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# Development of beam TOF system for high statistic $\Lambda p$ scattering experiment

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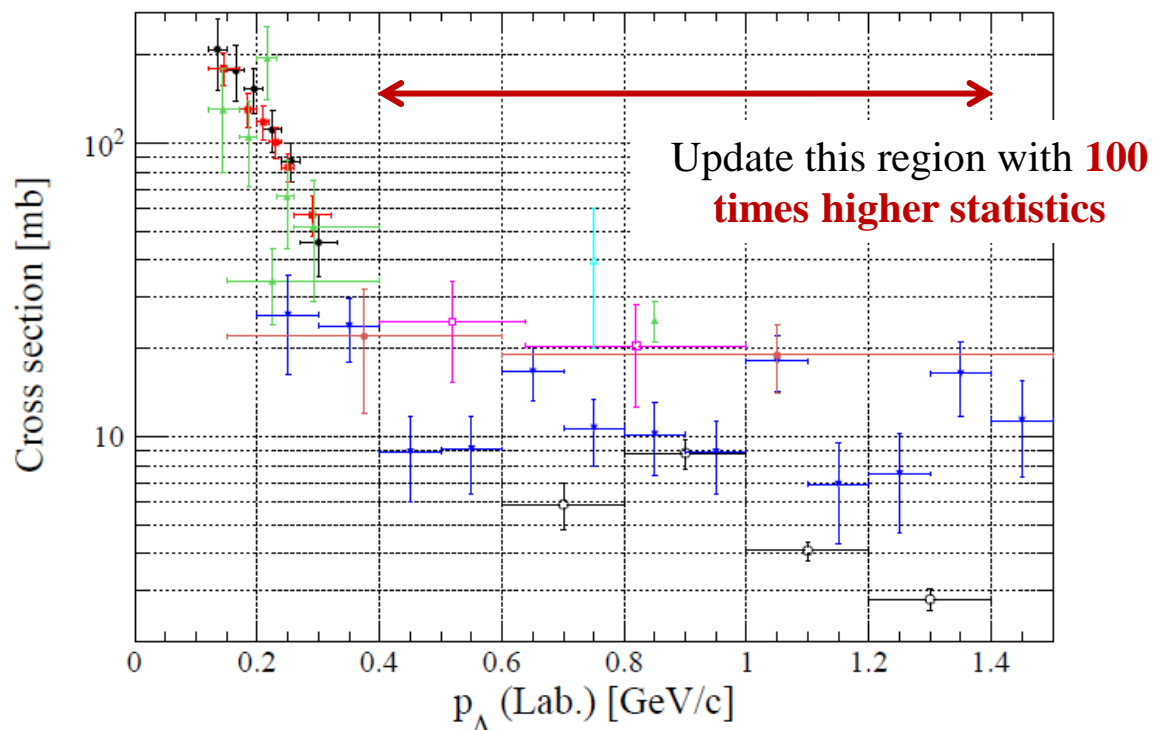
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# Introduction

# Overview of this experiment

Total cross sections of  $\Lambda p \rightarrow \Lambda p$  measured so far.



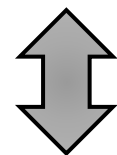
## Our aim

Measure precisely the cross sections of  $\Lambda p$  scatterings in the momentum range between 0.4 and 1.4 GeV/c

**100 times higher statistics** of past experiments for

- **Total cross section**
  - **Differential cross section**
- for each 0.1-GeV/c momentum region

Study of two-body  $\Lambda N$  interaction  
by **scattering experiment**



Approach to the hyperon puzzle of  
neutron star

Collaborate with

- B01 ストレンジ・ハドロンクラスター
- A02 クォーククラスター

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# Overview of this experiment

Double scattering experiment.

- $\pi^- p \rightarrow K^*(892)^0 \Lambda, K^*(892)^0 \rightarrow K^+ \pi^-$
- $\Lambda p \rightarrow \Lambda p$

## Beam condition

- Intensity: 60 M/spill
- Momentum: 8.5 GeV/c

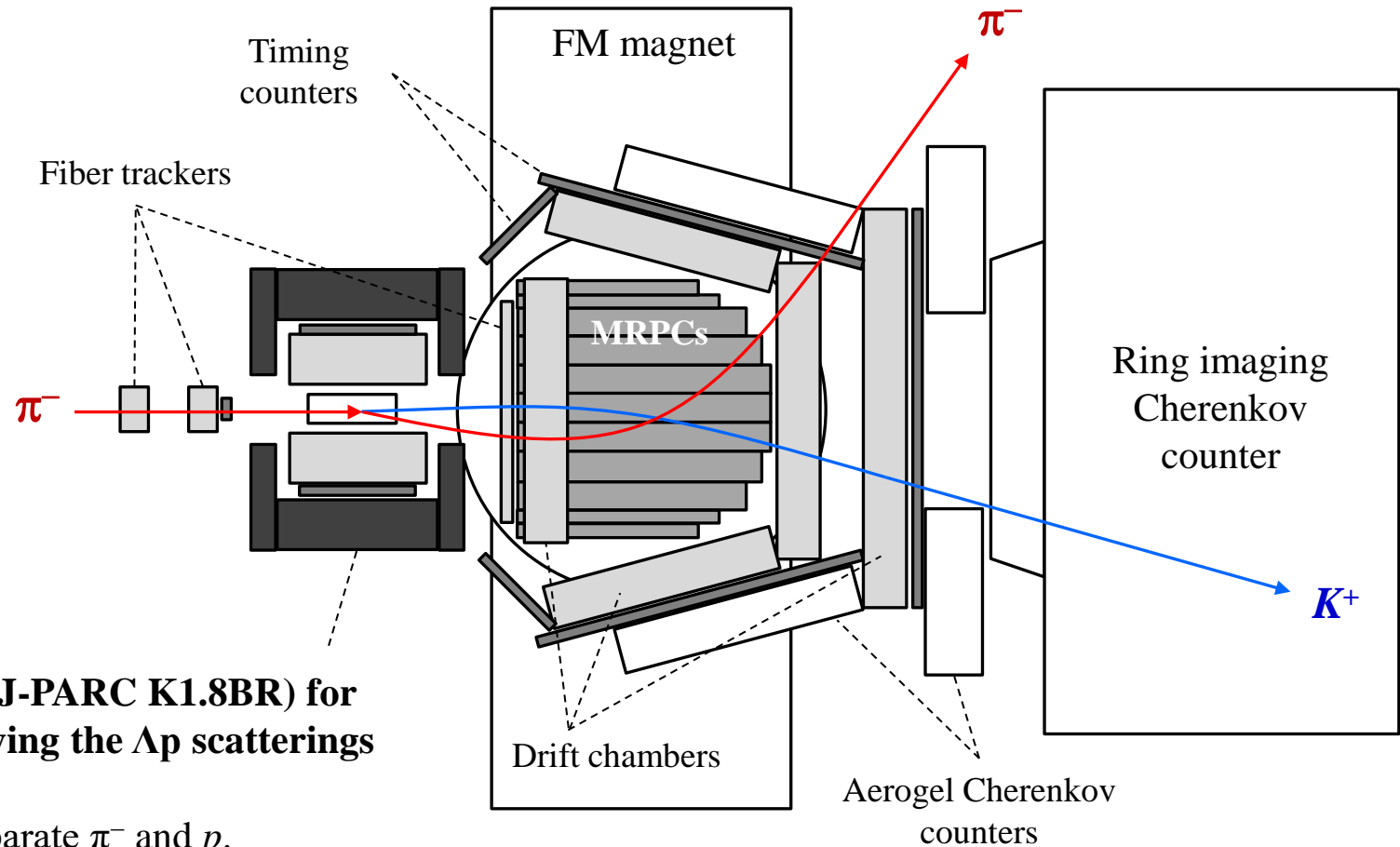
## Experimental target

- Liquid hydrogen
- 100 mm in diameter
- 570 mm in length

## Spectrometer system

- Missing mass resolution 16 MeV/c<sup>2</sup>
- Reconstruction efficiency 66%

Experimental setup of the J-PARC E50 experiment.  
(Charmed-baryon spectroscopy)



## CDS (J-PARC K1.8BR) for identifying the $\Lambda p$ scatterings

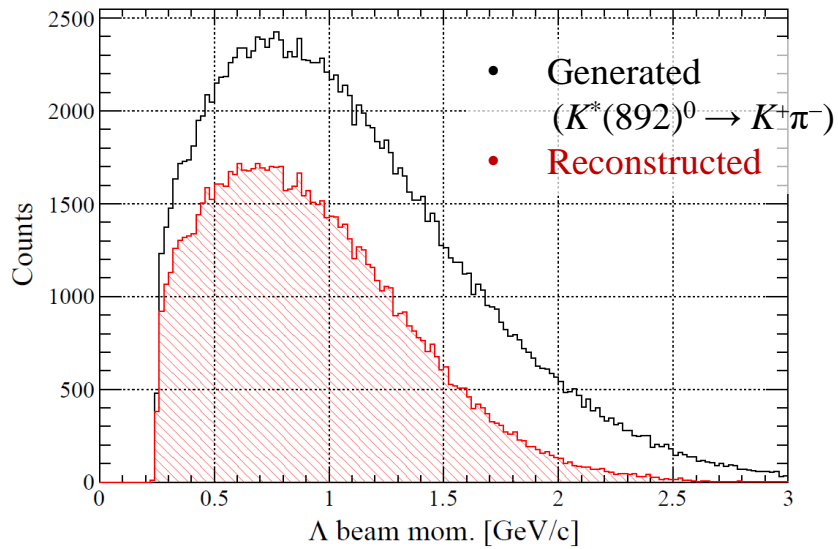
Requirements

- PID to separate  $\pi^-$  and  $p$ .
- Momentum analysis to reconstruct  $\Lambda$ .

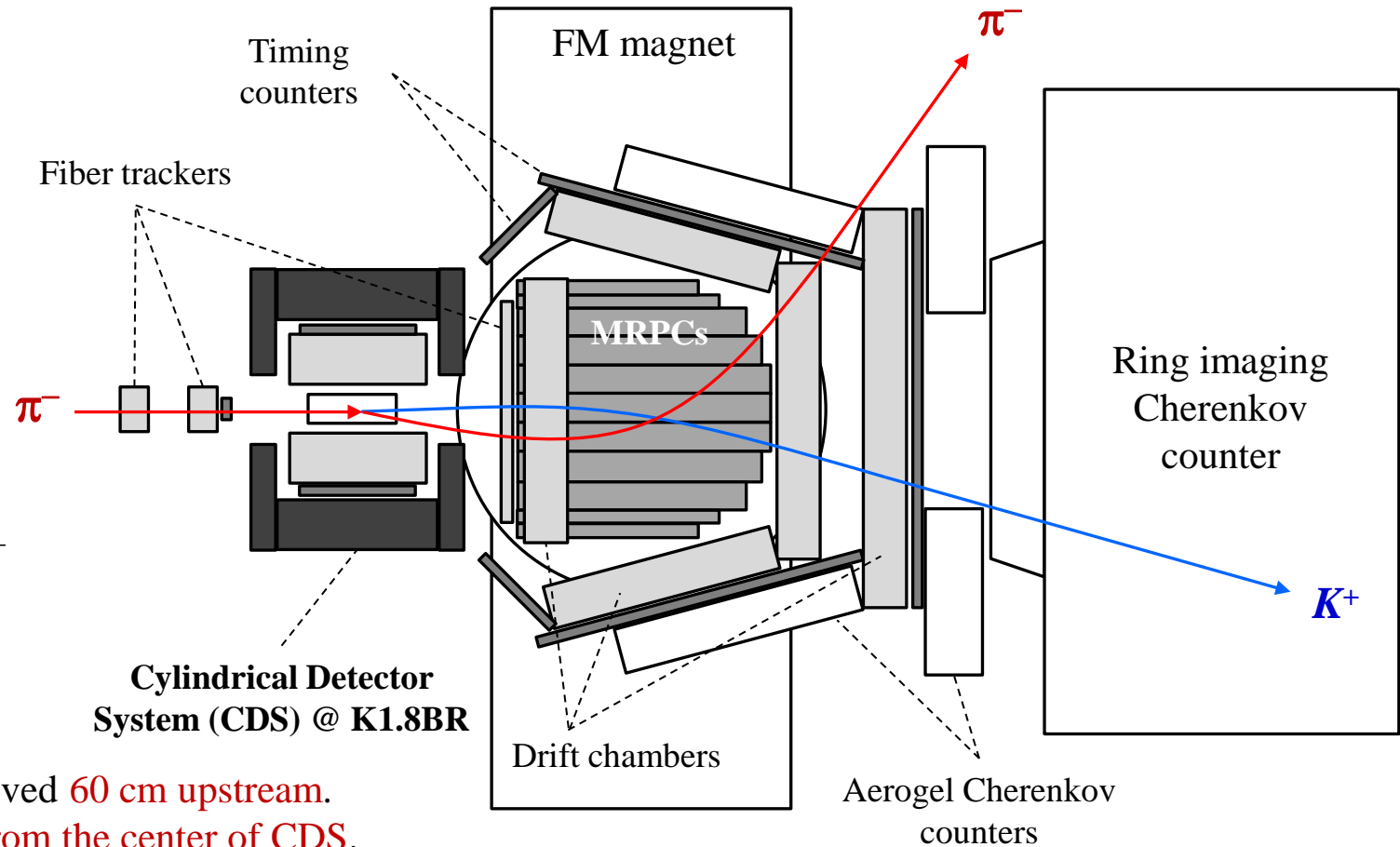
# Reconstruction efficiency

## Experimental setup of the $\Lambda p$ scattering experiment

Momentum distribution of the  $\Lambda$  beams  
(simulated)



\*\*\* Angular distribution of the  $\pi^- p \rightarrow K^*(892)^0 \Lambda$  reaction is taken into account



Reconstruction efficiency for  $K^*(892)^0 \rightarrow K^+ \pi^-$

**66%**

Beam detectors and the target are moved **60 cm upstream**.  
The target is moved **20 cm upstream from the center of CDS**.  
End guard hole size 30 mm ( $\varphi$ )  $\rightarrow$  **40 mm ( $\varphi$ )**

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# Aim of this Grant

# Detector system of the E50 experiment

Probability of finding 2 particles in a 10 ns bin.  
(Effect of transverse-RF is roughly taken into account)

- $p \sim 0.27$

These two are not distinguishable for the fiber detector having the timing resolution  $\sim 1$  ns.

## Experimental setup for the $\Lambda p$ scattering

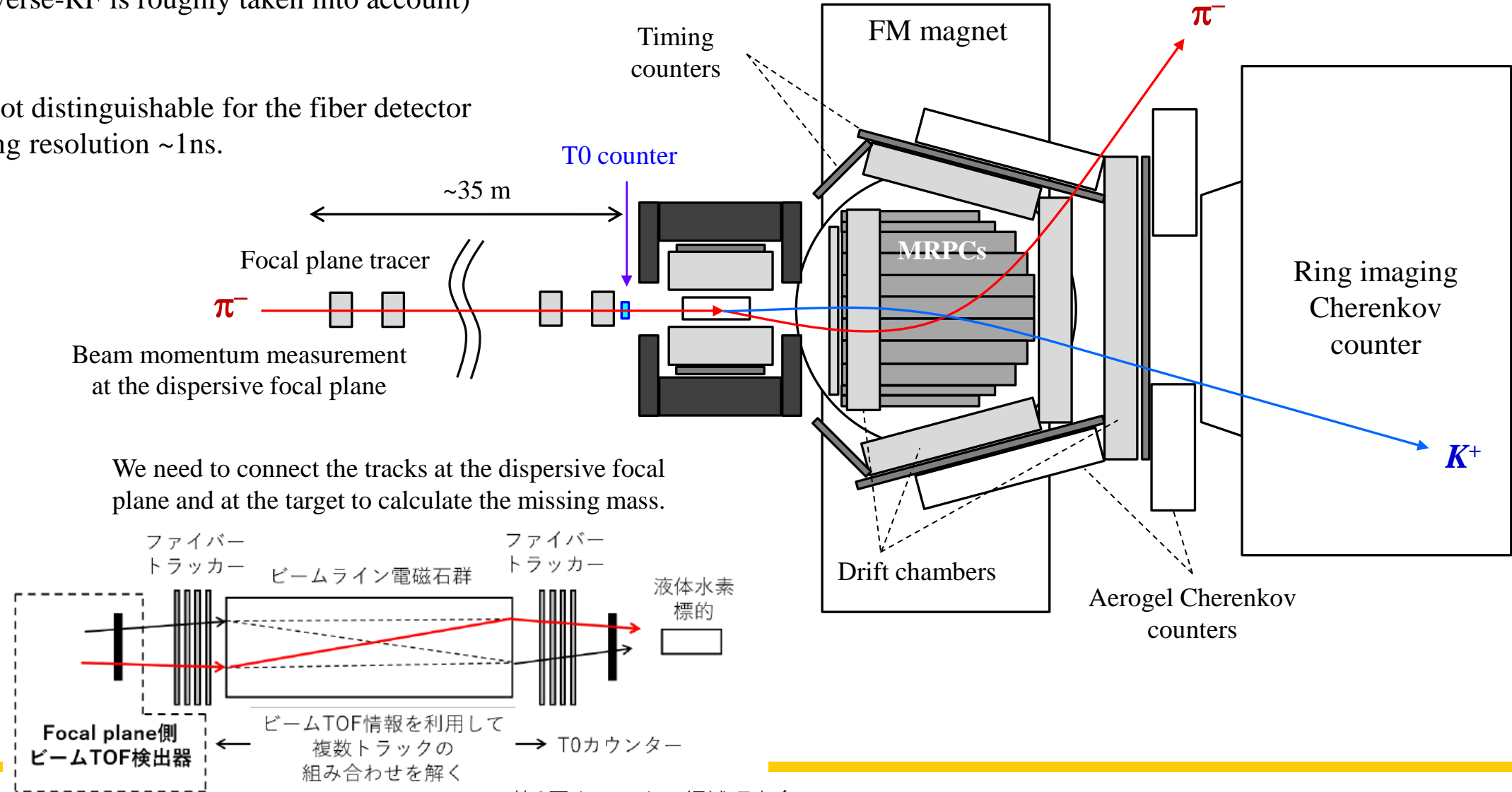
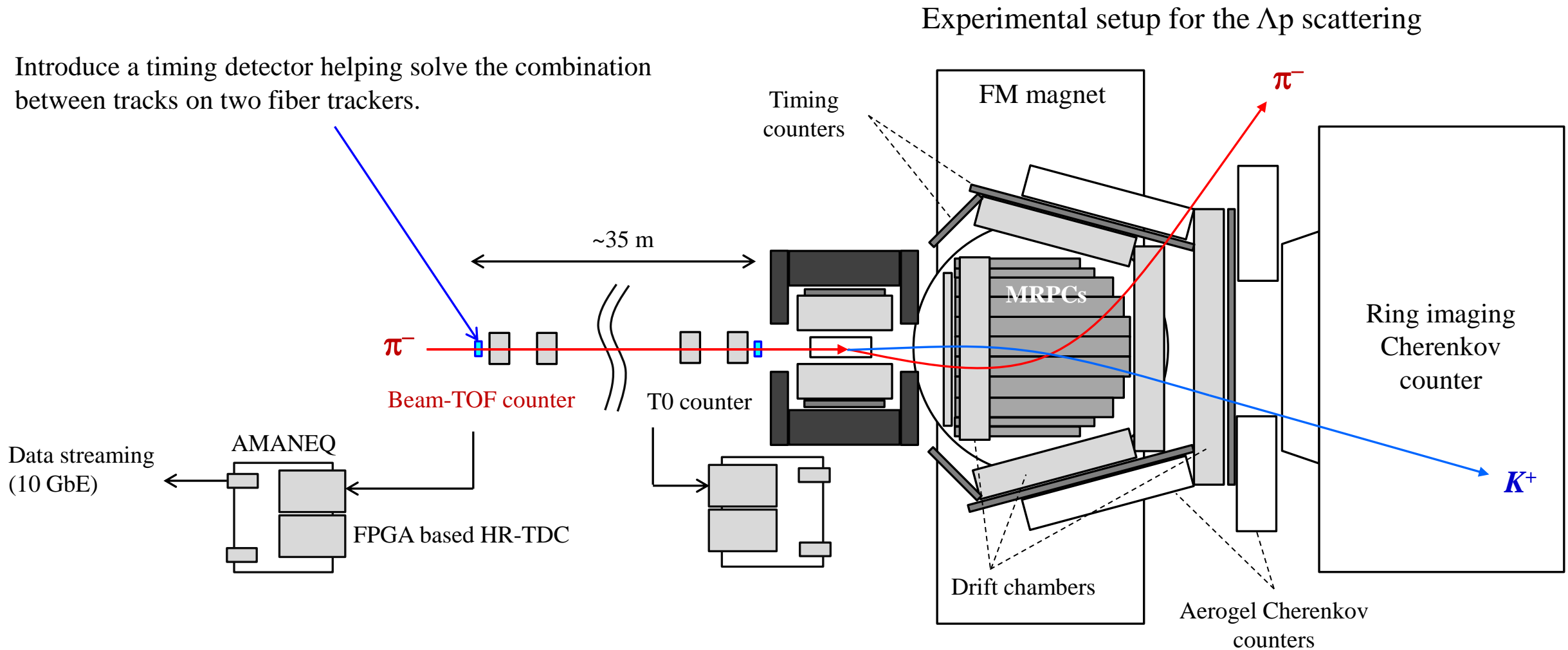


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# Detector system of the E50 experiment

Introduce a timing detector helping solve the combination between tracks on two fiber trackers.





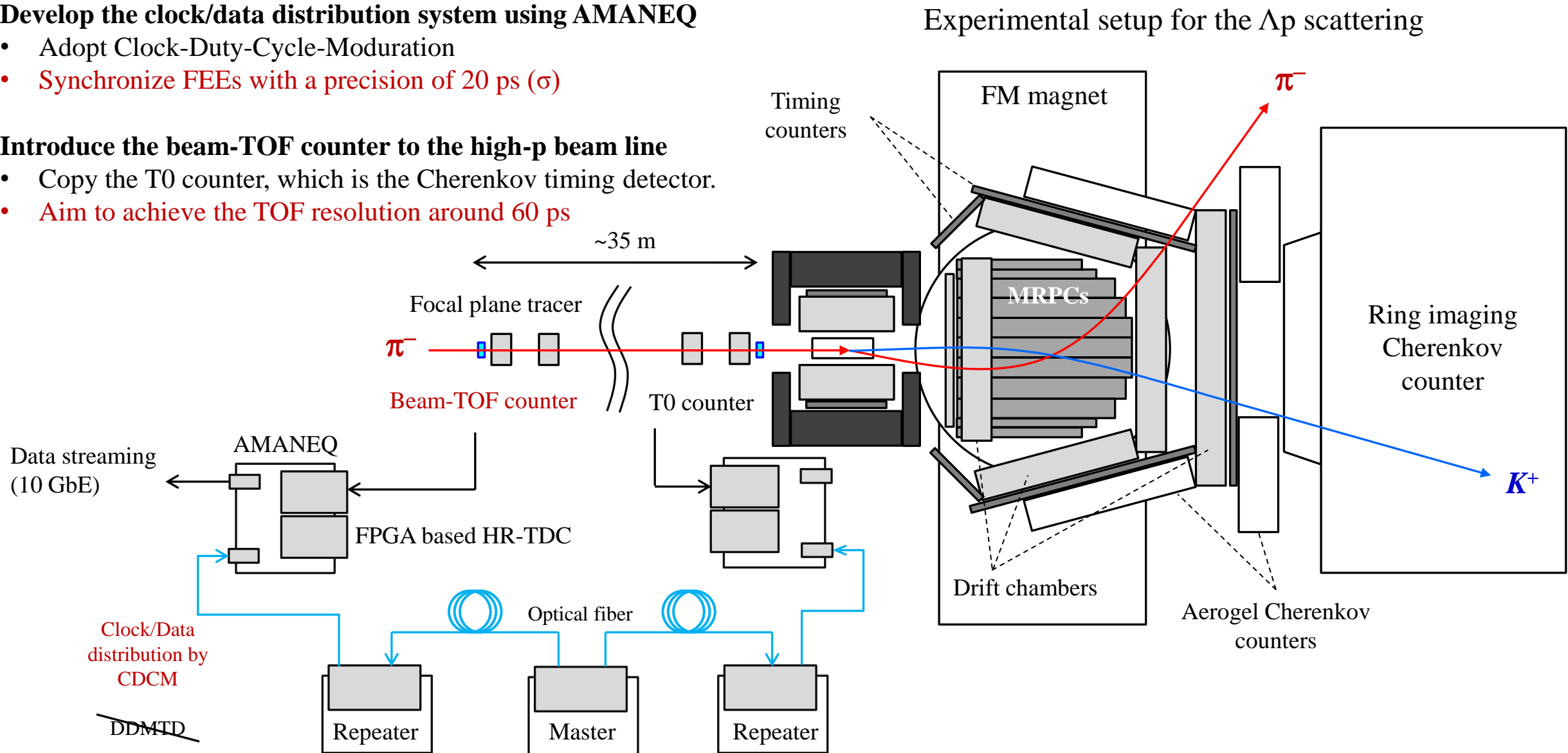
# Aim of this Grant

## Develop the clock/data distribution system using AMANEQ

- Adopt Clock-Duty-Cycle-Moduration
- Synchronize FEEs with a precision of 20 ps ( $\sigma$ )

## Introduce the beam-TOF counter to the high-p beam line

- Copy the T0 counter, which is the Cherenkov timing detector.
- Aim to achieve the TOF resolution around 60 ps



Clock/command distribution system by AMANEQ

# Trigger-less data-streaming-type DAQ system

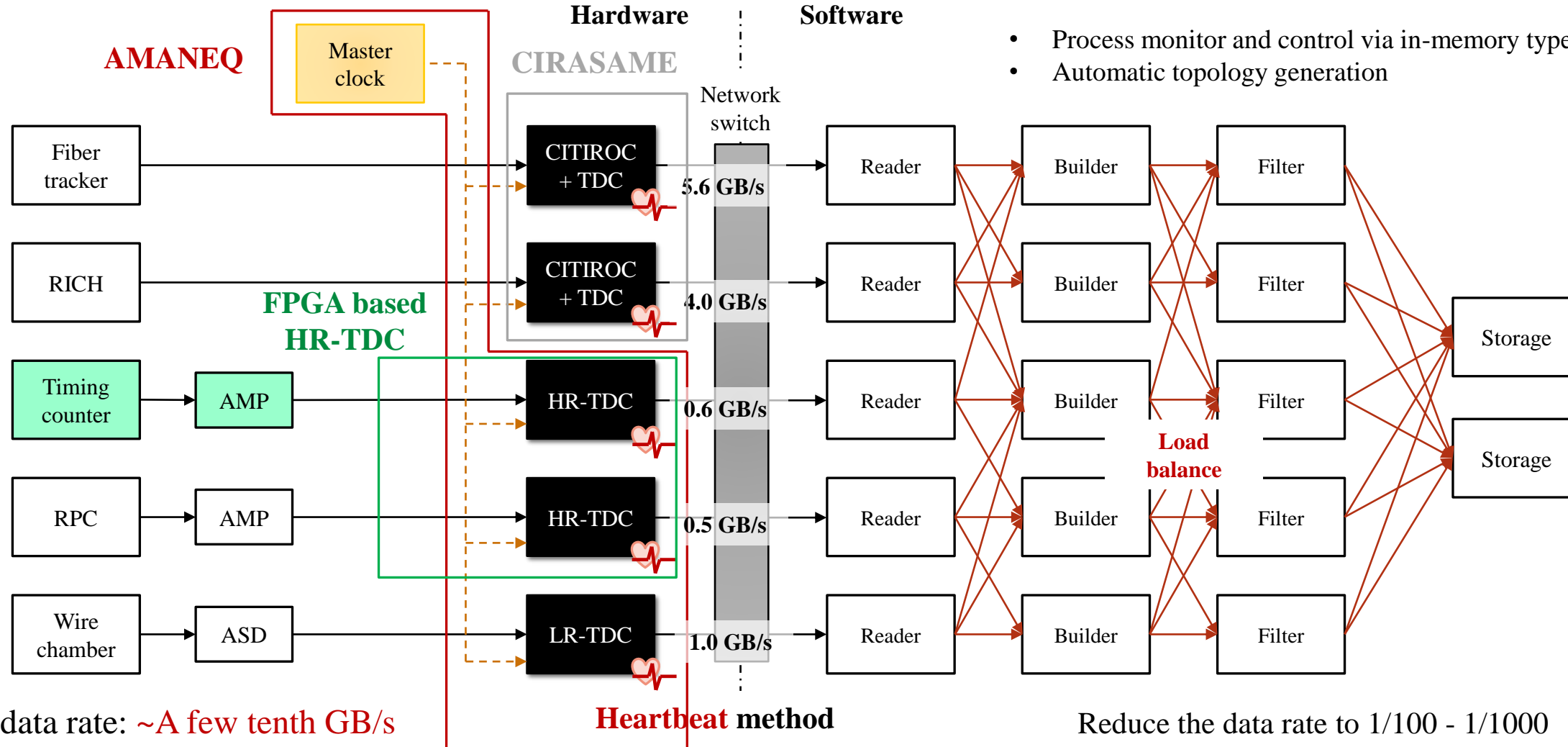
Clock/command/timing distribution  
(MIKUMARI)

Schema of the DAQ system

NestDAQ

FairMQ +  redis

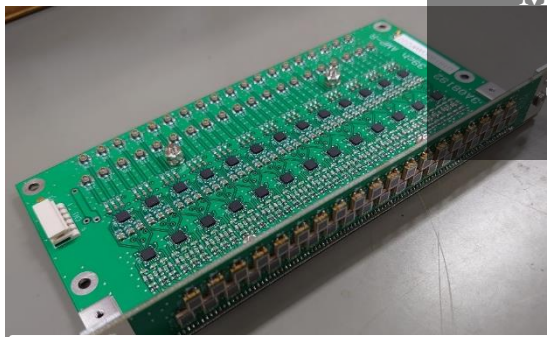
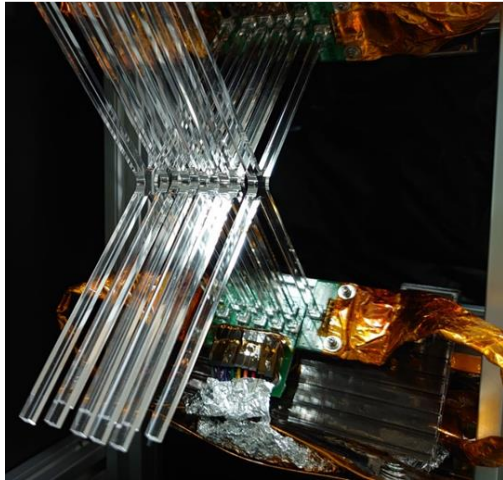
- Process monitor and control via in-memory type DB.
- Automatic topology generation



# Developed items

## Detector

Acrylic Cherenkov radiator  
(Bought by this Grant)



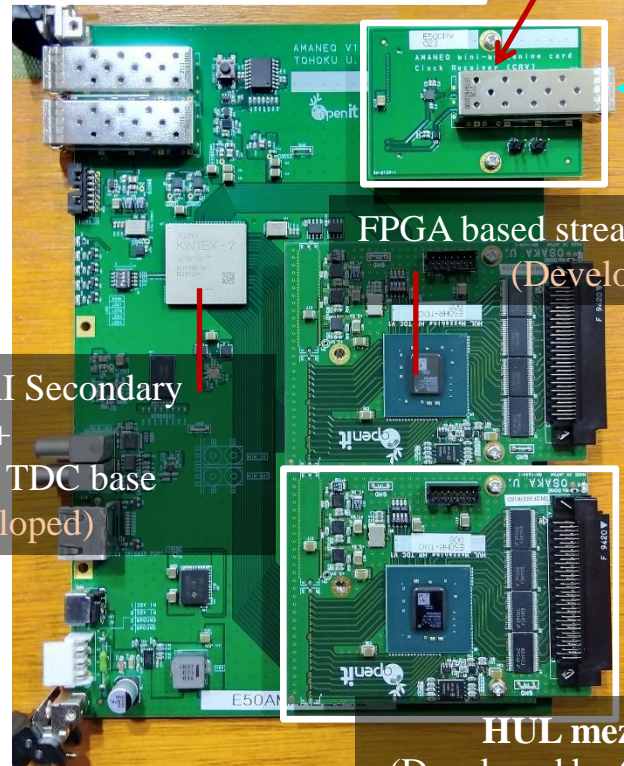
MPPC and amplifier  
(Bought by this Grant)

MIKUMARI Secondary  
+  
Streaming TDC base  
(Developed)

## Readout system for trigger-less DAQ system

Mini-mezzanine Clock-Receiver (CRV)  
(Developed by this Grant)

AMANEQ  
(Developed by Grant Wakate-B)

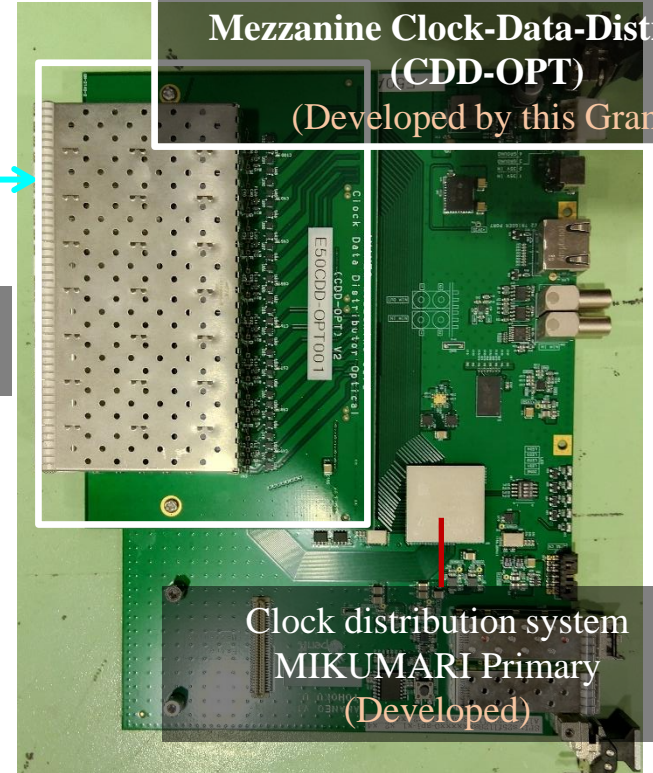


FPGA based streaming HR-TDC  
(Developed)

HUL mezzanine HR-TDC  
(Developed by Grant 中性子星核物質)

Optical fiber

Mezzanine Clock-Data-Distributor (CDD-OPT)  
(Developed by this Grant)



Clock distribution system  
MIKUMARI Primary  
(Developed)

Readout system will be tested in RCNP GR on March!

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Clock distribution system  
based on clock-duty-cycle-modulation

MIKUMARI  
(水分)

# Motivation

Precise clock distribution (a few tenth ps in  $\sigma$ ) is a key issue for many particle and nuclear experiments.

## Typical requirements

- Transferring not only **the clock** but also **synchronous data** with predictable latency
- **As small as transmission lines**

## Example solution



+

8b10b sign  
extension

+

FPGA  
high-speed serial transceiver  
(e.g. Xilinx MGT)

It actually works well, but

- It strongly depends on FPGA high-speed serial transceiver function, especially, for **clock-data recovery**.

# Motivation

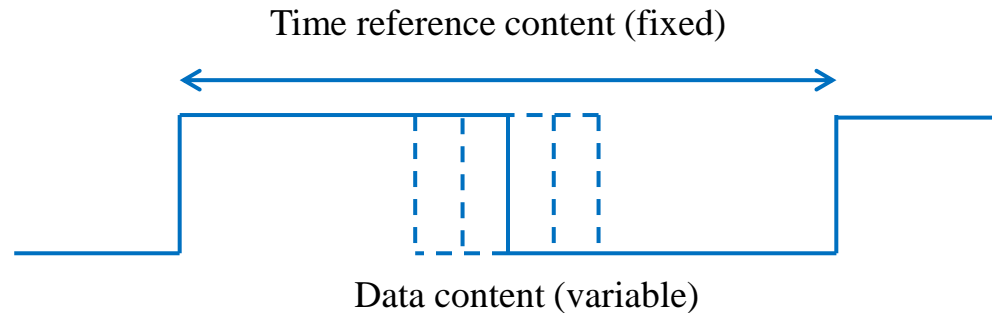
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## Adopting clock-duty-cycle-modulation (CDCM) as a core technology

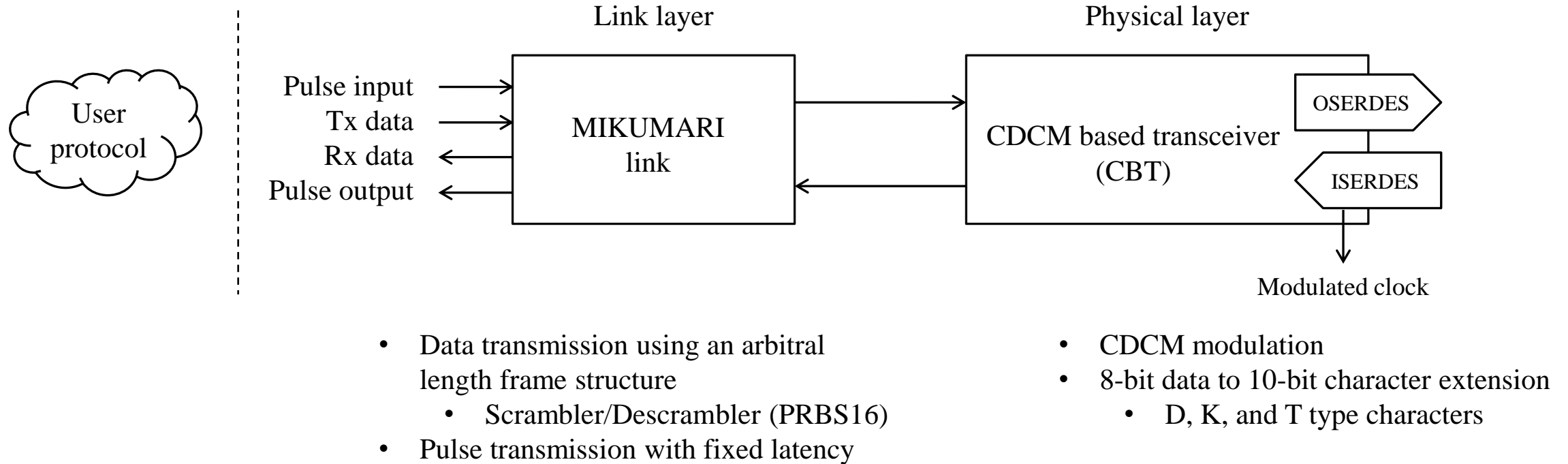
- CDCM is a **clock-centric** type modulation.
- Data bits are embedded to the trailing edges of the clock signal.



Denis Calvet,  
IEEE TNS ( Volume: 67, No. 8, Aug. 2020)

- **Modulated clock can be directly input to PLLs. Every PLL will be a clock recovery circuit.**
- No phase uncertainty if using a PLL having the zero-delay mode. (It exits in a CDR circuit due to clock frequency division.)

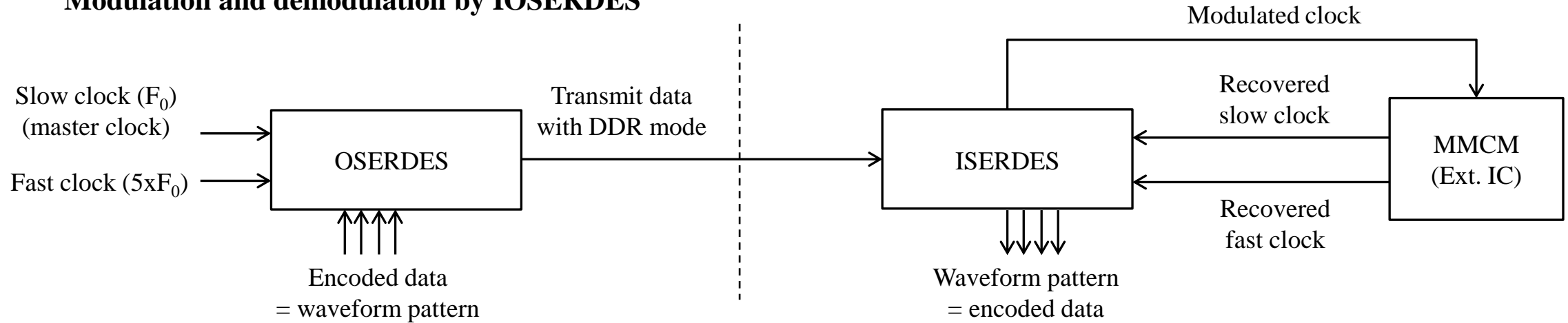
## Clock distribution system MIKUMARI (水分)



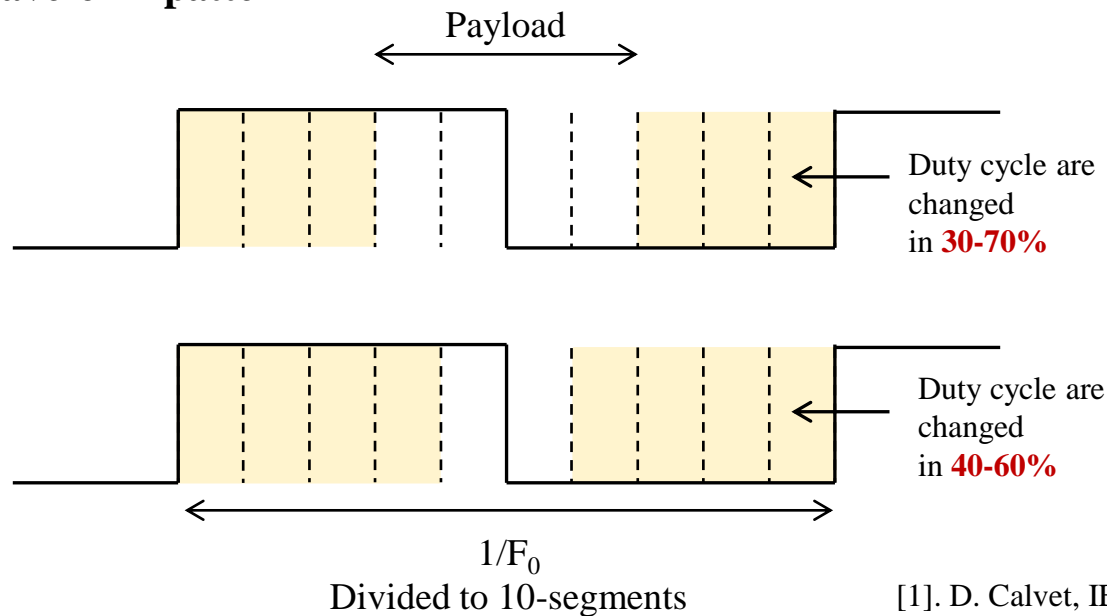
MIKUMARI link is independent from the user defined protocol.  
It's just a link layer protocol.

# CDCM by IOSERDES of Xilinx FPGA

## Modulation and demodulation by IOSERDES



### Waveform pattern



CDCM-10-2.5 encode table

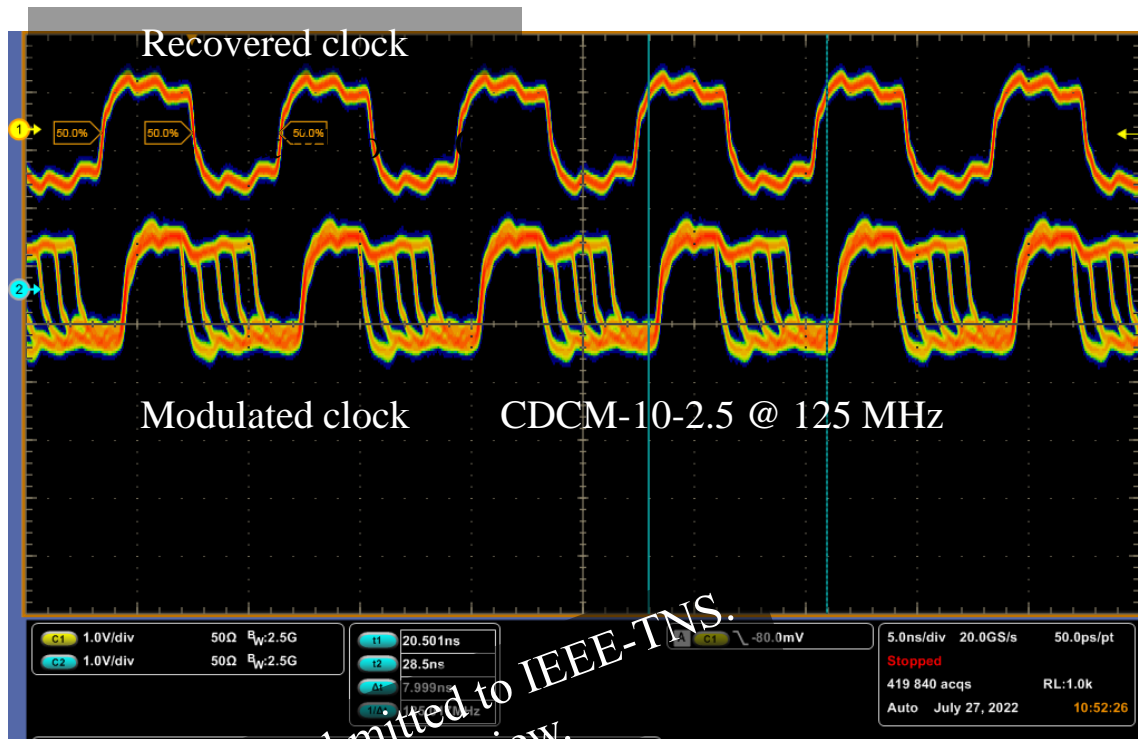
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01	0001
IDLE	0011
10	0111
11	1111

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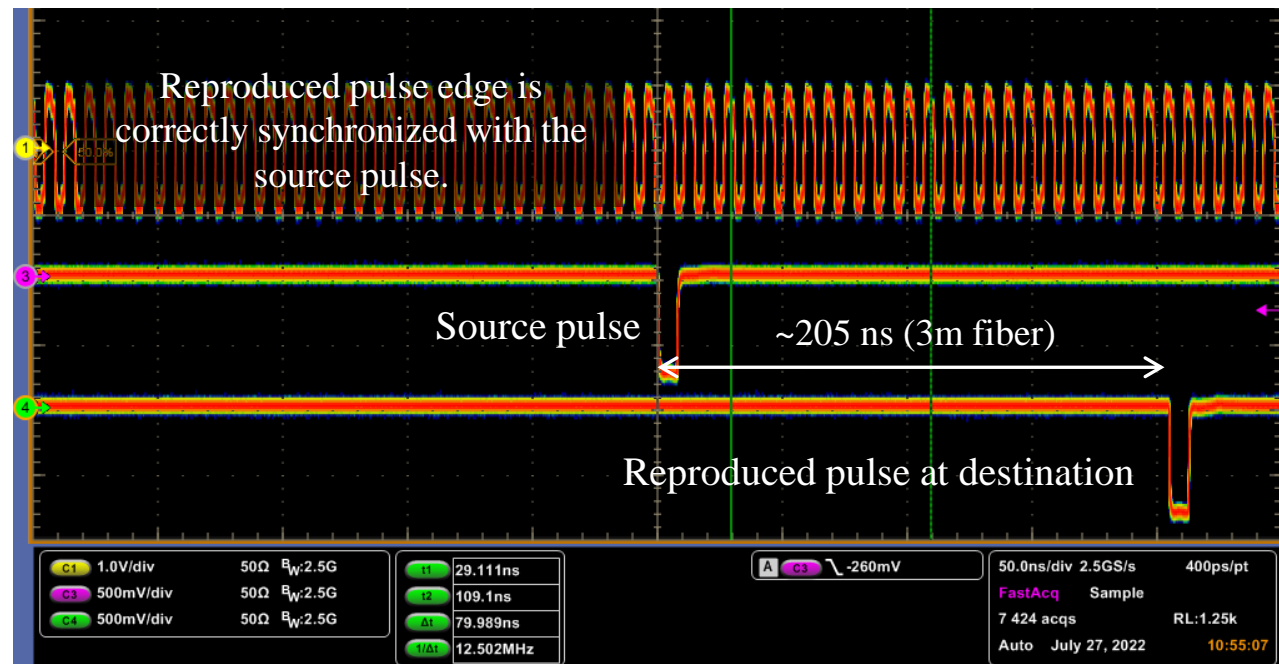


# Demonstration

Modulated clock signal  
and recovered clock signal



Pulse transfer by MIKUMARI link



**Quick summary of the obtained results.**

Jitters added per clock recovery are **4.3** and **5.2 ps ( $\sigma$ )** for CDCM-10-1.5 and CDCM-10-2.5, respectively.

The synchronization accuracy between two electronics will be around **15 ps ( $\sigma$ )** and **18 ps ( $\sigma$ )** for CDCM-10-1.5 and CDCM-10-2.5, respectively, even after repeating 10 times.

This value will satisfy many experimental requirements.

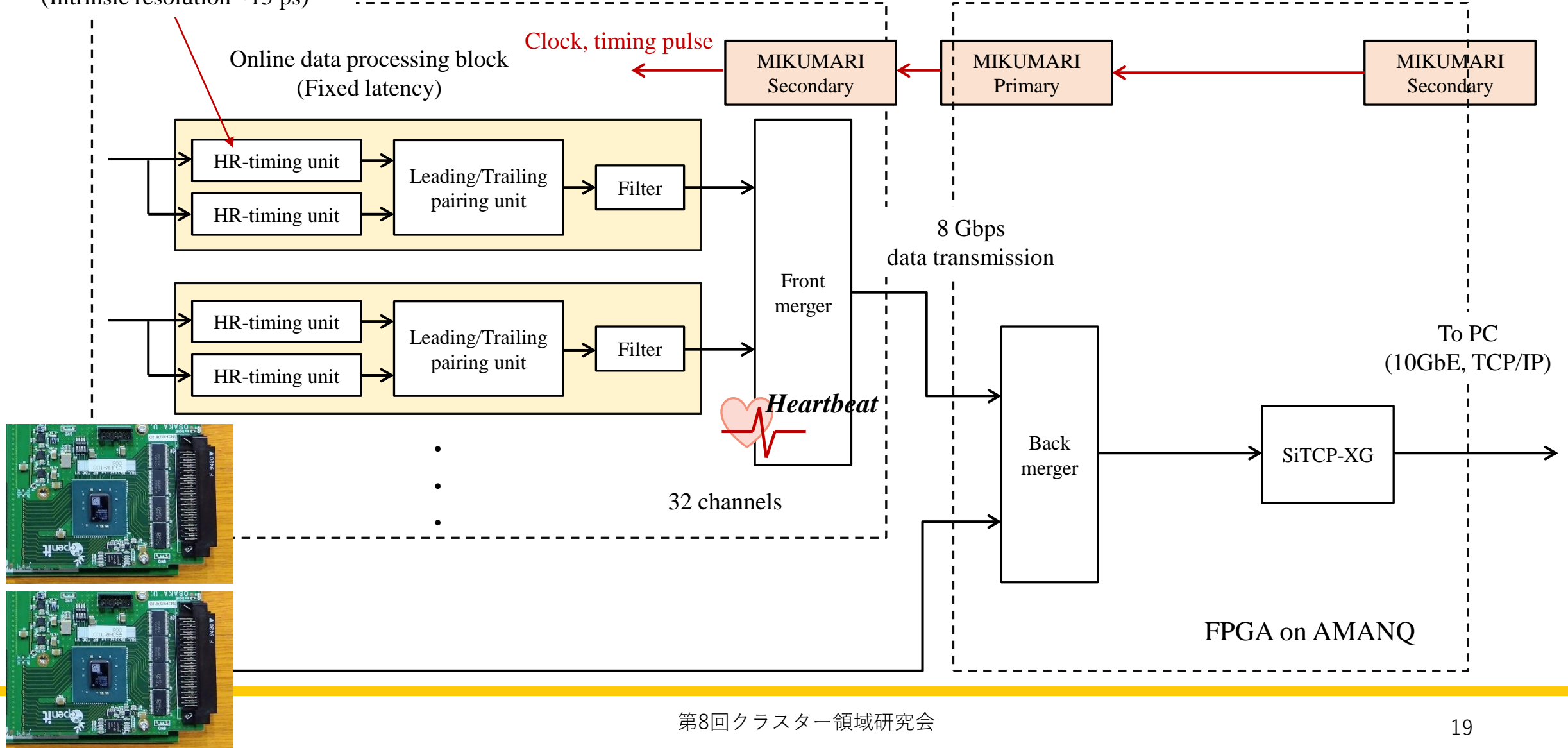
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# Trigger-less free-streaming type High-Resolution TDC

## Str-HR-TDC

# Block diagram of the Str-HR-TDC

Tapped-delay-line based  
high-resolution timing unit  
(Intrinsic resolution ~15 ps)

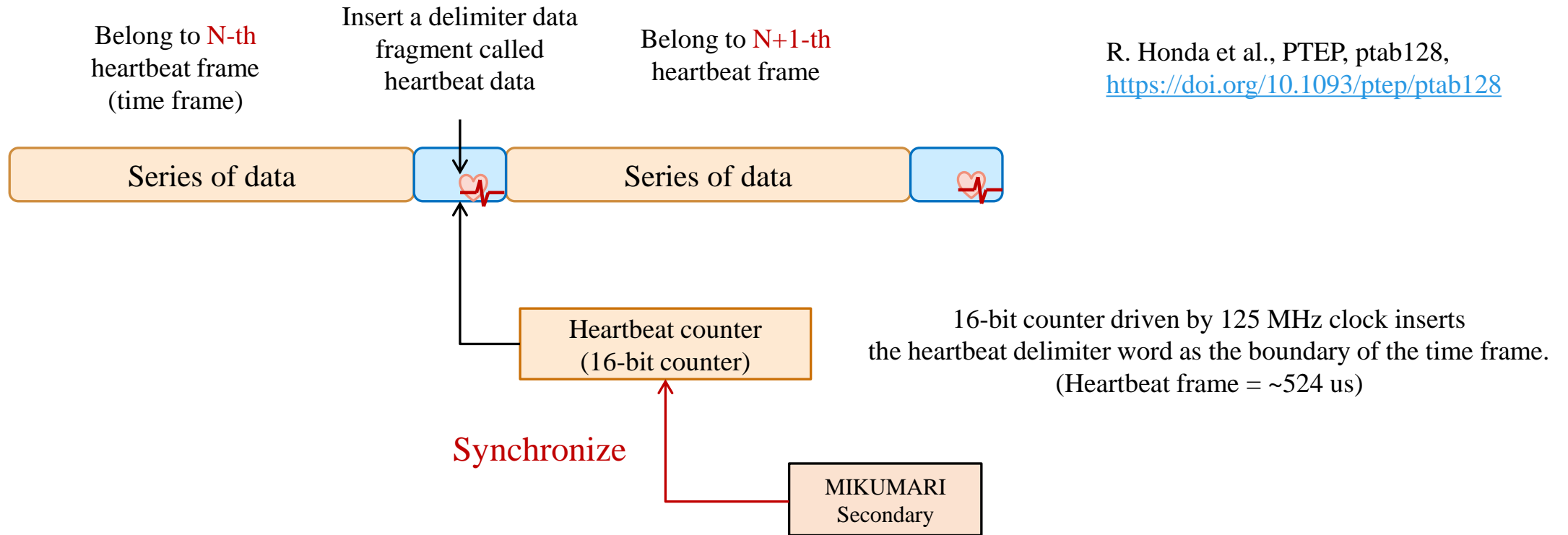


# Heartbeat method

We need the continuous timing measurement over 2 s (spill duration of J-PARC slow extraction)

- Required dynamic range:  $\sim 10^{12}$  (10 ps TDC case)

Introduce **heartbeat method**: a technique to reconstruct the time without a long-length time stamp.



Dynamic range of  $\sim 10^{14}$  is realized by only 16-bit local counter!

# Summary

## Physics motivation

- Precision of present two-body  $\Lambda N$  interaction is not enough to discuss the existence of the extra repulsion caused by many-body force.
- Determination of partial wave phase shift is necessary.

## A plan of the $\Lambda p$ scattering experiment at the high-p beam line.

- Produce  $\Lambda$  via  $\pi^- p \rightarrow K^{0*}(892)\Lambda$
- Measure and identify  $\Lambda$  production by the forward spectrometer in the J-PARC high-p beam line.

## Trigger-less free-streaming type beam TOF measurement system was developed

### The clock distribution system based on clock-duty-cycle-modulation, MIKUMARI, was developed.

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### Trigger-less free-streaming type high-resolution TDC was developed.

- Tapped-delay-line based high-resolution timing unit was used.
- Introduced the heartbeat method, and thus the dynamic range of  $\sim 10^{14}$  was achieved by only 16-bit local counter.

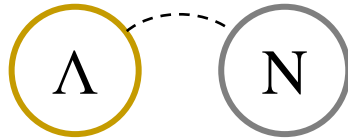
**This system will be the standard TDC system for the future nuclear and particle physics experiments!**

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# Backup

# Introduction

## Two-body $\Lambda N$ interaction

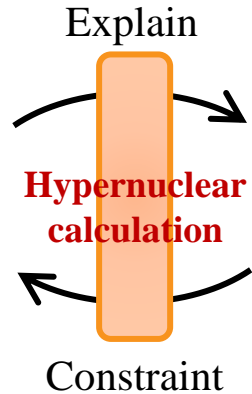
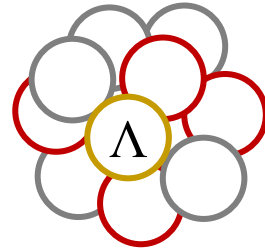


Constructed by scattering data at the dawn.

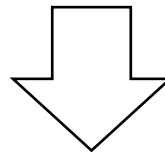
Lack of data.

Not precise enough to discuss many-body effect from hypernuclei data.

## $\Lambda$ Hypernuclei



Biding energy.  
Level spacing.  
Decay mode.



Trying extract many-body force.

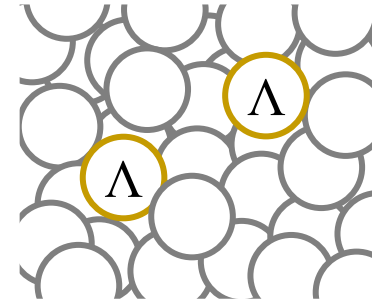
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## Neutron star



$2\odot$  mass  
neutron star

Hyperon puzzle

Support massive  
neutron star

# $\Lambda$ N interaction and hypernuclei

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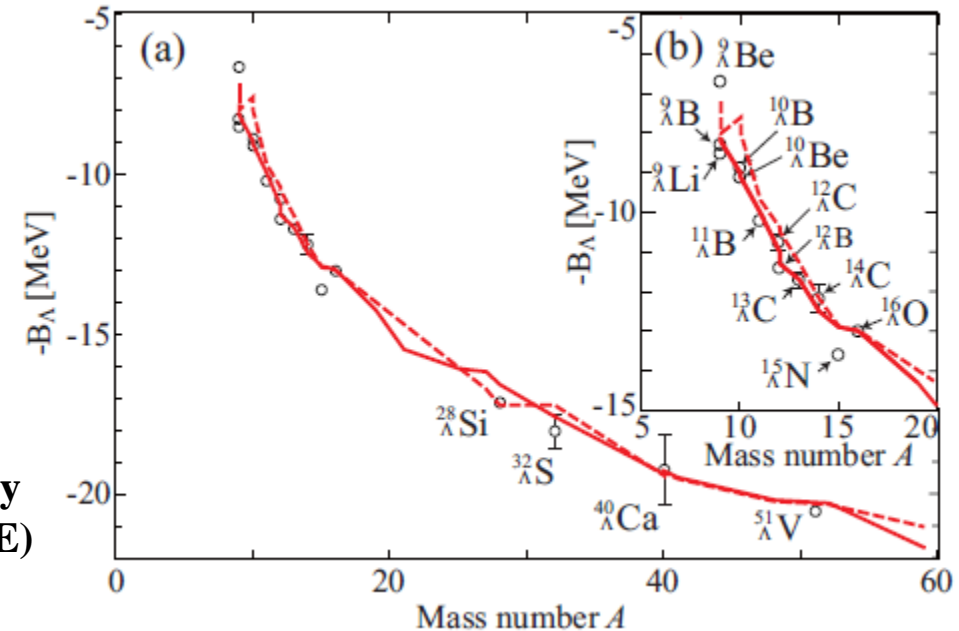
Multi-pomeron  
exchange potential  
(MPP)

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Phenomenological  
three-body attraction  
(TBA)

Many-body  
effect (MBE)

Comparison between experimental data  
and Hyper-AMD calculation.



M. Isaka et al., PRC95, 044308 (2017)

They discussed the room to add extra  
repulsion caused by MBE.



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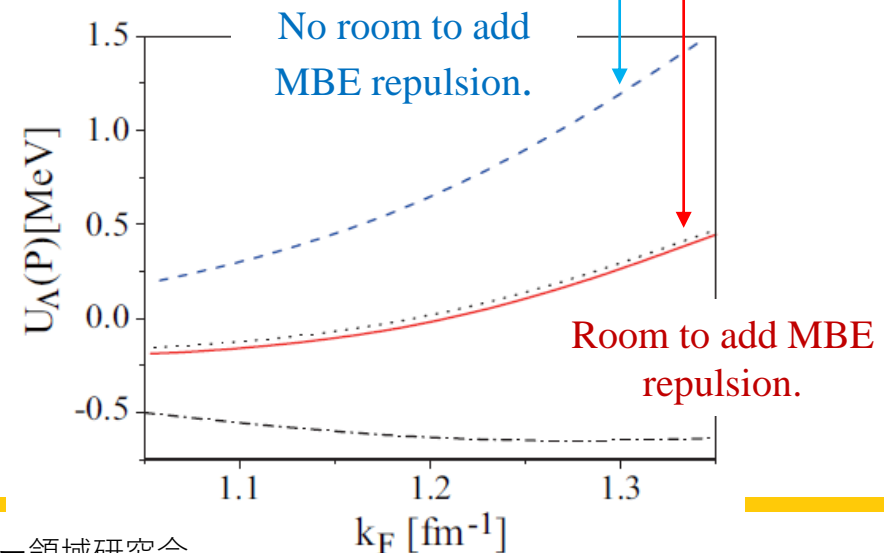


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ESC14	-40.8	-39.6	+0.4
ESC12	-40.0	-40.0	+1.5
ESC04a	-43.2	-38.4	-3.7
NSC97e	-37.7	-40.4	+4.0
NSC97f	-34.8	-39.1	+5.6

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$k_F$  dependence of  $U(P)$



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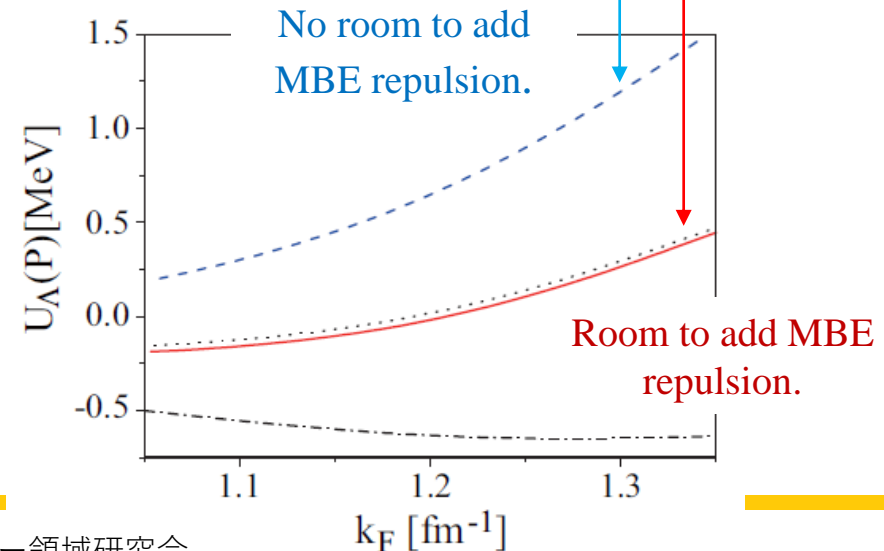


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$k_F$  dependence of  $U(P)$



Present scattering data cannot solve this  $P$ -  
state (wave) uncertainty.

This is a quite important rising a problem  
to the  $\Lambda N$  interaction.

# Experimental setup

Double scattering experiment.

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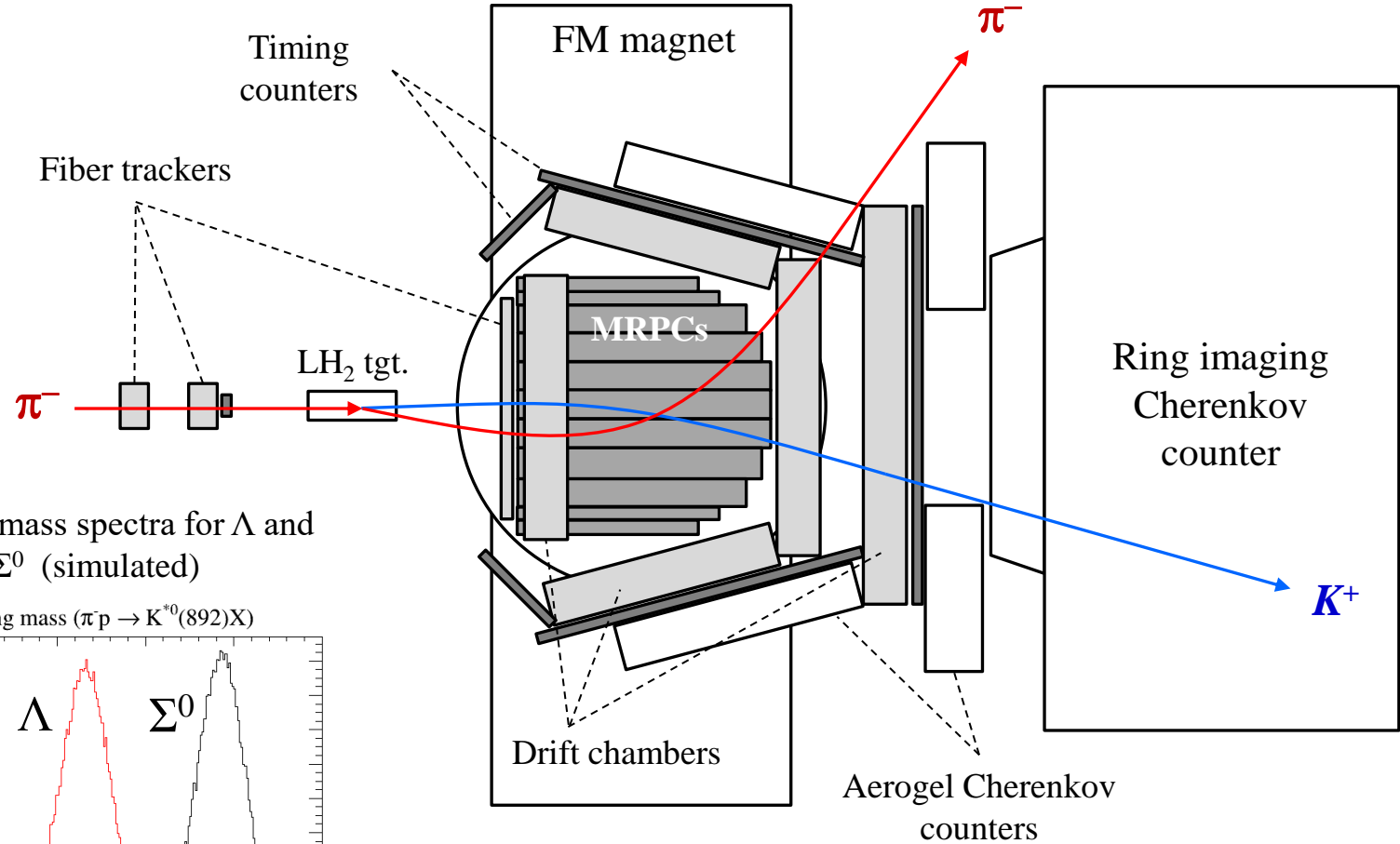
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## Spectrometer system

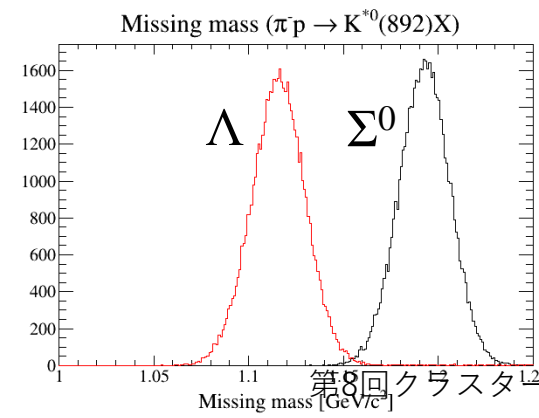
- Missing mass resolution
- Reconstruction efficiency

16 MeV/c<sup>2</sup>  
66%

Experimental setup of the J-PARC E50 experiment.  
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Missing mass spectra for  $\Lambda$  and  $\Sigma^0$  (simulated)



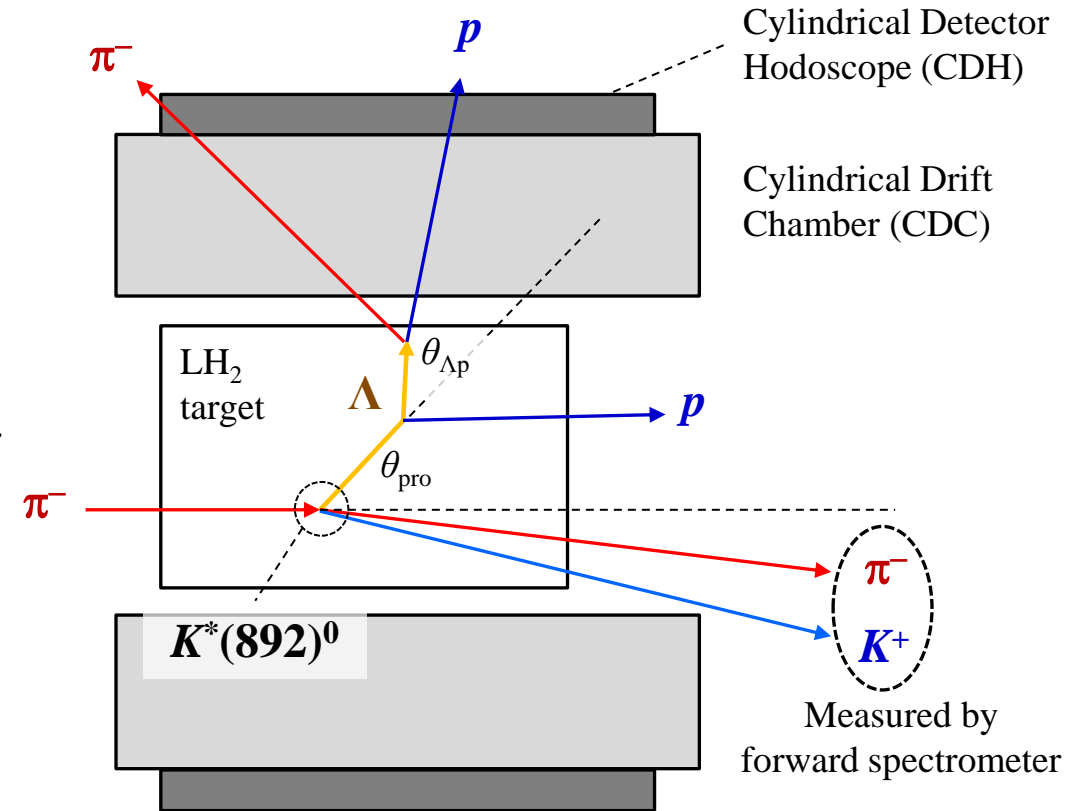
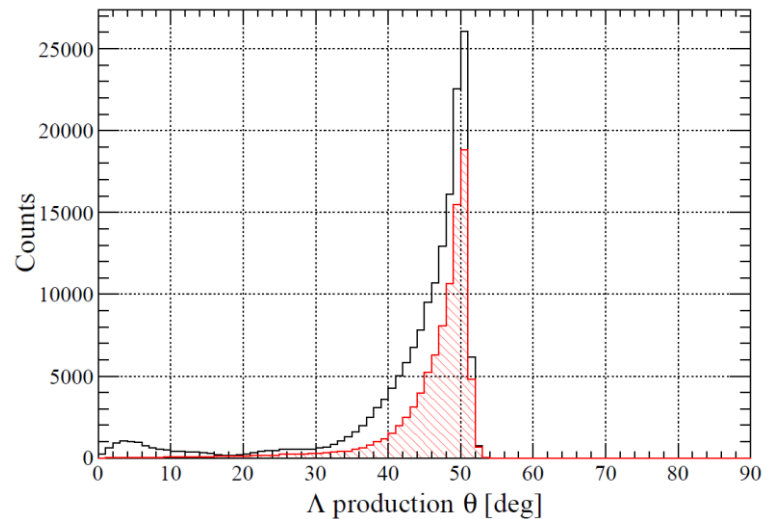
# Acceptance of CDS for the $\Lambda$ scattering

## Procedure to identify the $\Lambda p$ scattering

- Momentum vector of initial  $\Lambda$  Known
- Momentum vectors of
  - Scattered proton
  - Scattered  $\Lambda$
 } Measure either
- Scattering angle,  $\theta_{\Lambda p}$ , is obtained.

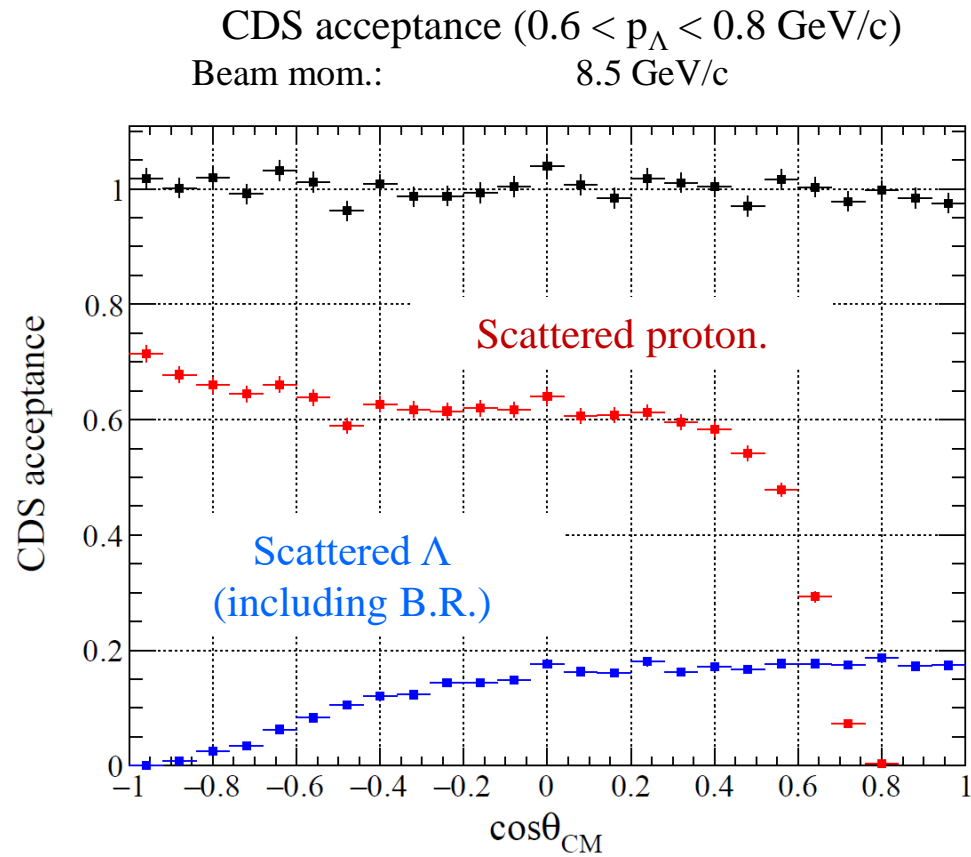
Check whether these vectors satisfy the  $\Lambda p$  scattering kinematics.

Distribution of the production angle,  $\theta_{\text{pro}}$ .

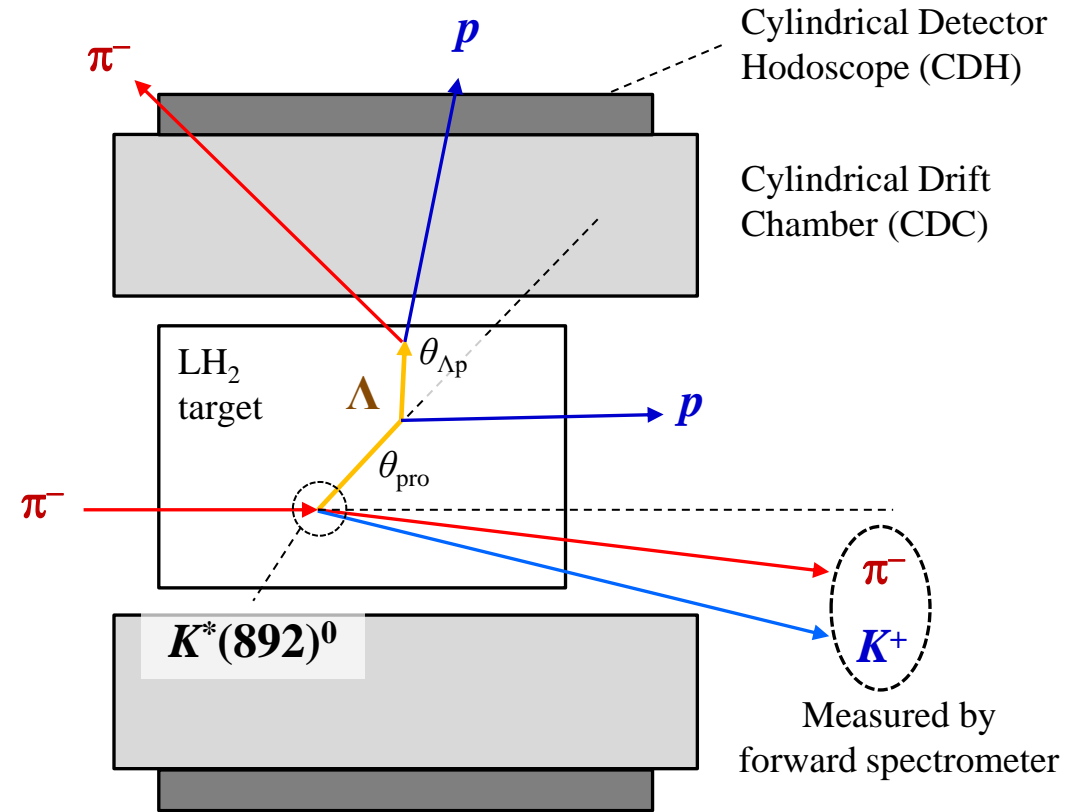


Event topology of the  $\Lambda p$  scattering  
Decay products from the scattered  $\Lambda$  are detected.

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All the region of  $\cos\theta_{CM}$  is covered by CDS



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# Yield estimation of the $\Lambda p$ scattering events

**The number of the  $\Lambda p$  scattering events happened in the target.**

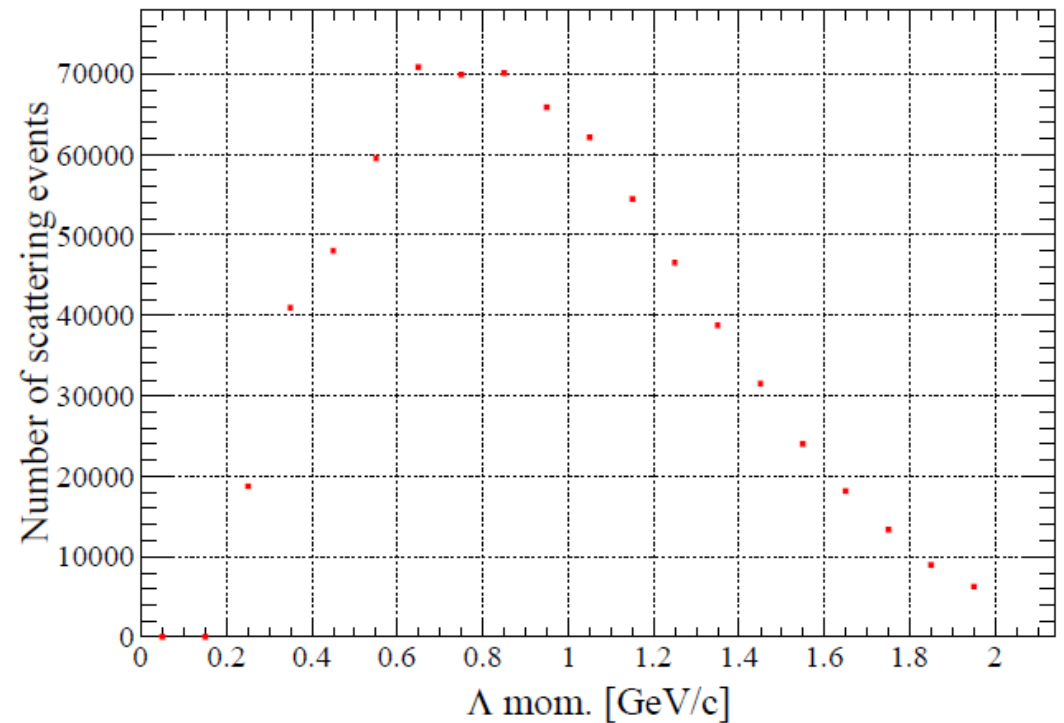
- 3900 events per 1 million  $\Lambda$  beams (Assume  $\sigma = 20 \text{ mb}$ )

## Assume

- CDS acceptance shown in prev. page.
- CDC tracking efficiency of 0.7

At least, 10 new data points between  $0.4 < p_\Lambda < 1.4 \text{ GeV}/c$  will be obtained in this experiment.

Yields of the  $\Lambda p$  scattering events as a function of the  $\Lambda$  beam momentum (30-day beam time)



# 各運動量でのS/N見積もり

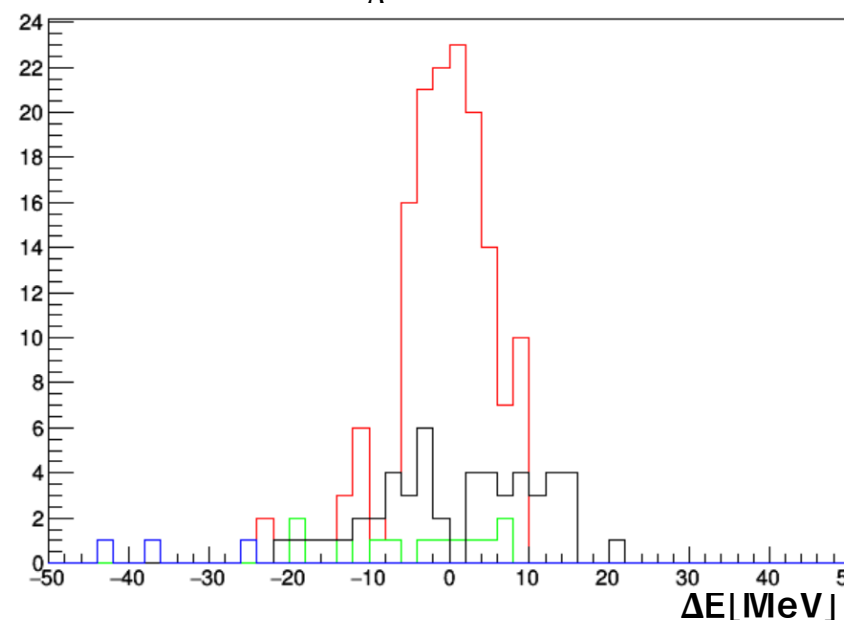
生成ビーム  $1 \times 10^7$  / 予定ビーム  $3.5 \times 10^8$  で解析

BGを取り除いた後各 $\Lambda$ ビーム運動量 $p_\Lambda$ での $\Delta E$ スペクトラを示す

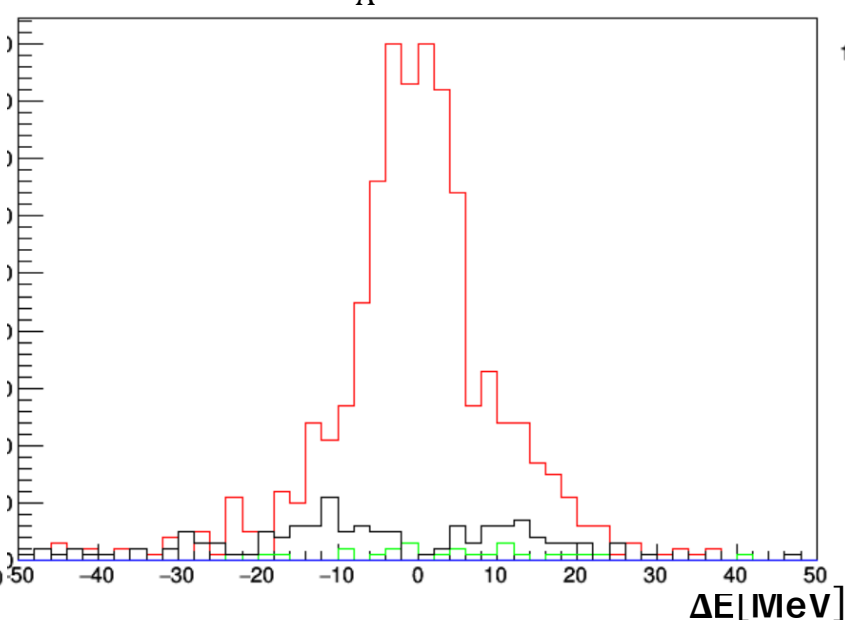
低運動量領域 ( $< 1 \text{ GeV}/c$ )  $\rightarrow$  十分な $\Delta E$ 分解能

高運動量領域 ( $> 1 \text{ GeV}/c$ )  $\rightarrow$  反跳粒子の運動量の増加により $\Delta E$ 分解能が悪化  
一方で $\Lambda$ の寿命が延びるためBGの混入が少なくなる

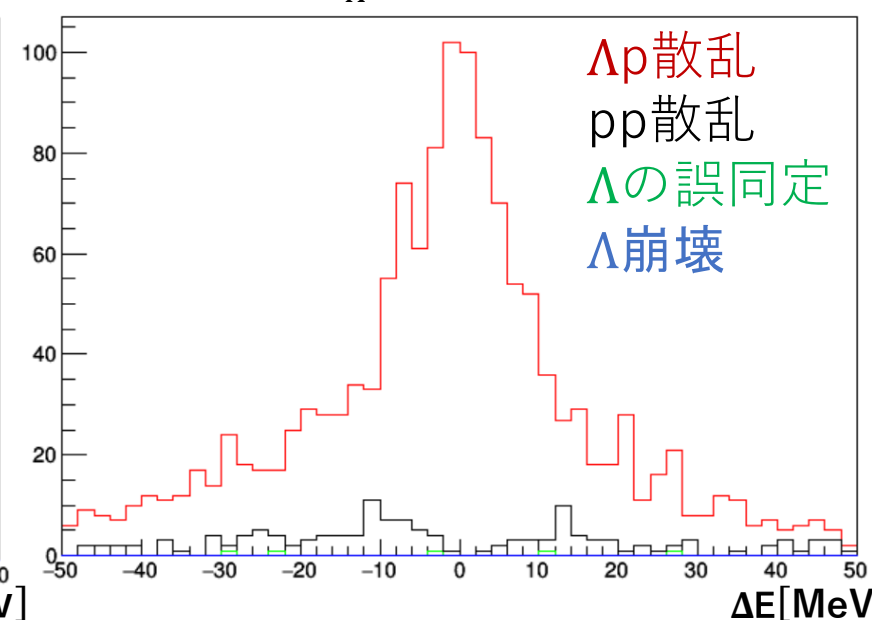
$0.3 < p_\Lambda \text{ (GeV}/c) < 0.6$



$0.6 < p_\Lambda \text{ (GeV}/c) < 1.0$



$1.0 < p_\Lambda \text{ (GeV}/c) < 2.0$



BGとして $\pi^-p$ 散乱や $\pi$ 生成反応(e.x.  $\Lambda p \rightarrow \Lambda \pi^0 p$ )などは考慮していない

# 収量の角度依存性

中心系での散乱角ごとに (2粒子以上ヒットしたイベント) / (シミュレーション内で生成したイベント) 比をみる

$p_\Lambda$  (GeV/c) < 0.6領域ではCDS運動量アクセプタンスより検出比が小さくなる

超前方散乱( $\cos \theta_{CM} \sim 1$ の $\Lambda$ が陽子をかすめるような散乱)まで検出可能



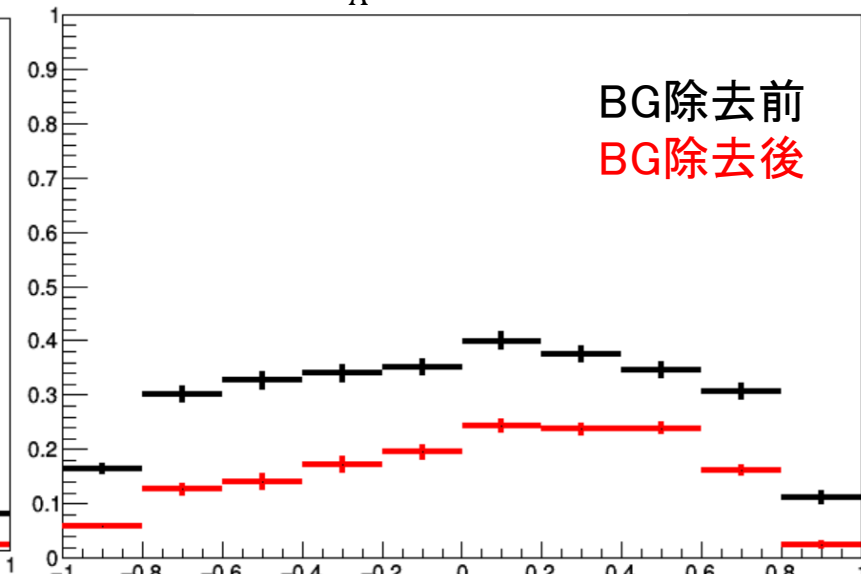
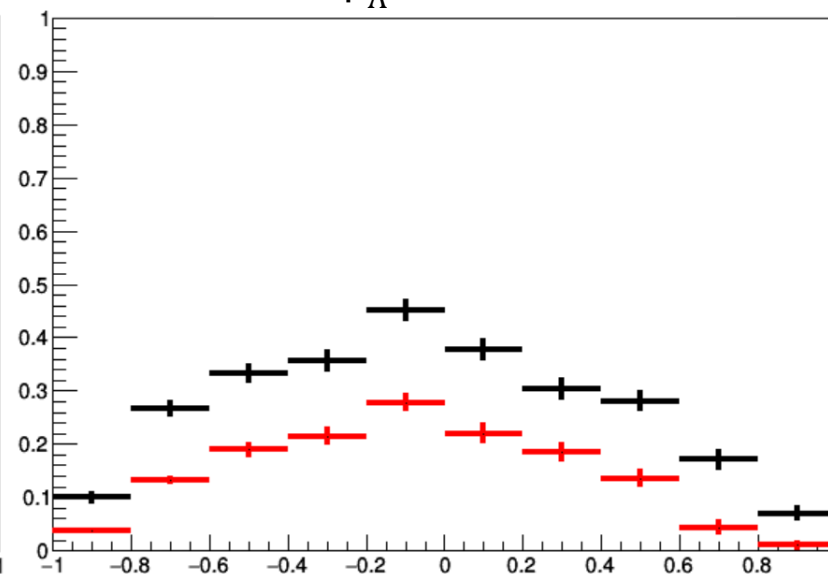
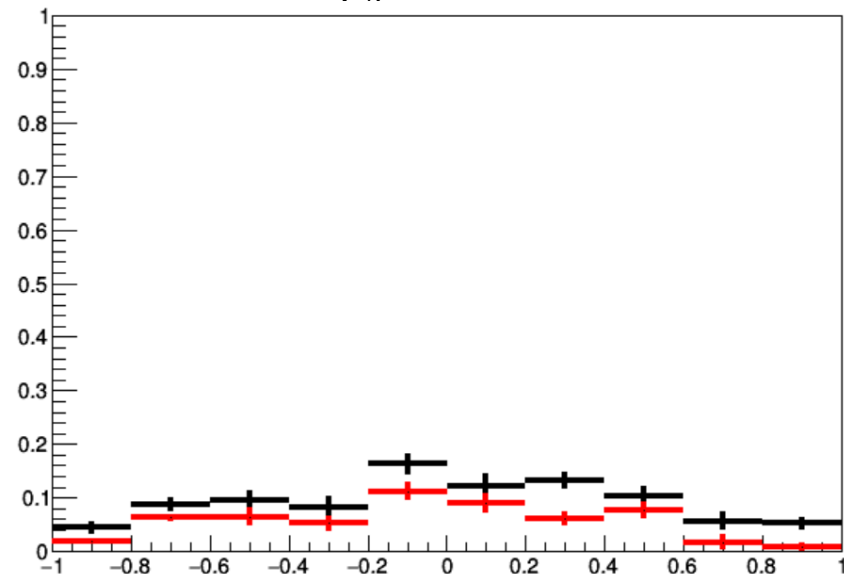
十分な収量をえるためにさらなるBG除去手法の検討へ

角度ごとの検出可能イベント/生成散乱イベント

$0.3 < p_\Lambda$  (GeV/c) < 0.6

$0.6 < p_\Lambda$  (GeV/c) < 1.0

$1.0 < p_\Lambda$  (GeV/c) < 2.0





# 予想される $\Lambda p$ 散乱事象数

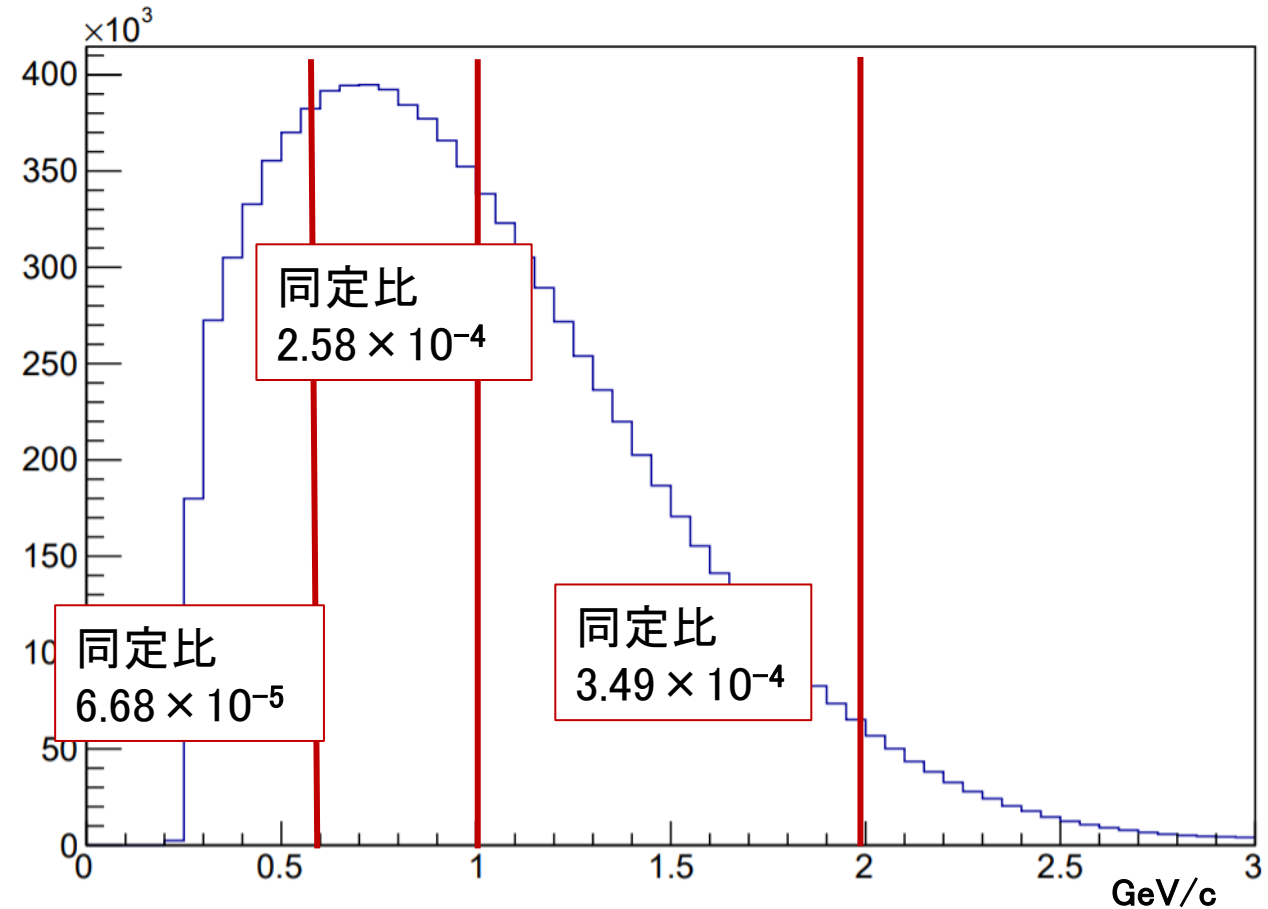
最終的に同定できる散乱同定イベント比を見積もる。

$$\Lambda p \text{ 散乱同定比} = \frac{\Lambda p \text{ 散乱同定数}}{\Lambda \text{ ビーム数}}$$

(シミュレーション内)

30日間のビームタイムでは  
総 $\Lambda$ ビーム数(予定)  $\sim 3.5 \times 10^8$   
 $\Lambda p$ 散乱同定数  $\sim 6.4 \times 10^4$  イベント  
(散乱同定比から推定)

実際はここに検出器効率等(0.7程)がかかる



従来にない高統計 $\Lambda p$ 散乱実験が実現可能になる