Germanium Detector Development GeDet



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Germanium, what for?





Expectations and Goals

Neutrinoless Double Beta Decay should be studied down to 10 meV to exclude inverted hierarchy



 1t for 5 years with
 Nature

 1 background event in 5 years

 background at 10**-5 /kg /keV /y

Dark Matter

should be studied until neutrinos are seen

1t for 5 years with a few background events at very low threshold



Background and Technology



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Segmented Point Contact Detector



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Segmented Point Contact Detector





Clearly see the crystal axes

The axes are needed as input for the Monte Carlo to simulate pulses.



Segmented Point Contact Detector





Reconstruct phi of individual events to some degrees.

Simulated pulses do not quite match, underestimate unisotropies.

Detector was turned. Cryostat problems. New cryostat ordered.





Alphas and GALATEA





Special 18+1 segmented detector



No material between source and detector

Characterize alpha events on passivated surface with American source



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Alphas



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Dead Layers



Electron Trapping



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Irreducible and nasty background, especially when meta-stable states are created.



Worth measuring



Use two standard germanium detector to see signal from neutron capture in water.

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Too much background on the surface

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Go to shallow lab in Tübingen:

MC: expect S/B of 5 ~ 6







Max-Planck-Institut für Physik (Werner-Heisenberg-Institut)

Deutsch-Chinesische-Kooperationsgruppe

Development of High Purity Germanium Detector Techniques for Applications in Fundamental Research

Finanziell unterstützt durch: Chinesisch-Deutsches Zentrum für Wissenschaftsförderung Peking, China

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 10^{-2}

GeDet

10⁻¹



10 Time Window [ms]



Upgrade the setup



Get a fast neutron detector





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Test with Neutron Source

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China Jinping Laboratory



2400m of rock 7500 mwe 60 muons /m²/y

4 x 2 labs each lab: 63.5m x 14m x 14m This is under construction - plus end-cavities.

Rock work volume of 8 x labs 130591 m ³	n
Concrete work volume 26427 m3	
Steel structure 912 T Under Way	

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Excavation started 1.11.14









Tsinghua is starting an effort to enrich ⁷⁶Ge to ~85%

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Dark Matter Germanium detectors target low mass wimps.

Projected sensitivities of CDEX



Neutrino w coherent scattering Look at reactor and beyond

CDEX 200 at CJPL



R&D

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We are looking for ways to intensify international cooperation and share information and work more effectively. Support for an Eol is growing.

US groups are interested.



[In]Famous Last Words

Germanium detectors might give us the chance to address some very fundamental

questions.





We need new detector technologies to get to the next level.

We work on detector development.

We try to evaluate future options.

After the final symposium of our cooperation at Ringberg, we are working on future network for R & D.



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