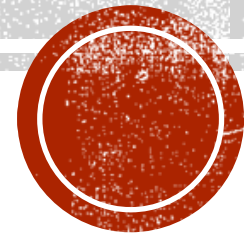


SELECTION OF ENERGY CALIBRATION SOURCES FOR Be^9

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MAIN IDEA

Required energy precision
to improve radius

Needed statistics to
achieve energy precision

Considering available
sources



NEEDED ENERGY PRECISION

- Current status of radius uncertainty:

$$\frac{\sigma_r}{r} \sim 10^{-2}$$

- Using Mu-Dirac to calculate muonic Be x-ray spectra
- Mu-Dirac results for 2P-1S with Uehling :

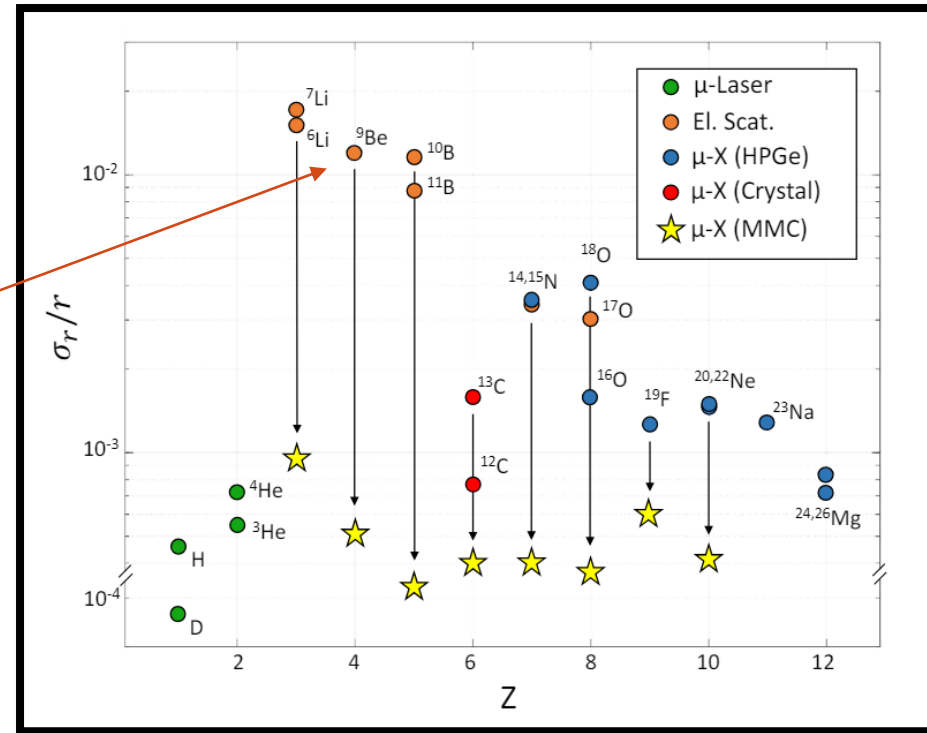
$$E_{sphere} = E_{fermi} = 33393 \text{ eV} ; E_{point} = 33478 \text{ eV}$$

$$\Delta(E_{sphere} - E_{point}) = 85 \text{ eV} = F \cdot r^2$$

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Uncertainty in energy from radius: $\sigma_E = 2 \cdot F \cdot r^2 \cdot \frac{\sigma_r}{r} = 1.7 \text{ eV}$

- We can reach better accuracy using statistics and calibration.
- (Screening effect, self-energy, Kallen-Sabri, and Nuclear polarization are sub-eV corrections)

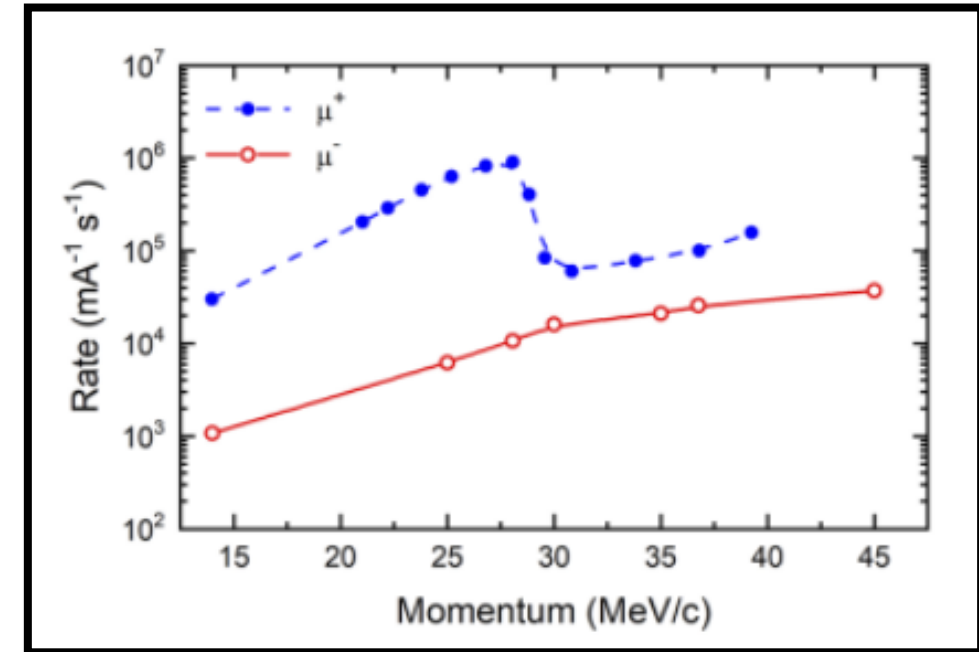


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STATISTICS OF MUONS

- Muon rate at “Default momentum” of 28 MeV/c: $10^4 \cdot Hz$
- Efficiency + Solid angle few 10^{-4} : $\frac{10^4}{10^4} \sim few Hz$



Taken from [4] L. Gerchow

- Max total rate on detector: 0.4 photons/double-pixel=12 Hz
- With 10 eV resolution, can significantly improve radius with few 100 events, **a few minutes**
- Can go to lower energy if needed (GEANT4 simulation in progress)



CALIBRATION

X-rays from ^{137}Cs (30.07 y 3)

E (keV)	I (%)	Assignment
31.452	0.000263 8	Ba $K_{\alpha 3}$
31.817	2.04 5	Ba $K_{\alpha 2}$
32.194	3.76 8	Ba $K_{\alpha 1}$
36.304	0.352 8	Ba $K_{\beta 3}$
36.378	0.680 15	Ba $K_{\beta 1}$
36.652	0.0079 3	Ba $K_{\beta 5}$
37.255	0.215 5	Ba $K_{\beta 2}$
37.349	0.0481 20	Ba $K_{\beta 4}$

- Integration time calculation for Cs^{137} for example:
 - Energy uncertainty goal - $\sigma_E = 0.5 \text{ eV}$
 - Number of samples required - $N = \left(\frac{16}{0.5}\right)^2 = 10^3$ samples
 - Assume source load on detector is 10 Hz.
 - Integration time required given 4% intensity - 40 [minutes]
- Assumed 16 [eV] FWHM linewidth and 9[Hz] of x-ray rate.

Source	Closest Energy Line [eV]	Energy Uncertainty [eV]	Intensity [%]	Other Lines [eV]	Amount of Samples [#]	Time Needed [Hours]
Cs^{137} (Ba x-rays)	32193	0.07	3.76	31816.61(6)	1000	0.6
				36303.3(1)		
				36377.45(8)		



POTENTIAL SOURCES

Source	Closest Energy Line [eV]	Energy Uncertainty [eV]	Abundance [%]	Other Lines [eV]	Amount of Samples [#]	Time Needed [Hours]
Cs^{137} (Ba x-rays)	32193	0.07	4	31816.61(6)	1000	0.7
				36303.3(1)		
				36377.45(8)		
Ba^{133} (Cs x-rays)	34919.7	0.6	6	306254.4(4)	1000	0.5
				30973.1(4)		
	34987.3	1.0	12	35821.7(3)		
				35988.0(1)		

* Taking into account 10 [eV] FWHM resolution and 9[Hz] of x-ray rate.



POTENTIAL SOURCES

Source	Closest Energy Line [eV]	Energy Uncertainty [eV]	Abundance [%]	Other Lines [eV]	Amount of Samples [#]	Time Needed [Hours]
Ce^{139} (La x-rays)	33442	0.3	24	37720.6(6)	1000	0.1
				37801.4(5)		
Not in PSI...	33034	0.3	44	38071.4(5)		
				38730.3(1)		
Am^{241} (gamma line)	33196	0.3	0.12	26344.6(2)	400	9
				59540.9(1)		

* Taking into account 10 [eV] FWHM resolution and 9[Hz] of x-ray rate.



SUMMARY

- *****chosen material*****



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