

KamLAND

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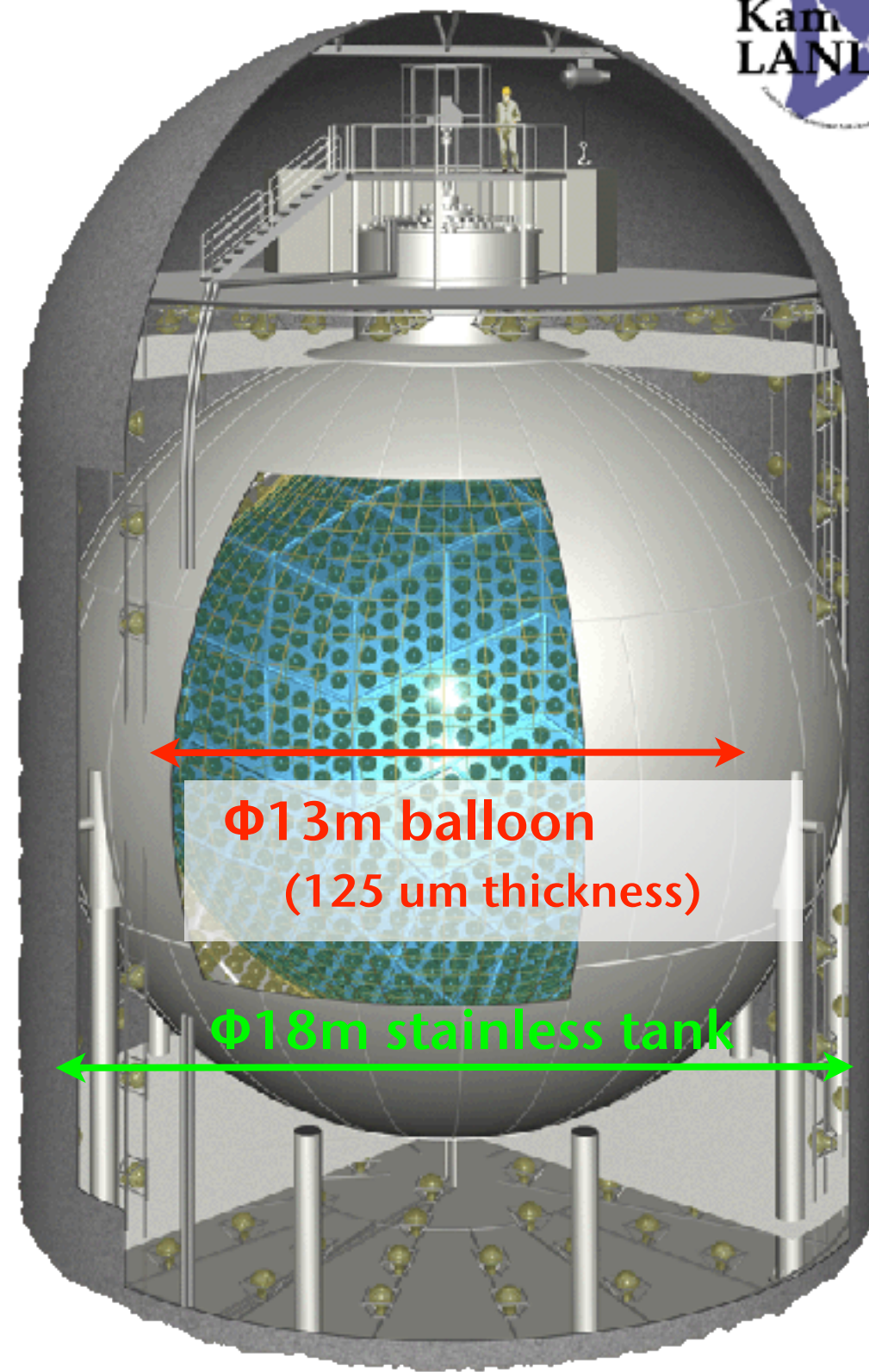
Next talk

KamLAND detector



Kamioka Liquid scintillator
Anti-Neutrino Detector (since 2002)

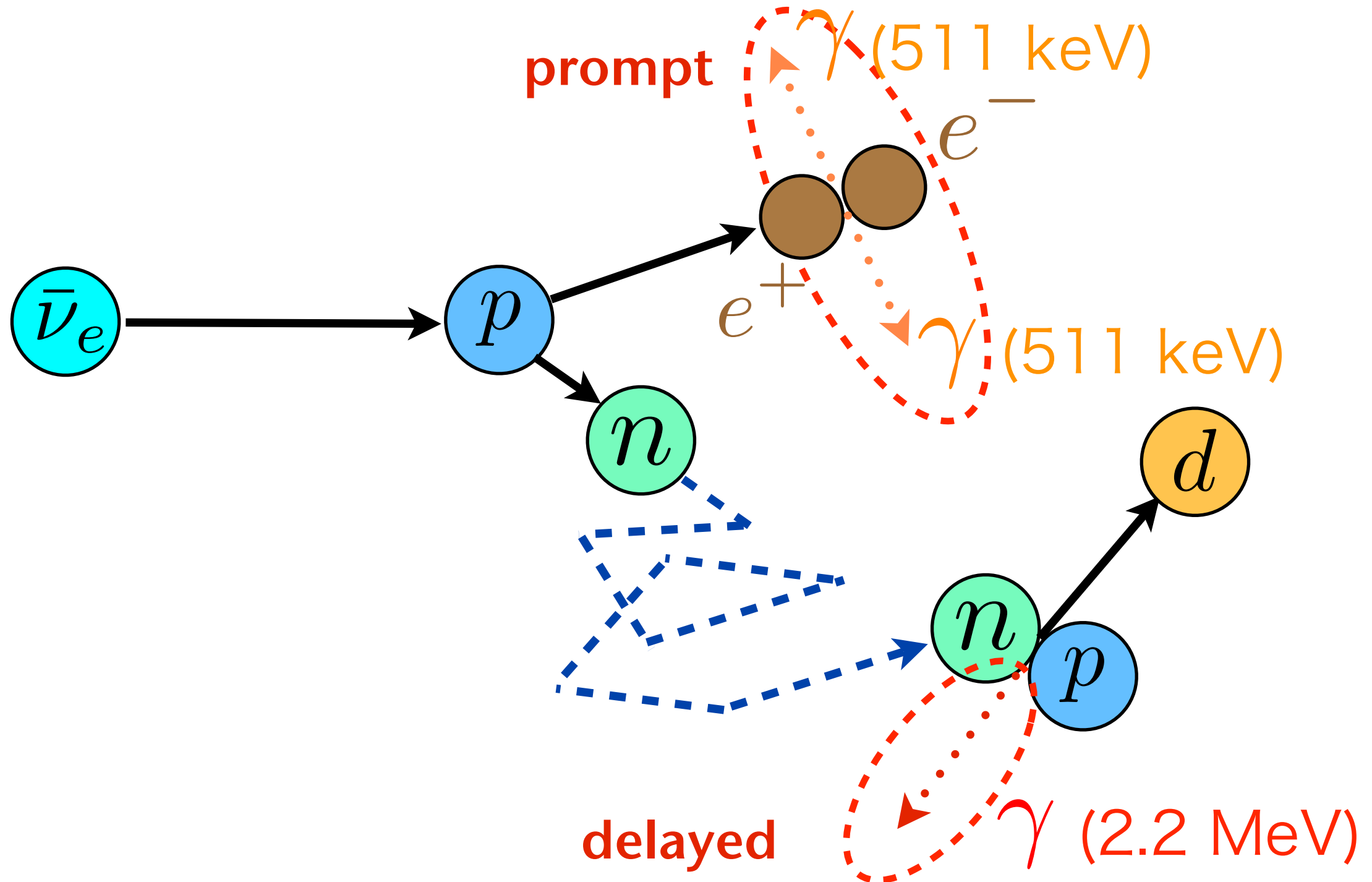
- 1,000 m depth (Kamioka mine)
- 1,000 t liquid scintillator
Dodecane (80%), Pseudocumene (20%), PPO (1.36g/l)
- 1,325 17inch + 554 20inch PMTs



Outer detector (for muon veto)
- 3.2kton water cherenkov detector
- ~100 20inch PMTs

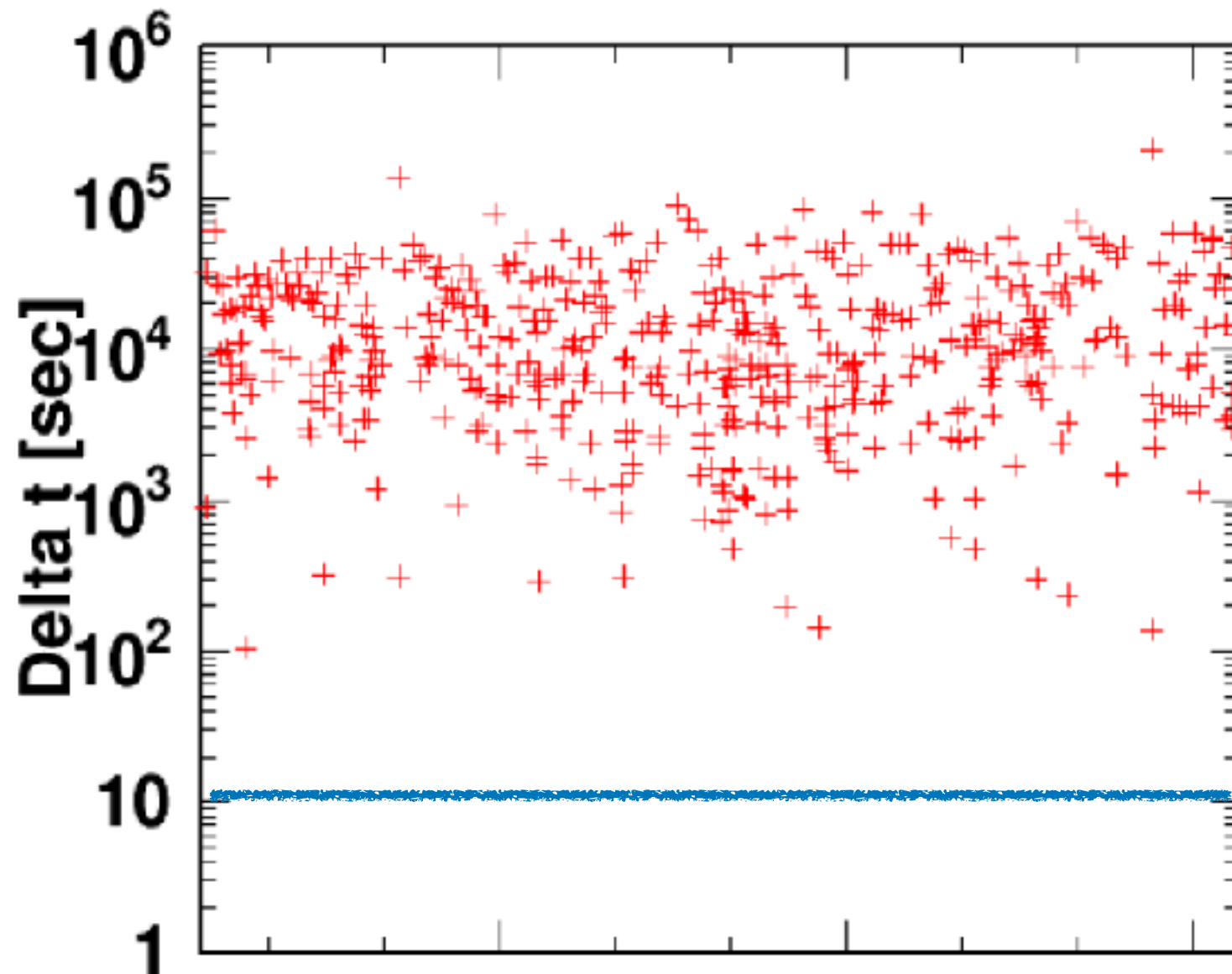
SN monitor@KL

Inverse-beta decay -> DC event



SN monitor@KL

Monitor of Δt



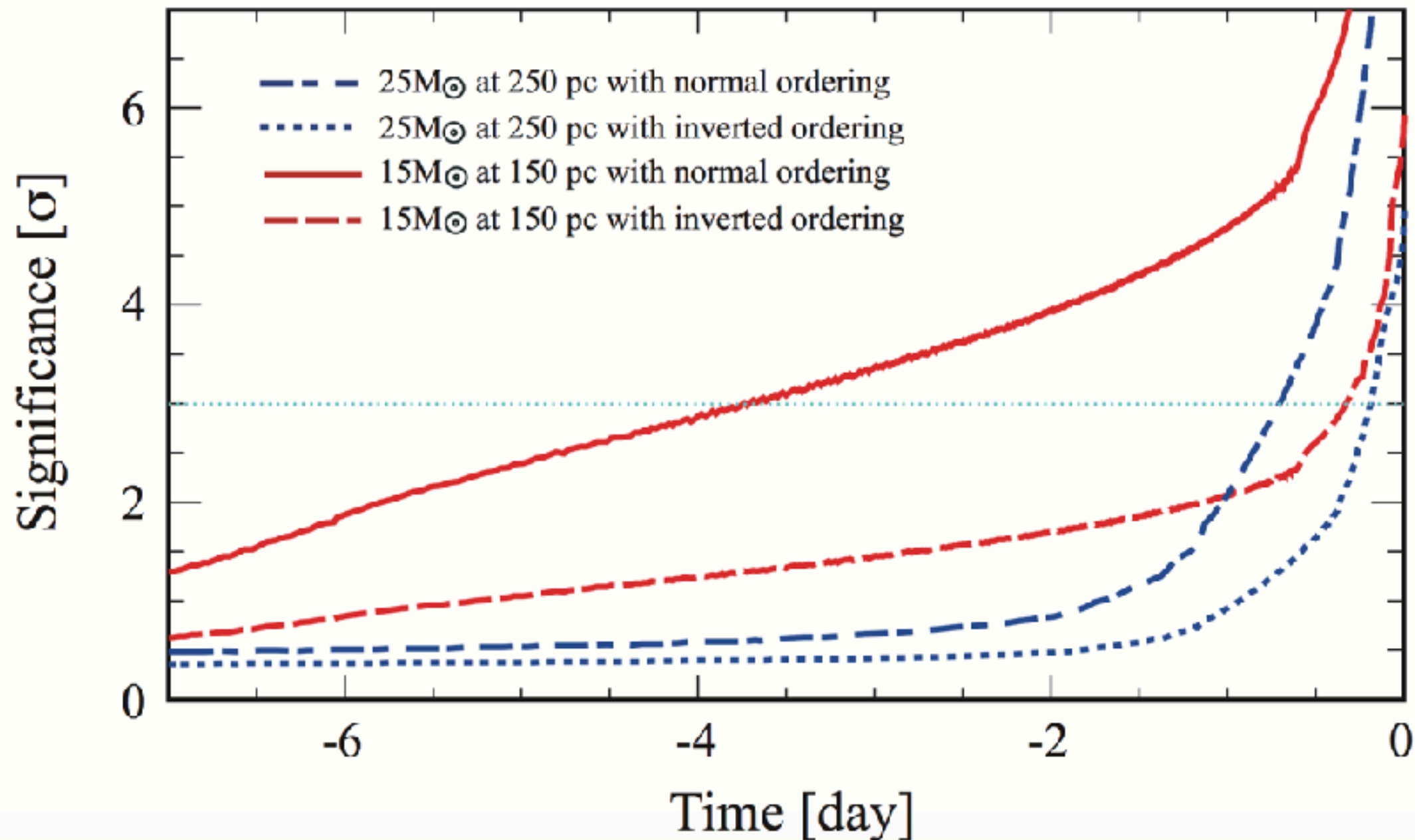
$\Delta t < 10\text{sec} \Rightarrow \text{SNEWS}$

- $2.5 < E_p < 30\text{MeV}$
- $1.8 < E_d < 2.6\text{ MeV}$
or $4.4 < E_d < 5.6\text{MeV}$
- $R < 650\text{cm}$
- $dR < 200\text{cm}$
- $0.5 < dt < 1000\text{us}$



preSN monitor

Number of DC events in the past 48 hr
(with likelihood selection)



Accident in the last year

**Large significance ($>5\sigma$) from calibration
(contact form SNO)**

Alarm system: process with normal data

Ishidoshiro:

We do not need stop the SN monitor.

Someone:

It is useful to process with normal process.

The monitor should be stopped. Let's use normal process with the calibration data

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Updates of system

Stop of alarm system

Not use of normal process for calibration data

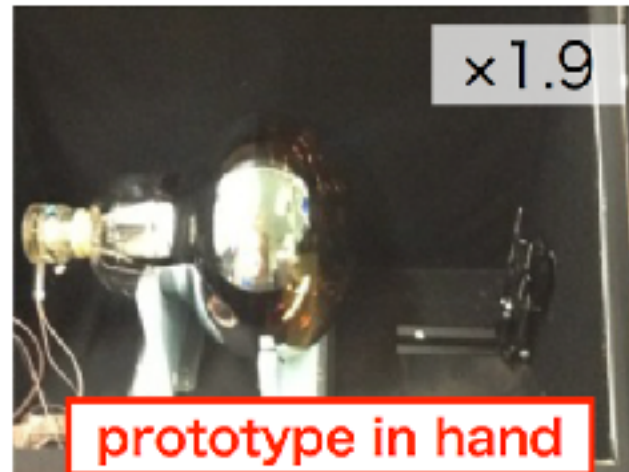
KamLAND2

Improvements of energy resolution for KL-Zen

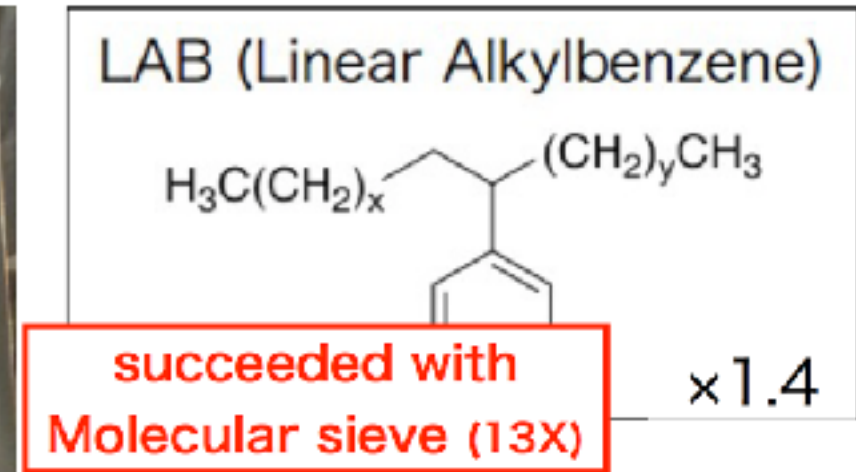
○ winston cone



○ HQE-PMT



○ New LAB-LS



Update of electronics and DAQ

Improvements for nearby SNe

Use of on-board memory and high speed readout

Improvements for n-tag efficiency due to muon

=> Reduction of 10C background for KL2-Zen

KamLAND-Zen

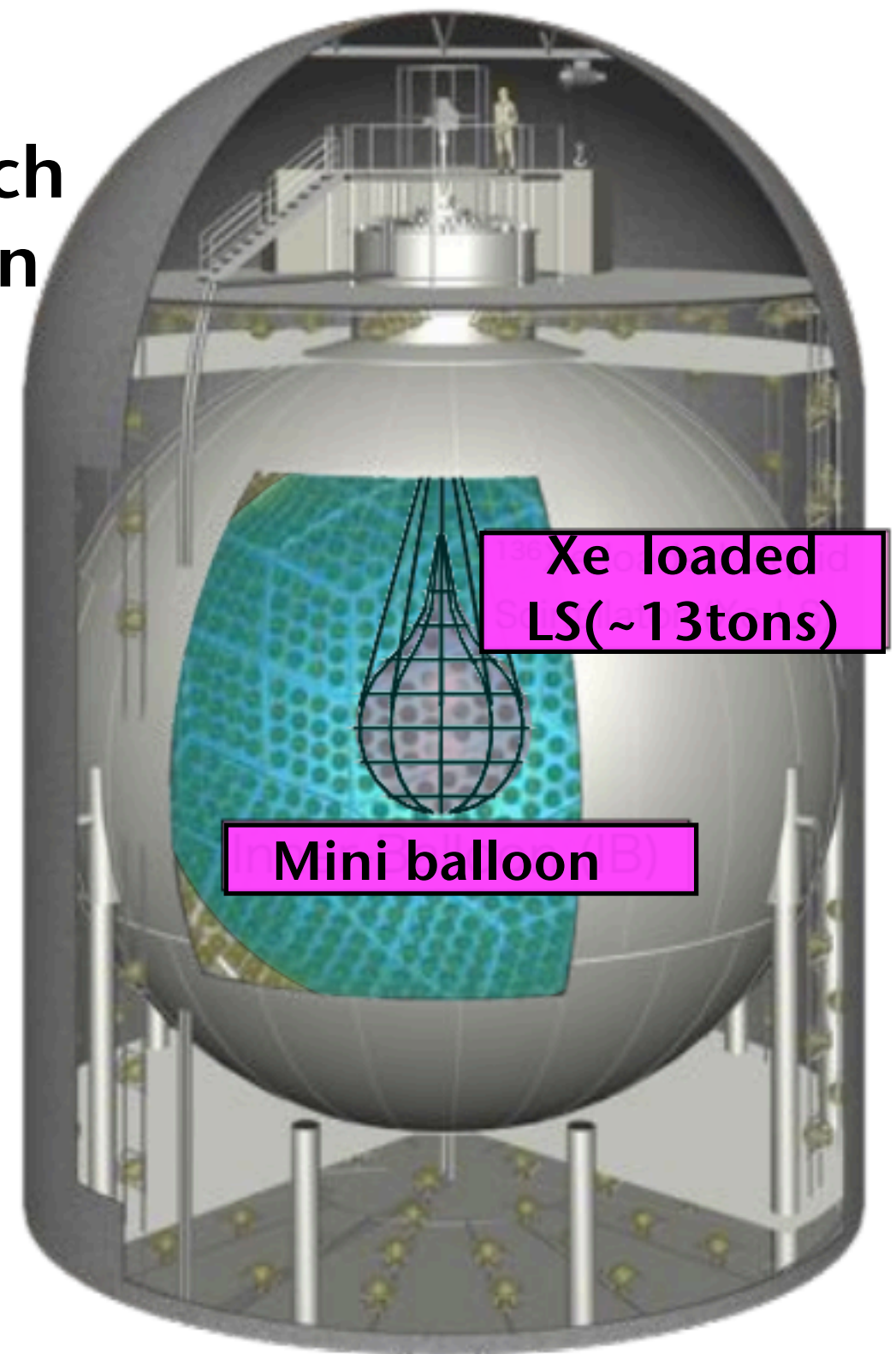


Neutrino-less Double-beta decay search
using ^{136}Xe loaded LS in a mini balloon

decane 80.2%, pseudocumene 19.8%,
PPO 2.7g/l, **Xe 2.4wt%**

Detection

- Majorana neutrino
- **Lepton number violation**
- Heavy right-handed neutrino
 - ▲ **Leptogenesis (Matter-dominated Universe)**
 - ▲ **Seesaw mechanism (light neutrino mass)**



KamLAND-Zen



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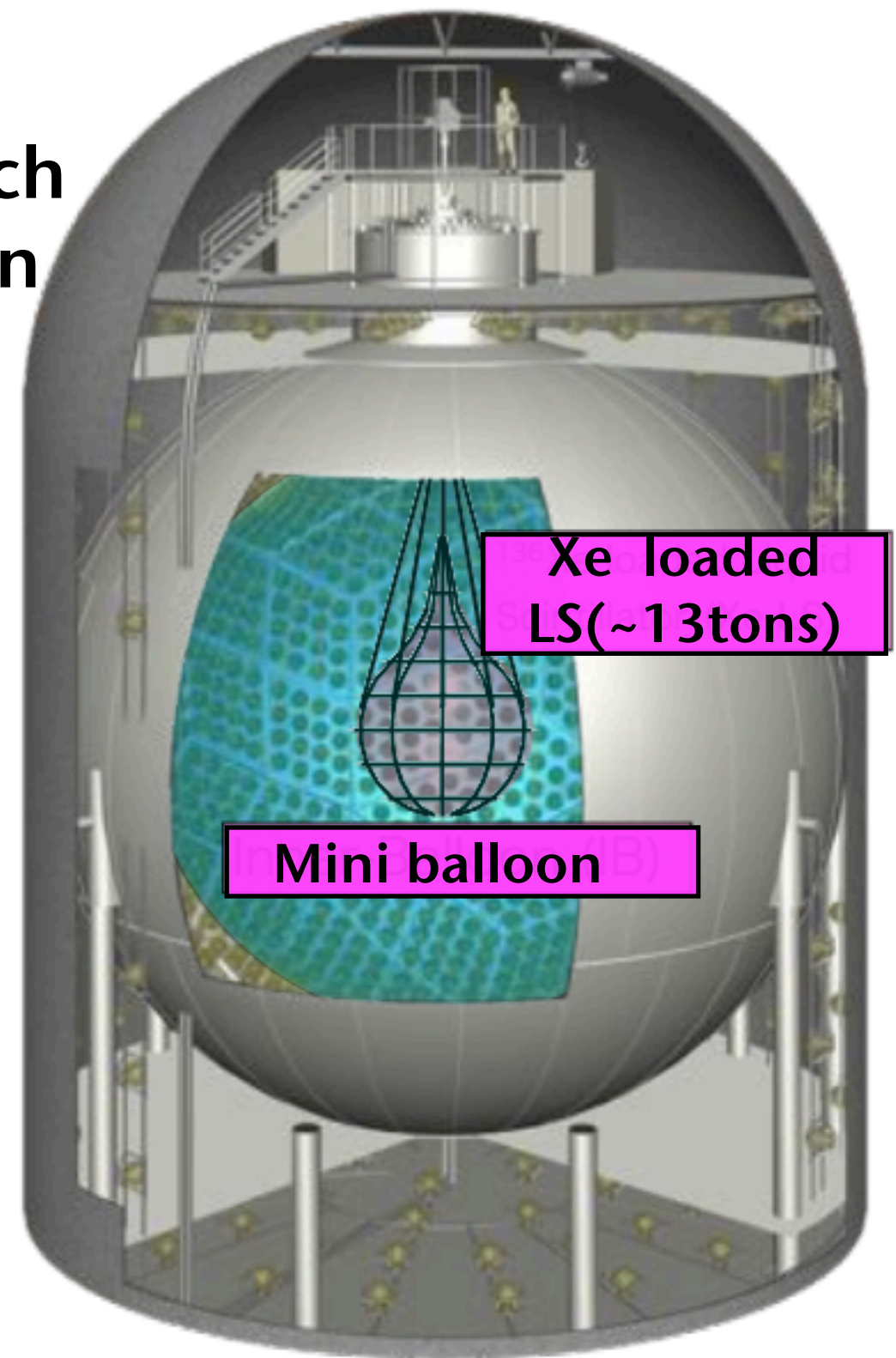
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Advantages of KamLAND-Zen

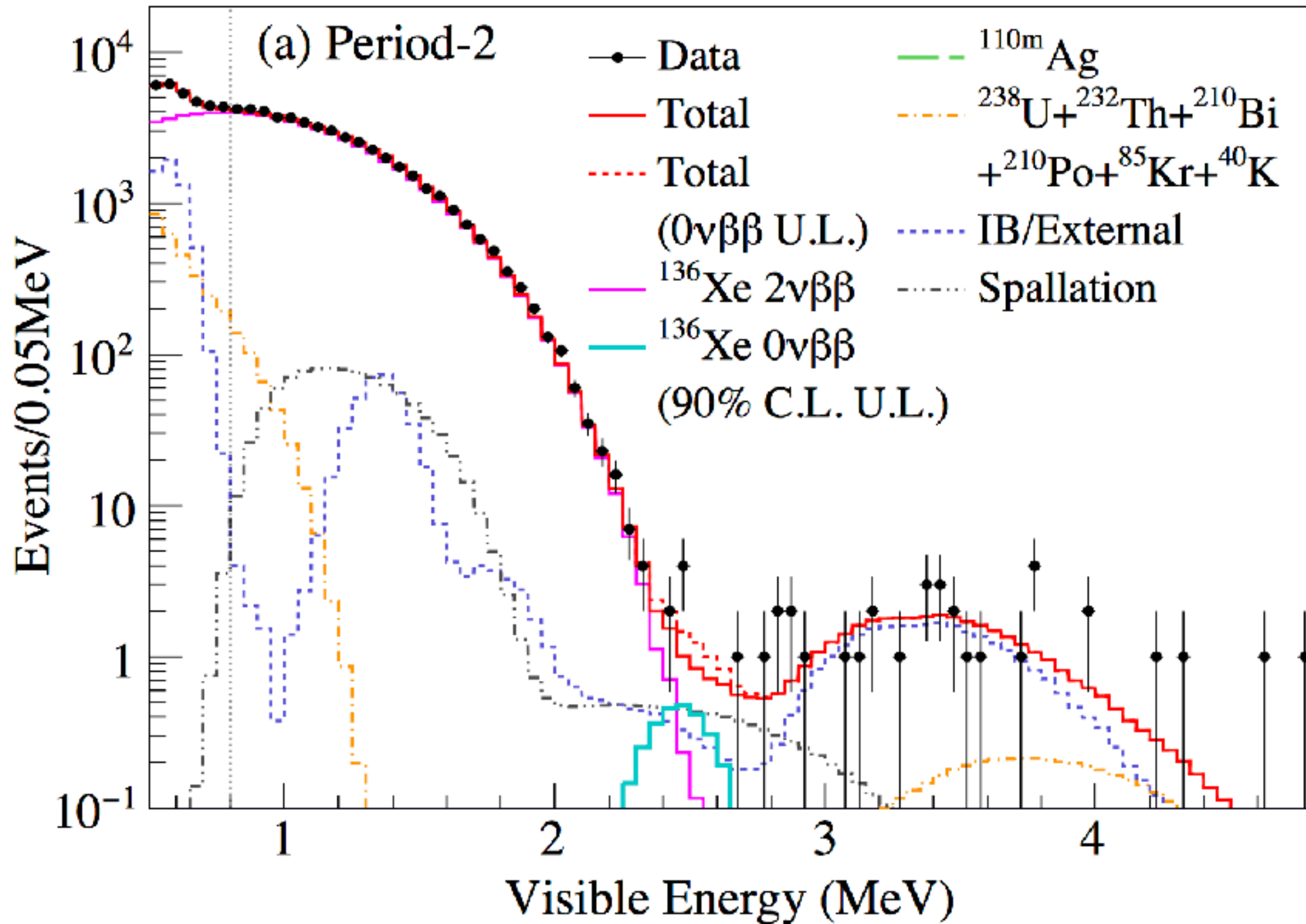
- **running detector: start quickly**
- **pure LS & 9m radius active shield**
 $U < 3.5 \times 10^{-18} \text{ g/g}$, $\text{Th} < 5.2 \times 10^{-17} \text{ g/g}$
- **high scalability**
replacement of a mini balloon
off-measurement

Why ^{136}Xe

- Good solubility to LS (**3wt%**)
- Chemically stable (easy to handle)
- Establishment of **enrichment method**
- Q-value is 2.46MeV -> **Low BG region in KamLAND**

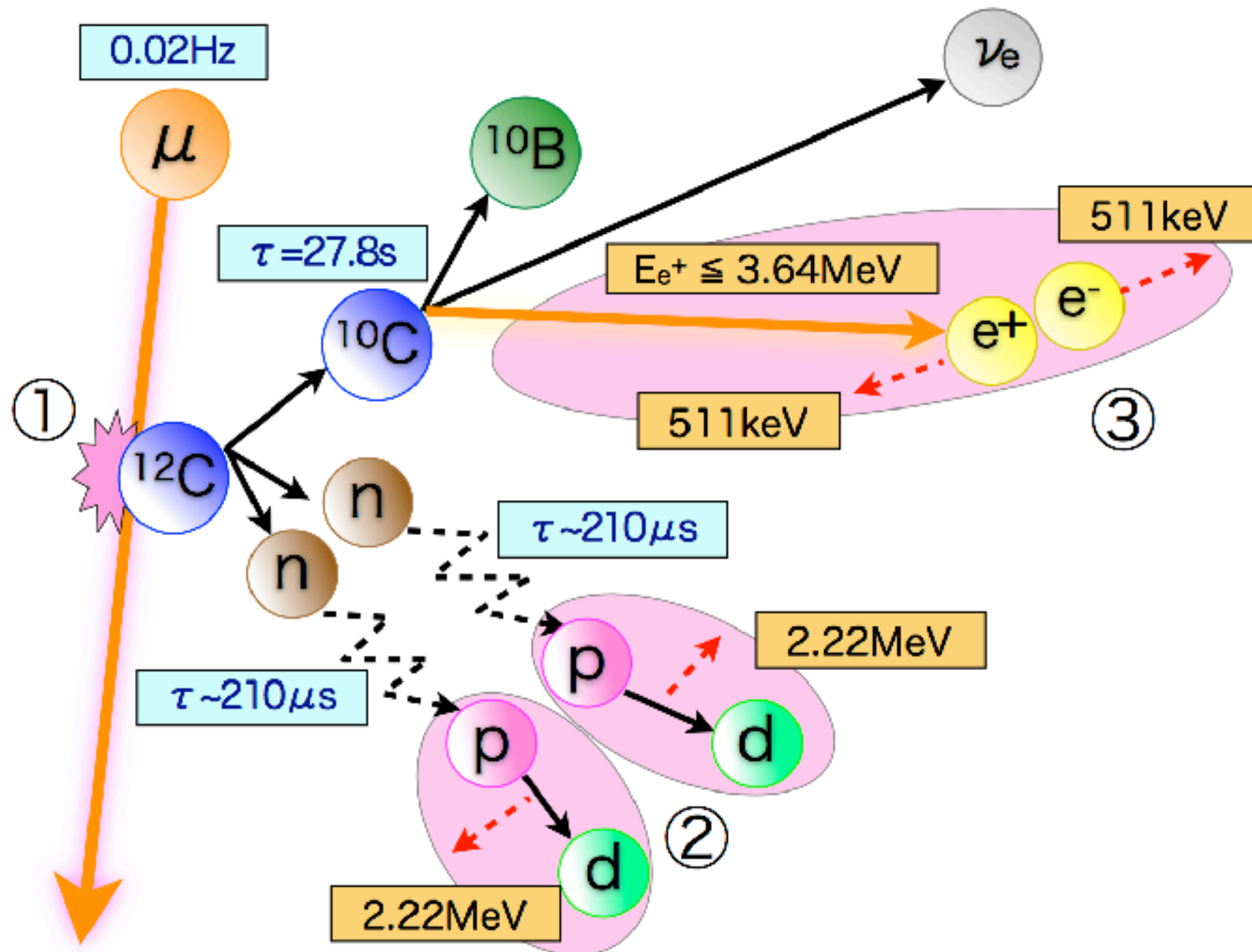


Background in KL-Zen



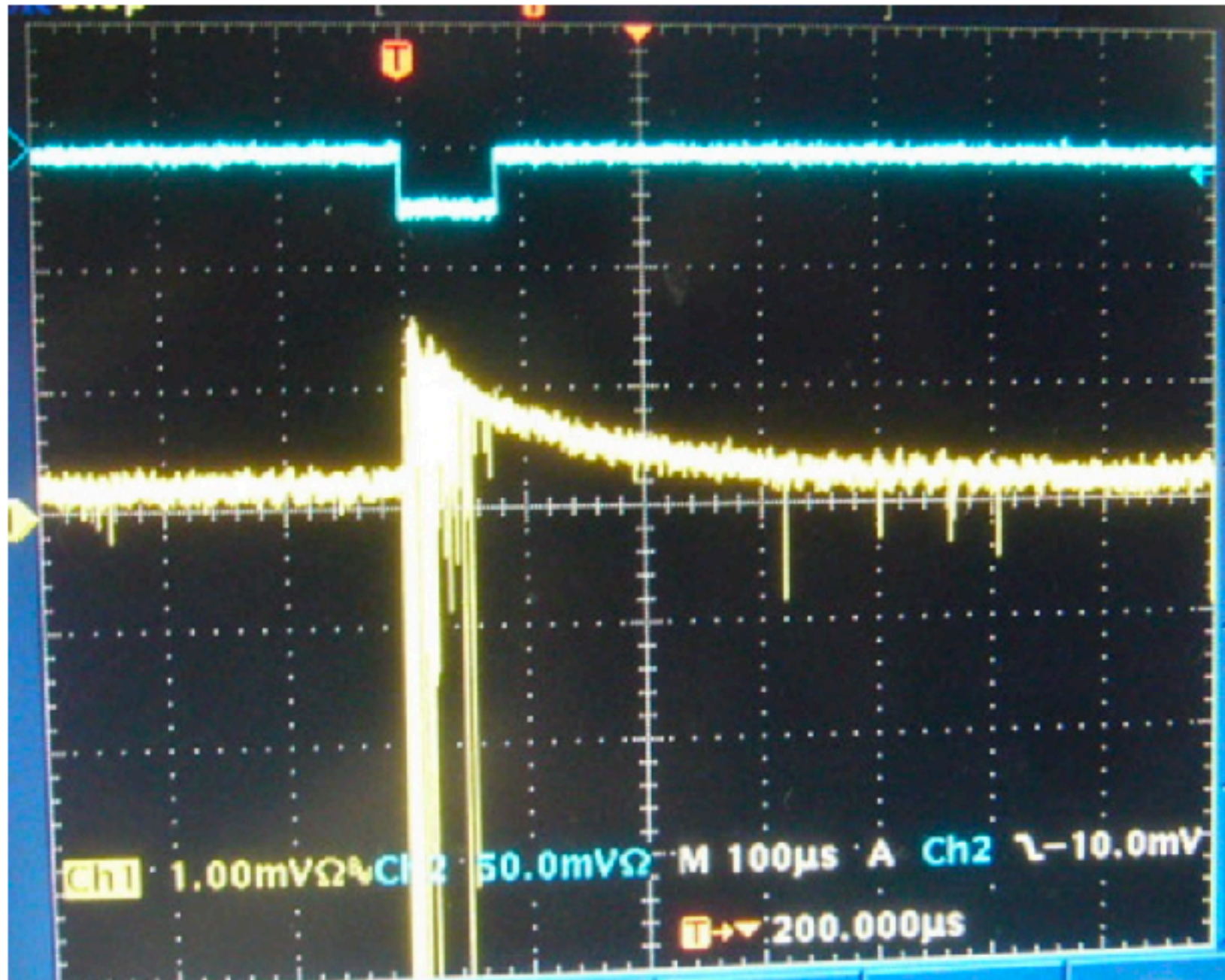
Spallation ^{10}C

^{10}C reduction: **n-tag** is a key



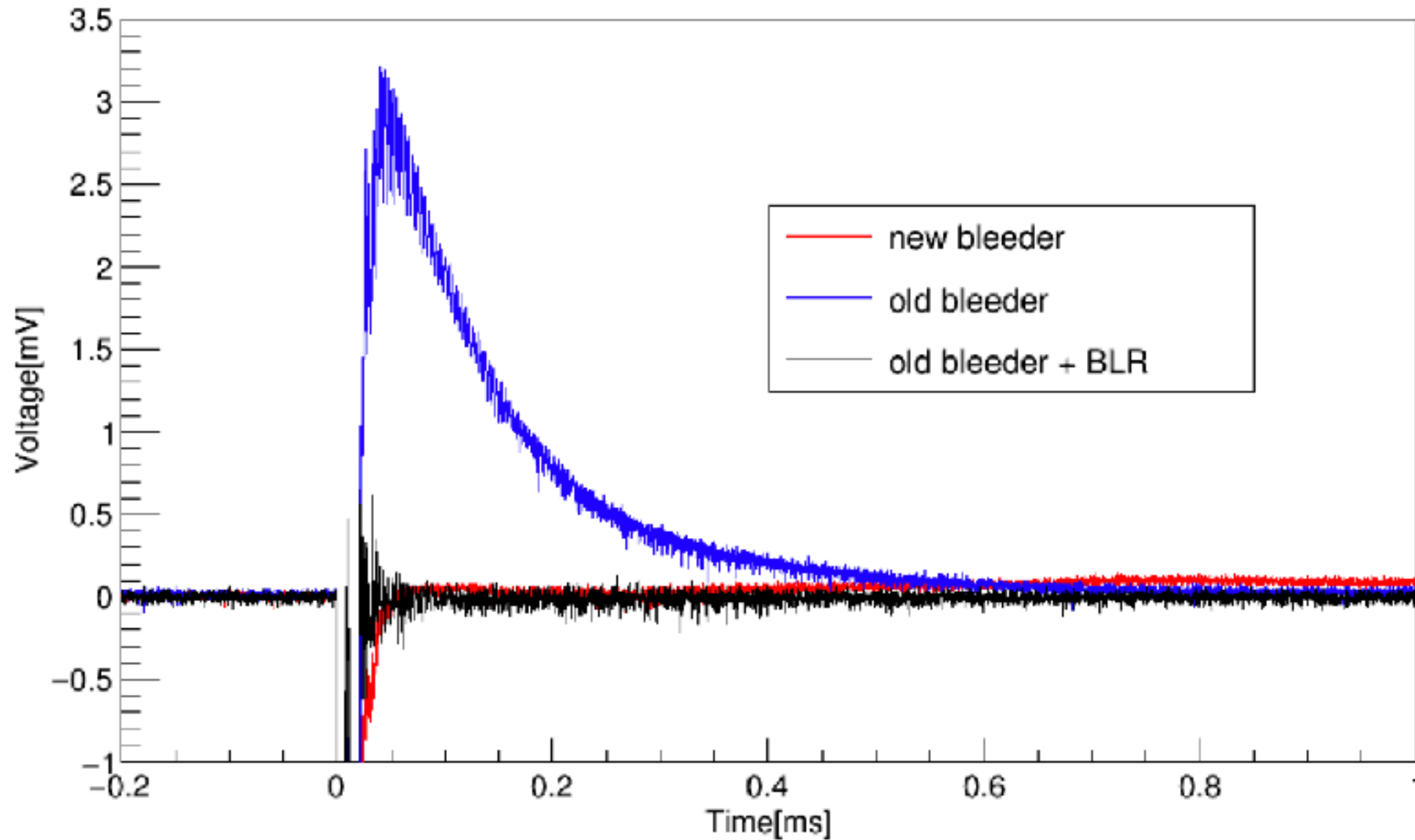
Behavior of PMT after muon

Overshoot and after pulse



Approach

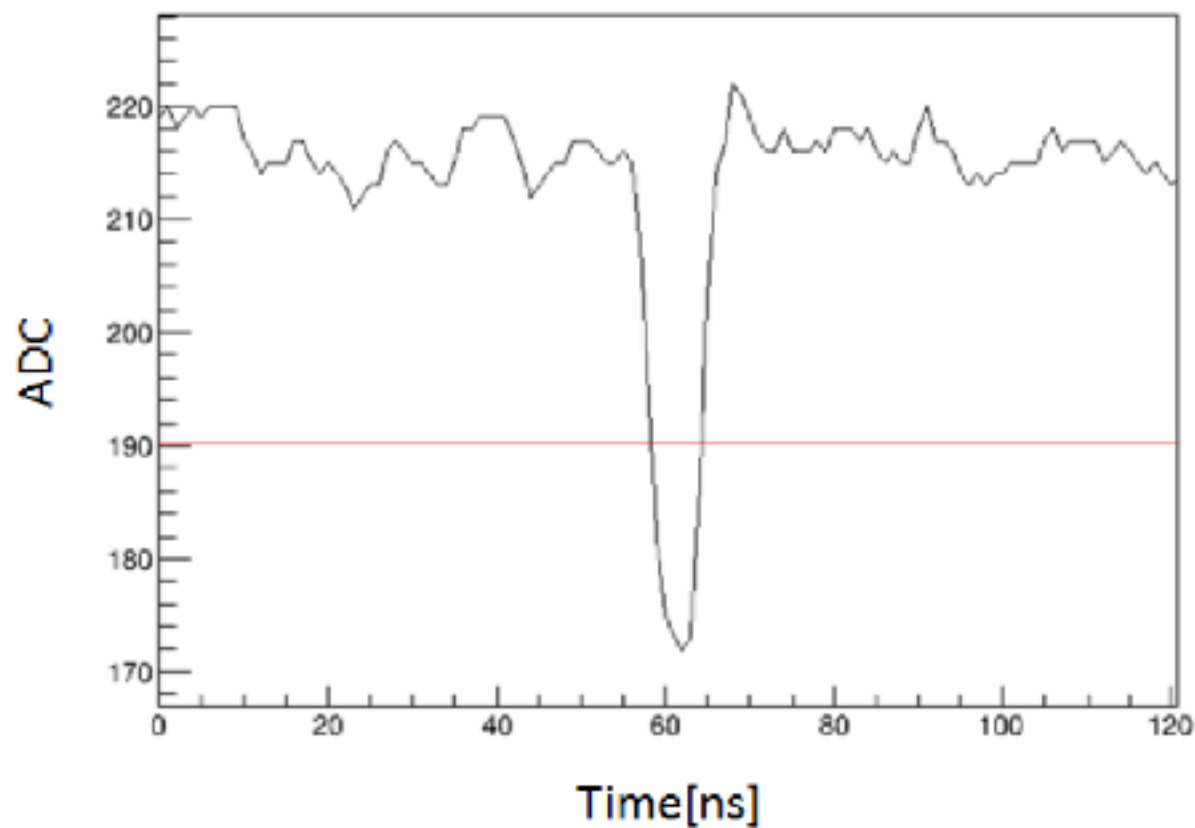
1. Update of PMT bleeder circuit



Approach

2. Differential hit detection

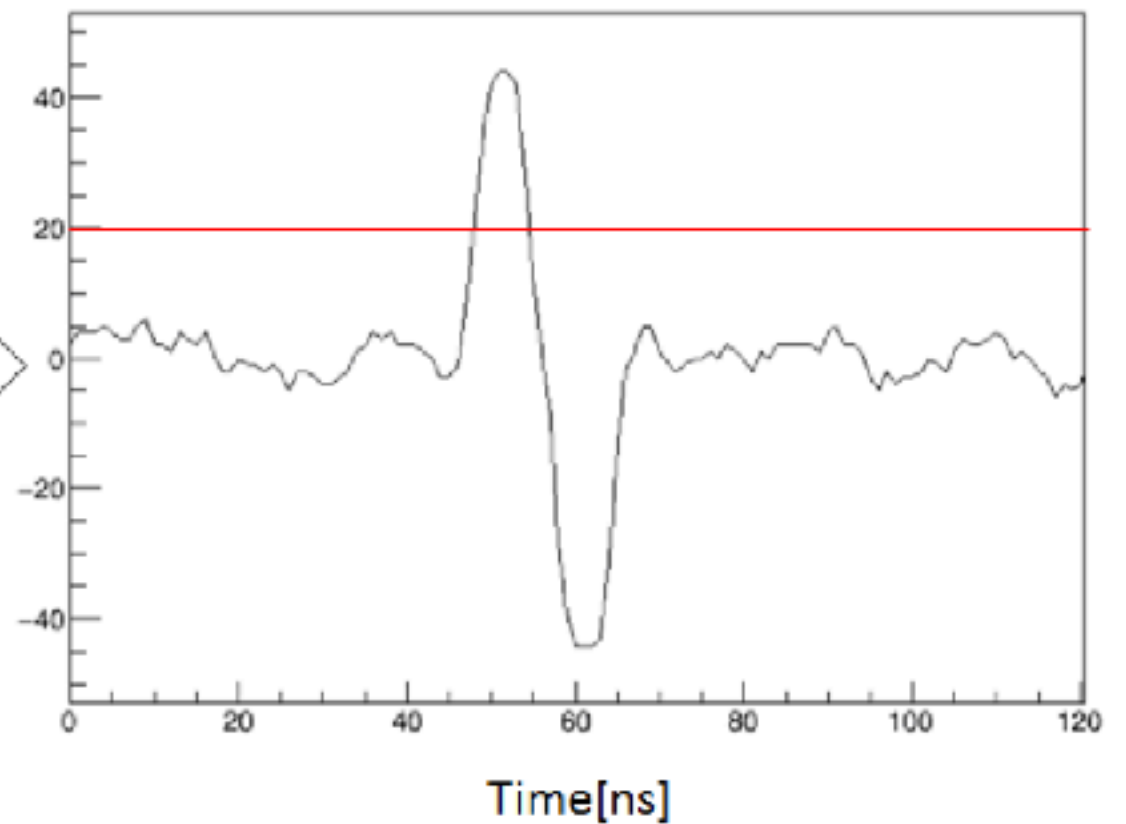
従来の判定法



微分をとる

10ns前のADC値との差

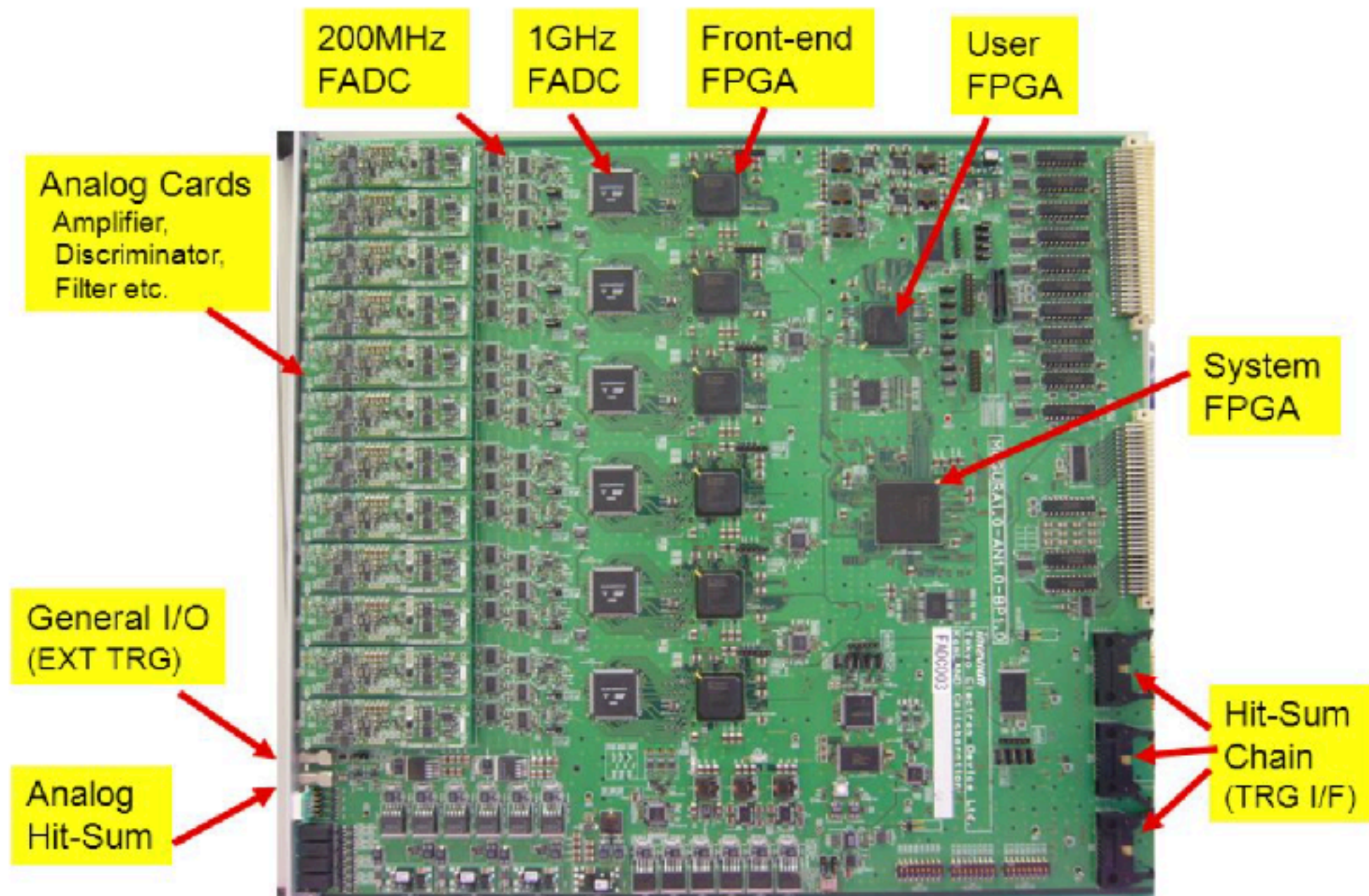
微分ヒット判定



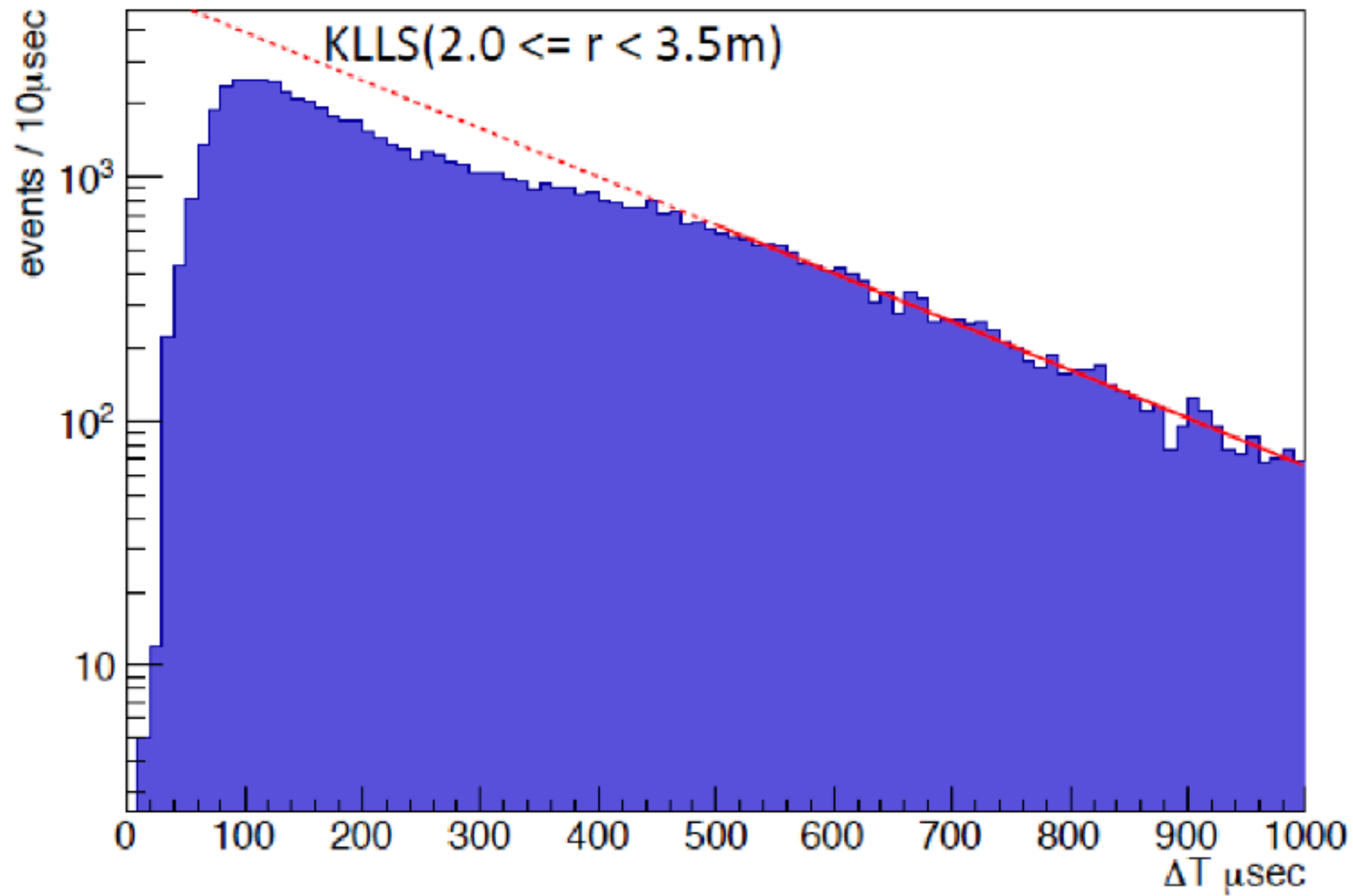
Approach

3. Use of local trigger with δt

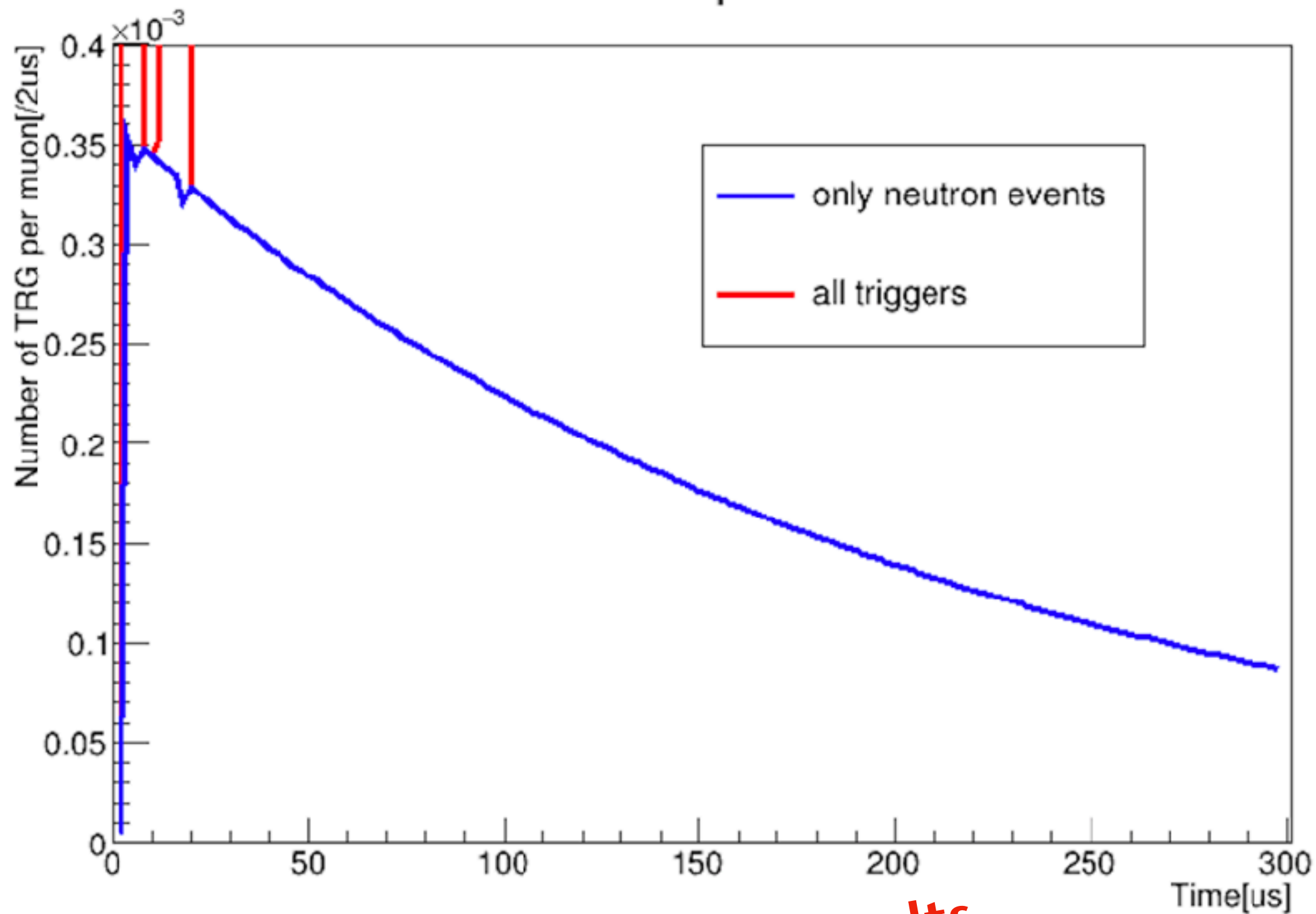
($\delta t < \Delta t$; Δt is coincidence windows for global trigger)



Current n-tag efficiency



Improvement of efficiency



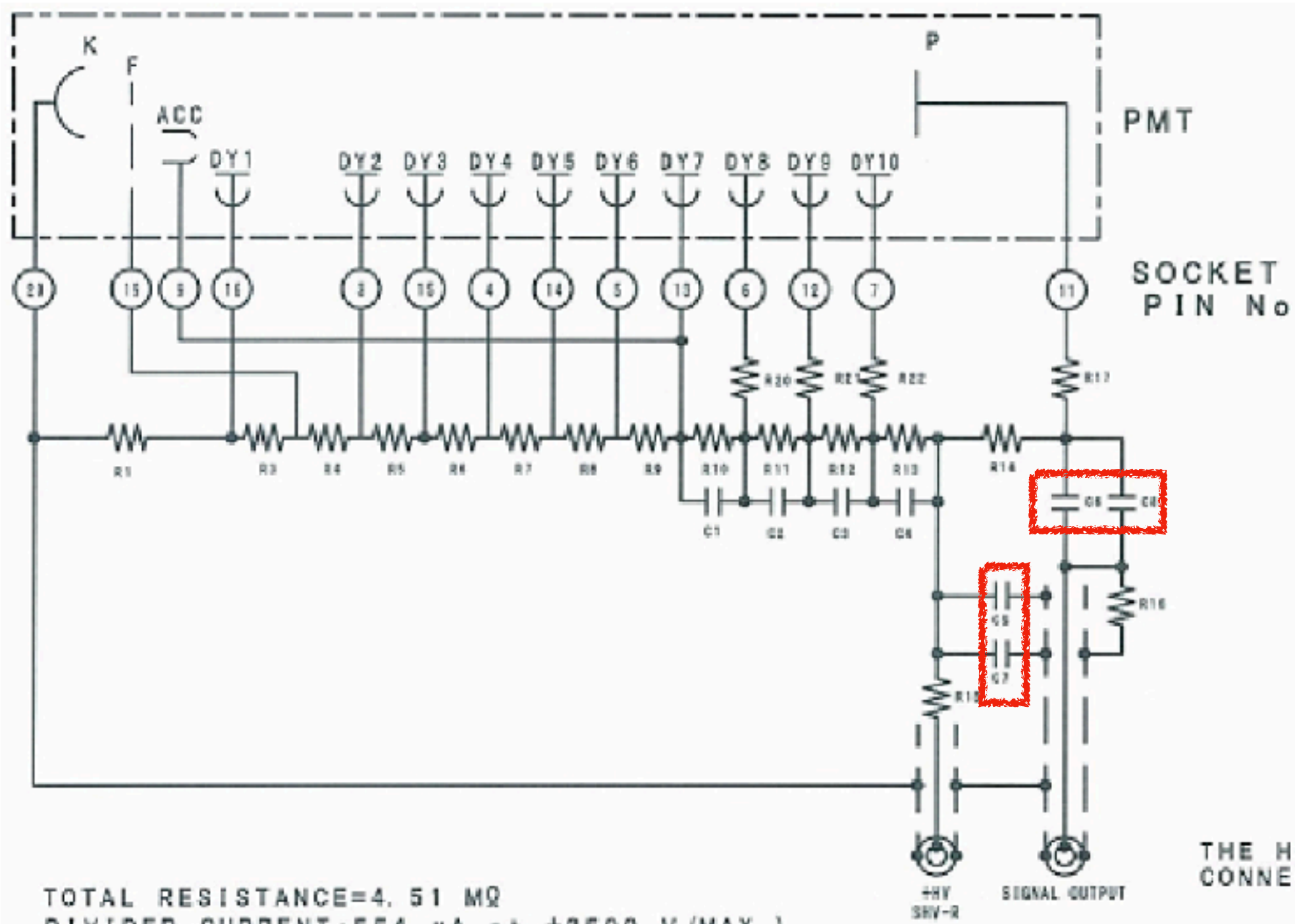
Efficiency: 95% **Preliminary results**

Summary

- SN monitor: working
- preSN monitor: update to reduce false
- **New electronics for KL2**
 - Updates for nearby SNe
 - Improvements for n-tag efficiency

Data taking will stop for the Zen balloon installation.

Data taking will continue during the SK tank open



- R1: 1.72 M Ω
- R3, R8-R13: 150 k Ω
- R4: 523 k Ω
- R5: 600 k Ω
- R6, R7: 300 k Ω
- R14: 100 k Ω
- R15: 10 k Ω
- R16, R17: 49.9 Ω
- R20-R22: 100 Ω
- C1-C4: 10 nF
- C5, C6, C7, C8: 47 nF

TOTAL RESISTANCE=4.51 M Ω
 DIVIDER CURRENT: 554 μ A at +2500 V (MAX.)
 VOLTAGE DIVIDER RATIO: 11.5-1-3.5-4-2-2-1-1-1-1-1-1

THE HOUSING IS INTERNALLY CONNECTED TO THE GND.