X-ray spectroscopy of Ξ^- atom in J-PARC S-2S experiment

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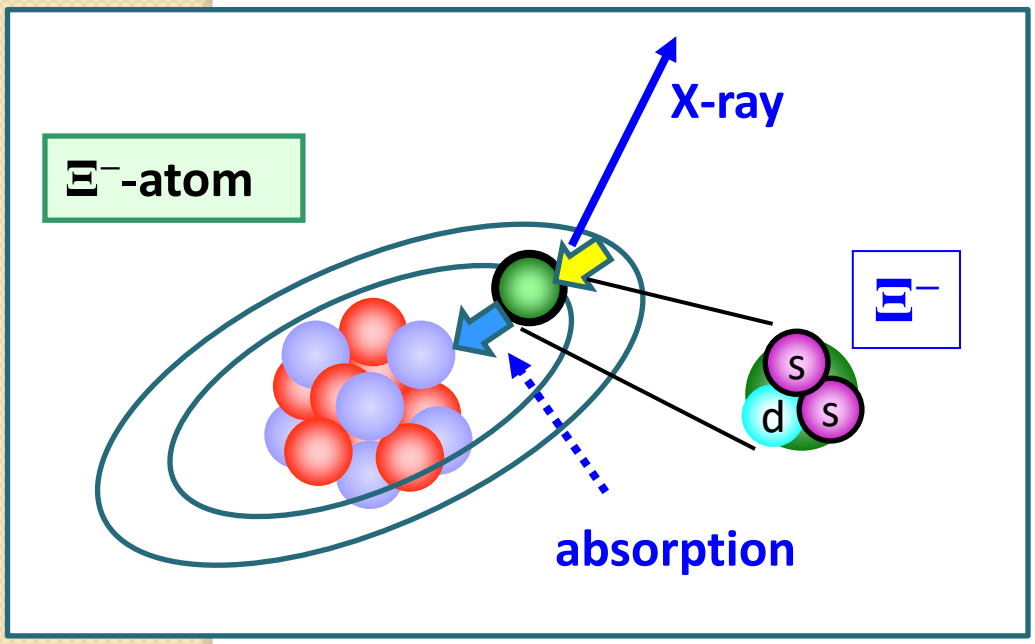
X-ray spectroscopy of Ξ^--atom

We are aiming for world first measurement of X ray from Ξ^--atom

→ Information on the ΞA optical potential

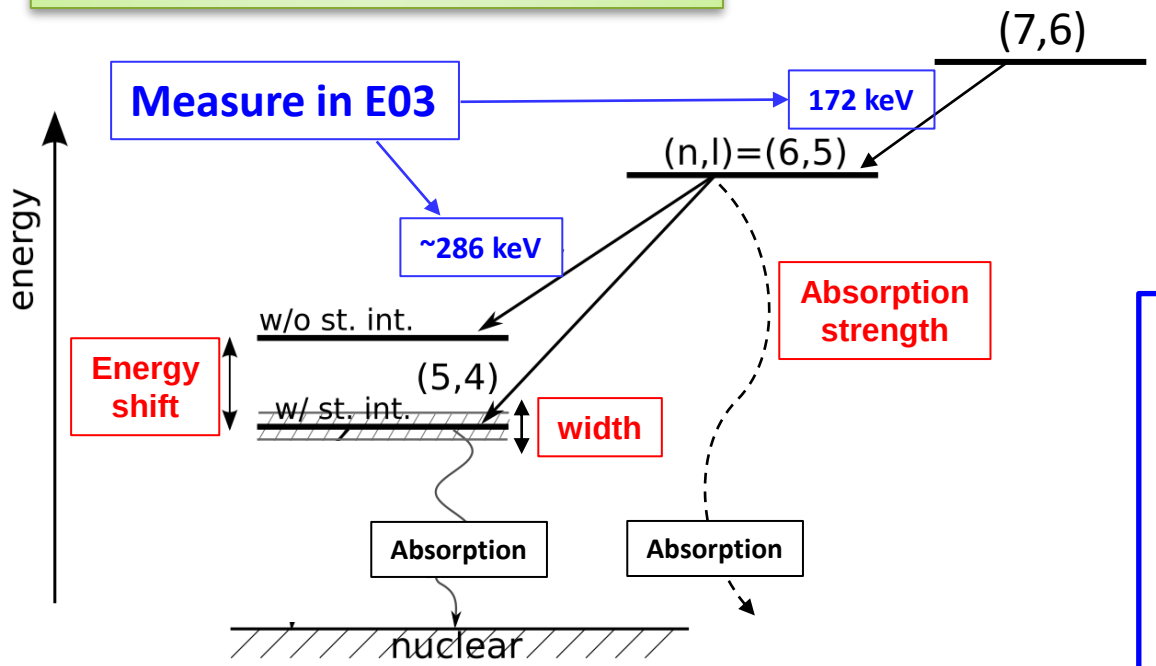


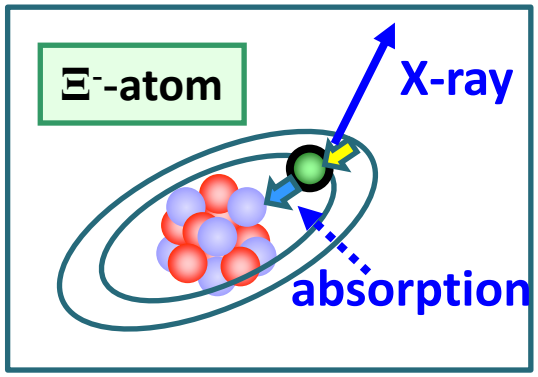
- Information on (effective) ΞN interaction
  large baryon mixing?
  (small ΔM(ΞN-ΛΛ)=28 MeV)
  (but, weak imaginary strength was predicted by lattice QCD calc.)
- ΞA interaction and it's A dependence
  Role of Ξ^- in neutron star?

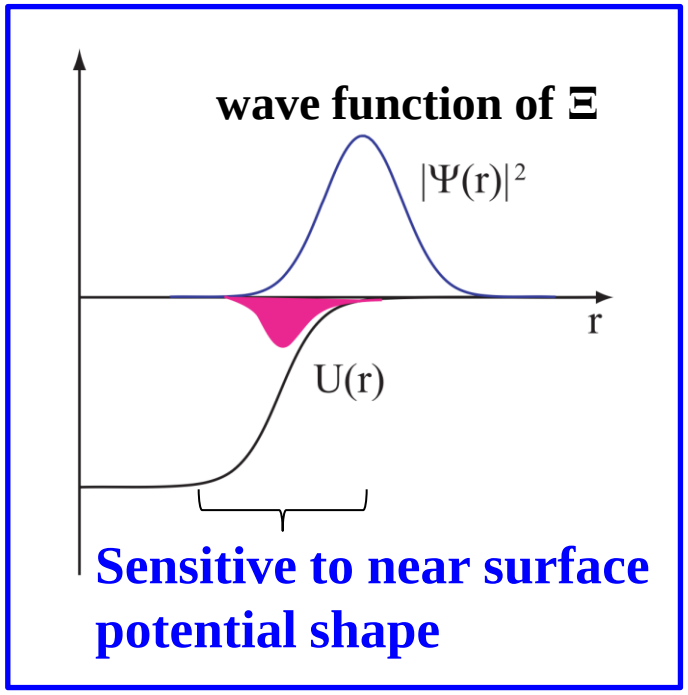
Establishment of experimental method in the J-PARC E03 (Fe-Ξ^- atom)
→ Systematic measurement (over wide mass range) in future

X-ray spectroscopy of Ξ⁻-atom

Level scheme of Fe-Ξ⁻ atom







Measurement of energy shift and width
→ Ξ⁻A real and imaginary term (near surface)

This method has been successfully applied for negative charged particles (π^-, K^-, $\bar{p}$, Σ^-)

Physics motivation

- **Valuable information on ΞN (effective) interaction**

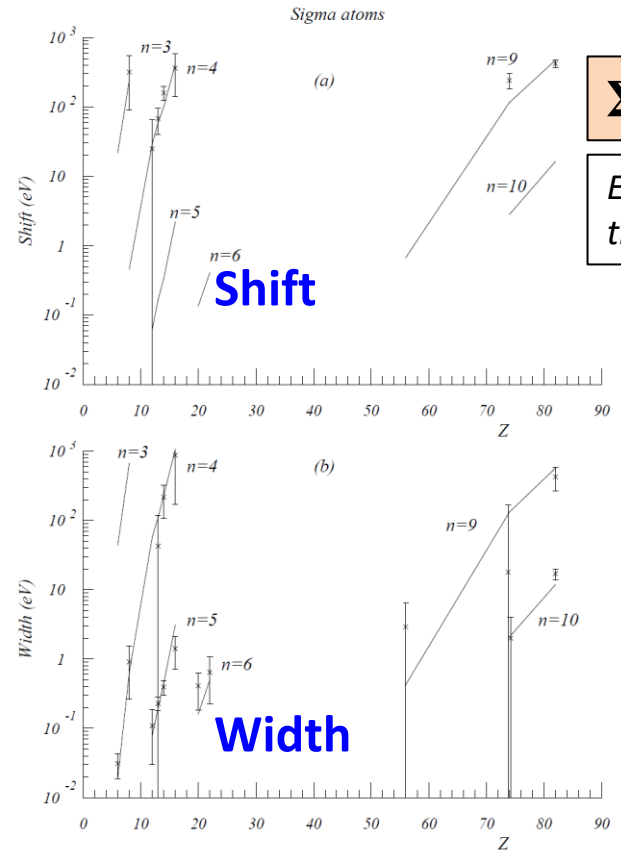
Need systematic X-ray measurement over wide mass range

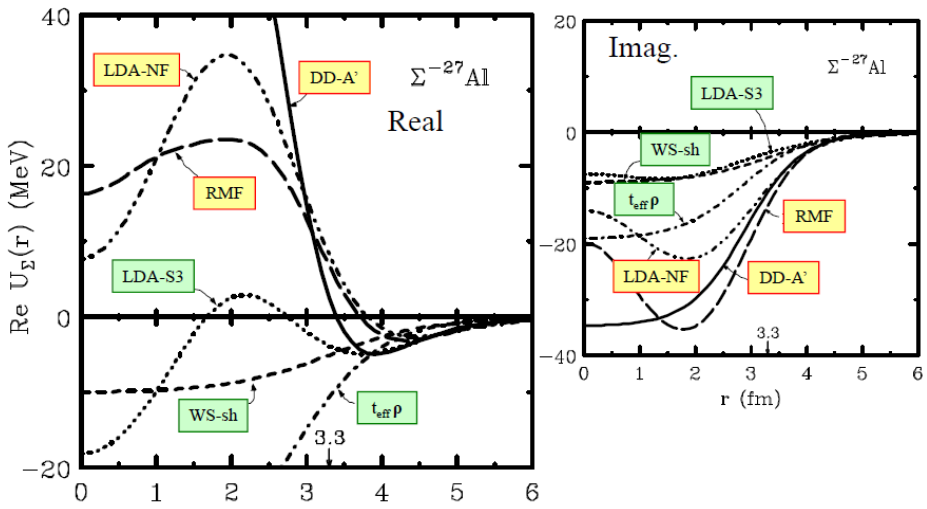
→ **Potential shape, mass dependence**

as in the case of Σ^- atom data

Σ^- atom data

E. Friedman, A. Gal
the International School of Physics Enrico Fermi (2007)





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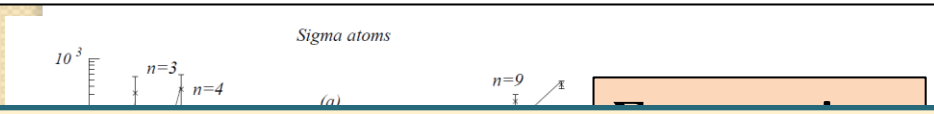


as in the case of Σ^- atom data

Our strategy for Ξ^--atom *No Ξ^--atom data so far*

A ↓

C (Z=6)-atom : First try in J-PARC E07(-2017)

+ future measurement (also other p-shell…)

Fe (Z=26)-atom : Coming J-PARC E03 (2021.1)

Br (Z=35)-atom :

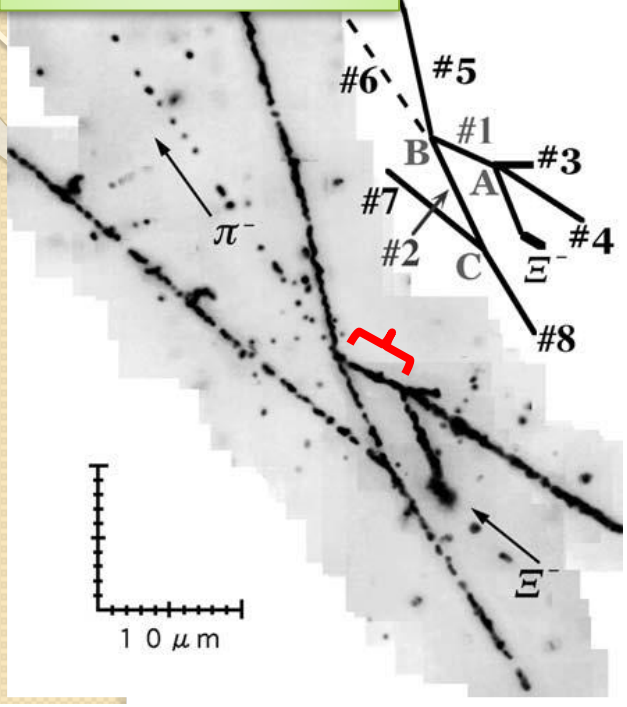
Ag (Z=47)-atom :

} **First try in J-PARC E07(-2017)**

Pb (Z=82)-atom : PANDA

Impact on emulsion data

NAGARA event



Stopped Ξ⁻s form Ξ-atoms before reaction

$$^{12}\mathrm{C} + \Xi^- \rightarrow {}^{6}_{\Lambda\Lambda}\mathrm{He} + {}^{4}\mathrm{He} + t$$

$$^{6}_{\Lambda\Lambda}\mathrm{He} \rightarrow {}^{5}_{\Lambda}\mathrm{He} + p + \pi^-.$$

$B_{\Lambda\Lambda}$ = 6.91 ± 0.16 MeV

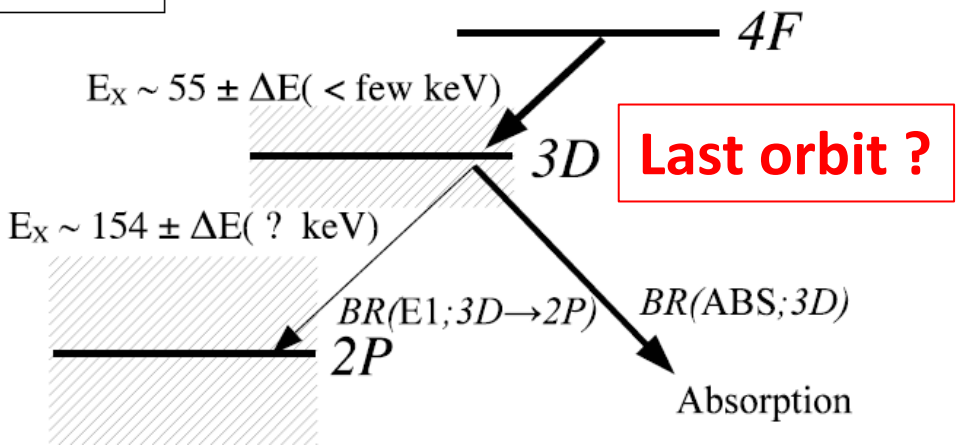
H. Takahashi et al, Phys. Rev. Lett. 87 (2001) 212502.

obtained from analysis of both production and decay point

Depends on B_Ξ of C Ξ⁻-atom [B_Ξ = 0.13 MeV] (energy center and error)

Ξ⁻ C atom

M. Fujita, Doctoral Thetis, Tohoku Univ. (2019)



Theoretical prediction:

3D absorption is dominant

C. J. Batty, E. Friedman, and A. Gal
Phys. Rev. C59, 295 (2001)

X-ray data will support $B_{\Lambda\Lambda}$ analysis

Our first try in J-PARC E07

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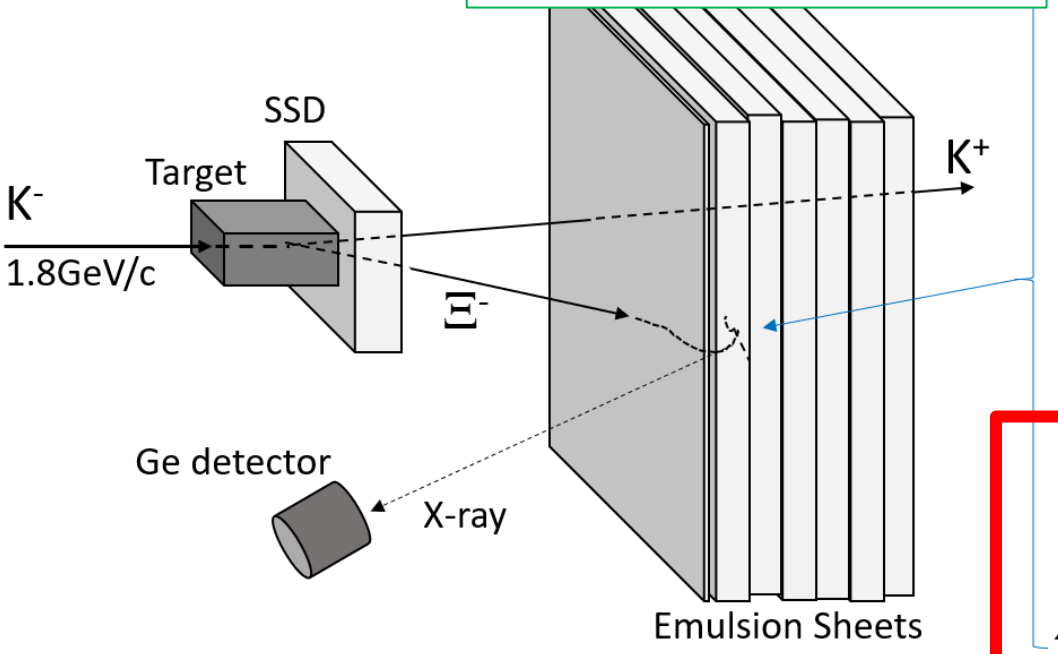
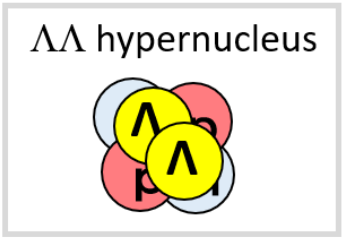
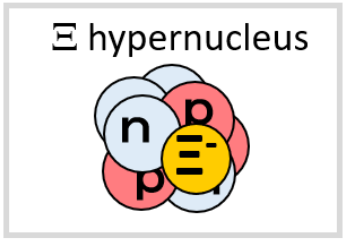
Experimental study of double hypernuclei at J-PARC

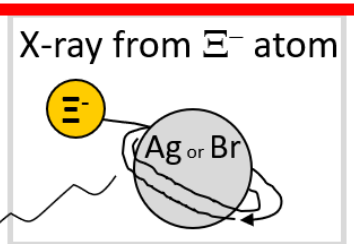
Done in 2016-2017

Emulsion (H,C,N,O, Br and Ag)

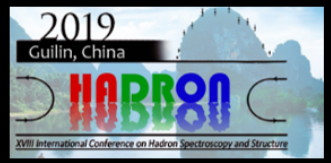








Junya Yoshida (Advanced Science Research Center, JAEA)
On behalf of J-PARC E07 Collaboration



Our first try in J-PARC E07

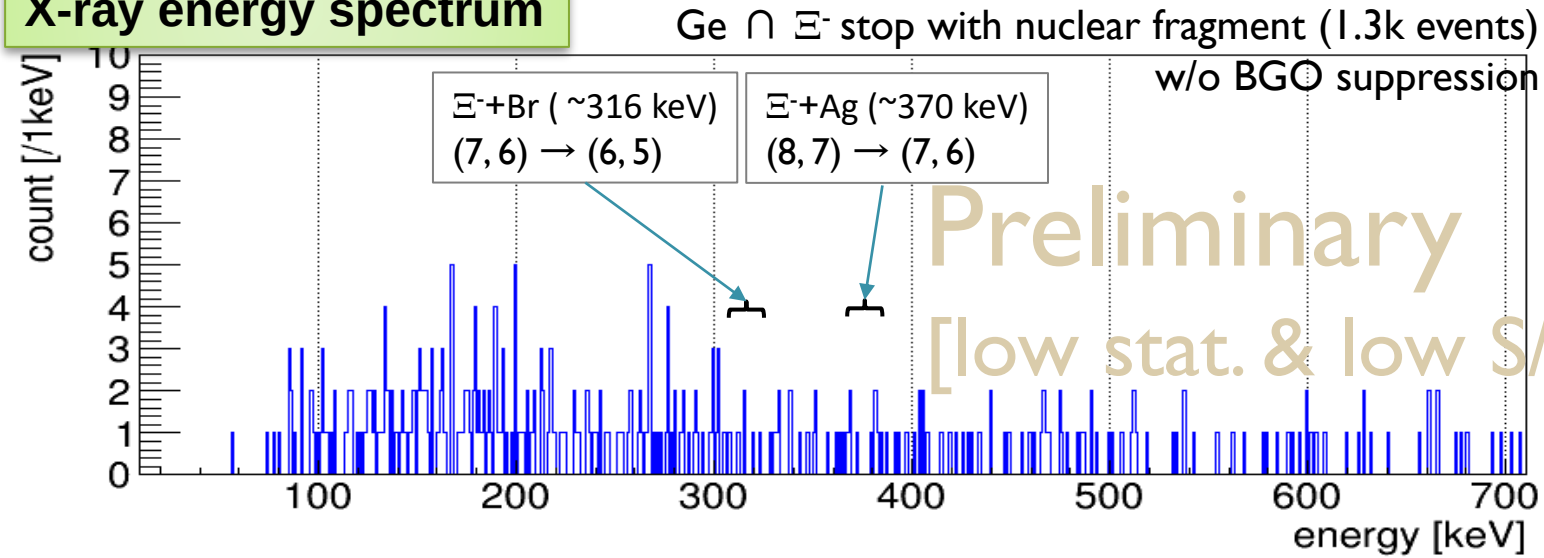
For Ag- and Br-atom

Measurement (1) : Emulsion combined analysis

- **S/N ratio ○ [we can tag Ξ^- stop in emulsion]**
- **Yield rate ×**
  - **Low stop prob. (long flight, low density)**
  - **Mixture target (H, C, N, O, Br and Ag)**
  - **Not optimum setup for X-ray detector**

J. Yoshida and M. Fujita
HADRON 2019

X-ray energy spectrum



Expected # of event
= 10-20 (for Ag) w/ full stat.

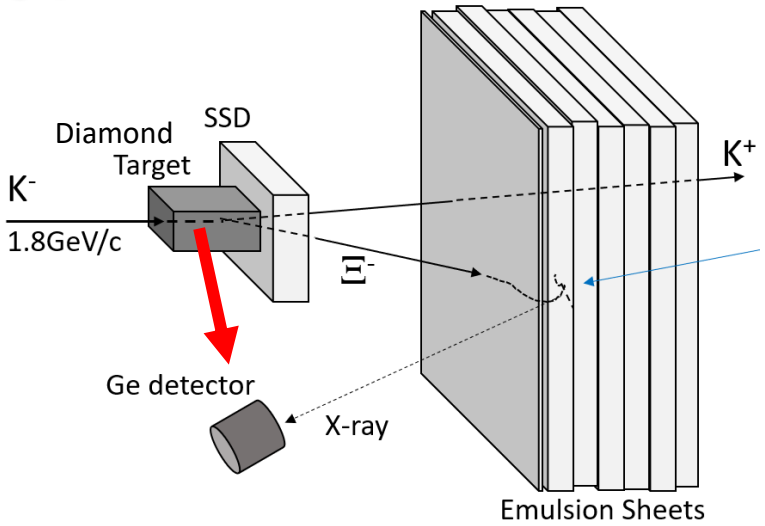
Emulsion analysis is on going to search
"special" event (not for just Ξ^- stopped event)
→Not enough analyzed Ξ stop event (20-30%) so far

Our first try in J-PARC E07

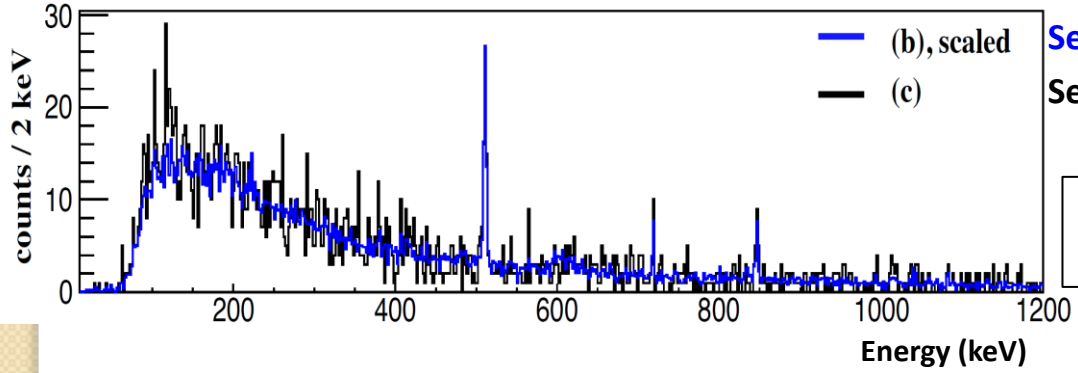
For C-atom

Measurement (2) : w/o emulsion info.

- **S/N ratio △ [we can reject only SSD hit event]**
- **Yield rate △**
  - **Low stop probability (low density)**
  - **Not optimum setup for X-ray detector**



Result (Full statistics)



Select Ξ stop like

Select low momentum Ξ stop like

M. Fujita
Doctoral Thetis, Tohoku Univ. (2019)

Unfortunately, no significant peak was observed…

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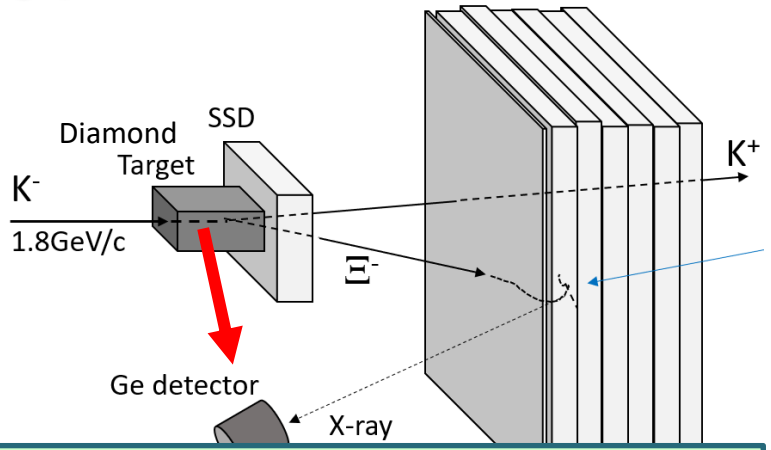

Upper limit for BR(3D->2P)

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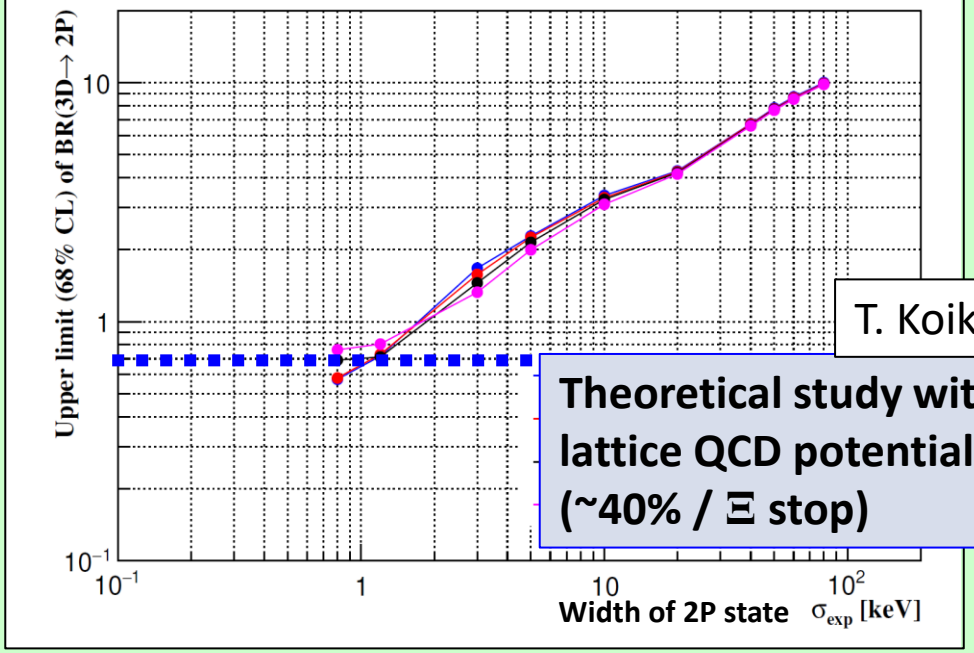
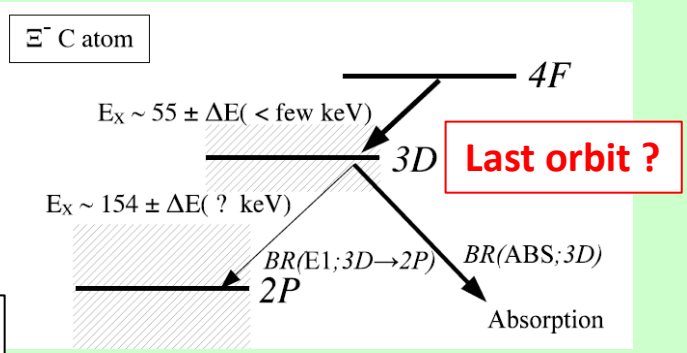


T. Koike

Theoretical study with lattice QCD potential (~40% / Ξ stop)

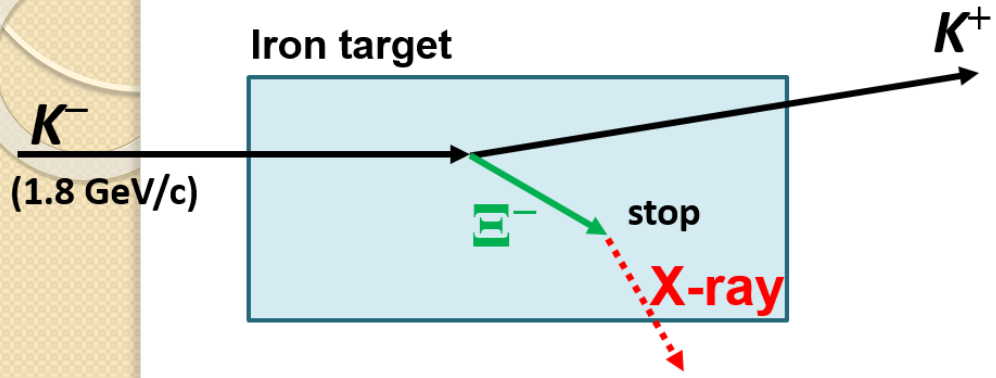


We achieved upper limit close to theoretical prediction

We will retry the measurement for C-atom

Coming measurement [J-PARC E03]

We are aiming for world first measurement of X ray from Ξ^--atom



Feature of the measurement:

- **S/N ratio** △
  [we can not tag Ξ^- stop, but high stopping prob.]
- **Yield rate** ○
  - High stop probability
  - Optimum detector setup

Advantage of Fe target

[Technical reason]

Enough dense (~7.9 g/cm^3) for higher stopping probability of Ξ^-

[Physics reason]

Absorption strength (and width) reported in theoretical case study is suitable for our measurement

Calculated by T. Koike

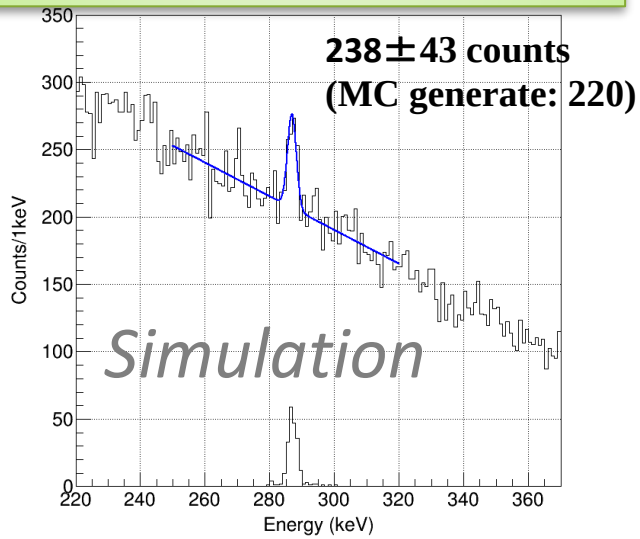
(5,4) state : $\Delta E \sim \Gamma \sim$ 4keV [W.S. shape potential of -24-3i MeV]

Recent Lattice & ChiralEFT calc.
Shows <1/10 smaller imaginary strength

E03 1st expected result

for not full accelerator intensity

Expected X-ray energy spectrum for (6→5) transition [width=1 keV]



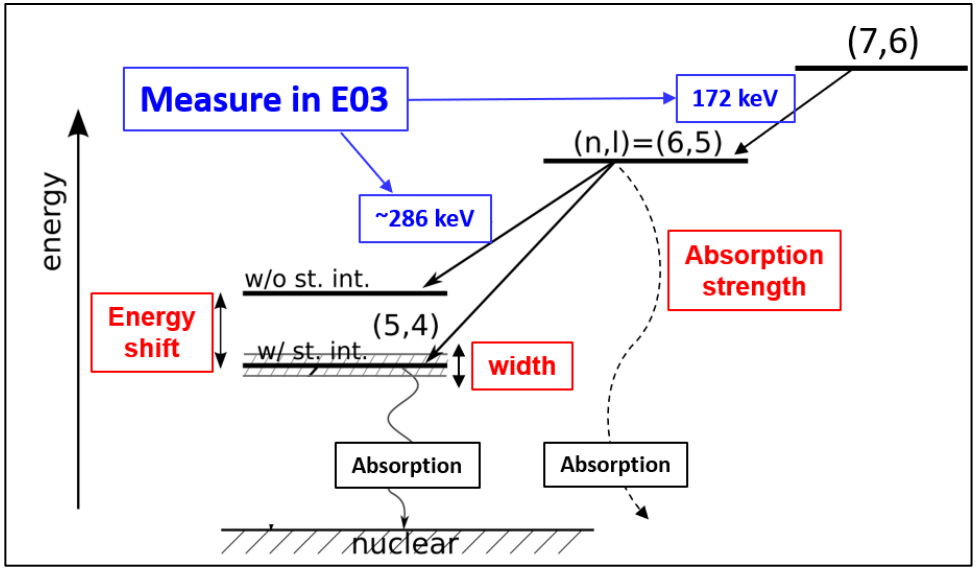
< 1st phase > 10% statistics

- (7→6) transition will be seen
  → "World first measurement"
- (6→5) finite shift & width (if Γ<1 keV)
- information of absorption strength from (6→5)/(7→6)

< 2nd phase > 100% statistics

- (6→5) shift & width
  (if Γ~4 keV)

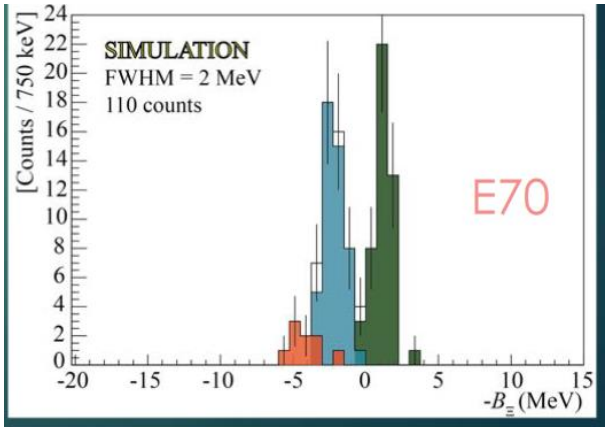
Data taking of 1st phase will be done in 2021.1

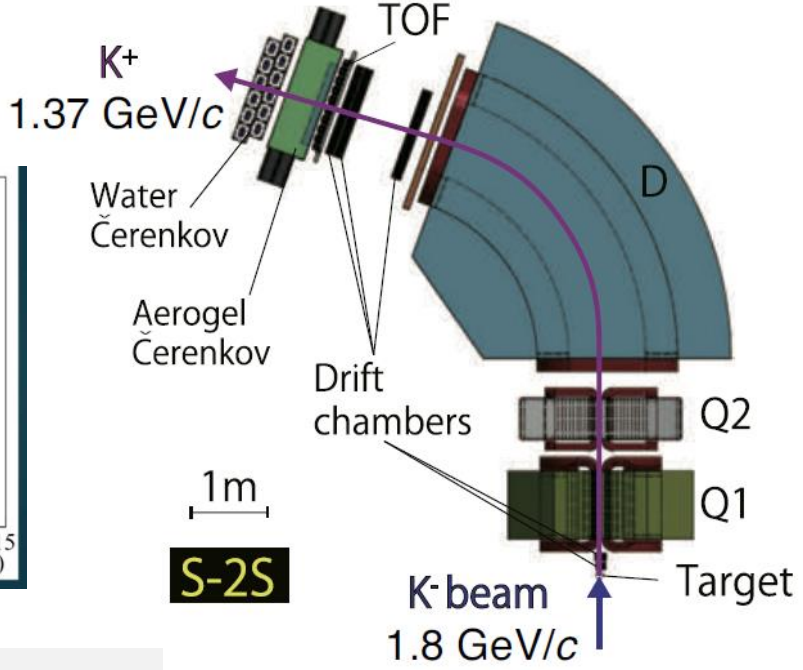


Near future measurement with S-2S

High resolution Ξ^- hypernuclear spectroscopy with the same reaction.

T. Nagae, J-PARC PAC (2019)





Systematic measurement will be performed:

Target = ^{12}C (E70), ^{7}Li (E75), etc. in future?

Byproduct

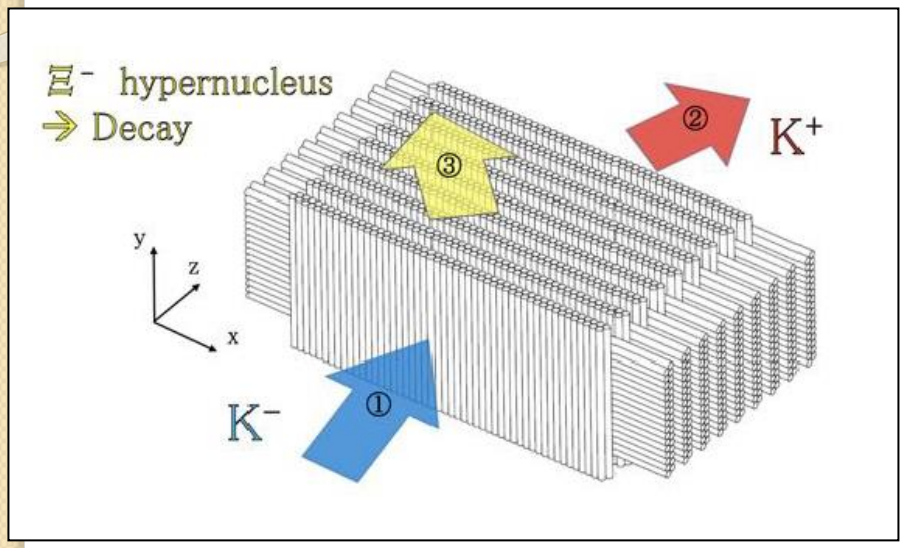
Chance for X-ray measurement in parallel

	S-2S
Magnet Configuration	QQD
Acceptance [msr]	55
Magnetic field [T]	1.5
Resolution [FWHM]	5.5 x 10^{-4}
Bending angle [deg]	70

Active fiber target [E70]

First target for S-2S experiment: ^{12}C

(E70 physics run in 2022-2023)



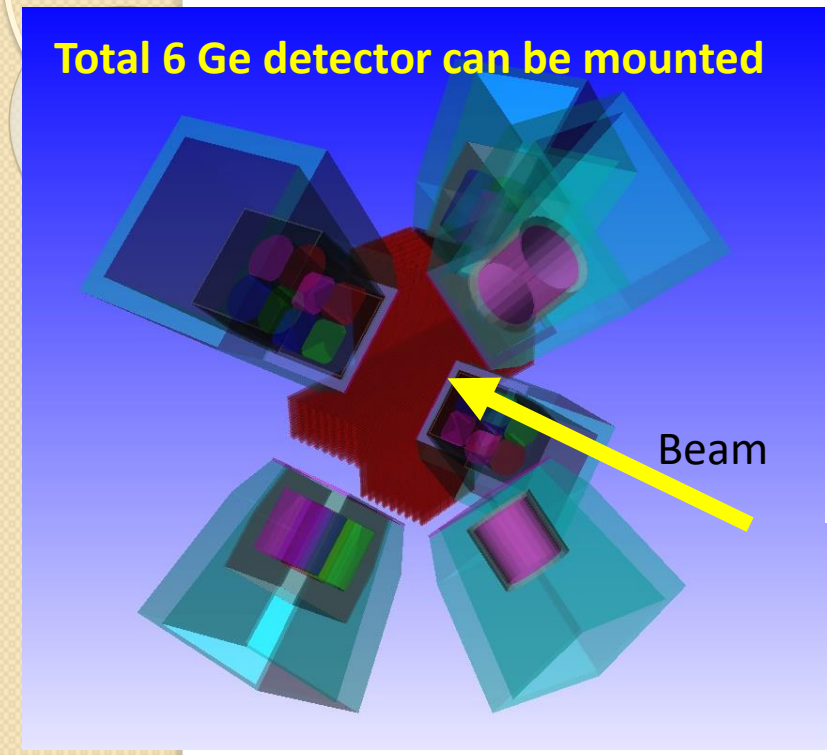
Active fiber target for energy loss correction

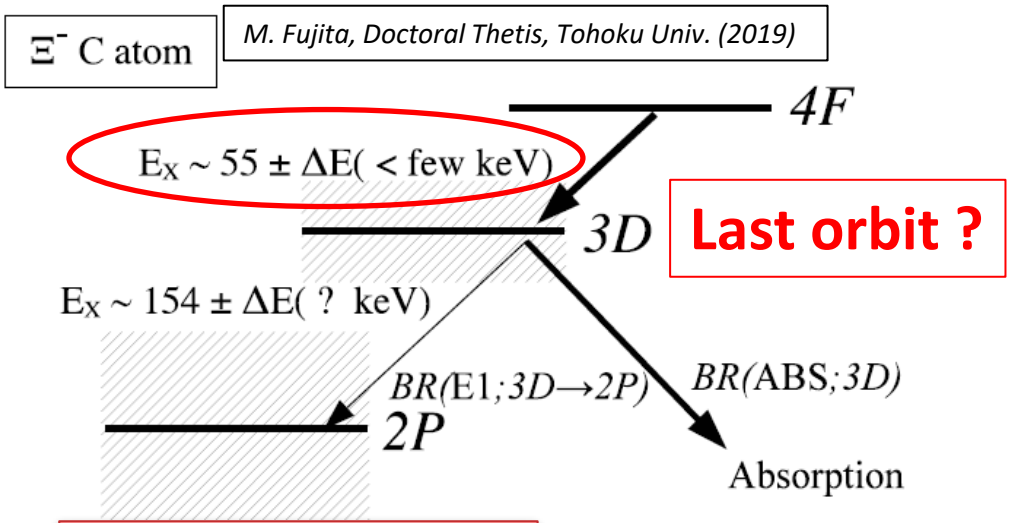
Merit for X-ray measurement

Feature of the X-ray measurement:

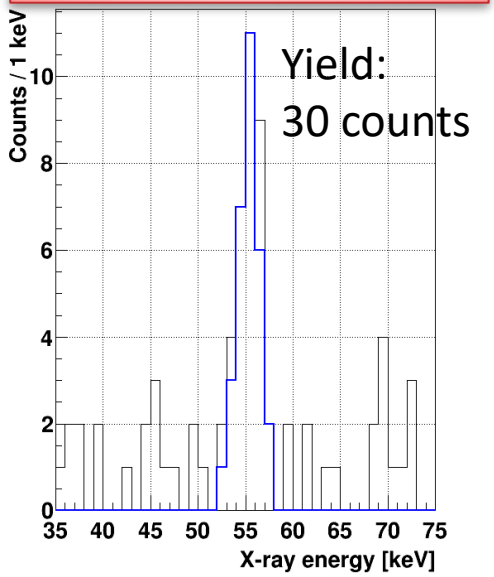
- **S/N ratio ○ [we can tag Ξ⁻ stop]**
- **Yield rate ×**
  - **Very low stop probability (low density)**
  - **Smaller acceptance of S-2S**

Second try for C-atom measurement

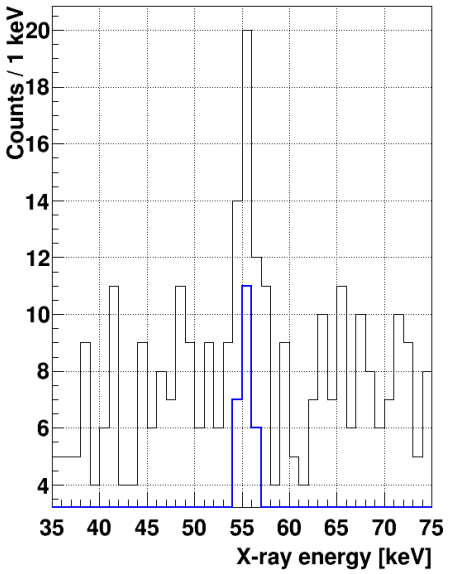




Expected spectrum



High B.G. case



Assumption for yield estimation:

- **30% X-ray yield / Ξstop**
  [lower than QCD based calc. (~40%)]
- **~1 month beamtime for E70**

We have chance to observe X ray

Summary

We are aiming for

world first measurement of X ray from Ξ^--atom

→ Information on the ΞA optical potential

- **First try in J-PARC E07**

  Br, Ag-atom w/ emulsion analysis

  C-atom w/o emulsion analysis

- **Coming measurement in J-PARC E03**

  Fe-atom w/ optimum condition

- **Future measurement with S-2S experiment**

  C-atom w/ active target [second try]

  and more…

We will start systematic measurement in future