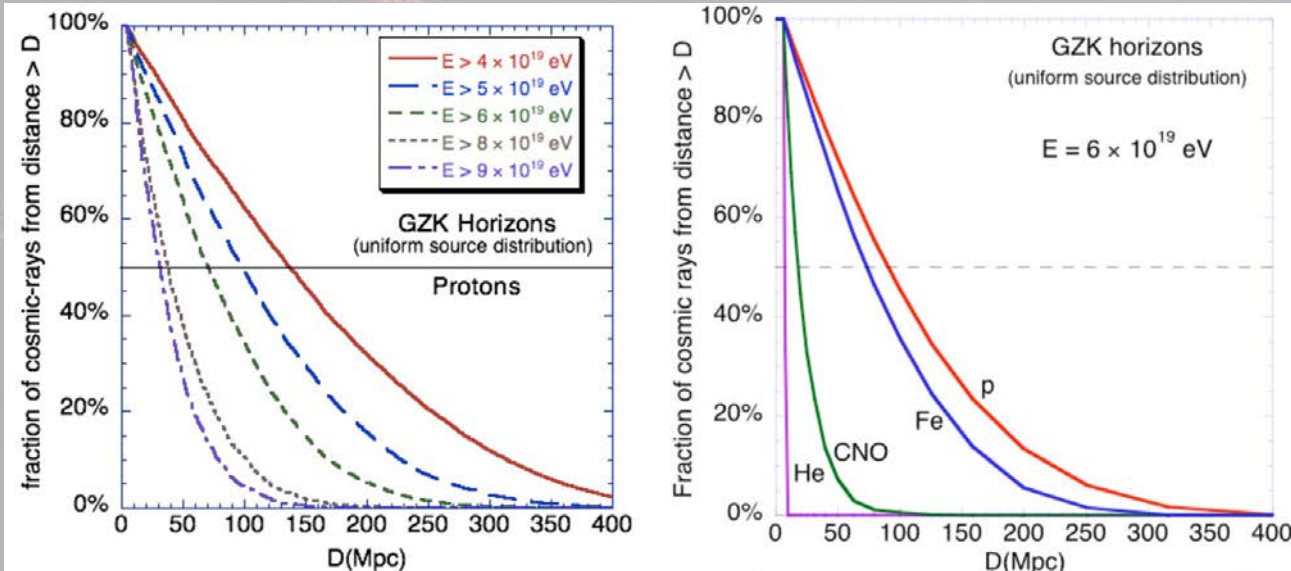
Auger and TA spectrum Working group
F. Salamida, ICRC'2025

Источники космических лучей



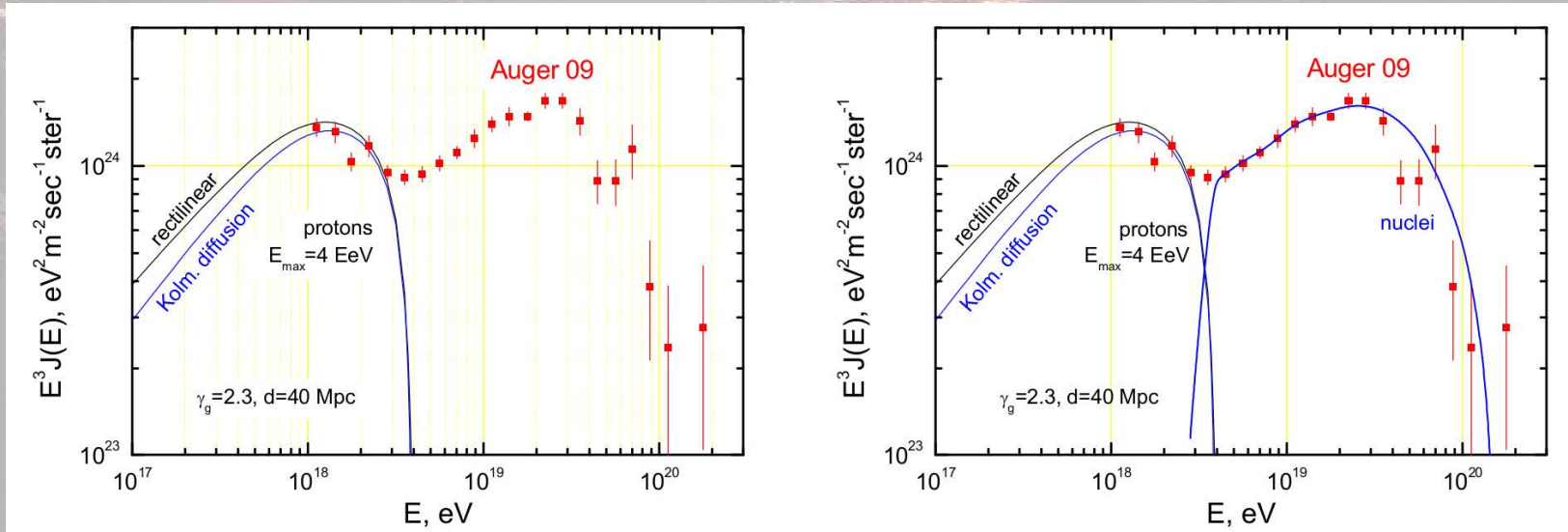
Is charged particle astronomy possible?

- Deflection of 60 EeV protons in the GMF is about 2° - 6°
- Can we see the nearest source?
- Can we see GZK reaction? cosmogenic photons and neutrinos
Berezinsky, Zatsepin, Phys. Lett B 28, 423 (1969)



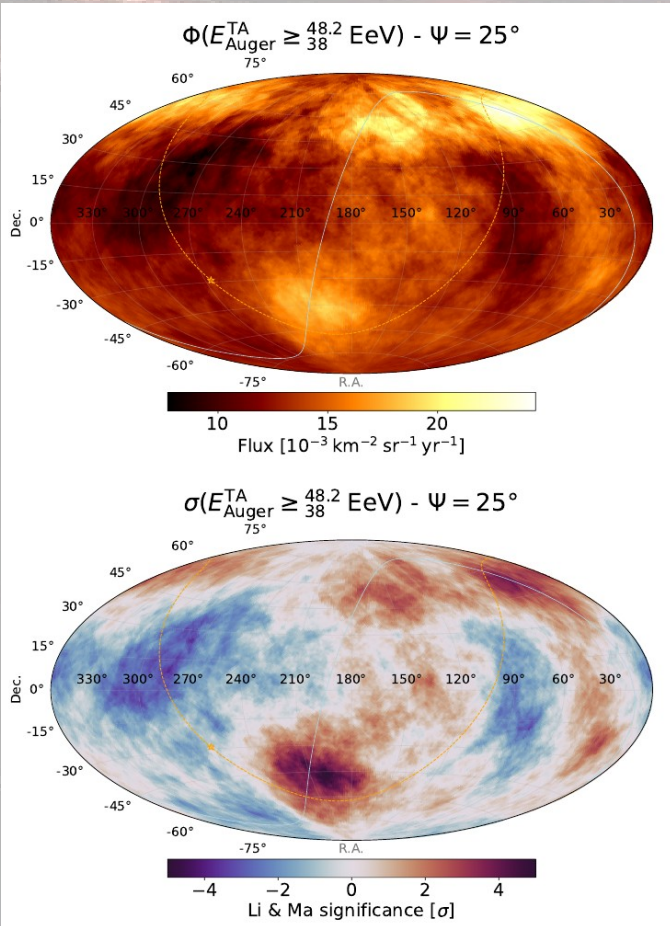
A. Olinto et. al., White paper on UHECR (2009)

Disappointing model?



- No cosmogenic photons, no cosmogenic neutrinos
- What we expect:
 - Dipolar and quadrupolar anisotropy
 - Astronomy with the highest energy particles

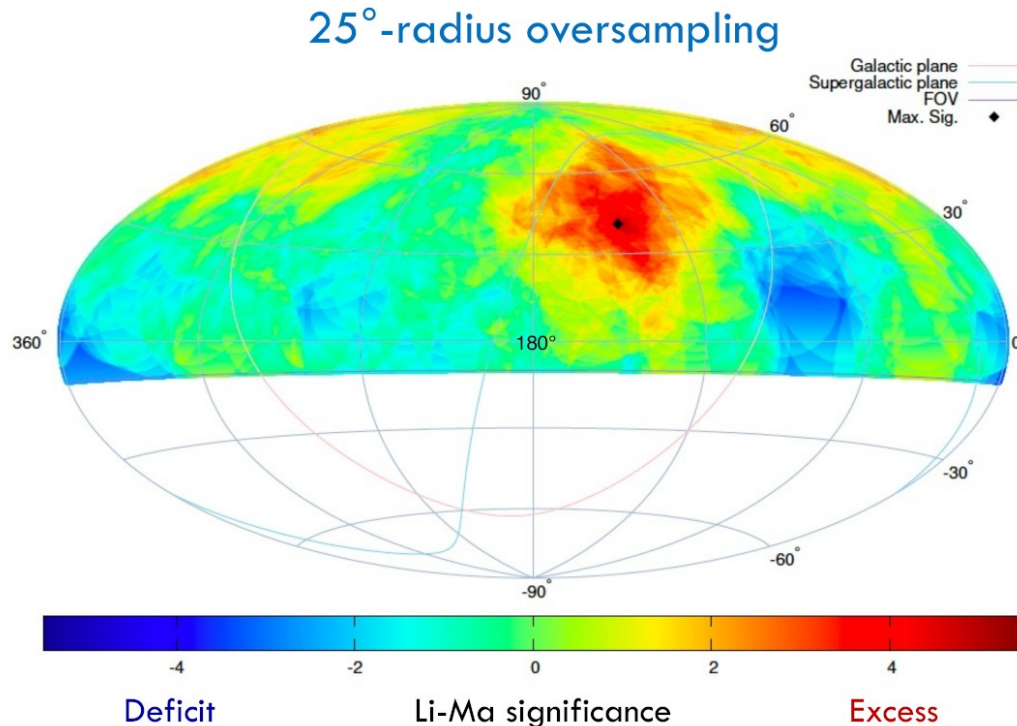
Observed UHECR sky



- Joint Auger + TA data
 - Flux excess is observed in Centaurus A and Ursa Major constellation and Perseus-Pisces Supercluster regions at North
 - No individual sources are observed
- L. Caccianiga, ICRC'2023

Telescope Array hot spot (5 yrs)

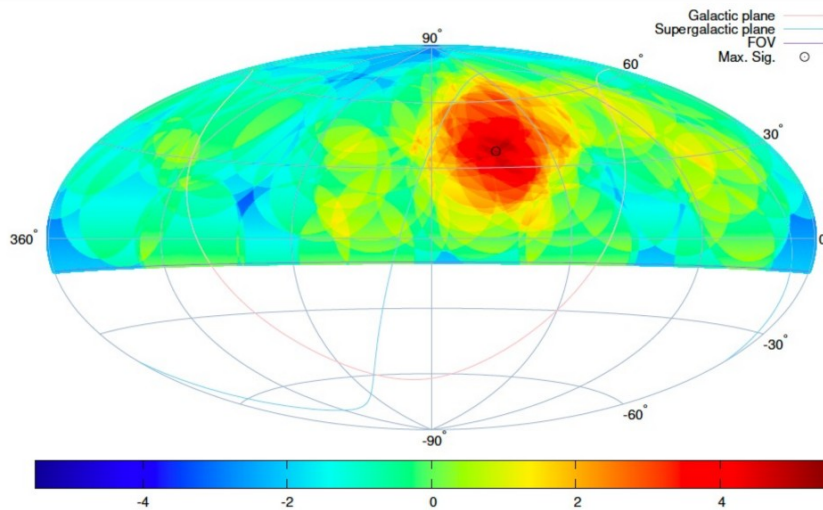
Li-Ma Significance Map with $E \geq 57$ EeV



- 205 events (14-year TA SD data)
- Max local sig.: **5.1 σ** at (144.0°, 40.5°)
 - Obs. : 44 events
 - N_{bg} : 16.9 events
 - } ~160% excess
- Post-trial probability:
 - $P(S_{MC} > 5.1\sigma) = 7.4 \times 10^{-4} \rightarrow$ **3.2 σ**

Telescope Array hot spot (14 yr)

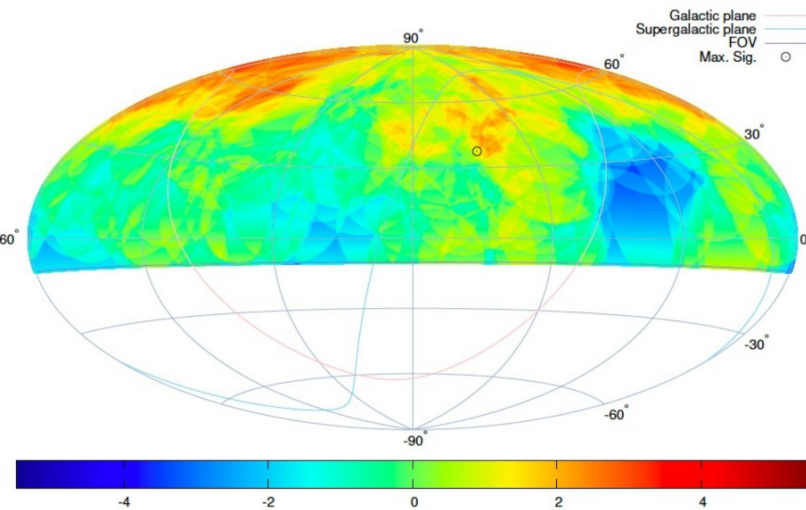
Independent Dataset Analysis



- 72 events (First 5-year)
- **5.0 σ** at (144.0°, 40.5°)

Obs. : 22 events

N_{bg} : 5.2 events

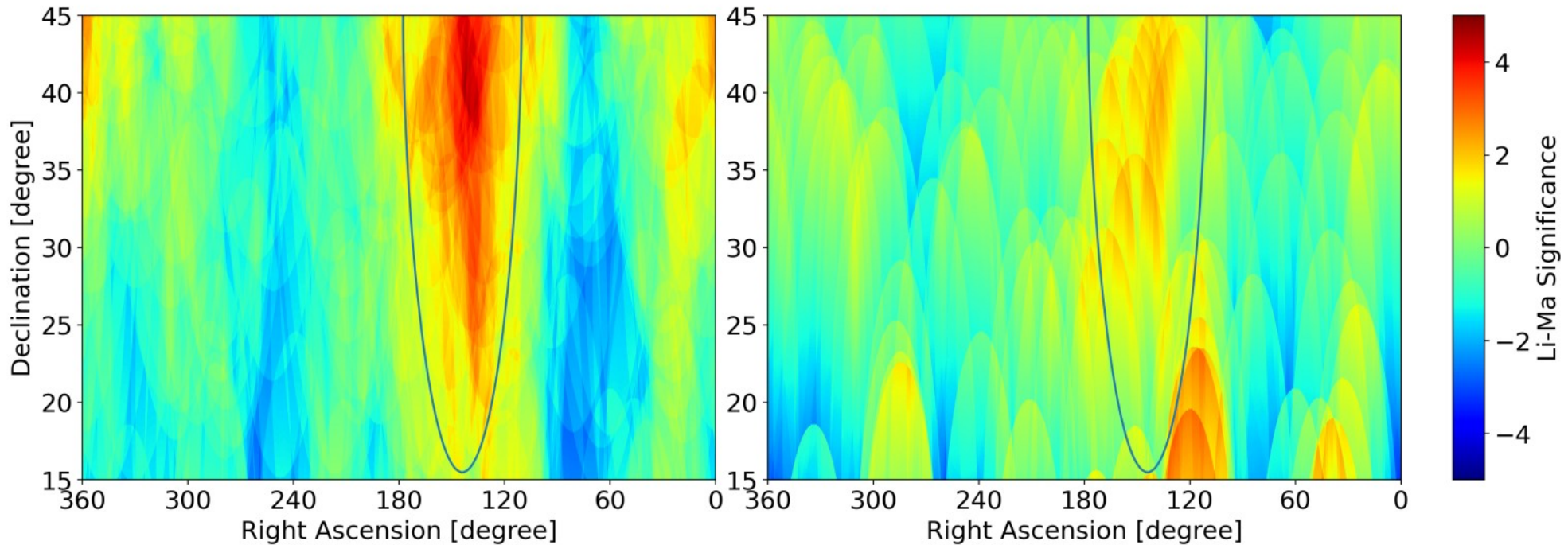


- 133 events (Last 9-year)
- **2.5 σ** at (144.0°, 40.5°)

Obs. : 22 events

N_{bg} : 11.6 events

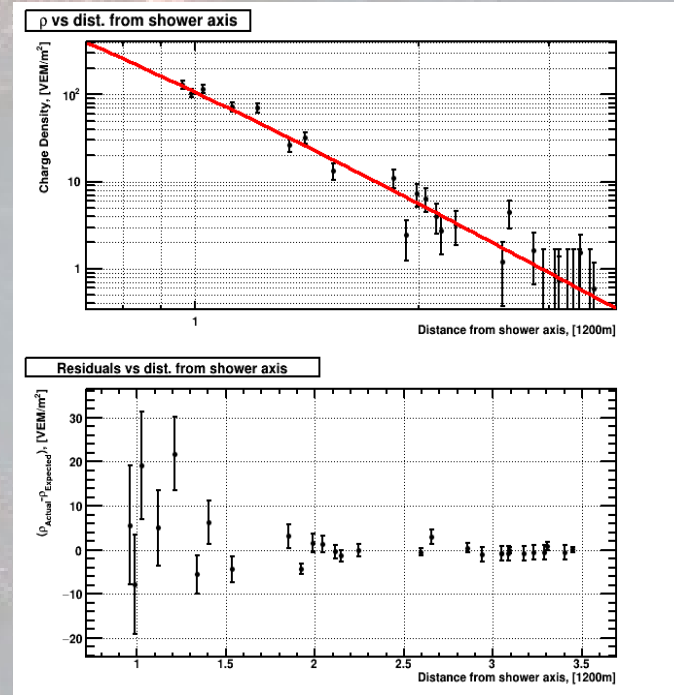
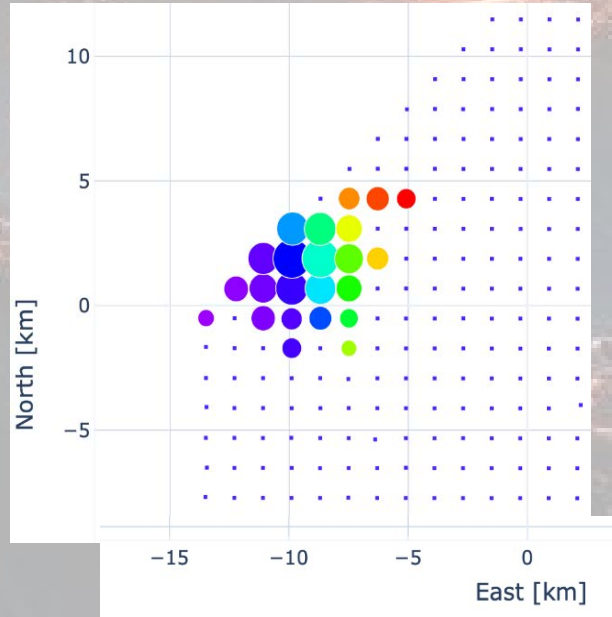
Can Auger see TA hotspot?



TA hotspot observed by TA

TA hotspot as expected to appear
at Auger (highly inclined analysis)

An extreme Energy Event registered by TA SD

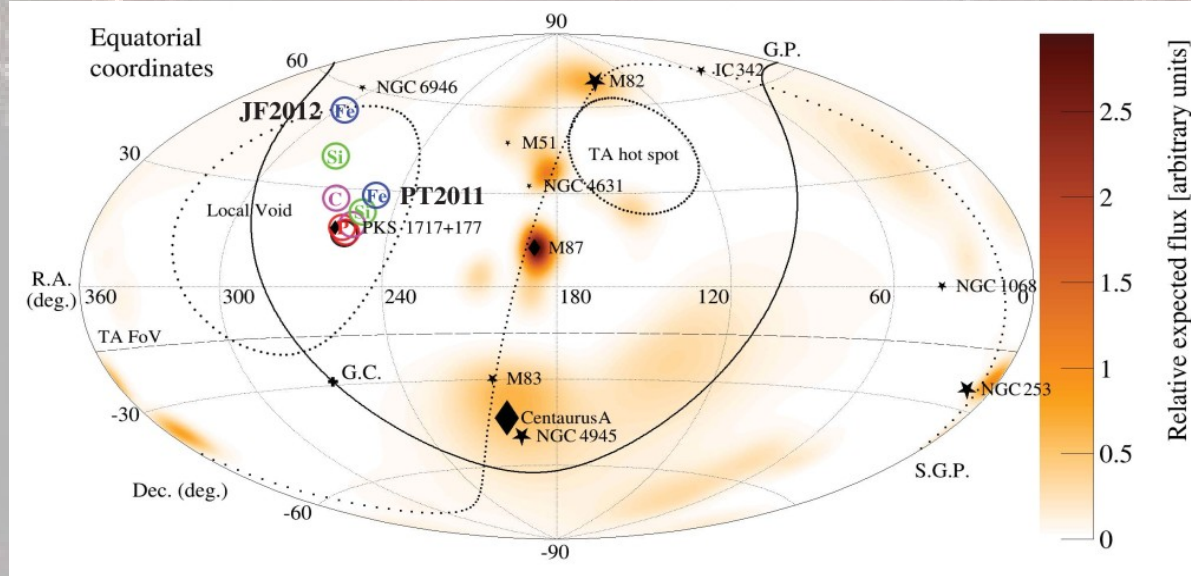


- Observed with TA SD at 10:35:56 on 27 May 2021 (UTC). No FD observation

Science 382, 903–907 (2023).

- $E = 244 \pm 29(\text{stat.}) \pm 51(\text{syst.}) \text{ EeV}$, zenith angle $\theta = 38.6^\circ$

Observation of the event with extremely high energy



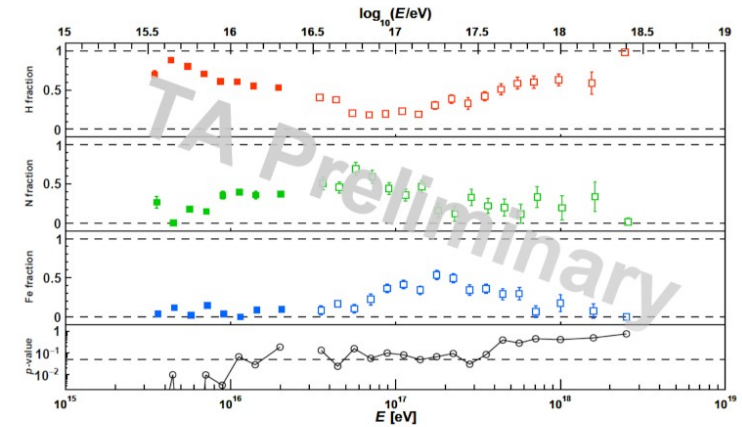
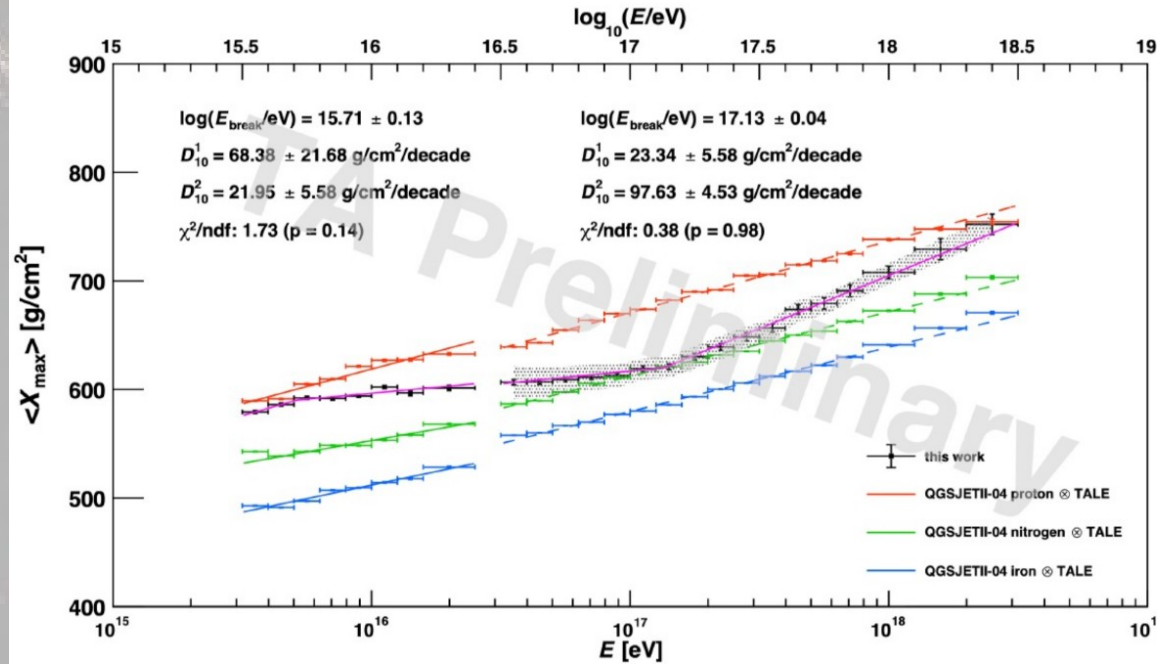
- $E = 2.44 \times 10^{20} \text{ эВ}$
- Event is coming from cosmic void
- Not a gamma-ray
- Primary particle should be a **heavy nuclei**
- The source is closer than 5 Mpc

Telescope Array Collaboration, Science 382, 903–907 (2023).
M. Kuznetsov, JCAP 04 (2024) 042

Состав космических лучей



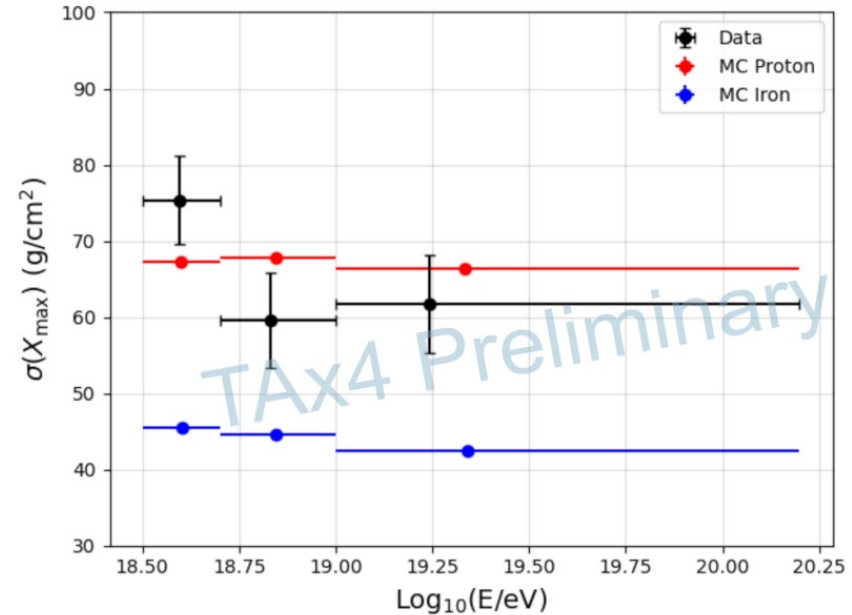
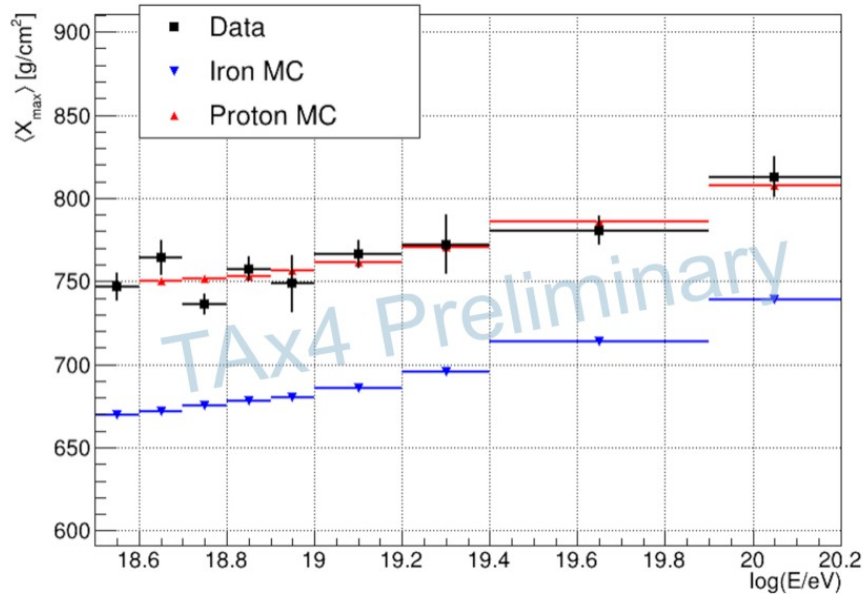
TALE and TALE infill hybrid composition



- Breaks in the $\langle X_{\max} \rangle$ coincide with the knee and second knee.
- $X_{\max}$ distribution fits show a transition from light to heavy composition, peaking near $10^{17.13} \text{ eV}$.
- Further studies with He nuclei, and interaction models EPOS-LHC-R and QGSJET-III are ongoing.

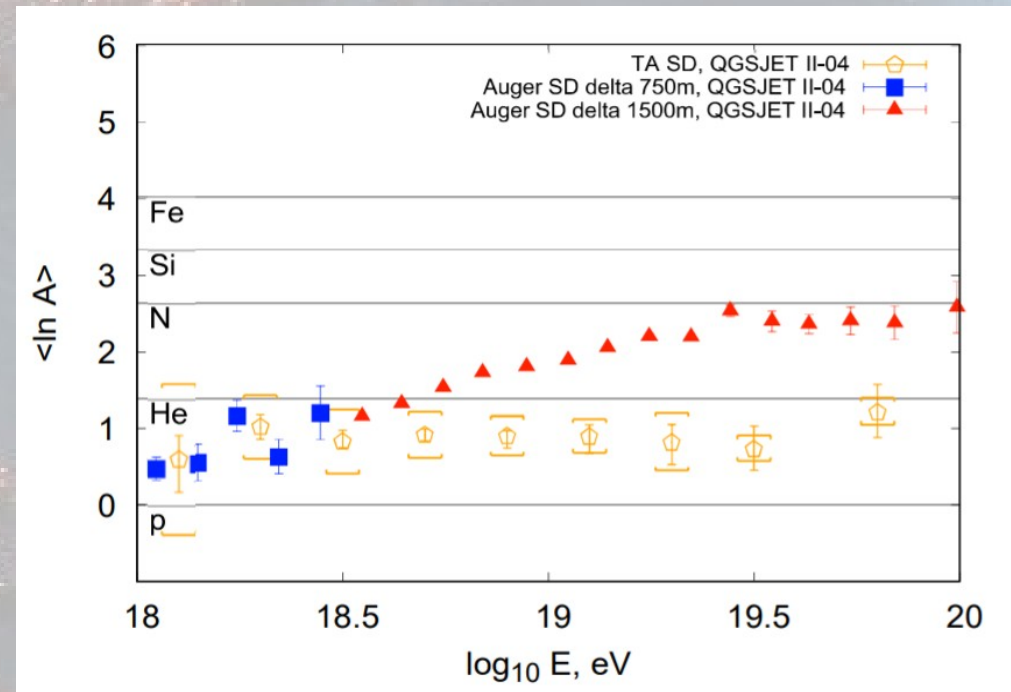
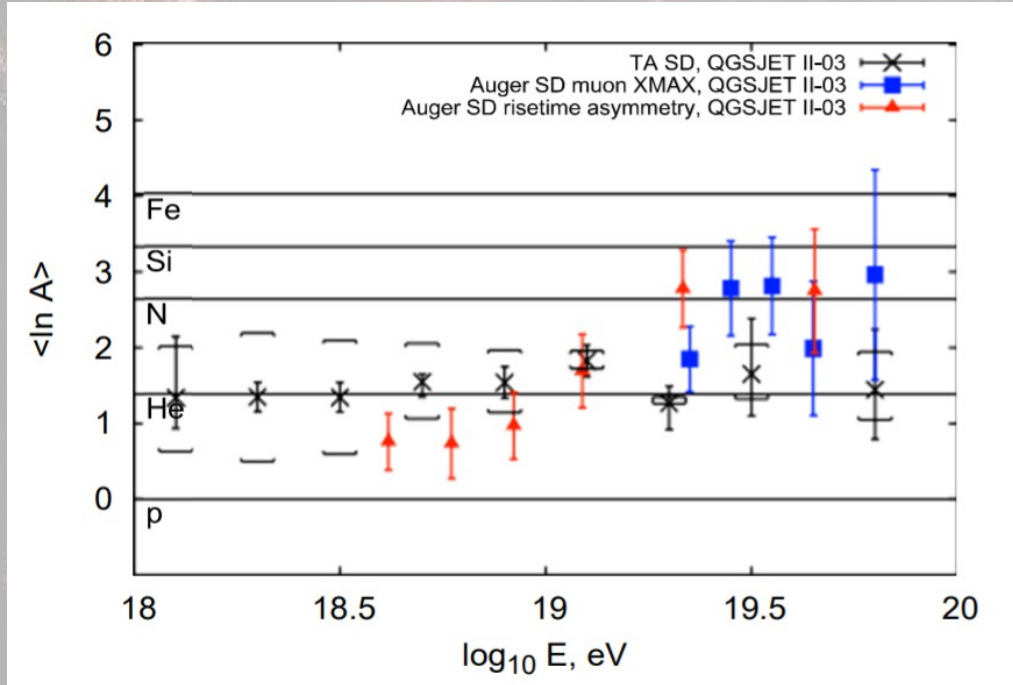
Telescope Array Collaboration,
Phys.Rev.D 113 (2026) 6, 062003

TAx4 hybrid XMAX



- Four years of TAx4 Hybrid data were compared to MC simulations of single-element primary distributions using the QGSIIJet-03 hadronic interaction model.
- The data are consistent with MC protons in both absolute scale and elongation rate.
- $\sigma(X_{\max})$ is less model-dependent, but requires large statistics to measure reliably.

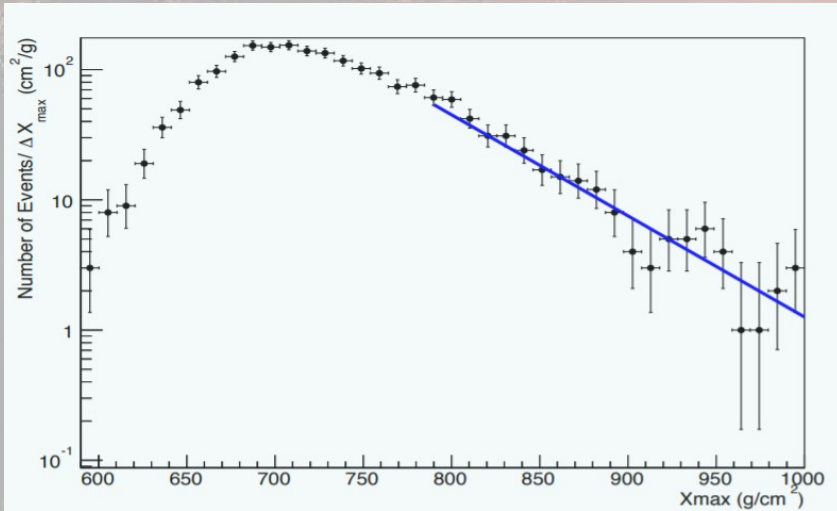
Primary composition



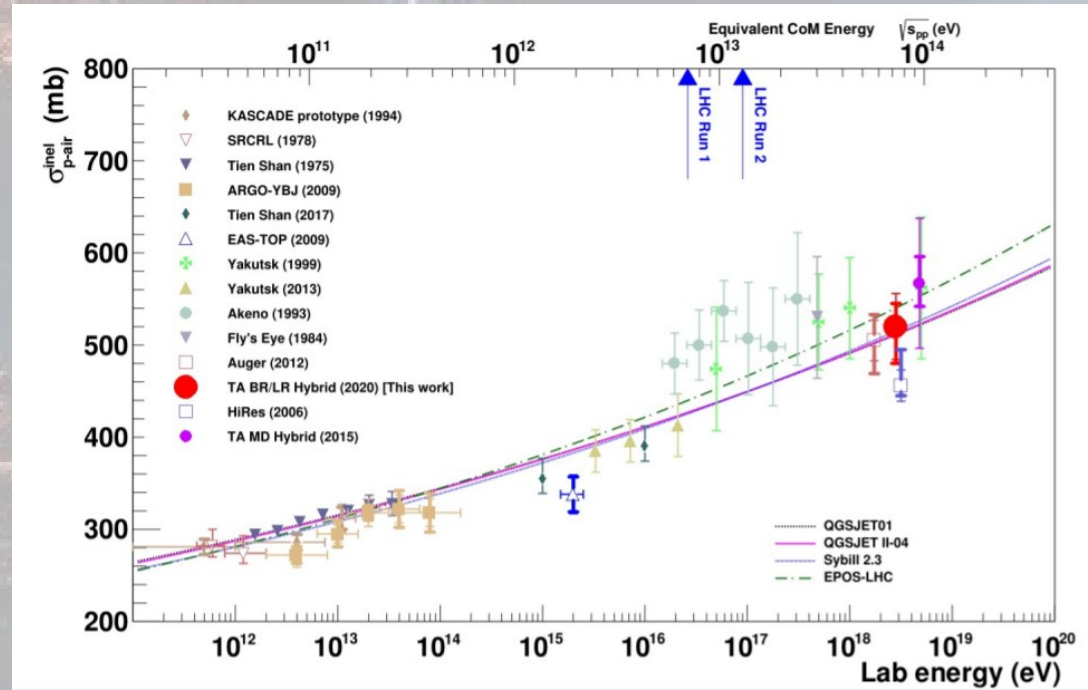
Machine learning technique based on Boosted decision trees

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TA proton-air cross-section



Measuring XMAX attenuation length in hybrid mode.



TA Collaboration, Phys. Rev. D 102 (2020) 062004

Recent Results from LHAASO on Cosmic Rays

Zhiyong You (游智勇) IHEP
On behalf of the LHAASO collaboration

39th All-Russian conference on cosmic rays, Dubna, Russia, June 2026

- **Location:** Mt. Haizi, Sichuan, China (N 29°21, E 100° 8')
- **Altitude:** 4410 m a.s.l. (600 g/cm²)
- **Construction period:** 2017-2021 (four years)
- **318 researchers from >30 institutes of 5 countries**



Before construction (2016-11)

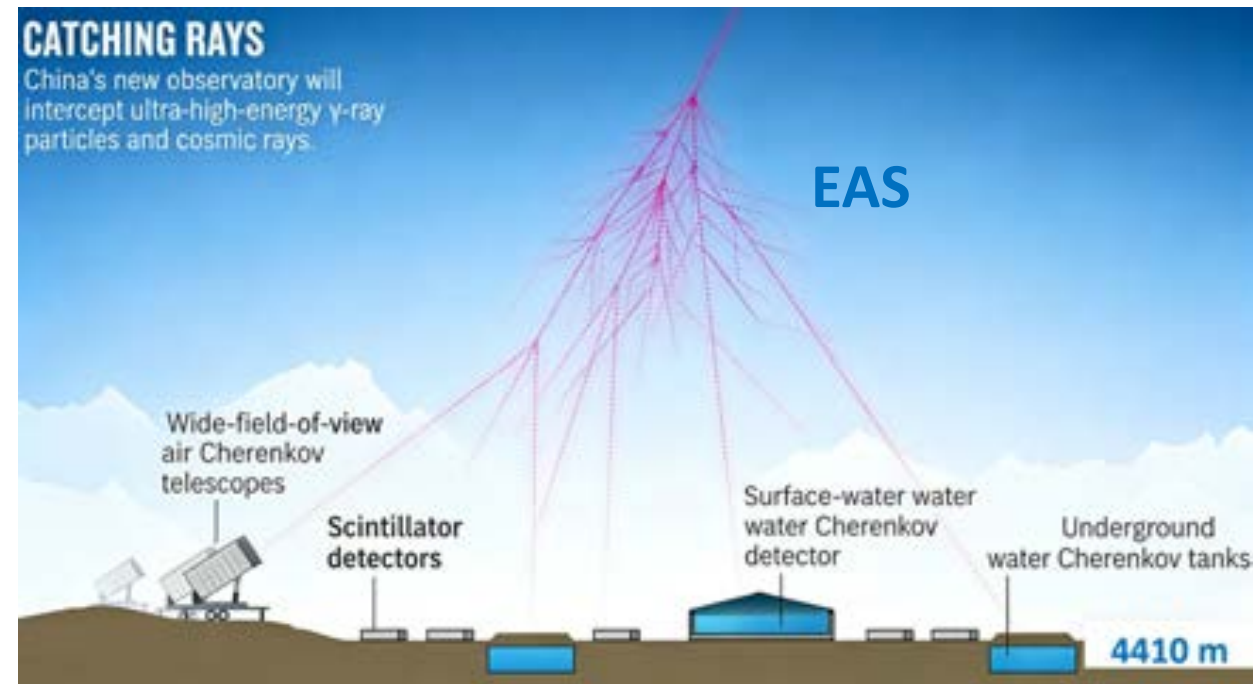


Under construction (2018-10)



After construction (2025-8)





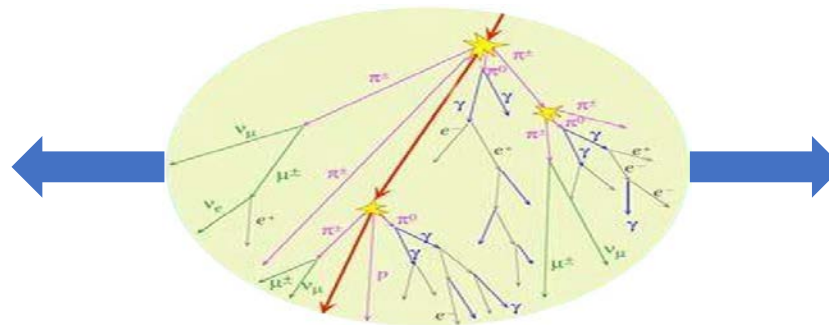
WFCTA

- Cherenkov photons

Hybrid Detection of EAS

WCDA KM2A

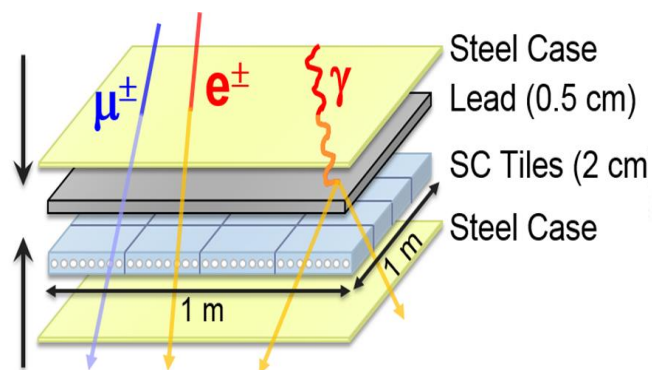
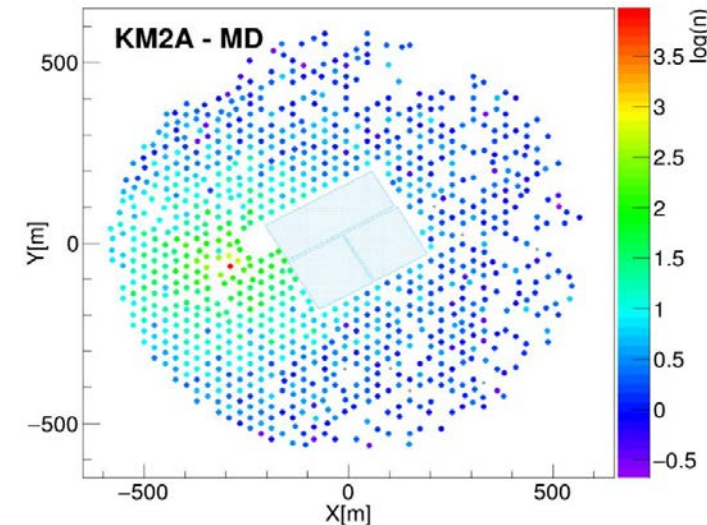
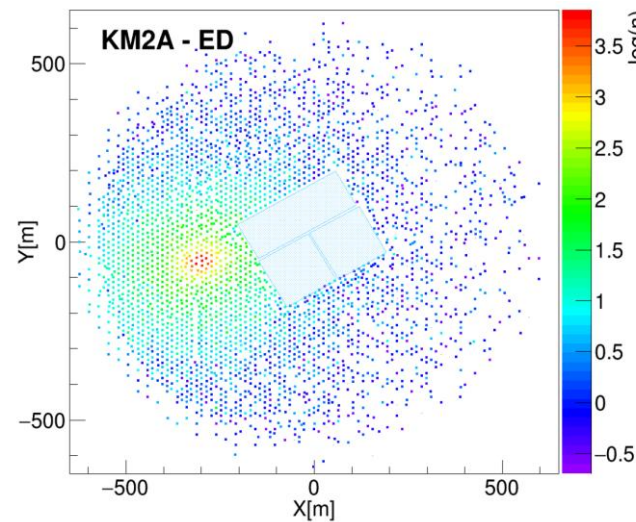
- Gamma rays, e^+, e^-
- Hadrons, muons



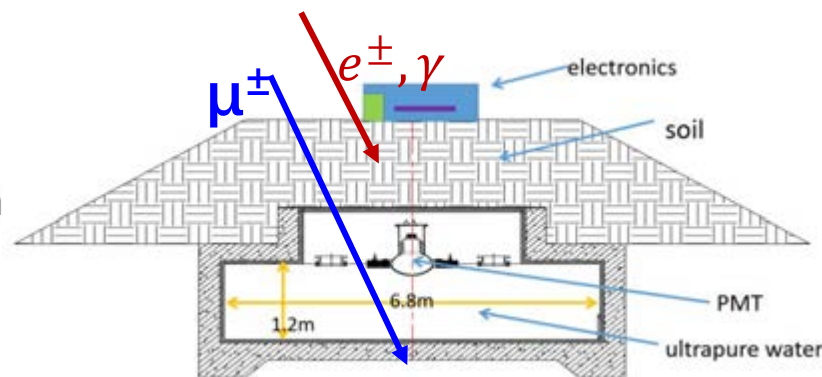
- Longitudinal development **WFCTA**

- Lateral distribution **WCDA KM2A**

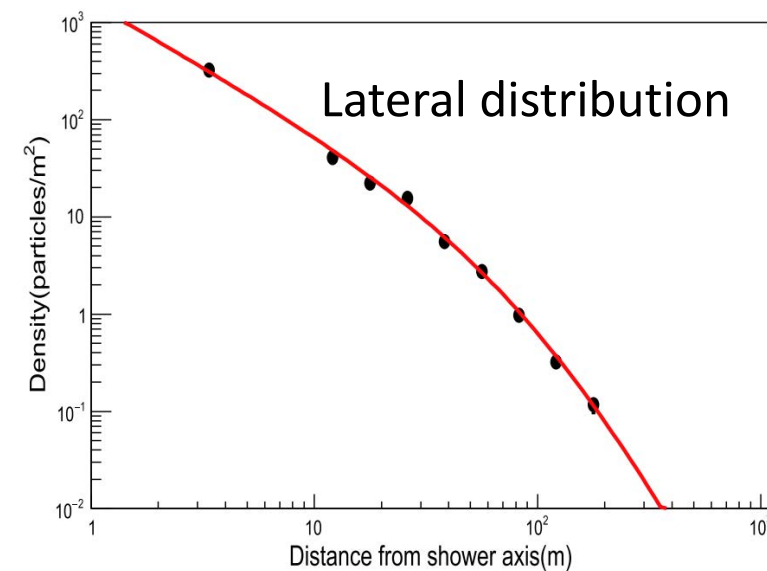
KM2A



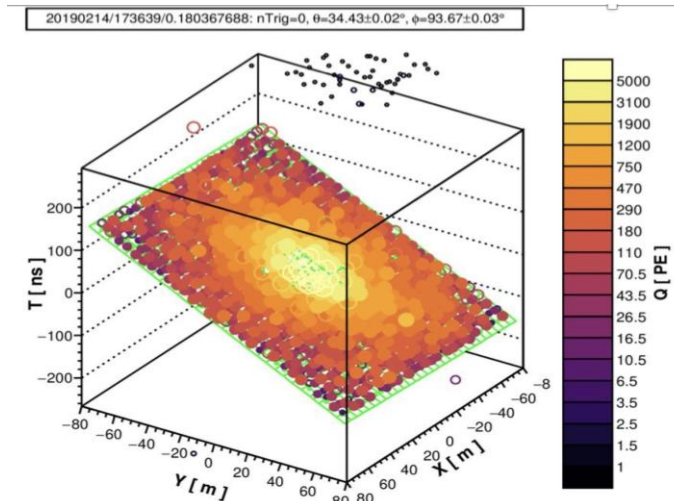
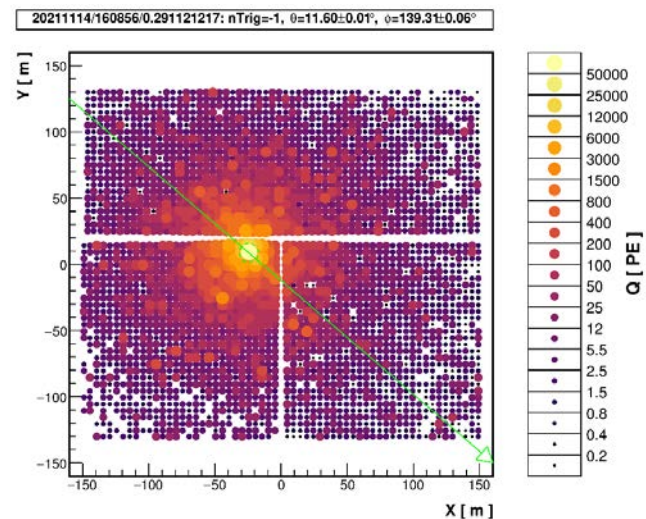
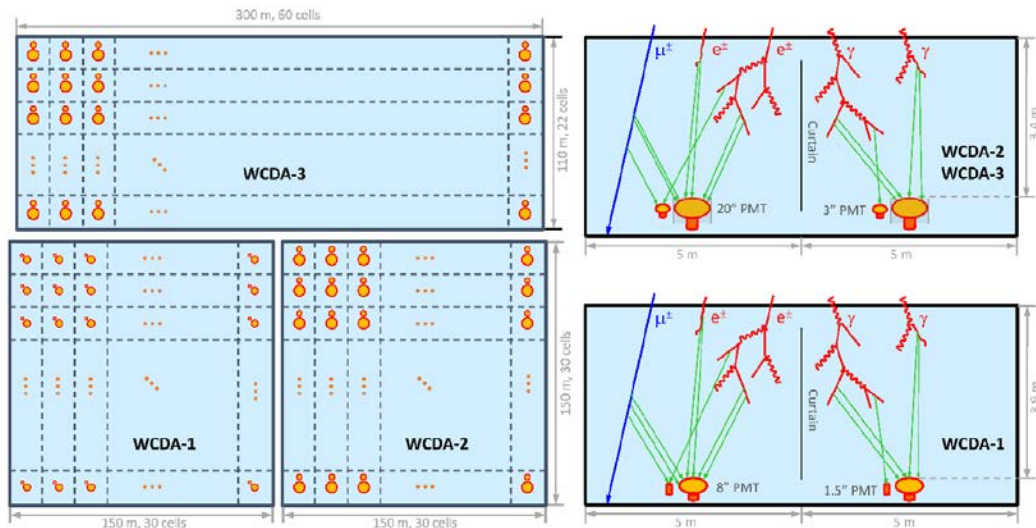
Electromagnetic Detector (5216 EDs):
Spacing: 15m; Area: 1 m² each



Muon Detector (1188 MDs):
Spacing: 30m; Area: 36 m² each



WCDA

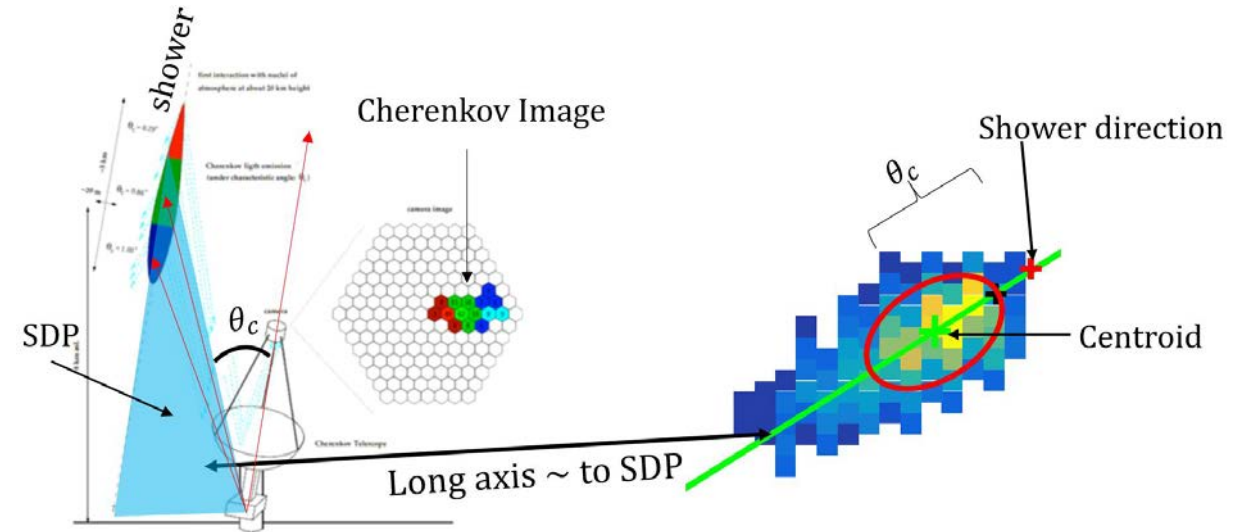
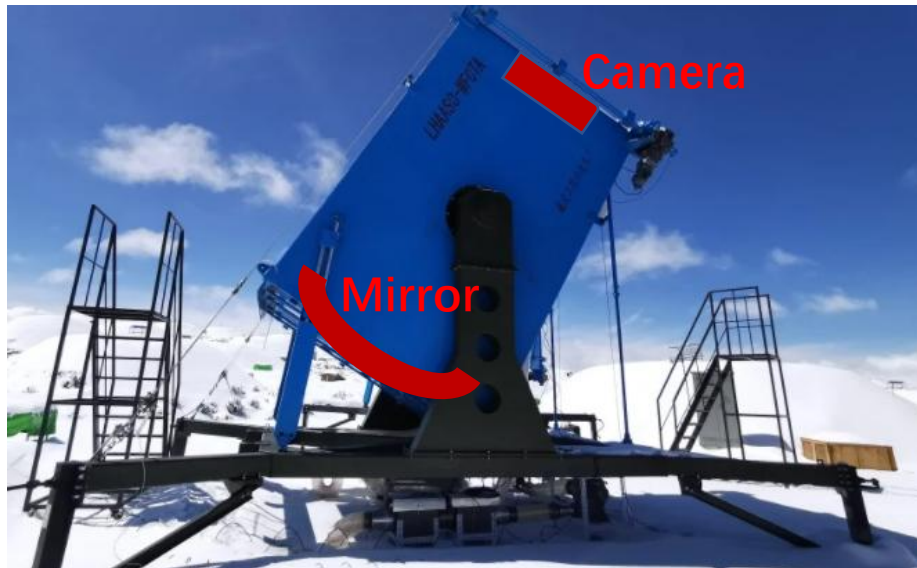


For cosmic rays at lower energy

- Total area: $78,000 \text{ m}^2$
- Detection unit: $5 \times 5 \text{ m}$
- Threshold: hundreds GeV

Measure the arrival time, signal intensity, and spatial distribution of secondary particles

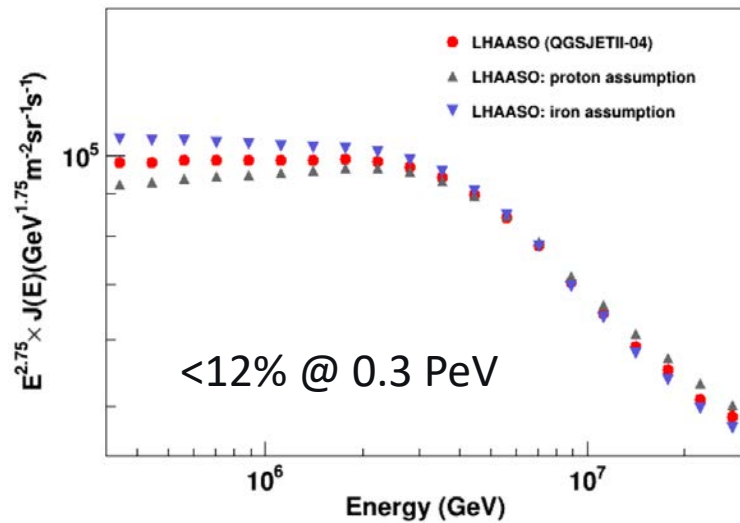
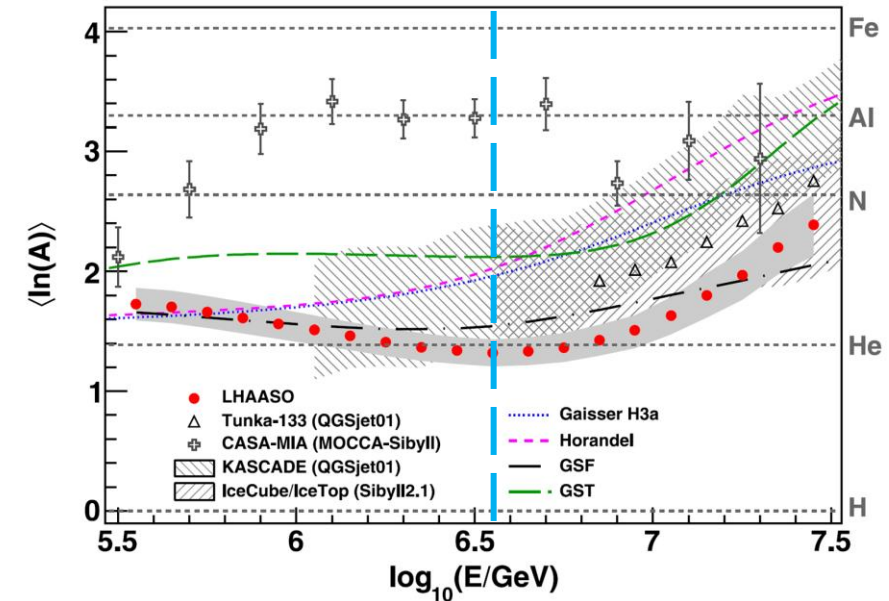
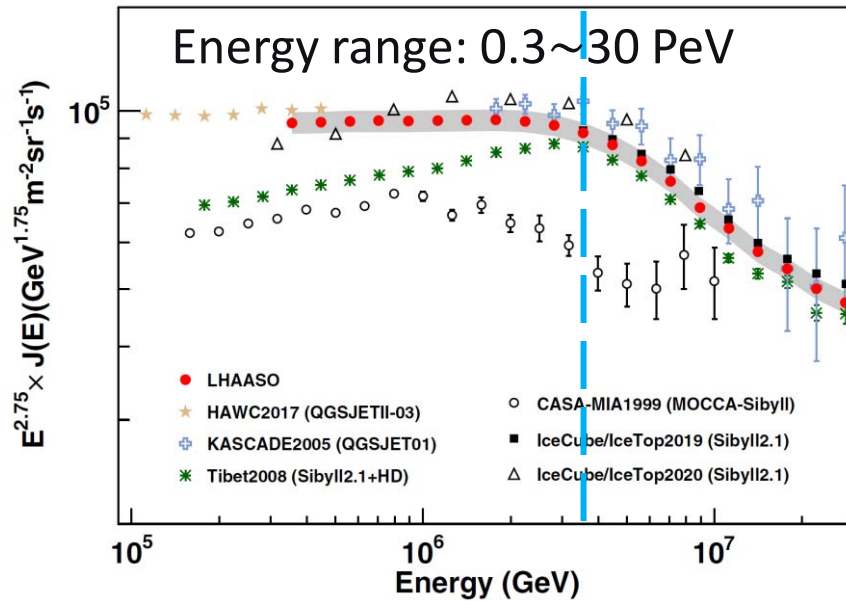
WFCTA



LHAASO-WFCTA measures the longitudinal development of the EAS

- **Cherenkov photons** are collected by mirrors onto the camera
- The **long axis of Cherenkov image** corresponds to a plane containing the shower axis and the telescope
- Along the long axis, **different SiPMs measure** Cherenkov photons originating from **different air depths**

Cosmic ray energy spectra measured by LHAASO



➤ Small uncertainties:

- Composition assumption: **<12%** for pure proton/iron assumptions
- Interaction model: **2.5%** (QGSJETII-04, EPOS-LHC and SIBYLL-2.3d)

➤ Precise results:

- Knee position: **$3.67 \pm 0.05 \pm 0.15$ PeV**
- Composition: shows a clear correlation between the flux and the composition in the knee region

Composition-sensitive parameter

$$N_{\mu} \propto A^{1-\beta} \left(\frac{E_0}{1 \text{ PeV}} \right)^{\beta}$$

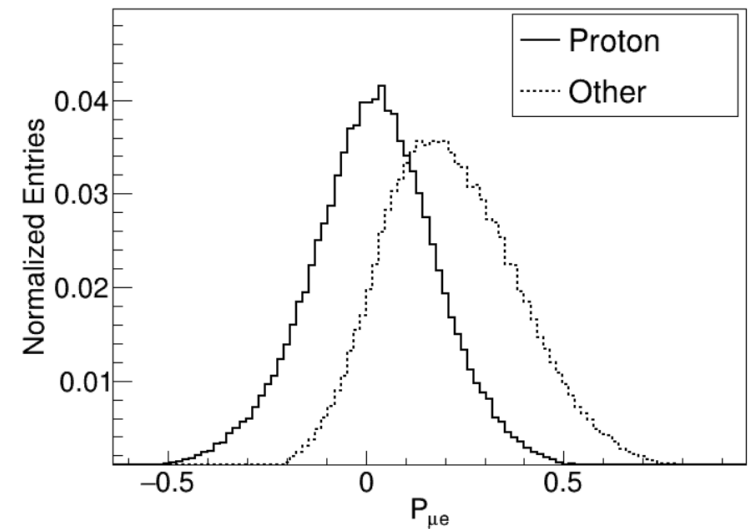
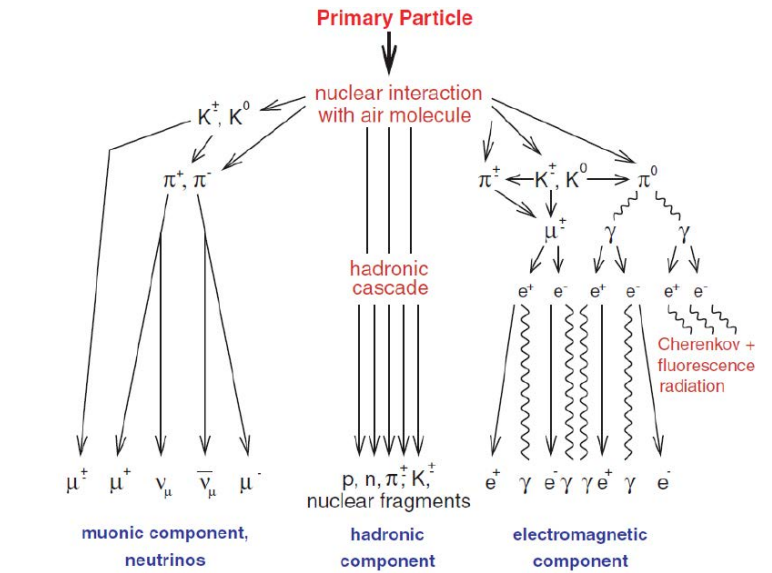
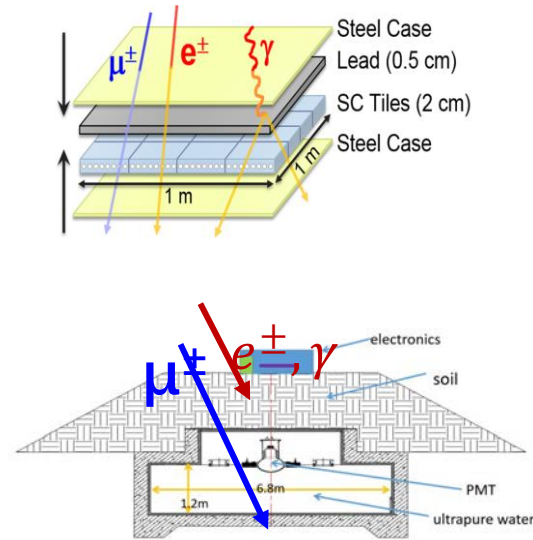
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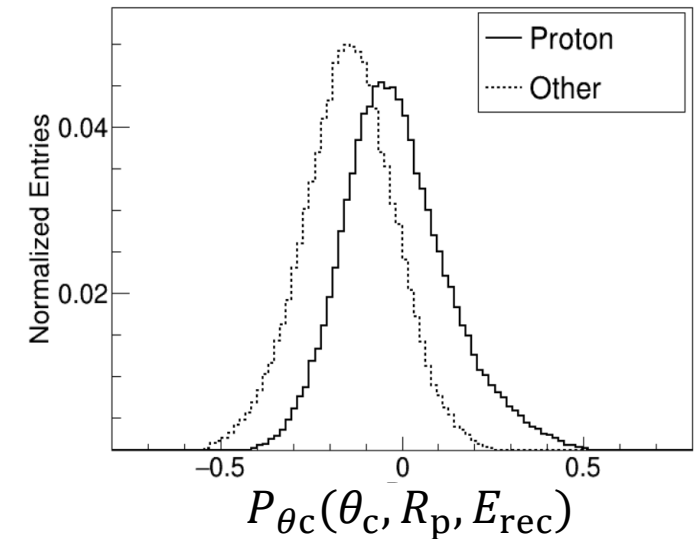
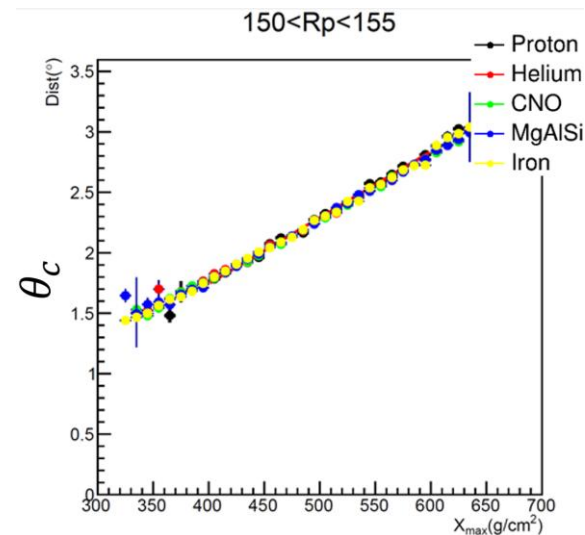
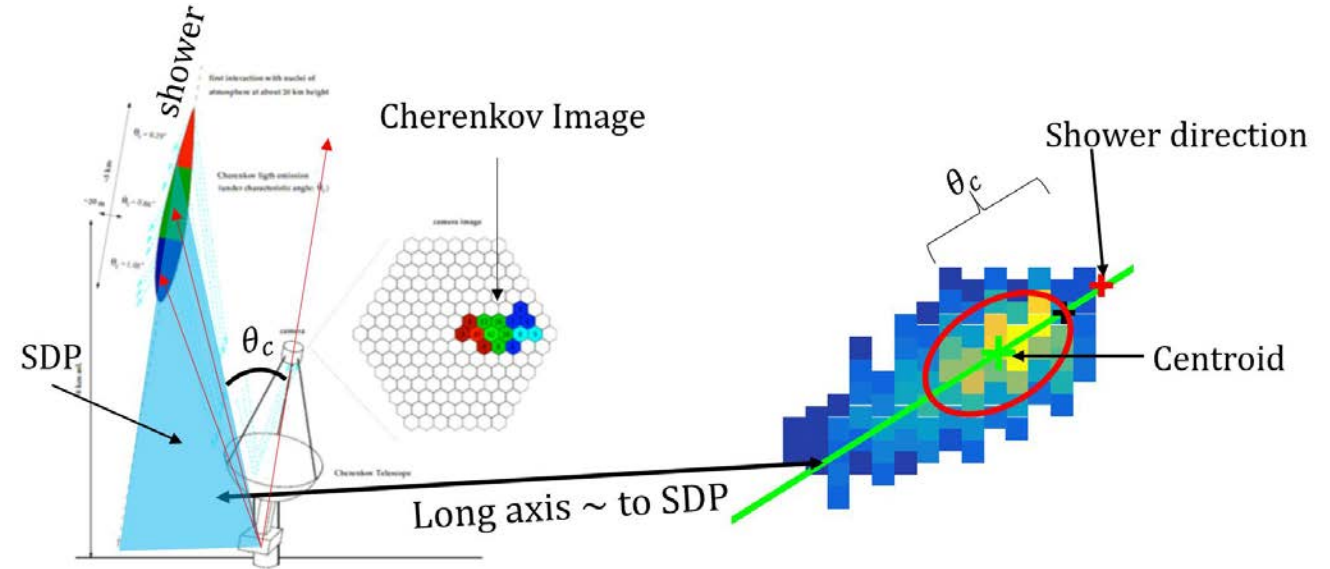
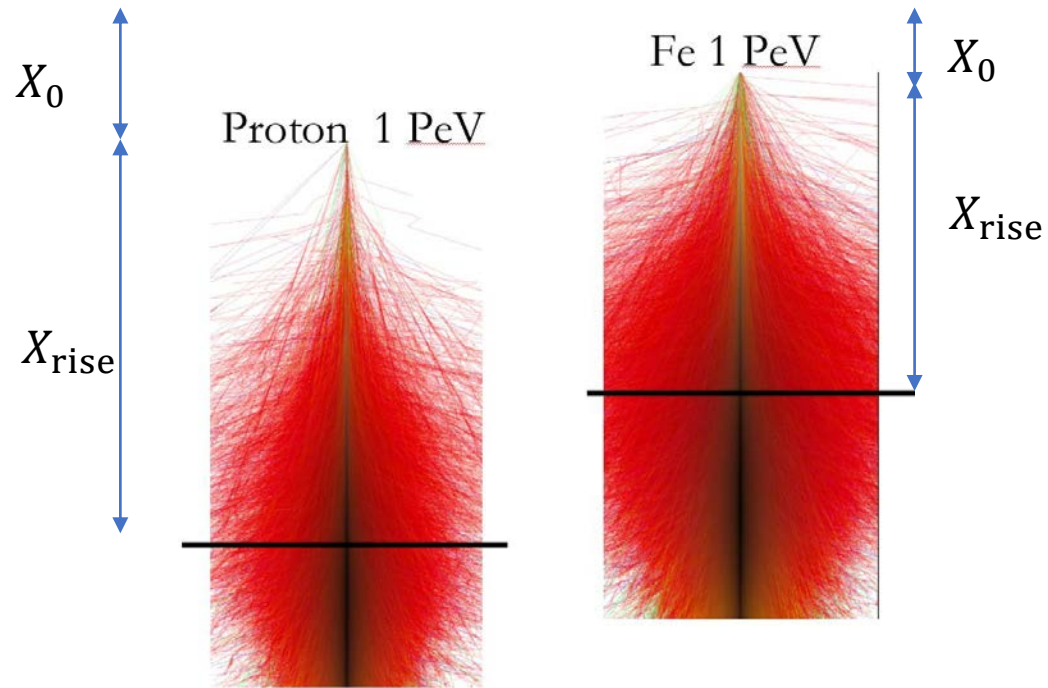
- N_{μ} : number of muons measured by MDs
- N_e : number of EM particles measured by EDs



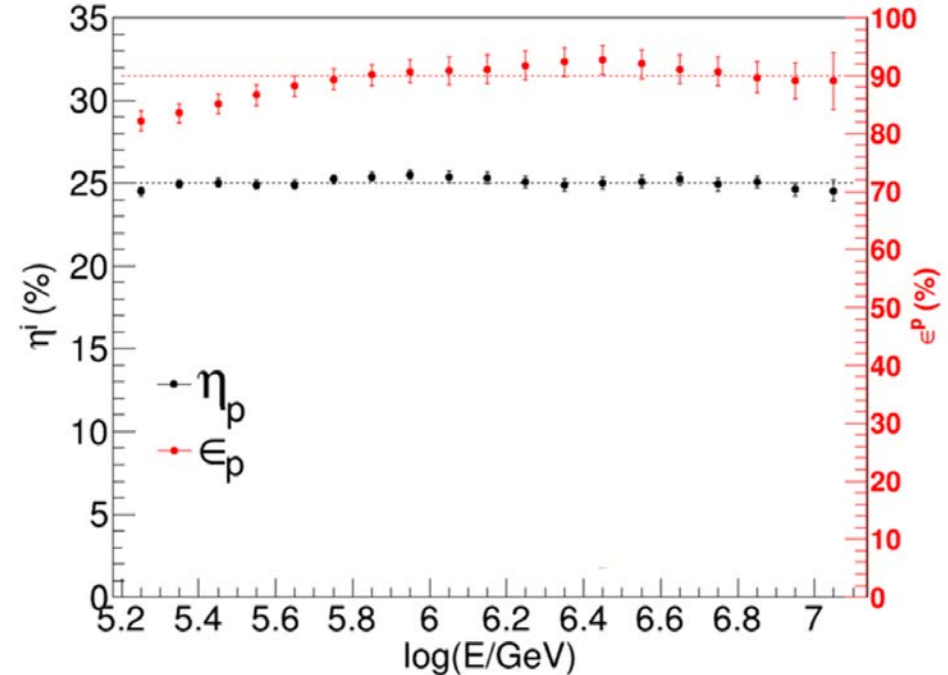
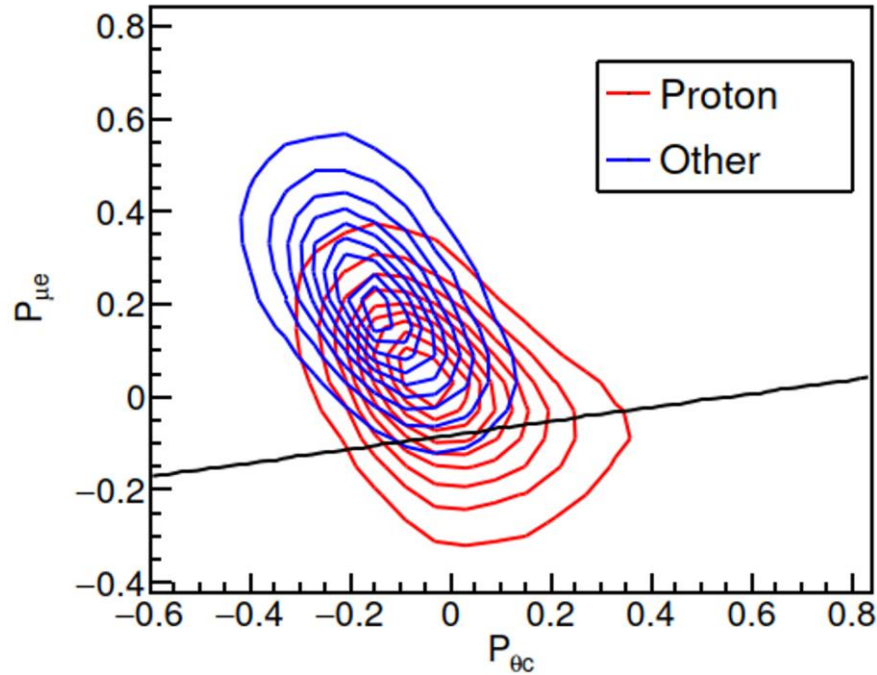
Composition-sensitive parameter

Longitudinal development: At the same energy, proton showers develop deeper

$$X_{\max} = X_0 + X_{\text{rise}}$$



Proton selection

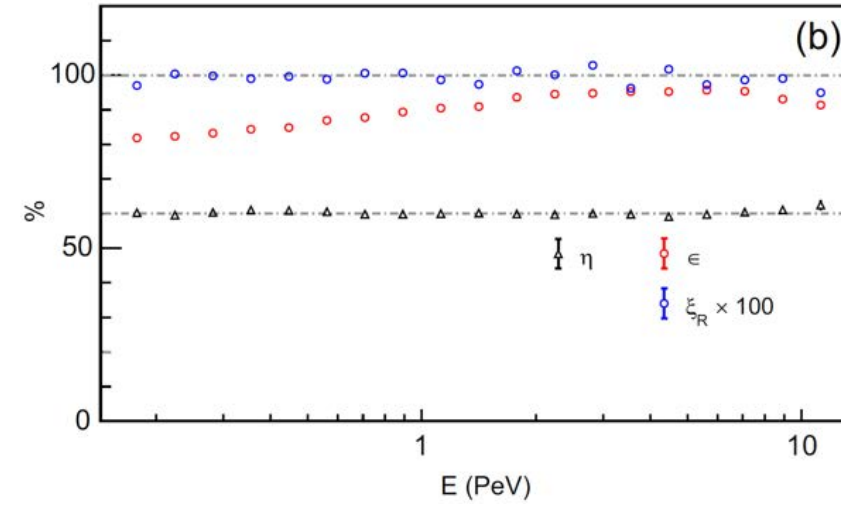
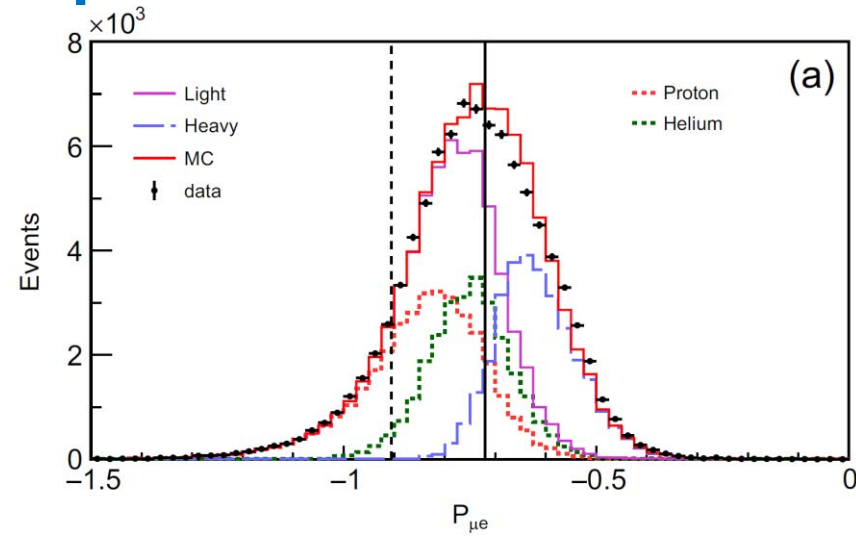


Combine $P_{\mu e}$ and $P_{\theta c}$ to select proton events:

- Selection efficiency: $\eta_P = \frac{N_S^P}{N_0^P} \sim \mathbf{25\%}$
- Proton purity: $\epsilon_P = \frac{N_S^P}{N_S^{\text{All}}} \approx \frac{N_S^P}{N_S^P + N_S^{\text{He}}} \sim \mathbf{90\%}(>500\text{TeV})$

Main pollution: Helium events

Light component selection



Helium lies between protons and heavy events, difficult to select high-purity helium sample

Calculation of the helium spectrum:

$$F_{He} = F_L - F_P$$

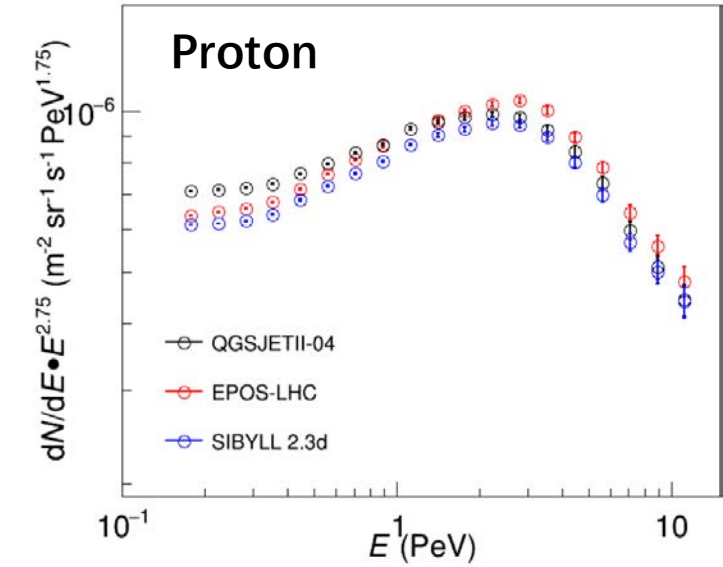
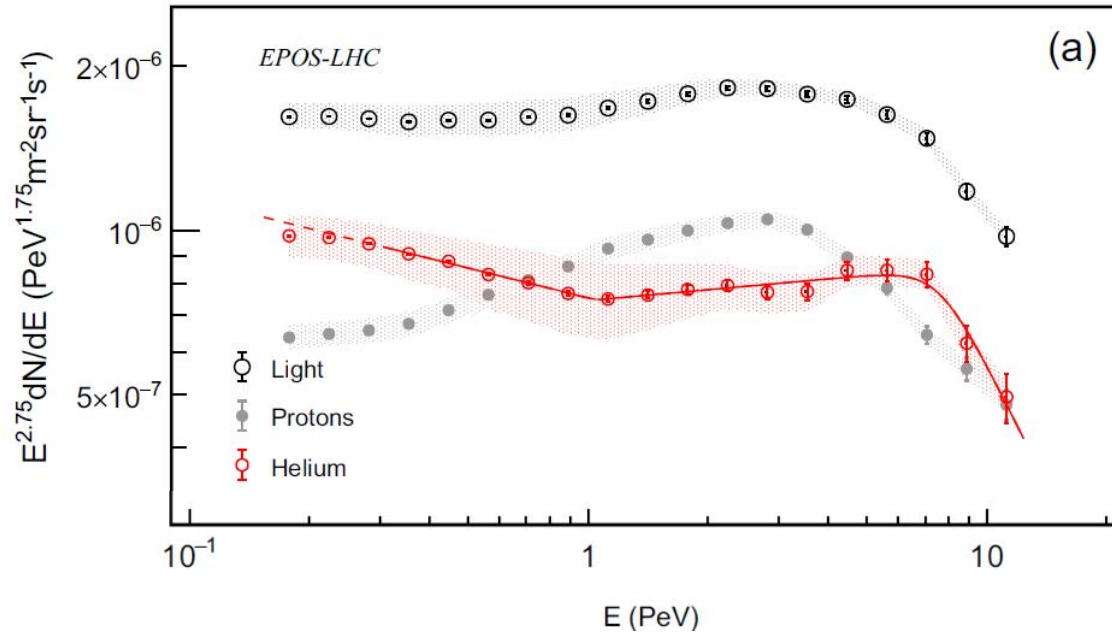
F_L : spectrum of light component

F_P : proton spectrum

Based on the fact that the proton-to-helium ratio does not change before and after selection

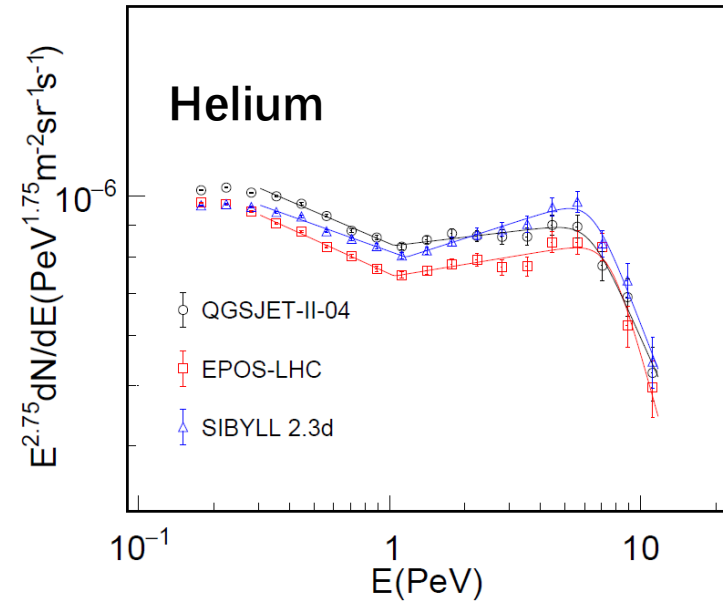
High-purity light component sample:

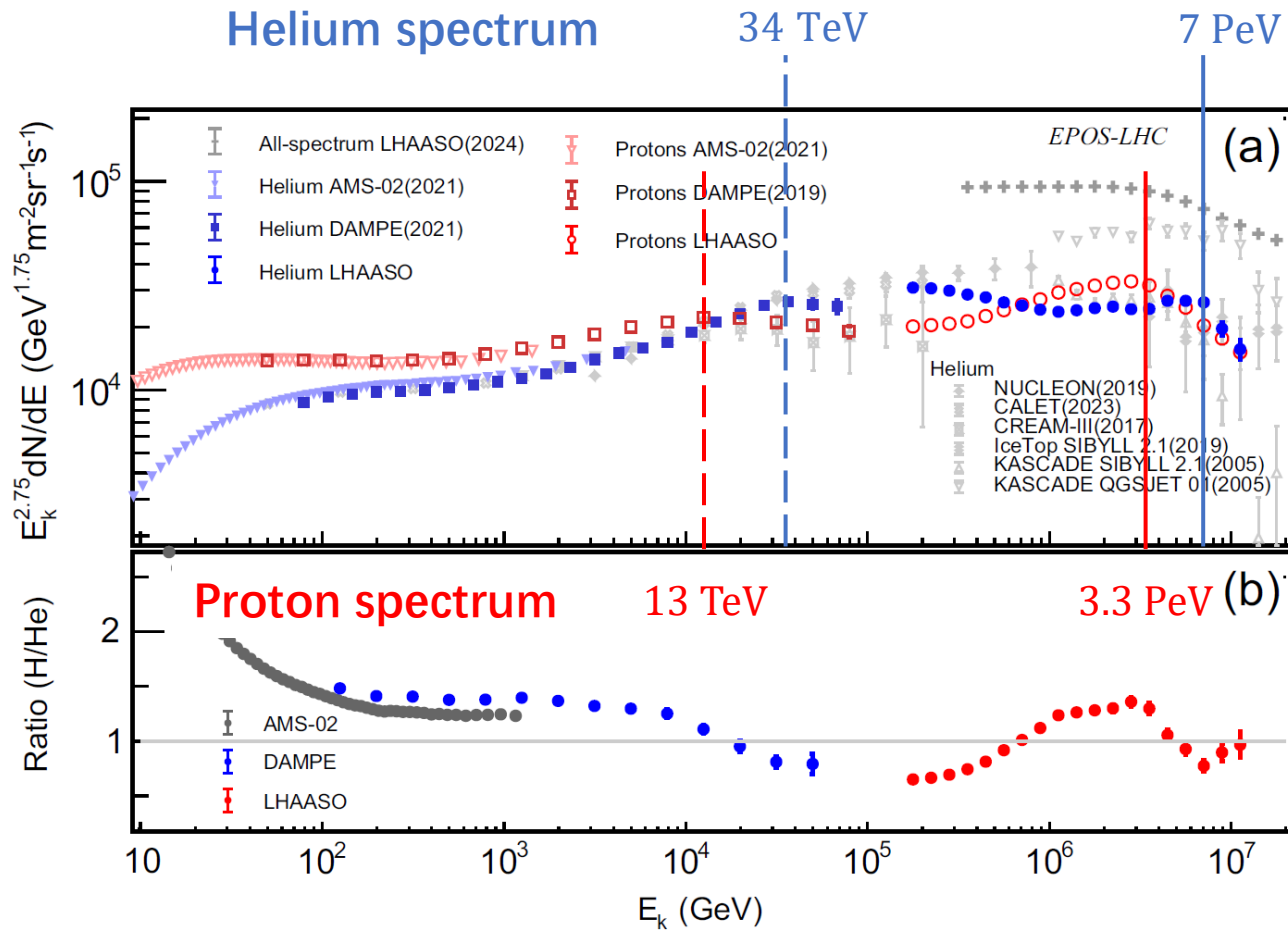
- Selection efficiency: $\eta_L \sim 60\%$
- Light component purity: $\epsilon_L > 80\%$
- After selection, the proton-to-helium ratio remains unchanged: $\xi_R \sim 1$



Systematic uncertainties

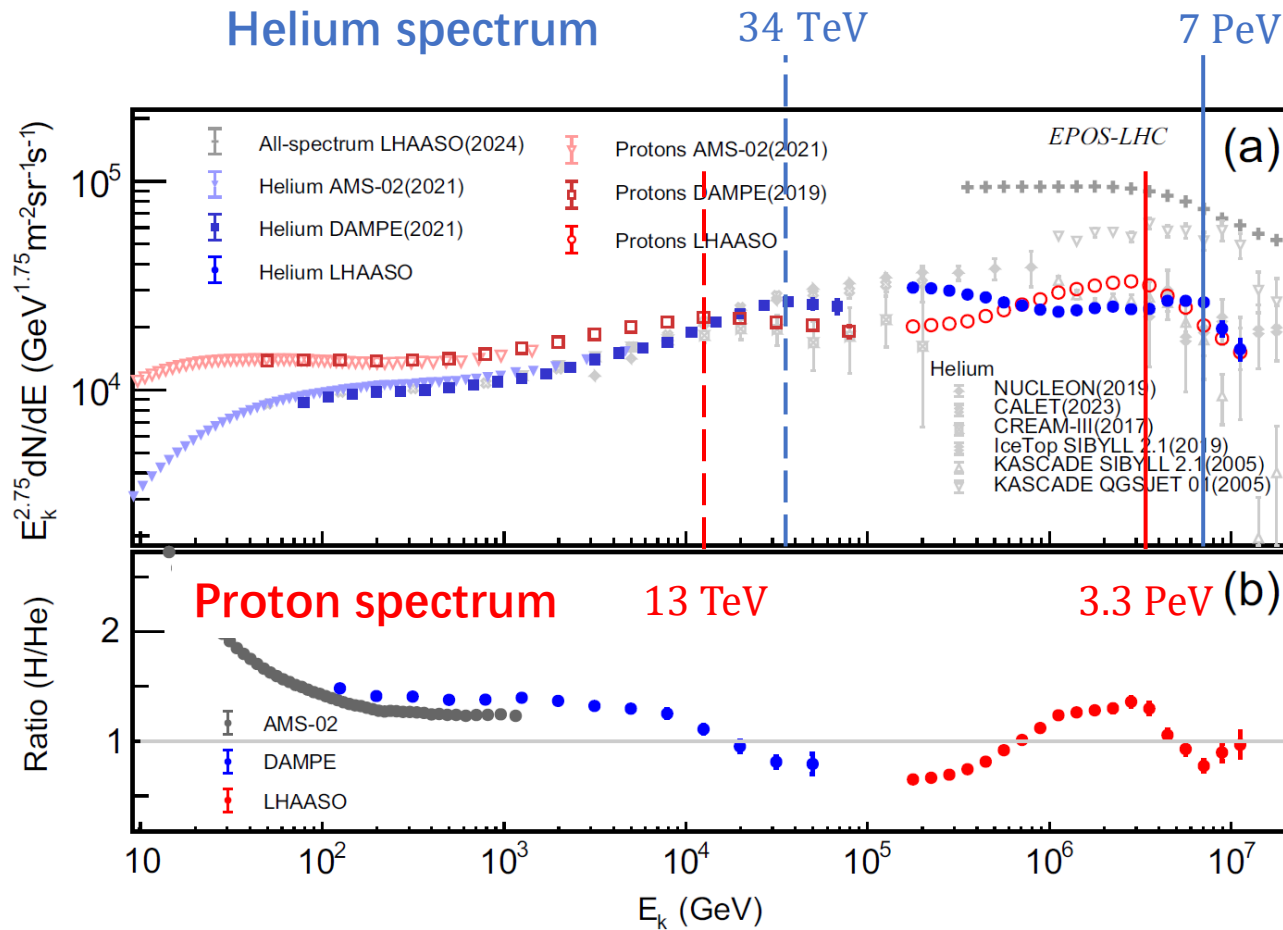
	Proton	Helium	Light
Calibration (pressure, humidity, bkg light)	2.5%	4.7%	3%
Composition models	2% @ 3 PeV	5% @ 6 PeV	2% @ 6 PeV
Selection efficiency	2.5%	2%	1%
Hadronic interaction	12% @ 3 PeV	15% @ 6 PeV	3% @ 6 PeV





Multiple components in energy spectra

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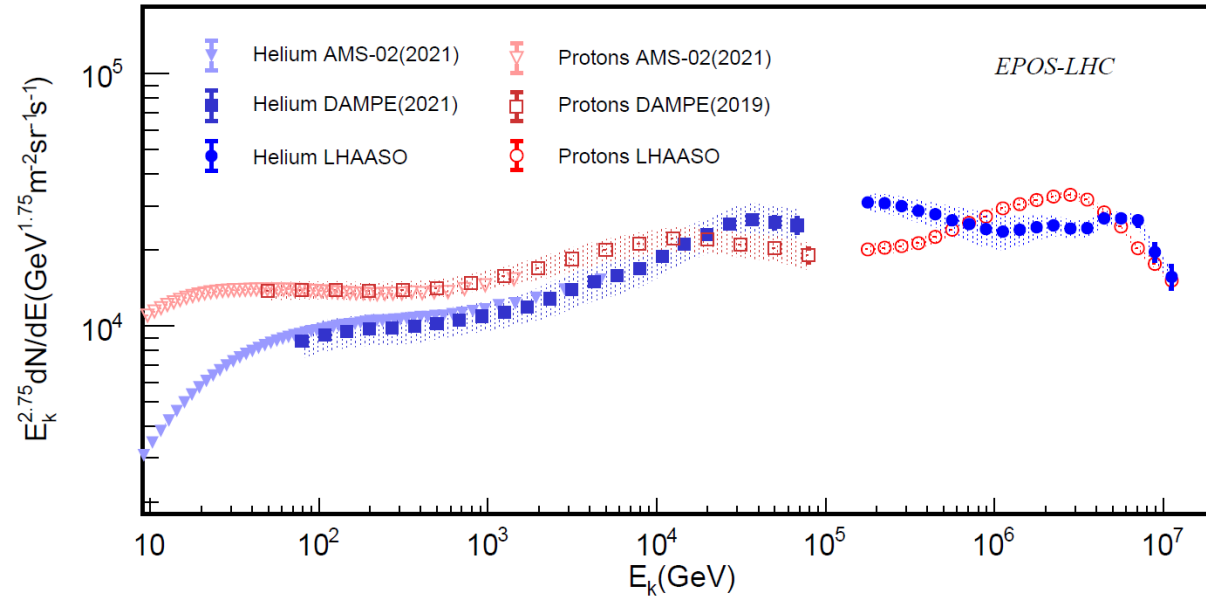
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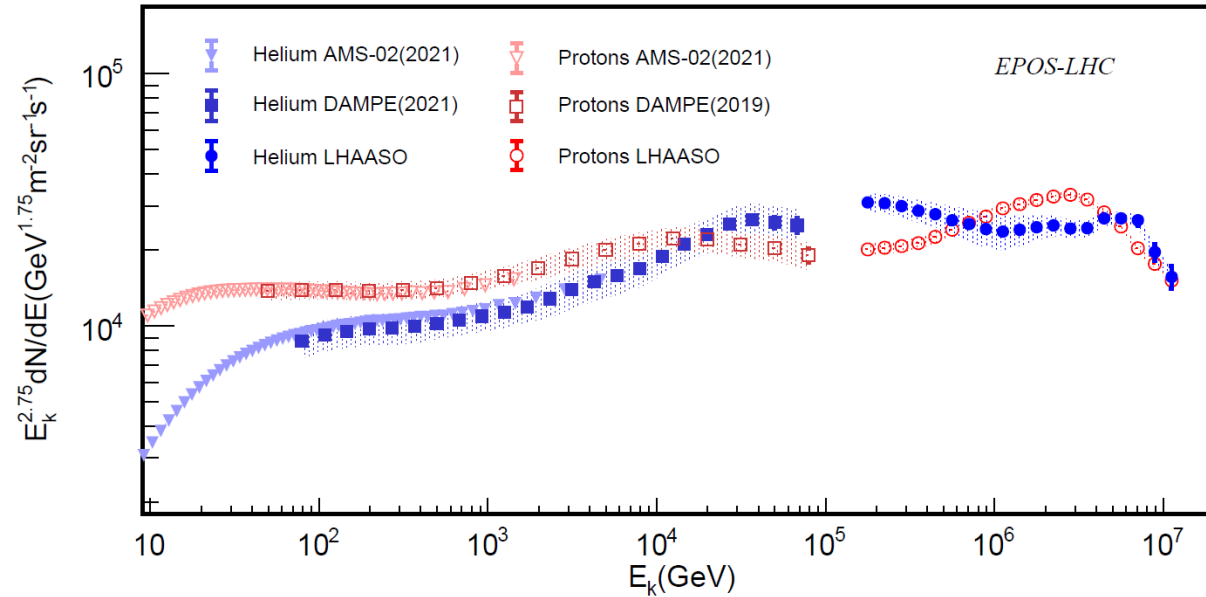
- He-rich $\sim 0.1 \text{ PeV}$
- Proton-rich $\sim 3 \text{ PeV}$
- The all-particle knee (3.67 PeV) is very close to the proton knee

Spectral Results from Space Experiments and LHAASO



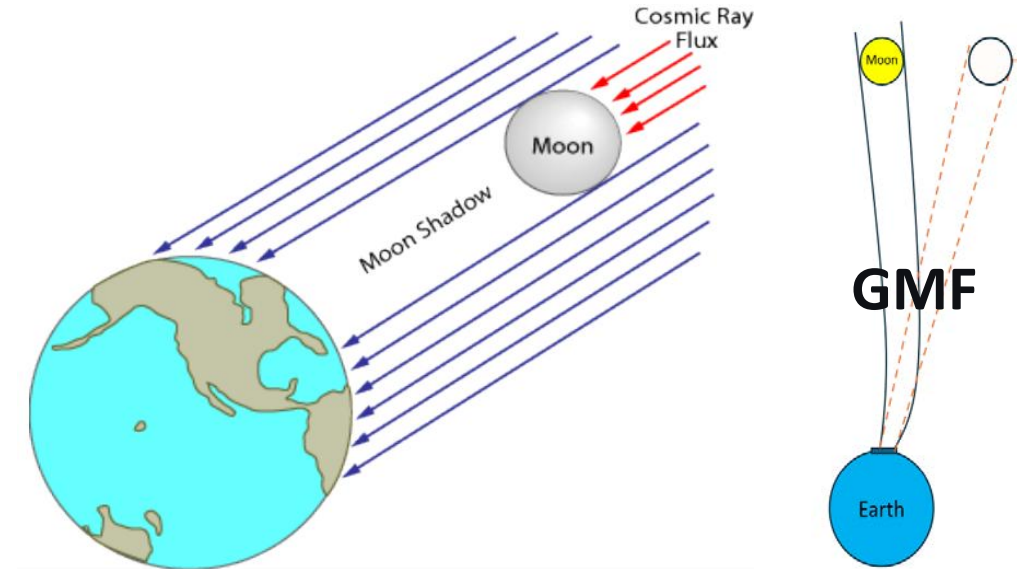
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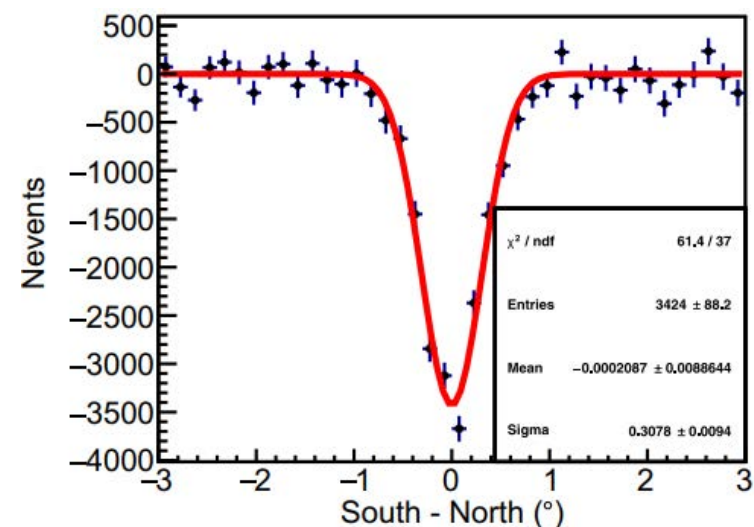
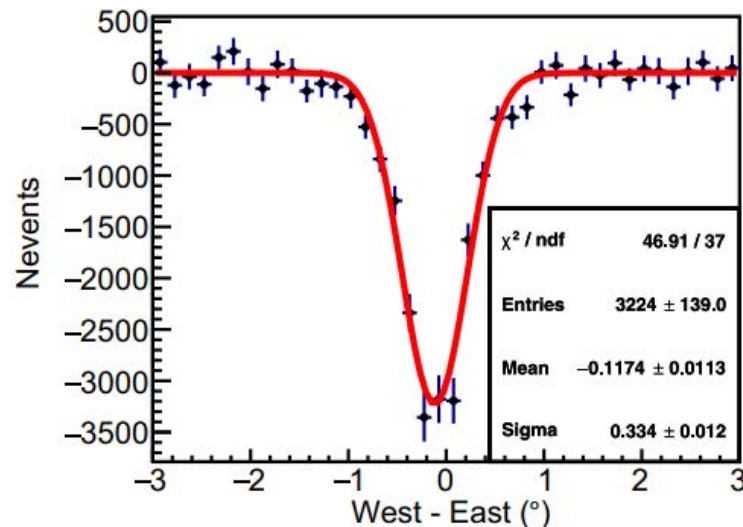
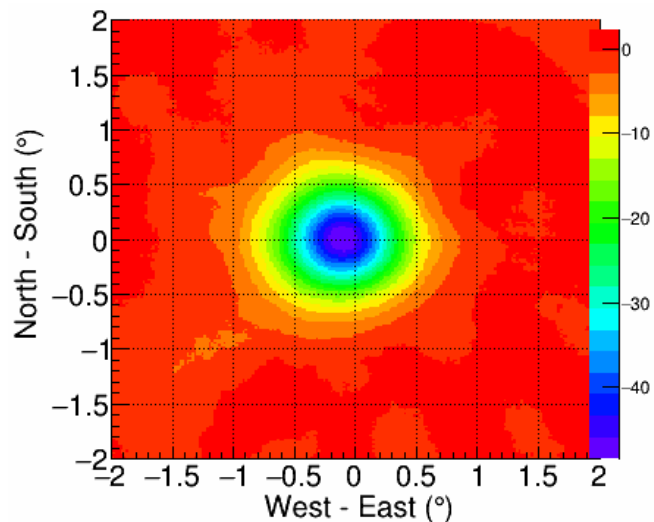
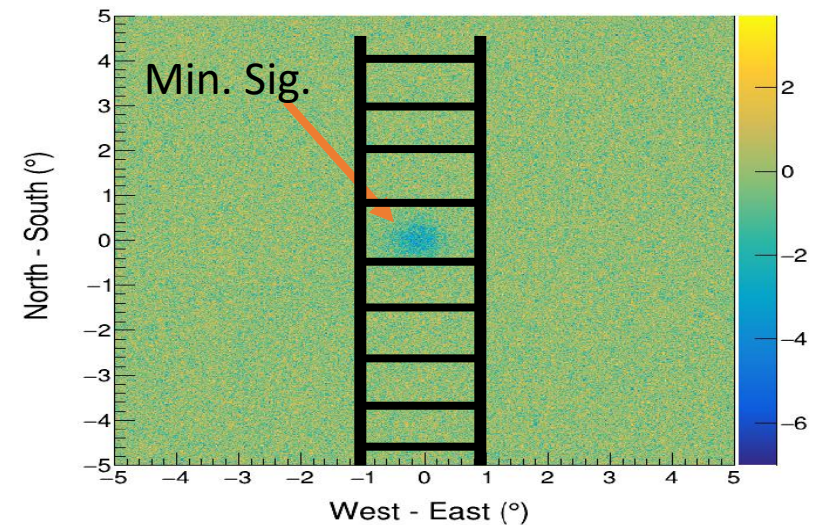
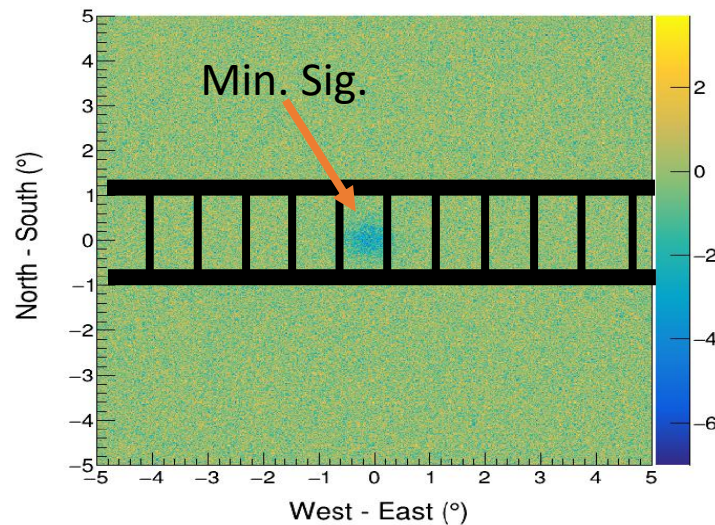
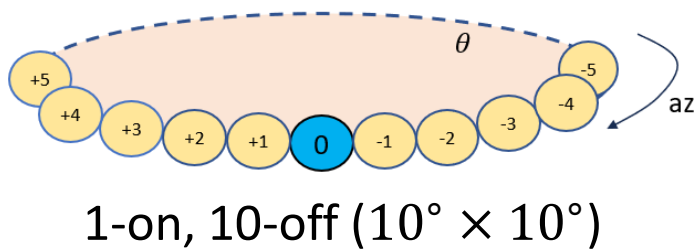
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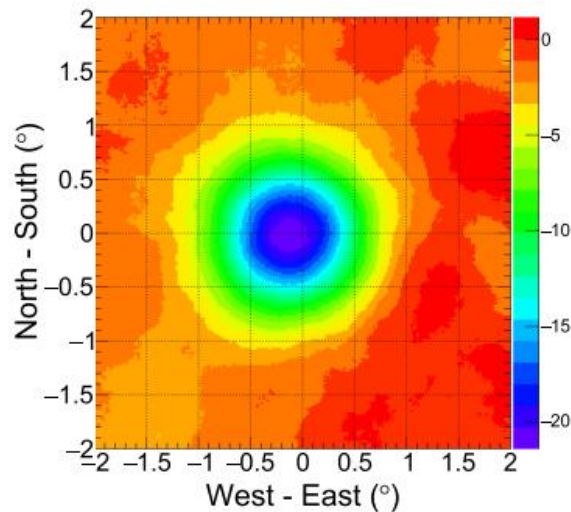
- **Moon shadow:** Cosmic ray blocked by the Moon
- **Shift of the Moon shadow:** Deflect of the cosmic rays by the Geomagnetic Field (GMF)
- **Absolute energy calibration:** Lower energy $\rightarrow$ larger shift $\Delta = -1.59^\circ \times Z/E(\text{TeV})$

LHAASO results: Energy calibration using Moon shadow

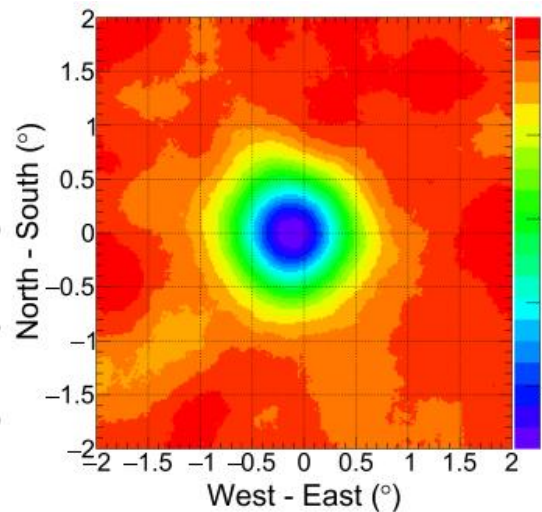
- From 2021/07 to 2025/01, 3.5 years
- Background Estimation: Equi-Zenith method



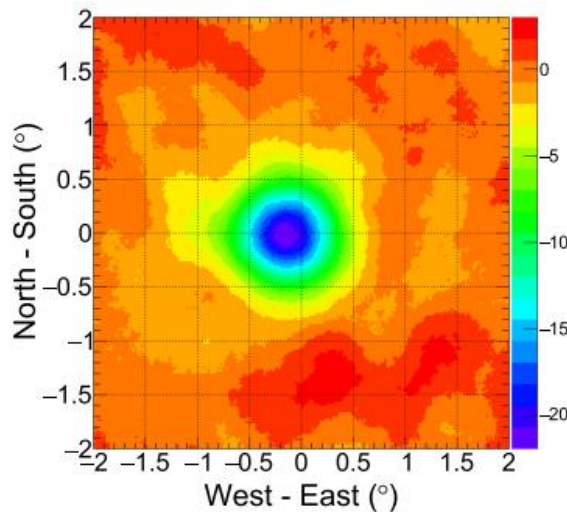
$\log_{10} N_{e\mu}: 1.2 \sim 1.64$



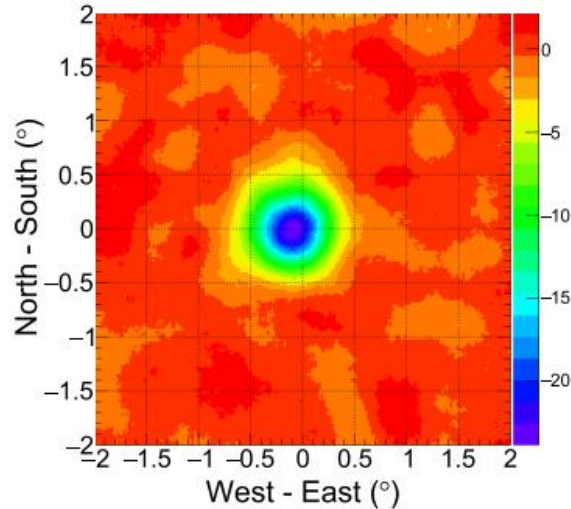
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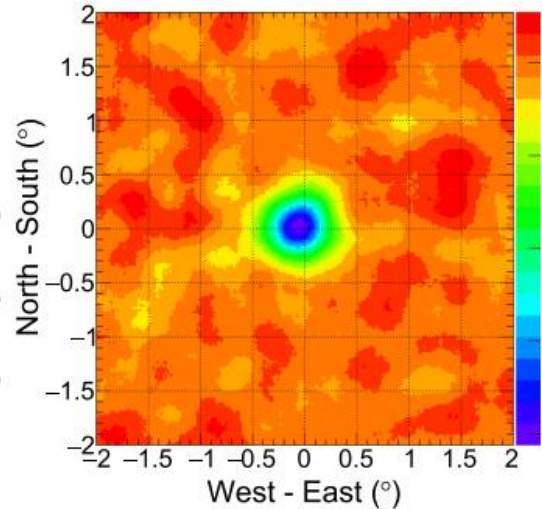
$\log_{10} N_{e\mu}: 1.82 \sim 2.0$



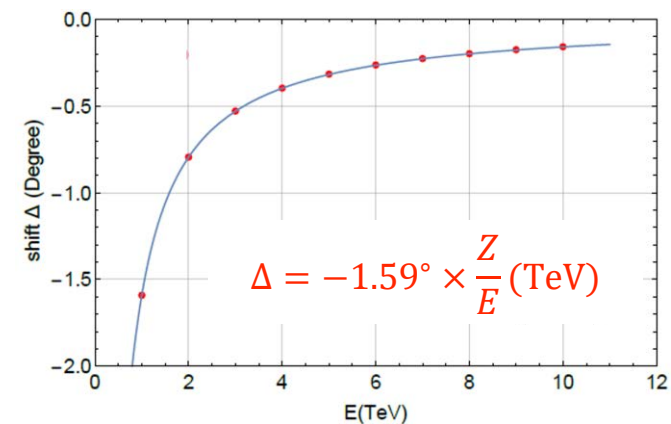
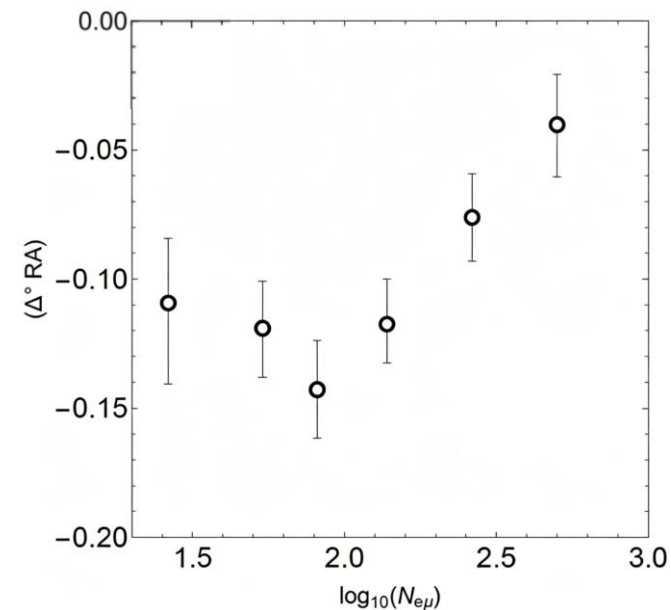
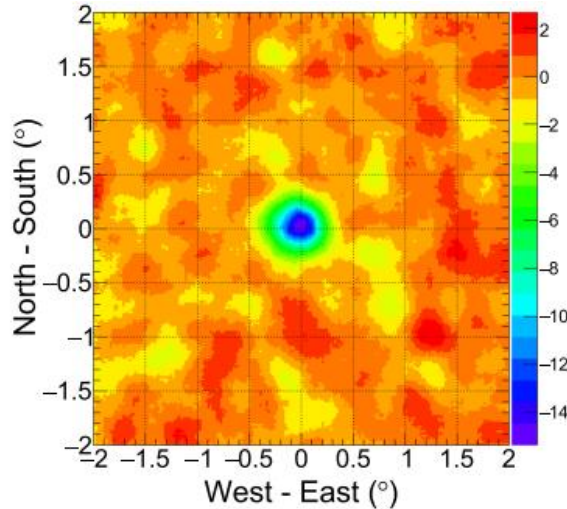
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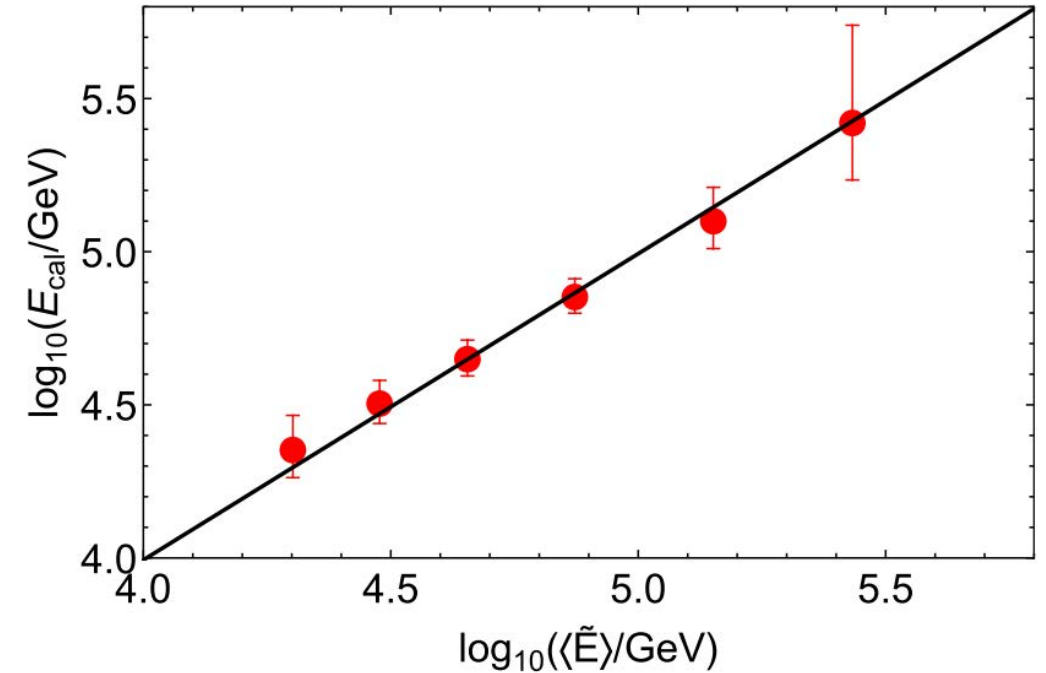
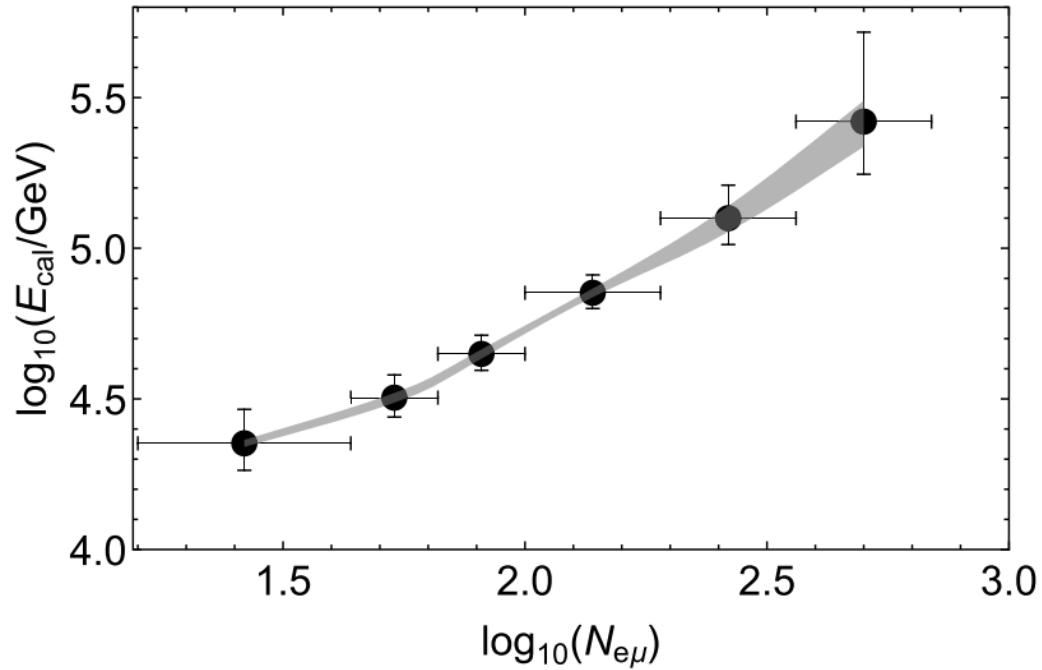
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$$E_{\text{cal}} = -1.59 \frac{\langle Z \rangle}{\Delta}$$



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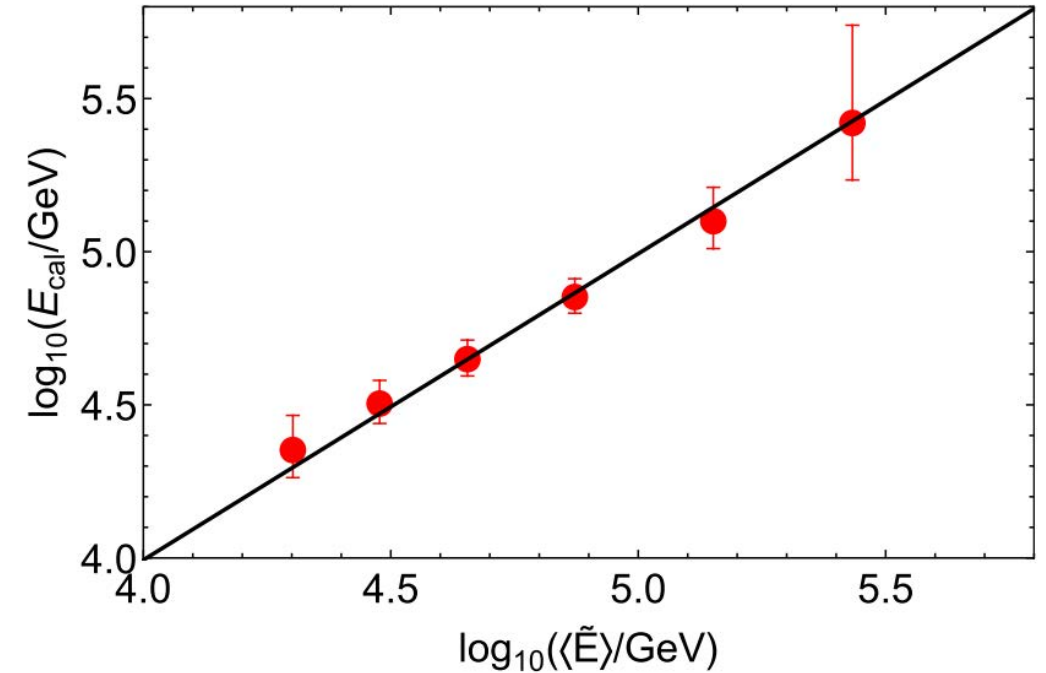
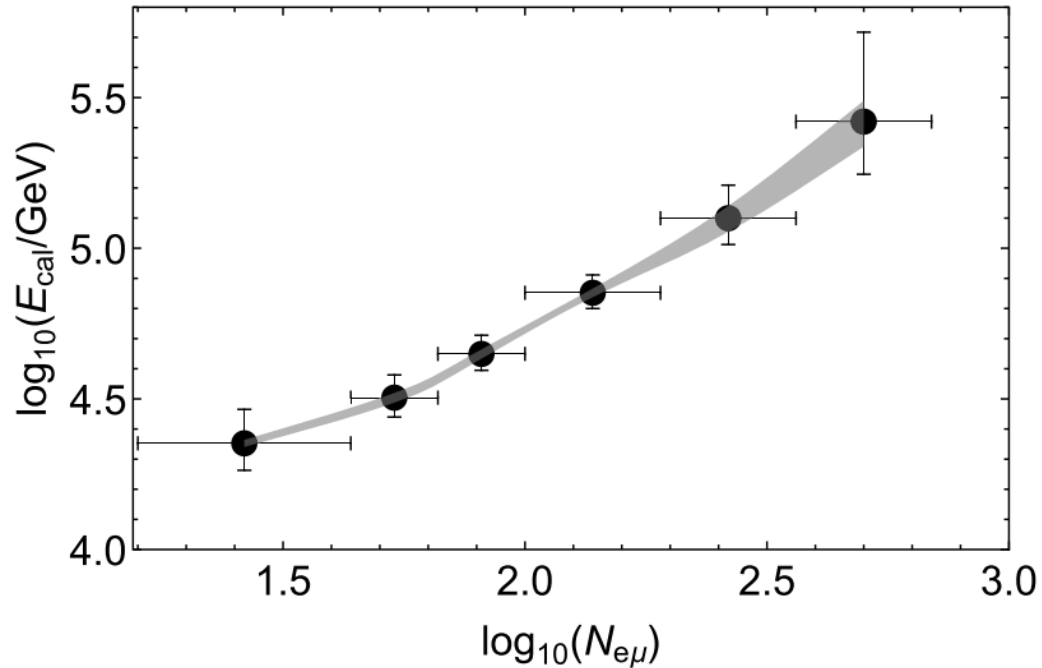
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Calibrated energy is in good agreement with the simulation



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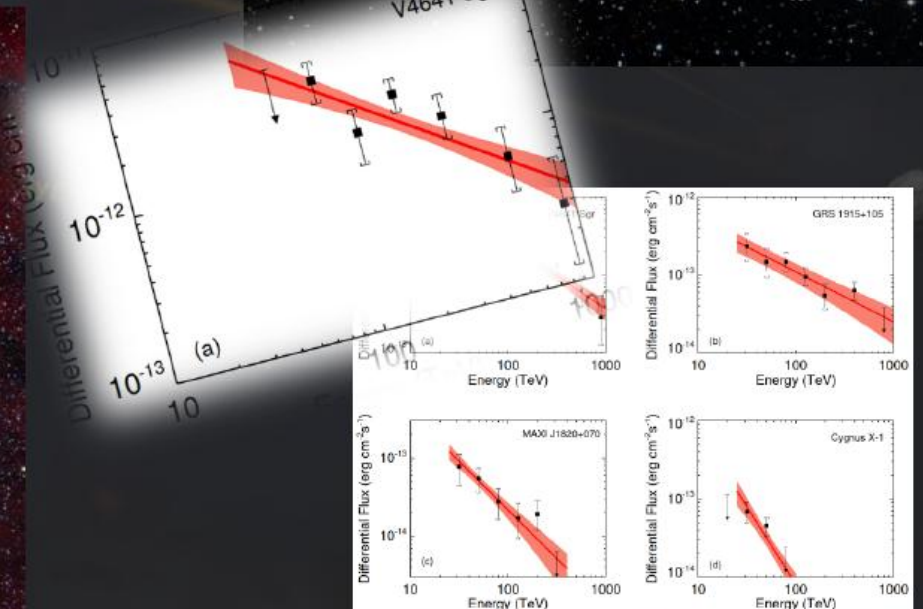
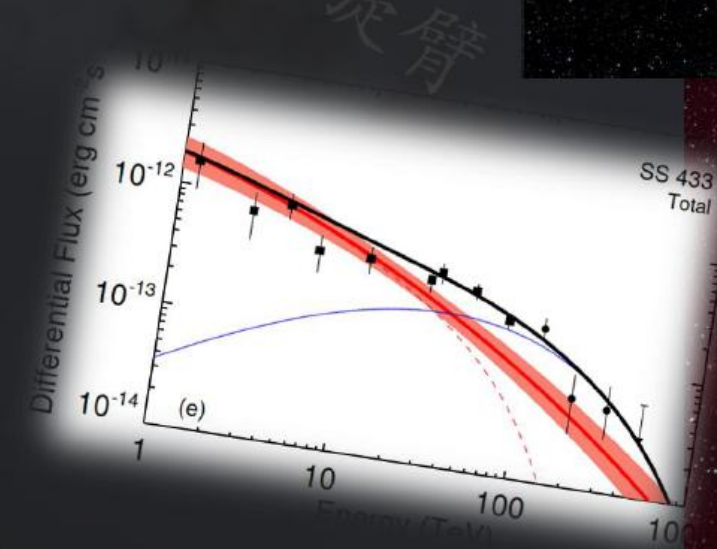
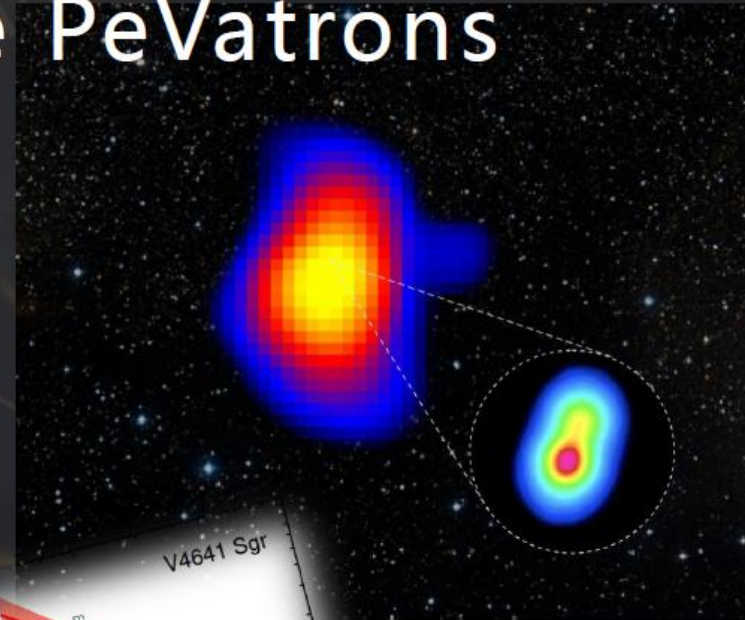
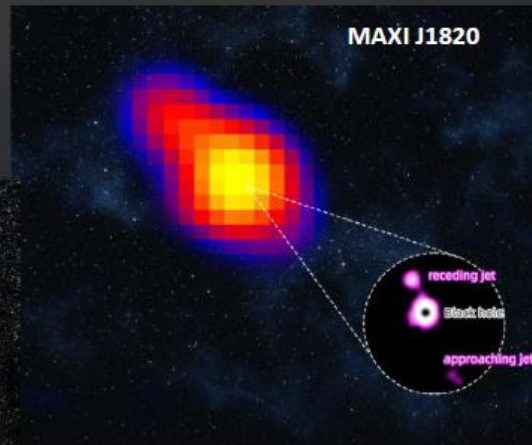
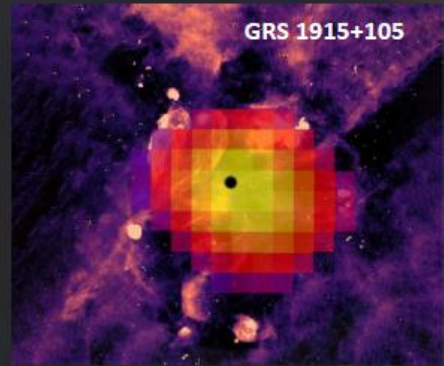
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Six μ -Quasars are identified to be PeVatrons



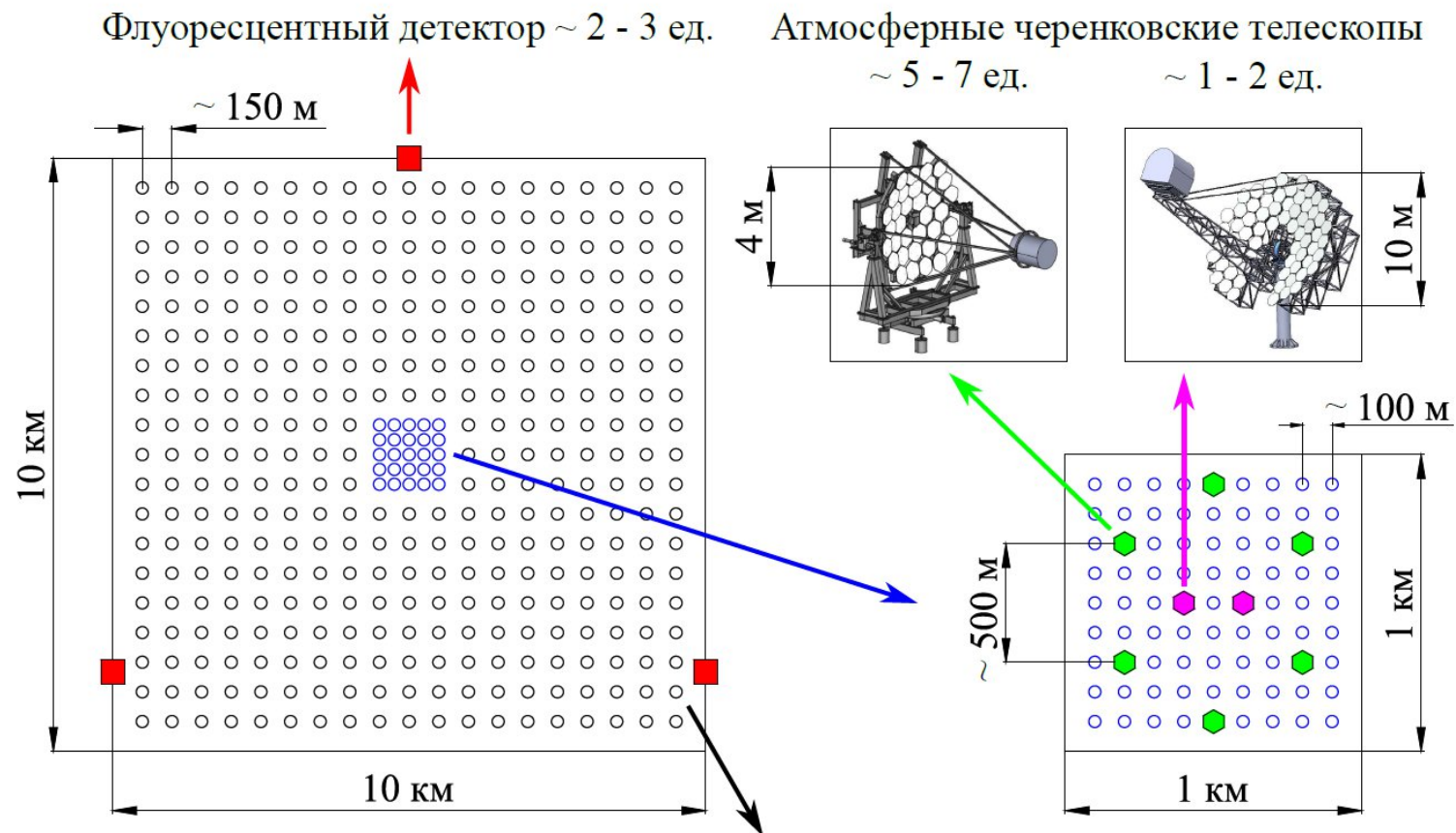
Астрофизический комплекс TAIGA-100

TAIGA-100 — проект крупномасштабного экспериментального комплекса следующего поколения с гибридной системой детекторов на площади порядка 100 км².

Научная программа

1. Исследования в области гамма-астрономии при энергиях $\geq 10^{14}$ эВ
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Состав комплекса и схематичное расположение детекторов

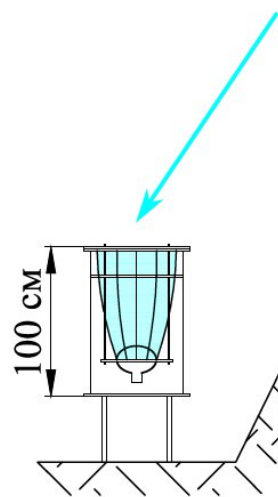


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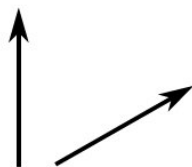
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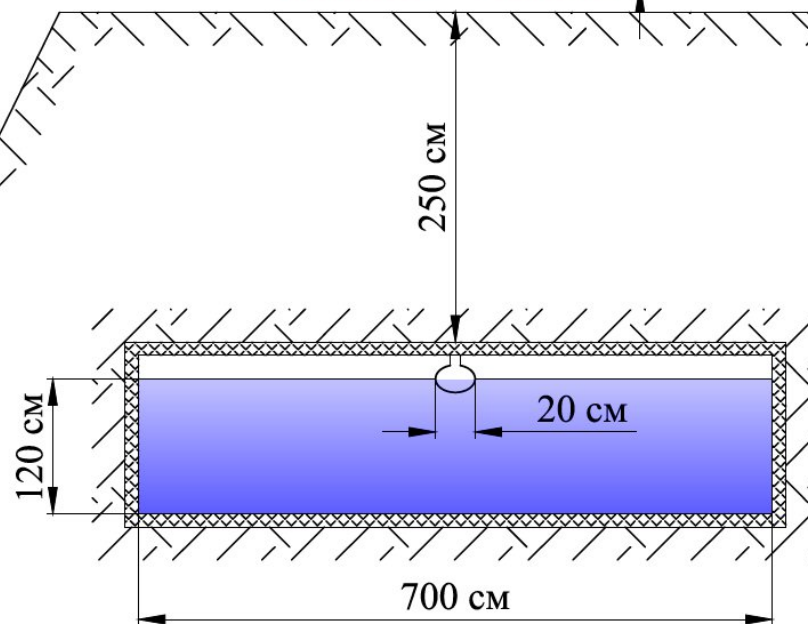
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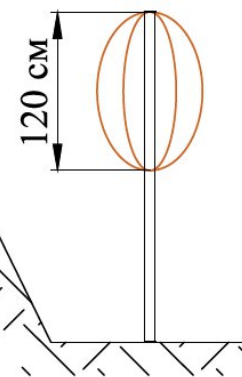
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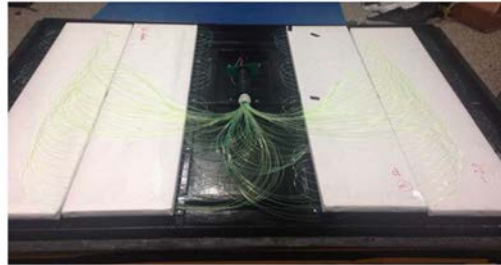
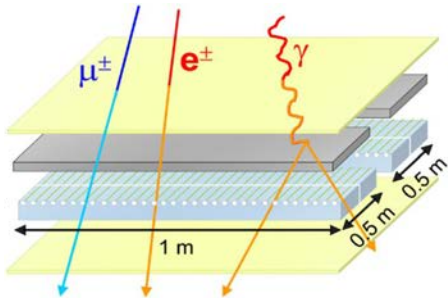
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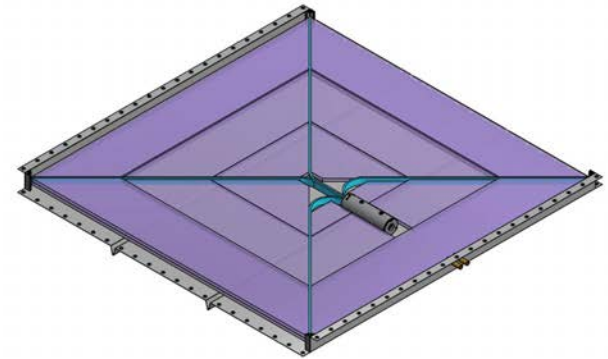
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Детектор установки
TAIGA-Muon



← Варианты →

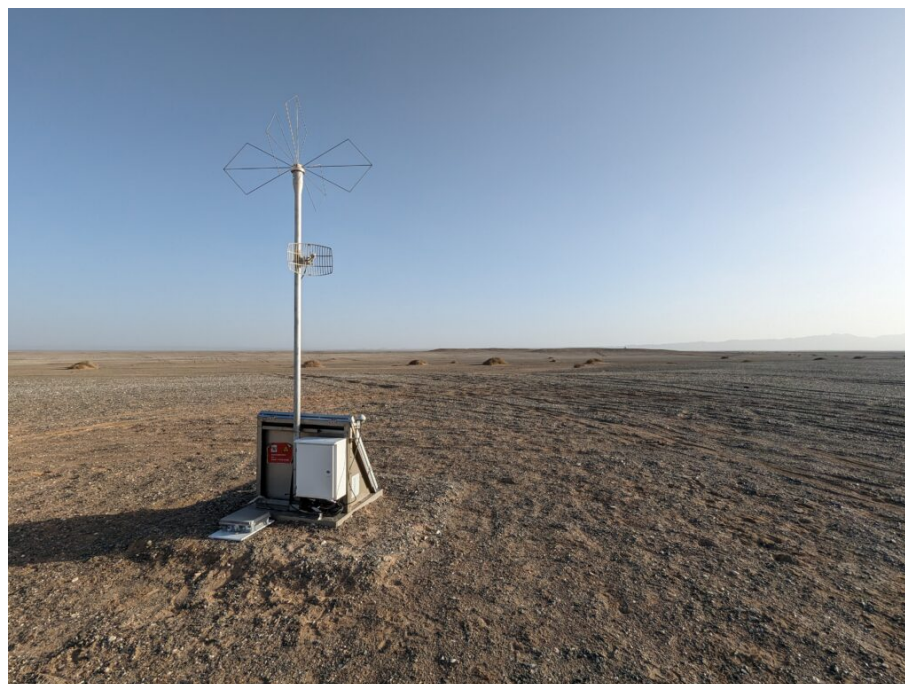
- Эффективная площадь $\sim 1 \text{ м}^2$
- Толщина сцинтиллятора $\sim 1 \text{ см}$
- Неоднородность светосбора $\leq 20\%$
- Динамический диапазон $\sim 10^4$ частица/м²
- Поглотитель для конвертации гамма-квантов
- Порог регистрации ШАЛ $\sim 10^{14}$ эВ (~ 2000 м н.у.м) или $\sim 10^{15}$ эВ (700 м н.у.м).

Радиоантенна

- Установка Tunka-Rex
- Диапазон частот $\sim 30 - 80$ МГц



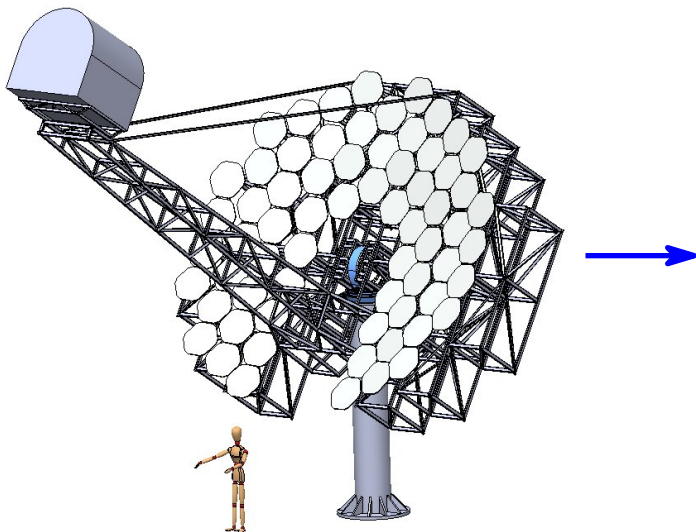
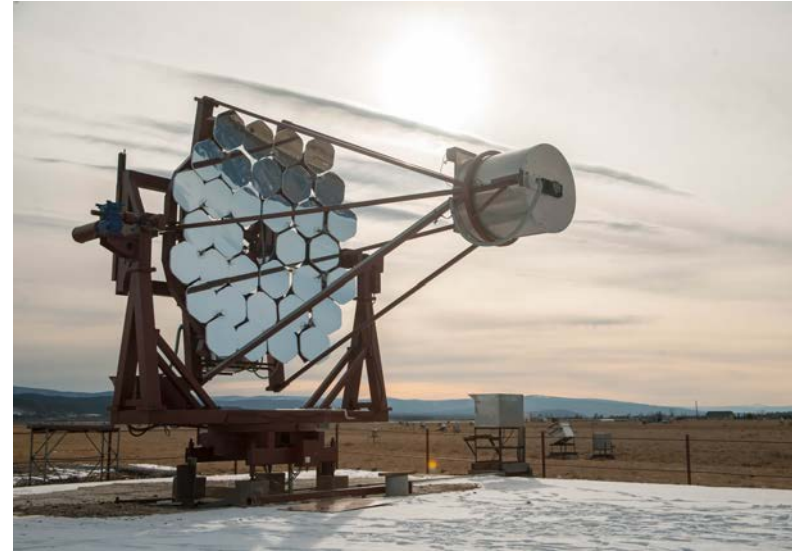
- Установка GrandProto300
- Диапазон частот $\sim 50 - 200$ МГц



- Энергетический порог регистрации КЛ $\sim 10^{17}$ эВ
 - Регистрация горизонтальных ШАЛ
 - Автономная работа антенн

Атмосферные черенковские телескопы

- 5 телескопов в составе комплекса TAIGA-1
- Порог регистрации гамма-квантов $\sim 3 \cdot 10^{12}$ эВ
 - Замена ФЭУ на SiPM - ?



- Дизайн Дэвиса-Коттона
- Полная площадь отражателя $\sim 80 \text{ м}^2$
- Камера из ~ 2000 пикселей (SiPM)
- Угол обзора пикселя и камеры — 0.24° и $\sim 5^\circ$
- Порог регистрации гамма-квантов $\sim 3 \cdot 10^{11}$ эВ
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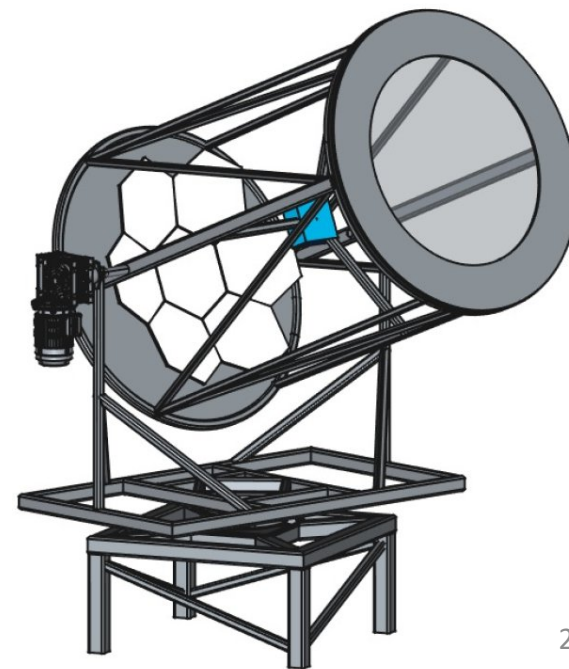
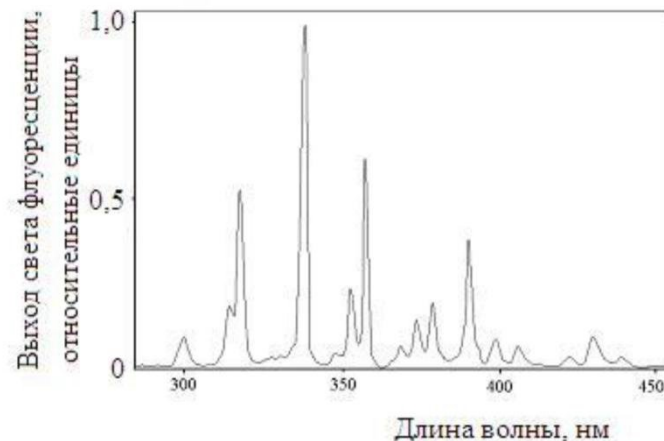
Флуоресцентный детектор

Конструкция:

- Телескоп Шмидта
- Диапазон длин волн 300 - 400 нм
- 7 сегментированных зеркал диаметром ~ 60 см
- Фокусное расстояние ~ 1 м
- Угол обзора телескопа $\sim 60^\circ$

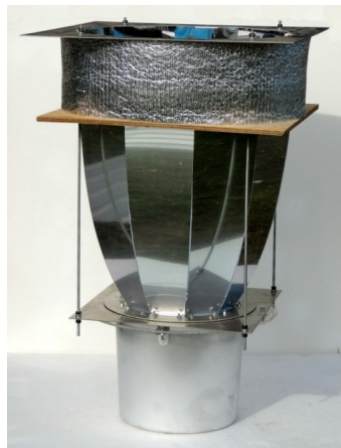
Задачи:

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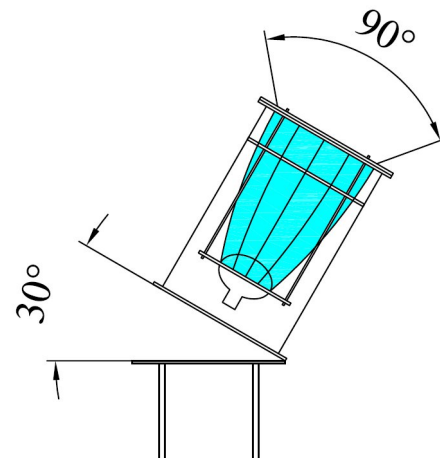


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Оптическая станция
TAIGA-HiSCORE



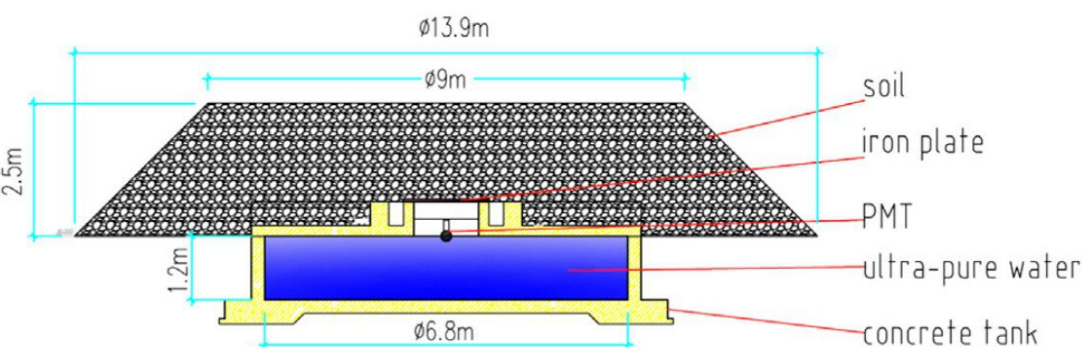
Детектор TAIGA-100



- Конструкция: конус Винстона и ФЭУ диаметром ~ 20 см
- Угол обзора конуса Винстона $\pm 45^\circ$, угол наклона детектора $\sim 10 - 30^\circ$
 - Порог регистрации гамма-квантов $\sim 2 \cdot 10^{14} - 4 \cdot 10^{14}$ эВ
 - Угловое и энергетическое разрешение установки $\sim 0.15^\circ$ и 15%
- В 2025 г на одной станции TAIGA-HiSCORE установлены экспериментальные конуса

Водный черенковский детектор

1188 детекторов установки KM2A
обсерватория LHAASO

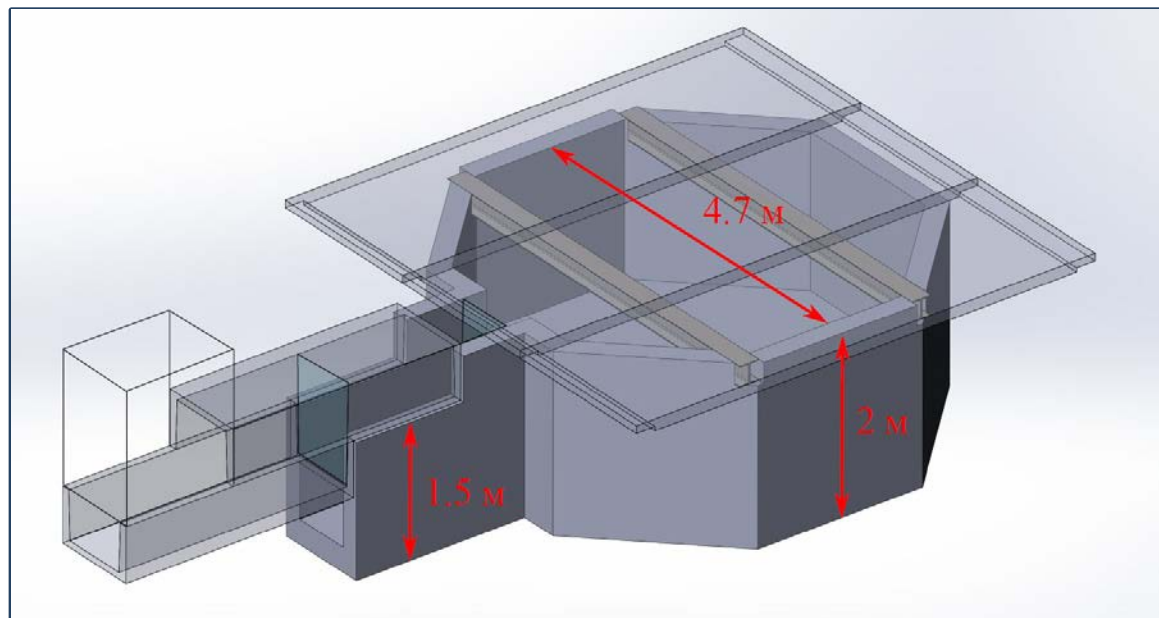


Параметры детектора TAIGA-100:

- ФЭУ диаметром $\sim 20\text{ см}$
- Площадь детектора $\sim 40\text{ м}^2$
- Динамический диапазон $\sim 10^4$ частиц
- Прозрачность воды (длина поглощения) $\geq 30\text{ м}$
- Коэффициент диффузного отражения поверхности $\geq 95\%$
- Отсутствие подогрева и системы очистки воды

Прототип водного черенковского детектора

Лето-осень 2024 года →



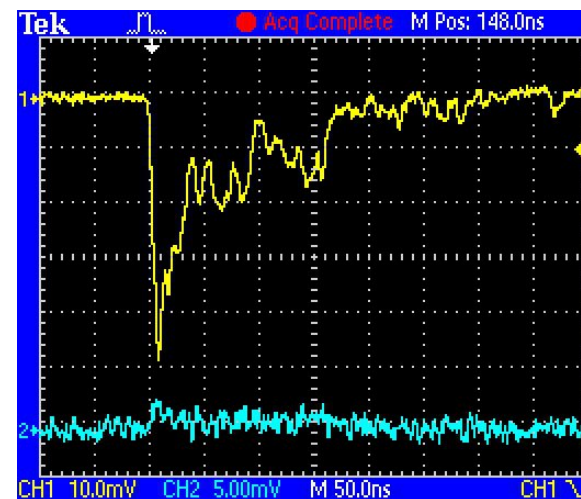
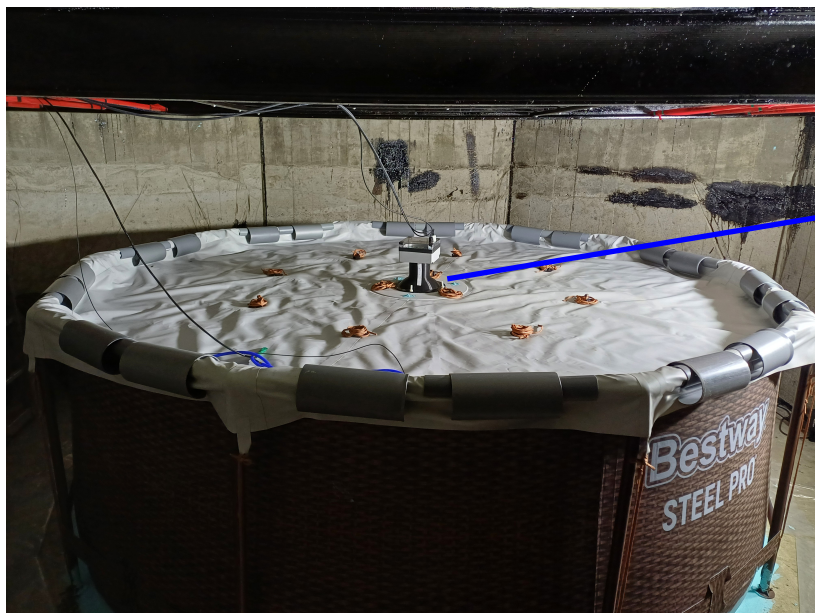
Мониторинг температуры воды:

$T_{\min}$ в июне 2025 года $+ 1^{\circ}\text{C}$

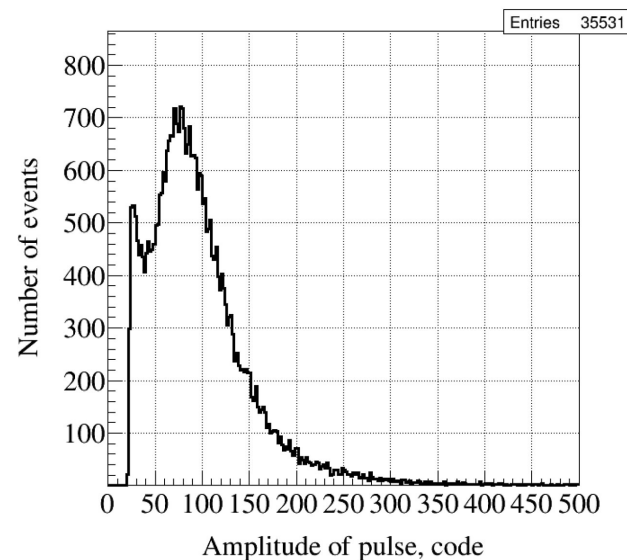
$T_{\max}$ в октябре 2025 года $+ 8^{\circ}\text{C}$

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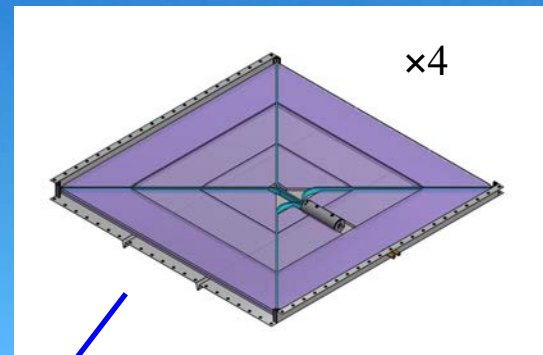
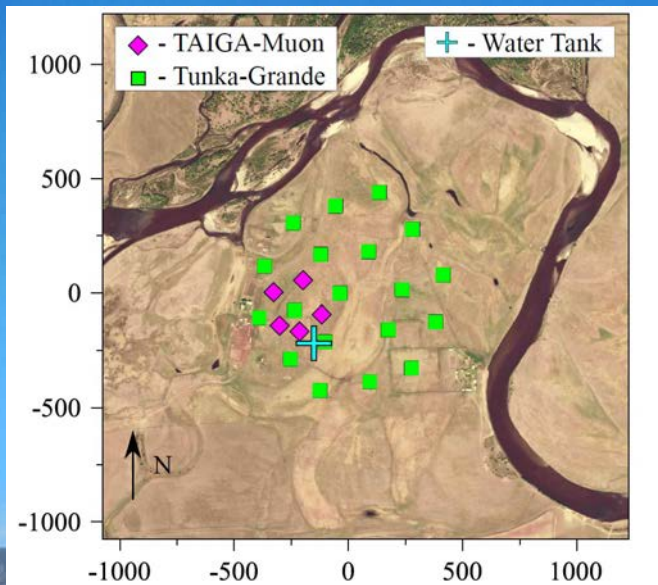
Развертывание детектора осенью 2025 года



- ФЭУ Hamamtsu R5912
- Отражатель Tyvek 1082D
- Объем залитой воды $\sim 6.5 \text{ м}^3$ ($R = 1.5 \text{ м}$, $H = 90 \text{ см}$)
- Электрическая проводимость воды $\sim 5 \text{ мкСм/см}$

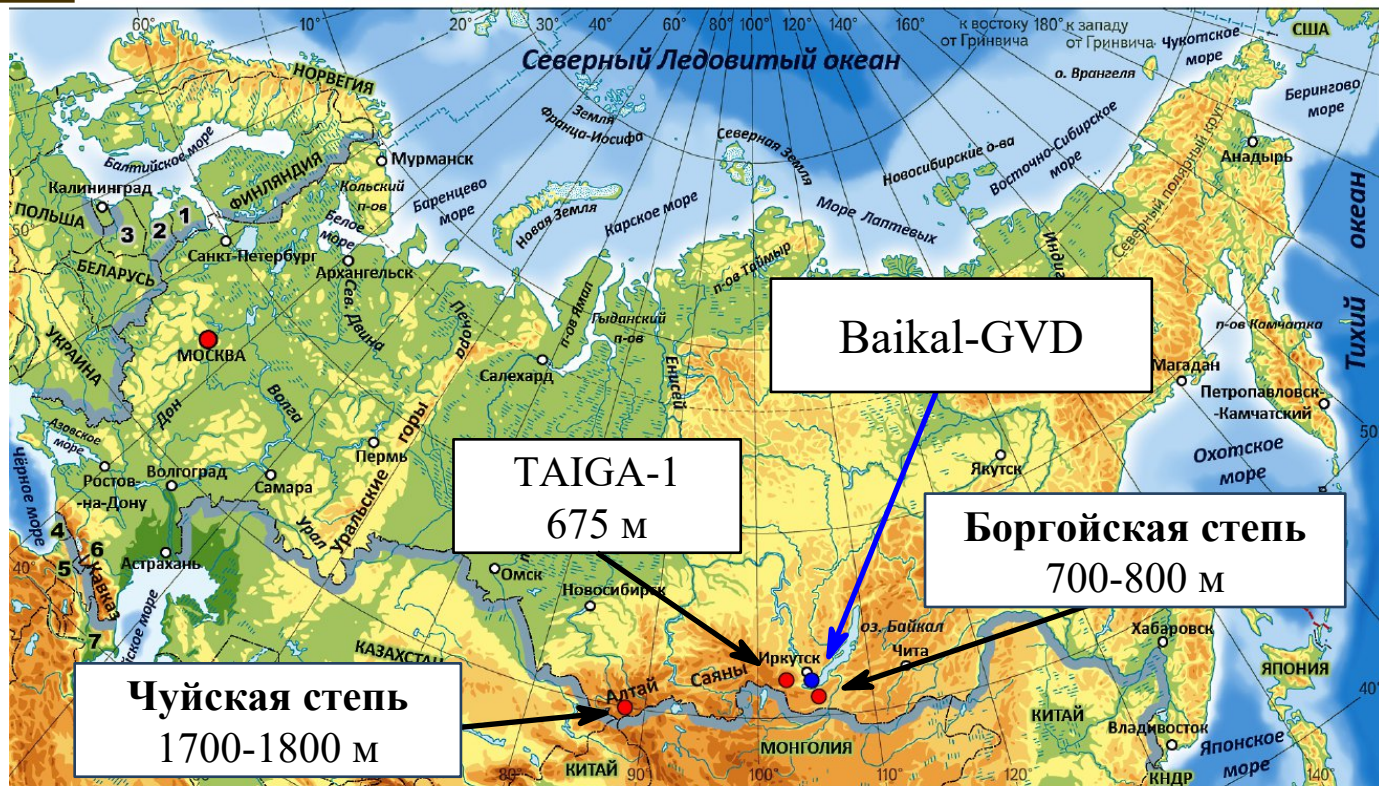


Прототип водного черенковского детектора



28 ноября 2025 года станция запущена в набор данных совместно с установками Tunka-Grande и TAIGA-Muon.

Поиск площадки



Астроклимат и особенности местности

Количество безоблачных ночей, прозрачность атмосферы, антропогенная засветка и т.д.

Инфраструктура

Транспортная доступность, энергетика, телекоммуникации и т.д.

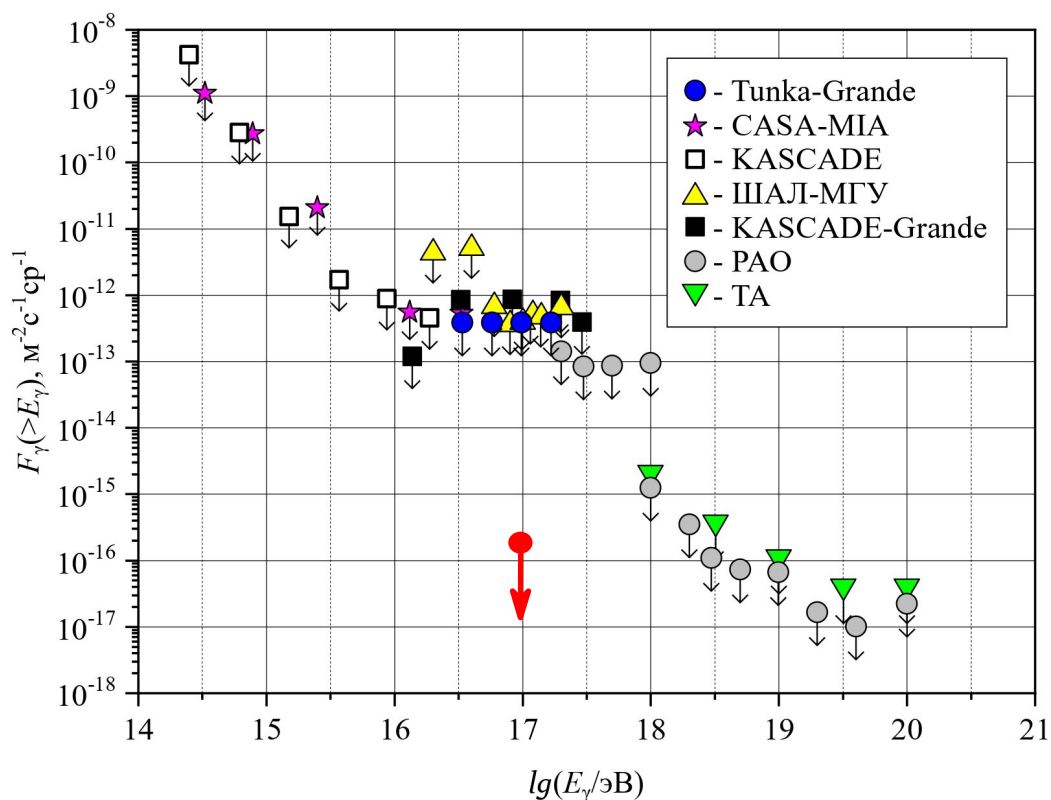
Ожидаемые результаты TAIGA-100

Космические лучи:

- Выше 100 ПэВ и 10 ЭэВ ожидается $\sim 10^6$ и 10^2 событий за календарный год
- Тунка-133 и Tunka-Grande по ~ 600 событий с энергией выше 100 ПэВ за календарный год

Диффузное гамма-излучение:

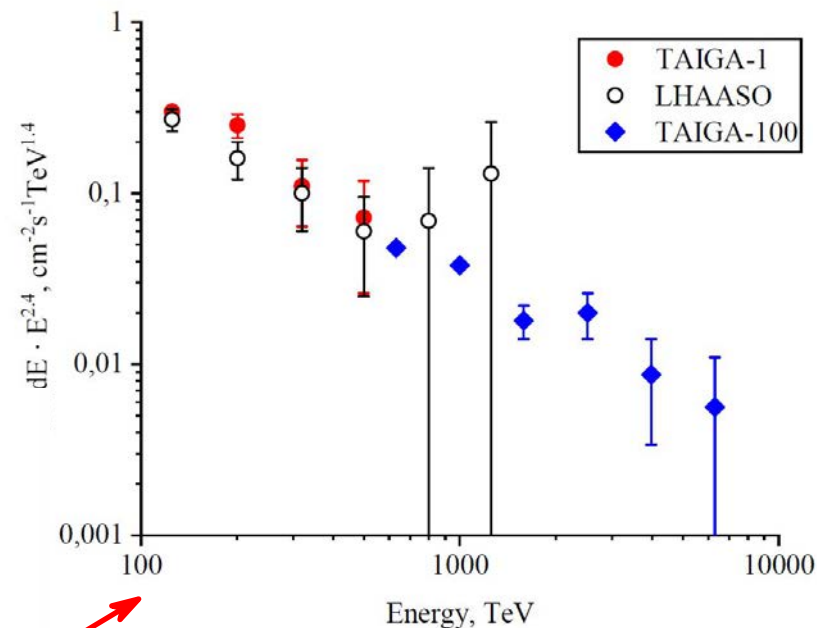
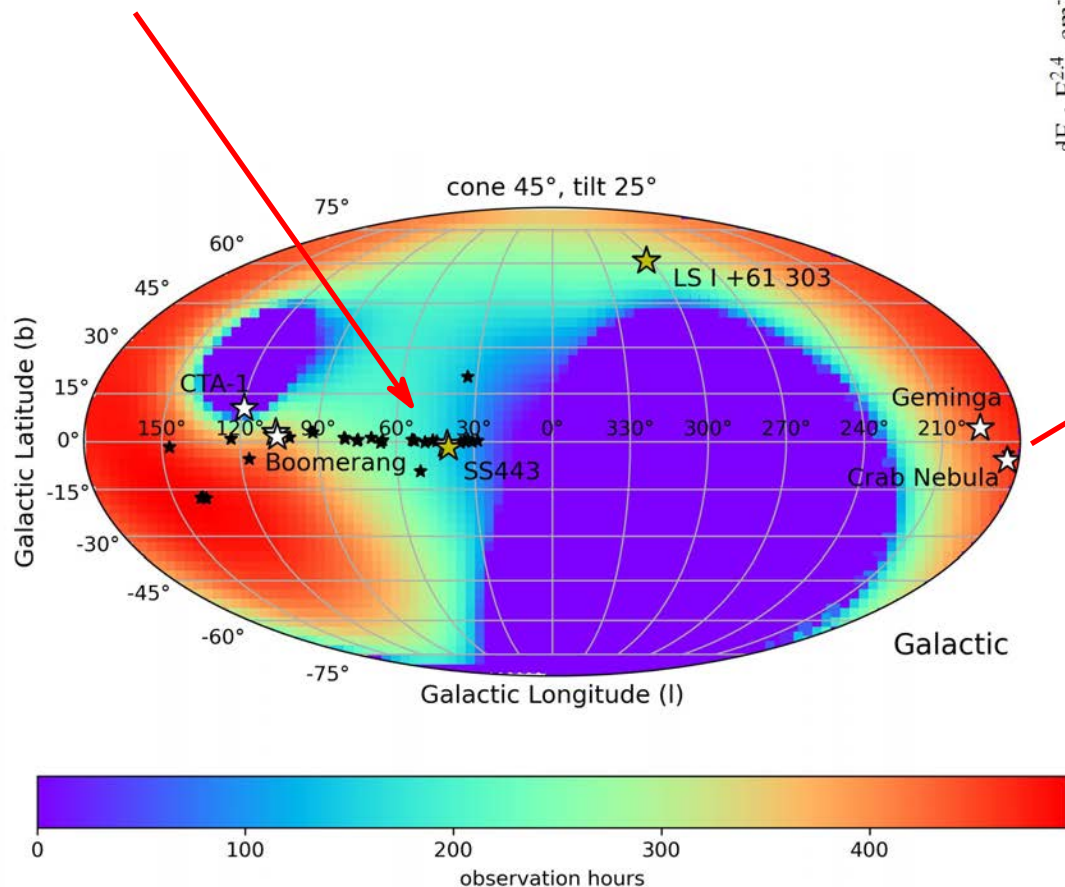
- Ограничение на уровне $\sim 5 \cdot 10^{-3} \text{ км}^{-2}\text{год}^{-1}\text{ср}^{-1}$ за 10 лет набора данных



Ожидаемые результаты TAIGA-100

Гамма-астрономия

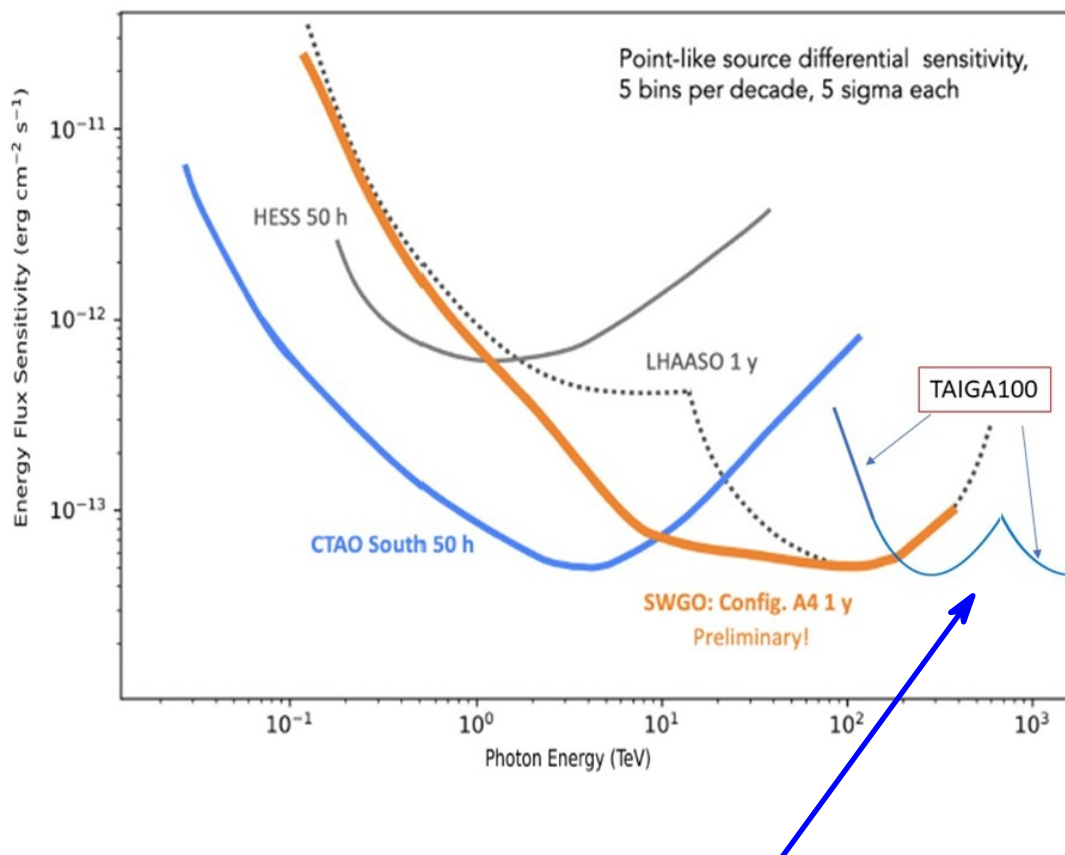
Источники LHAASO с энергией выше 40 ТэВ



Ожидаемый спектр гамма-квантов от Крабовидной туманности за 1 календарный год (~ 500 часов)

Ожидаемые результаты TAIGA-100

Дифференциальная чувствительность

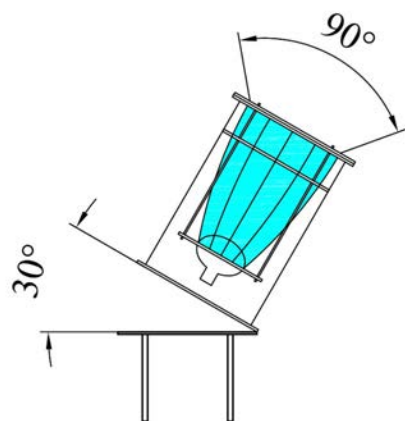
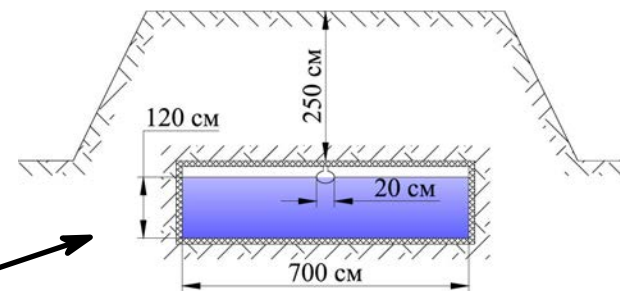
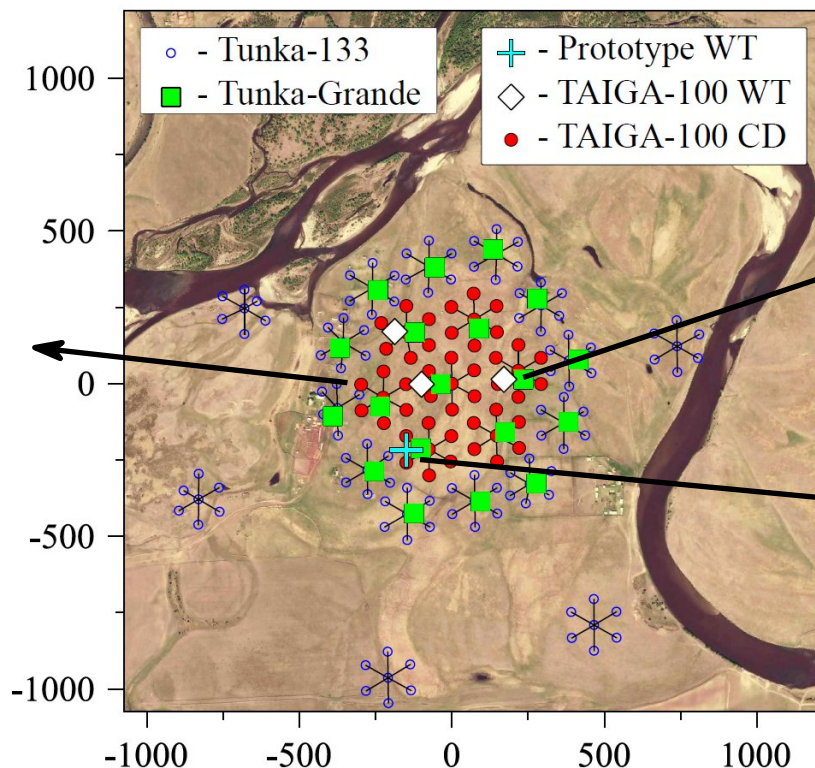


Чувствительность TAIGA-100 за один календарный год

Планы

Лето - осень 2026 года:

- Развертывание 3 полноценных водных детектора площадью $\sim 40 \text{ м}^2$
- Модернизация 49 оптических детекторов установки Тунка-133



2030 год:

- Развертывание ~ 20 станций на полигоне TAIGA-1
- Выбор площадки
- Подготовка проекта TAIGA-100