

Etat actuel et Perspectives de la Physique d'Astro-Particule



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- Introduction
 - ♦ History of Cosmic Ray Studies: Origin, Propagation, Spectrum, Composition
- Selected Experiments & Results
 - ♦ Ground-based Experiments
 - ♦ Balloons
 - ♦ Space-based Experiments
- Future Projects
- Conclusions



Introduction ... - History of CR

- First observation of Cosmic Rays (CR) by V.F. Hess (1912) in balloon flights
- Various topics of CR during history
 - ♦ Study of basic properties of *electricity and magnetism*
 - ♦ Then, *particle physics* before large accelerators: Discoveries of e^+ , $\mu^\pm$, $\pi^\pm$, $K^\pm$, K^0 , Λ^0 , Δ , Ξ^- , $\Sigma^\pm$ all with CR's
 - ♦ Afterwards, *astrophysics* studying galactic sources of low energy CR's, magnetic fields in heliosphere and acceleration mechanisms in supernovae shockwaves
 - ♦ **Today**, *nuclear astrophysics* of stars/supernovae, *particle physics* in the TeV range, *cosmology* of microwave and IR background, *unexplored physics* at extremely high energies





... Introduction ... - Goal

Two step process

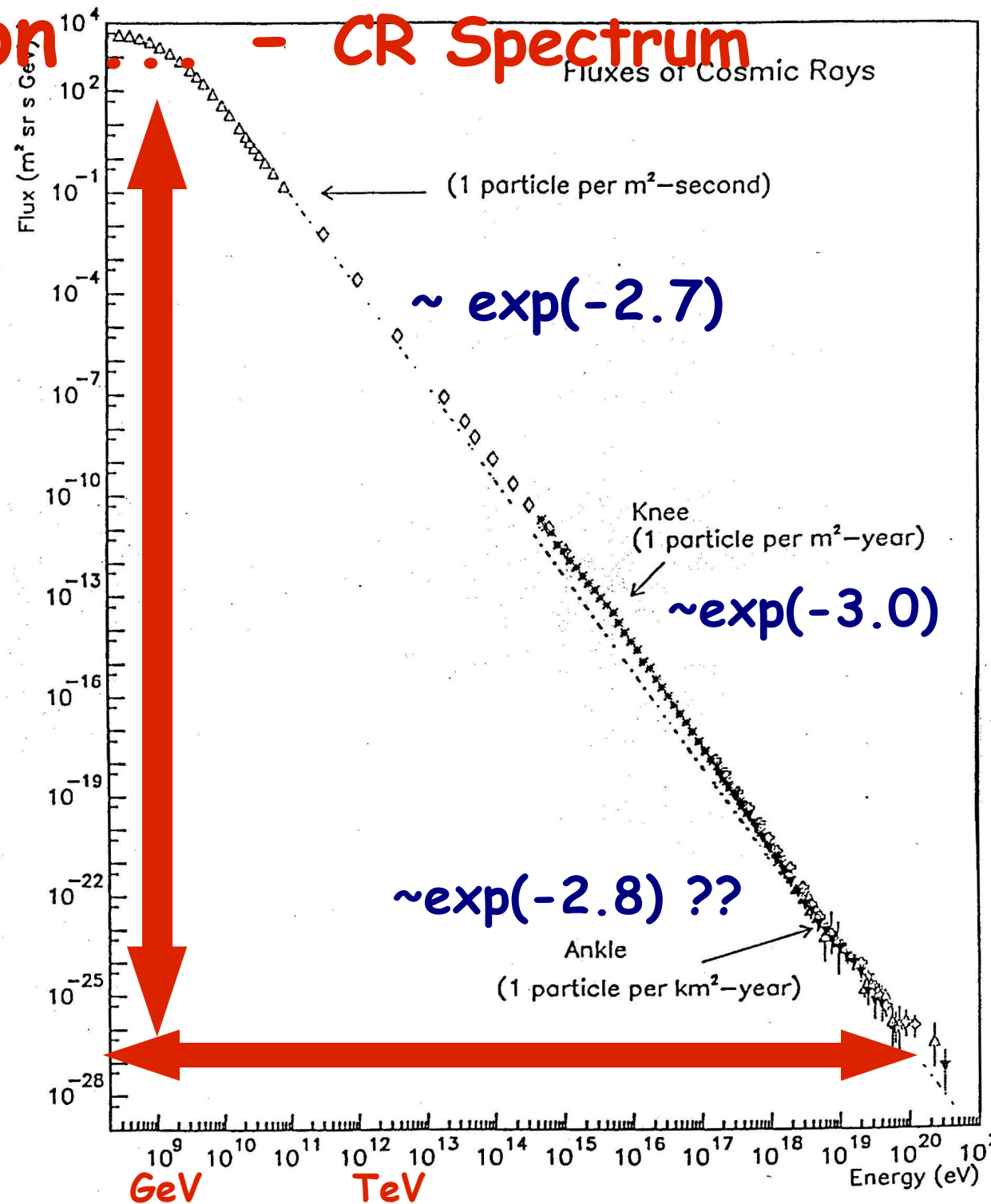
- Understand and calibrate nature's beam (cosmic rays) by more measurements of composition and spectra, improved theory and simulation
- Search for new physics with promising discovery potential:
 - ♦ nuclear antimatter, strange states of matter
 - ♦ indirect search of dark matter using $\bar{p}$, $\bar{D}$, e^+ and γ rays
 - ♦ ultra heavy particle searches at extreme energies





... Introduction - CR Spectrum

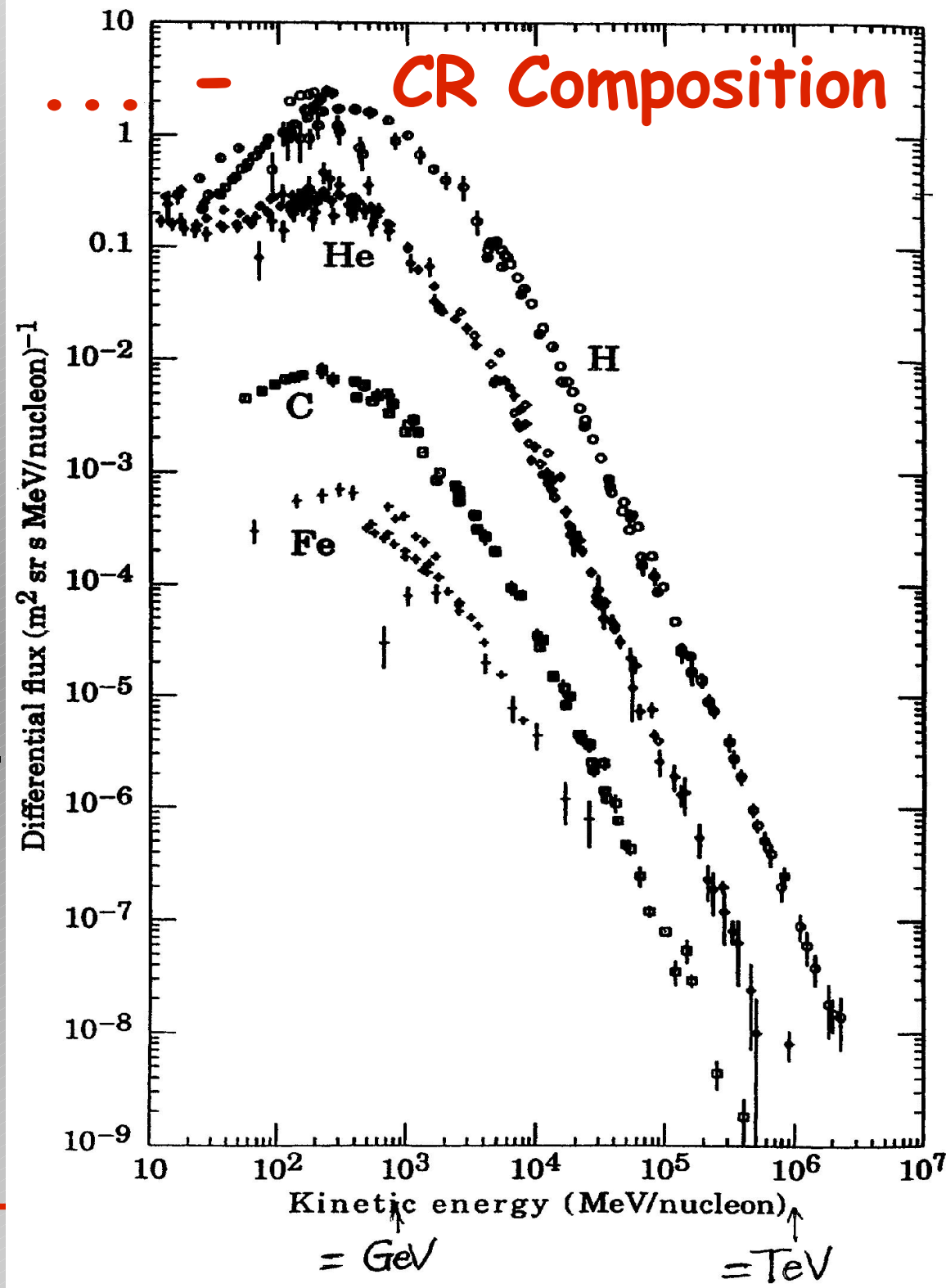
- Cosmic Rays (CR) from ~ 1 GeV
- produced and accelerated in supernovae explosions
- >12 orders in Energy
- >30 orders in Flux
- Power law
- Knee region not yet well understood:
 - ♦ Acceleration mechanism
 - ♦ Propagation mechanism
 - ♦ Elementary composition
 - ♦ a new particle
- Ankle region stat. limited





... Introduction

- p and He nuclei are **dominant** (90% p , 9% He)
- All elements are present up to Uranium
- Atoms reach heliosphere **fully ionized**
- Absolute fluxes and spectrum shapes are fundamental for **calculation of atmospheric ν fluxes**

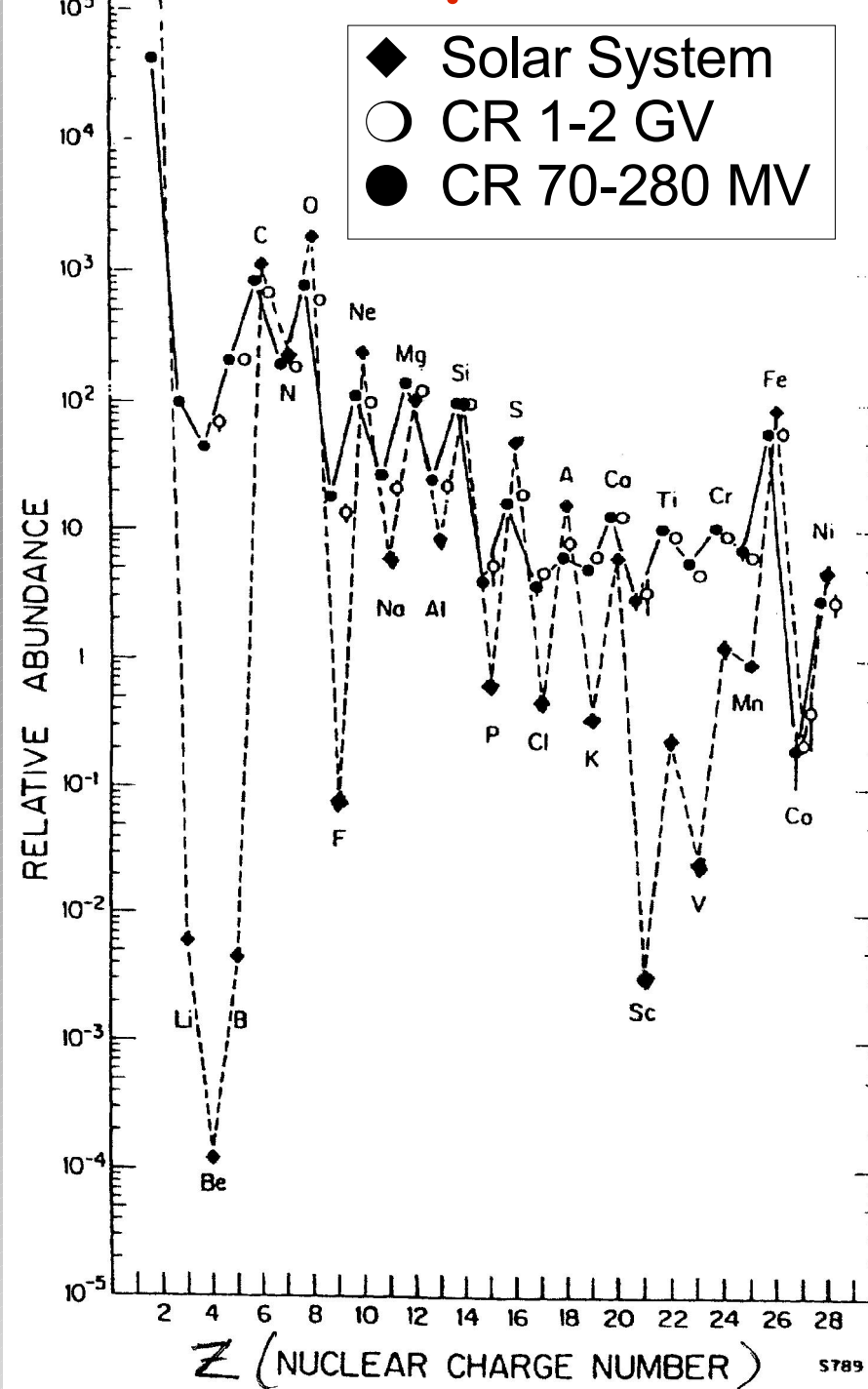




... Introduction ...

- Chemical composition of CR similar to solar elements, but:
 - 1) *Li*, *Be*, *B* enriched
 - 2) *Sc*, *Ti*, *V*, *Cr*, *Mn* enriched
- These ions (apart *Li*) are not produced in primordial nucleosynthesis, nor in stars
 - 1) produced by **spallation reactions** between *p*, α with *C*, *N*, *O* in **supernovae explosions**
 - 2) **spallation** from *Fe*, produced in **interstellar medium**

- CR Composition





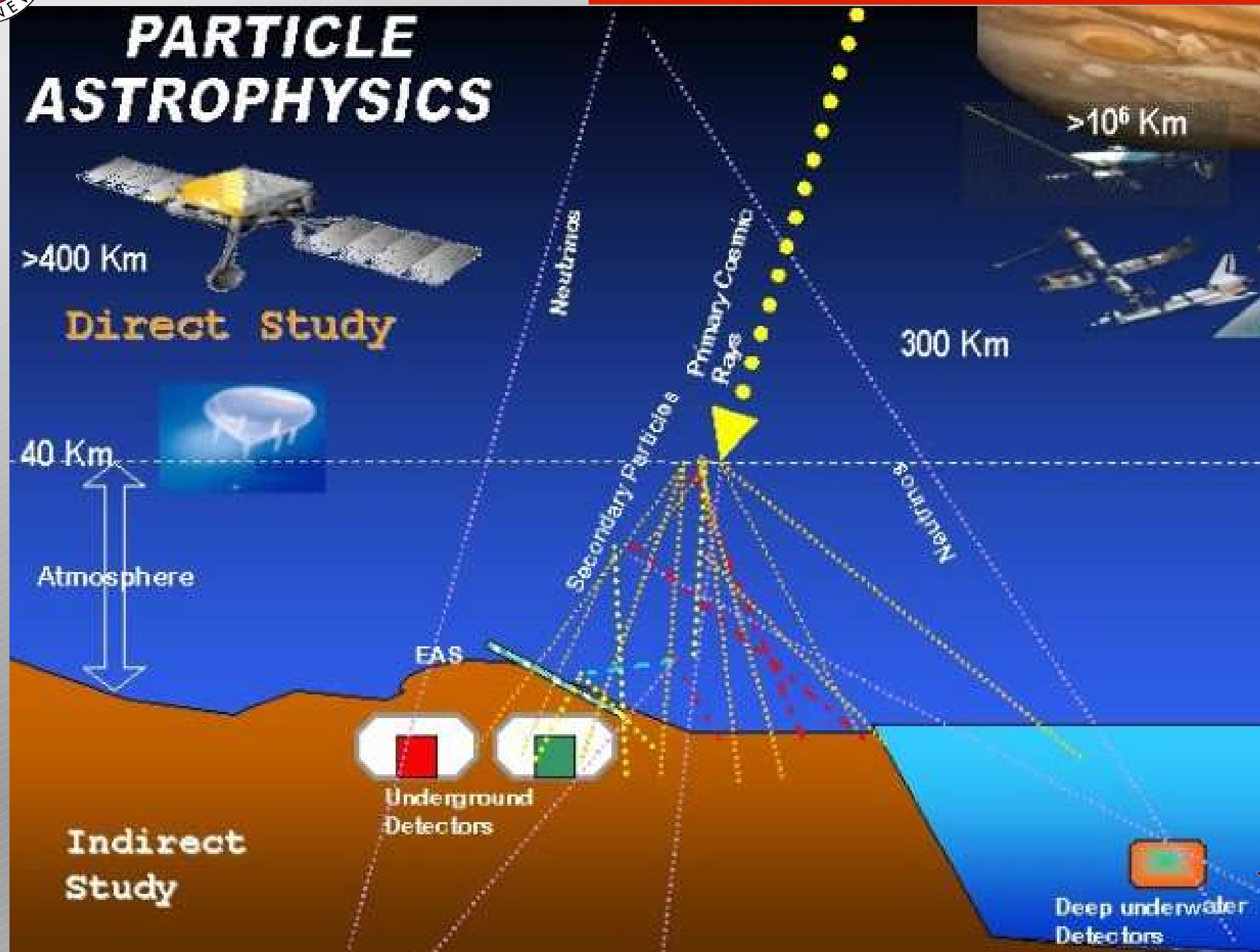
... Introduction ... - GCR Acceleration

- Shockwave Acceleration in Supernovae explosions
 - ♦ diffusive shock acceleration:
repeated acceleration while travelling through interstellar medium (ISM)
 - ♦ BUT: Upper limit of energy of 10^{13} - 10^{14} eV
- Acceleration to higher energies needs further models
- More data could help to clarify these issues
- GCR's also need to propagate through ISM
 - ♦ different models: LBM, DHM
 - ♦ no time to discuss here





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PARTICLE ASTROPHYSICS



Direct Study



Atmosphere

EAS

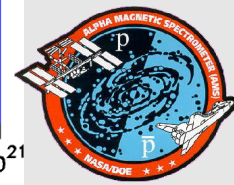
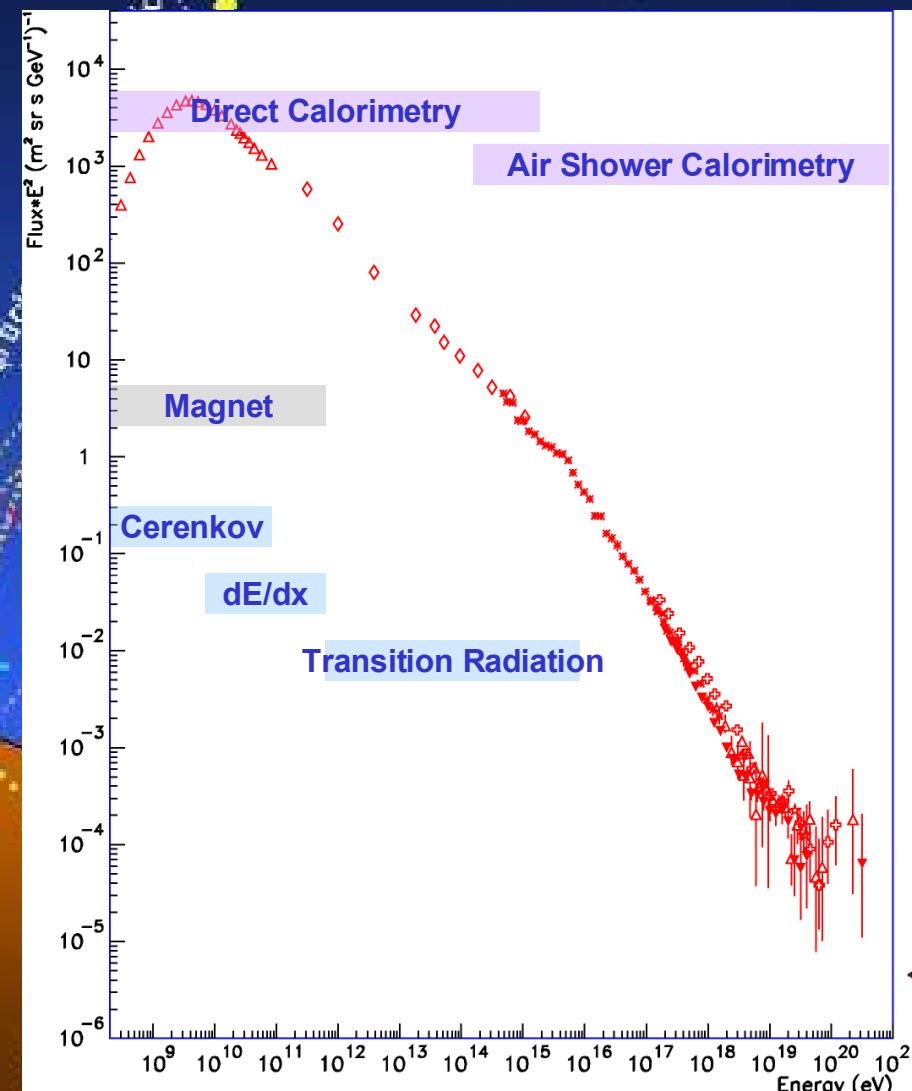


Indirect
Study

Neutrinos

Secondary Particles

$>10^6$ Km





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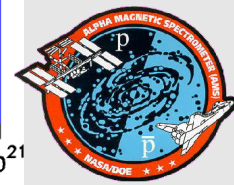
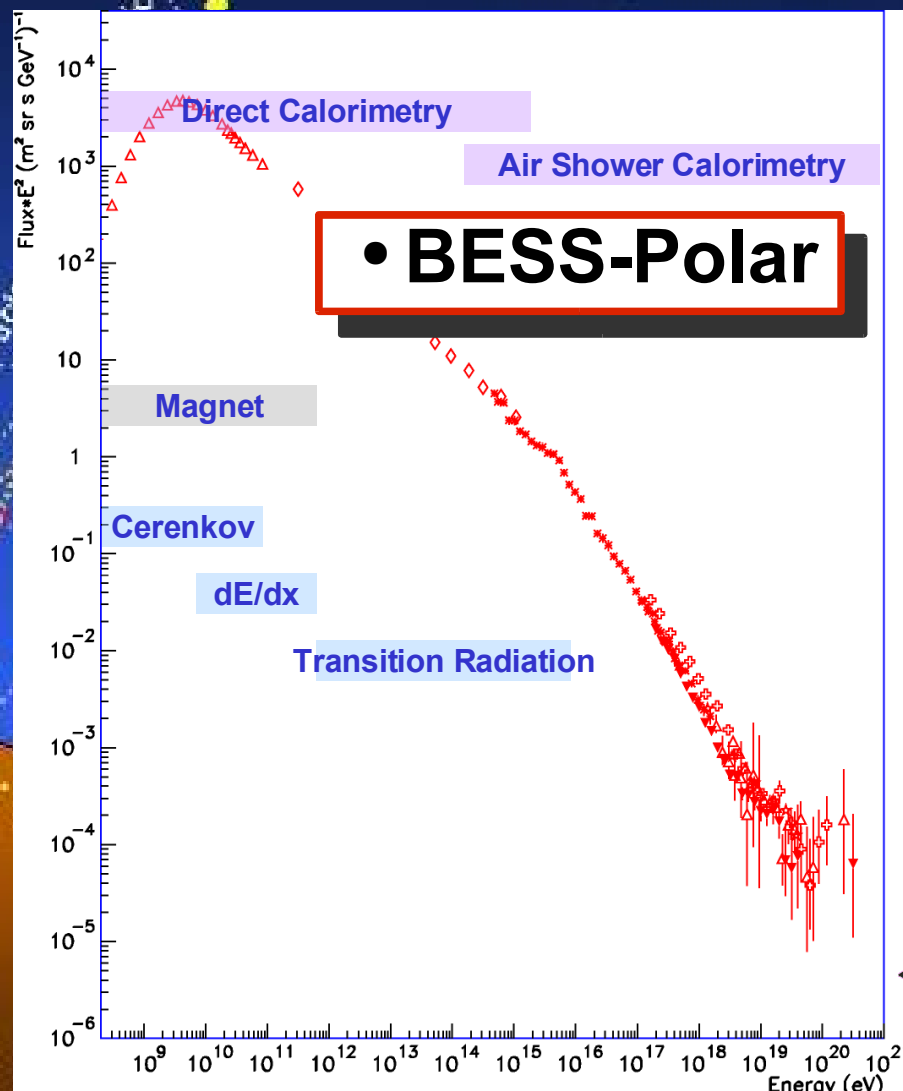
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- PAMELA
- AMS-02

- BESS
- RUNJOB
- ATIC

- BESS-Polar

- L3+C
- AUGER (EA)





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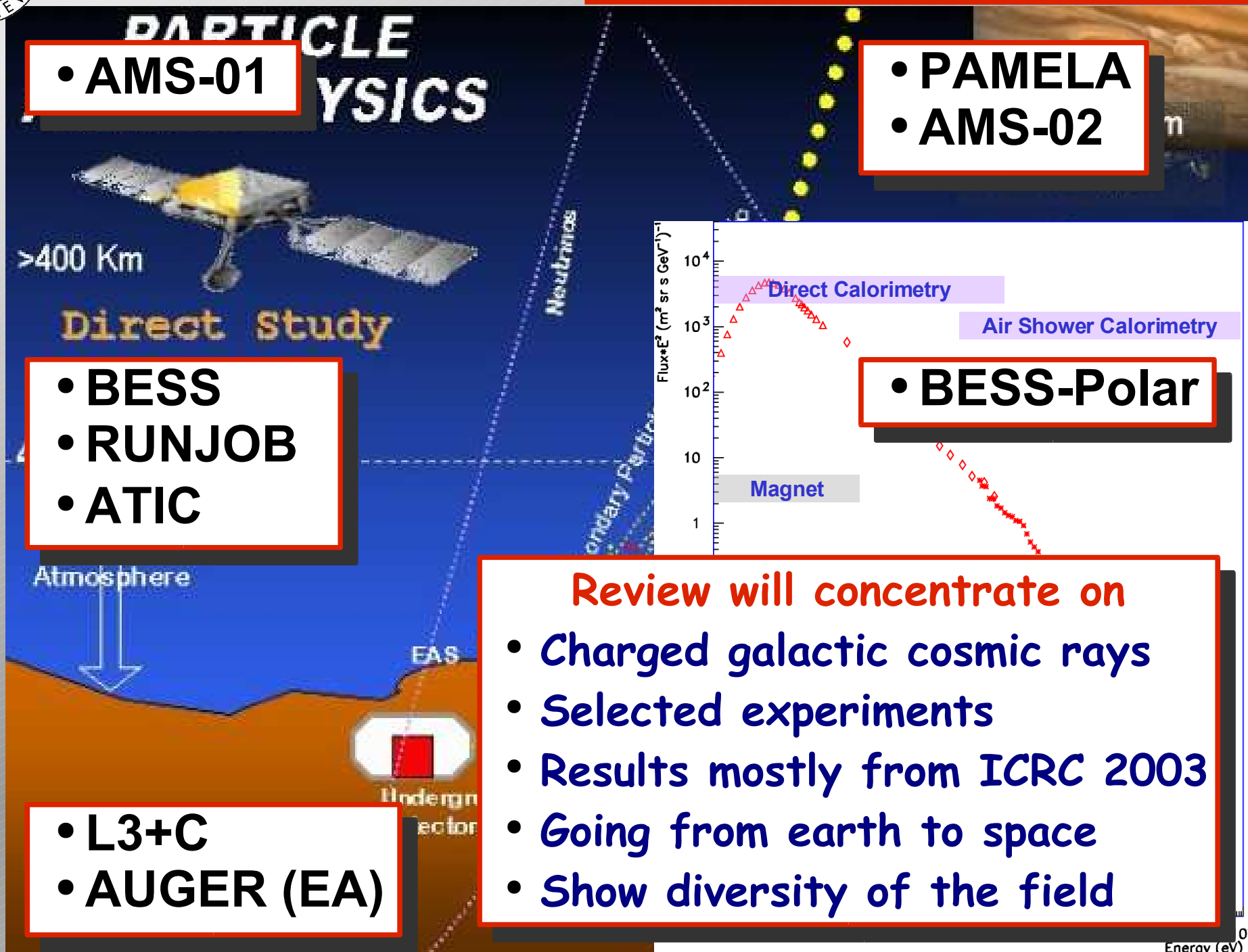
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Review will concentrate on

- Charged galactic cosmic rays
- Selected experiments
- Results mostly from ICRC 2003
- Going from earth to space
- Show diversity of the field





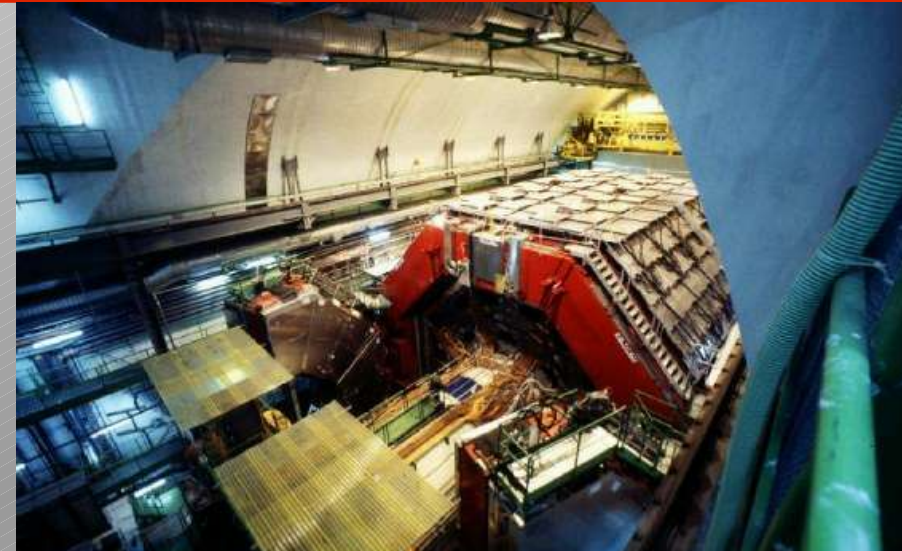
Selected Results (Ground) - L3 cosmics

- Apparatus

- ◆ L3-detector (0.5 T Magnet)
High-precision drift chambers,
202 m² of scintillators
- ◆ Air-shower detectors
50 scintillators
covered area 30m x 54m

- Physics

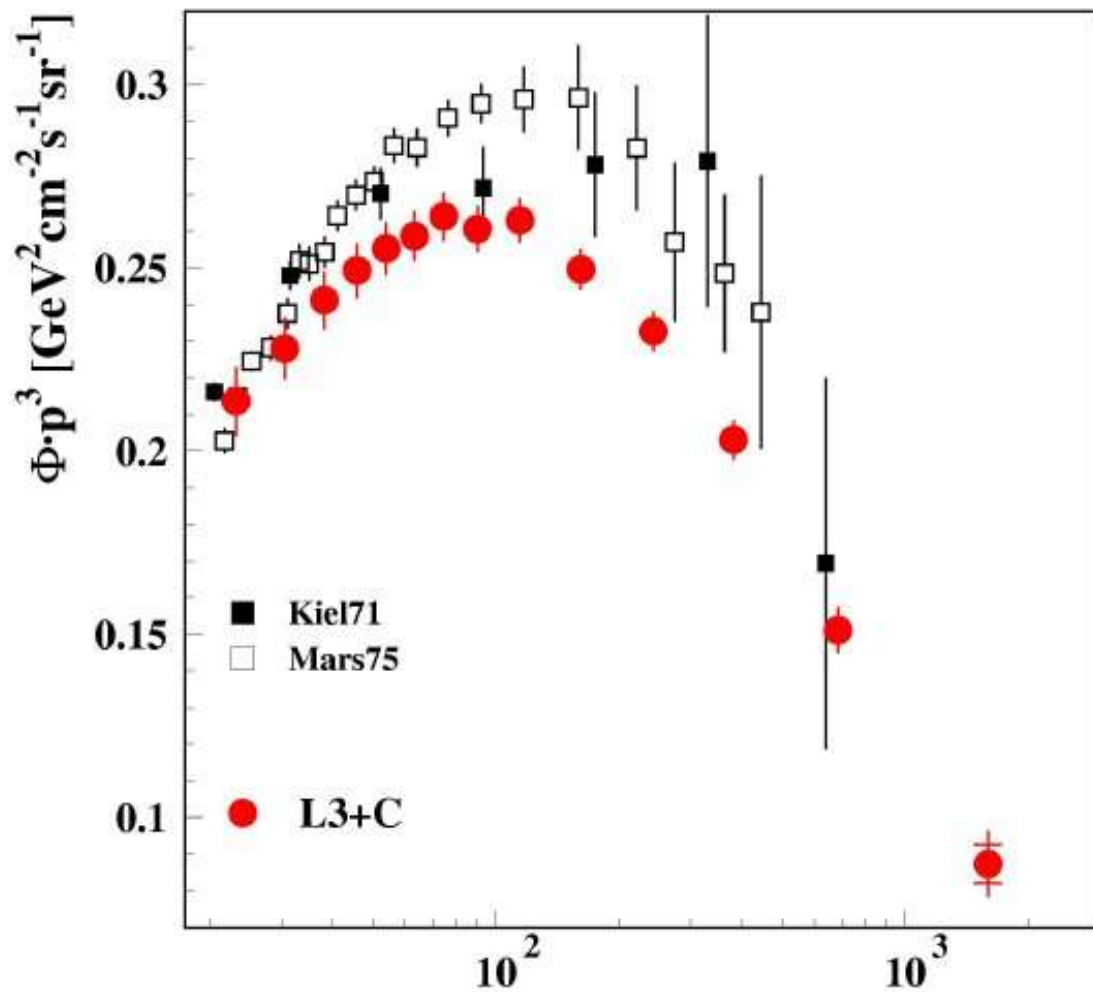
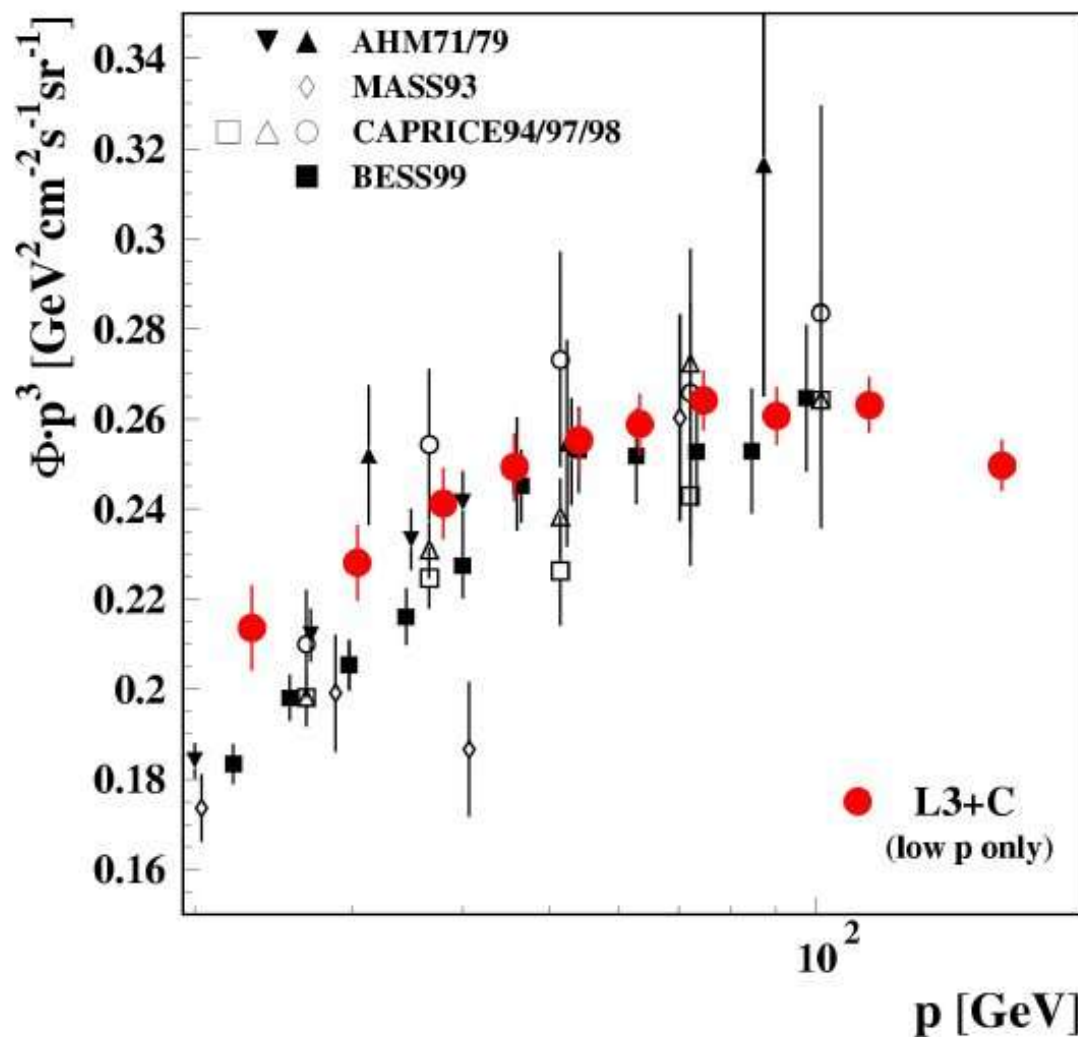
- ◆ μ -momentum spectra,
charge ratio and angular dep.
- ◆ limits on primary antiprotons
~1 TeV using the Moon shadow
- ◆ primary cosmic-ray composition
- ◆ Search for bursts, exotic events





Selected Results (Ground) - L3 cosmics

- μ -Momentum spectrum from L3+C





Selected Results (Ground) - Auger

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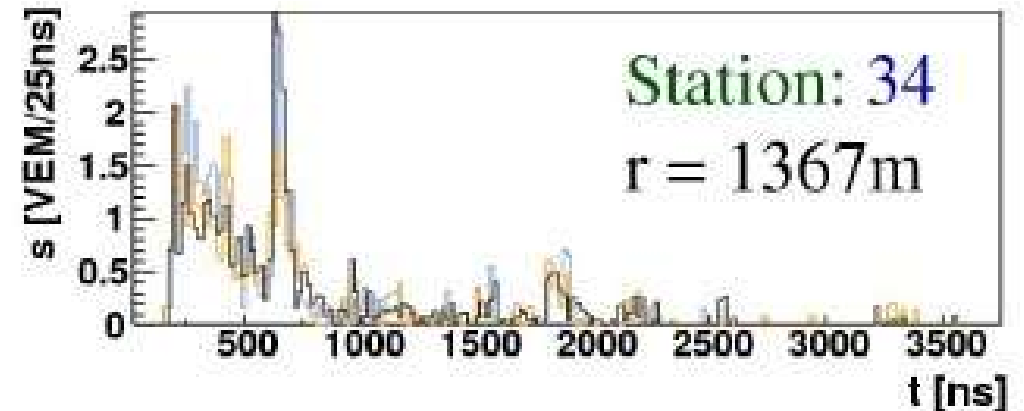
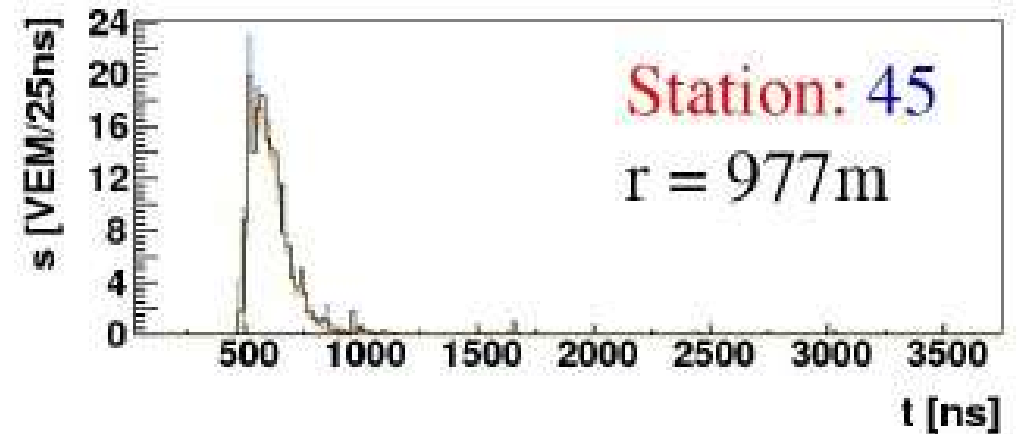
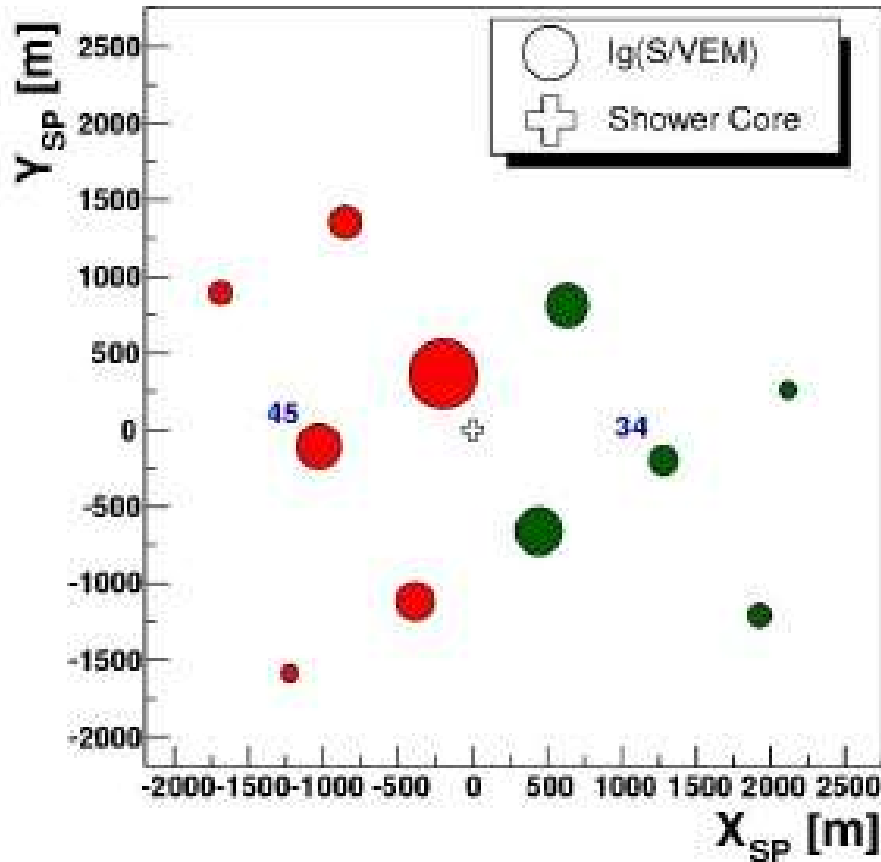
- ♦ full-sky coverage $7350 \text{ km}^2\text{sr}$
- ♦ 24 fluorescence detectors
- ♦ final configuration: 1600 water tanks to cover 3000 km^2
- ♦ Setup started in 1999 nearby Mendoza, Argentina (-2005)
- ♦ Engineering array: 40 tanks, 2 prototype telescopes

• Physics

- ♦ CR studies above 10^{19} eV as a function of Z
- ♦ study events above GZK-cutoff (absorption by cosmic microwave background) and trace them back!



Selected Results (Ground) - Auger



- 11-tank shower event, Energy $\sim 2\text{-}3 \cdot 10^{19}\text{eV}$
- Close to core, substantial pulse-heights (Station 45)
- Further away, individual pulses from electrons and muons (Station 34)



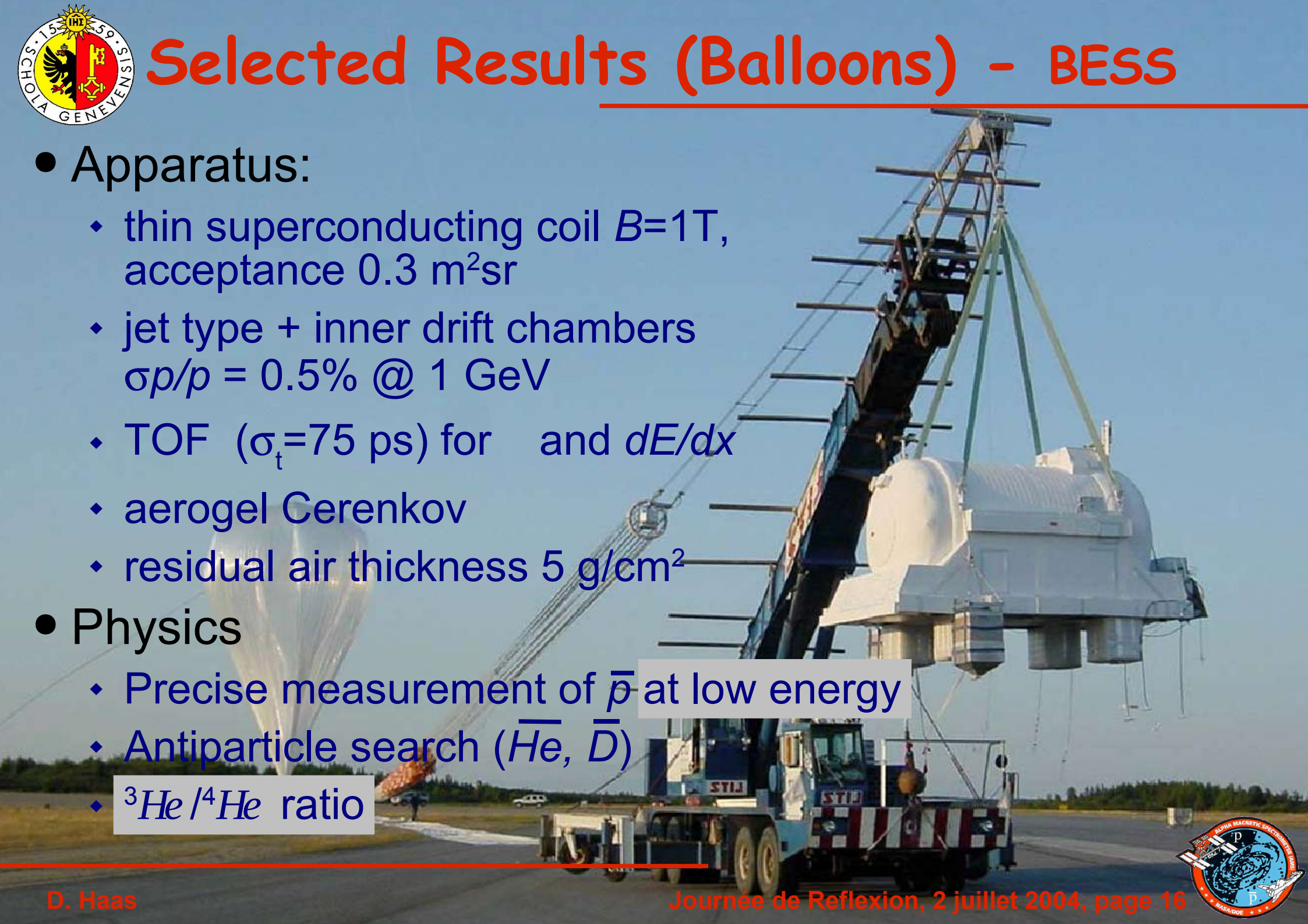
Selected Results (Balloons) - BESS

- Apparatus:

- ♦ thin superconducting coil $B=1\text{T}$, acceptance $0.3\text{ m}^2\text{sr}$
- ♦ jet type + inner drift chambers $\sigma p/p = 0.5\% @ 1\text{ GeV}$
- ♦ TOF ($\sigma_t=75\text{ ps}$) for and dE/dx
- ♦ aerogel Cerenkov
- ♦ residual air thickness 5 g/cm^2

- Physics

- ♦ Precise measurement of $\bar{p}$ at low energy
- ♦ Antiparticle search ($\bar{H}e$, $\bar{D}$)
- ♦ $^3\text{He}/^4\text{He}$ ratio





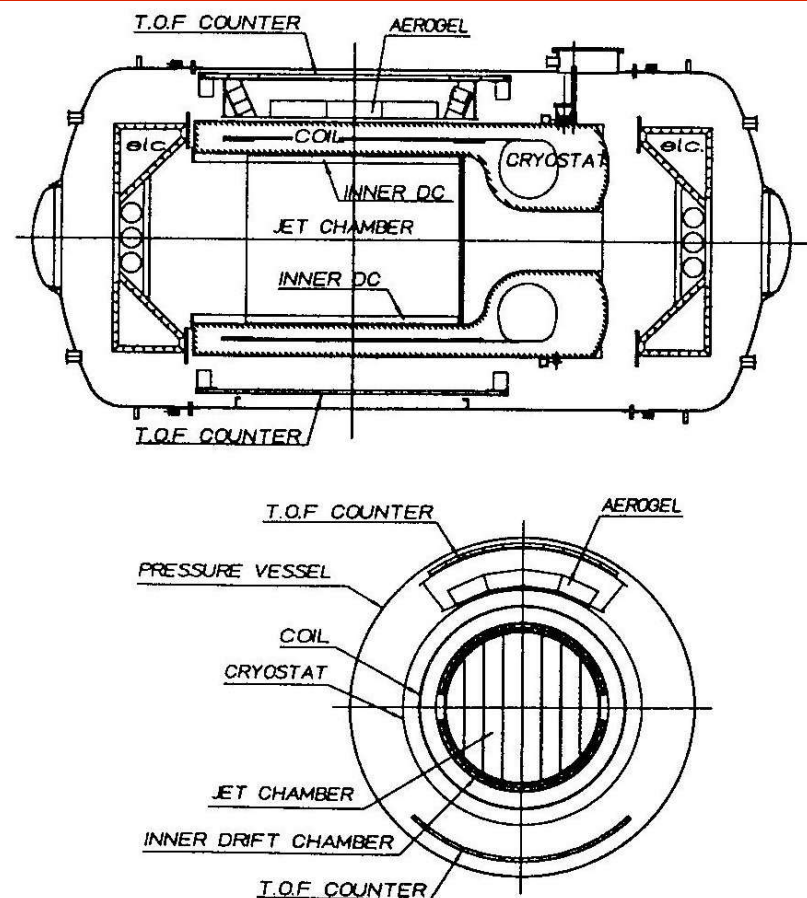
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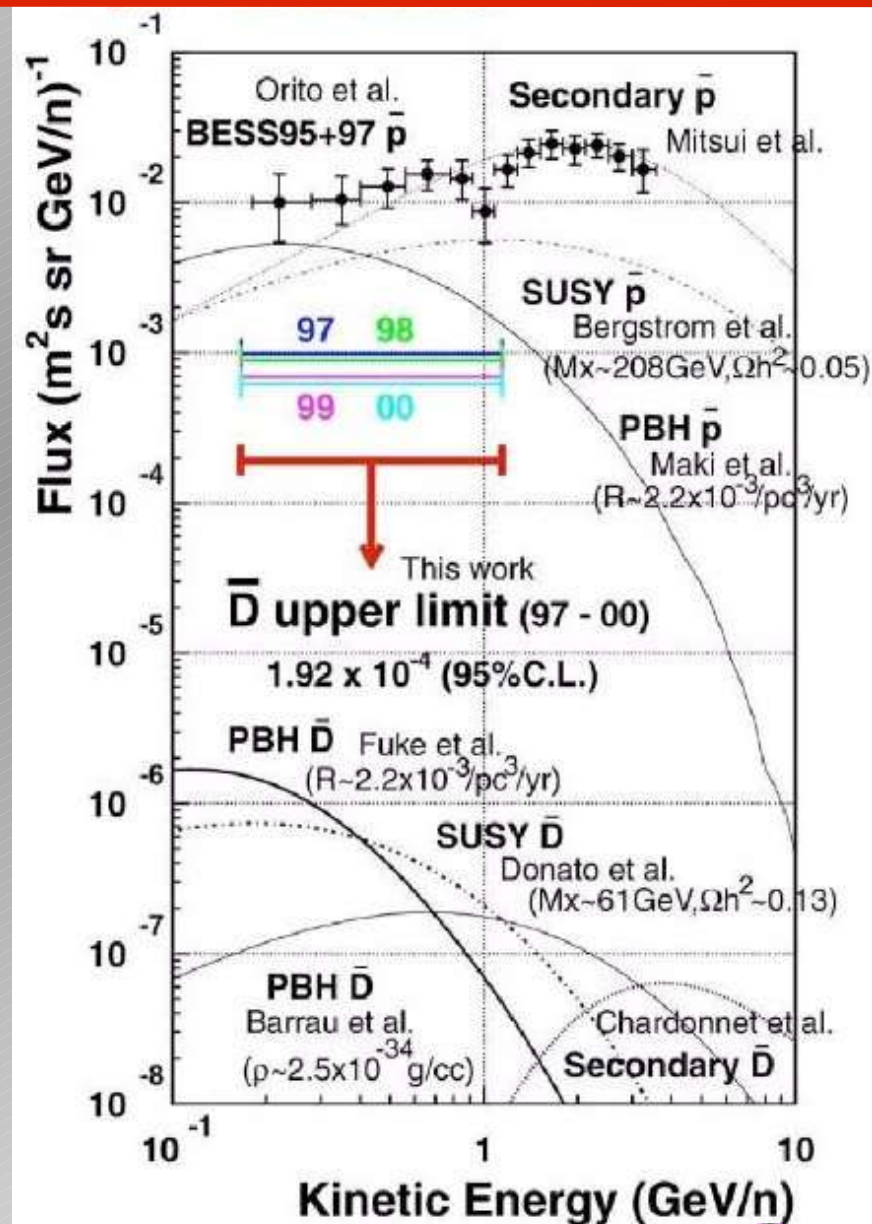
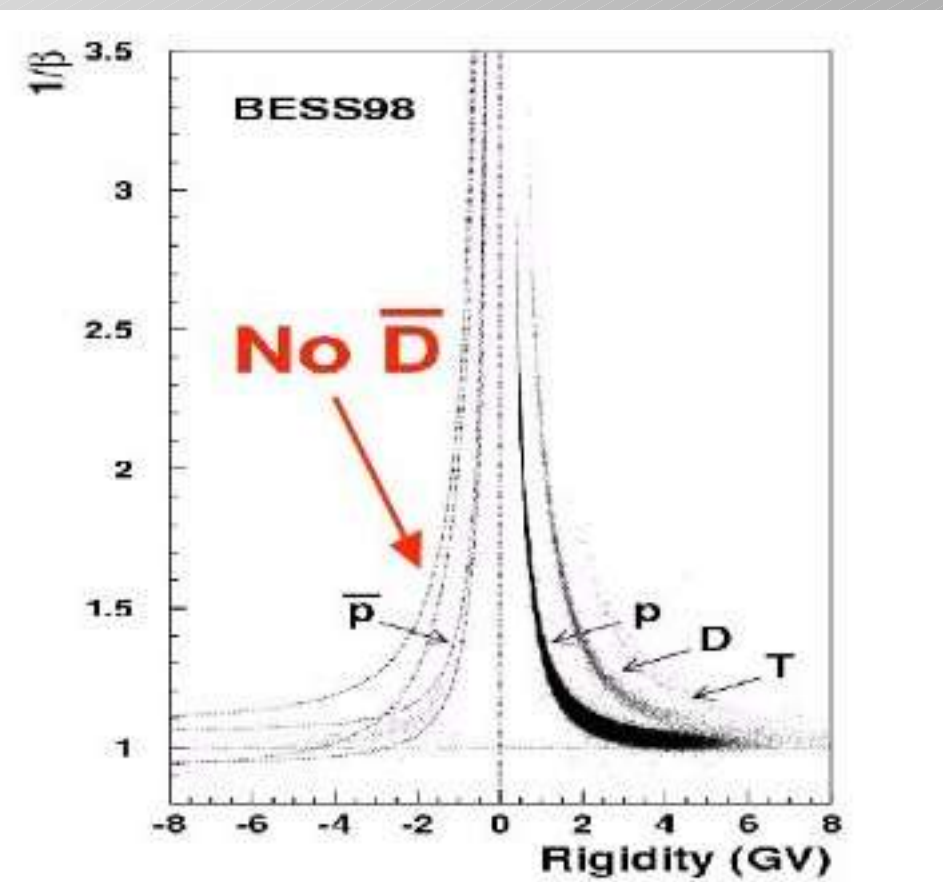
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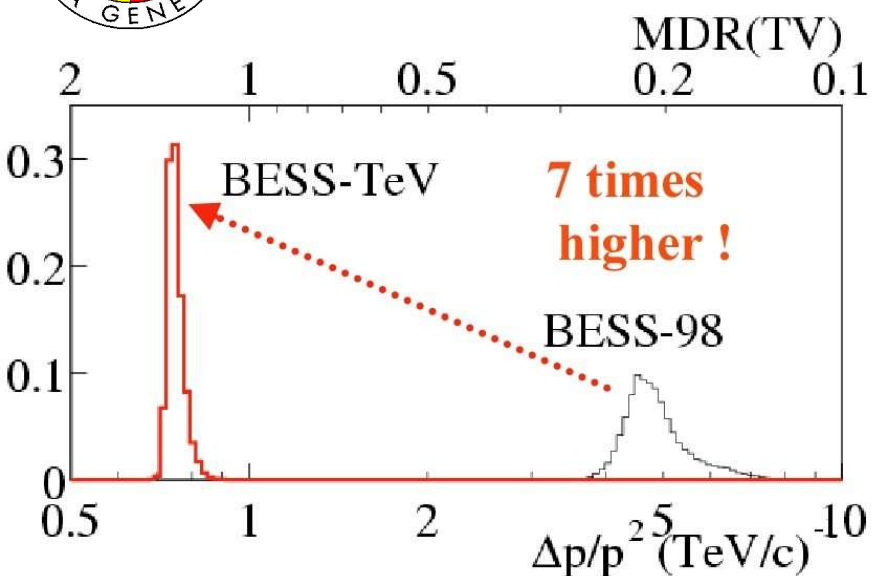
Selected Results (Balloons) - BESS

- Antideuteron upper limit
 $1.92 \times 10^{-4} \text{ (m}^2\text{s sr GeV/n)}^{-1}$
- measured during flights from
1997-2000



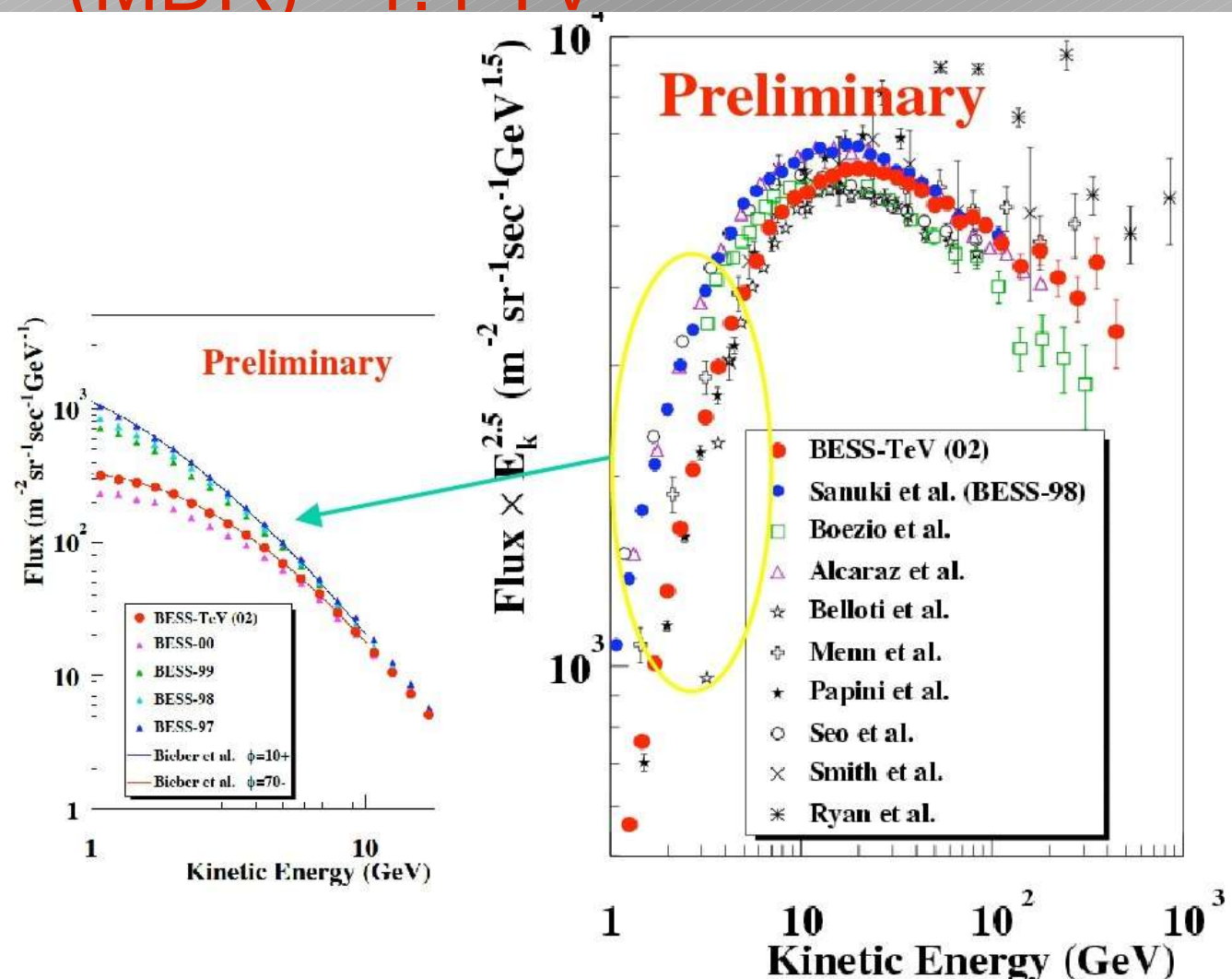


Selected Results (Balloons) - BESS-TeV



- Proton spectrum measured up to **500 GeV**
- Good agreement with **BESS-98** and **AMS-01**

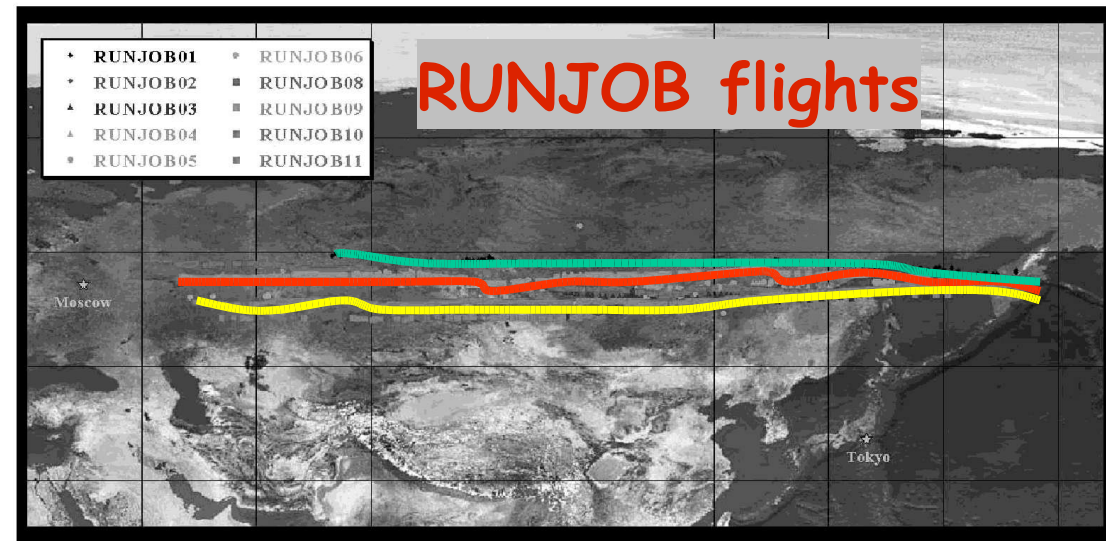
- BESS-TeV improved resolution
 $\Delta p/p^2 = 0.7 \text{ (TeV/c)}^{-1}$
 Maximum Detectable Rigidity (MDR) = 1.4 TV





Selected Results (Balloons) - ATIC Runjob

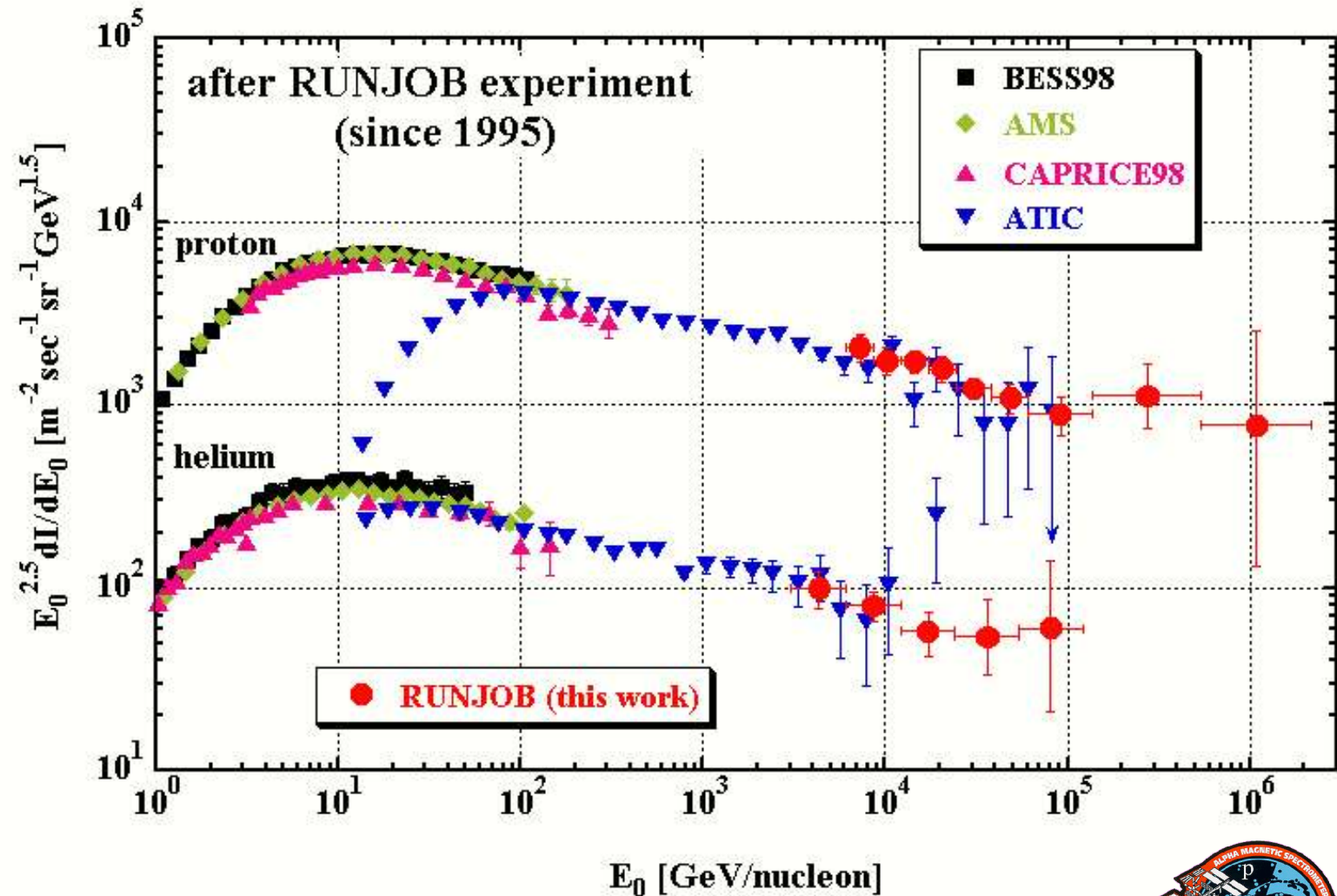
- ATIC/RUNJOB: 2 quite different experiments, but similar goals:
 - ♦ probe spectrum up to knee region
 - ♦ ATIC $\rightarrow 10$ TeV/n, Runjob $\rightarrow 100$ TeV/n
- Understanding of knee important for study of propagation/acceleration mechanisms





Selected Results (Balloons) - ATIC Runjob

- ATIC *normalized* to data from AMS/BESS/CAPRICE
- ATIC fills gap between AMS/BESS/CAPRICE and RUNJOB
- Good agreement for the observed spectra



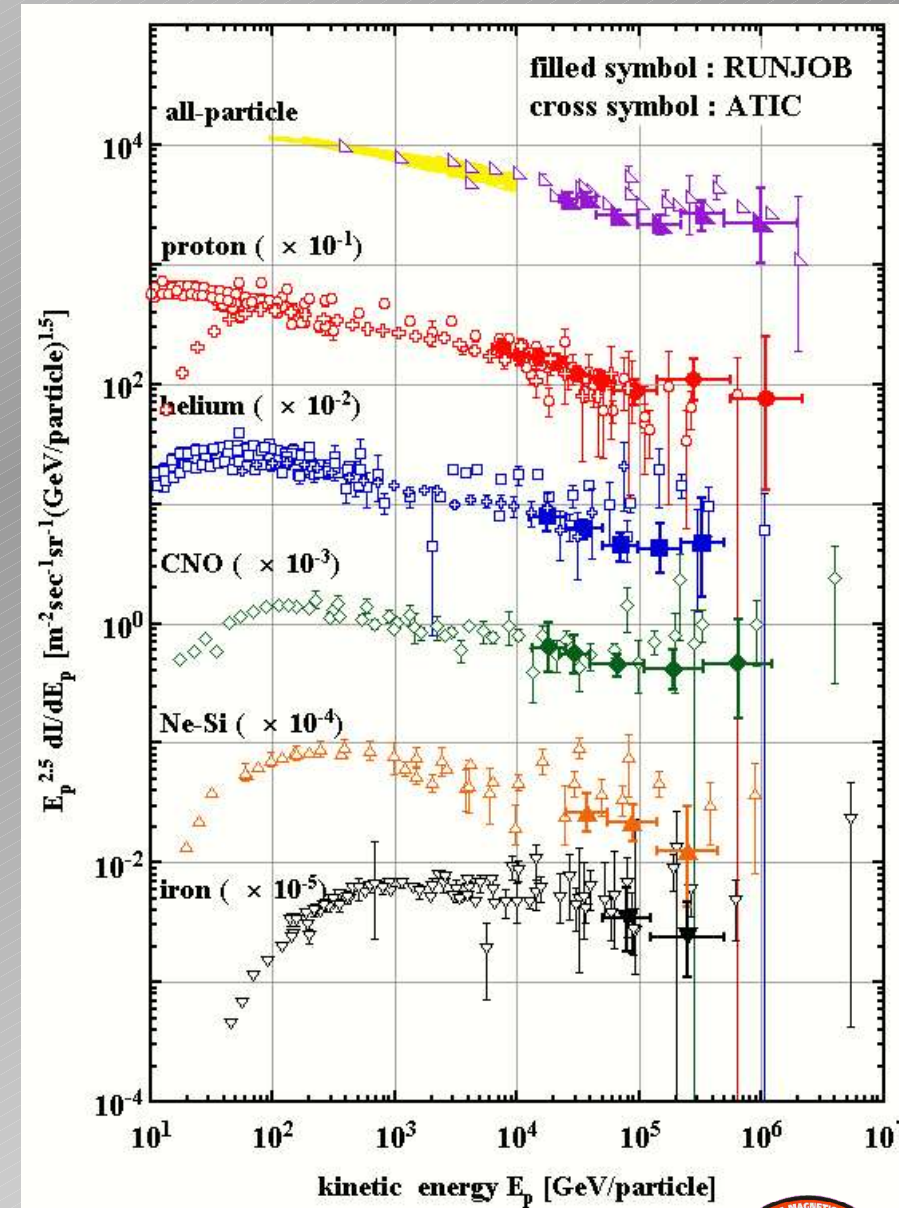


Selected Results (Balloons) - ATIC Runjob

- Slope determination dominated by ATIC data

protons	E_{kin}	Fit
AMS+BESS+IMAX	30-200	-2.71 ± 0.07
ATIC	100-10000	$-2.71 \pm 0.01 \pm ??$
1+2+JACEE+RUNJOB	30-100000	$-2.71 \pm 0.01 \pm ??$
Helium	E_{kin}	Fit
AMS+BESS+IMAX	30-200	-2.72 ± 0.12
ATIC	100-10000	$-2.71 \pm 0.02 \pm ??$
1+2+JACEE+RUNJOB	30-100000	$-2.71 \pm 0.02 \pm ??$

- Preliminary ATIC data favors identical slopes ~ 2.71
- BESS-TeV not yet included will improve accuracy...





Selected Results (Space) - AMS-01

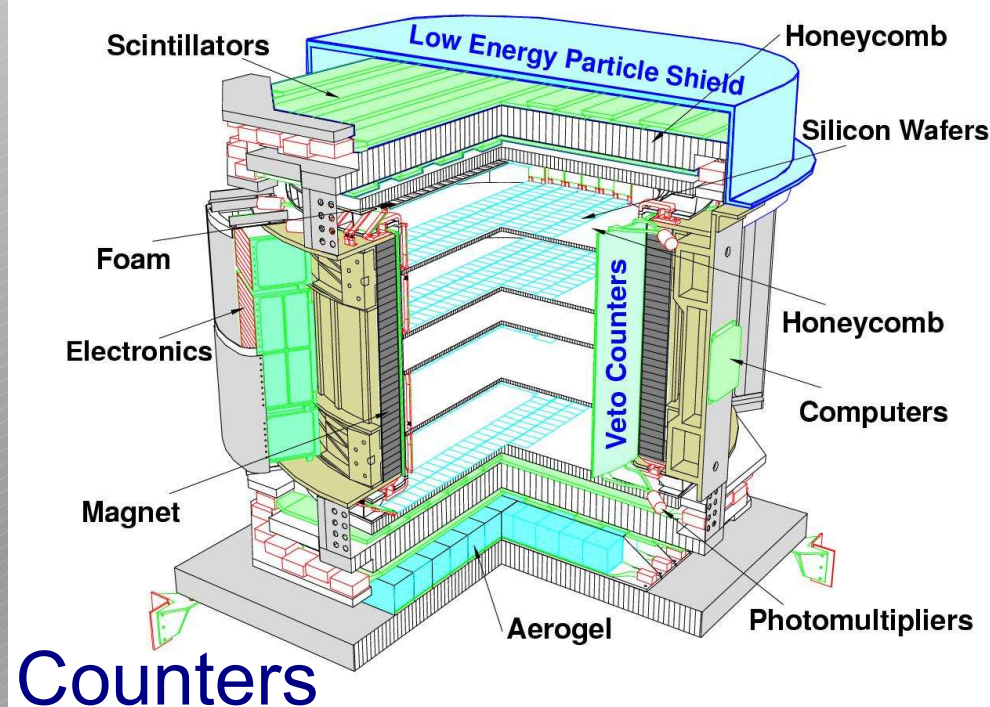
- AMS-01 Pilot Experiment
STS 91, June 2-12, 1998

- Apparatus:

- ♦ Permanent magnet $BL^2=0.14\text{T}$
- ♦ TOF 4 planes
- ♦ 2.1 m^2 silicon tracker, 6 planes
- ♦ Cerenkov and Anticoincidence Counters

- Physics:

- ♦ Flux measurements of $e^\pm$, p , $\bar{p}$, D , He and $\bar{He}$, heavy ions
- ♦ detection of secondary fluxes geomagnetic field effect
- ♦ antimatter sensitivity $\bar{He}/He \sim 10^{-6}$

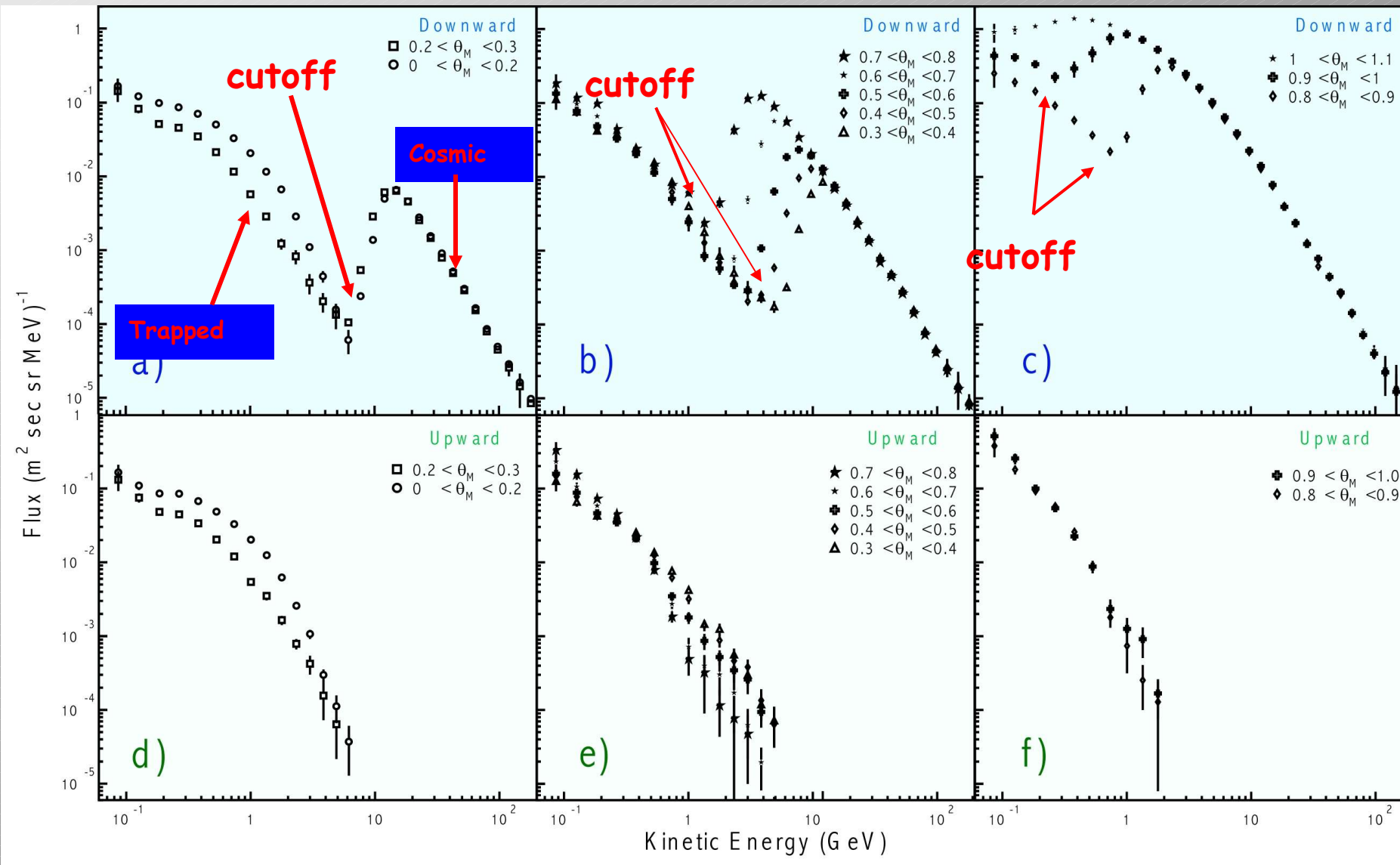




Selected Results (Space) - AMS-01

• Measured proton spectra

Phys. Lett. B 472 (2000) 215



Downward

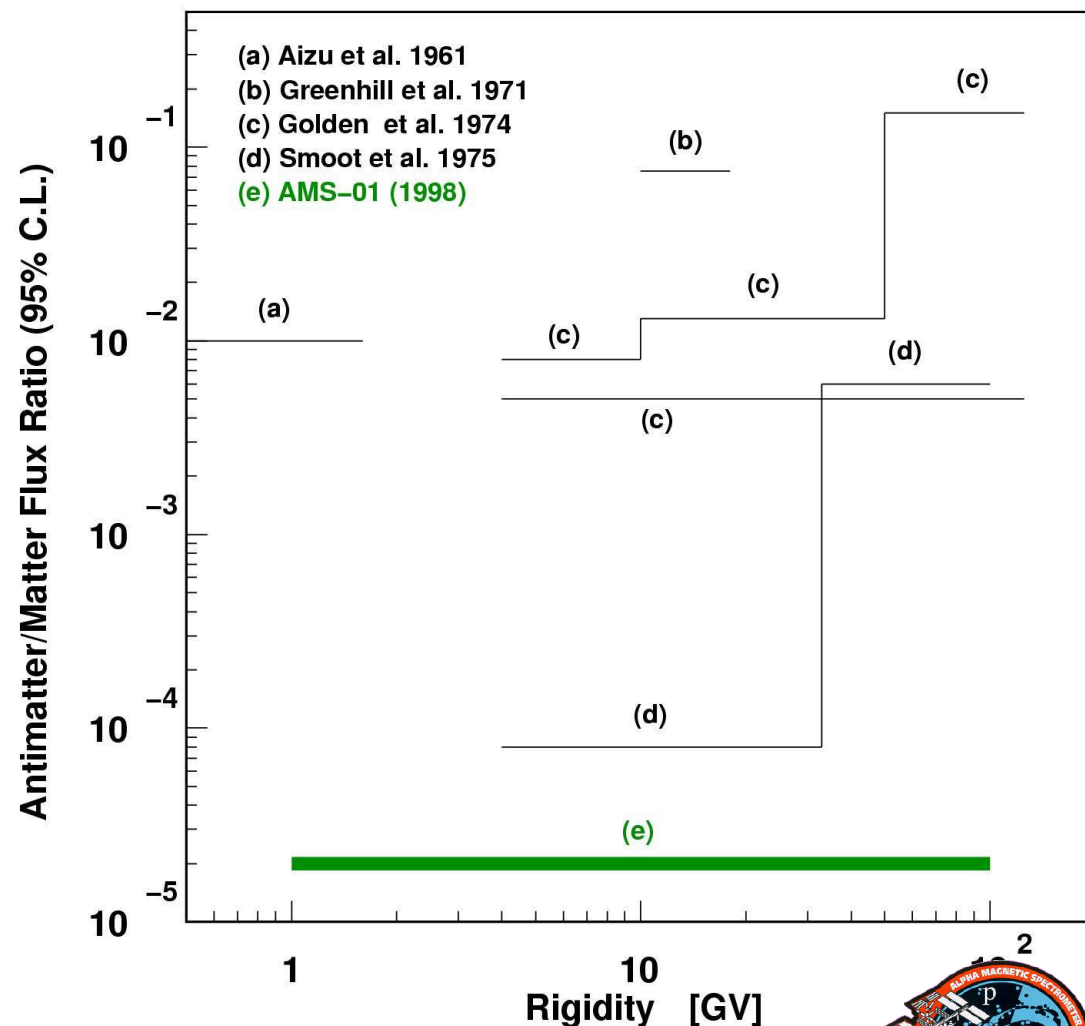
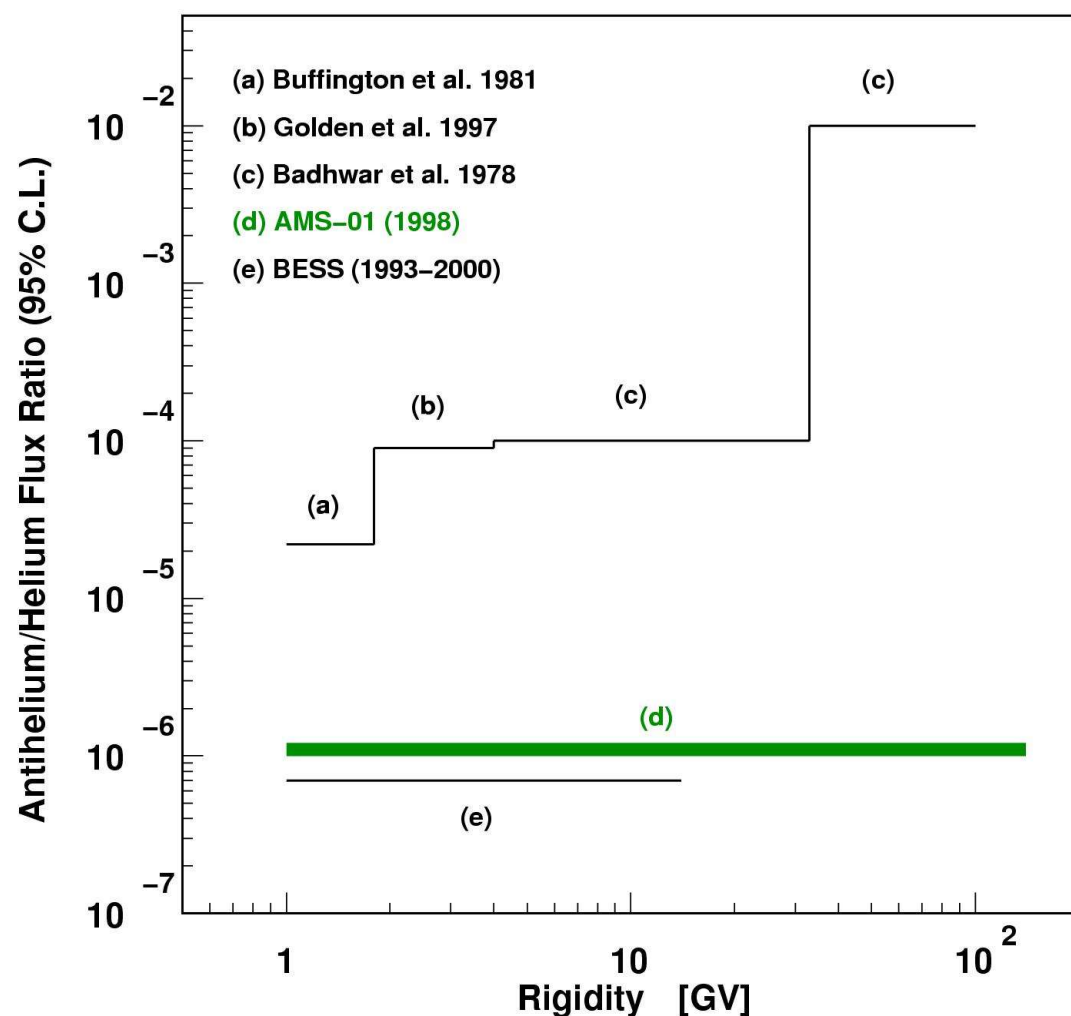
Upward





Selected Results (Space) - AMS-01

- Competitive limits on $\overline{He}$ and Antimatter have been obtained in the 10-day test-flight





Technical Progress - Balloons

- Bess improved on every mission

BESS-93,94	BESS-95	BESS-97,98	BESS-99,00	BESS01,02 BESS-TeV	⇒Future BESS-Polar
$\sigma_{\text{TOF}} = 300 \text{ ps}$	Larger Vessel $\sigma_{\text{TOF}} = 110 \text{ ps}$	$\sigma_{\text{TOF}} = 70 \text{ ps}$ Aerogel C	Shower Counter 2Xo Lead e/ μ sep.	Larger Vessel New ODC's New JET/IDC's	No Vessel New Mag (ultra thin)
$\bar{p}$ 0.2-0.6 GeV	$\bar{p}$ 0.2-1.4 GeV	97 n=1.03 $\bar{p}$ 0.2-3.5 GeV 98 n=1.02 $\bar{p}$ 0.2-4.2 GeV	$\bar{p}$ 0.2-4.2 GeV	p/He up to 1 TeV $\bar{p}$ 0.2-4.2 GeV	$\bar{p}$ 0.1-4.2 GeV

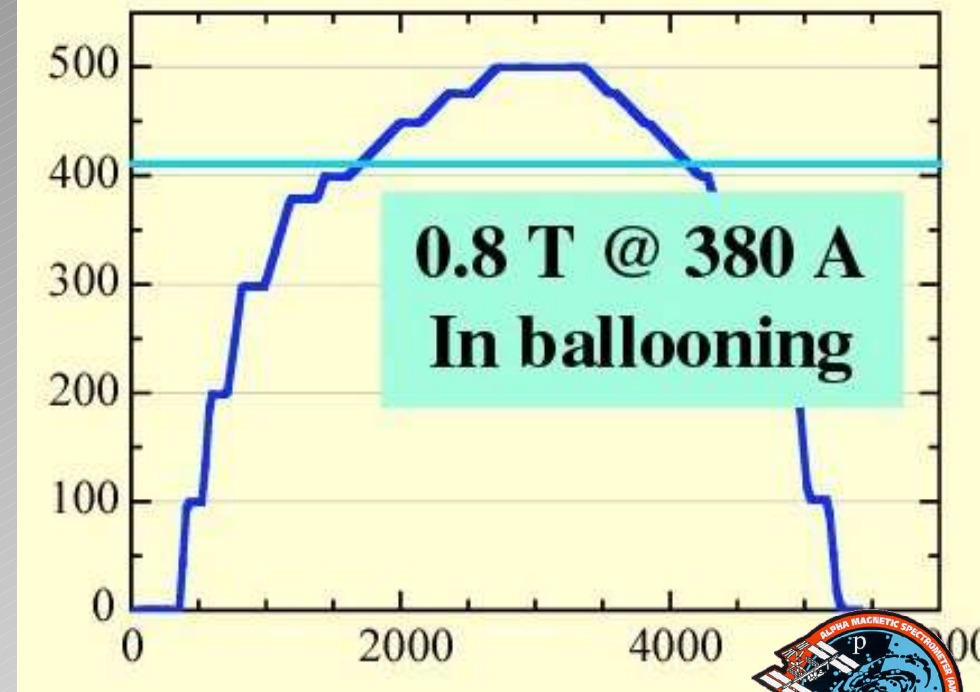
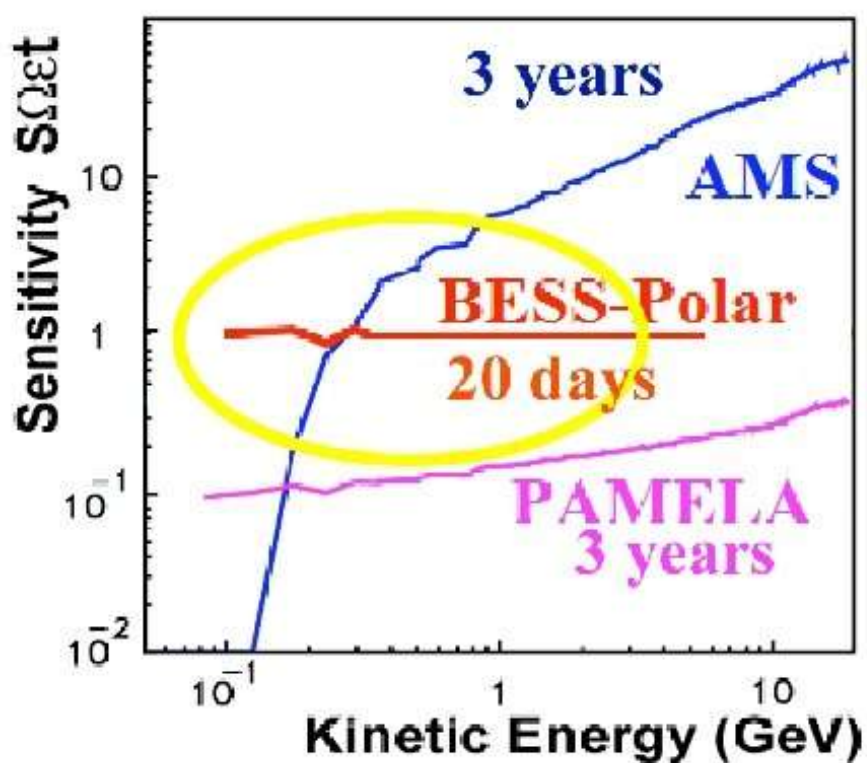
- Flight durations from a few hours to ~1 month (TIGER)
- RUNJOB directly measures knee-region





Future Projects (Balloons) - BESS Polar

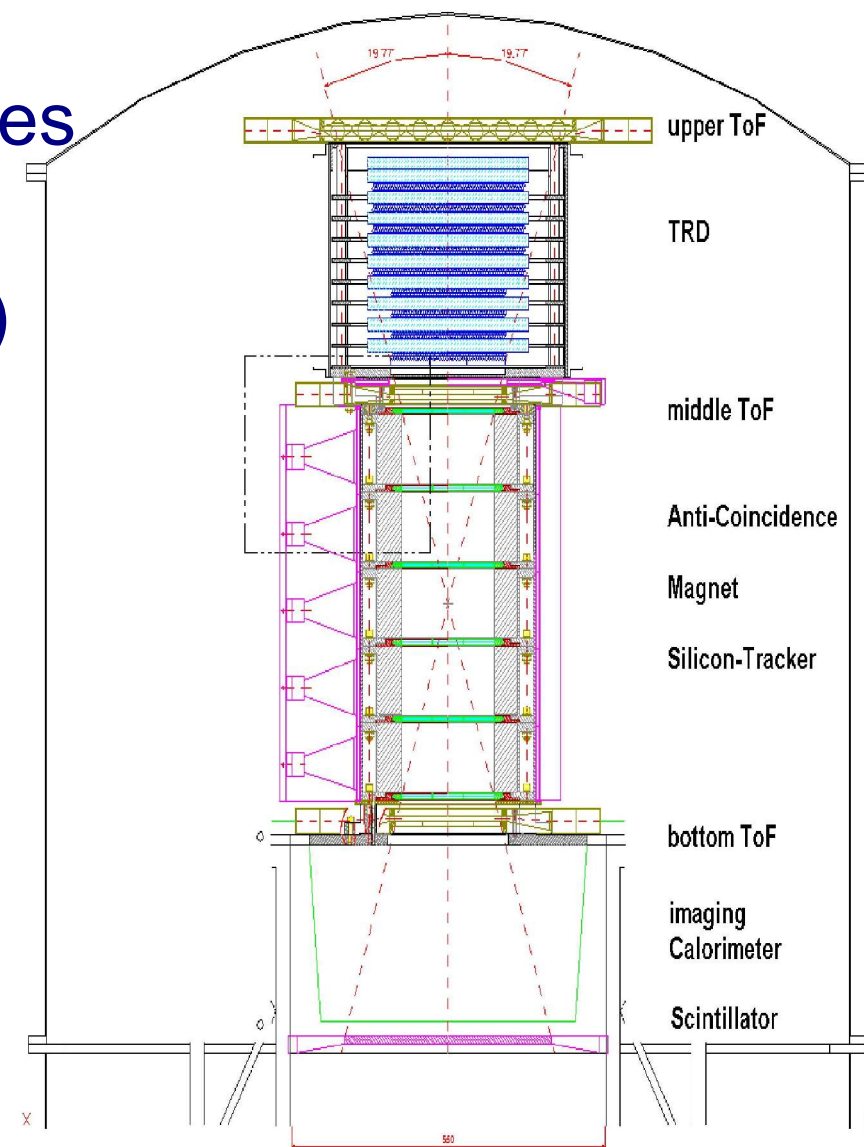
- Thin Solenoid Coil completed and tested up to 1.05 T
- Ideal for low energy
 - ♦ low magnetic cut-off regions
 - ♦ flight during solar minimum (2004-2006)
 - ♦ complementary with PAMELA/AMS





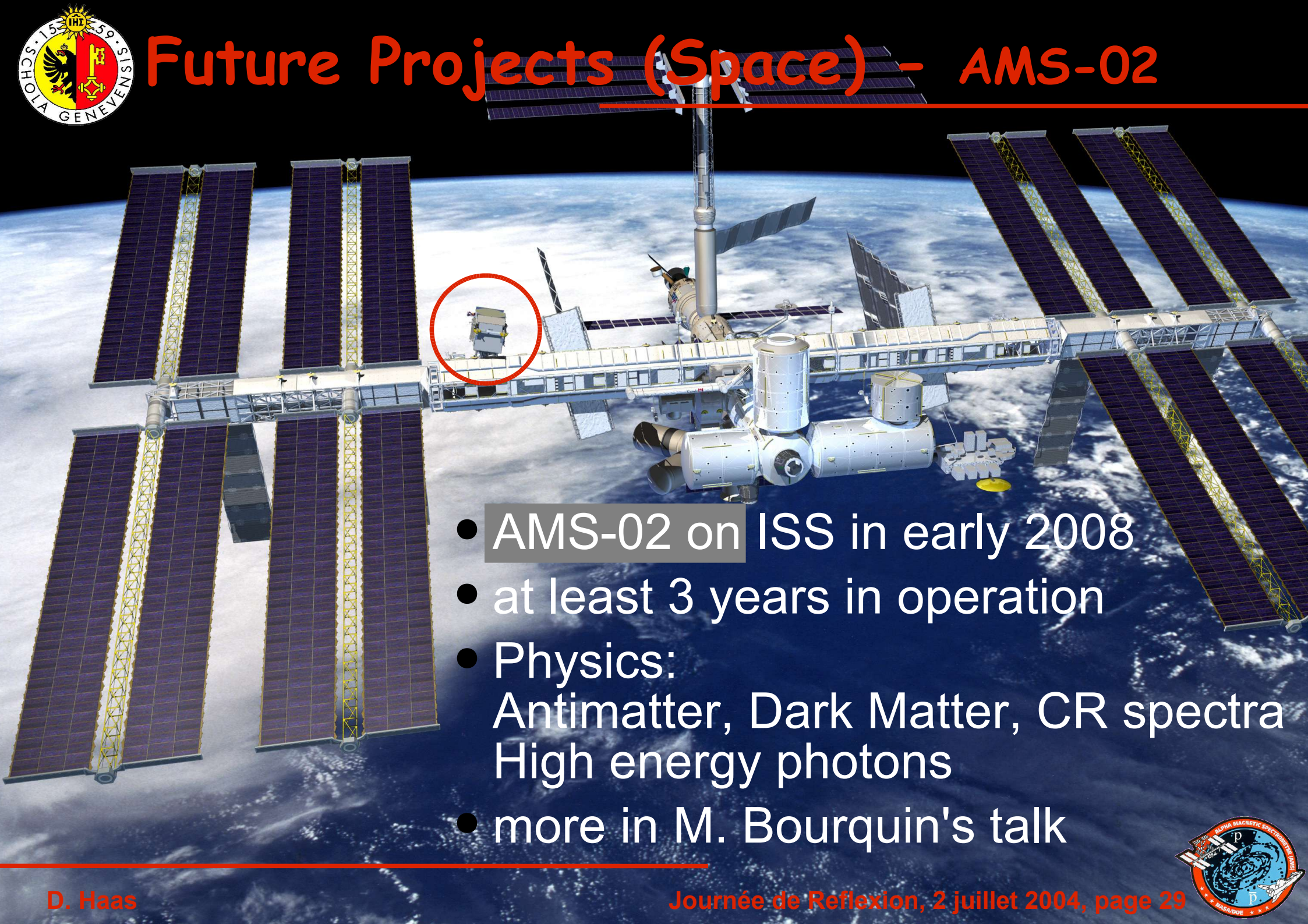
Future Projects (Space) - PAMELA

- Apparatus (ready to fly end 2004)
 - ♦ GF $20.5 \text{ cm}^2\text{sr}$ for high energy particles
 - ♦ Angular aperture of $19^\circ \times 16^\circ$
 - ♦ Spatial res.: $4 \mu\text{m}$ (BV), $15 \mu\text{m}$ (NBV)
 - ♦ Maximum Detectable Rigidity (MDR) $\sim 740 \text{ GV}$
 - ♦ TOF accuracy $< 100 \text{ ps}$
 - ♦ e/p discrim. better than 2×10^5
- Physics
 - ♦ p from $80 \text{ MeV} - 190 \text{ GeV}$
 - ♦ e^+ $50 \text{ MeV} - 270 \text{ GeV}$
 - ♦ $\overline{He}/He \sim 10^{-7}$
 - ♦ nuclei spectra ($H-O$)
 $100 \text{ MeV/n} - 200 \text{ GeV/n}$





Future Projects (Space) - AMS-02



- AMS-02 on ISS in early 2008
- at least 3 years in operation
- Physics:
Antimatter, Dark Matter, CR spectra
High energy photons
- more in M. Bourquin's talk





Comparison - BESS/PAMELA/AMS-02

	BESS-Polar	PAMELA	AMS-02
Acceptance (m^2sr)	0.3	0.002	0.5
MDR (GV)	150	740	2500
Flight duration (days)	10+20	1000	1000
Flight Altitude (km)	36	690	350
Residual air (g/cm^2)	5	-	-
Weight (tons)	1.5	0.38	~7
Power consumption (W)	600	345	2000
Magnetic field (Tesla)	0.8-1	0.4	0.87
Flight latitude (deg.)	80	± 70	± 52
Energy region (GeV)	> 0.1	> 0.1	$\sim > 0.5$
Flight vehicle	Balloon	Satellite	ISS
# of events for:			
protons (range in GeV/n)	$3 \cdot 10^9$ (0.2-200)	$3 \cdot 10^8$ (0.08-700)	$2 \cdot 10^{10}$ (0.5-2500)
antiprotons	$3 \cdot 10^4$ (0.2-4)	$3 \cdot 10^4$ (0.08-190)	$3 \cdot 10^6$ (0.08-700)
e^-	-	$6 \cdot 10^6$ (0.05-2000)	$6 \cdot 10^8$ (0.5-5000)
e^+	-	$3 \cdot 10^5$ (0.05-270)	$3 \cdot 10^7$ (1-400)
Anti-He/He	$3 \cdot 10^{-8}$	$7 \cdot 10^{-8}$	$1 \cdot 10^{-9}$
Anti-D/D	10^{-5}	-	$3 \cdot 10^{-7}$





Conclusions

- **Exciting times** for study of **Astroparticles**
- **Precise measurements** are available and upcoming to help understand **key questions of Cosmology**
- Future direct and indirect measurements all promising
 - ♦ **Auger**: to access **ultra-high energies** above GKZ-cutoff
 - ♦ **Balloon-flights** will soon **last several months**, thus improving statistics essentially
 - ♦ Space experiments like **PAMELA/AMS-02** are first class **technological challenge**, but will hopefully be rewarded
- Rich and diversified physics program





Backup Slides





... Introduction ... - GCR Propagation

- GCRs must propagate through ISM before they can reach us
- Diffusive transport equations describe both Propagation and Acceleration
- Current models are:
 - ♦ Leaky Box Model (LBM): GCRs propagate freely in the containment volume, constant density in volume (often good enough)
 - ♦ Diffusion Halo Models (DHM): diffusion operator not constant, thus density of CRs decreases with distance from the galactic plane, more realistic!
- Isotopes like ^{10}Be can be used to study propagation models, they serve as '*propagation clocks*'

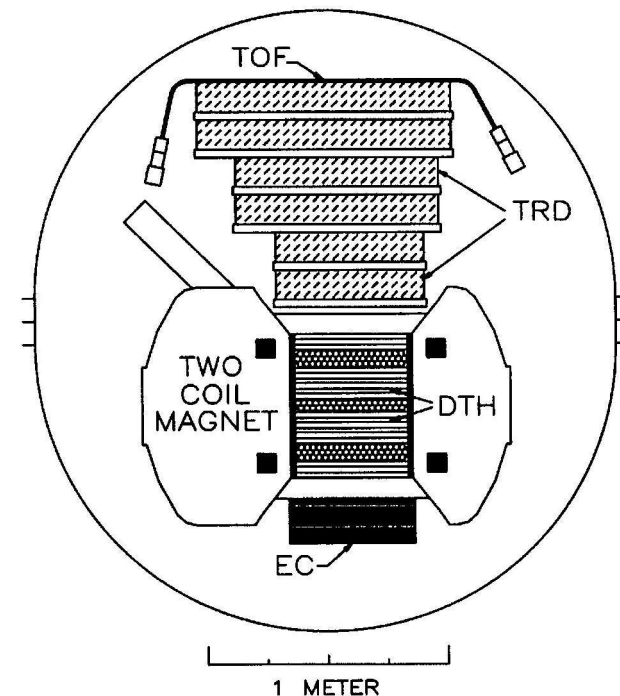




Selected Results (Balloons) - HEAT

• Apparatus

- ♦ Superconducting magnet
- ♦ Drift tube hodoscope tracking chamber
- ♦ Time Of Flight (TOF) with 2 scintillator layers
- ♦ Transition Radiation Detector (TRD) on top
- ♦ Electromagnetic Calorimeter (EC): measure $e^\pm$ and discriminate against hadrons



1994 apparatus

• Physics

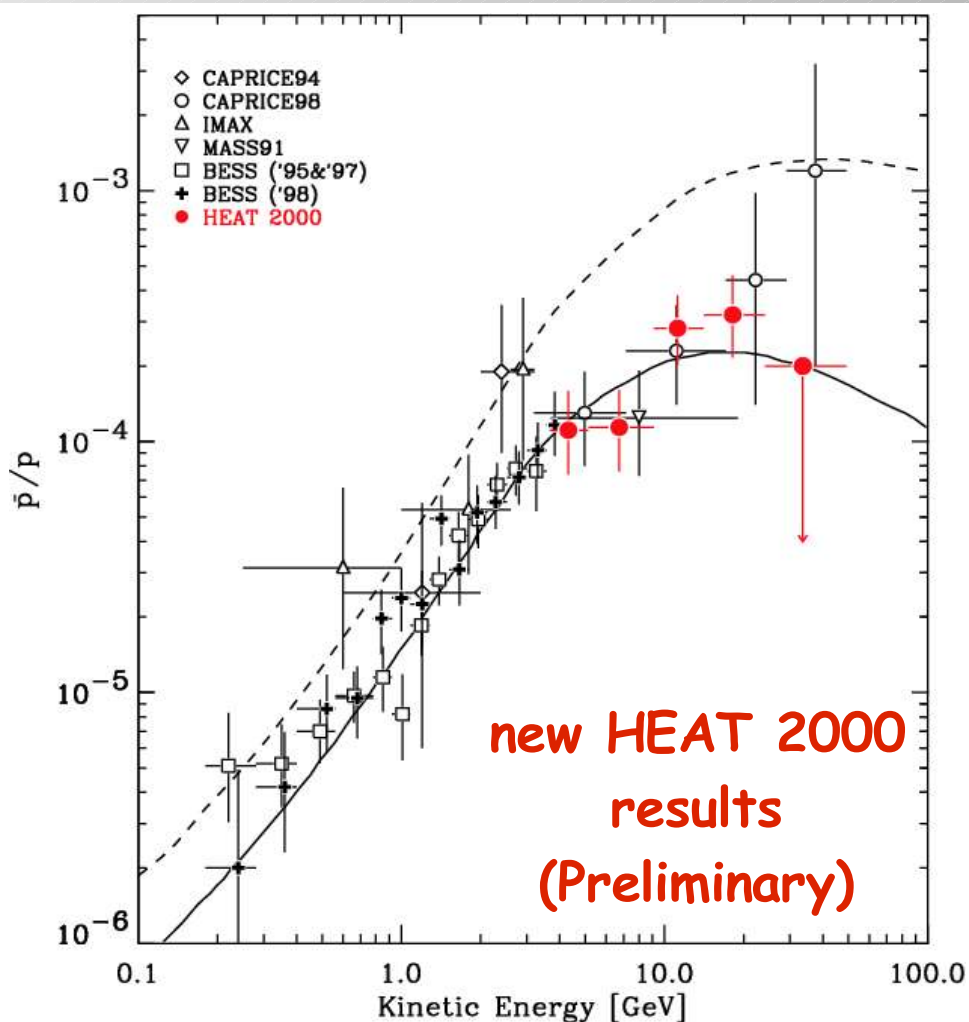
- ♦ Observation of e^+ and e^- from 1-50/100 GeV
- ♦ Observation of $\bar{p}/p$ ratio from 4.5-50 GeV
- ♦ Launch: May 1994 (Fort Sumner/NM), August 1995, Spring 2000 (Lynn Lake Manitoba)





Selected Results (Balloons) - HEAT

- Positrons and Antiprotons probe the structure of the ISM and the primary nucleon component



- New results do not support hard nucleon injection spectrum models

Beach et. al. Phys. Rev. Lett. 87, 271101 (2001)

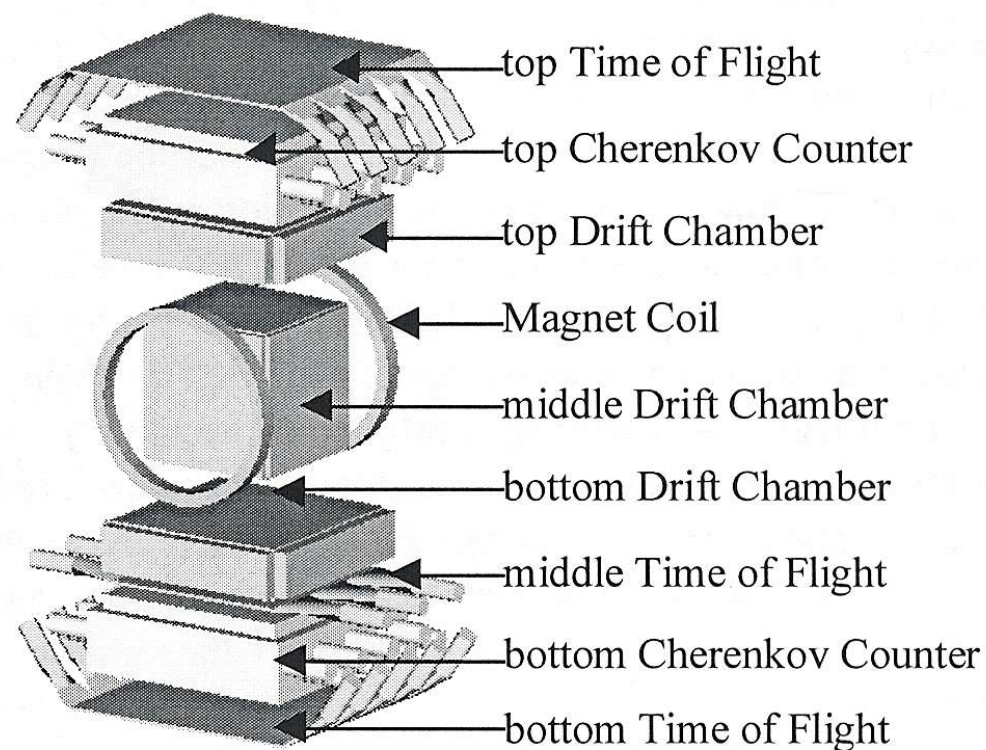
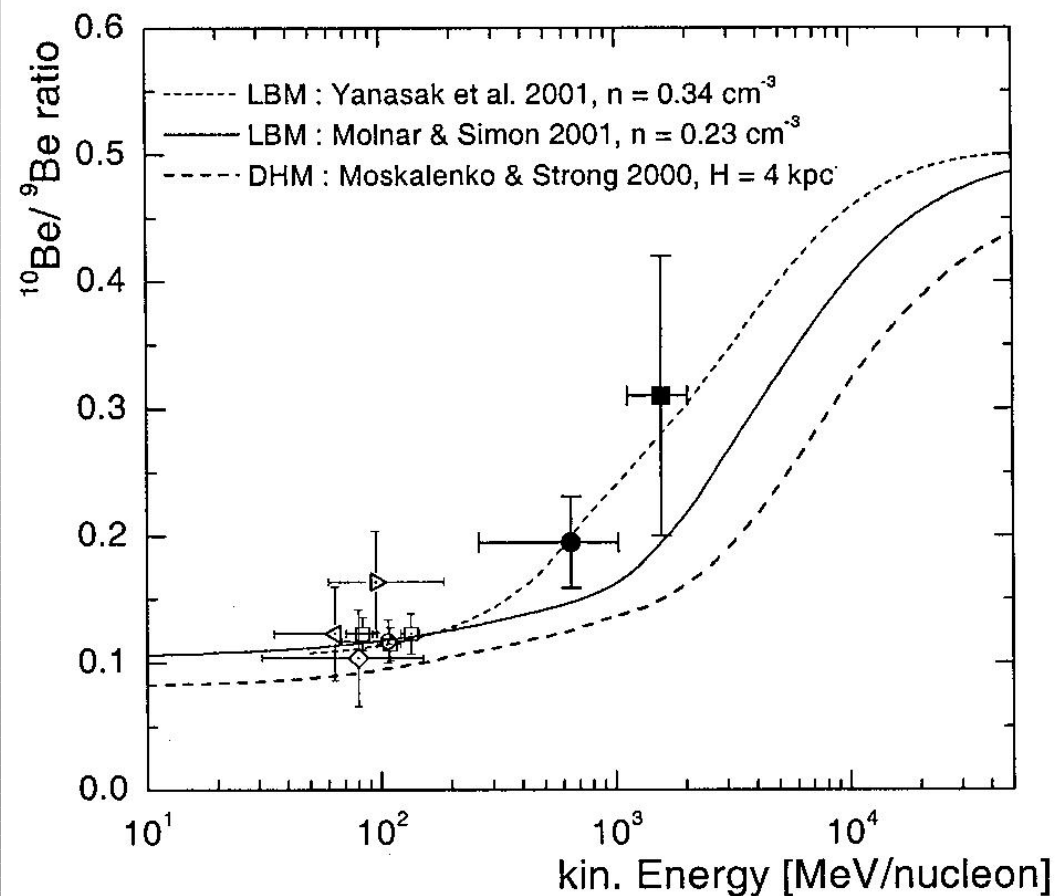
- Measurements consistent with pure secondary production of antiprotons
- Measurements agree with 'standard spectrum' calculated by Moskalenko et al [A&A 338, L75 (1998)]





Selected Results (Balloons) - ISOMAX

- Apparatus
 - ♦ Superconducting magnet
 - ♦ Drift Chambers
 - ♦ TOF & Cerenkovs



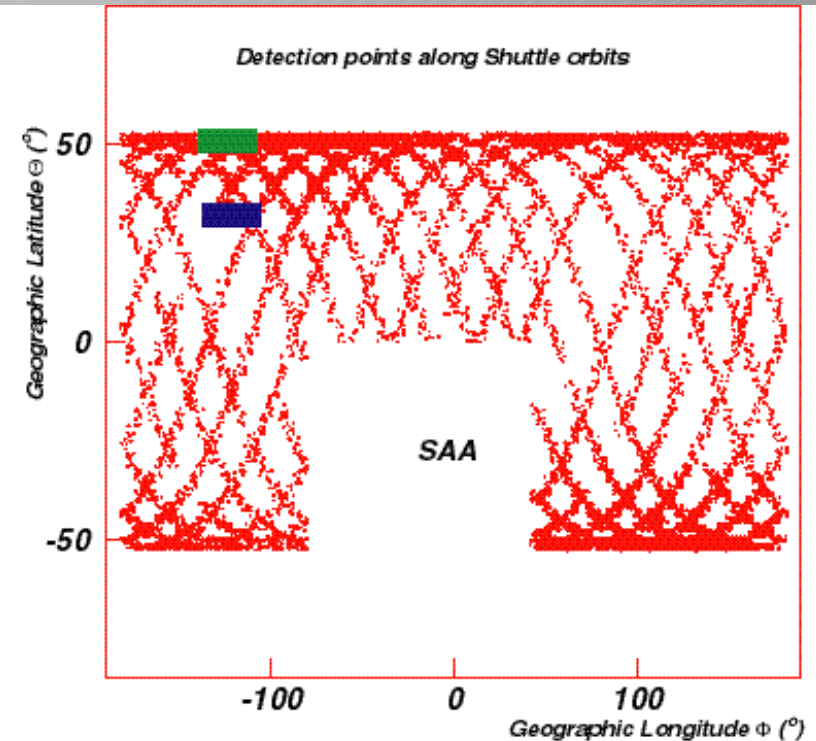
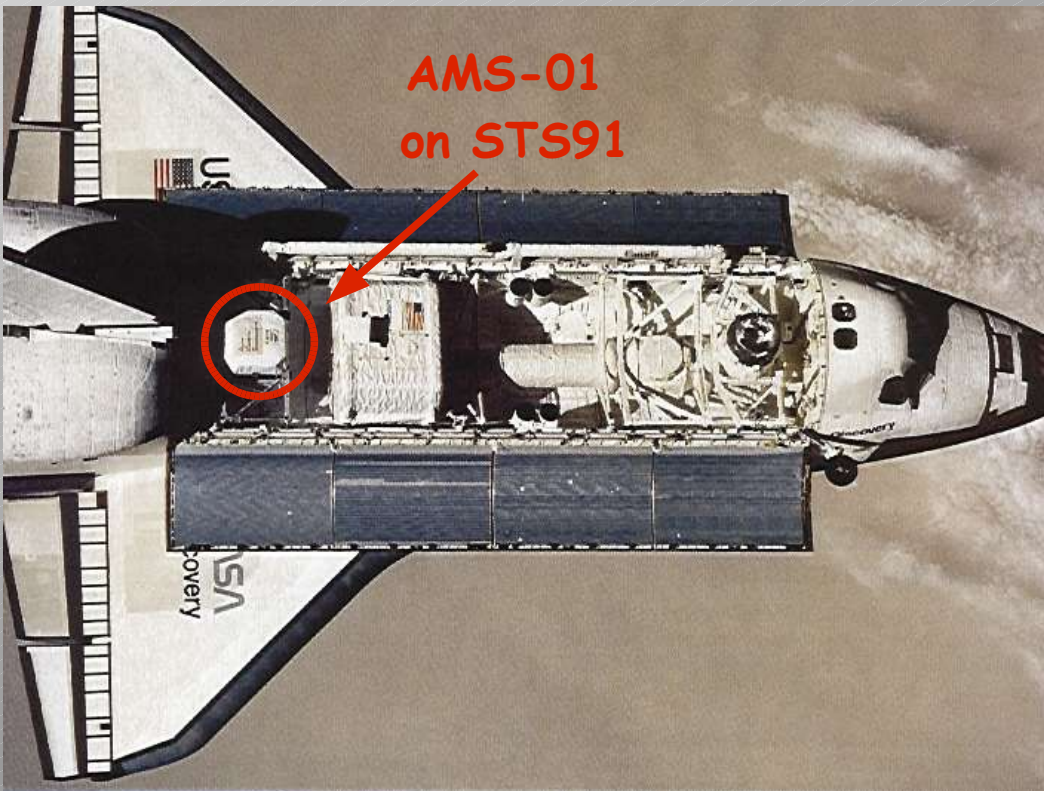
- Physics
 - ♦ Isotopic composition of light isotopes ($3 < Z < 8$)
 - ♦ Energy range up to 4 GeV/n





Selected Results (Space) - AMS-01

- Geographical coverage much better for satellites than for balloons
- Exposure times high



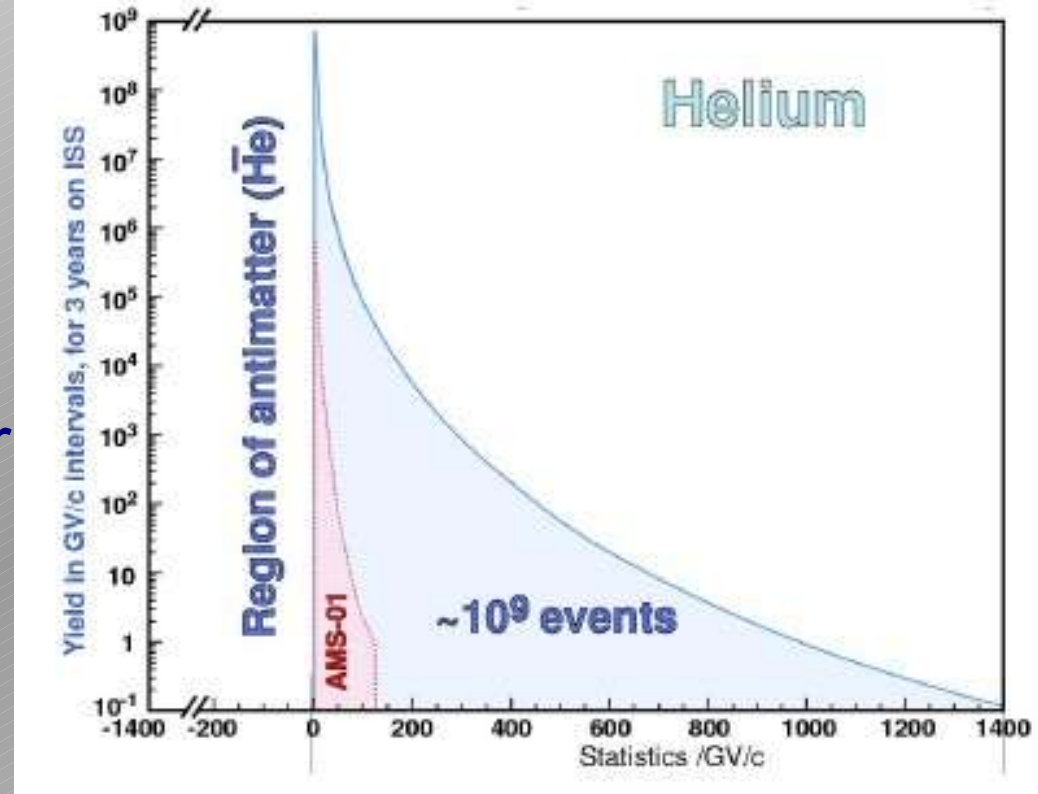
	Cutoffs(GV)	Latitudes	Longitudes
AMS		+/- 51.7	all (SAA excluded)
BESS98	<0.5		(Lynn Lake - Canada)
CAPRICE94		+56.5 N	101-117 W (Lynn Lake - Canada)
MASS91	4.3	+34 N	104 W (Forth Sumner)
IMAX92	0.37-0.63	+56.5 N	101-118 W (Lynn Lake - Canada)
LEAP87	0.6-1.1	n.a.	n.a. (Prince Albert - Canada)





Future Projects (Space) - AMS-02

- Search for Antimatter
 - ⇒ Improve Limits of AMS01
 - ♦ Increased Sensitivity
 - ♦ Energy Range of $O(1 \text{ TeV/n})$
 - ♦ Anti-Helium $\Rightarrow$ Cosmic Antimatter
 - ♦ Anti-Carbon $\Rightarrow$ Anti-Stars
- Search for Dark Matter
 - ♦ High statistics for $e^\pm$
 - ♦ Antiprotons, $\bar{D}$ and γ Spectra
- Cosmic Ray Studies
 - ♦ Precision measurements of light isotopes
- Sources of High Energy Photons



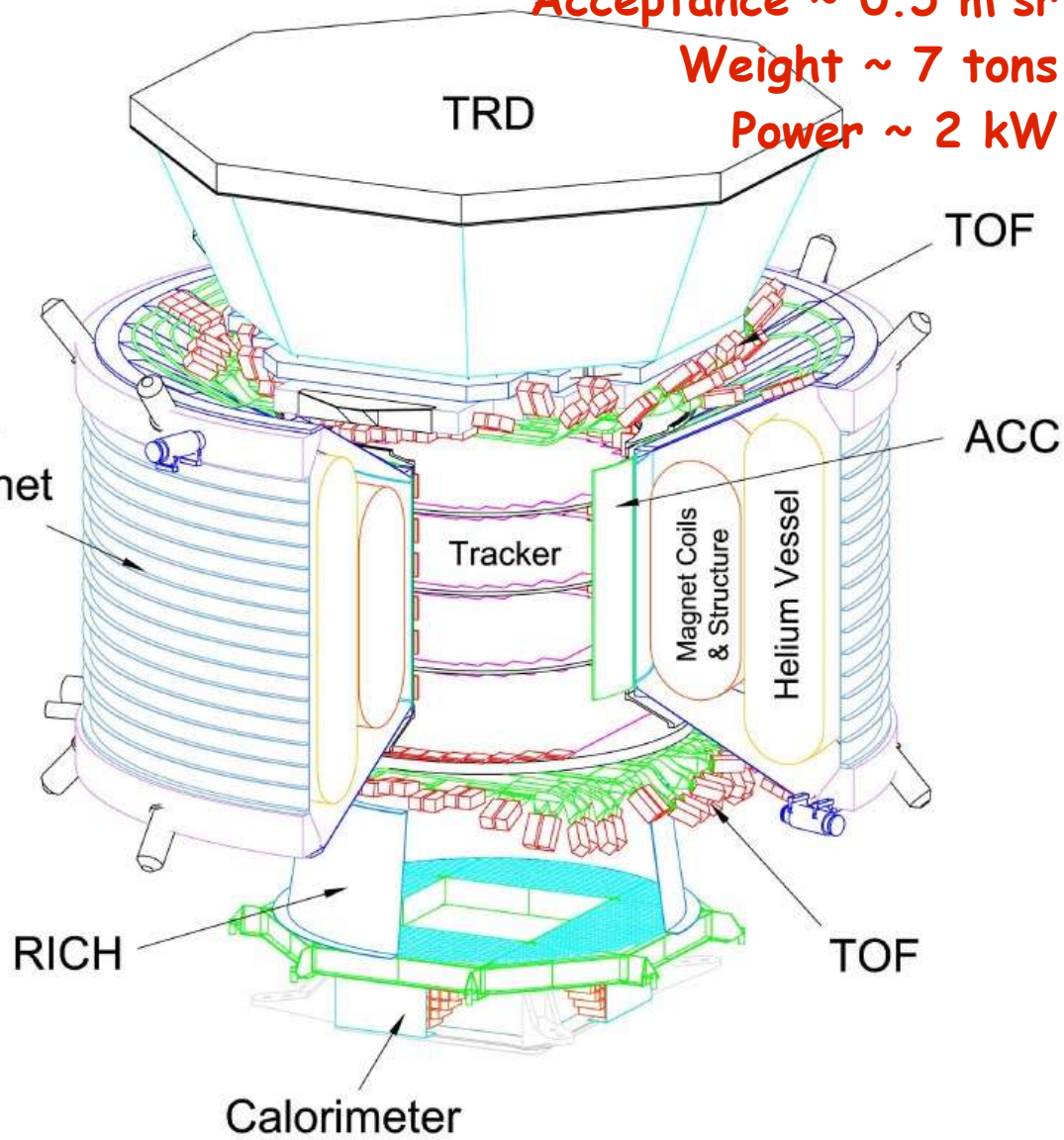


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AMS 02

(Alpha Magnetic Spectrometer)

Acceptance $\sim 0.5 \text{ m}^2\text{sr}$
Weight $\sim 7 \text{ tons}$
Power $\sim 2 \text{ kW}$

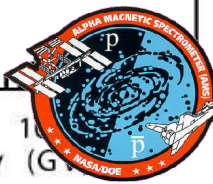
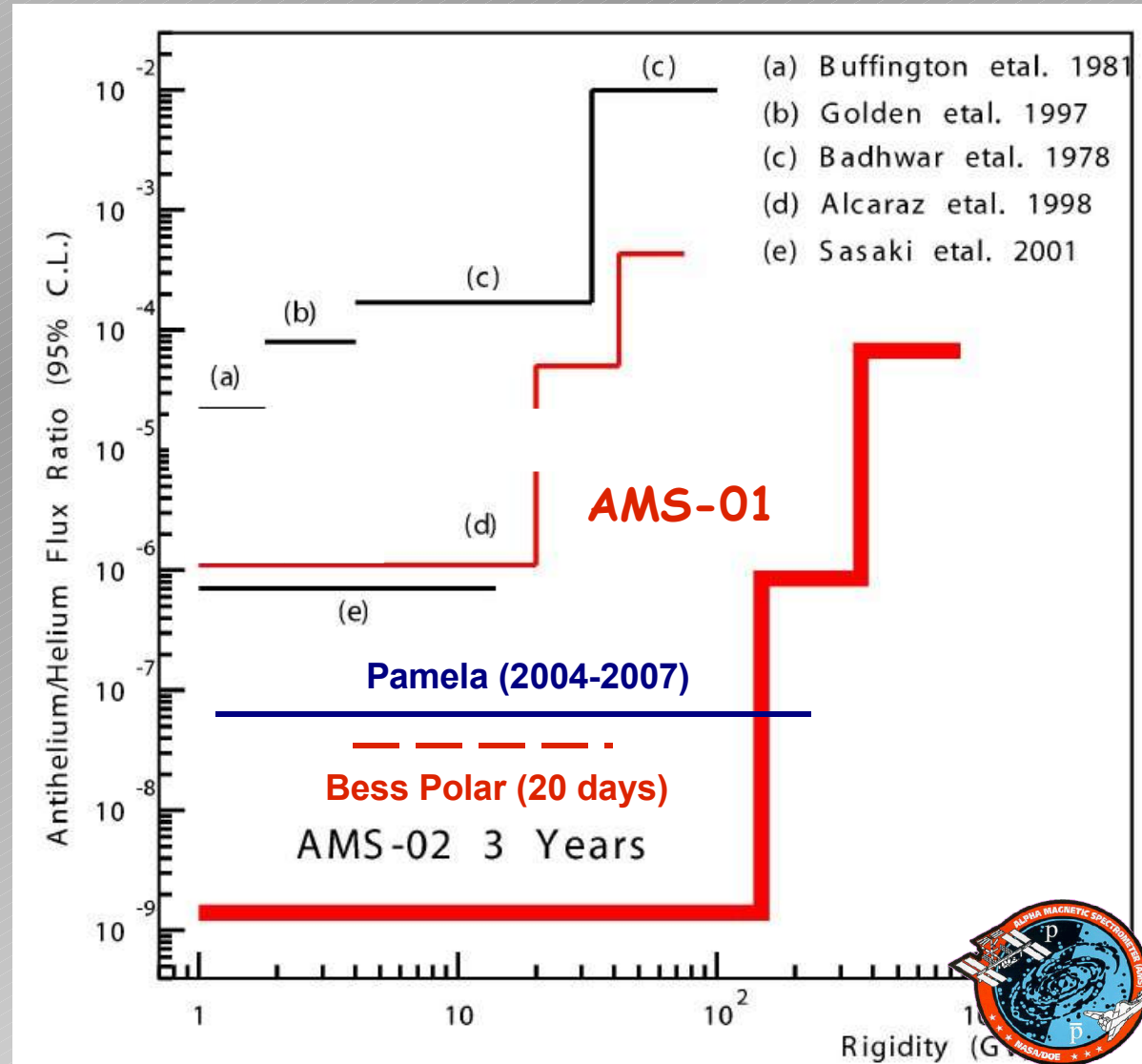
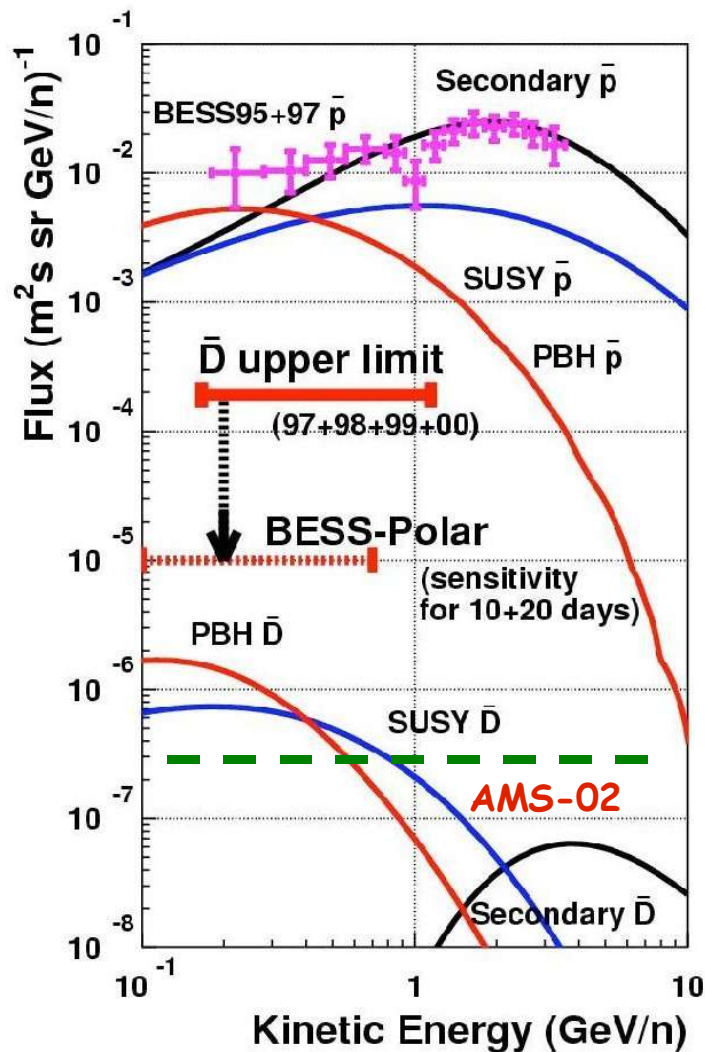


- Superconducting Magnet
 - 14 coils, total dipole moment=0
 - Reservoir for 3 years, $B \sim 0.87 \text{ T}$
- Tracker
 - 2264 sensors, $\sim 6.4 \text{ m}^2$
 - $\sim 200\text{k}$ channels on 8 layers
- Transition Radiation Det (TRD)
 - 328 modules (straw t./fleece r.)
 - 20 layers on octagonal shape
- Time Of Flight (TOF)
 - 4 scintillator planes, 34 paddles
 - 2/3 PMs at both ends
- Ring Imaging Cherenkov (RICH)
 - aerogel and sodium fluoride
 - pixel granularity $8.5 \times 8.5 \text{ mm}^2$
- Electromagnetic Calorimeter
 - lead-scintillating fibers sandwich
 - 9 superlayers, $\sim 15 X_0$



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- Search for antimatter at the 10^{-9} level of sensitivity for $\bar{He}$ with AMS-02 on the ISS
- $\bar{D}$ limit could test SUSY





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- Expected Isotopic components from AMS-02

