

# OPPORTUNITIES FOR PARIS IN POLISH NLC LABORATORIES IN WARSAW AND KRAKOW

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Offline Spectroscopy

Gamma Spectroscopy

Reaction Studies

Biology and tests

Heavy Ion Cyclotron U-200P

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The Henryk Niewodniczański  
**Institute of Nuclear Physics**  
Polish Academy of Sciences  
**IFJ PAN**

- established 1955
  - 500 employees
  - (190 with Ph.D. degree)
  - Ca. 80 Ph.D. students
  - Category: A+
- main interests:  
Particle physics (CERN)  
**Nuclear physics**  
**Applications**  
Solid state physics
- 60 MeV proton cyclotron  
2 MeV proton V-d-Graaff  
**230 MeV Proteus IBA**





# Cyclotron Center Bronowice

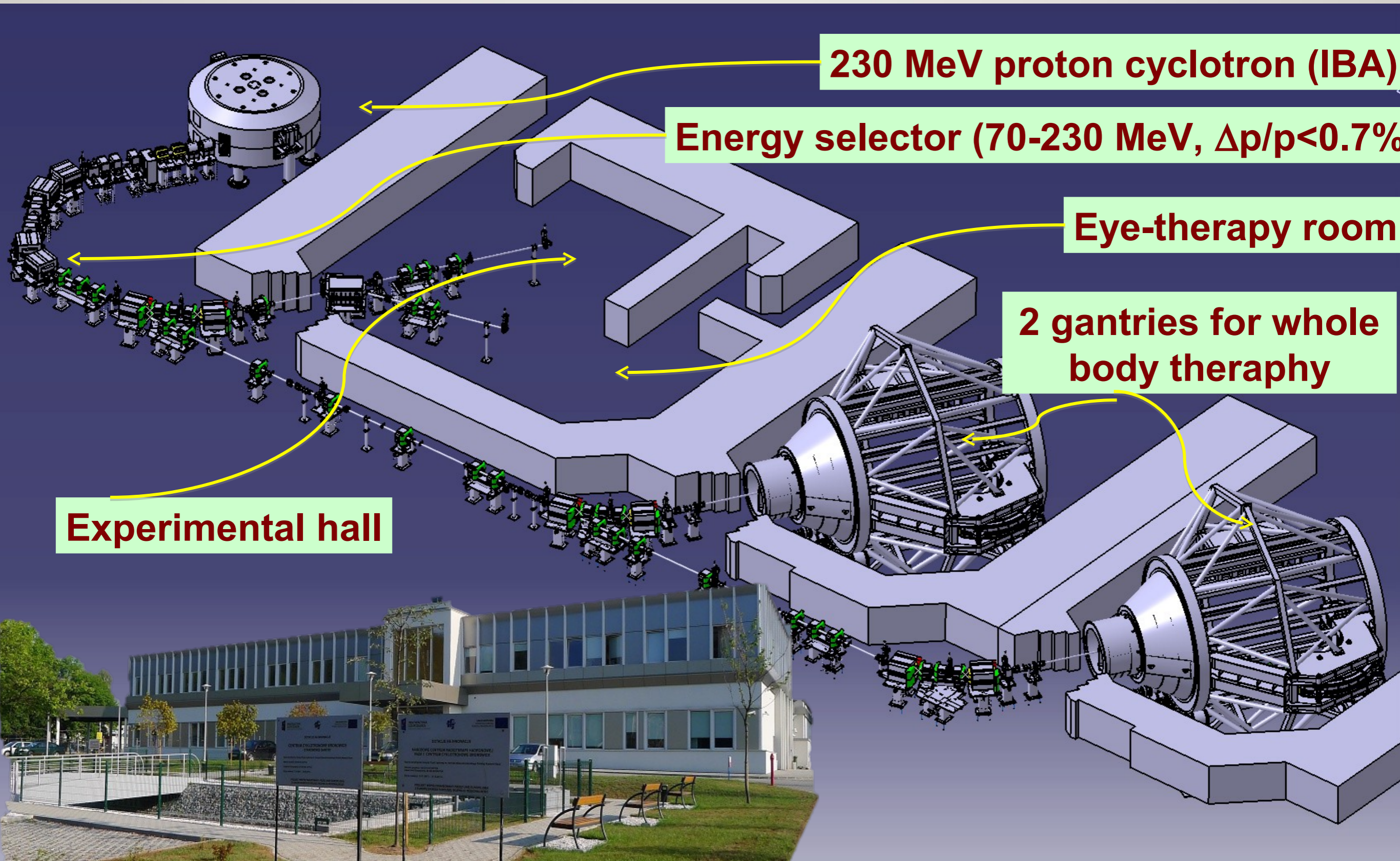
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Since 2012 eye cancer (melanoma) protontherapy is conducted in IFJ PAN using home made **60 MeV proton cyclotron AIC-144**.

In December 2012, a **new proton cyclotron** became operational at the **Institute of Nuclear Physics PAN in Kraków**. Together with the existing cyclotron AIC-144, it is a part of the **Cyclotron Center of Bronowice (CCB)**.

Although the primary objective of the facility is **proton cancer therapy**, an extensive research program at this cyclotron is conducted in the field of **nuclear physics**, radiobiology, dosimetry and medical physics.





**230 MeV proton cyclotron (IBA)**

**Energy selector (70-230 MeV,  $\Delta p/p < 0.7\%$ )**

**Eye-therapy room**

**2 gantries for whole body therapy**

**Experimental hall**



In 2011 the Heavy Ion Laboratory in Warsaw and the IFJ PAN in Krakow decided to form a Consortium, called **NLC (National Laboratory of Cyclotrons)** with the aim to support each other in conducting the research on basic nuclear physics and applications with the use of cyclotrons in both institutions





# National Laboratory of Cyclotrons Warsaw / Kraków

**A consortium between HIL UW and IFJ PAN**



The nuclear physics research programme of NLC aims at obtaining high quality data on nuclear properties at and around the valley of stability. Therefore, it is complementary to the programmes of large-scale European RIs, which are concentrated on the physics of nuclei very far from the stability line, often at the limits of detection.

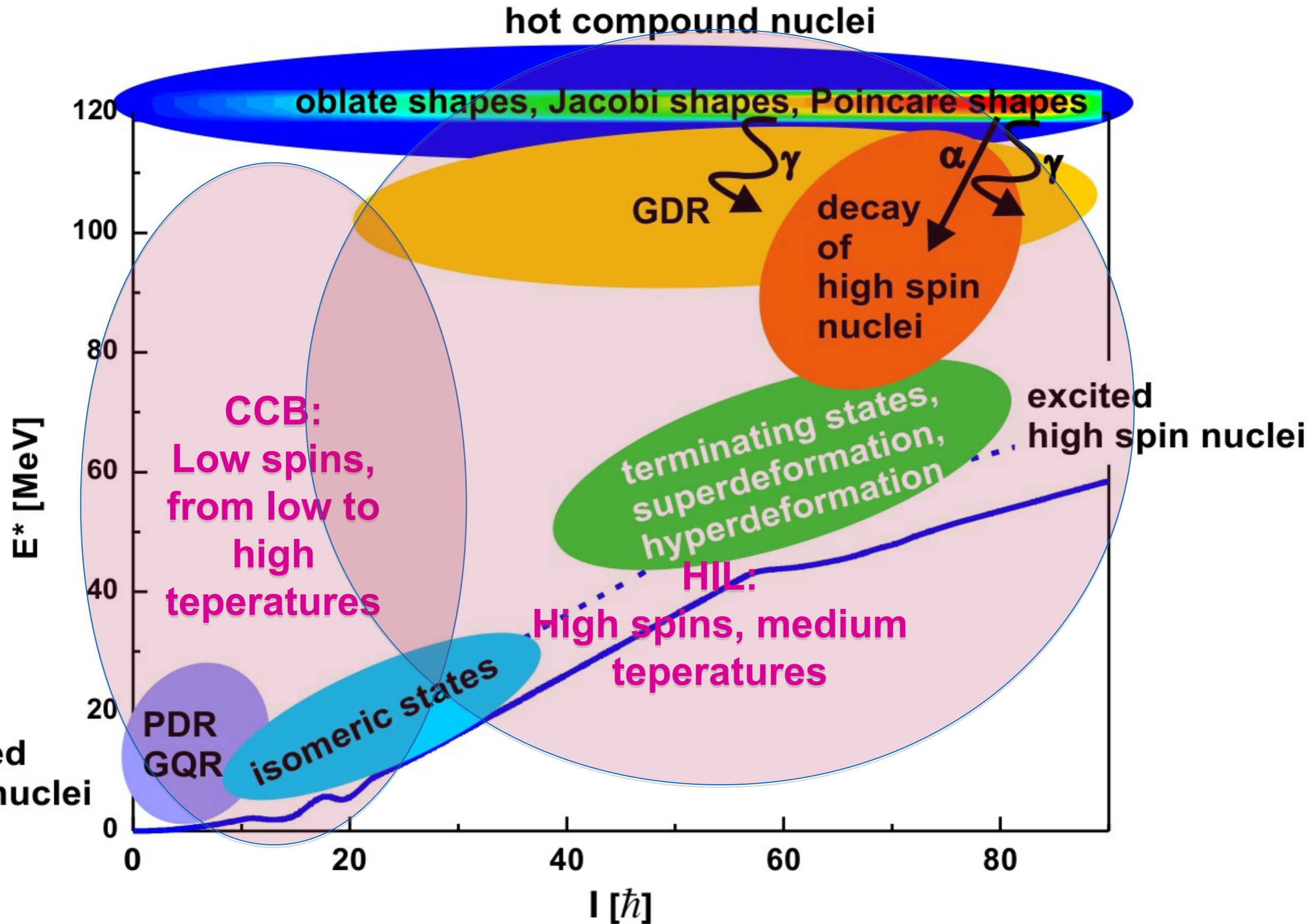
The investigations carried out in Warsaw and Kraków are also in many aspects complementary - at CCB high-energy proton beam is available while at SLCJ beams of heavier nuclei from boron to argon can be accelerated.

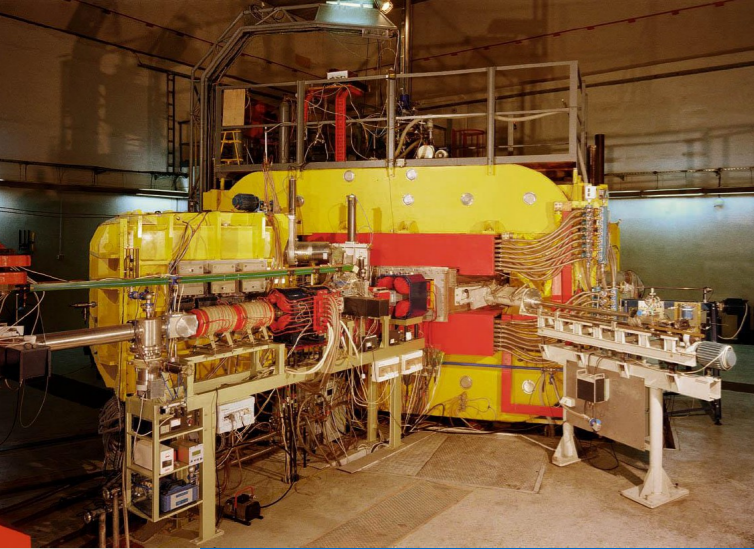


**From 2016 NLC (CCB at IFJ PAN and HIL at Warsaw University) is a part of the HORIZON2020 ENSAR2 project as Transnational Access Facility**



# Research at NLC: complementarity of HIL and CCB





# CYCLOTRONS



## U-200P in Warsaw

Dubna type (first beam 1993)

diameter 200 cm;  $K_{\max} = 160$

beams: from He (internal) to Ar;  
new: Mg, Ni

energy range: 2 – 10 MeV/nucl.

2 ECR ion sources:

10 GHz

14 GHz from Pantechnic

## Proteus C-235 in Krakow

- produced by IBA (first beam 2012)
- beam: protons
- energy range: 70 – 230 MeV,
- energy definition:  $\Delta E/E < 0.7\%$
- beam current: 0.1 nA - 500 nA
- quick alternation between different beam energies (seconds);
- quick changes of beam intensity (seconds)



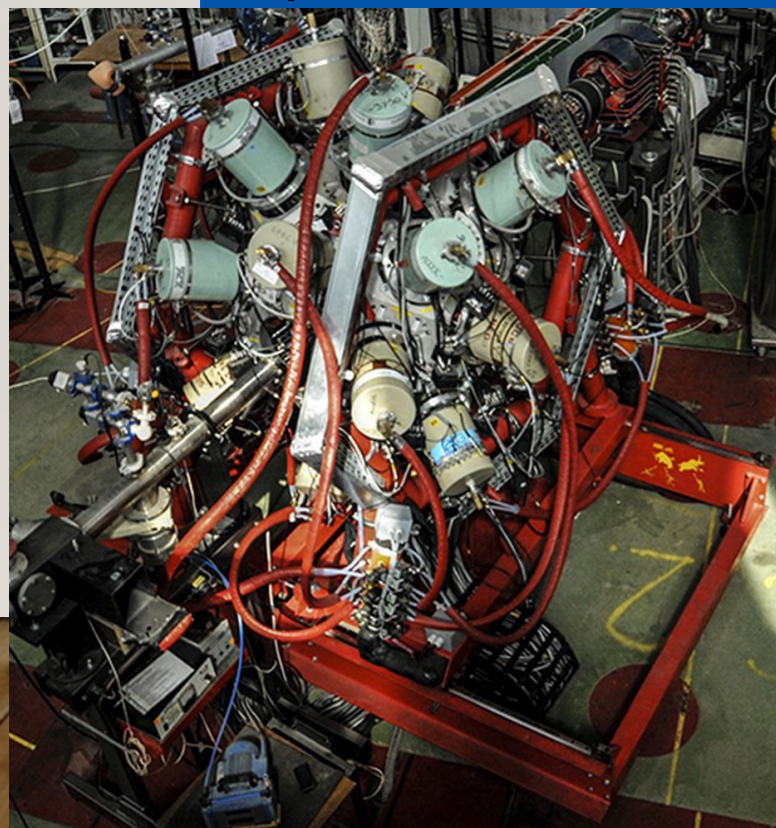
# GAMMA SPECTROSCOPY



## EAGLE

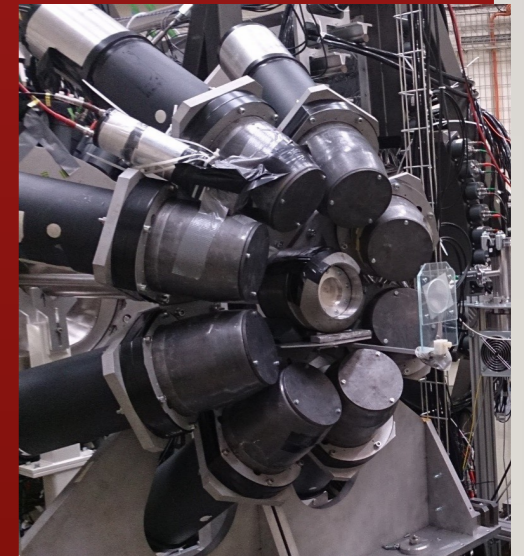
*Central European Array  
for Gamma Levels Evaluations*

- up to 30 HP Ge detector
- for 2017 EAGLE will be equipped with up to 20 GAMMAPOOL Phase I



## HECTOR

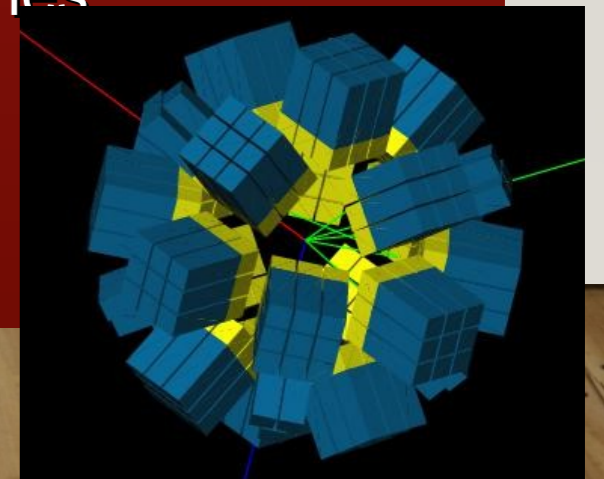
- 8 large volume  $\text{BaF}_2$
- 2 large volume  $\text{LaBr}_3$



## PARIS



- $\text{LaBr}_3 + \text{NaI}$  phoswiches



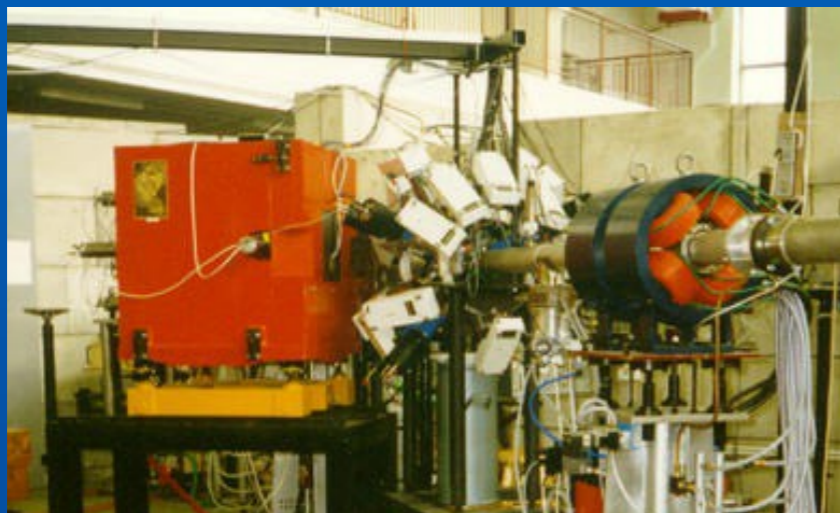


# GAMMA SPECTROSCOPY



## JANOSIK

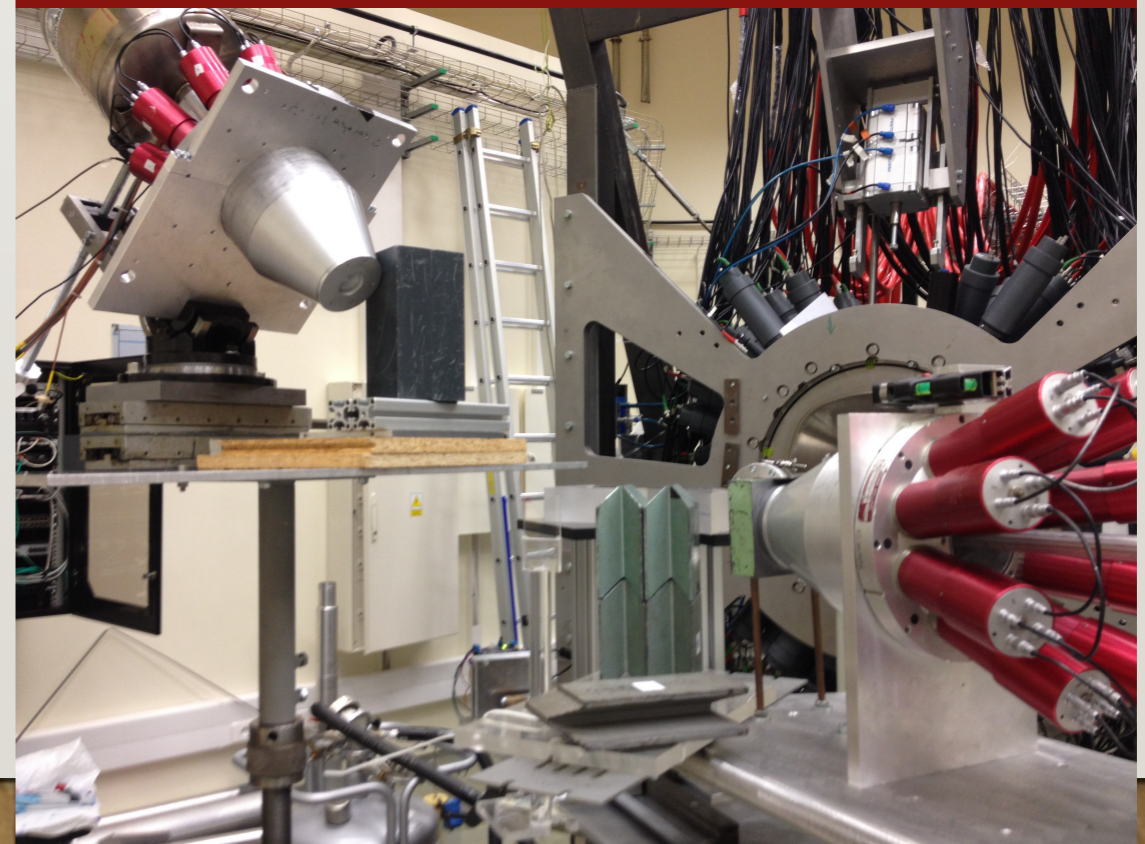
- large NaI(Tl) crystal
- 32-element multiplicity filter



## EAGLE + PARIS

## High resolution gamma spectroscopy @CBB

- Investigation of gamma emission in experimental modelling of hadron therapy

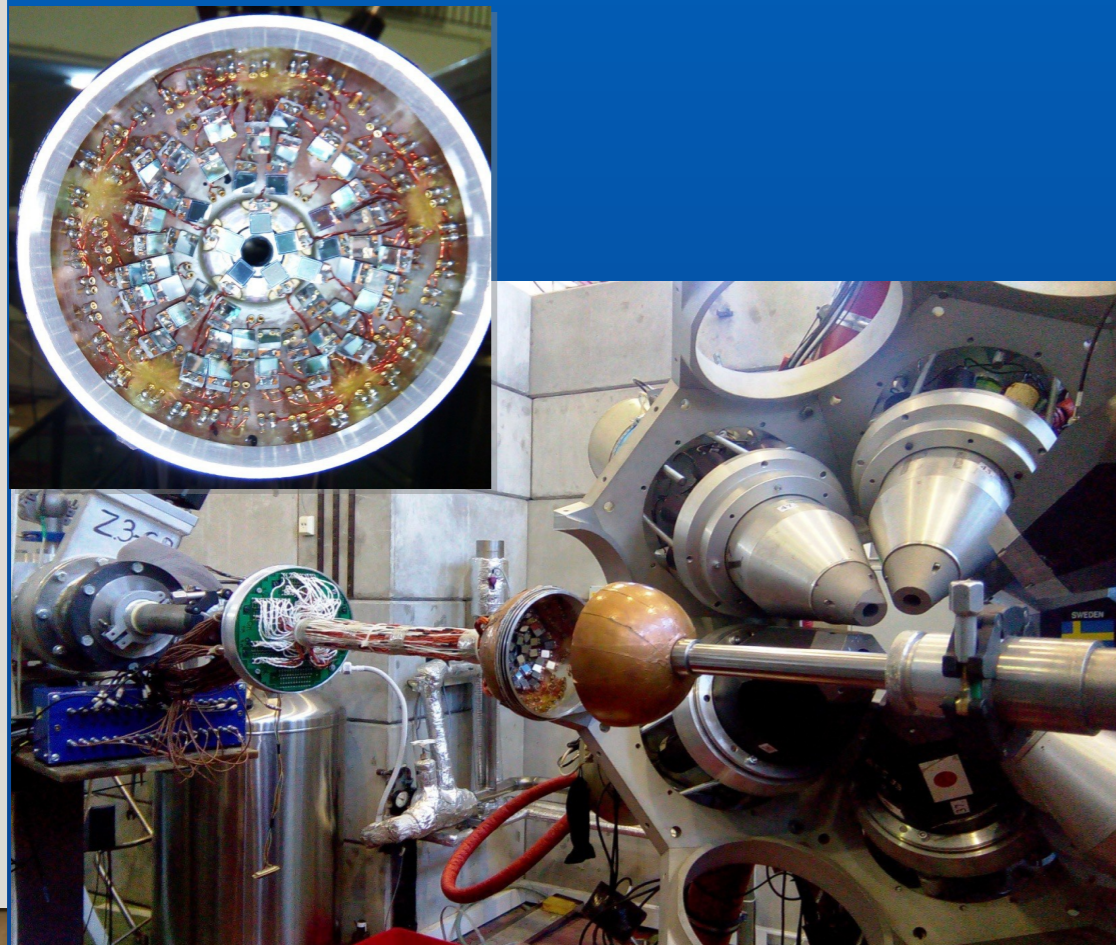




# PARTICLE & GAMMA

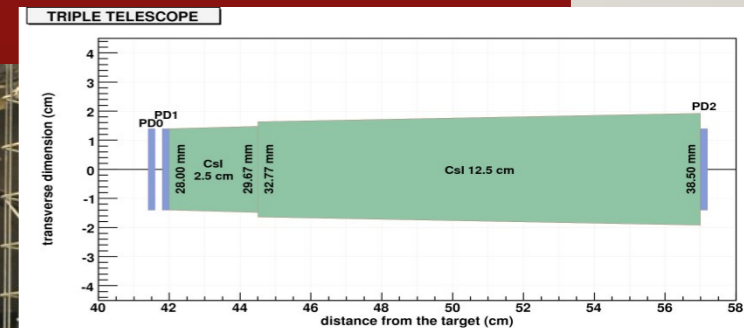
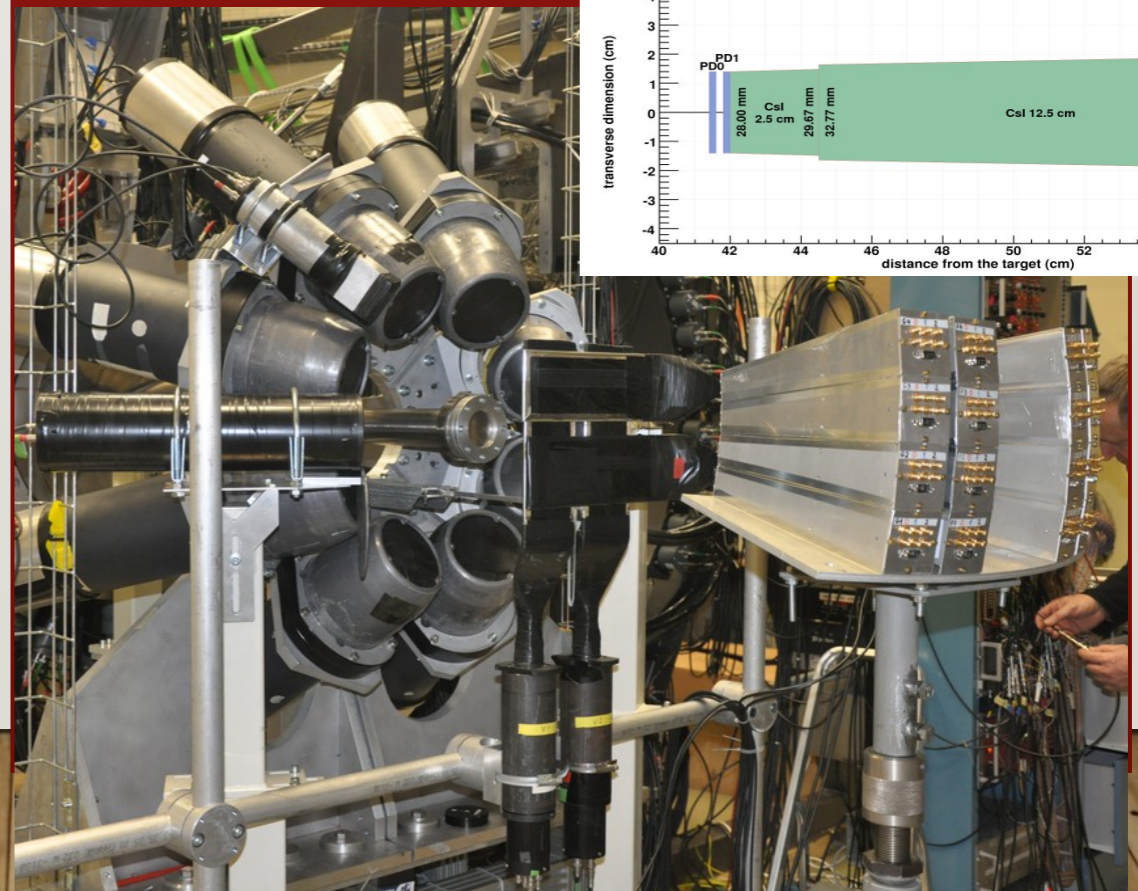


## EAGLE & PiN-diode array for Coulex



## HECTOR & KRATTA (Kraków Triple Telescope Array) *multi-module array for charged particle detection*

for inelastic proton scattering





# USERS

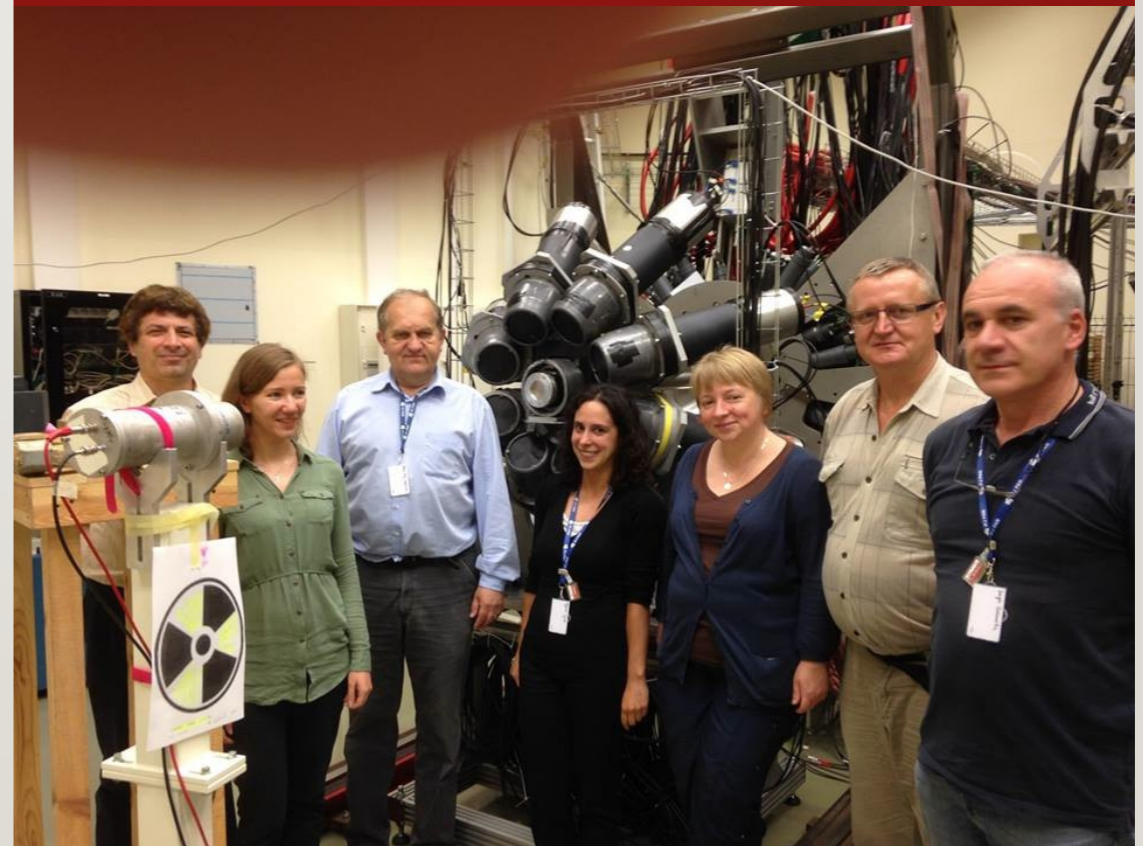


## EAGLE & PiN-diode array



$^{110}\text{Cd}$  Coulex, June 2015

## HECTOR & PARIS



HECTOR arrived to CBB, May 2014

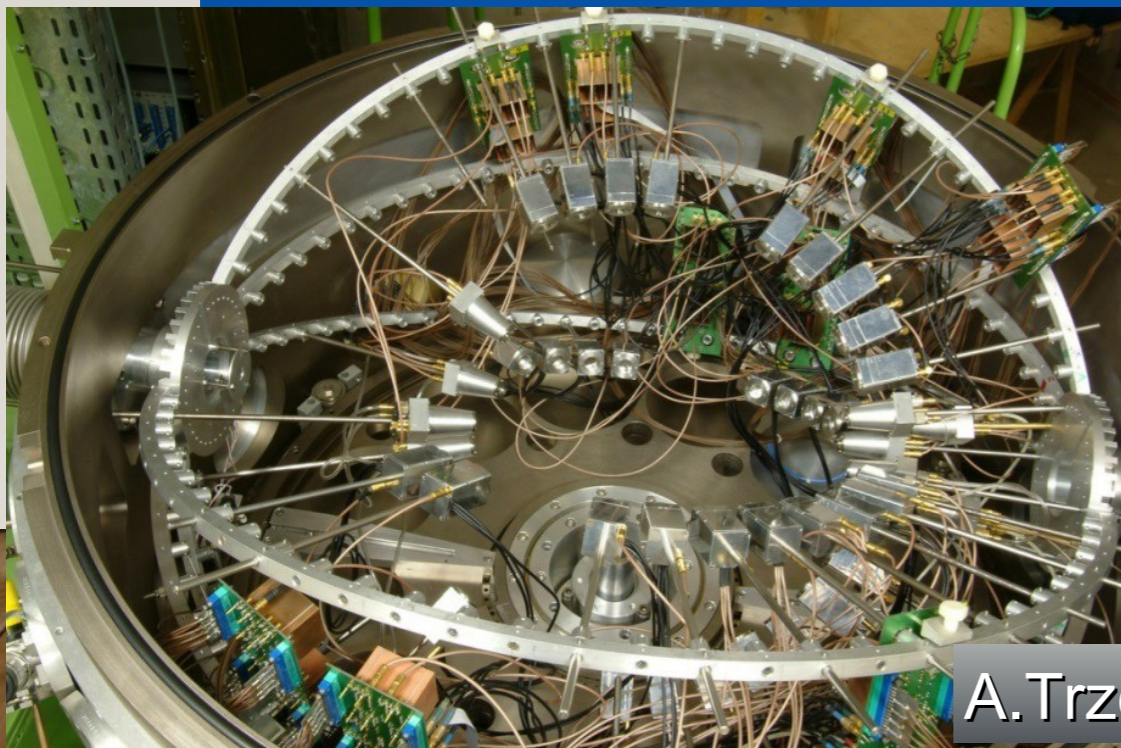


# REACTION STUDIES



## ICARE

- 8 telescopes  $\Delta E(\text{gas}) + E(\text{Si})$
- 24 telescopes  $\Delta E(\text{Si}) + E(\text{CsI})$
- 16 telescopes  $\Delta E(\text{Si}) + \Delta E(\text{Si}) + E(\text{CsI})$



A.Trzcińska

## BINA

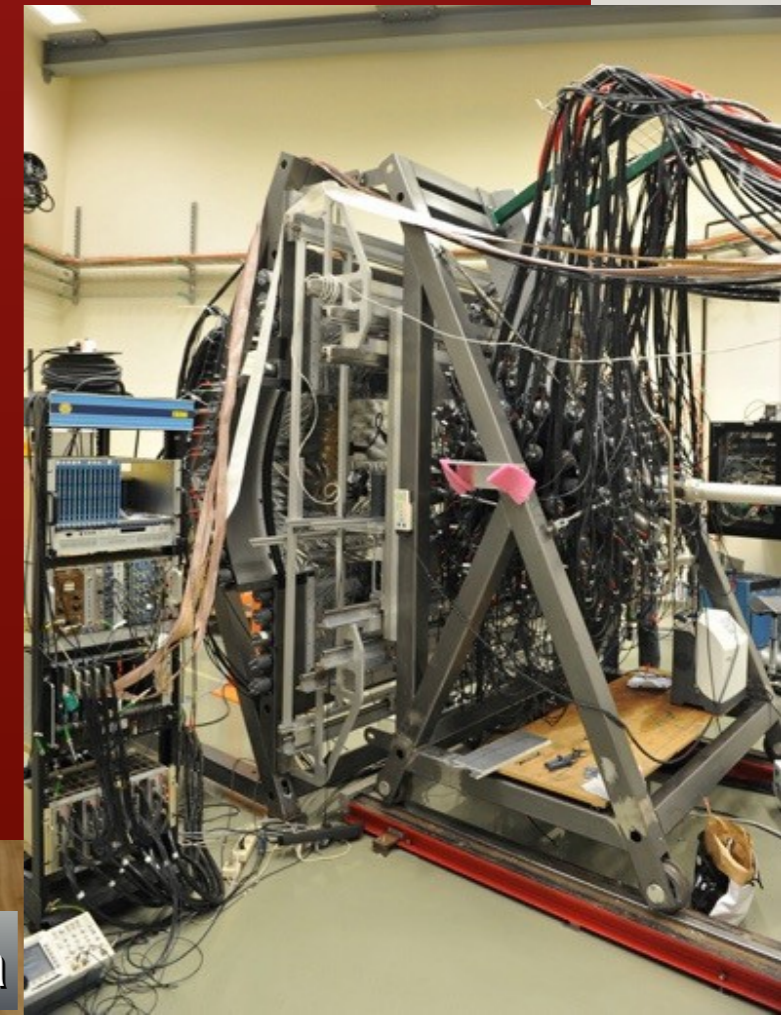
*Big Instrument  
for Nuclear reaction Analysis*

Wall:

- MWPC (3 planes)
- $\Delta E(24 \times 2 \text{ mm})$
- $E(20 \times 120 \text{ mm})$

Ball:

- phoswich  
( $149 \times 90 / 30 \text{ mm}$ )



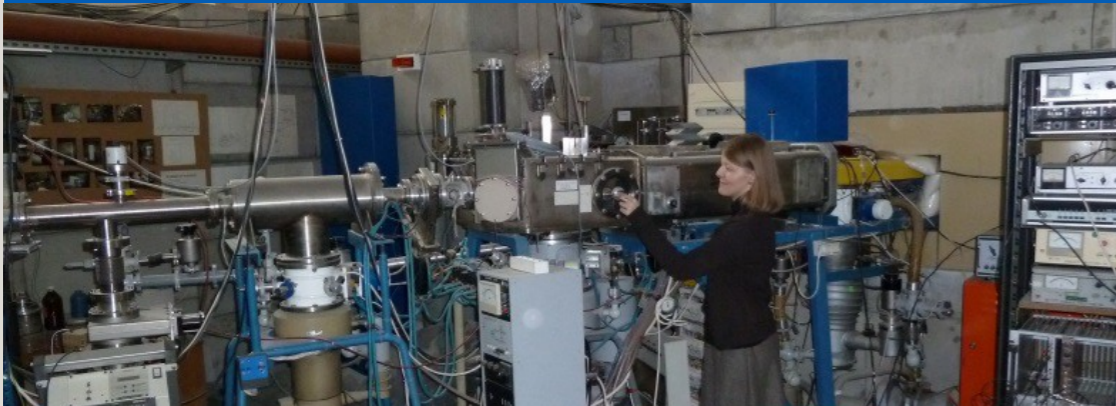
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# OTHER DETECTORS AND SETUPS



- **IGISOL** *Isotope Separator On-Line*
  - ion source
  - Helium jet
  - mass separators



- **EAGLE** ancillary detectors
  - Internal conversion electron spectrometer ULESE
  - Bucharest-Köln Plunger
  - 60-element  $\text{BaF}_2$  gamma-ray multiplicity filter
  - 4 $\pi$  charged particle multiplicity filter (Si-ball)

- large reaction chamber



- large volume  $\text{LaBr}_3$  detectors
- large Volume  $\text{BaF}_2$  detector



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**Call for proposals: 2 times per year**

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# RESEARCH PROGRAM



- Search for chiral symmetry breaking by DSAM and RDDS ( $^{132}\text{La}$ ,  $^{122,124,126,128}\text{Cs}$ )
- Non-spherical and non-axial shapes by using COULEX (e.g.,  $^{42}\text{Ca}$ ,  $^{96,98,100}\text{Mo}$ ,  $^{104}\text{Pd}$ ,  $^{110}\text{Cd}$ )
- Violation of K-selection rules by gamma and internal conversion electron spectroscopy ( $^{132}\text{Ce}$ ,  $^{130}\text{Ba}$ ,  $^{134}\text{Nd}$ ,  $^{184}\text{Pt}$ ,  $^{186}\text{Hg}$ )
- Lifetimes of low spin levels in  $^{140}\text{Sm}$
- Studies of fusion barriers height distribution
- Investigations of reactions with light nuclei
- Reactions of astrophysical interest
- Radiobiology and nanodosymetry

- Gamma decay from high-lying states and giant resonances
- Dynamics of few-nucleon systems
- Study of deeply bound states in light nuclei
- Investigation of the mechanism of proton-induced reactions leading to the continuum
- Proton irradiation of CALIFA detection modules at CCB
- Investigation of gamma emission in experimental modelling of hadron therapy



# MEDICAL APPLICATIONS



## U-200P in Warsaw

- Isotopes production for medical use at the K=160 cyclotron:

$^{211}\text{At}$ ,  $^{43}\text{Sc}$ ,  $^{44}\text{Sc}$ ,  $^{72}\text{Se}/^{72}\text{As}$ ,  $^{99\text{m}}\text{Tc}$

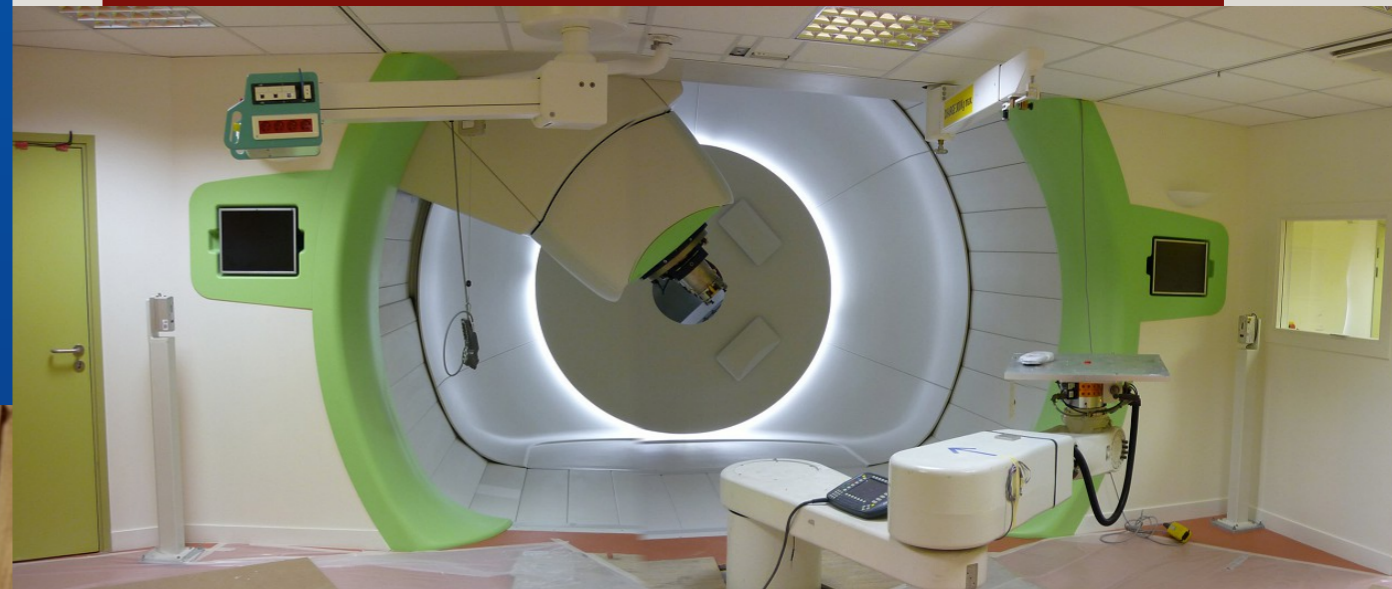
## GE PETtrace

### proton/deuteron cyclotron

- Regular production of PET radiopharmaceuticals with GE PETtrace proton/deuteron cyclotron (cooperation with business partner)



- ## Proteus C-235 in Krakow
- proton cancer therapy: 2 gantries, 1 eye therapy room
- radiobiology and dosimetry
  - medical physics.





# NLCTNA OFFER FOR ENSAR2



- **1000 h of the beam time**
- **10 TNA projects funded**
- **50 users supported**

- **480 h of the beam time**
- **5 TNA projects funded**
- **25 users supported**

**You are welcomed to submit a proposal,  
Especially with PARIS**

# SUMMARY

- **HIL in Warsaw** is a facility which produces very valuable results concerning the nuclear structure and reaction mechanism
- **A new facility, CCB at IFJ PAN in Krakow, starts operating.** The facility is used both for cancer protontherapy and for basic research. The preliminary results look very promising.
- **The NLC consortium is an informal 2-centre facility, in which complementary scientific programme can be conducted.**
- **NLC, being the TNA facility in the ENSAR2 programme, can provide some support for the foreign users .**
- **You are most welcome to propose an experiment, both in HIL or in CCB**



# CONFERENCES



**XXXV MAZURIAN LAKES  
CONFERENCE ON PHYSICS**  
*Exotic nuclei – laboratories for fundamental laws of nature*  
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**Topics**

- Exotic nuclei and fundamental symmetry tests
- Challenges in nuclear theory
- Nuclear structure and reactions
- Nuclear astrophysics and nucleosynthesis
- Nuclear fission and super-heavy elements
- Novel experimental techniques and facilities
- Interdisciplinary studies and societal applications

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