

Analysis of ^{102}Tc , ^{104}Tc , ^{105}Tc , ^{106}Tc , ^{107}Tc , ^{105}Mo and ^{101}Nb measurements



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High priority request list

Radionuclide	Priority	Radionuclide	Priority	Radionuclide	Priority
35-Br-86	1	41-Nb-99	1	52-Te-135	2
35-Br-87	1	41-Nb-100	1	53-I-136	1
35-Br-88	1	41-Nb-101	1	53-I-136m	1
36-Kr-89	1	41-Nb-102	2	53-I-137	1
36-Kr-90	1	42-Mo-103	1	54-Xe-137	1
37-Rb-90m	2	42-Mo-105	1	54-Xe-139	1
37-Rb-92	2	43-Tc-102	1	54-Xe-140	1
38-Sr-89	2	43-Tc-103	1	55-Cs-142	3
38-Sr-97	2	43-Tc-104	1	56-Ba-145	2
39-Y-96	2	43-Tc-105	1	57-La-143	2
40-Zr-99	3	43-Tc-106	1	57-La-145	2
40-Zr-100	2	43-Tc-107	2		
41-Nb-98	1	51-Sb-132	1		

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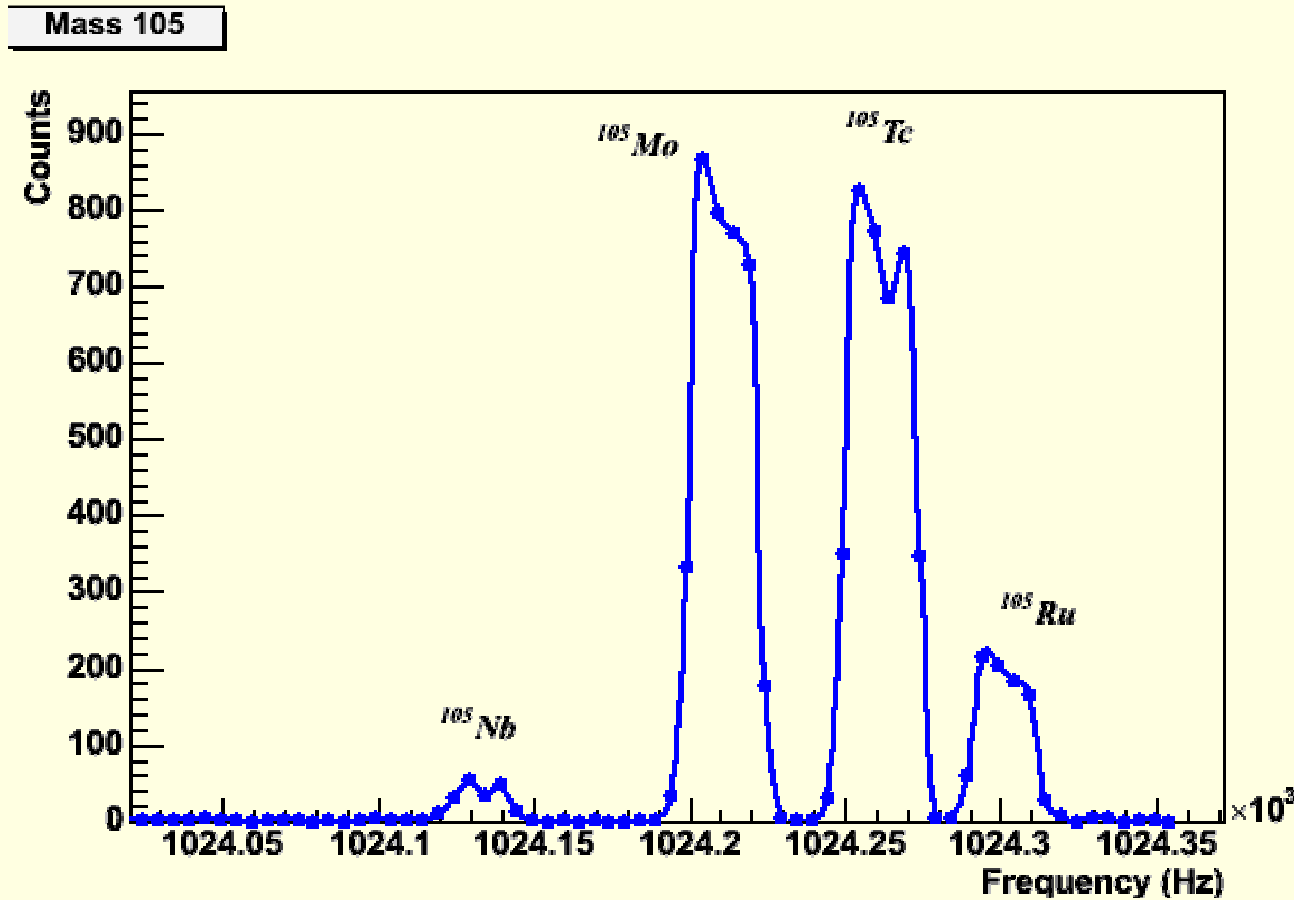
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The experiment

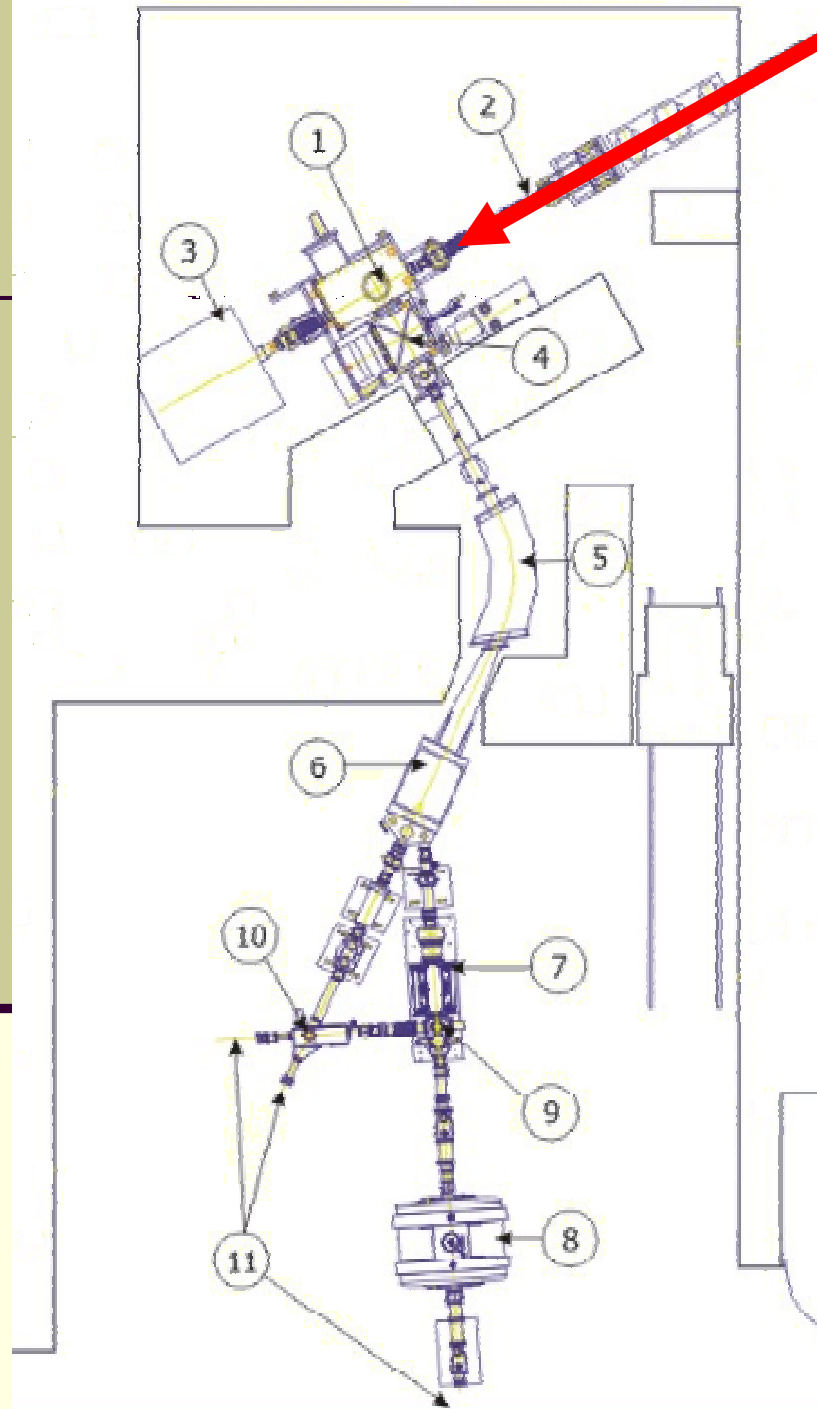
- *Ion Guide Isotope Separator On-Line (IGISOL)* facility, University of Jyväskylä (Finland).
- Use of the *JFL TRAP* as a high resolution separator (first time that this kind of setup was used combined with a TAS)

JFLTRAP mass resolution



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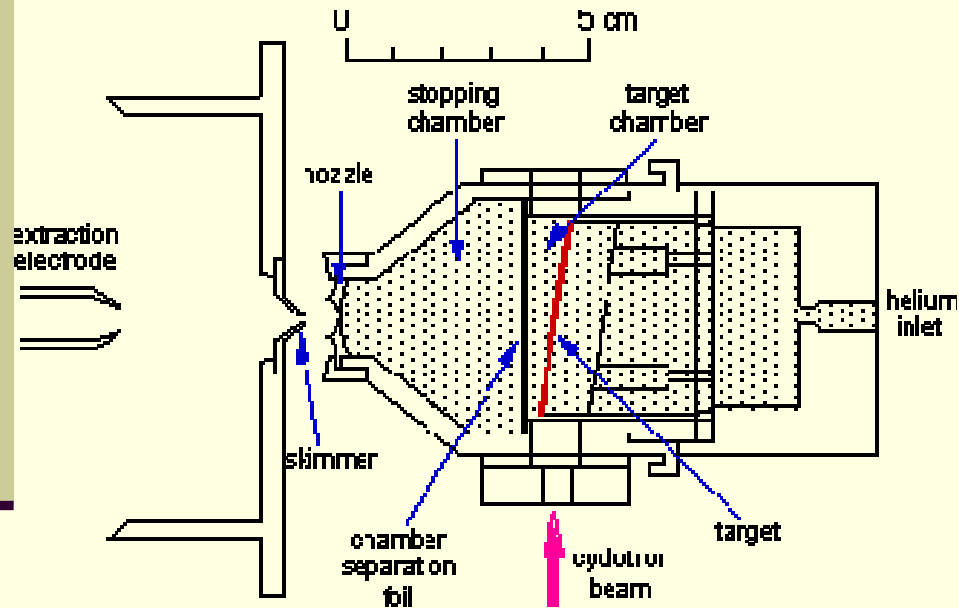
IGISOL layout



- 1) Ion guide
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Some details...

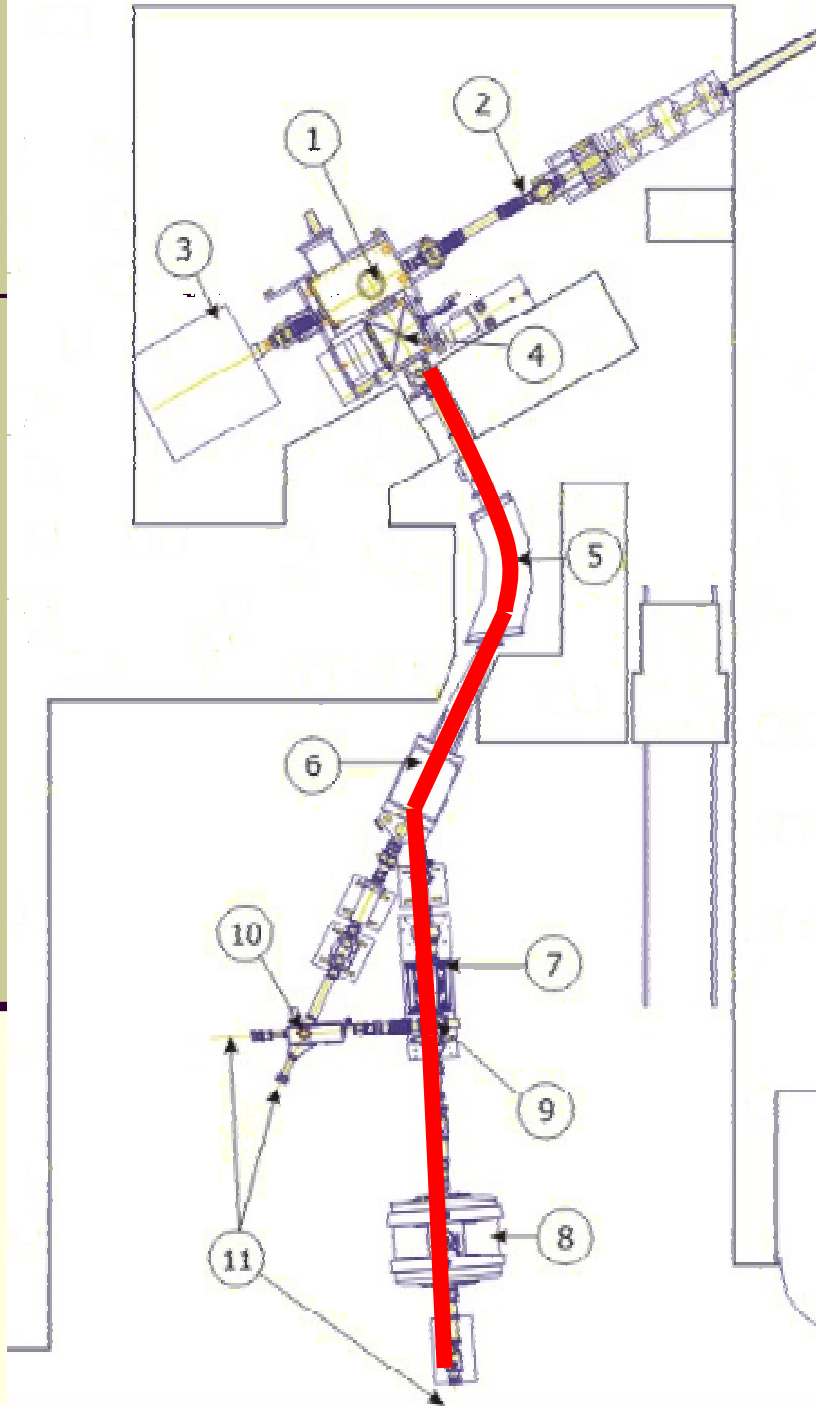


- Fission Ion guide: 2700 ions/s per mb, eff. of 1.6×10^{-4} relative to the production in the target

Details of our experiment:

- Beam: 30 MeV proton ($4 \mu\text{A}$)
- Target: natural U
- Target thickness: 15 mg/cm^2
- Target dimensions: $10 \times 50 \text{ mm}$, tilted 7 degrees

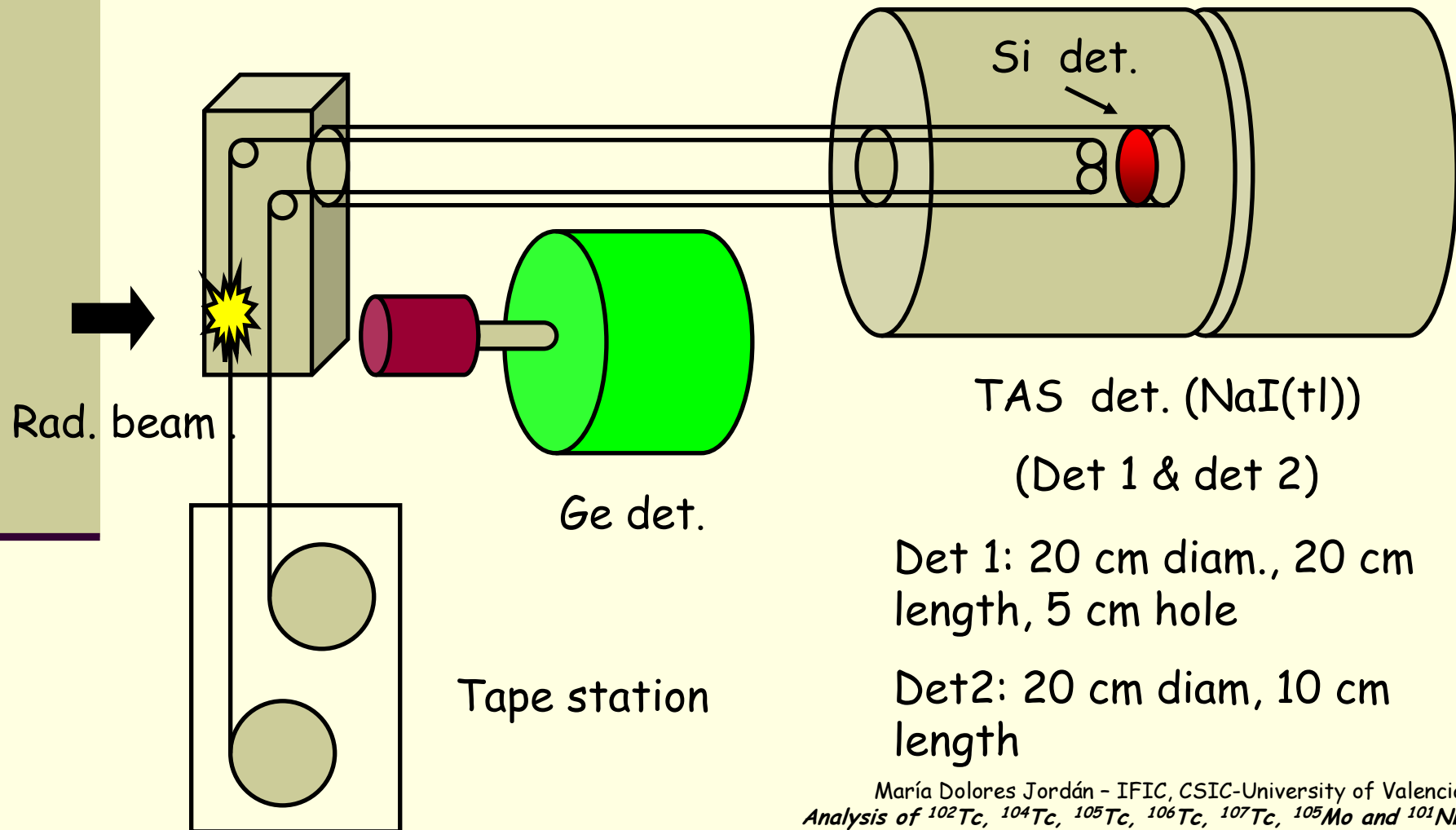
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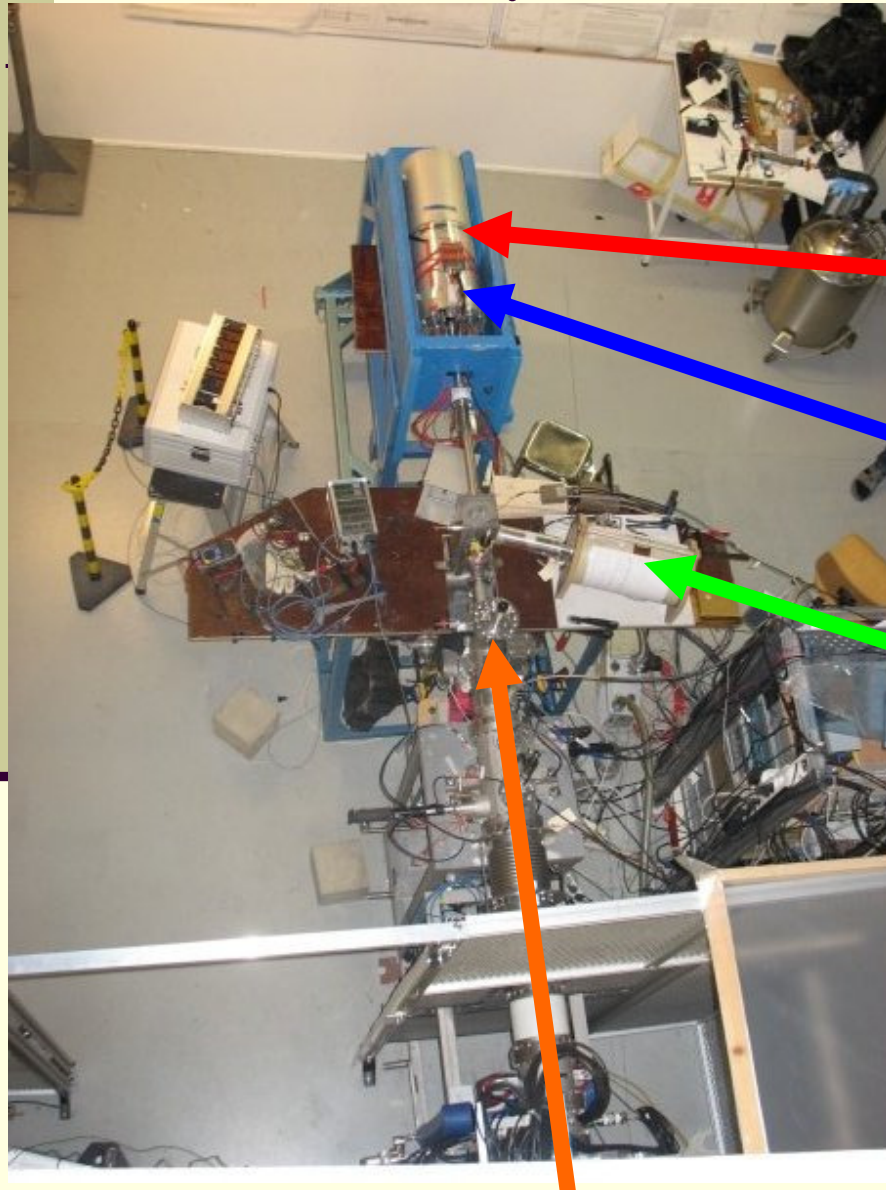
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Silicon detector
(inside TAS)

TAGS detector

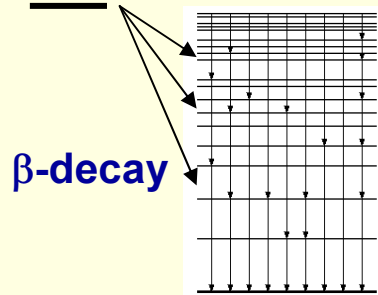
Germanium detector

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Analysis of the data



$$d_i = \sum_j R_{ij} f_j \quad \text{or} \quad \mathbf{d} = \mathbf{R} \cdot \mathbf{f}$$

R is the response function of the spectrometer,
 R_{ij} means the probability that feeding at a level j
gives counts in data channel i of the spectrum

- Level scheme:
 - For low energies: high resolution measurements from databases
 - For unknown part: statistical model (level densities, strength function)
- Response for β and γ : Monte Carlo simulation

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■ Analysis techniques:

- J.L. Taín, D. Cano-Ott, Nucl. Instr. And Meth. A 571 (2007) 728
- D. Cano-Ott, J.L. Taín, A. Gadea, B. Rubio, L. Batist, M. Karny, E. Roeckl, Nucl. Instr. And Meth. A 430 (1999) 333

Expectation Maximization (EM) method:
• modify knowledge on causes from effects

$$P(f_j | d_i) = \frac{P(d_i | f_j)P(f_j)}{\sum_j P(d_i | f_j)P(f_j)}$$

Algorithm:

$$f_j^{(s+1)} = \frac{1}{\sum_i R_{ij}} \sum_i \frac{R_{ij} f_j^{(s)} d_i}{\sum_k R_{ik} f_k^{(s)}}$$

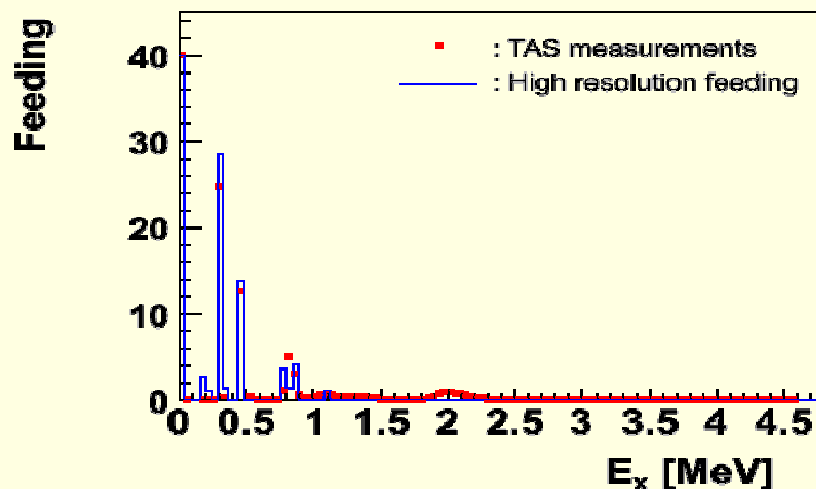
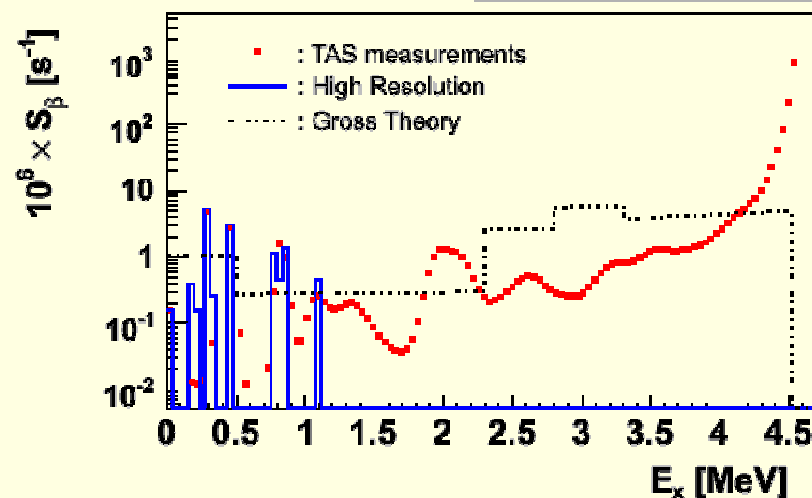
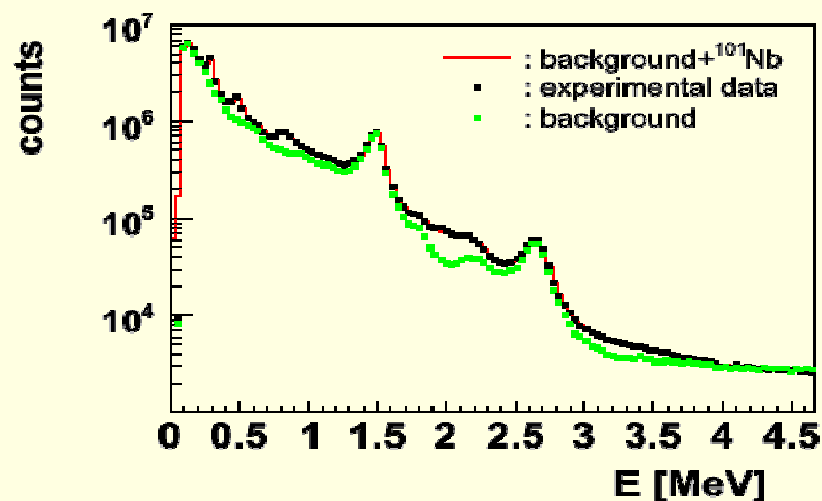
Some relevant data

Isotope	$T_{1/2}$ [s]	Q_{β} [keV]	Predicted number of levels	Beta intensity to g.s. [%] (HR)	g.s. J^{π} (Parent) (HR)	g.s. J^{π} (Daughter) (HR)
^{101}Nb	7.1(3)	4569(18)	4537	40 (13.5 keV)	(5/2 ⁺)	1/2 ⁺
^{102}Tc	5.28(15)	4532(9)	372	92.9	1 ⁺	0 ⁺
^{104}Tc	1098(18)	5516(6)	2030	----	(3 ⁺)	0 ⁺
^{105}Tc	456(6)	3746(6)	1769	<9	(3/2 ⁻)	3/2 ⁺
^{105}Mo	35.6(16)	4950(50)	82058	<4	(5/2 ⁻)	(3/2 ⁻)
^{106}Tc	35.6(6)	6547(11)	68358	----	(1,2)	0 ⁺
^{107}Tc	21.2(2)	4820(90)	44572	22	(3/2 ⁻)	(5/2 ⁺)

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Results for ^{101}Nb

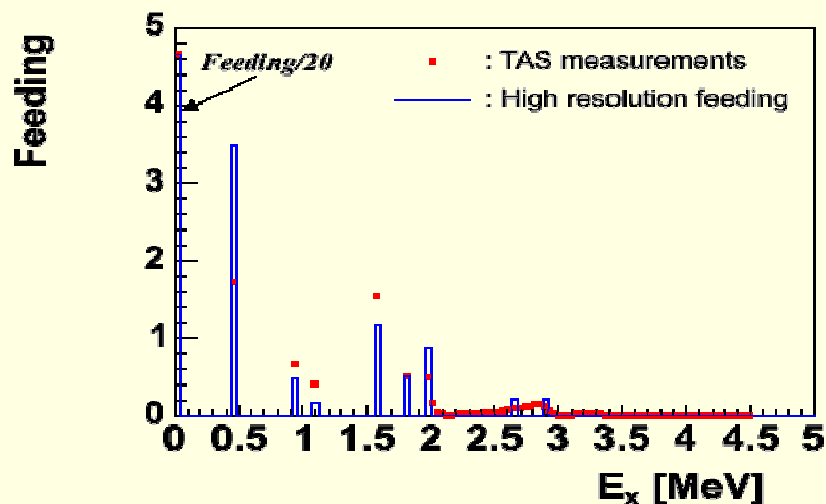
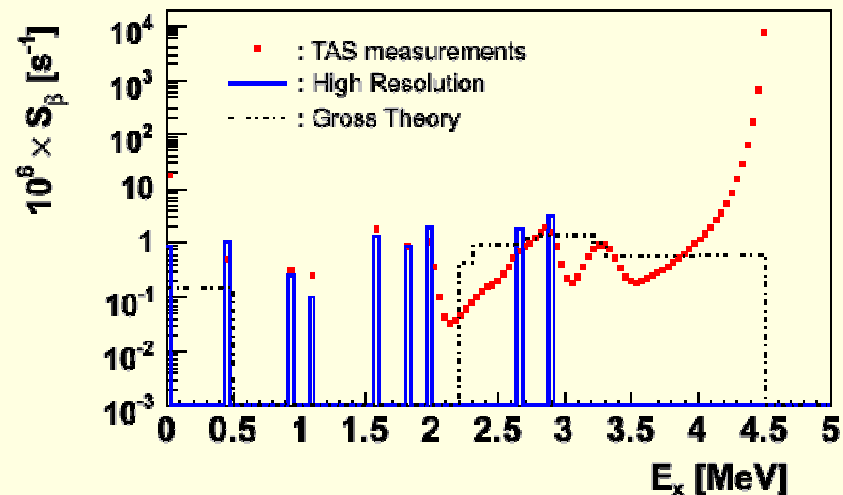
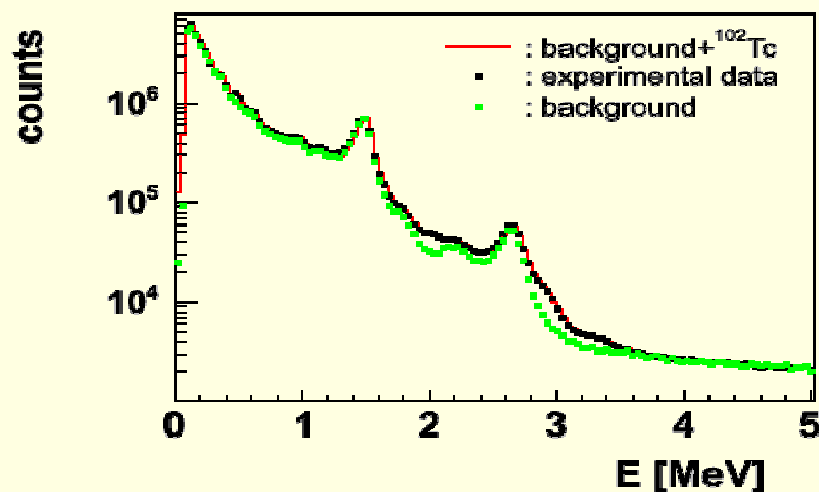


Assumptions:

- ✓ Last known level, 479.78 keV ($Q_\beta = 4569$ keV)
- ✓ Start unknown part, 520 keV
- ✓ g.s.(p) = $5/2^+$ & g.s.(d) = $1/2^+$
- ✓ 13.5 keV level feeding fixed to 40%

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Results for ^{102}Tc



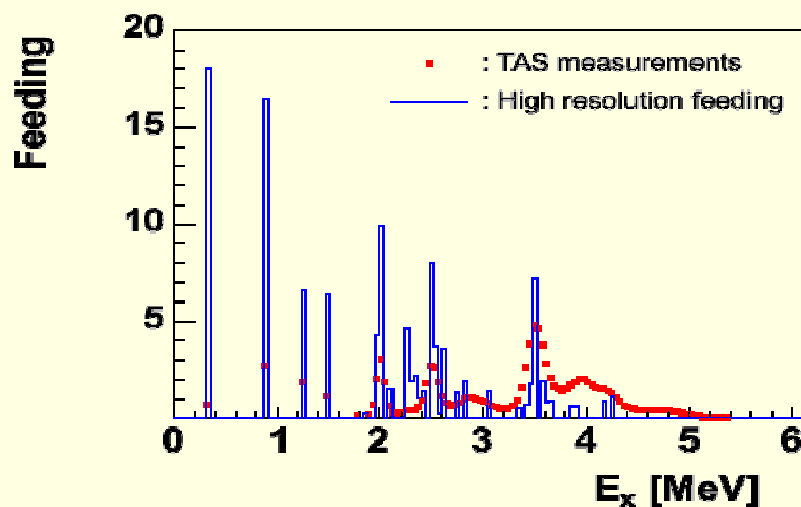
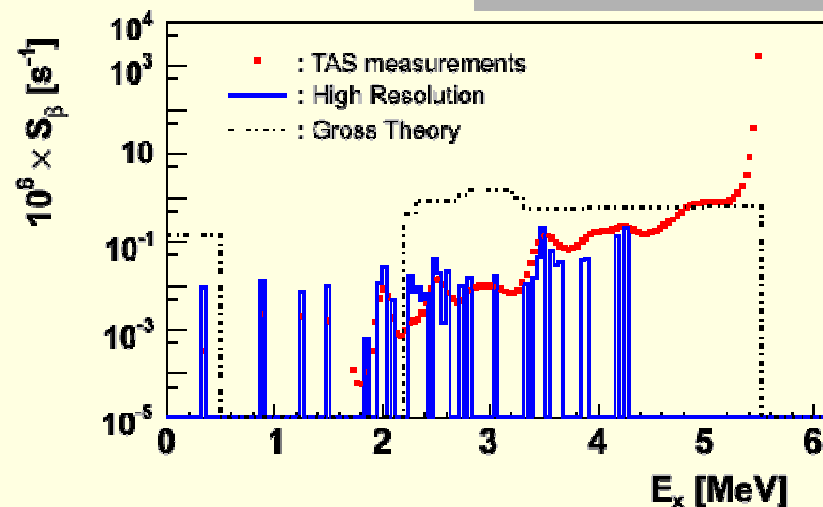
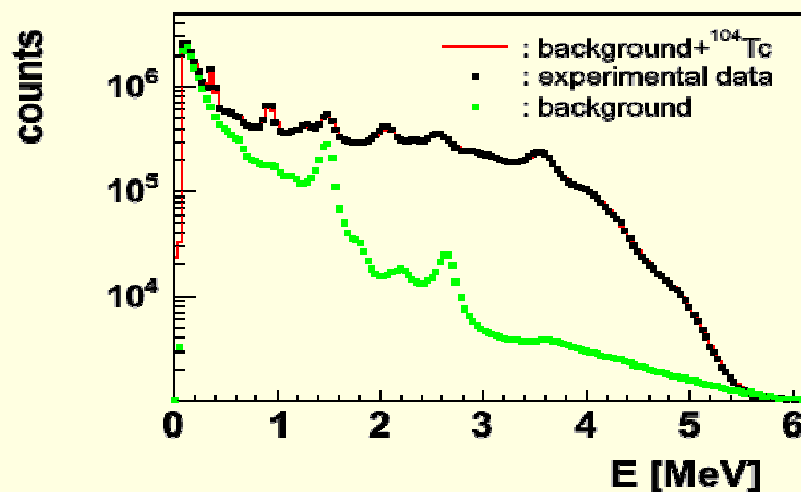
Low production \rightarrow ^{102}Tc obtained from ^{102}Mo
 2 contamination sources: ^{102}Mo + background

Assumptions:

- ✓ Last known level, 1873.2 keV ($Q_{\beta} = 4532$ keV)
- ✓ Start unknown part, 1960 keV
- ✓ g.s.(p) = 1^+ & g.s.(d) = 0^+
- ✓ g.s. feeding fixed to 92.9 %

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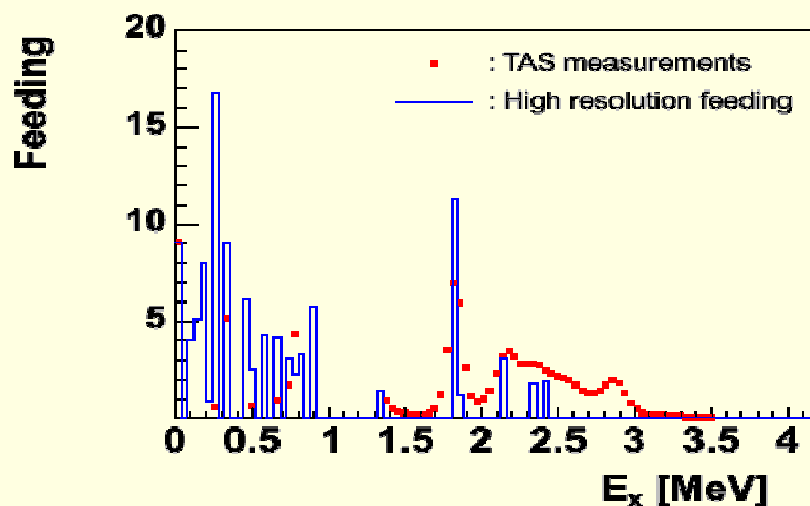
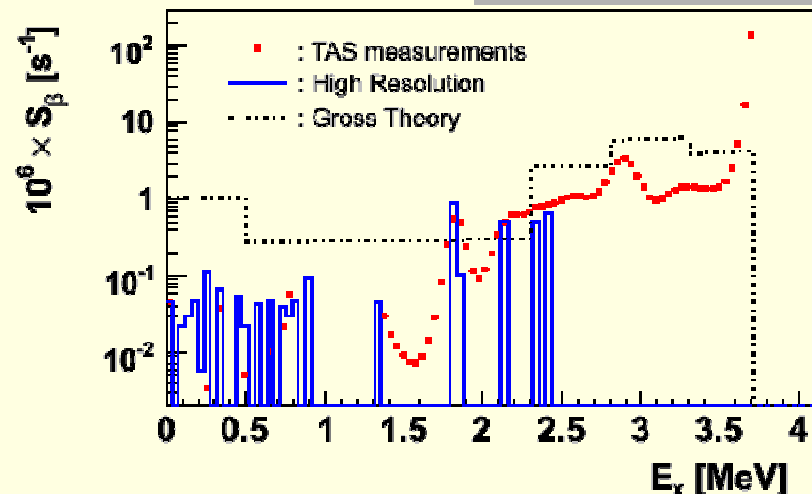
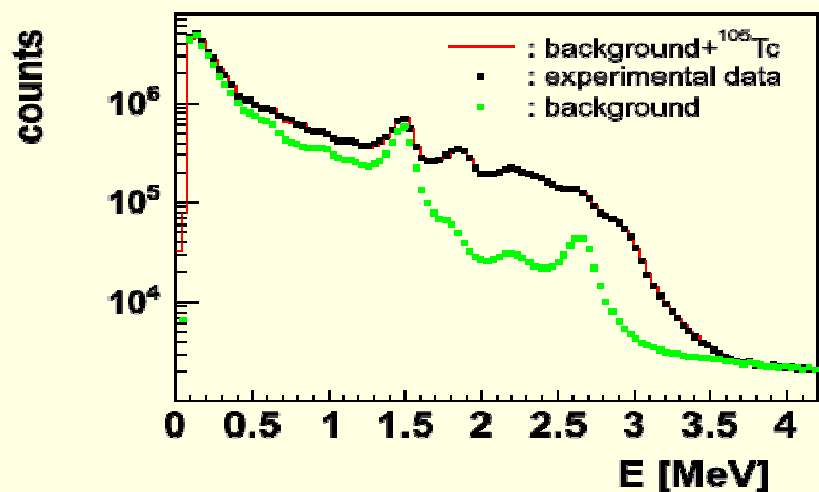
Results for ^{104}Tc



Assumptions:

- ✓ Last known level, 1515.4 keV ($Q_\beta = 5516$ keV)
- ✓ Start unknown part, 1720 keV
- ✓ g.s.(p) = 3^+ & g.s.(d) = 0^+

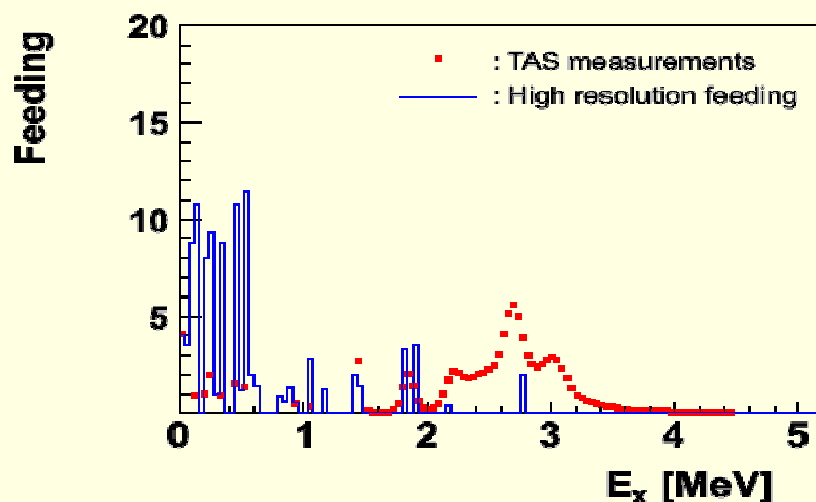
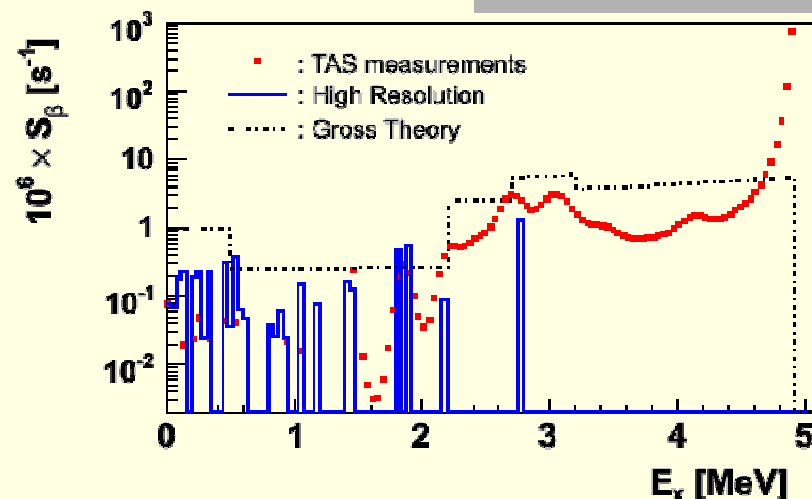
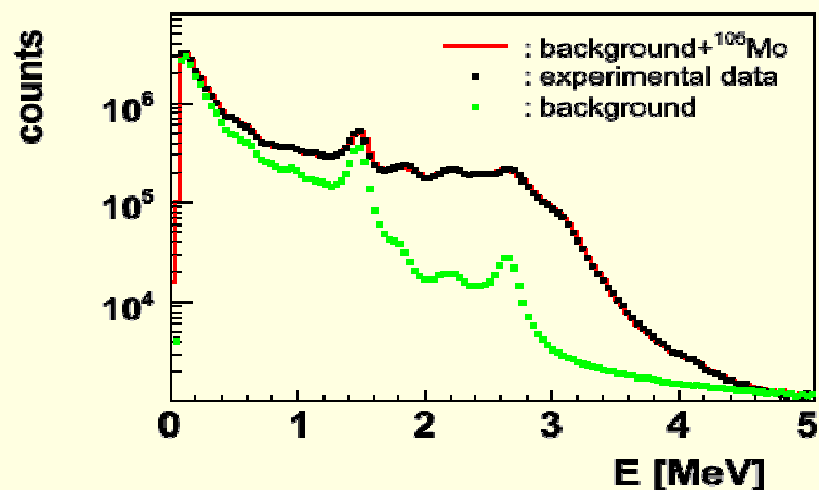
Results for ^{105}Tc



Assumptions:

- ✓ Last known level, 1325.5 keV ($Q_{\beta} = 3746$ keV)
- ✓ Start unknown part, 1360 keV
- ✓ g.s.(p) = $3/2^-$ & g.s.(d) = $3/2^+$
- ✓ g.s. feeding fixed to 9 %

Results for ^{105}Mo

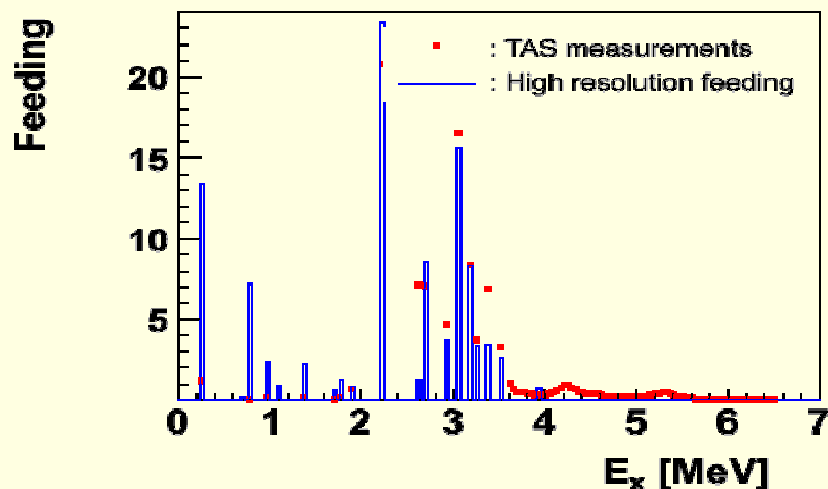
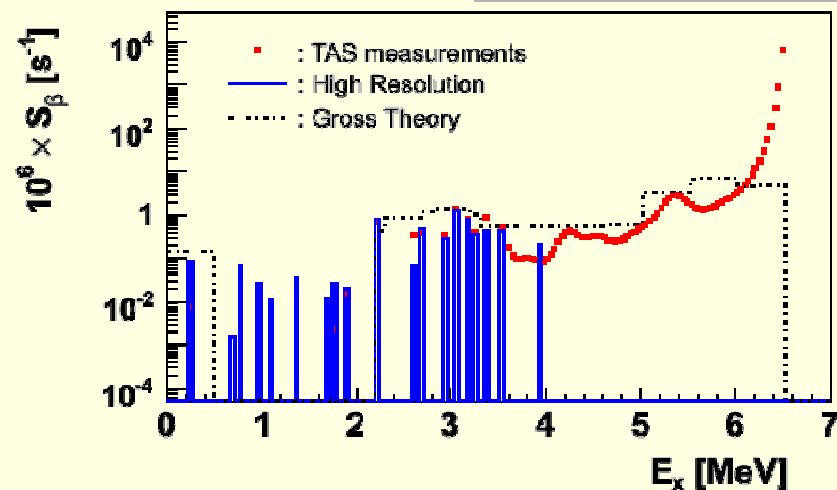
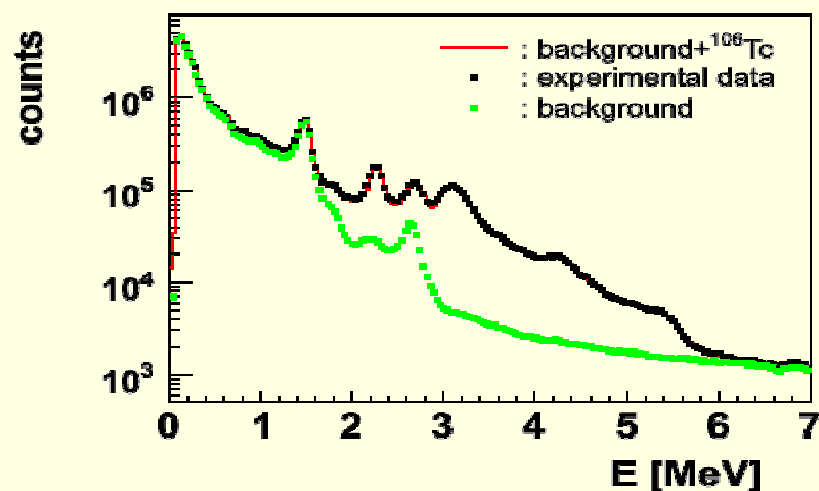


Assumptions:

- ✓ Last known level, 1476.37 keV ($Q_\beta = 4950$ keV)
- ✓ Start unknown part, 1520 keV
- ✓ g.s.(p) = $5/2^-$ & g.s.(d) = $3/2^-$
- ✓ g.s. feeding fixed to 4 %

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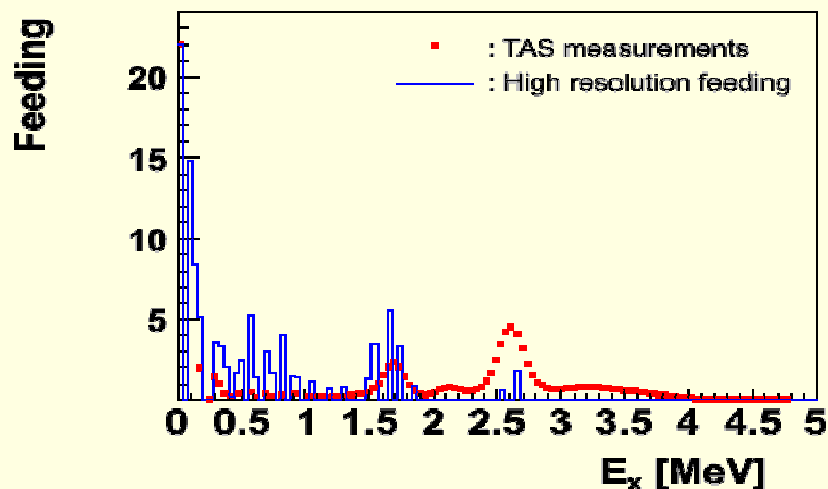
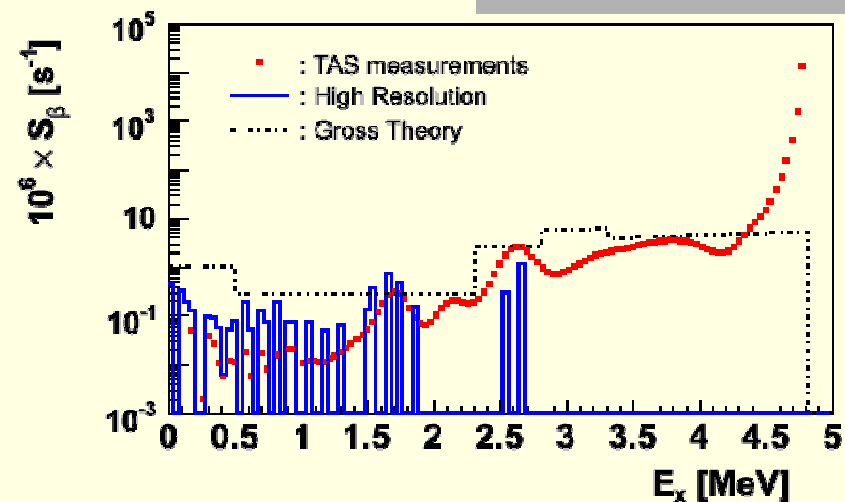
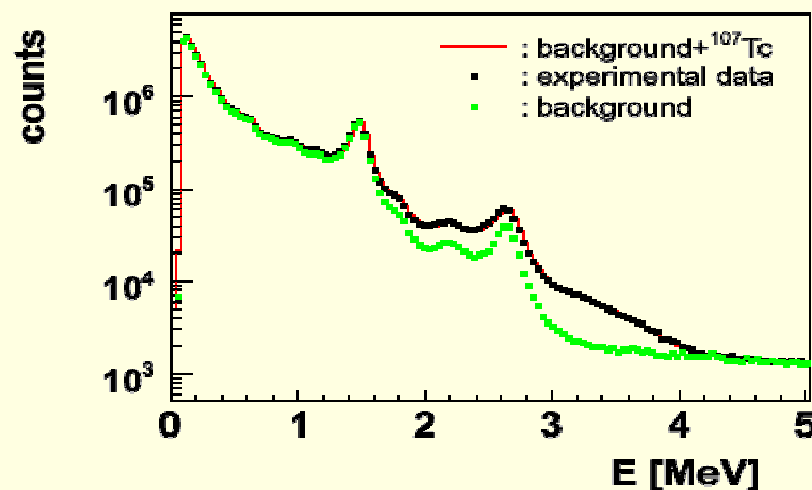
Results for ^{106}Tc



Assumptions:

- ✓ Last known level, 3550.98 keV ($Q_\beta = 6547$ keV)
- ✓ Start unknown part, 3600 keV
- ✓ g.s.(p) = 1^+ & g.s.(d) = 0^+

Results for ^{107}Tc



Assumptions:

- ✓ Last known level, 957.09 keV ($Q_\beta = 4820$ keV)
- ✓ Start unknown part, 1020 keV
- ✓ g.s.(p) = $3/2^-$ & g.s.(d) = $5/2^+$
- ✓ g.s. feeding fixed to 22 %

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In numbers...

Nuclide	Energy Type	ENDF/B-VII (& Jeff 3.1) [keV]	TAS Experiment [keV]	Differences [keV]
^{101}Nb (7.1 s)	beta	1833 (307)	1797	-36
	gamma	244	445	201
^{102}Tc (5.28 s)	beta	1945 (15)	1933	-12
	gamma	81 (10)	110	29
^{104}Tc (1098 s)	beta	1590 (75)	930	-660
	gamma	1890 (30)	3229	1339
^{105}Tc (456 s)	beta	1310 (173)	764	-546
	gamma	668 (19)	1825	1157
^{105}Mo (35.6 s)	beta	1902 (122)	1076	-826
	gamma	548	2347	1799
^{106}Tc (35.6 s)	beta	1938 (69)	1463	-475
	gamma	2190	3119	929
^{107}Tc (21.2 s)	beta	2030 (254)	1276	-754
	gamma	511	1795	1284

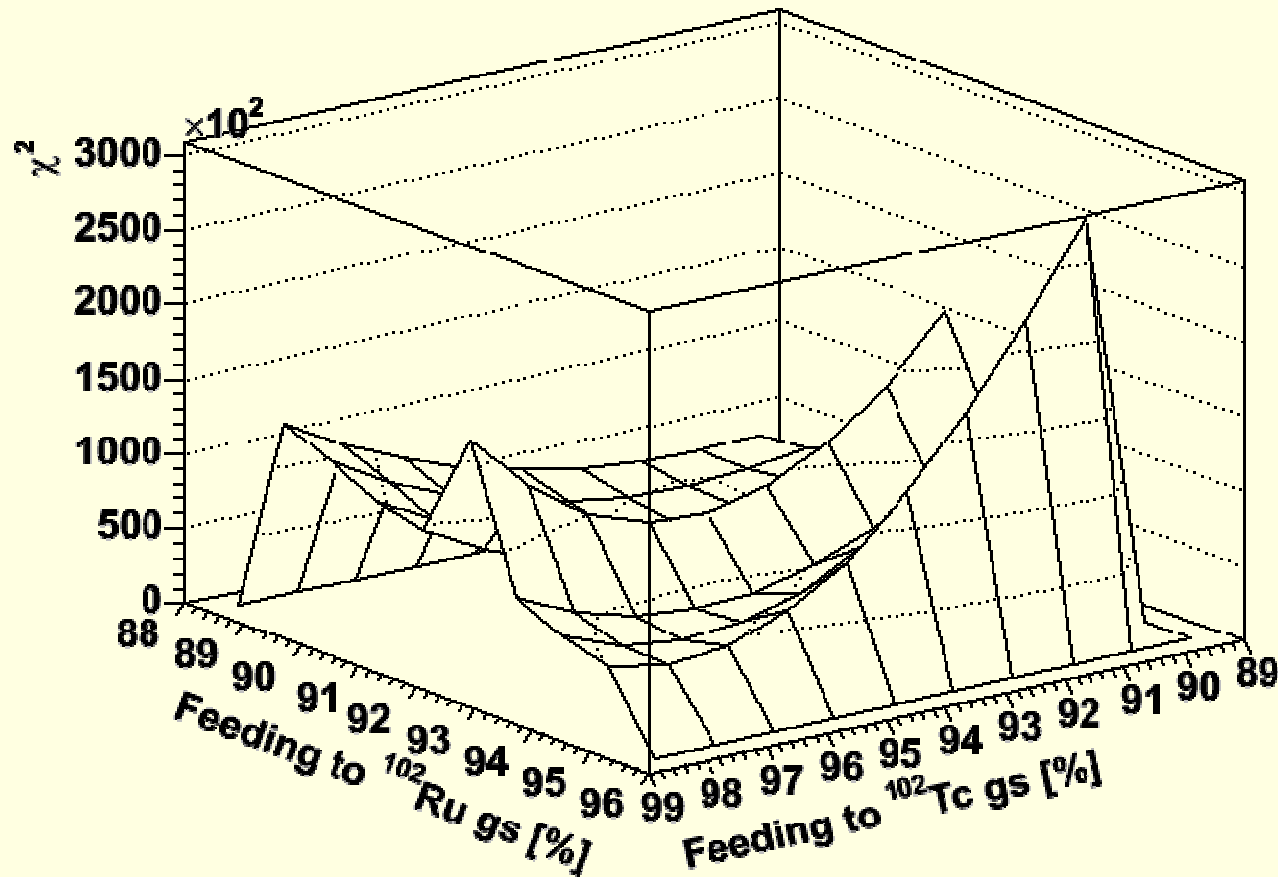
Energies

$$E_{\beta} = \sum_i r(E_i) \frac{f_{\beta}(-E_i)}{f_0(-E_i)} \quad E_{\gamma} = \sum_i r(E_i)(Q_{\beta} + E_i)$$

$$f_{\beta}(-E) = \int_1^{-E/mc^2 + 1} mc^2 (E_0 - 1) p E_0 \left(\frac{-E}{mc^2} + 1 - E_0 \right)^2 F(Z_d, E_0) dE_0$$

$$r(E_i) = \frac{I_{\beta}(E_i)}{\sum_i I_{\beta}(E_i)}$$

Results of the analysis for ^{102}Tc



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