

YSO fragment implantation and decay counter

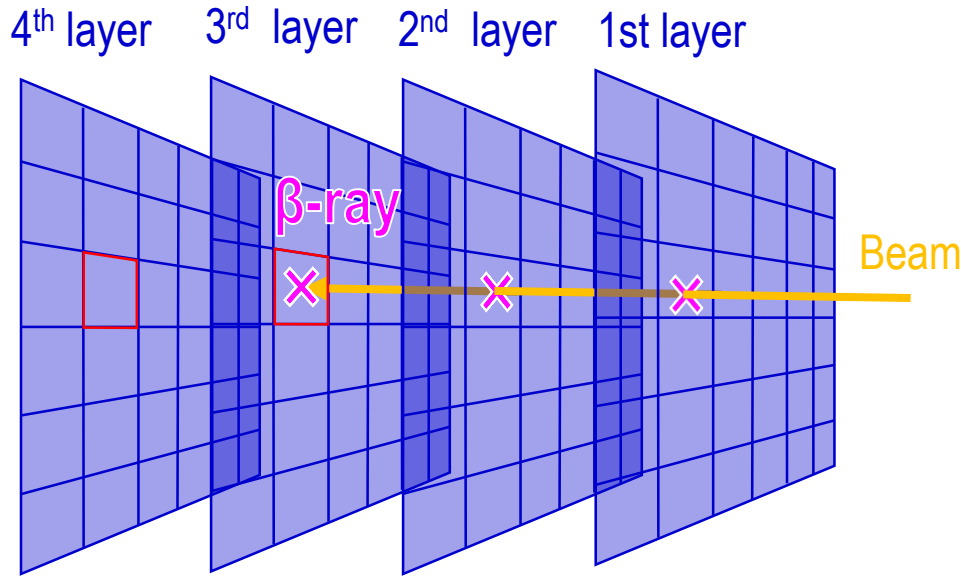
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Decay study at a fragmentation facility

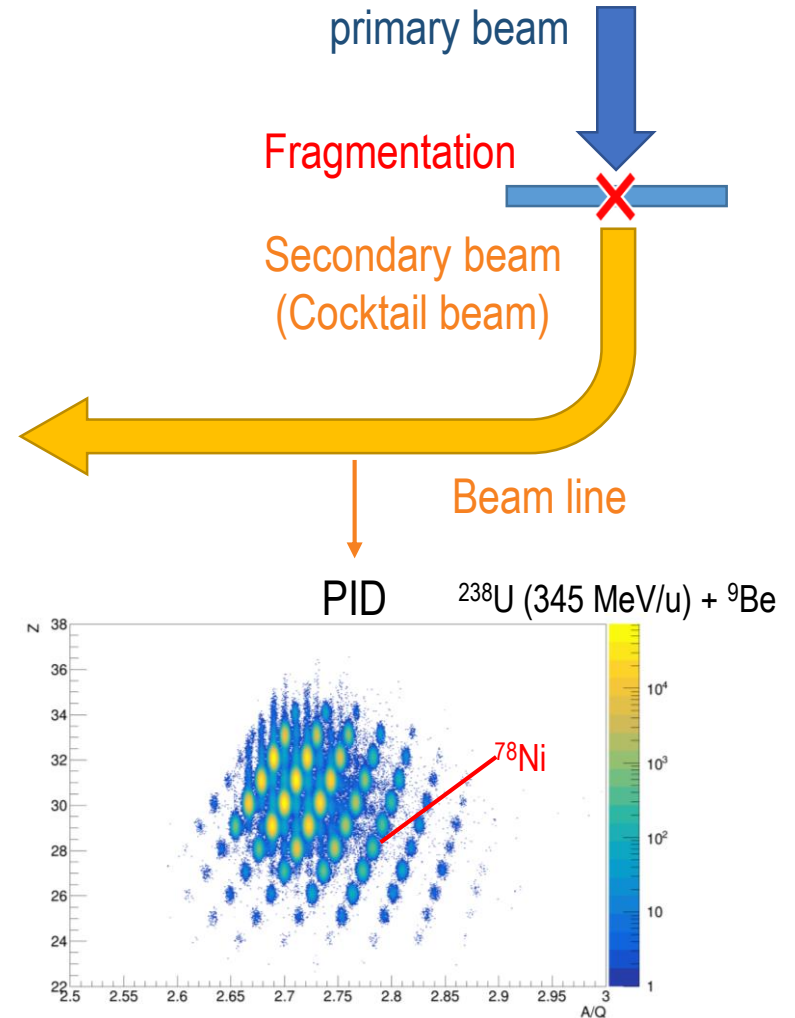
Implant detector (Stack of DSSSD)



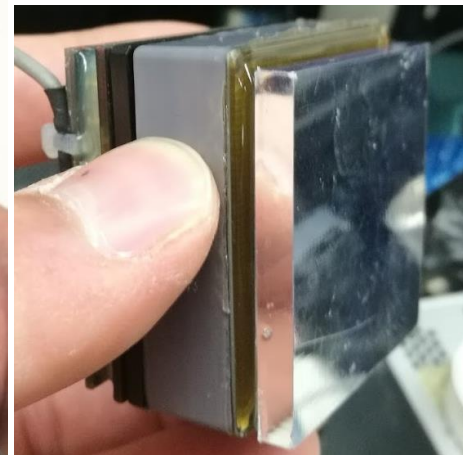
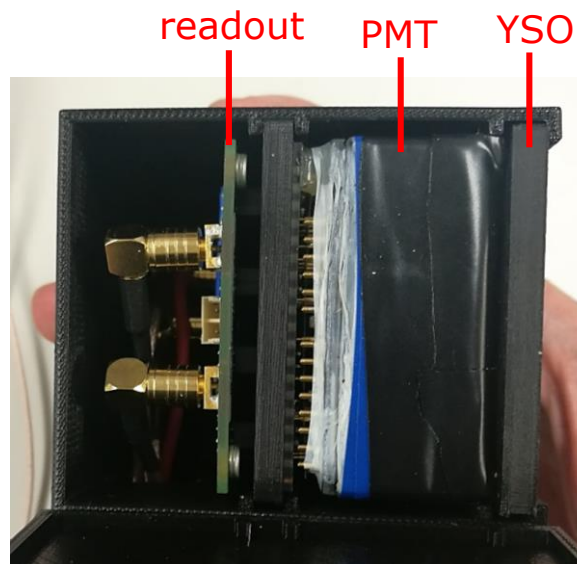
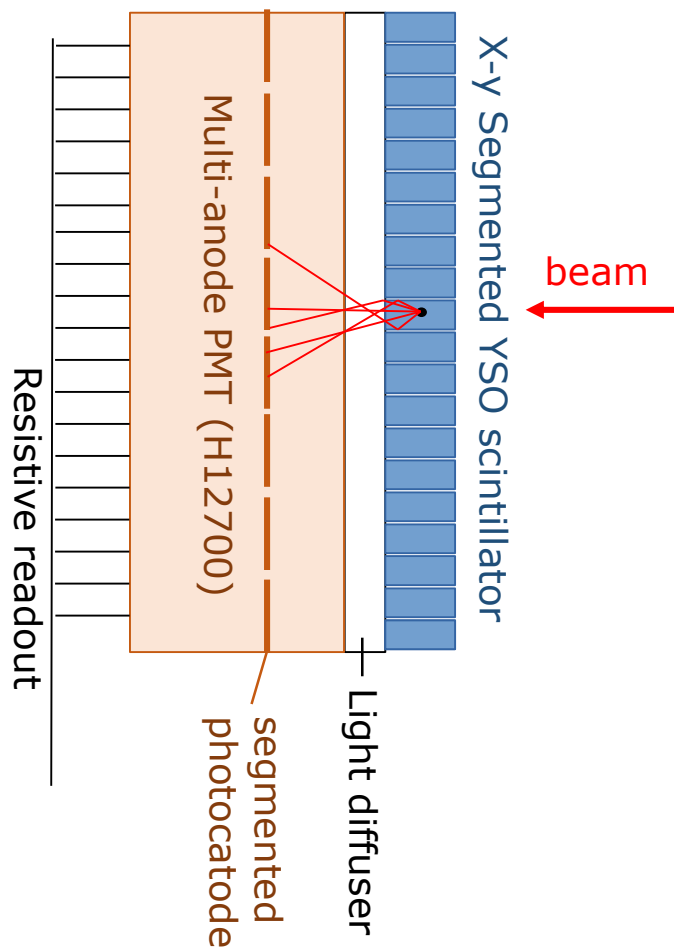
x-y position of an implant
 x-y position of β -ray emission } Correlate β events with PID

Implant detector requires

- Good position resolution for both ions and beta



Segmented scintillation detector as an implantation and decay counter

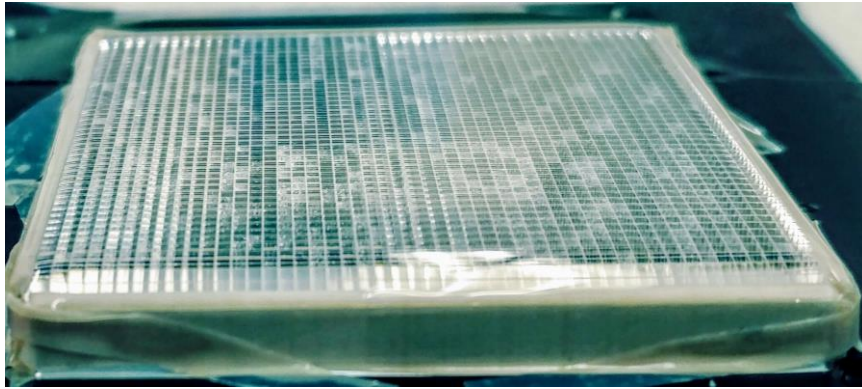


Compared to DSSSDs

- Fast response time (~ 300 ps)
- Hard to radiation damage
- High stopping power
 - High beta efficiency
 - Good position correlation
- Can be thick
- Simple and compact
- More γ absorption
- $\sim 10\%$ energy resolution for ions

Position sensitive detector with a segmented scintillator

Surface of the segmented YSO

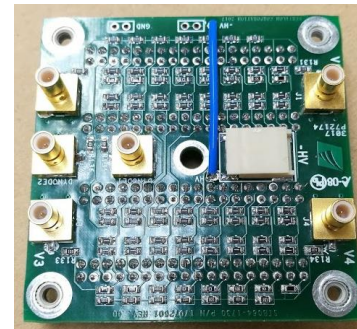


- YSO (Yttrium Orthosilicate, Y_2SiO_5) crystal
 - Effective atomic number: $Z \sim 39$
 - Density: $\sim 4.5 \text{ g/cm}^3$
 - Wavelength: 420 nm
 - Decay time: $\sim 70 \text{ ns}$
- 48 x 48 segments
- Each segment: 1 x 1 mm
- Thickness: 5 mm
- Reflective material: ESR

Multi-anode PMT Hamamatsu H12700



- 48.5 x 48.5 mm effective area
- 8 x 8 anodes

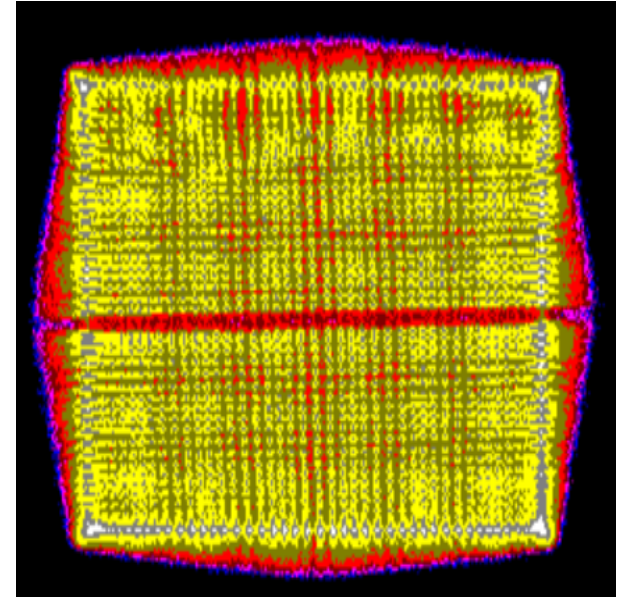
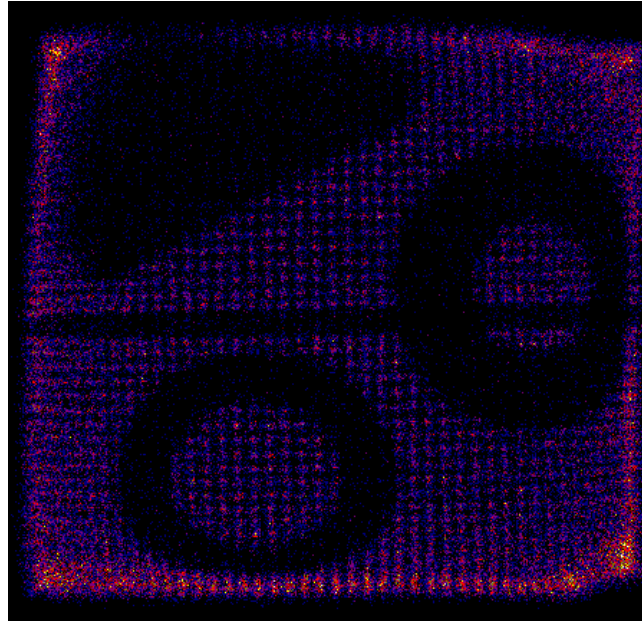


Resistive readout board

- 4 ch for position
- 1 ch (dynode) for timing

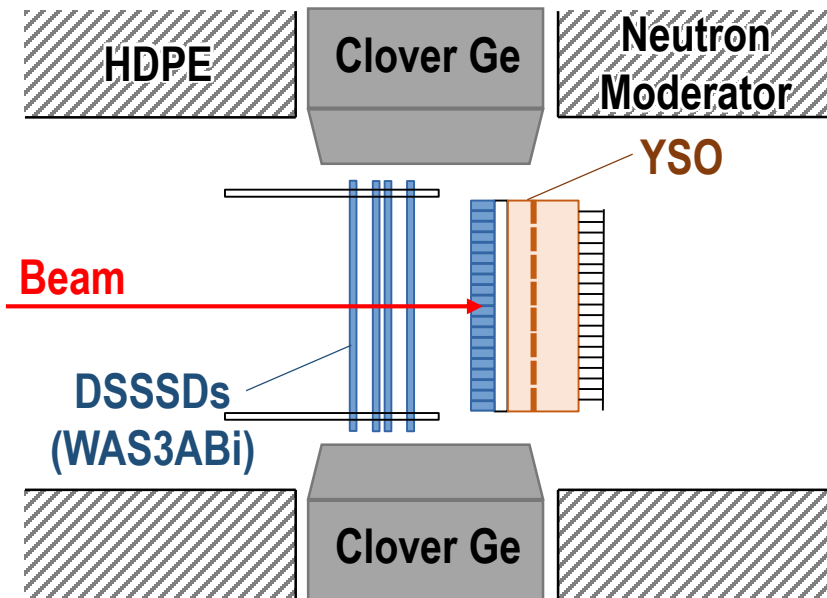
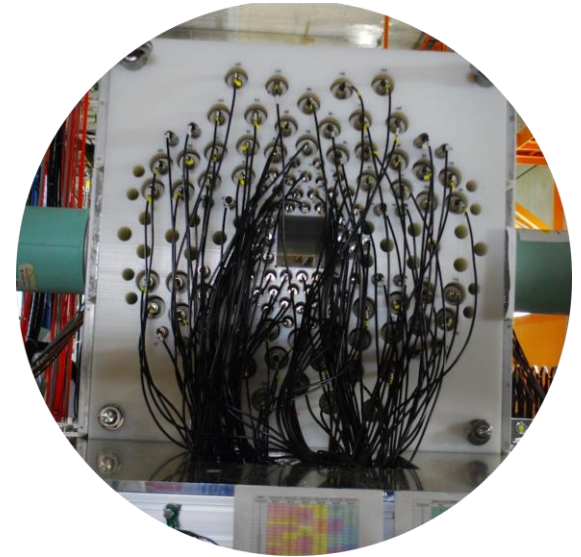
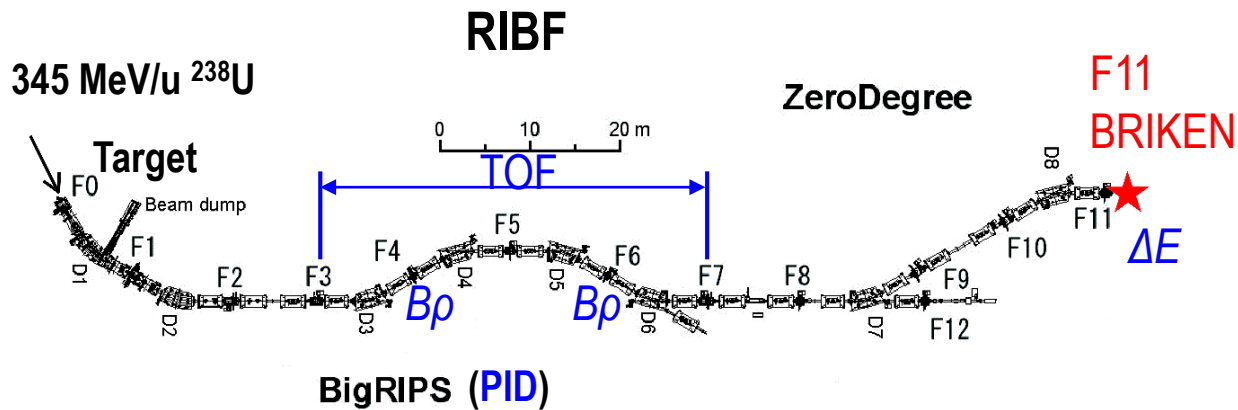
Gamma-ray image

^{137}Cs source



- Enough resolution to see 1 x 1 mm segments
- The image is linear except along the edge

First implementation of YSO detector at RIKEN w/ BRIKEN

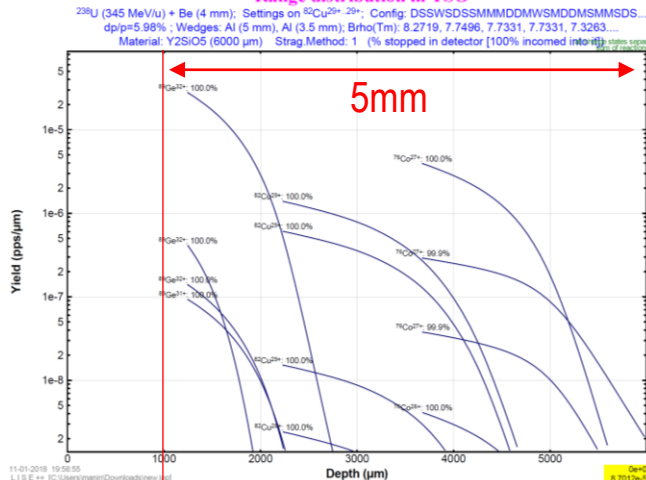


BRIKEN exp. in Oct./Nov. 2017 at RIBF

- In-flight fission of $345 \text{ MeV/u } ^{238}\text{U}$
- Region around and beyond 78Ni
- 140 ^3He counters for Pn measurement
- Two ORNL clover detectors
- Shared implantation between DSSSDs and YSO

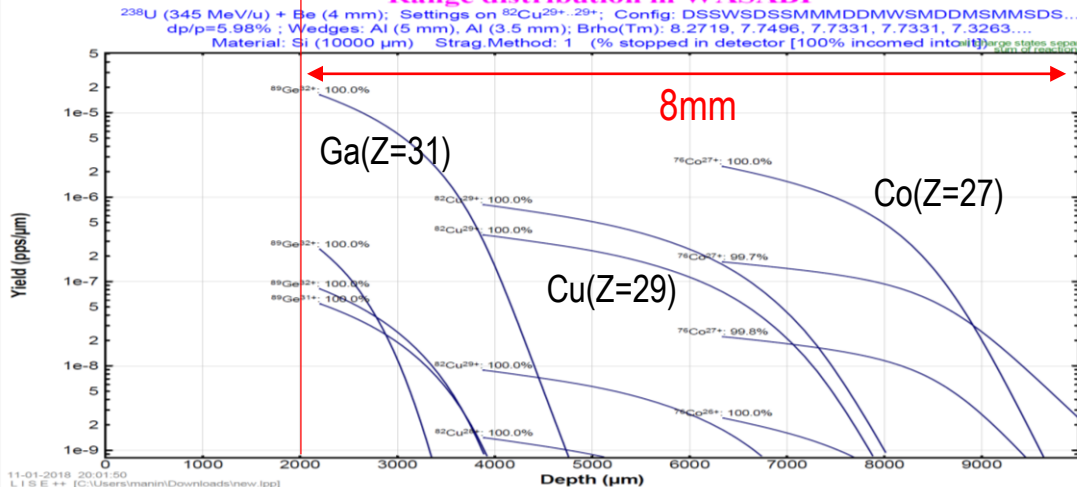
Ion ranges in YSO and Si

Range distribution in YSO



5 mm of YSO stops all the ions between Z=27 to 31

Range distribution in WASABI

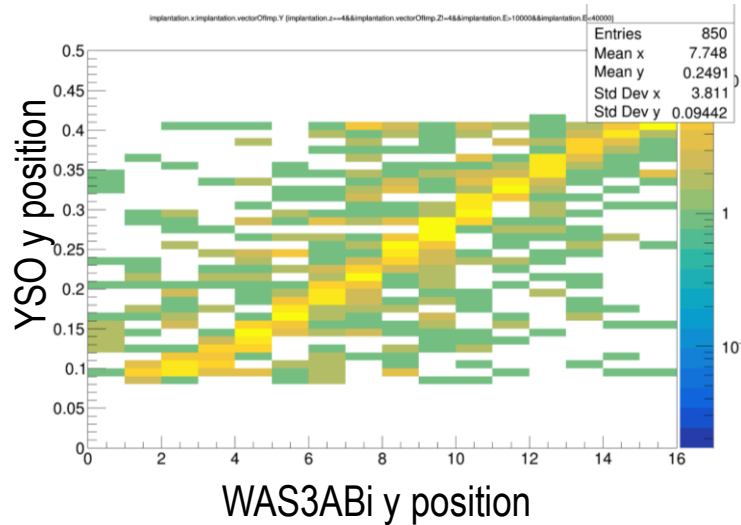


8 layers (8 mm) of Si are required to stop all the ions

- 4 mm Si + 5 mm YSO are installed in this experiment

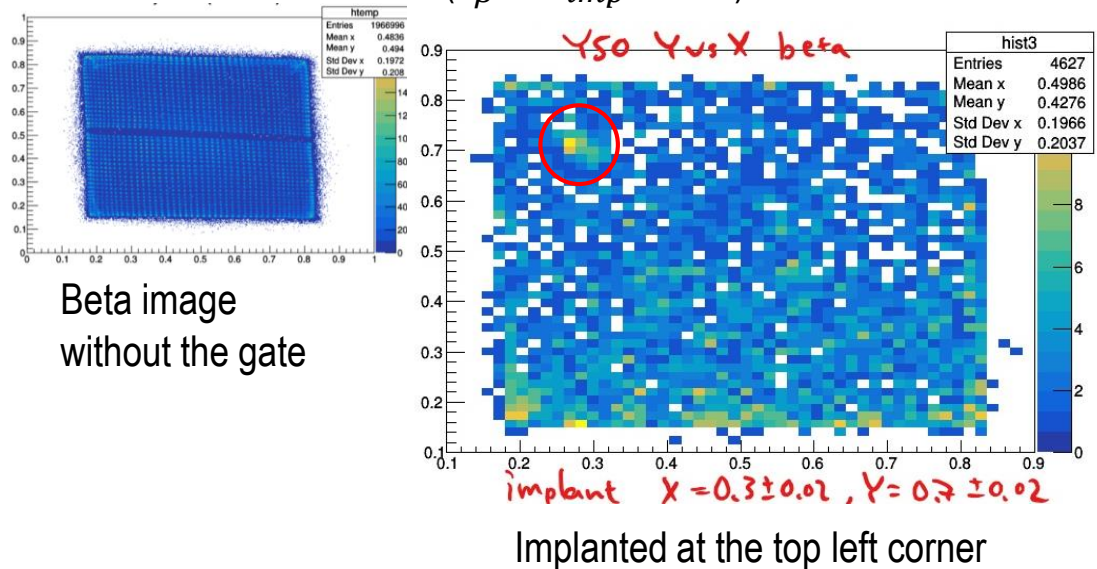
Position correlation

Position correlation between YSO and WAS3ABi(DSSSDs) (Ions that punched through)



Position correlation between implantation and beta

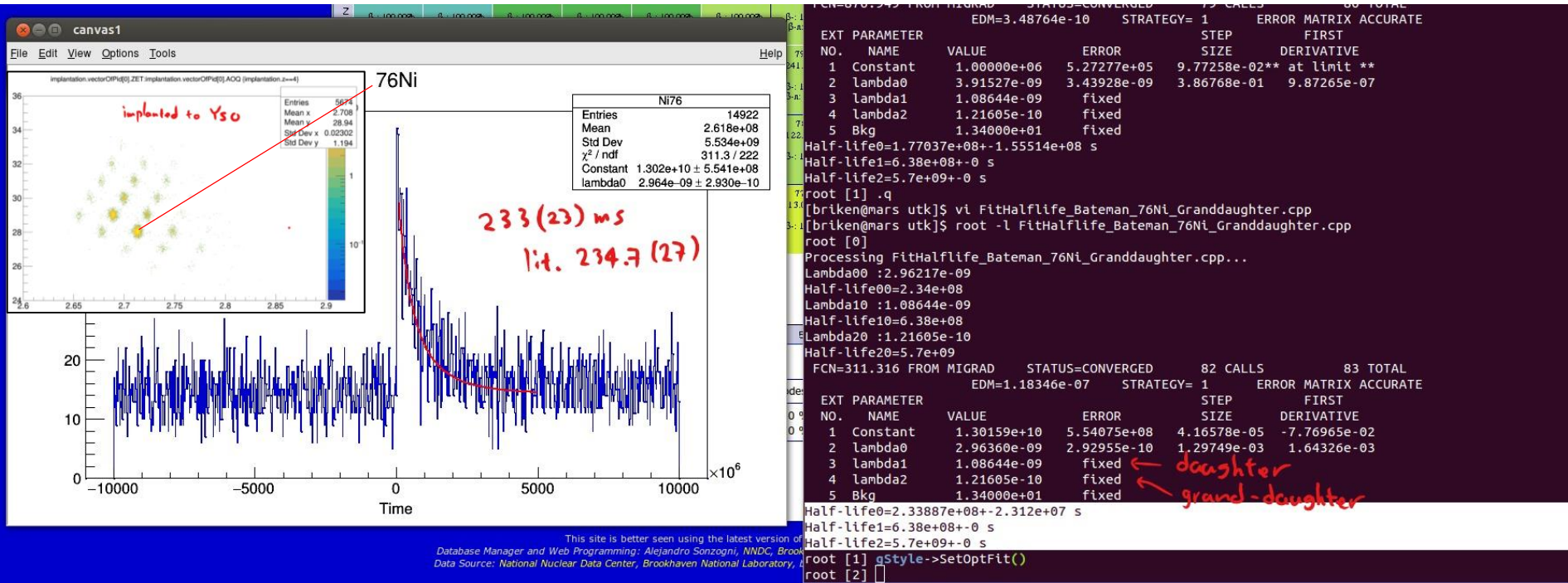
x-y images of beta events gated by implant position ($T_\beta - T_{imp} < 1s$)



- Implant positions obtained from YSO were consistent with those obtained from WAS3ABi.
- Observed position correlated events between beta events and implant events.

Decay of ^{76}Ni

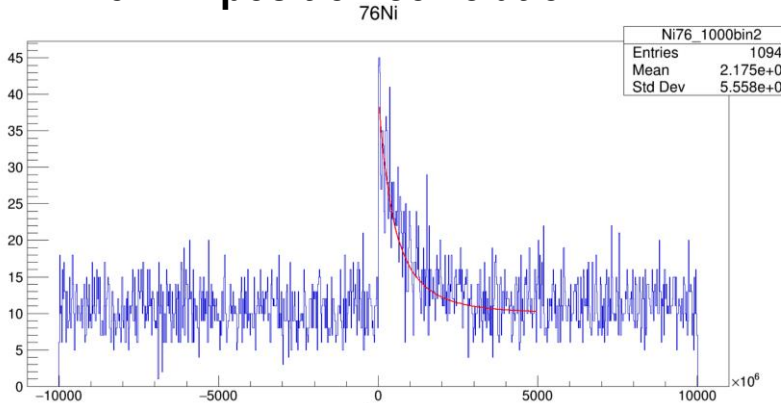
Decay curve of ^{76}Ni implanted into YSO



- The decay curve was fit with a function including the daughter and grand-daughter decays.
- Obtained half-life of ^{76}Ni was consistent with a literature value.

Beta efficiency

Decay spectrum of ^{76}Ni with $r < 2.5$ mm position correlation



$$A_0 = N_0 \int_{0s}^{10s} \lambda_0 e^{-t\lambda_0} dt$$

$$A_1 = N_0 \int_{0s}^{10s} \lambda_0 \lambda_1 (e^{-t\lambda_0} - e^{-t\lambda_1}) / (\lambda_1 - \lambda_0) dt$$

$$A_2 = N_0 \int_{0s}^{10s} \lambda_0 \lambda_1 \lambda_2 \left\{ \frac{e^{-t\lambda_0}}{(\lambda_2 - \lambda_0)(\lambda_1 - \lambda_0)} + \frac{e^{-t\lambda_1}}{(\lambda_2 - \lambda_1)(\lambda_0 - \lambda_1)} + \frac{e^{-t\lambda_2}}{(\lambda_0 - \lambda_2)(\lambda_1 - \lambda_2)} \right\} dt$$

Number of detected beta from ^{76}Ni :

$$\{(\text{Integral } 0 \text{ to } 10s) - (\text{Integral } -10 \text{ to } 0s)\} * A_0 / (A_0 + A_1 + A_2) = 6232 * 0.35 = 2170 \text{ events}$$

Number of ^{76}Ni ions implanted to YSO: 3307 ions

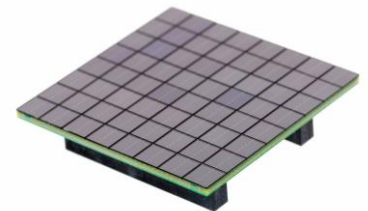
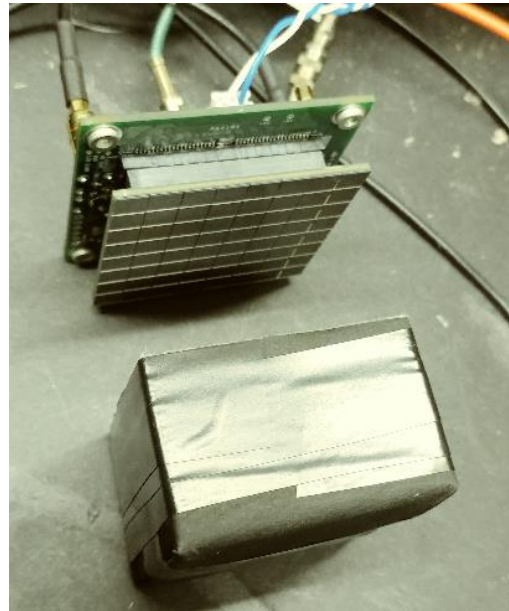
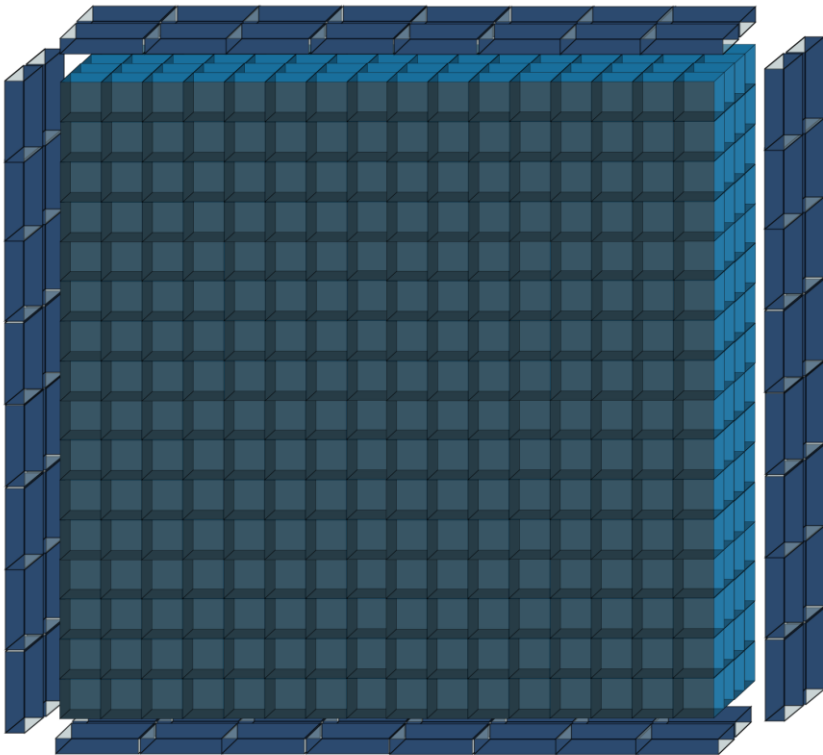
Beta efficiency of ^{76}Ni with 2.5 mm correlation: ~65%

- Ni isotopes are expected to be implanted in the very front part of YSO.
- Higher efficiency is expected for an ion implanted deeply.

Future design

3D readout will be enabled with SiPM

Large arrays possible to fit the size of the beam spot.



Summary

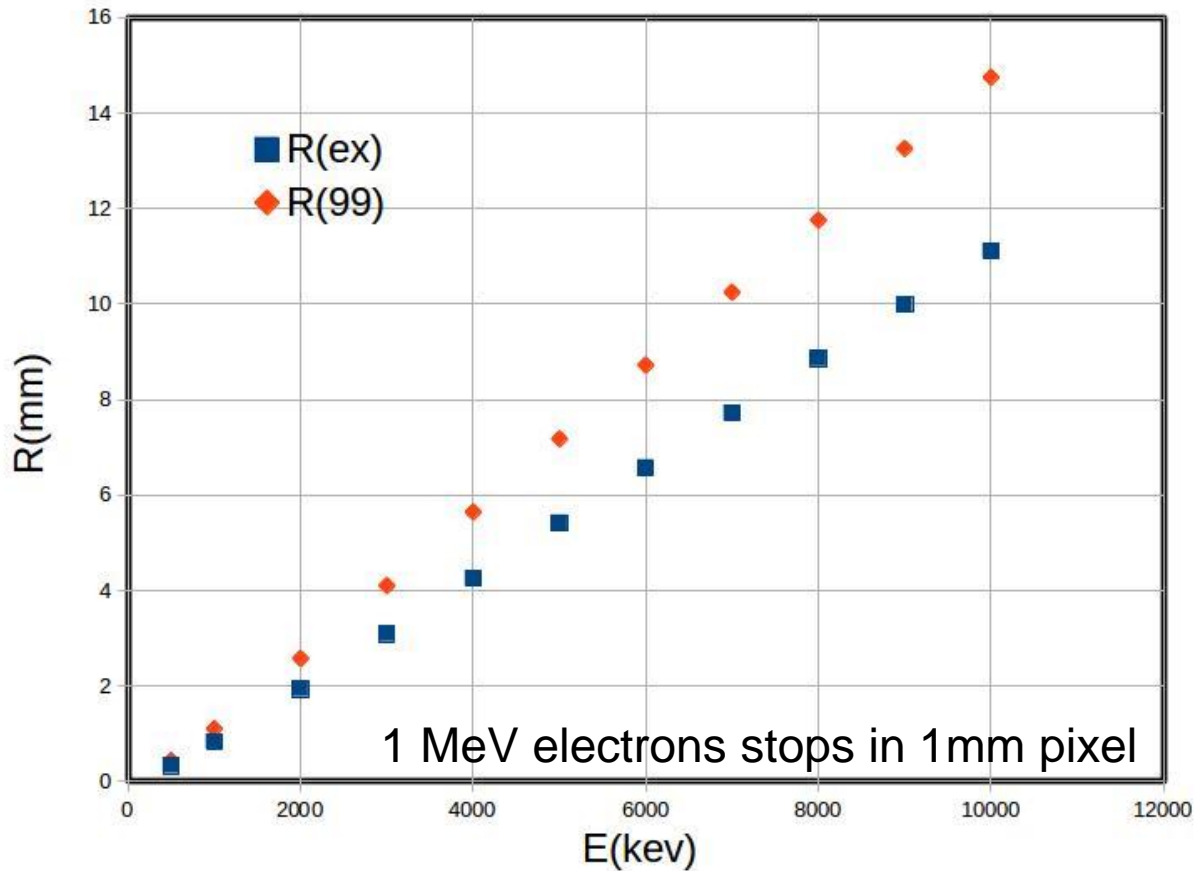
- We are developing a YSO scintillation detector as an implantation and decay counter for fragmentation facilities.
- Implemented in an experiment at RIKEN RIBF (~78Ni region).
- The Ion-beta correlation by YSO was successful
 - The decay curve of ^{76}Ni was consistent with a literature.
- The online analysis shows ~65% beta efficiency with 2.5mm position window.

TODO

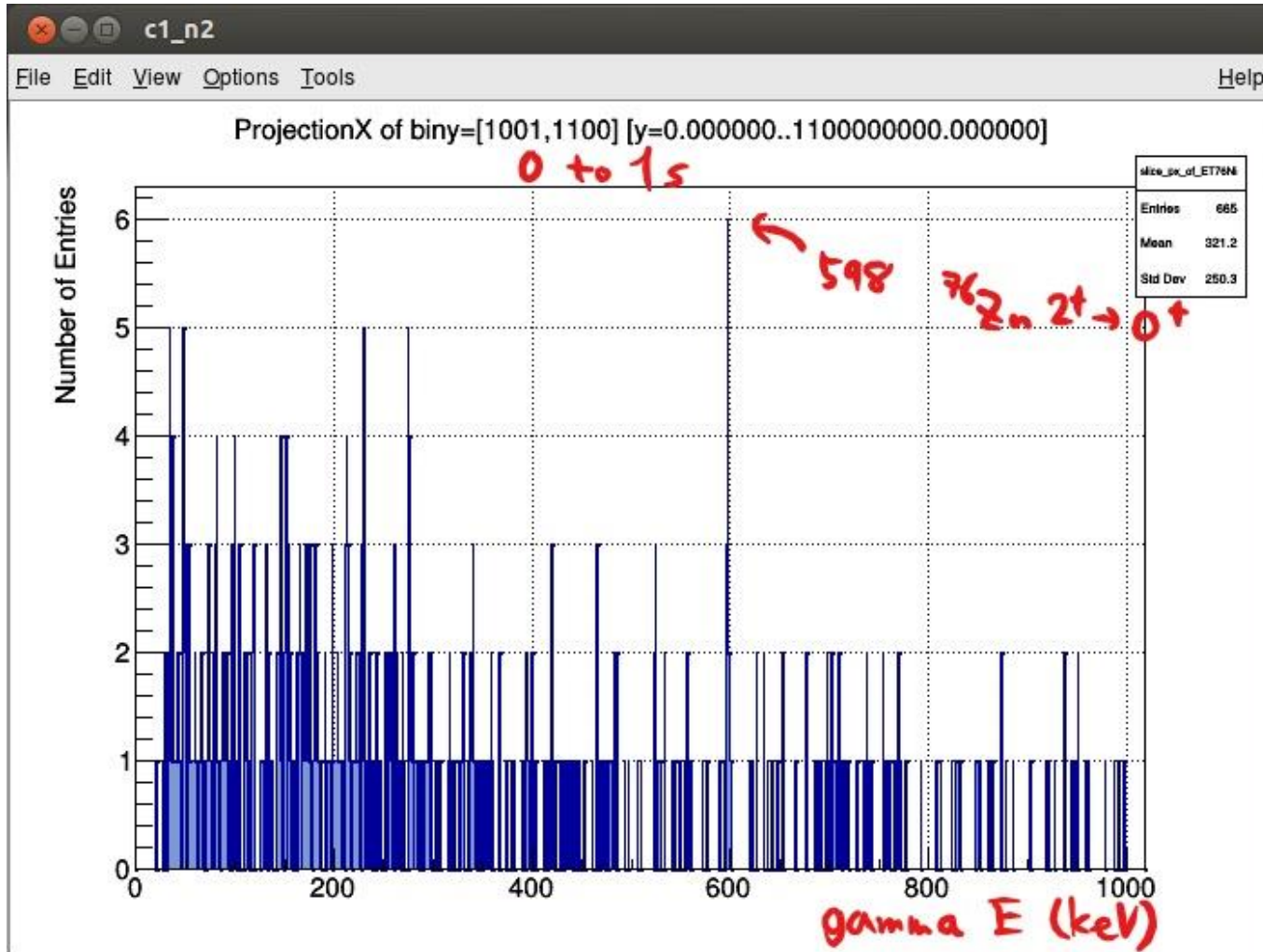
- Study of the light yield of YSO to various ions for the better way of gain adjustment.
- Testing fast timing for the future neutron-ToF measurements.
- 3D readout with SiPM

Beta range in YSO

Electron ranges in YSO ($Z_{\text{eff}}=34$, $\rho=4.44 \text{ g/cm}^2$)



Gamma-ray



Position distribution of implant and beta events

