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Target and Ion Source Development (TISD)

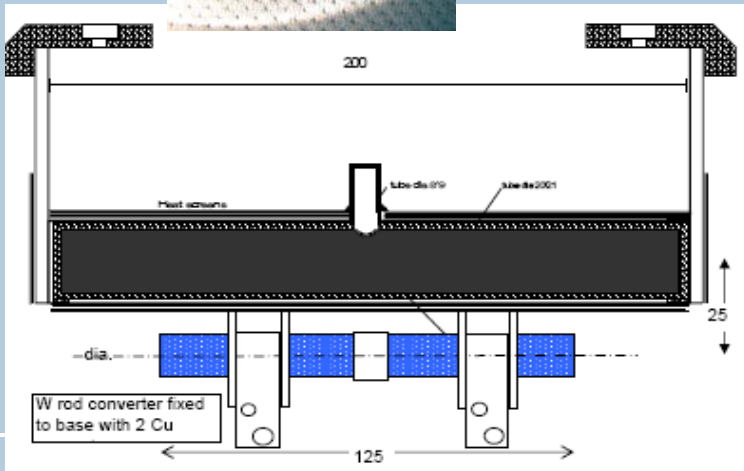
EN-STI-RBS

TISD

- ♦ BeO tests : target material, n-converter for (n,X)
- ♦ Low work function cavities (GdB_6) for Nd beams
- ♦ UC-x tests (INFN, EURISOL Task#3)
- ♦ Involvements at the European level (workshops, EU projects)

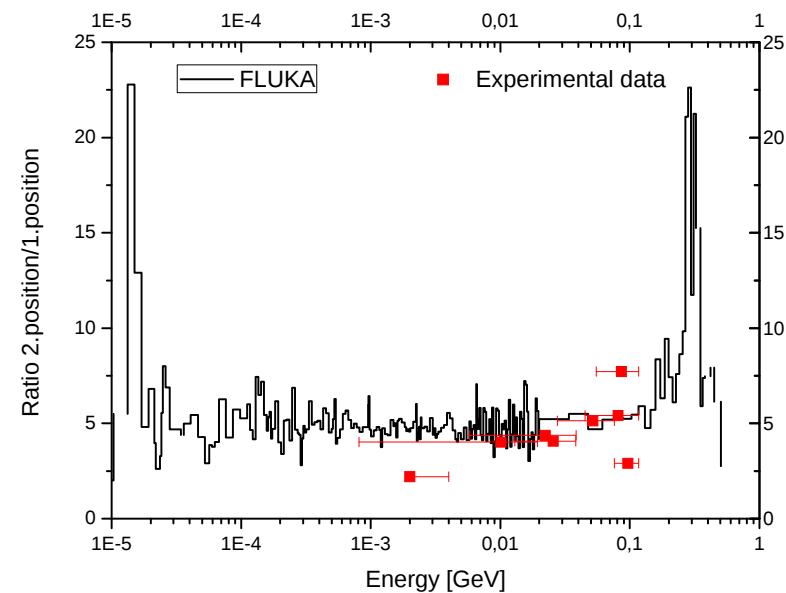
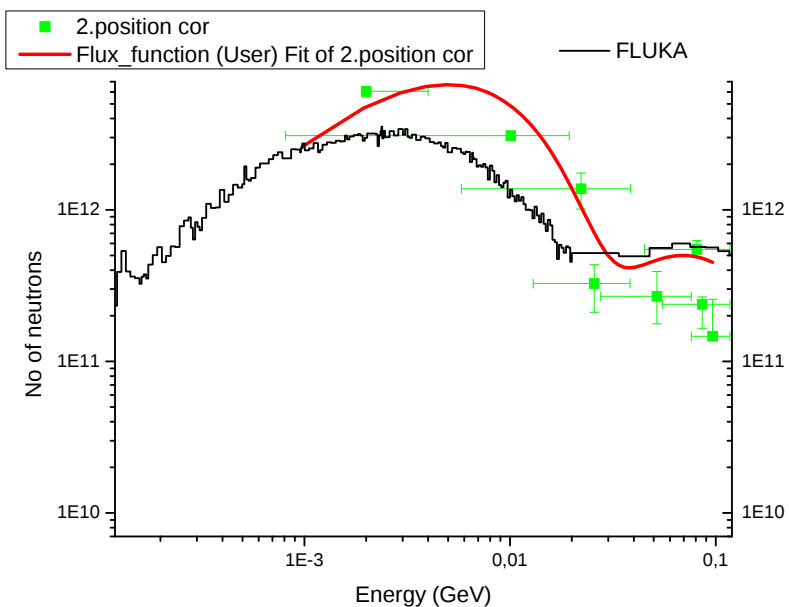
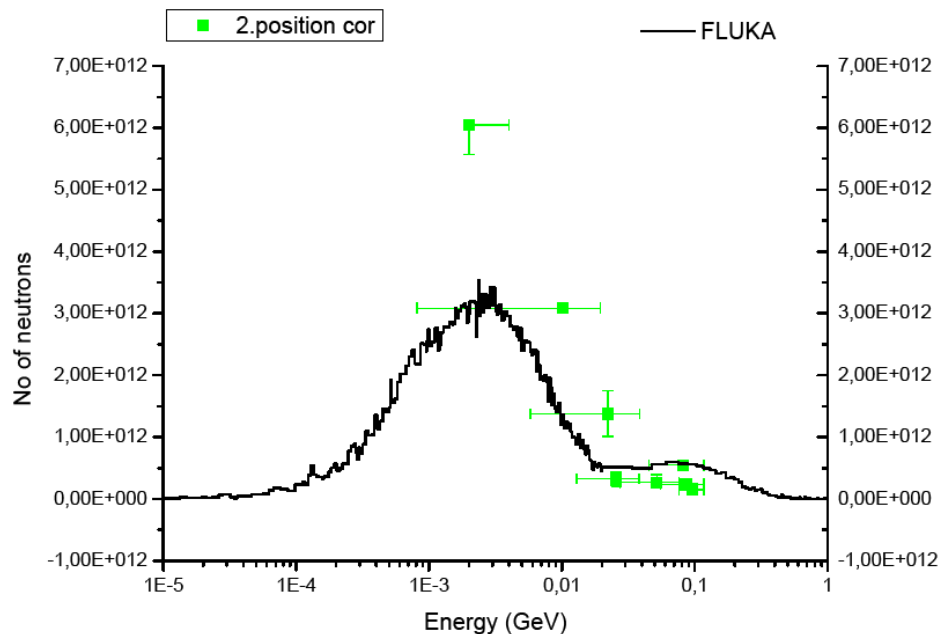
Neutron characteristics

◆ Foil activation & Fluka simulations



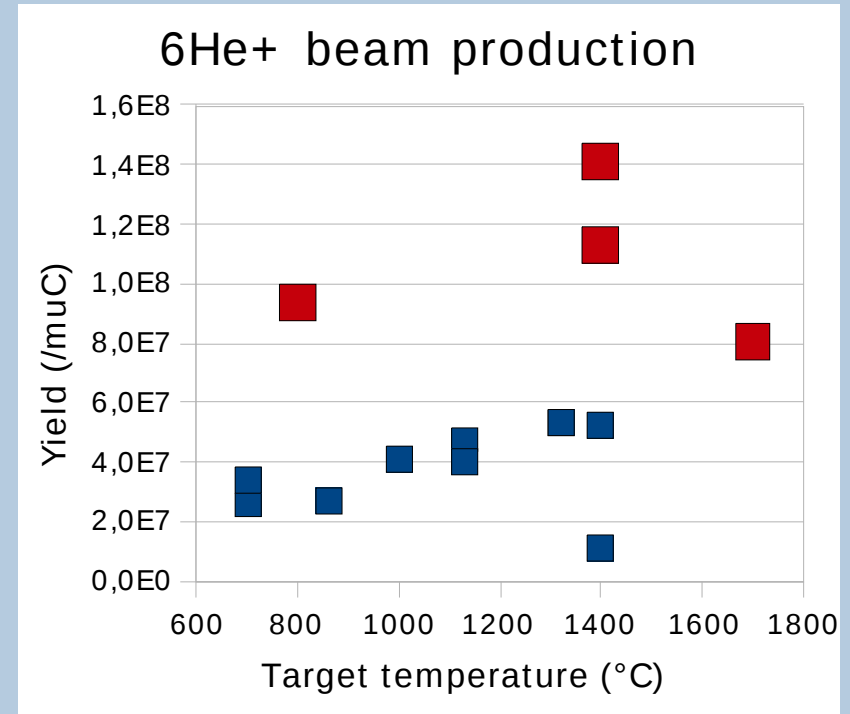
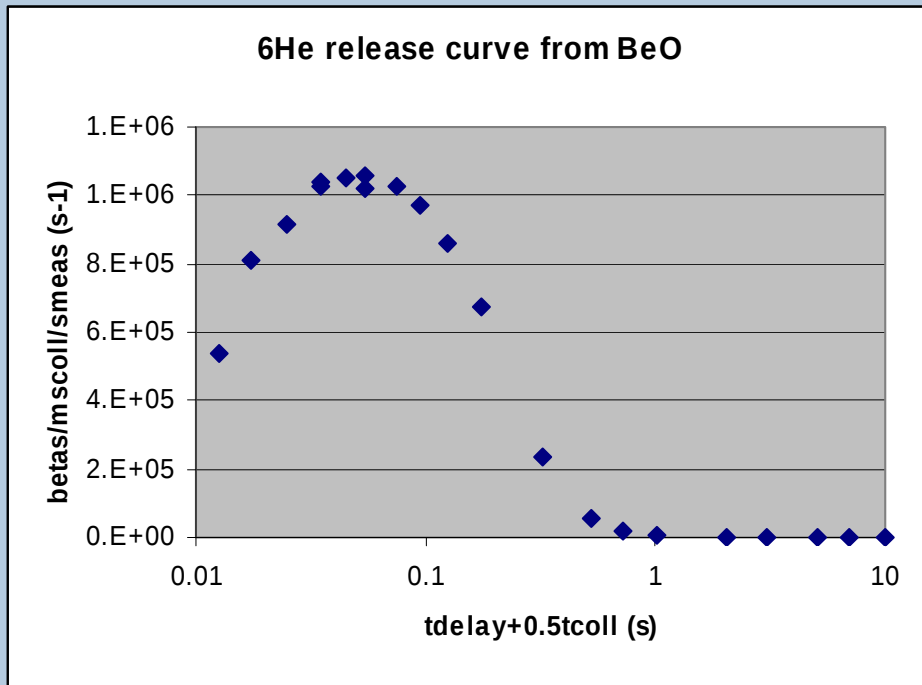
Irradiation permit requested to SC-RP

Neutrons characteristics



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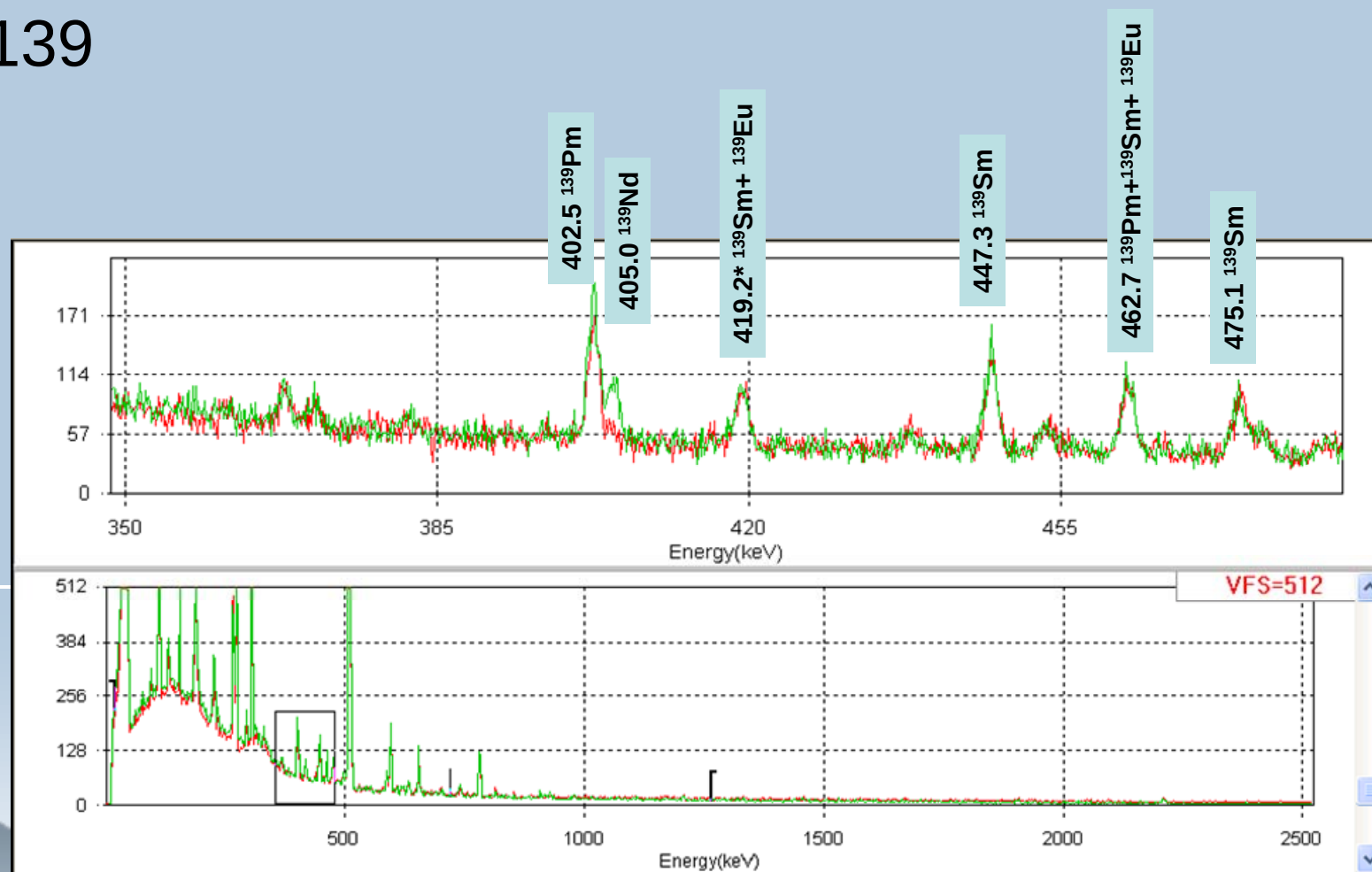
${}^6\text{He}$ Yields



➡ Also $\text{Be}(n,2p){}^8\text{He}$ production seen

Nd beams with GdB_6 cavity

A=139



Nd beams with GdB_6 cavity

	Ta402- GdB_6 w/o RILIS	Ta402- GdB_6 RILIS on	Ta414-W w/o RILIS
β _counts (/s _{coll} /μC)	4400	4900	19800
Yield estimates (/μC) ¹³⁹ Pm+ ¹³⁹ Sm	1.8e6	1.8e6	9.0e6
Yield estimates (/μC) ¹³⁹ Nd	n.d.	1.5e6	n.d.
Total beam current (pA) A=139	-	-	<1
Total beam current (pA) A=140	<1	<1	4
Total beam current (pA) A=142	1	1	-

UCx target tests with INFN-LNL

- ♦ Excellent target purity
- ♦ Analysis foreseen early 2010
- ♦ No miracles, no catastrophe : excellent benchmarking for the upcoming ENSAR “ActILab” : Joint Research Activity 2.

ActILab – JRA2 within FP7 ENSAR

- The *Joint Research Activity JRA2 ActILab* aims at the integration of new and original R&D activities organized at the different beam development laboratories of the principal European ISOL-type facilities (ALTO, EXCYT(SPES), IGISOL, (HIE-)ISOLDE, SPIRAL (II), EURISOL) within a unified panEuropean ActILab. It will focus on the development of new actinide targets which constitute the heart of the On Line Isotope mass Separation (ISOL) technique.
- *JRA2 ActILab* is split into 4 Tasks - 360 (160) kEuros requested to EU:
- **Task 1: Synthesis of new actinide targets** (Participants: **CERN**, INFN, IPNO)
- **Task 2: Characterization of new actinide targets** (Participants: **CERN**, INFN)
- **Task 3: Actinide targets properties after irradiation** (Participants: **CERN**, PSI)
- **Task 4: Online tests of actinide targets** (Participants: **CERN**, GANIL, IPNO)

Participation in JRA3 PreMass



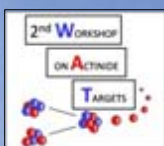
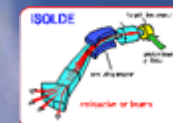
International Joint Workshop

CERN, Geneva,
Switzerland



40^{èmes} Journées des Actinides

27th March - 30th March 2010



2nd Workshop on Actinide Targets

30th March – 1st April 2010



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TOPICS

- Nuclear fuel cycle, environment
- Inorganic, organometallic chemistry
- Theory, electronic structure
- Materials science, nanomaterials
- Strongly correlated behaviours;
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- Actinide production
- Actinide handling
- Radiation protection

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