



# 最高エネルギー宇宙線による 極限宇宙観測

(研究会 高エネルギーガンマ線で見える極限宇宙2014)

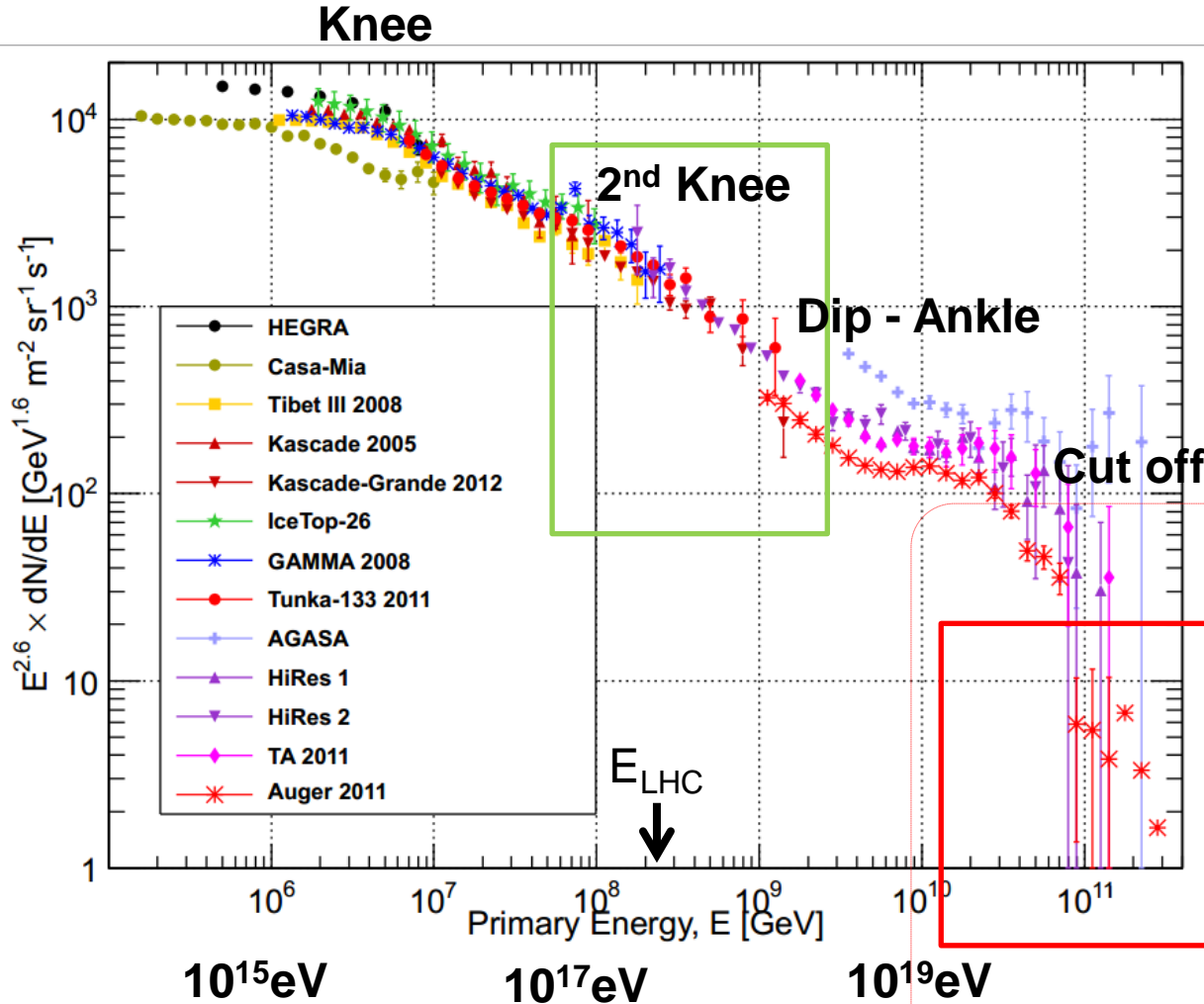
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Telescope Array Collaboration

# Highest energy cosmic ray observation

Cosmic ray energy spectrum  $10^{15}\text{eV} - 10^{20}\text{eV}$



Spectrum index  
Composition change

Source transition from  
galactic - extragalactic

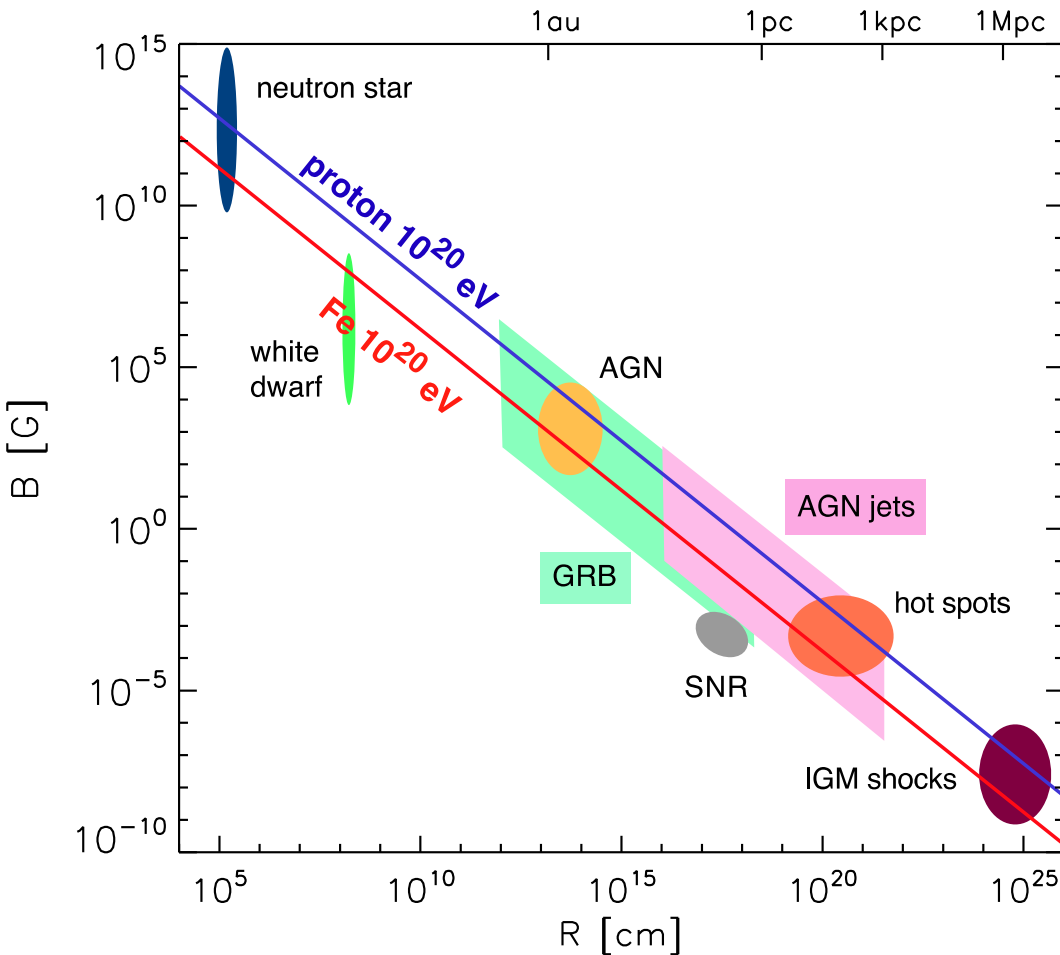
Highest energy  
 $10^{19}\text{eV} \sim$

1 event /  $\text{km}^2 \cdot \text{year}$

extragalactic origin.  
(larmor radius)

# Candidate of source

## Hillas Diagram



Kotera & Olinto, Ann. Rev. Astron. Astrophys (2010)

**Hillas condition.**

$$E \propto B \times L$$

**Necessary condition from  
cosmic ray energy**

**several types of objects remain  
as source "candidate".**

**How to infer the source..**

**Direction (anisotropy )**

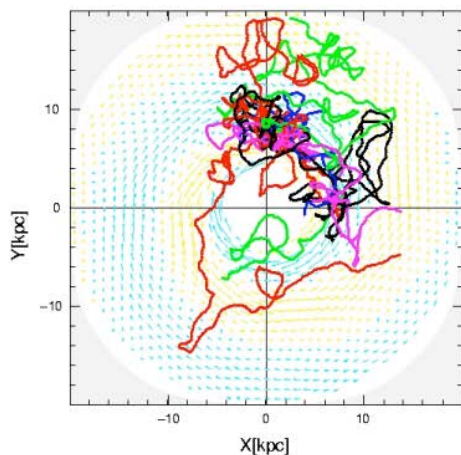
**Spectrum**

**Composition**

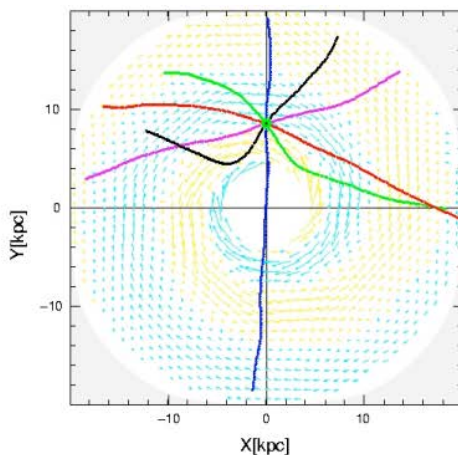
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# Anisotropy

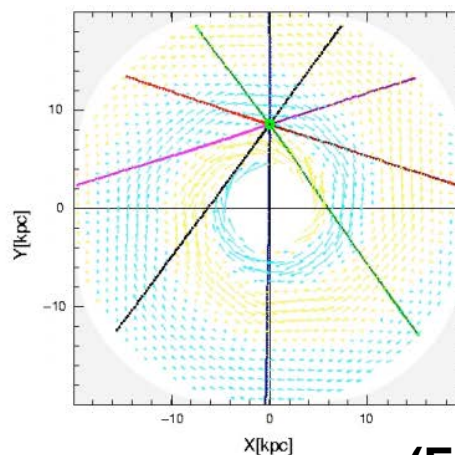
◇ Trajectory of cosmic ray in galactic magnetic field.



$10^{18}\text{eV}$



$10^{19}\text{eV}$



$10^{20}\text{eV}$

(Few degree)

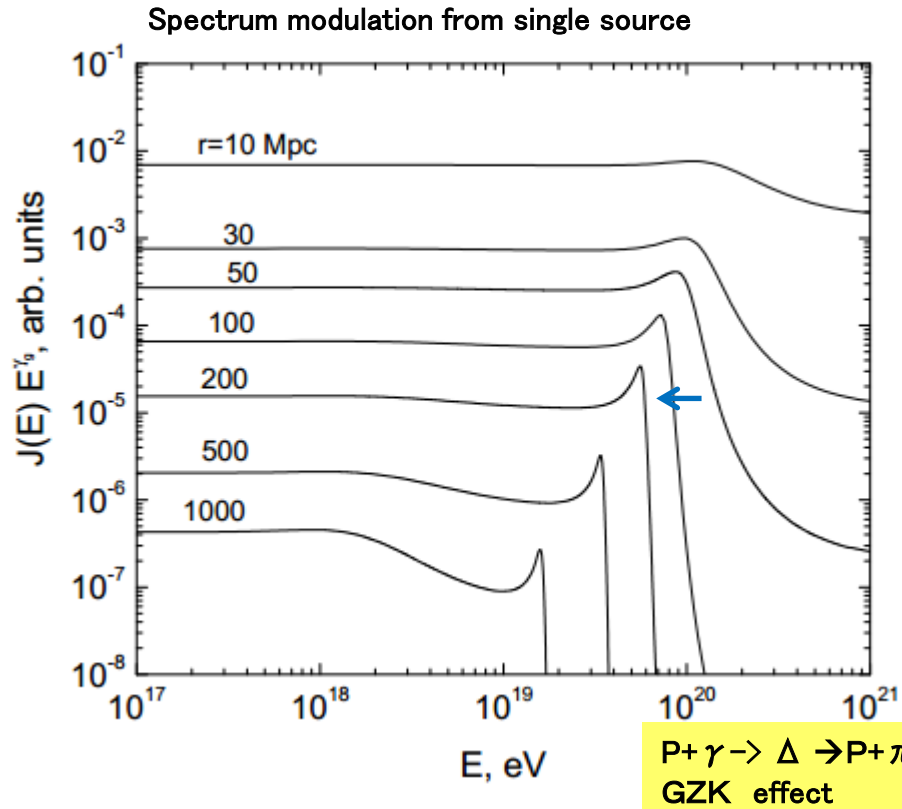
Using arrival direction, it is possible to search correlation with Source position

Inter galactic magnetic field:

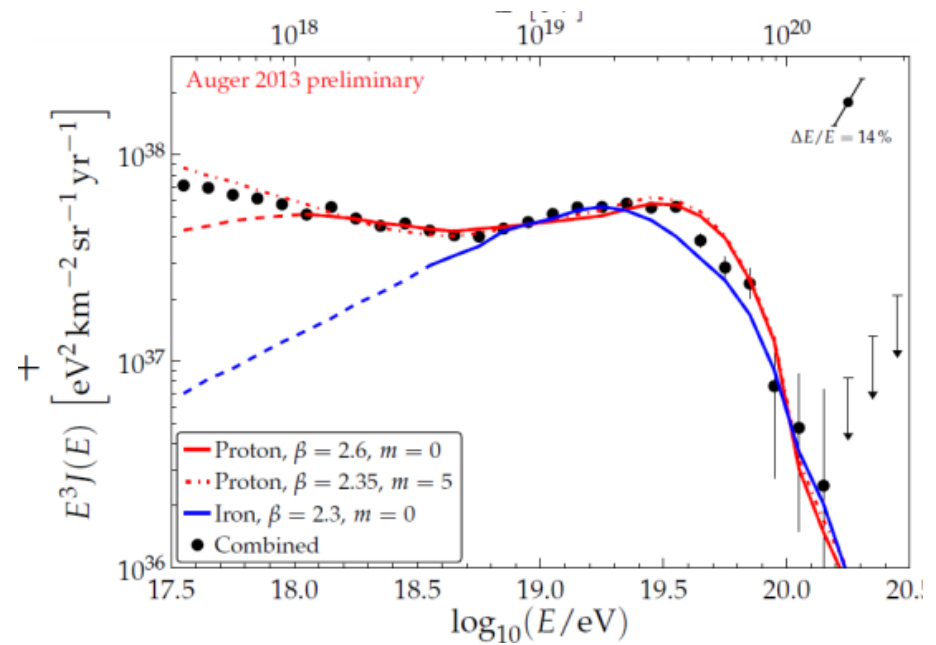
generally random field.  $B < \sim 10^{-9}\text{G}$

$$\theta(E, d) \approx \frac{(2dl_c/9)^{1/2}}{r_g} \approx 0.8^\circ q \left( \frac{E}{10^{20} \text{ eV}} \right)^{-1} \left( \frac{d}{10 \text{ Mpc}} \right)^{1/2} \left( \frac{l_c}{1 \text{ Mpc}} \right)^{1/2} \left( \frac{B}{10^{-9} \text{ G}} \right) \quad \text{Few degree}$$

# Spectrum



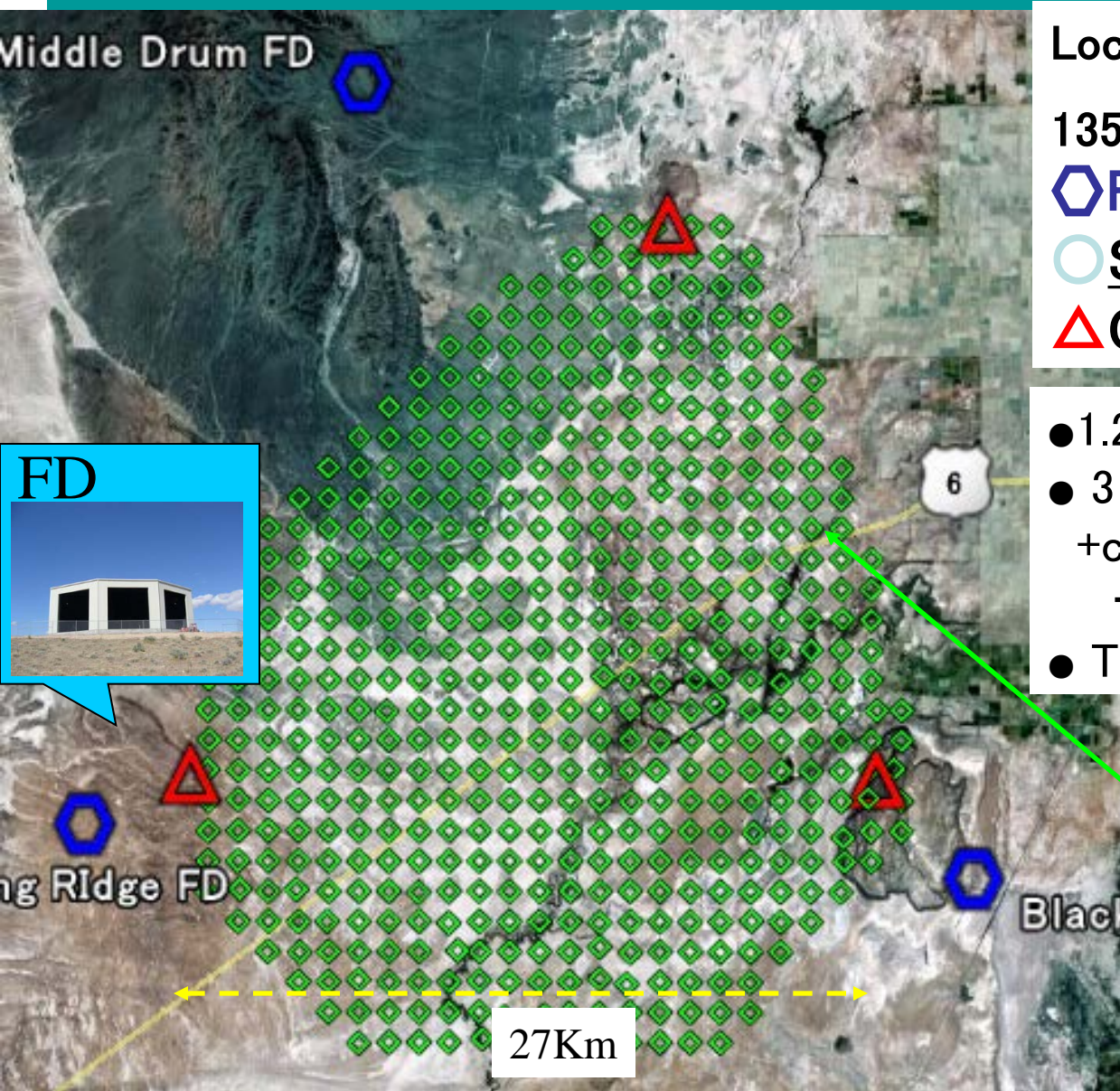
V. Berezhinsky et al. Phys. Rev. D 74, 043005 (2006)



# **TA experiment , Observation results**

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# Telescope Array Experiment



Location: N39.3° W112.9°

1350–1500m asl

⬡ FD station (× 3station)

○ Surface Array (507 SD)

△ Communication tower

● 1.2 km grid SD (3m<sup>2</sup>)

● 3 sub array :

+cross boundary trigger

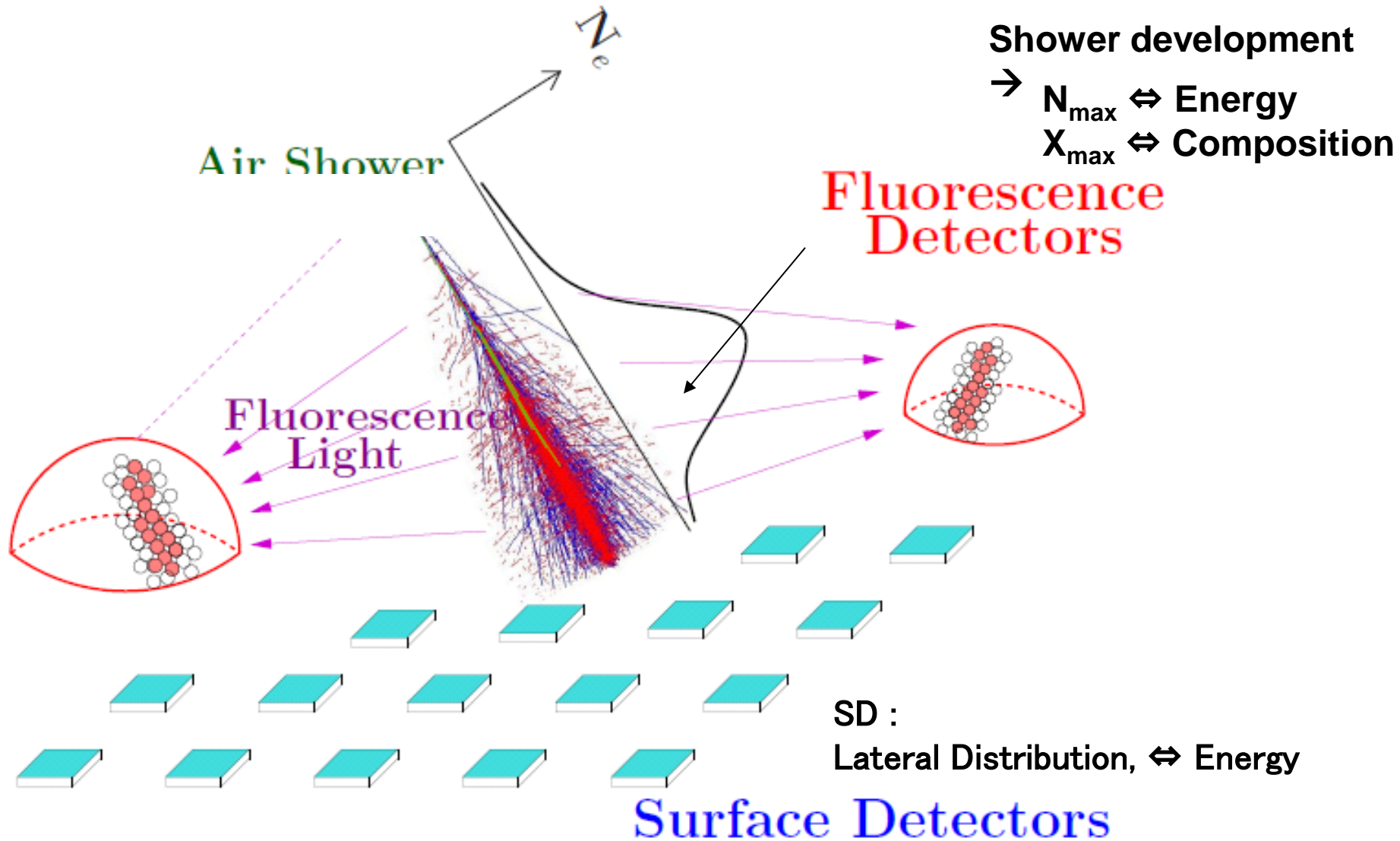
→ Total 507 SD

● Total detection area ~700km<sup>2</sup>

SD



# Observation of highest cosmic ray







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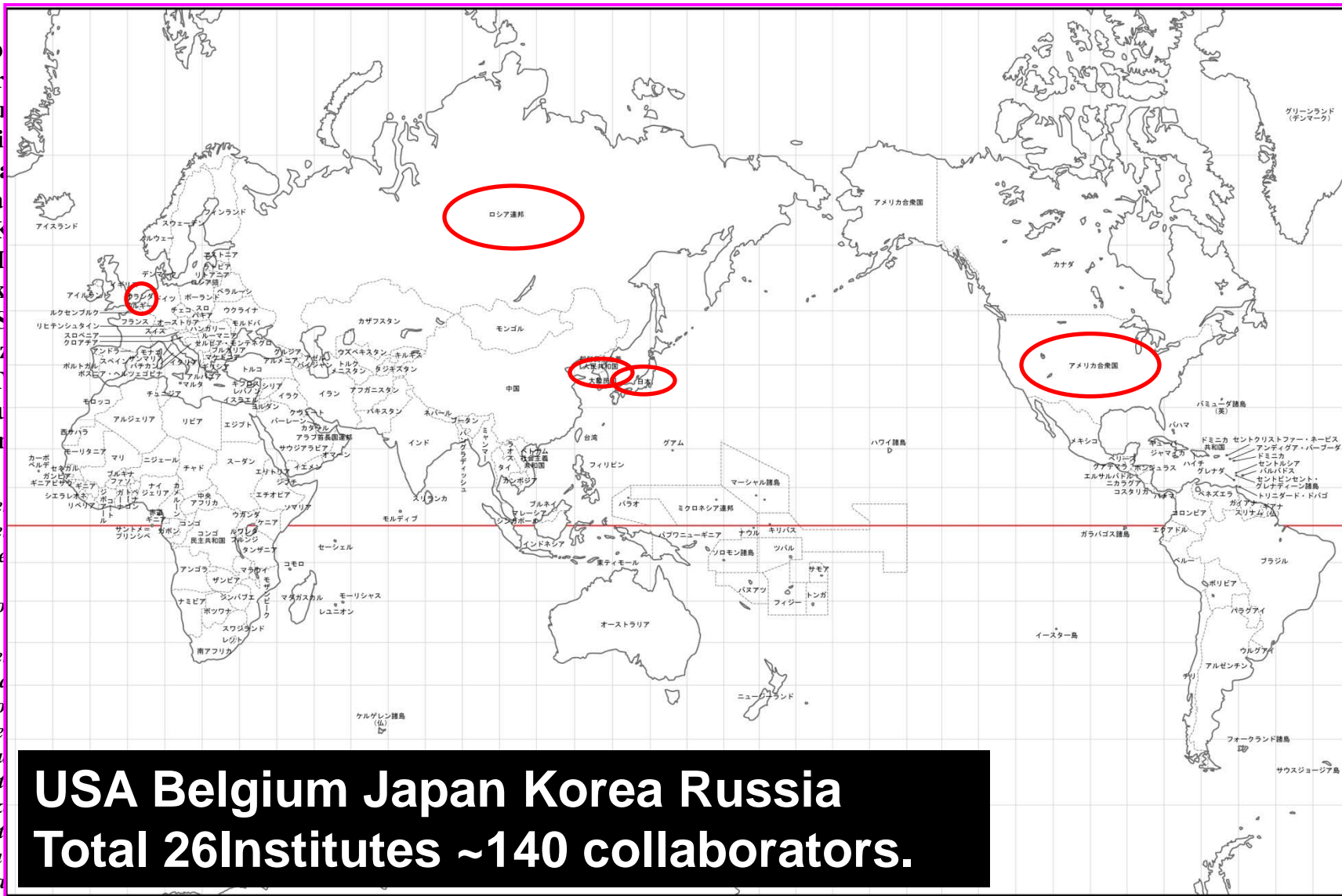
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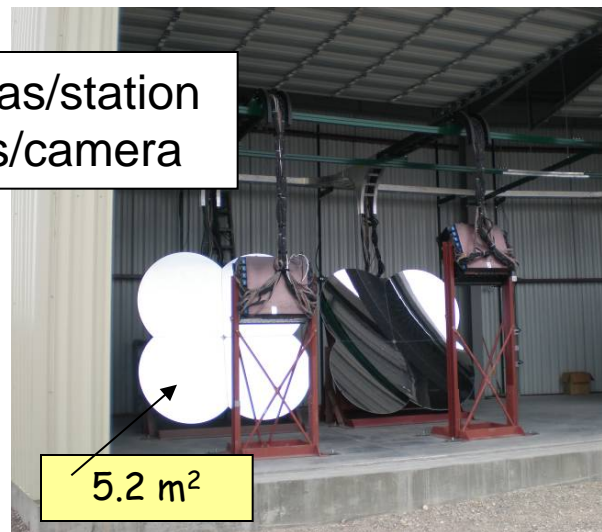
# Fluorescence Detectors

From HiRes

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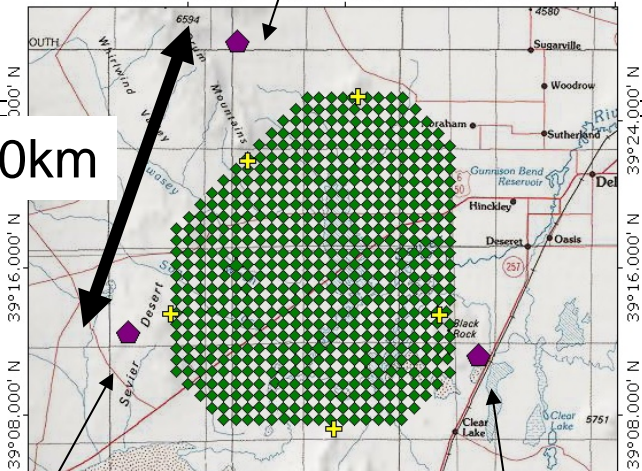


14 cameras/station  
256 PMTs/camera



5.2 m<sup>2</sup>

TOPO! map printed on 07/12/04 from "StakeJun04-01.tpo" and "Untitled.tpg"  
113°03,000' W 112°52,000' W NAD27 112°33,000' W



~30km

New FDs

256 PMTs/camera  
HAMAMATSU R9508  
FOV~15x18deg  
12 cameras/station



6.8 m<sup>2</sup>

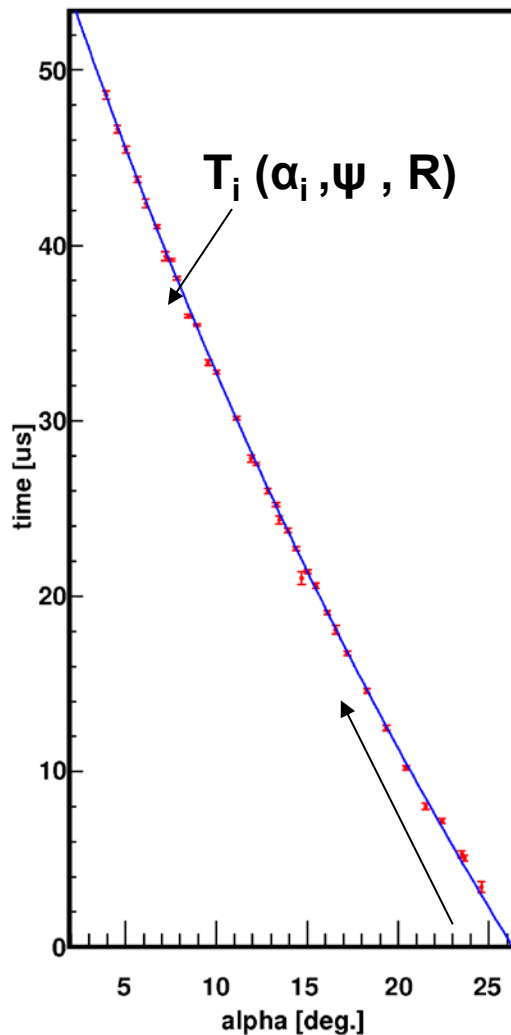
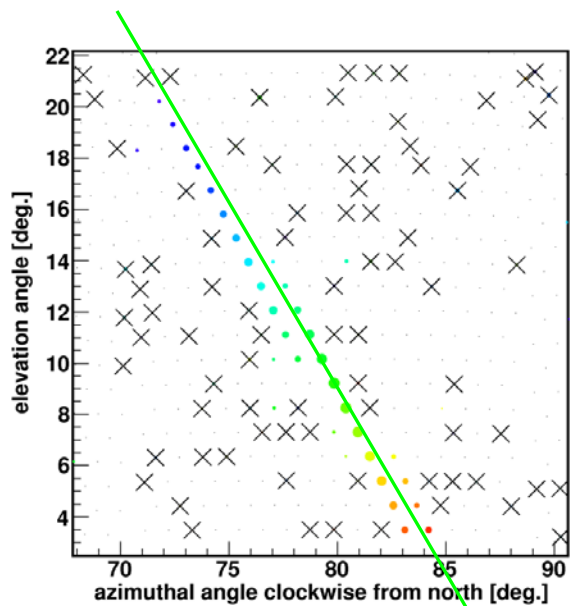
Long Ridge

Black Rock Mesa

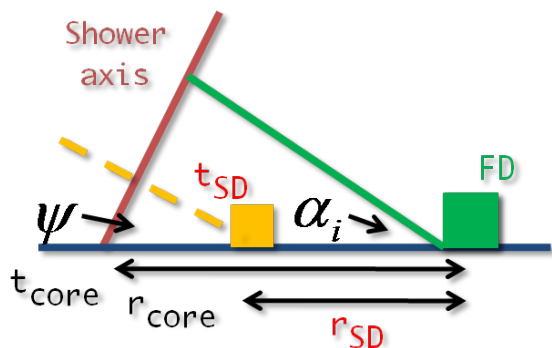
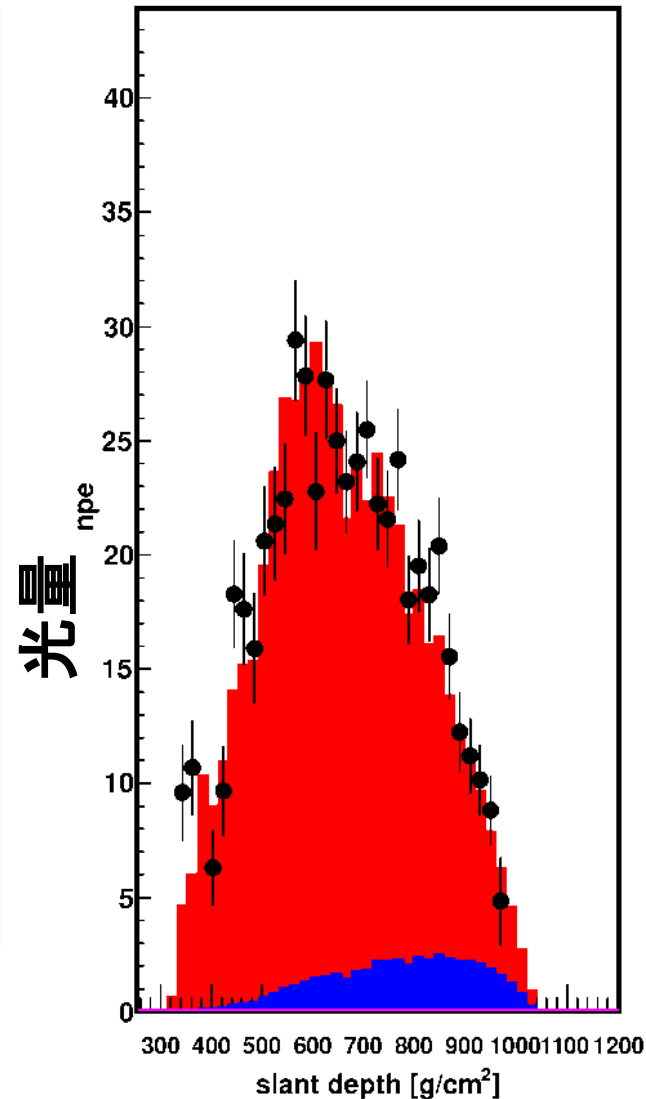


~1 m<sup>2</sup>

# FD event example

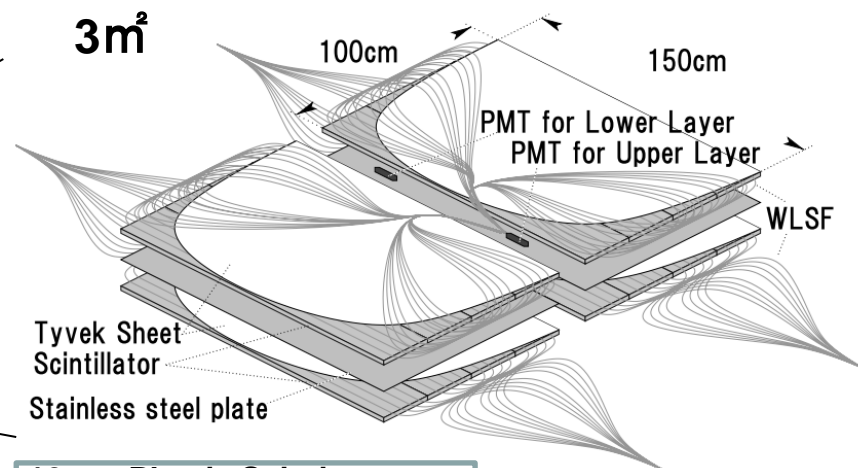


## Energy estimation



Use SD timing information →  
 $\psi$ ,  $R$  resolution improve (Hybrid analysis)

# TA Surface Detector



12mm Plastic Scinti.  
1mm SS steel plate  
12mm Plastic Scinti.

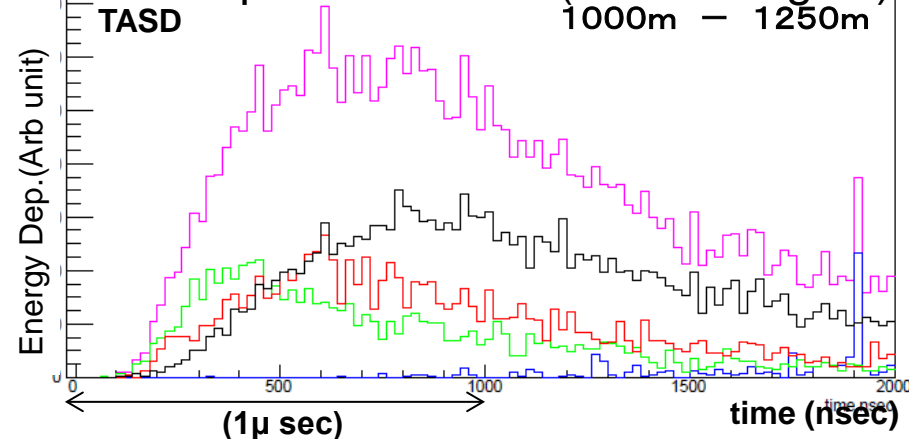
Up/Low 2 independent layer.

reflector : Tyvek

Wls fiber (475nm) x5m → PMT ETL9124SA

Simulated energy deposit

$10^{19}$  eV proton shower (stacked signal)

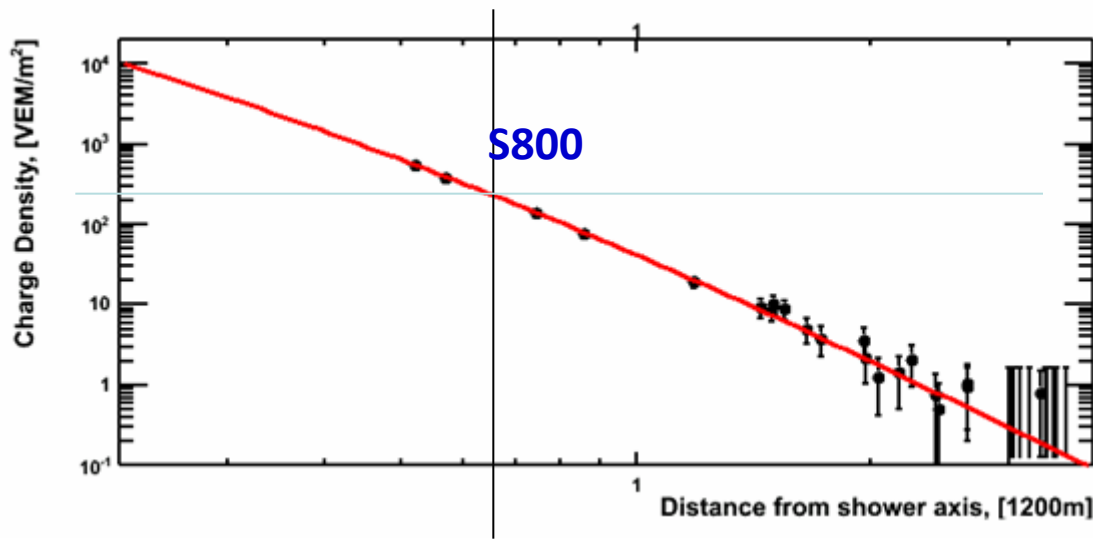
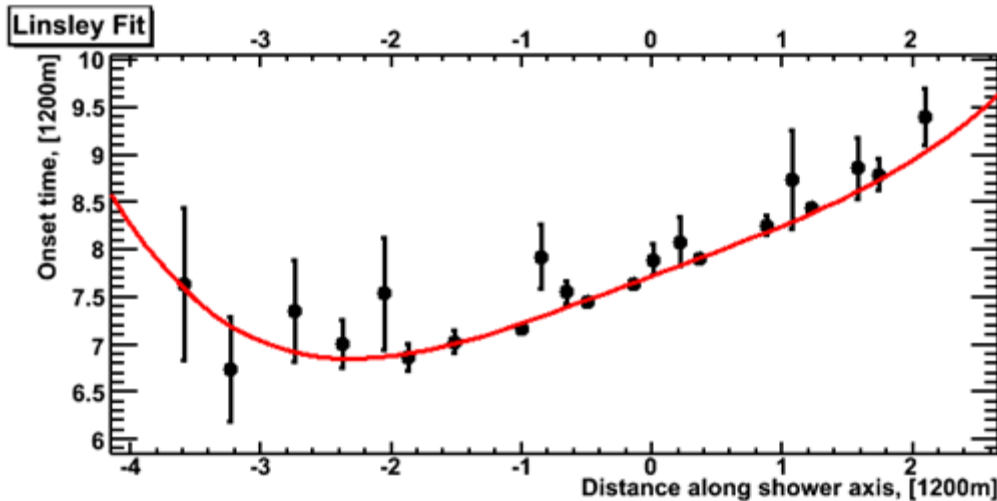
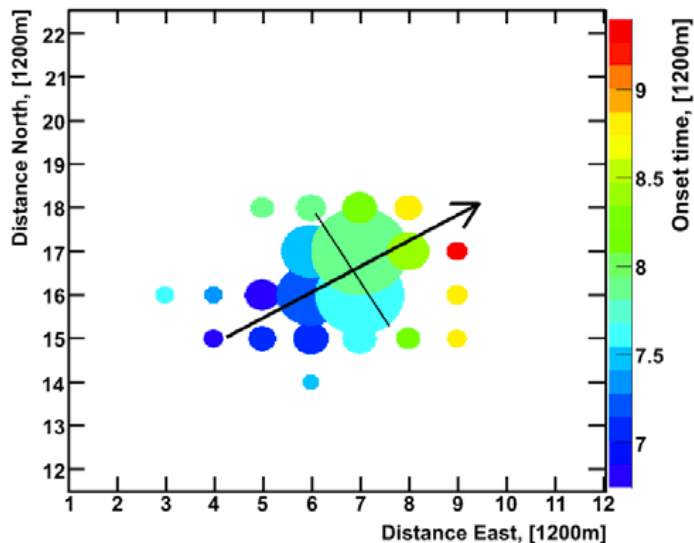


- Solarcell + Battery
- Wireless LAN (2.4GHz)
- GPS synchronization ~20nsec
- Sample rate 50Msps FADC
- 1.2km square grid array.

# SD event example

2008/Jun/25 - 19:45:52.588670 UTC

Particle arrival time → shower direction



$$\rho(r) \propto \left(\frac{r}{R_M}\right)^{-1.2} \left(1 + \frac{r}{R_M}\right)^{-(\eta-1.2)} \left\{1 + \left(\frac{r}{1000}\right)^2\right\}^{-0.6}$$

$$\eta = (3.97 \pm 0.13) - (1.79 \pm 0.62)(\sec \theta - 1)$$

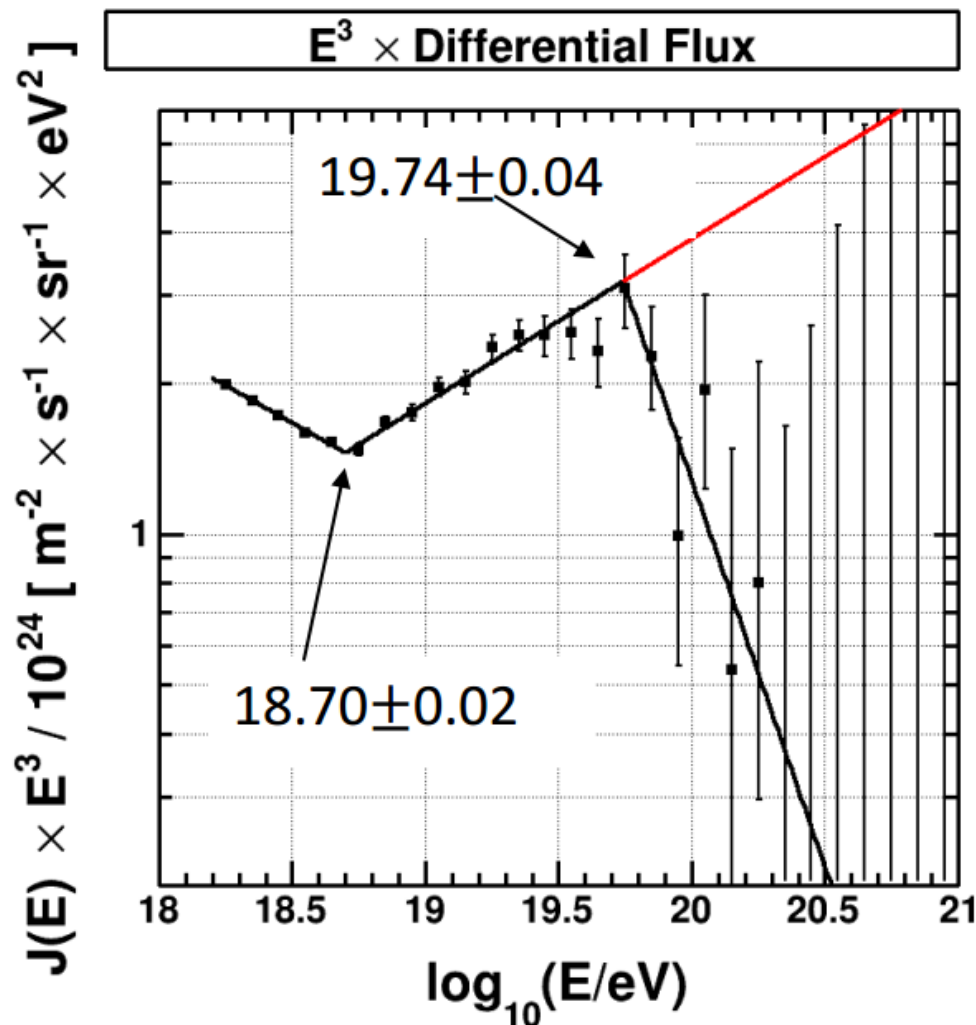
**S(800) → (Primary Energy)**

$r = 800m$

# Energy spectrum at $E > 10^{18.2} \text{eV}$

## ◇ 6year TA SD spectrum

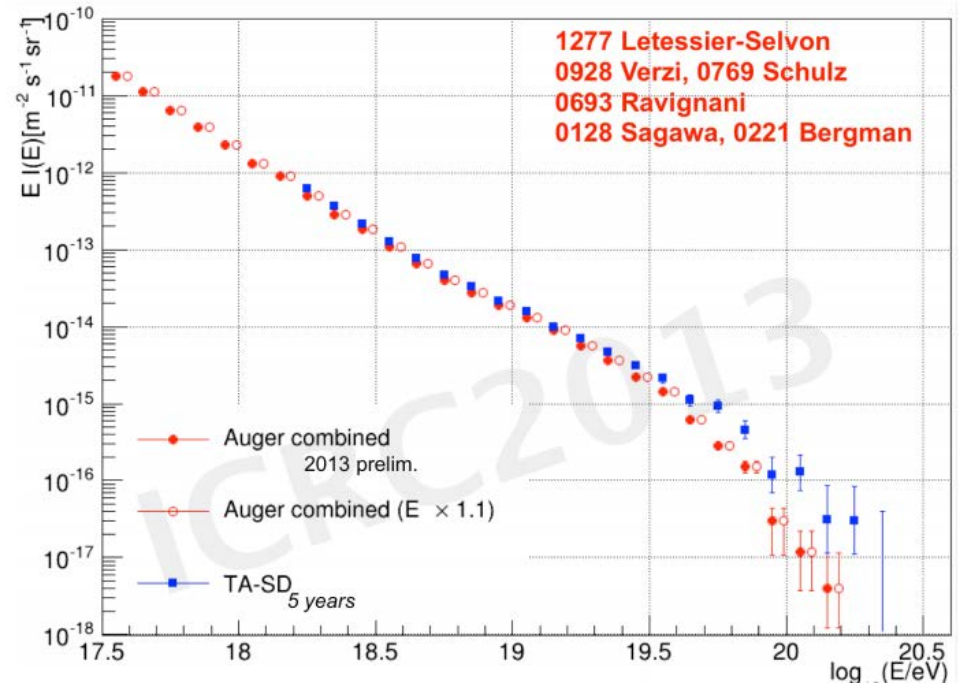
- ❖ Period :  
2008 May – 2014 May  
(6 years)
- ❖ Cut conditions :
  - # of used detectors  $\geq 5$
  - Zenith angle  $< 45^\circ$
  - Energy  $> 10^{18.2} \text{eV}$
  - w boundary cut
- ❖ Dip energy  $E_d$   
 $\text{Log}_{10}(E_d/\text{eV}) = 18.70 \pm 0.02$
- ❖ Break energy  $E_b$   
 $\text{Log}_{10}(E_b/\text{eV}) = 19.74 \pm 0.04$   
→ Consistent with GZK cut off
- ❖ Significance of suppression  
@  $E > 10^{19.8} \text{eV}$   
 $N_{\text{exp}} = 85.9$   
 $N_{\text{obs}} = 32 \rightarrow 6.59 \sigma$



D.Bergman @COSPA 2014

# Energy spectrum at $E > 10^{18.2} \text{eV}$

- ◇ Comparison with Auger spectrum
- ◇ Energy scale shifted artificially at Auger  $\times 1.1$
- ◇ spectrum shape agree well at Dip region ( $10^{18.5} \text{eV}$ ) start disagree  $E > 10^{19.6} \text{eV}$
- ◇ Plot is from 2013 ICRC.  
TA spectrum shape is almost same in updated data.
- ◇ Study of Declination dependence of the spectrum is on going.

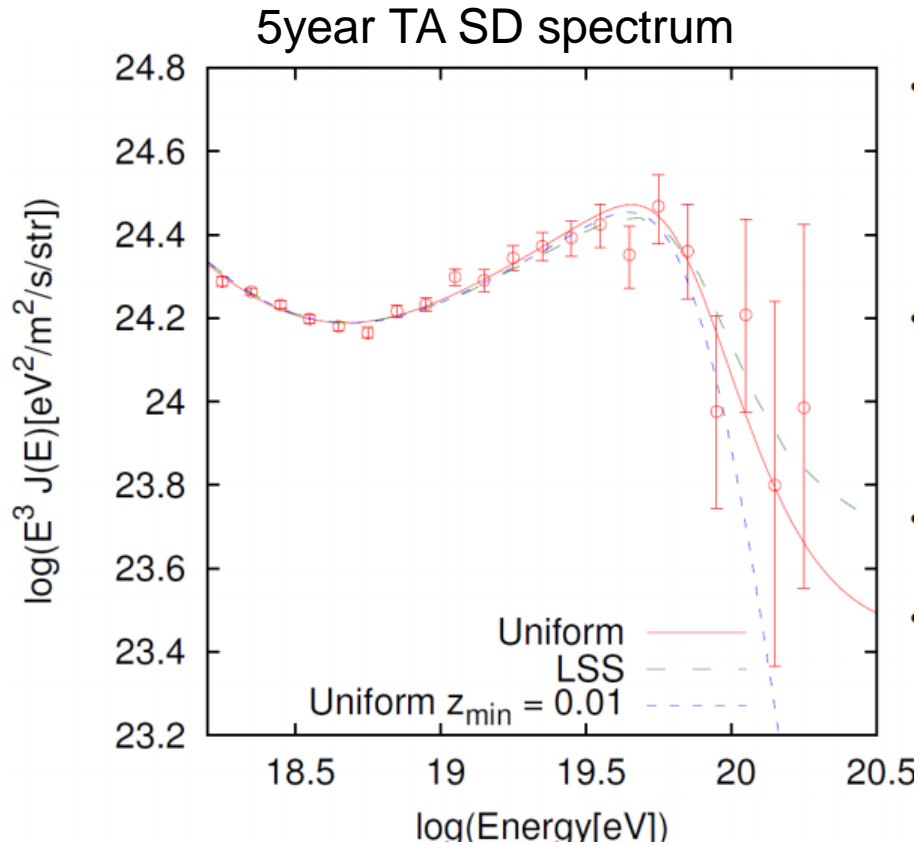


ICRC2013 Y.Tsunesada

(Collaboration study between Auger-TA)



# Cosmic ray model $E > 10^{18.2} \text{eV}$



E.Kido JPS meeting Sep. 2014

Composition: Proton.

Evolution index  $m$ :

$$\rho \propto (1+z)^m$$

Spectrum index origin  $p$ :

$$dN/dE \propto E^{-p}$$

Propagation :

Karashev , E.Kido

arXiv:1406.0735

Background photon

CMB, IRB

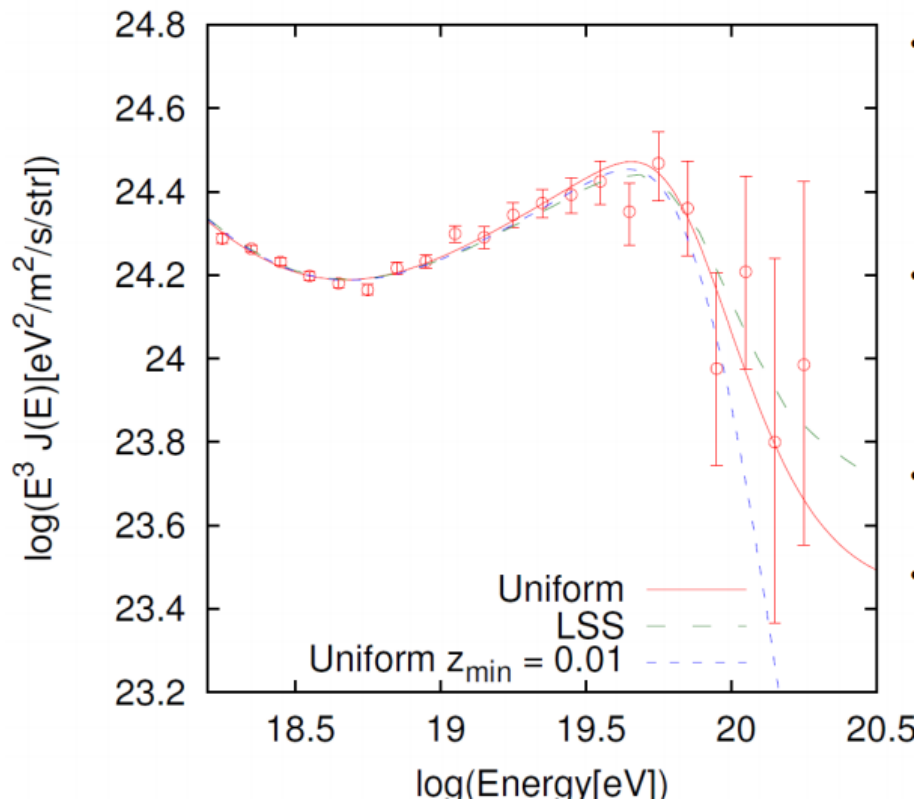
- No magnetic field

Search best fit parameter

$-p$  ,  $m$  ,  $\Delta \log_{10}(E)$  ,  $C_{n^*}$

$C_{n^*}$  (normalization factor)

# Modeling source distribution $E > 10^{18.2} \text{eV}$



<Best fit source parameter (\*uniform)>

$P=2.21$

$m = 6.4$

$\Delta \text{LogE} -0.04^*$  (uniform)

$Z_{\text{min}}$  :

Distance of closest source in the model

Increase  $Z_{\text{min}}$  to find 95% incompatibility between model spectrum and data point.

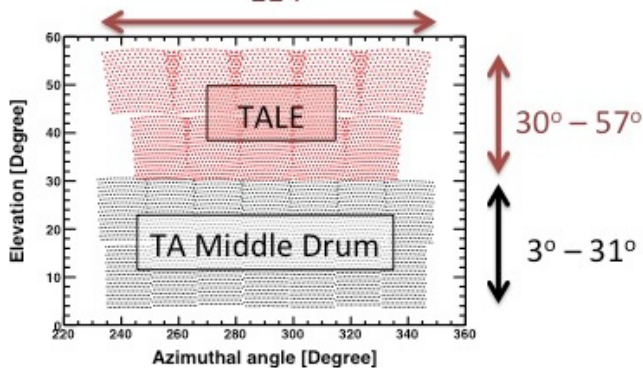
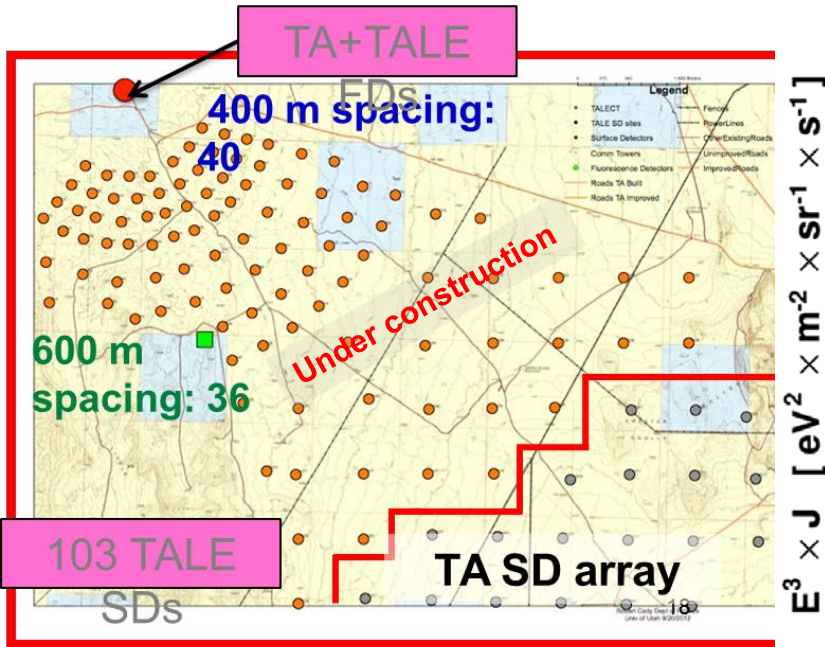
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Data compatible with pure proton model at  $E > 10^{18.2} \text{eV}$

Under the condition of best fit model, constraint on  $Z_{\text{min}}$ :

$Z_{\text{min}} < 0.010$  ( $\sim 40 \text{ Mpc}$ ) in 95% C.L.

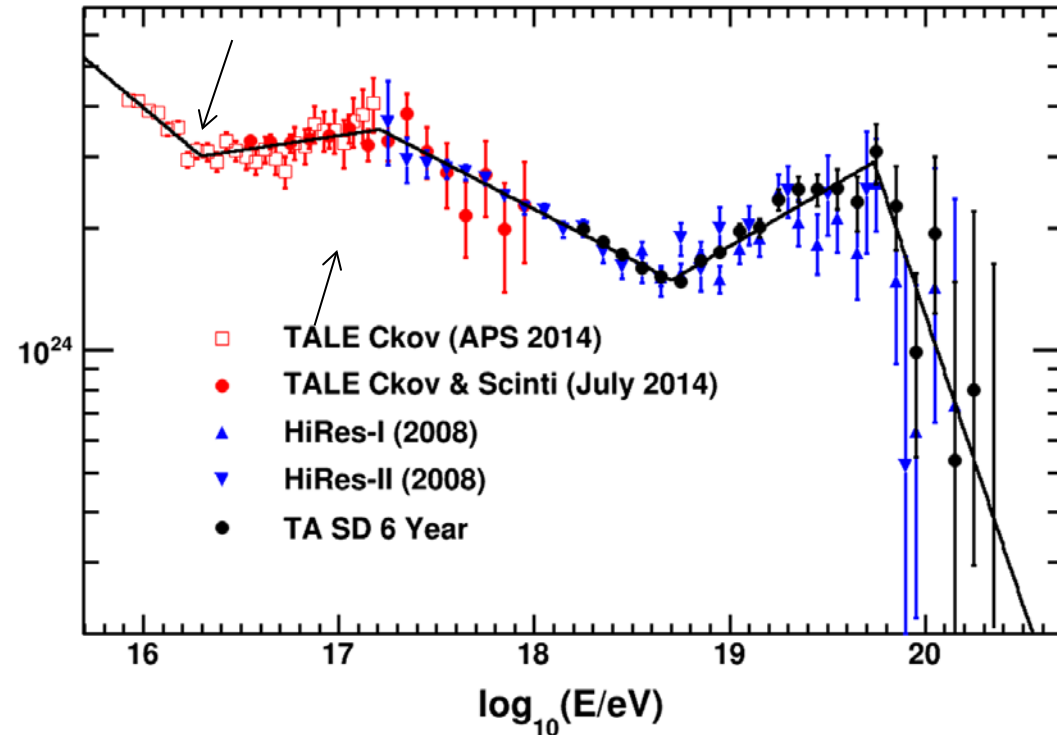
# New result from TA Low energy Extension



TALE detector :

High elevation tel + density SD

→ Low energy hybrid



◇ (TALE SD is under construction)

◇ Period : 2013/09/06 - 12/06

144hr data

◇ SDs are not used ,not hybrid analysis

◇ Break @  $10^{16.2} \text{ eV}$

$10^{17.3} \text{ eV}$  found.

→ Interesting to see  $X_{\text{max}}$  elongation.

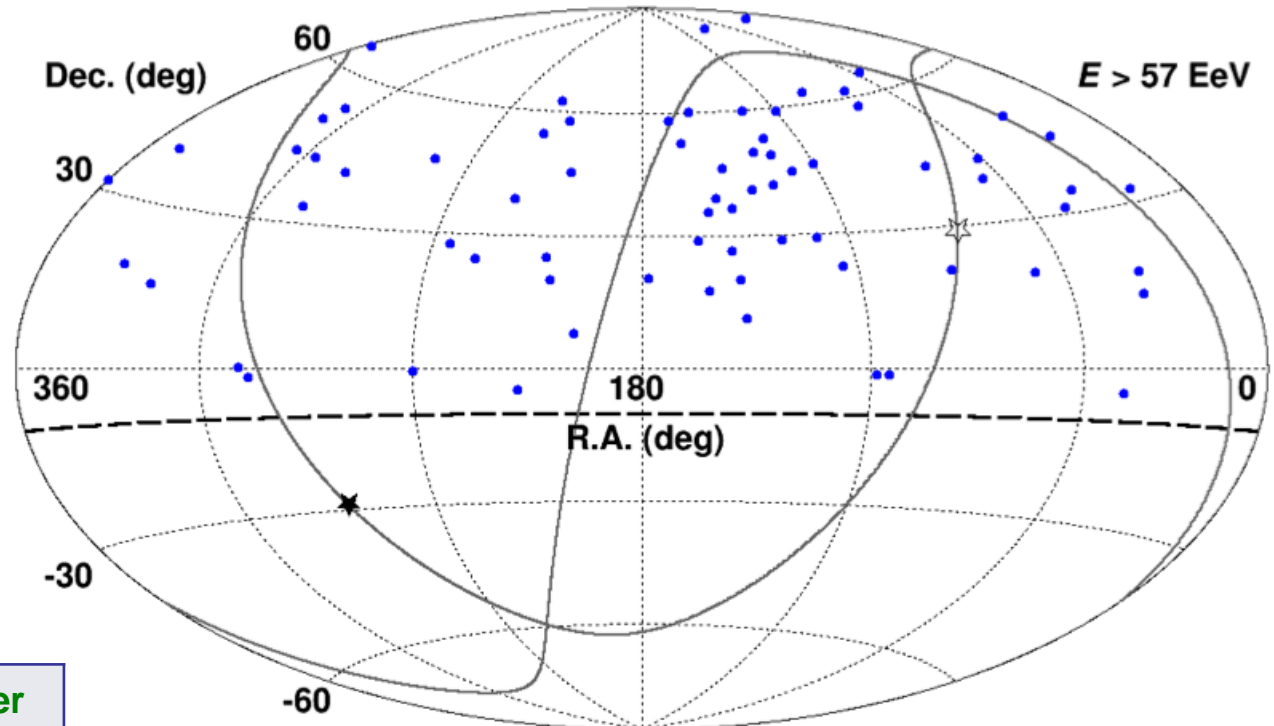
Need more SD

# Anisotropy of Cosmic Rays $E > 57 \text{ EeV}$

❖ Period :  
2008 May – 2013 May  
(5 years)

❖ Cut conditions :  
– # of used detectors  $\geq 4$   
– Zenith angle  $< 55^\circ$   
– Energy  $> 57 \text{ EeV}$   
– No boundary cut

72 events

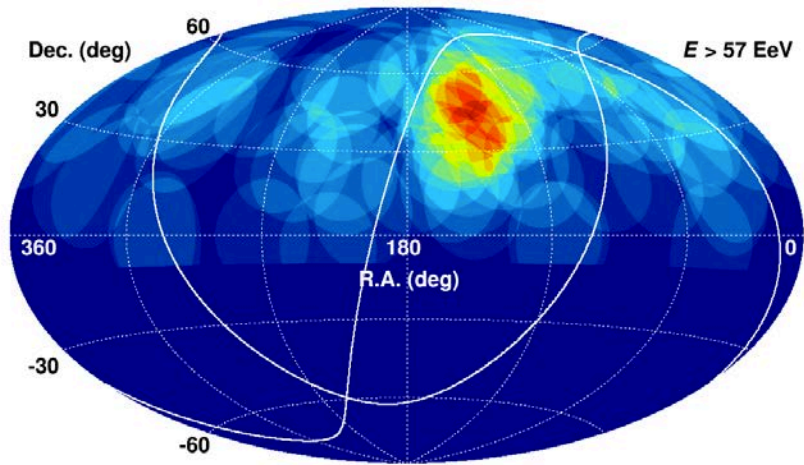


Resolutions	Inner	Outer
Angular	$1.0^\circ$	$1.7^\circ$
Energy	15%	20%

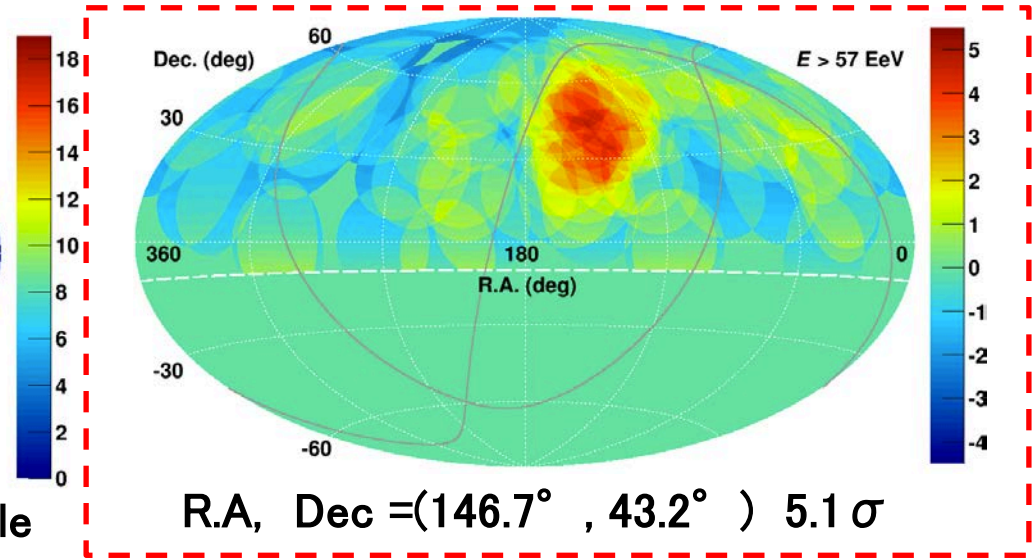
Full event table is available in the ApJL online journal :

[http://iopscience.iop.org/2041-8205/790/2/L21/suppdata/apjl498370t1\\_mrt.txt](http://iopscience.iop.org/2041-8205/790/2/L21/suppdata/apjl498370t1_mrt.txt)

# Anisotropy of Cosmic Rays $E > 57 \text{ EeV}$



Count number of event within  $20^\circ$  circle

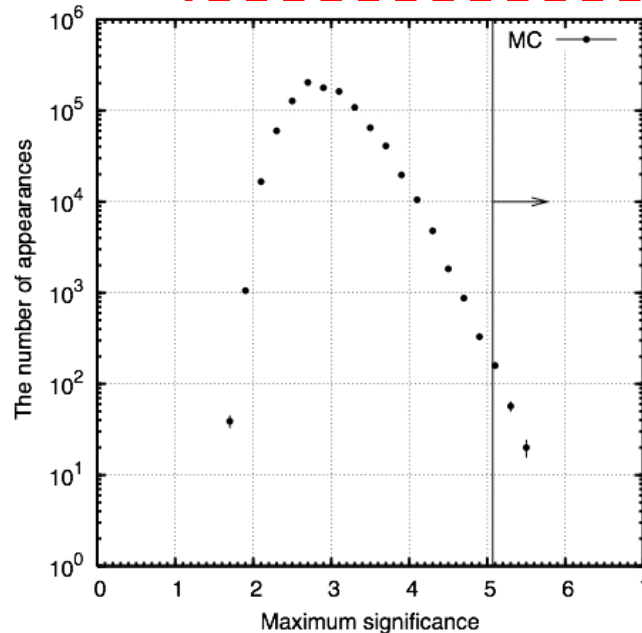


R.A, Dec =  $(146.7^\circ, 43.2^\circ)$   $5.1\sigma$

Random 72 events  
assuming isotropy  
(TA geometrical exposure)

Adopt same analysis &  
create significance maps  
(by five oversampling radius  
: 15, 20, 25, 30, 35 deg.)

Search for maximum  
significance in the FoV



$P = 371 / 10^6$  trials  
=  $3.7 \times 10^{-4}$  ( $3.4\sigma$ )  
“hotspot”

ApJ 790, L21 (2014)

Figure ‘s comment:  
K.Kawata ICRR seminar

# Anisotropy of Cosmic Rays $E > 57 \text{ EeV}$

◇ Eye comparison with 2MASS catalog

① Ursa Major Cluster  
(20Mpc)

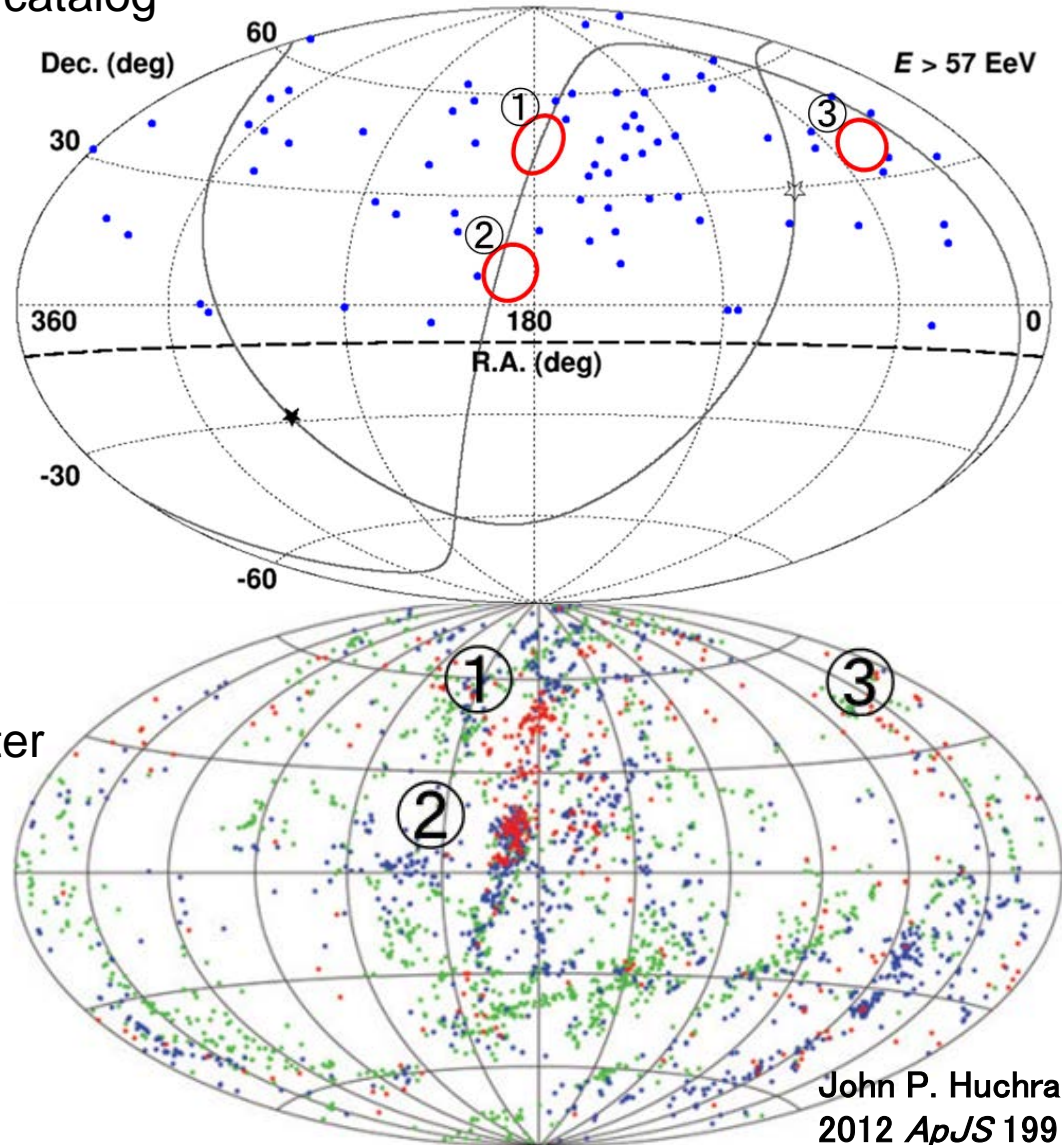
② Virgo Cluster  
(20Mpc)

③ Perseus–Pisces Supercluster  
(70Mpc)

◇ Hot spot is not on SGP or  
Galaxy cluster

◇ “Perseus” close to event cluster  
but the area’s  
significance is  $\sim 2\sigma$

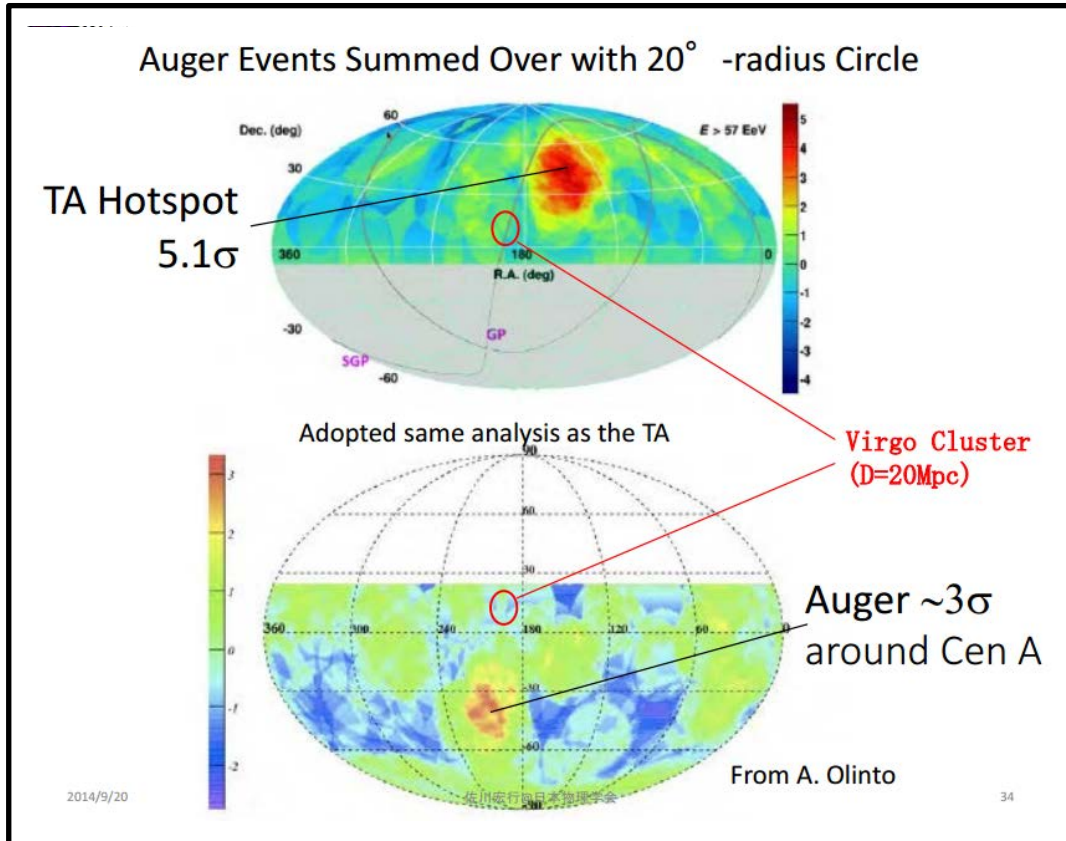
More quantitative study  
is needed.



John P. Huchra *et al.*  
2012 *ApJS* 199 26

# Anisotropy of Cosmic Rays $E > 57 \text{ EeV}$

How it looks at south hemisphere with same analysis?



From Slide H.Sagawa @ JPS symposium 09/22 2014

- ❖ No adjustment energy scale  
Use original energy at both experiment
- ❖ Cen-A region enhancement  $\sim 3\sigma$
- ❖ Virgo cluster position is not bright at Auger data also. ( $\sim 20 \text{ Mpc}$ )

Hotspot cosmic ray comes from very close distance like Cen-A?

Is it consist from single source? or coincidence of two source?

If consist from single source why very large structure?  $20^\circ$  ?

# Chemical composition from $X_{\max}$

❖ Period :

2008 May – 2014 May

(5 years)

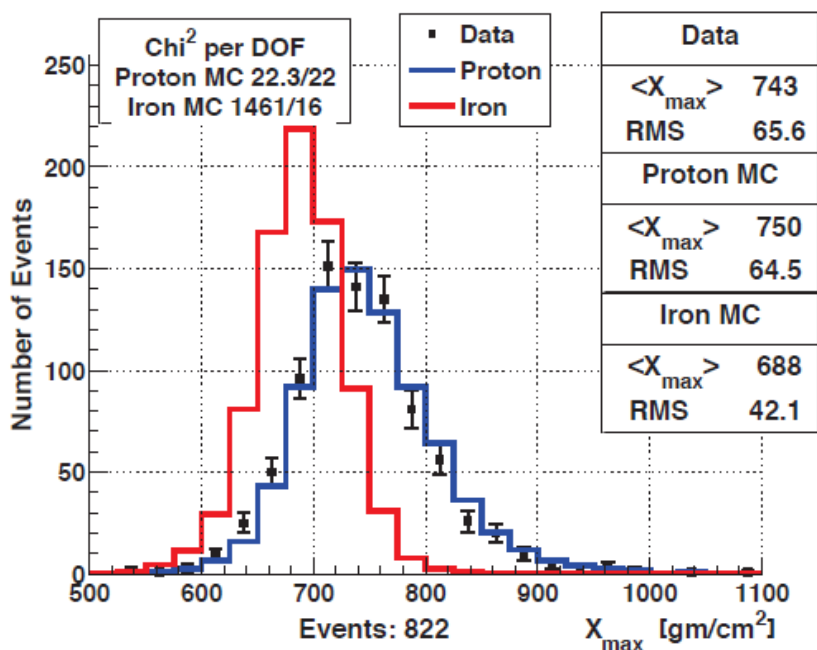
MD station + T ASD (Hybrid analysis) *arXiv:1408.1726*

(pattern recognition cut → better resolution of  $X_{\max}$ )

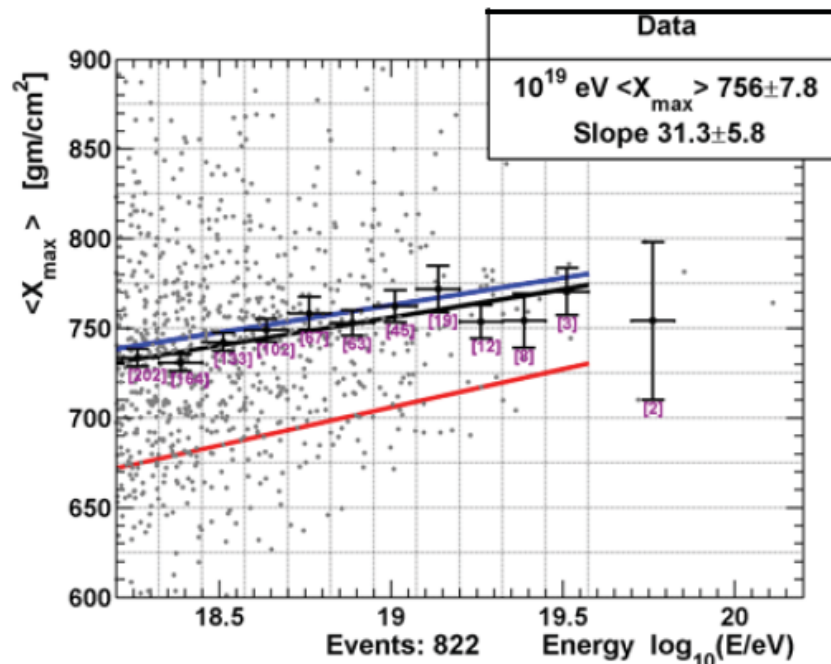
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● Proton

● Fe



$X_{\max}$  distribution and comparison with Proton, Iron MC simulation



Average  $X_{\max}$  along energy

◇ Consistent with proton.

◇ Inconsistent with Iron

◇ Hot spot  $E > 10^{19.7}$  eV

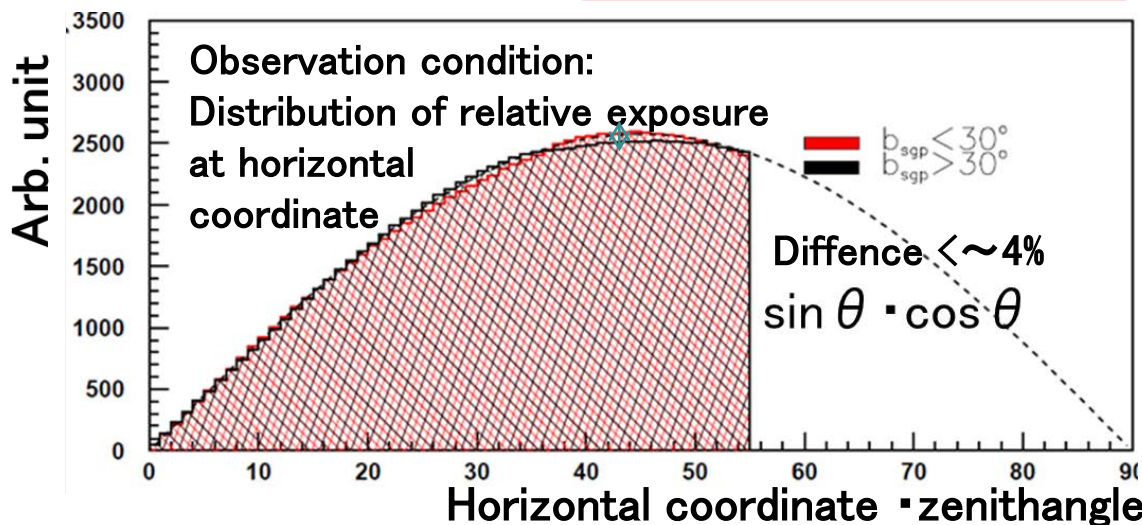
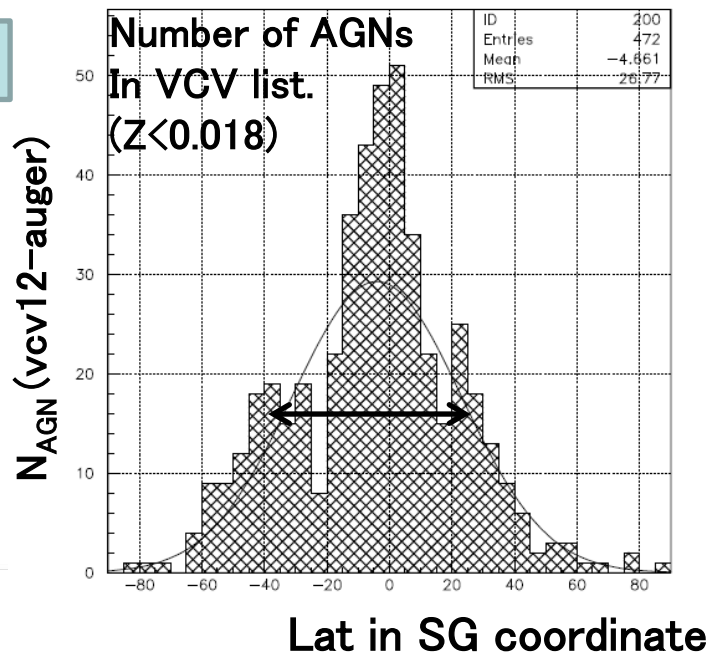
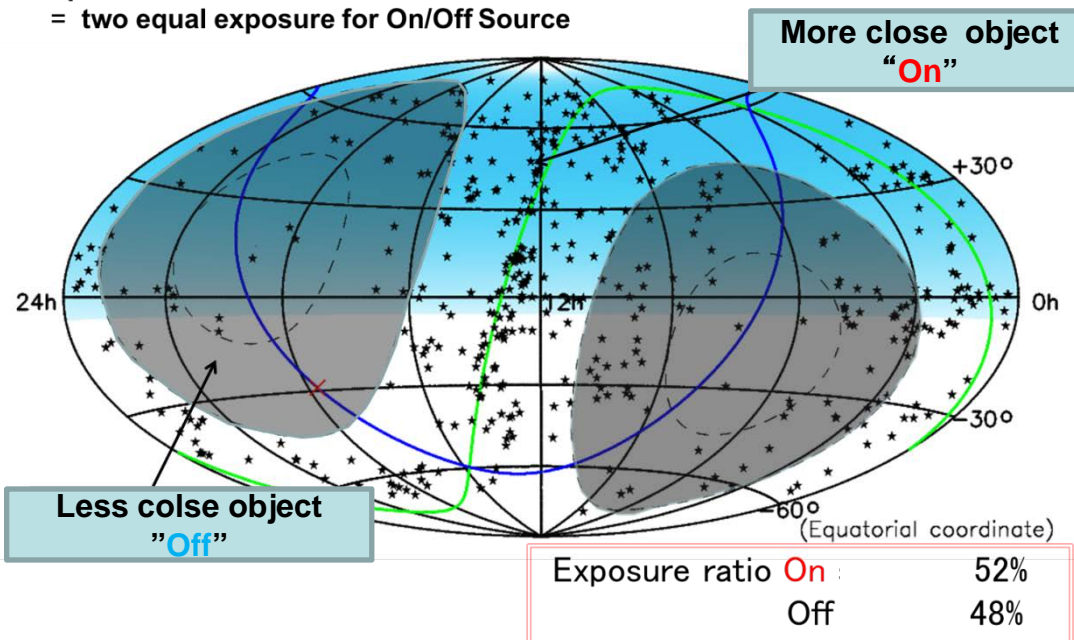
$X_{\max}$  :  $E > 10^{19.4}$  eV statistics small !

*arXiv:1408.1726*



# Look for other information

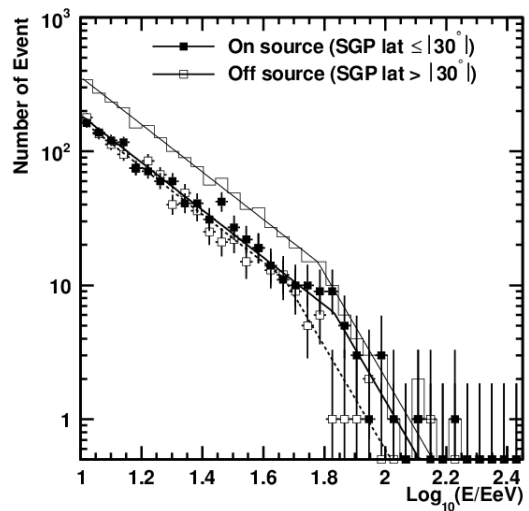
Super Galactic Latitude  $\pm 30^\circ$   
 = two equal exposure for On/Off Source



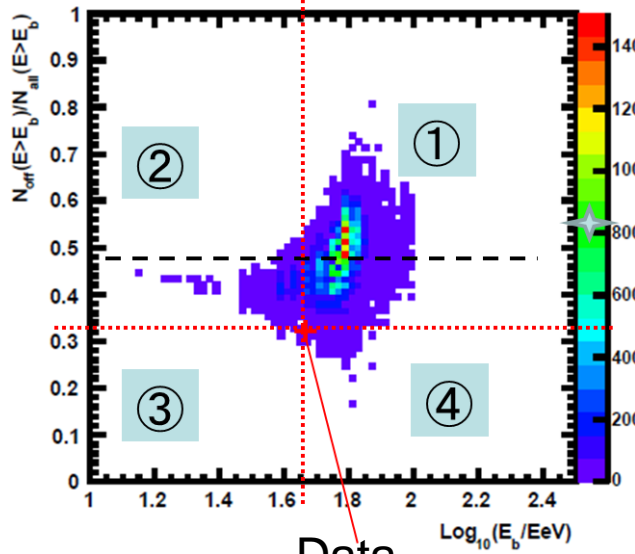
- ◎ Divide sky  
 |SGP lat |  $< 30$  and  $> 30$   
 (exposure 52 : 48)  
 "  $\frac{1}{2}$ , and  $\frac{1}{2}$  "
- ◎ Observation condition  
 is almost equal.

# Analysis for spectrum difference b/w Sky area

## Preliminary result :



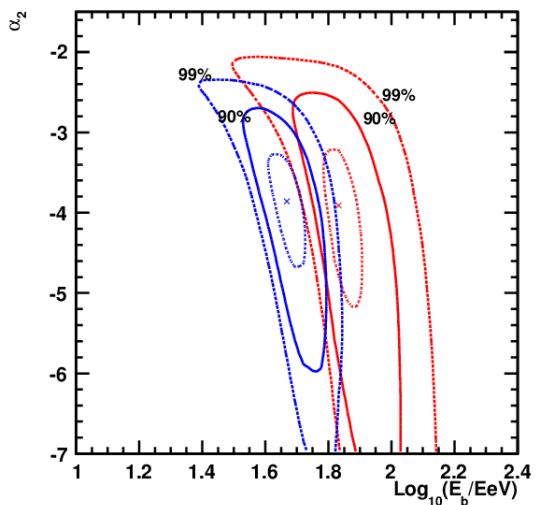
Number of Chance events in each area



## SGP 30 deg

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Off source spectrum:

Break energy is small at off source sky  $10^{19.66}$  eV

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More spot, Composition study with SD,

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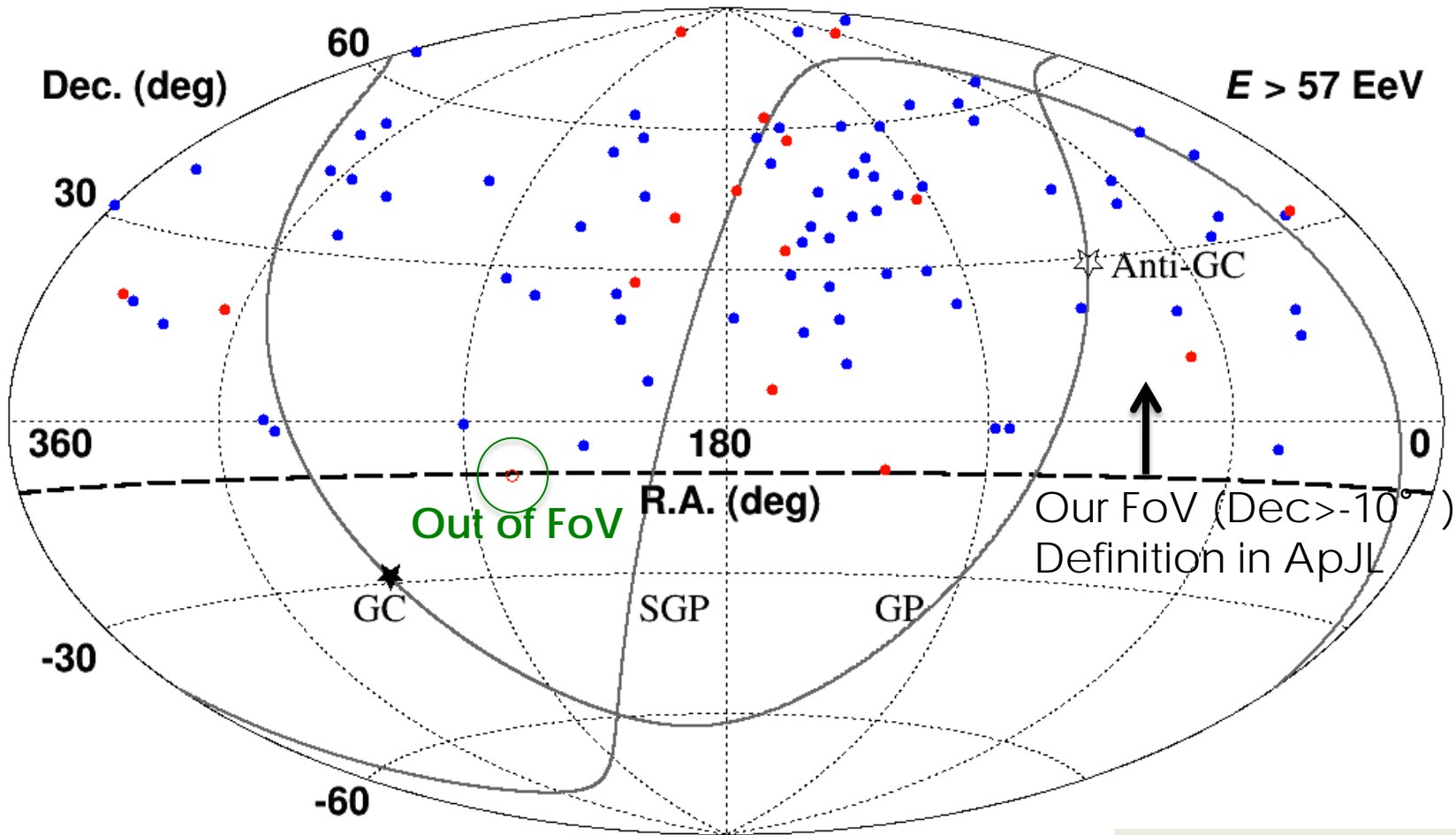
→ TALE

Obtain spectrum  $E > 10^{17} \text{ eV}$  structure in spectrum.

Need more SD area for good resolution  $X_{\text{max}}$  (w Hybrid)



# 6-Year Data by TA



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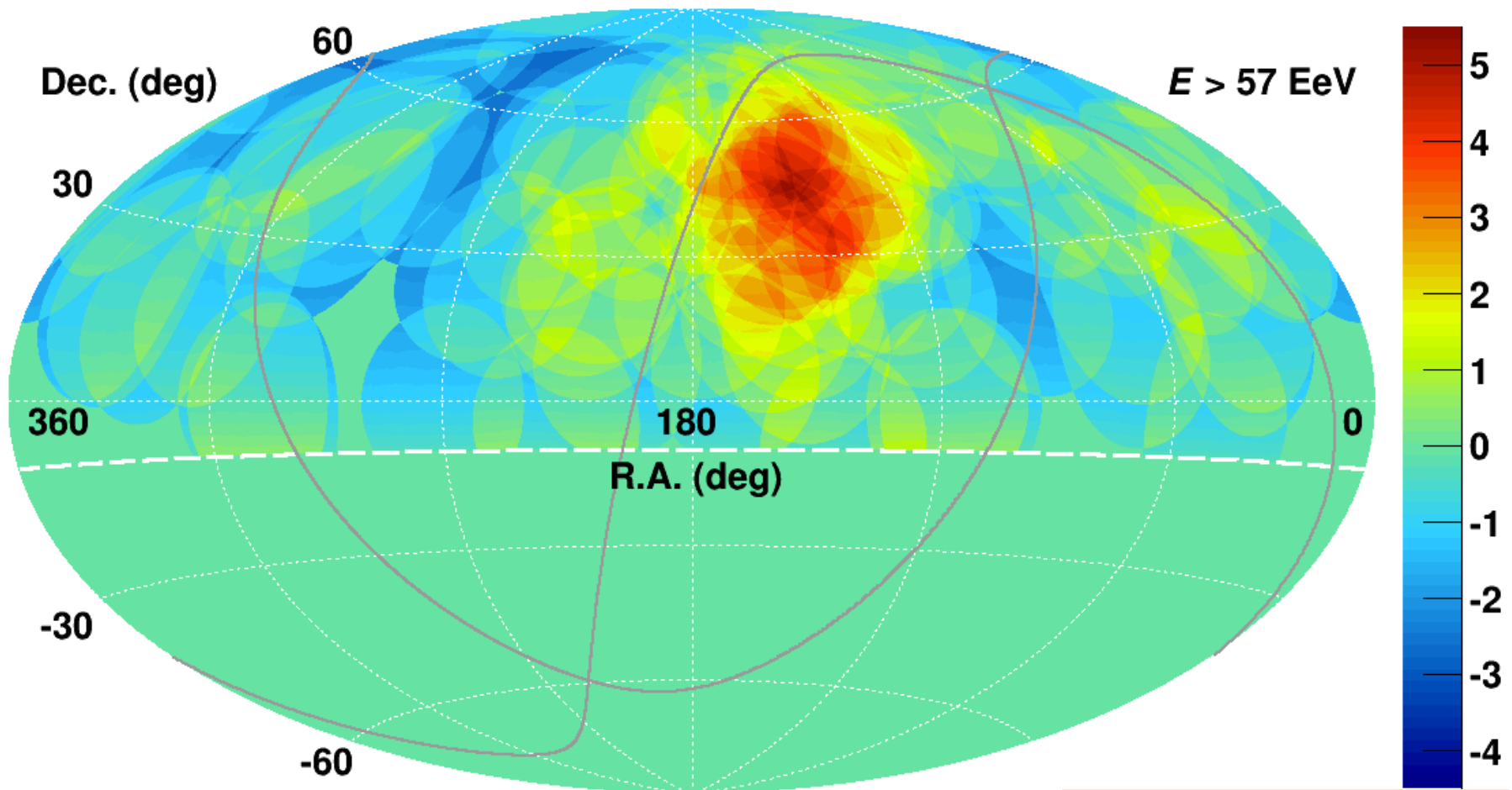
5-year data  
New 1-year data

Period:  
2008 May 11 – 2014 May 11 (87 events)



# Significance Map 6 years

Oversampling with  $20^\circ$  -radius circle



Max significance  $5.55\sigma$  ( $N_{\text{on}} = 23, N_{\text{bg}} = 5.49$ )

Centered at R.A. =  $148.4^\circ$ , Dec. =  $44.5^\circ$  (shifted from SGP by  $17^\circ$ )

Chance probability of appearing in isotropic sky  $\rightarrow 4.0\sigma$

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# TAx4

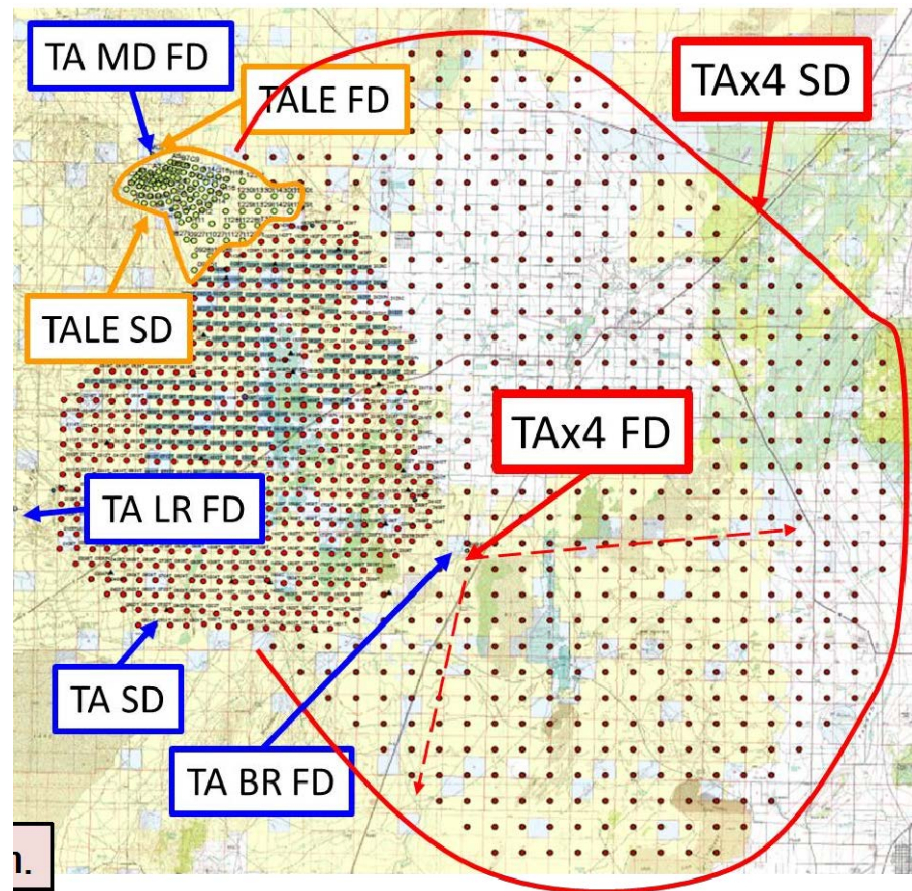
❖ Plan to expand TA by 4 times  
(3,000km<sup>2</sup>)

1. Add 500 scint. counters  
with 2.1 km spacing
2. 10 refurbished HiRes tels

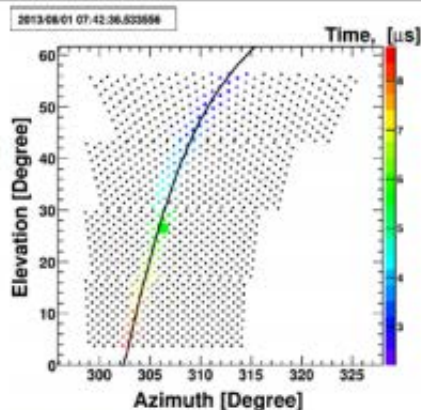
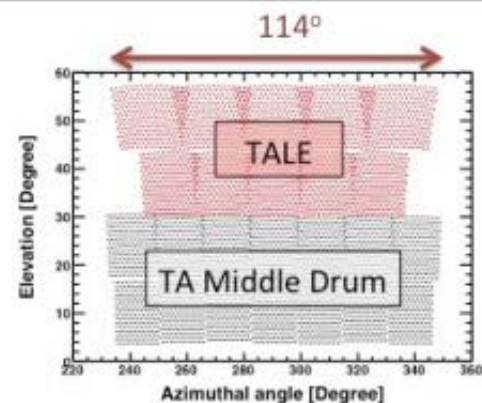
❖ Science (3-year observation)

1. Anisotropy study  
→ Expect  $\gg 5\sigma$
2. Xmax & E Spectrum  
at the highest energy region
3. Search UHE photon & neutrino
4. correlation search with Other  
observation. :

ex) Fang, Fujii, Linden & Olinto, arXiv:1404.6237  
(IceCube event x TA Hot spot.)



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# TALE実験

FDs + SDs = ハイブリッド

→ 高分解能

高仰角 (30°~57°)、高密度配置

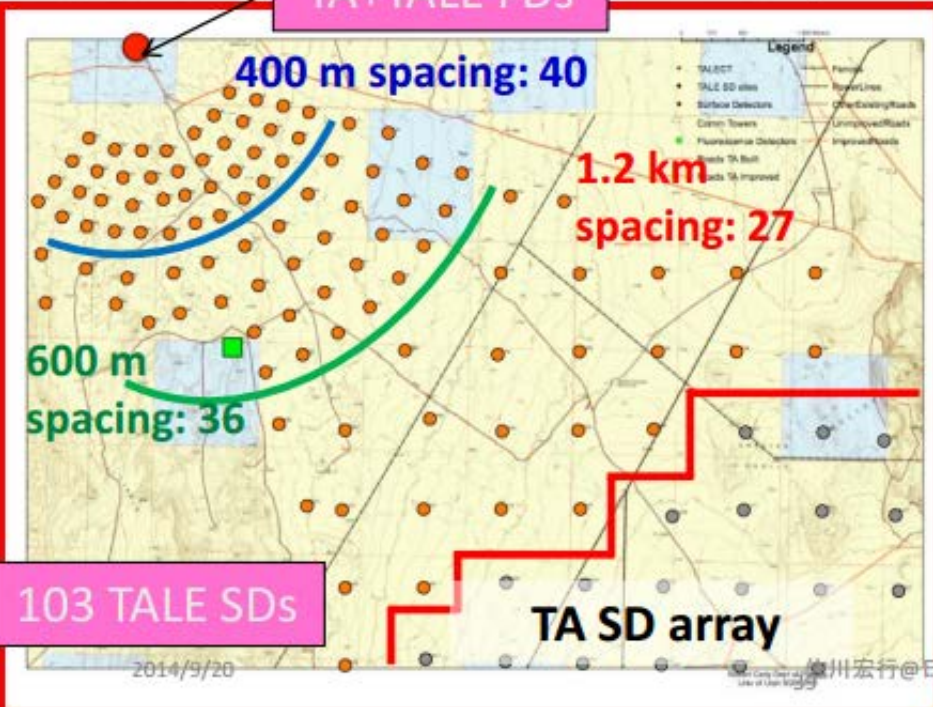
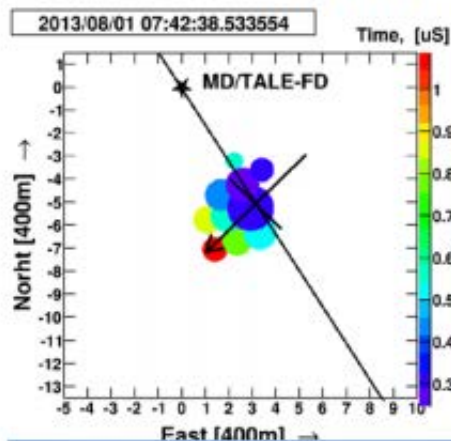
→  $10^{16} \text{eV} < E < 10^{18.5} \text{eV}$

TAとの接続

→ 単一のエネルギースケール  
電子加速器による校正



TA+TALE FDs



35台設置  
部分的に稼働

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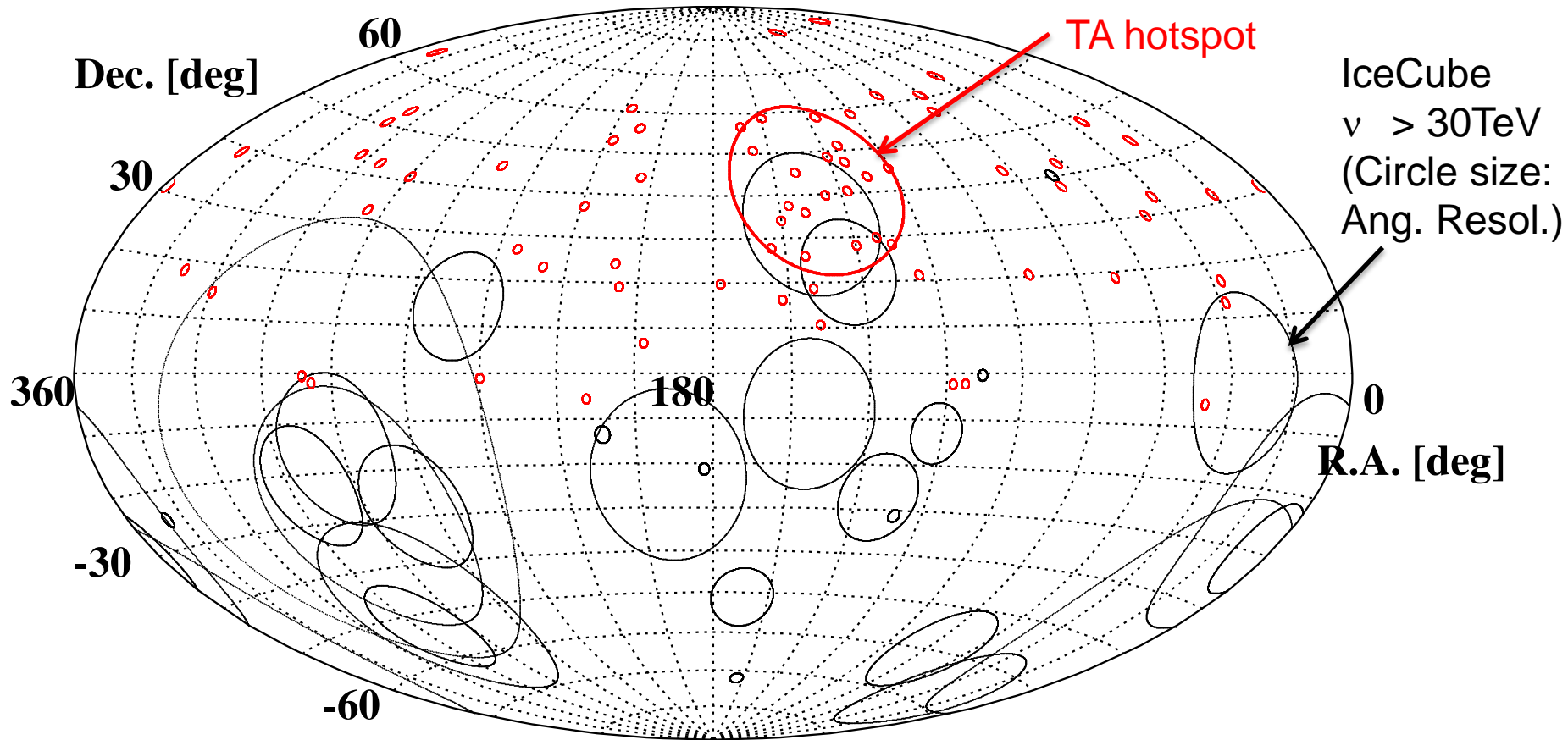
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# Back up

# Other type of observation

Fang, Fujii, Linden & Olinto, arXiv:1404.6237

UHECRs + photons  $\rightarrow$  TeV-PeV Neutrinos



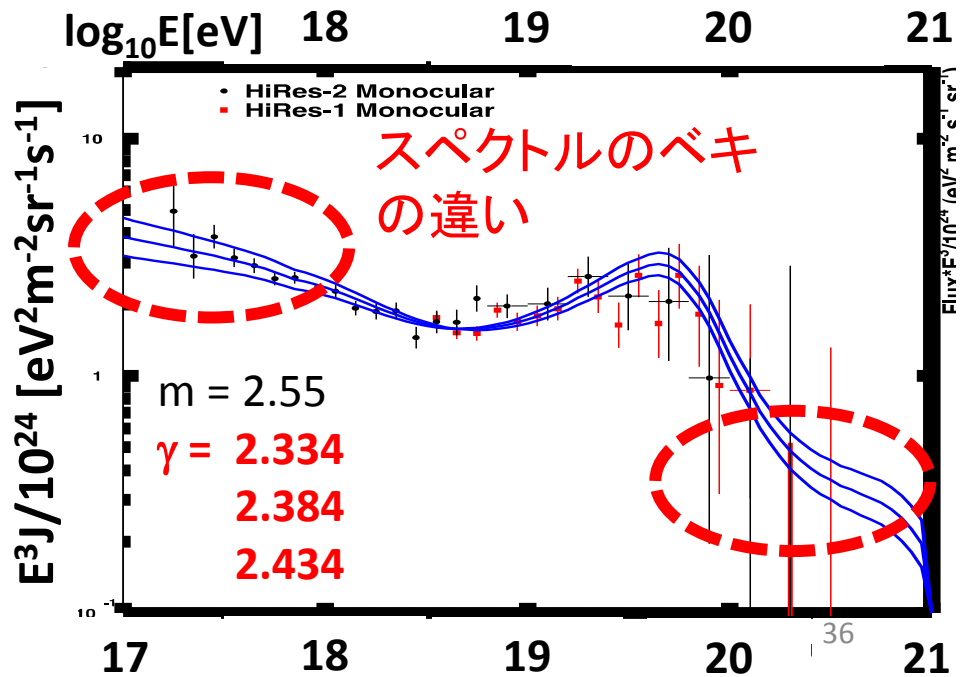
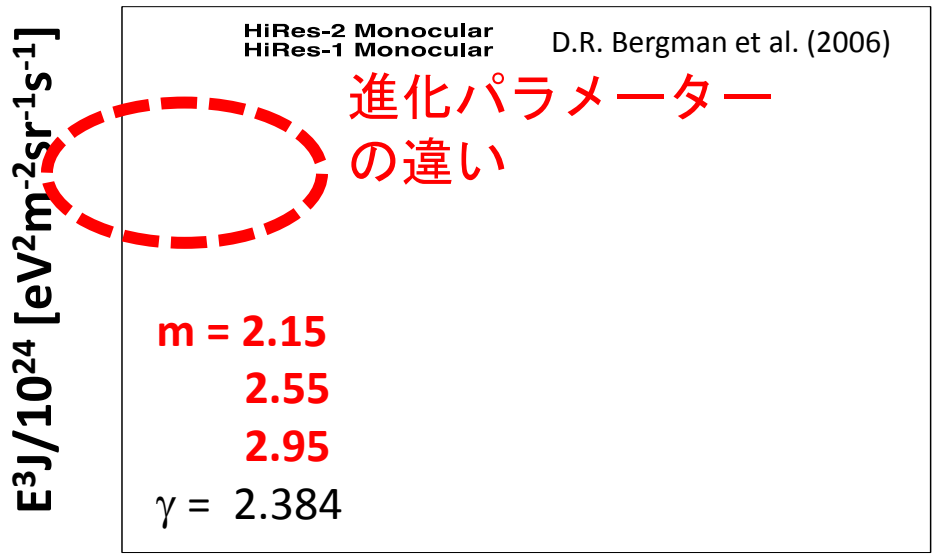
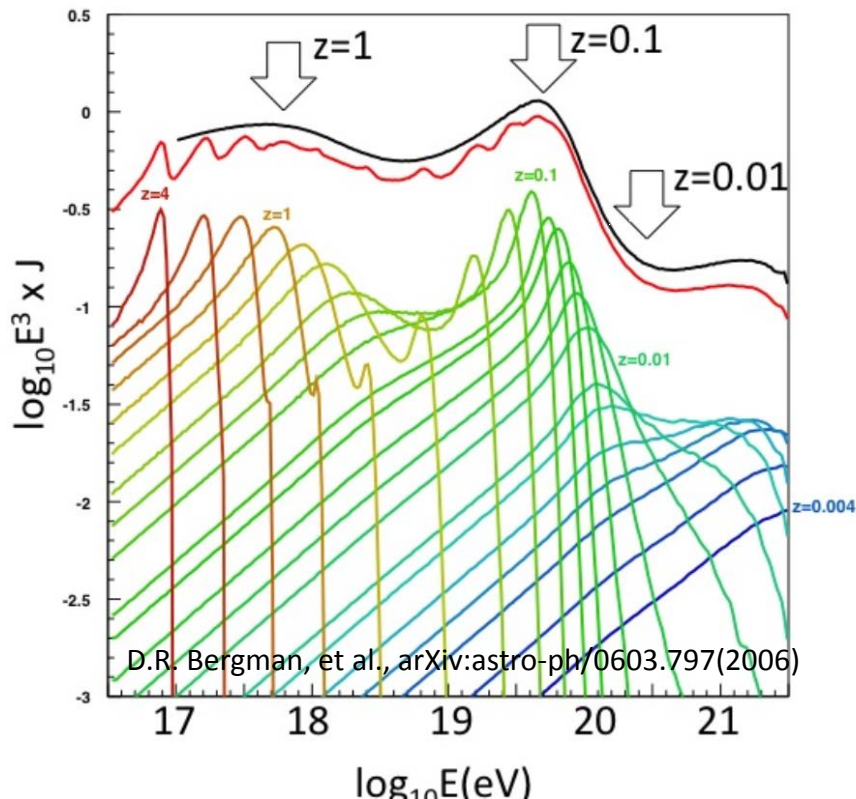
Two IceCube neutrinos among northern 4 events are coincident with the TA hotspot.  $\rightarrow$   $2\sigma$  level by chance

# 銀河系外宇宙線源の進化パラメーター

進化パラメーター:  $m$

$$\rho \propto (1+z)^m$$

$10^{20}$  eVでは  $z=0.05$   
 $10^{18}$  eVでは  $z=1$   
 $10^{17}$  eVでは  $z=4$   
 の宇宙線源が寄与する

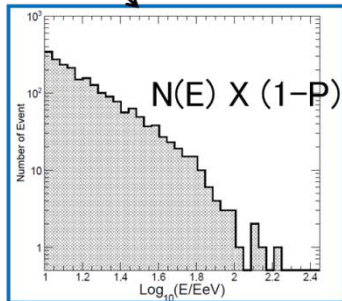
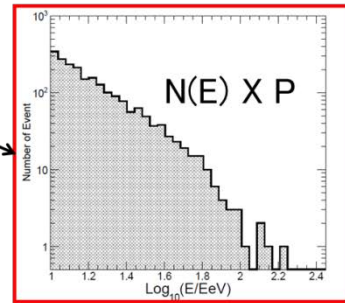
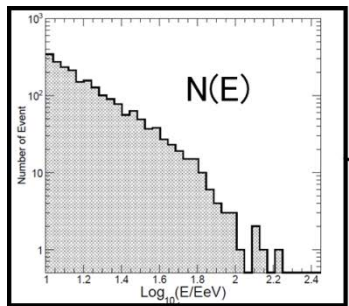


# Map of $\frac{N_{\text{off}}(E>E_b)}{N_{\text{all}}(E>E_b)}$ and $E_b$ at random distribution

Simulation:

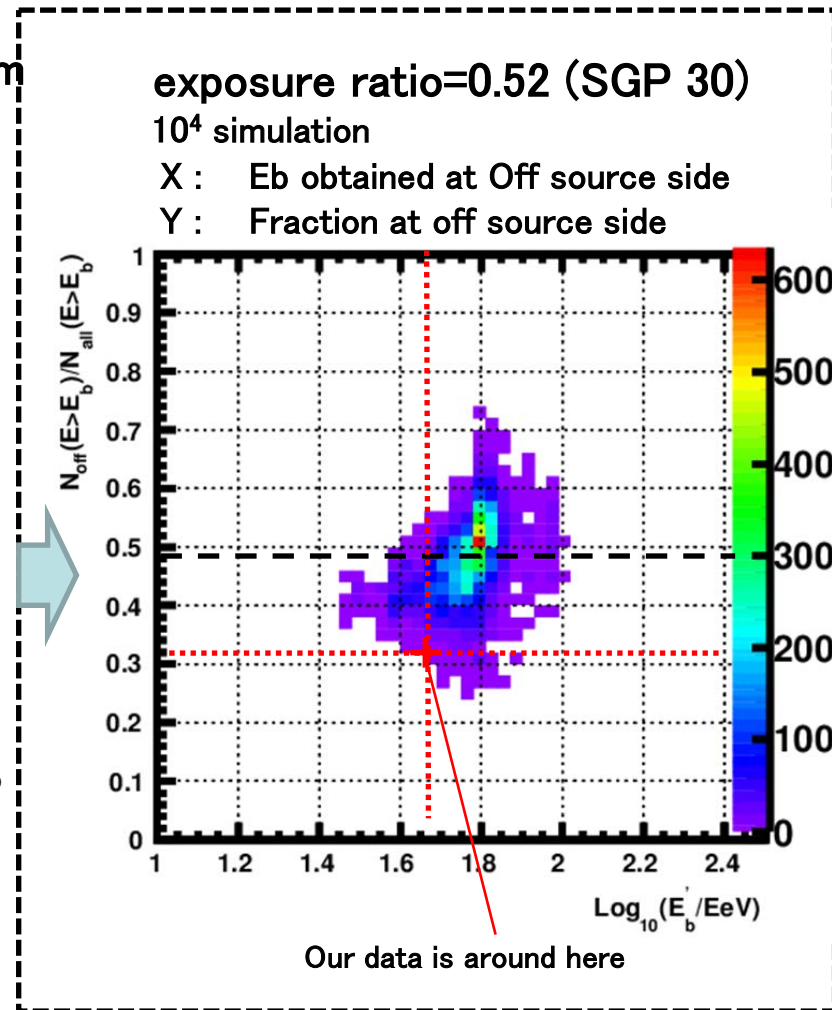
- 1) Create On/Off distribution from same population
- 2) Calculate  $E_b$  and  $\frac{N_{\text{off}}(E>E_b)}{N_{\text{all}}(E>E_b)}$  at likelihood minimum

→ collect simulation events



P is fraction of exposure for "On" sky area  
 Events in "All" histograms are Randomly distributed into "On" and "off" with binominal probability P

For each distribution Likelihood minimum of BPL was calculated

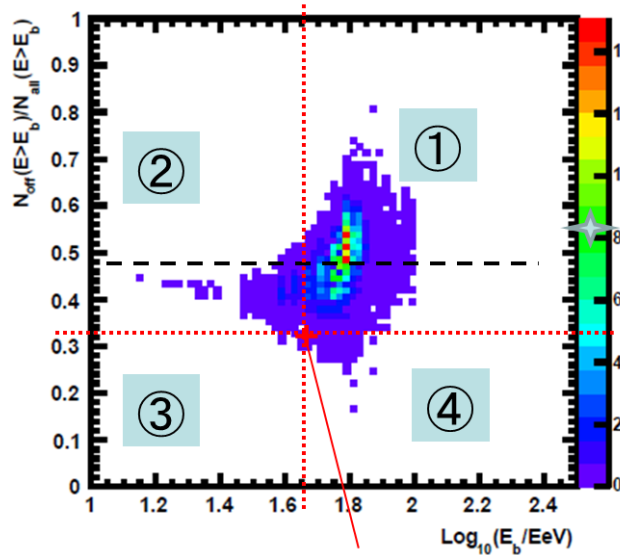


Here,  $E_b$  is off source  $E_b$

# Count chance cases

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