

# Tibet実験(現状と将来)

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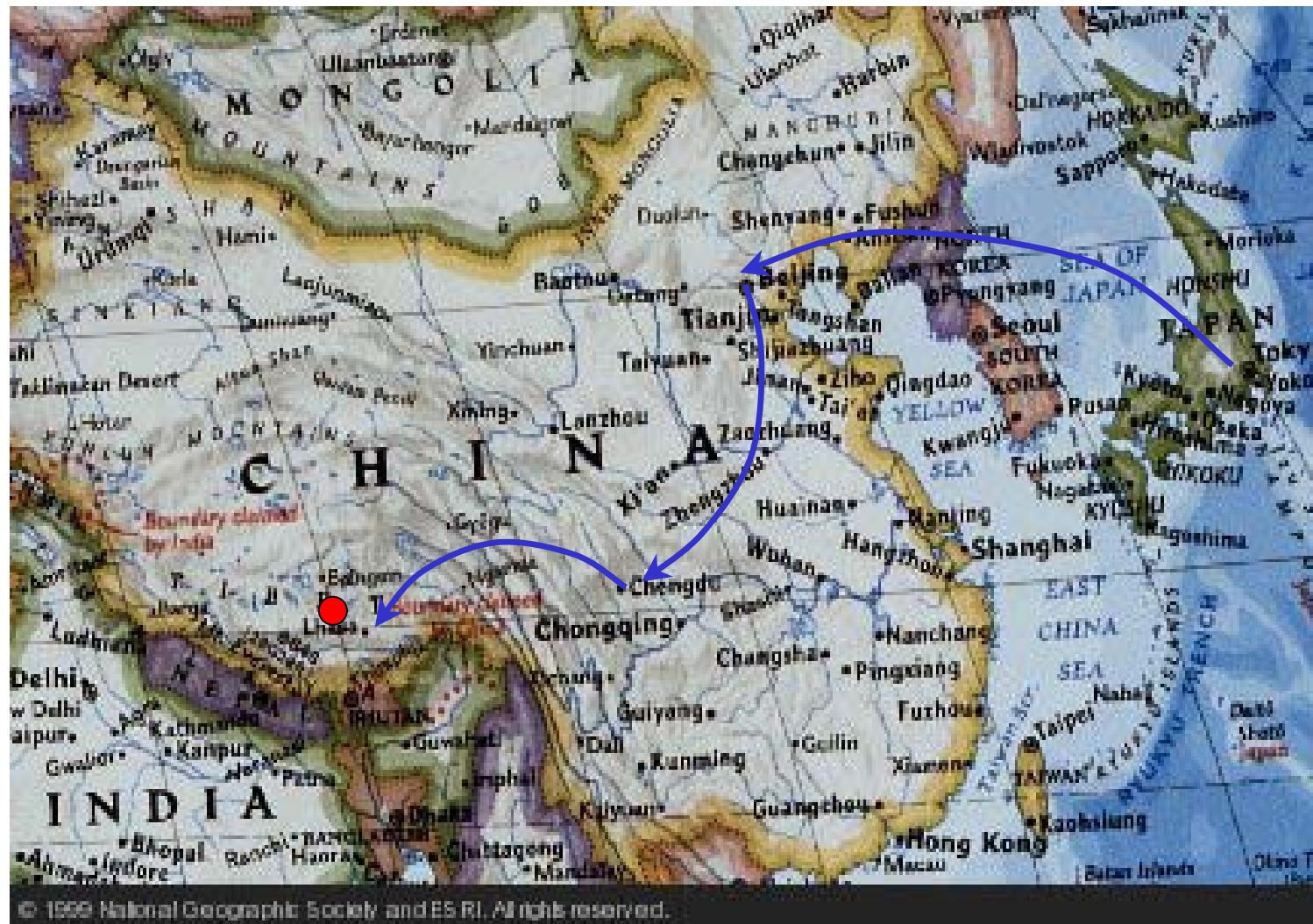
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# Our site : Tibet



Yangbajing , Tibet, China

90° 53'E, 30° 11'N, 4,300 m a.s.l. (606g/cm<sup>2</sup>)

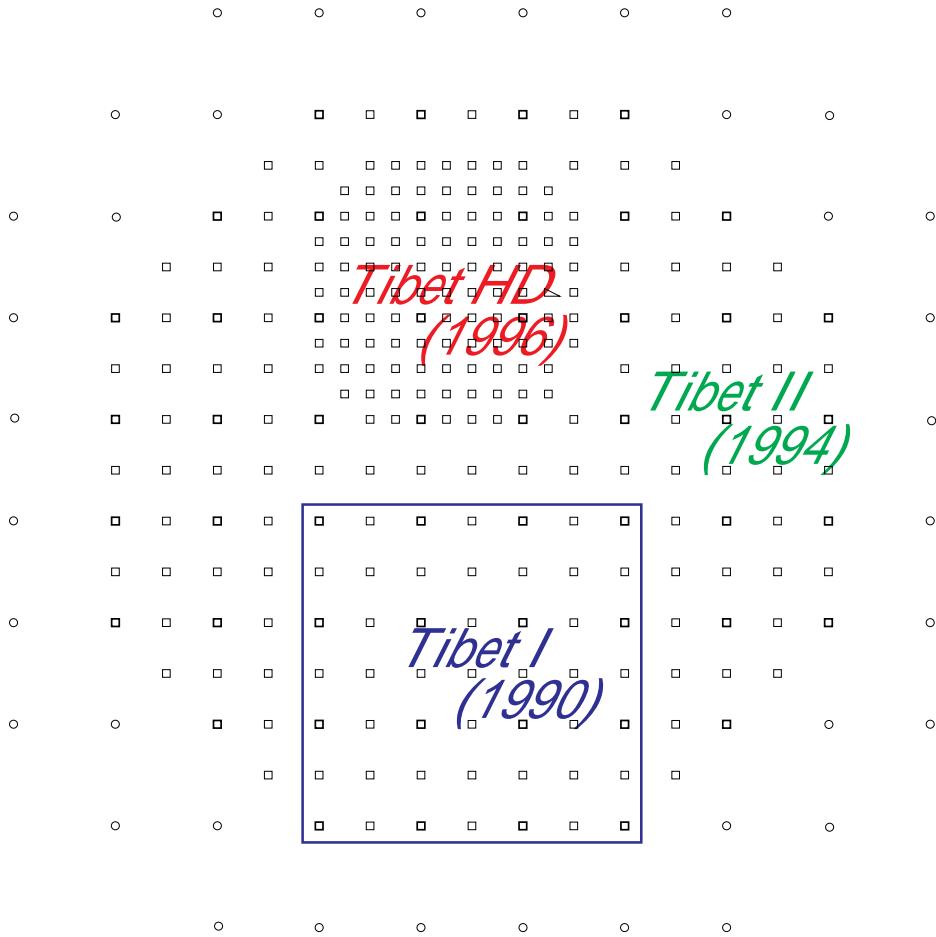
# 研究目的

大気チエレンコフ望遠鏡と相補的な  
広視野(約2sr)連続観測高エネルギー宇宙線望遠鏡

3～100TeVの高エネルギーガンマ線放射天体の  
探索、 $10^{14}$ ～ $10^{17}$ eVの一次宇宙線の観測から、  
宇宙線の起源、加速機構の研究を行う。

太陽活動期における“太陽の影”  
(太陽による宇宙線の遮蔽効果)を観測し、  
太陽近傍および惑星間磁場の大局部的構造を知る。

# Tibet-I to Tibet-II/HD



Number of detector

I : 45

II : 185

HD: 109

Mode Energy

I : 10 TeV

II : 10 TeV

HD: 3 TeV

Area

I : 7 ,650 m<sup>2</sup>

II : 37,000 m<sup>2</sup>

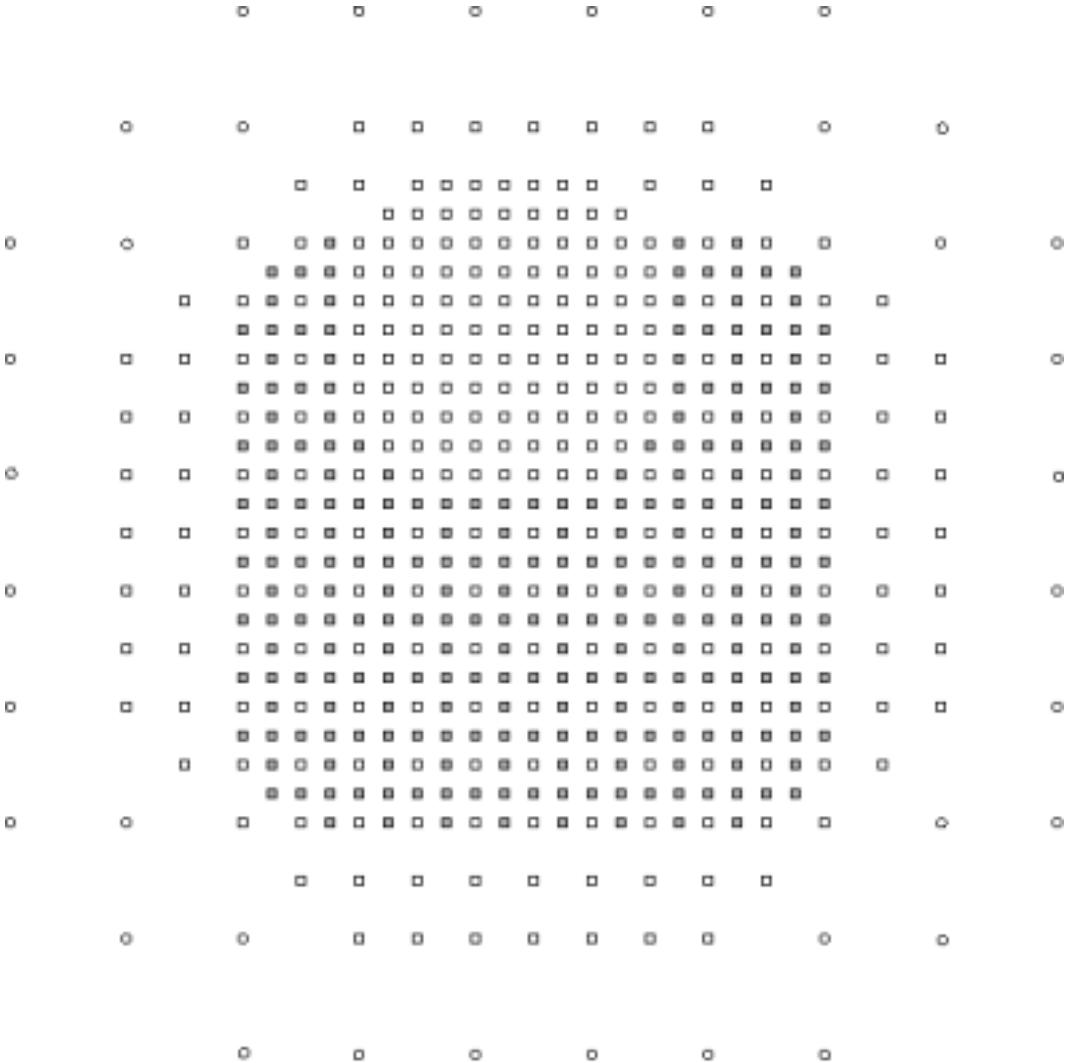
HD: 5,200 m<sup>2</sup>

# Tibet III (22000m<sup>2</sup>)



Yangbajing (4300a.s.l.=606g/cm<sup>2</sup>), Tibet, China

# Tibet III ( $22000\text{m}^2$ )



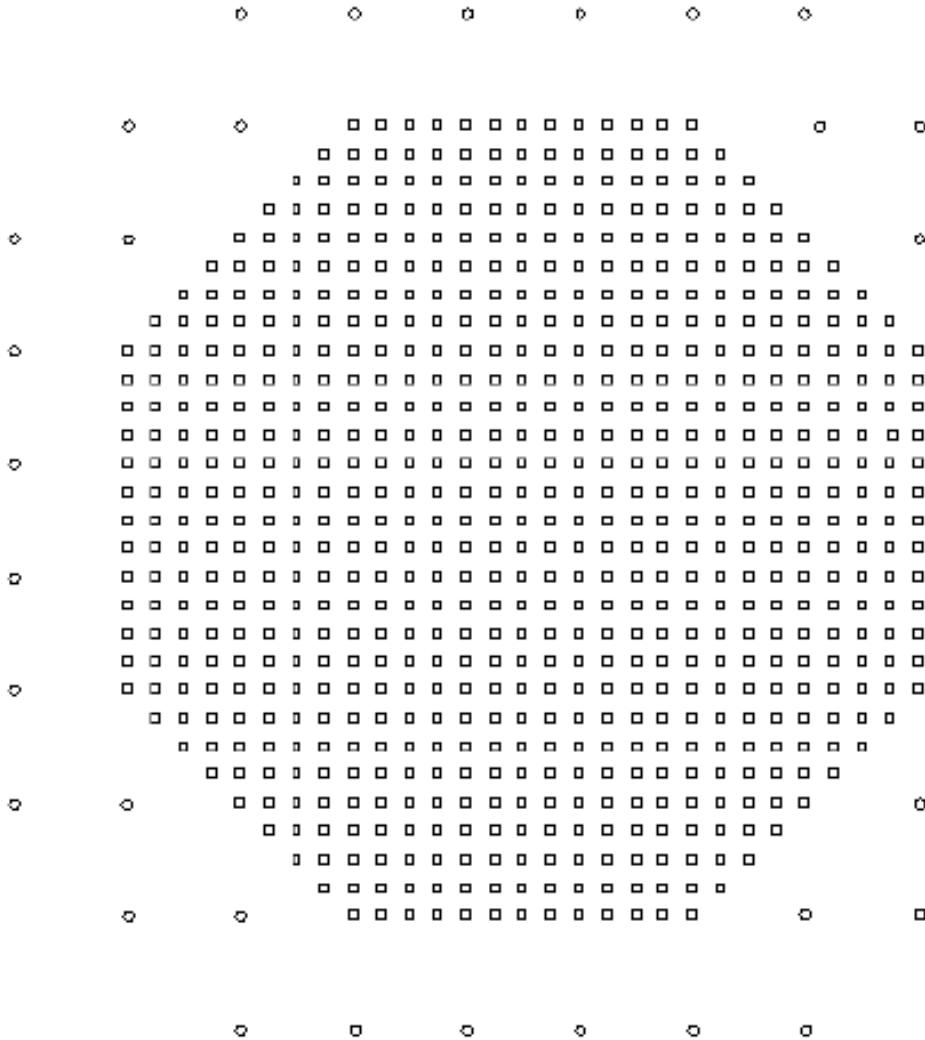
- Total 545 detectors
- Mode Energy  
~ 3 TeV
- Angular Resolution  
~ 0.9 deg@3TeV
- Trigger Rate  
~680 Hz
- Data size  
~20GB/day
- Operation**  
**1999 October-**  
**2002 September**

# Tibet III (37000m<sup>2</sup>)



Yangbajing (4300a.s.l.=606g/cm<sup>2</sup>), Tibet, China

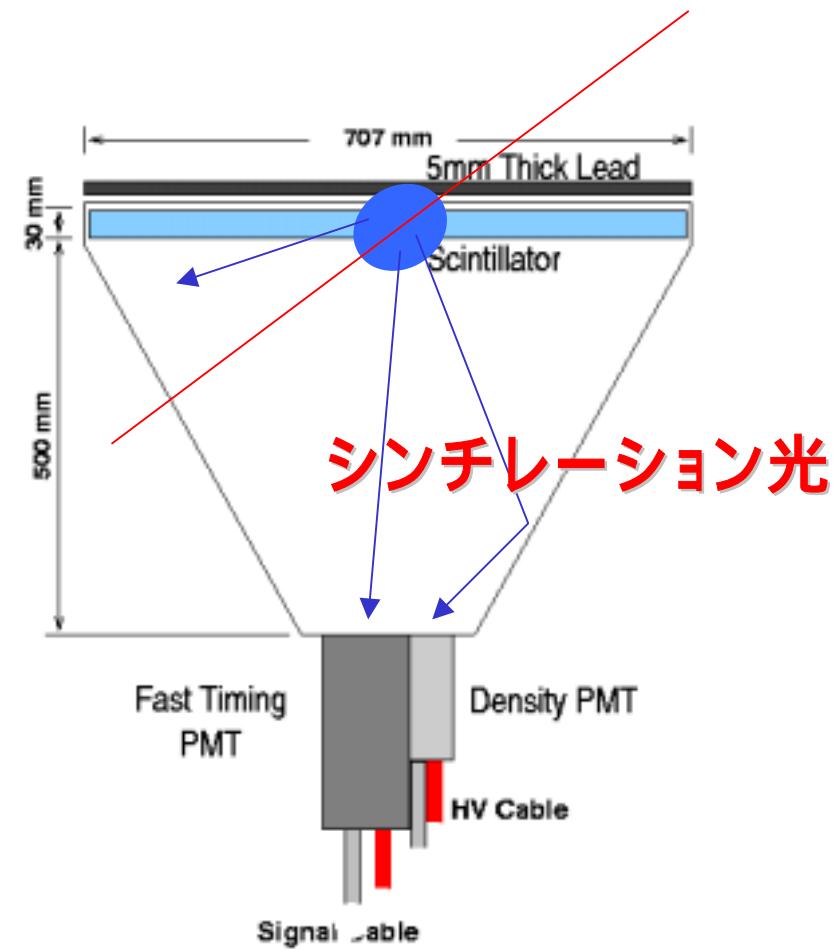
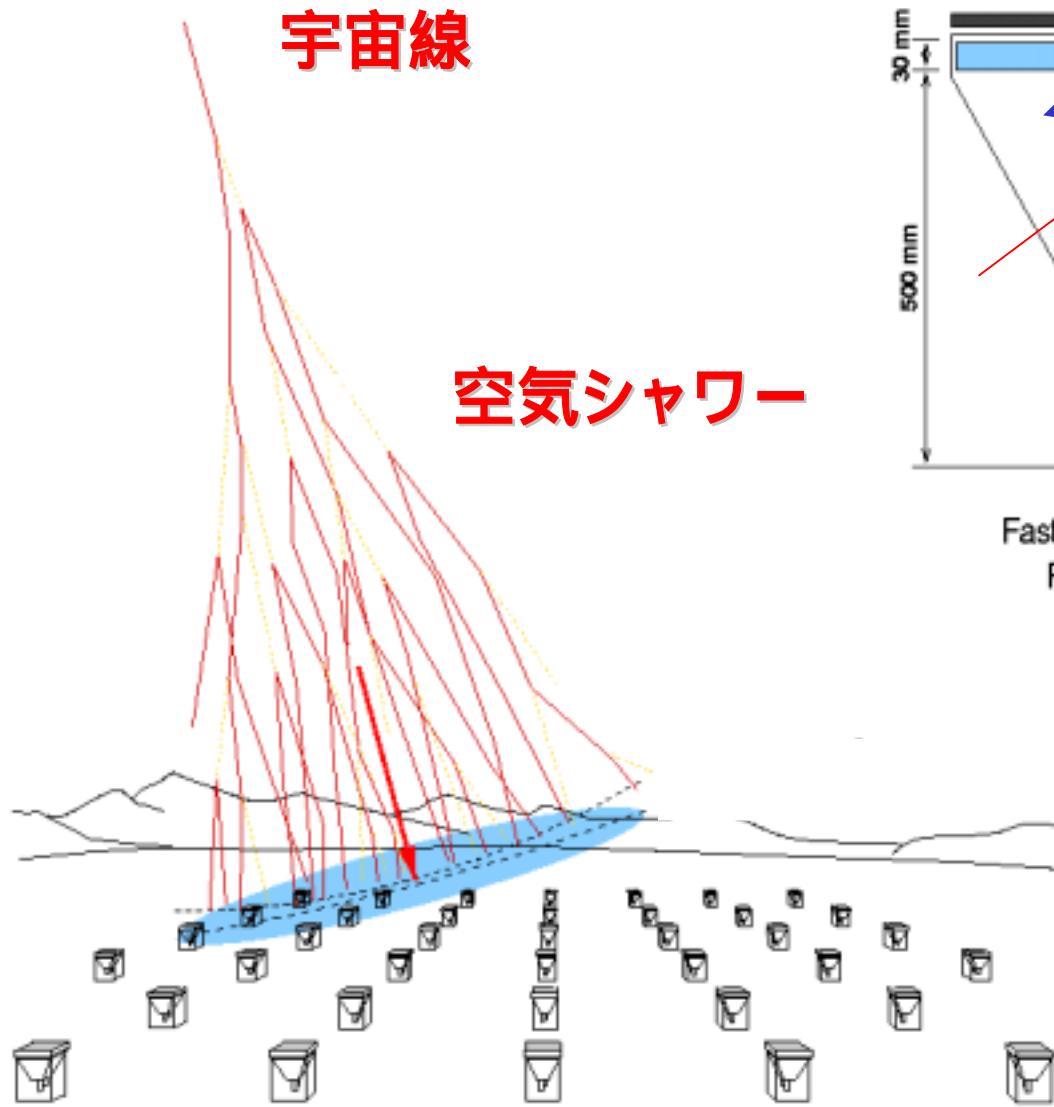
# Tibet-III ( $37000\text{m}^2$ )



- Total 733 detectors
- Mode Energy  
~3 TeV
- Angular Resolution  
~0.9 deg @3TeV
- Trigger Rate  
~1500 Hz

**Operation  
November 2002 ~**

# 検出方法



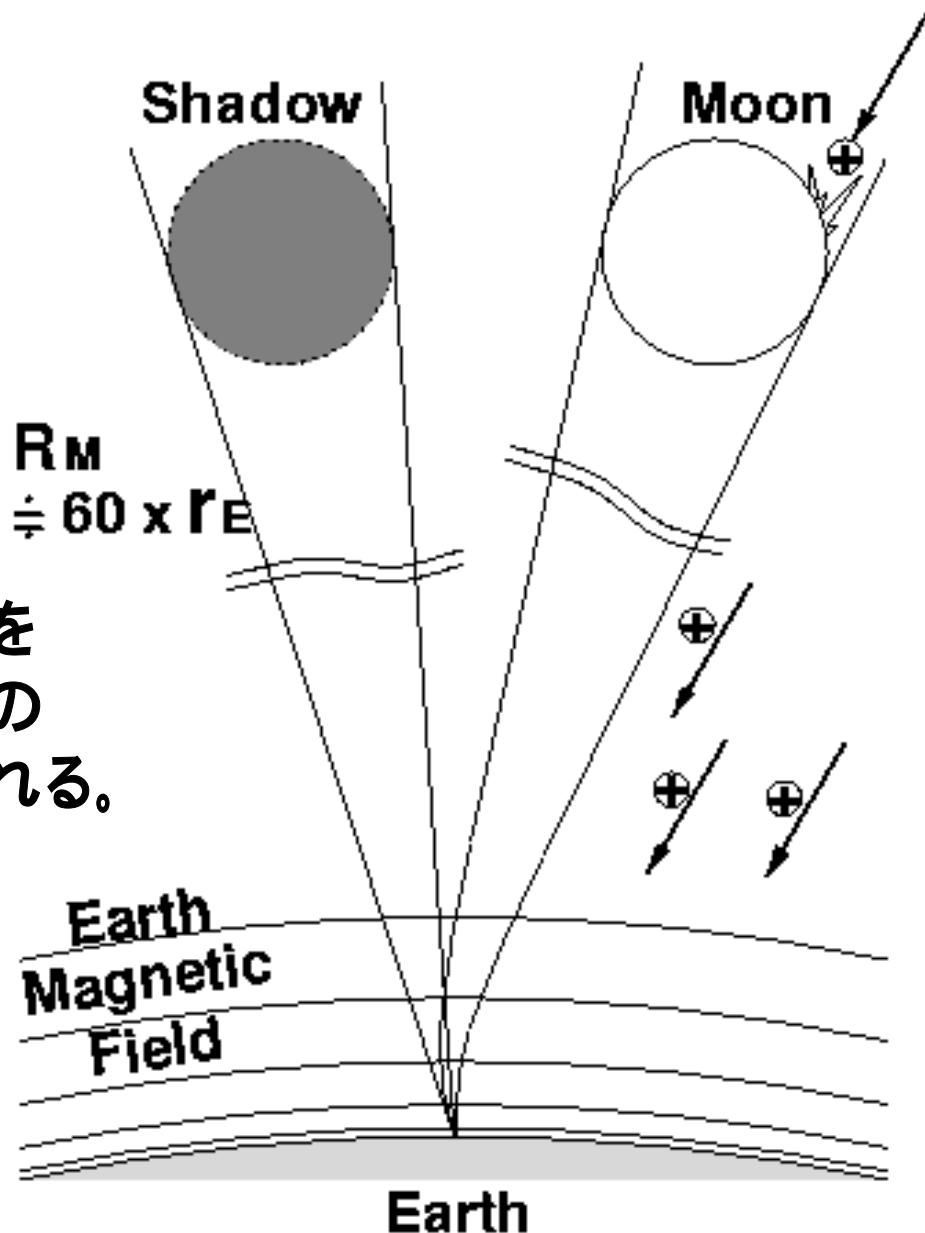
Air Shower Array

# 性能評価 月の影

地球に到来する宇宙線は、  
月によって遮蔽されるため、  
ある程度の角度分解能を  
備えた装置で観測すると  
その方向に“へこみ”がみられる。

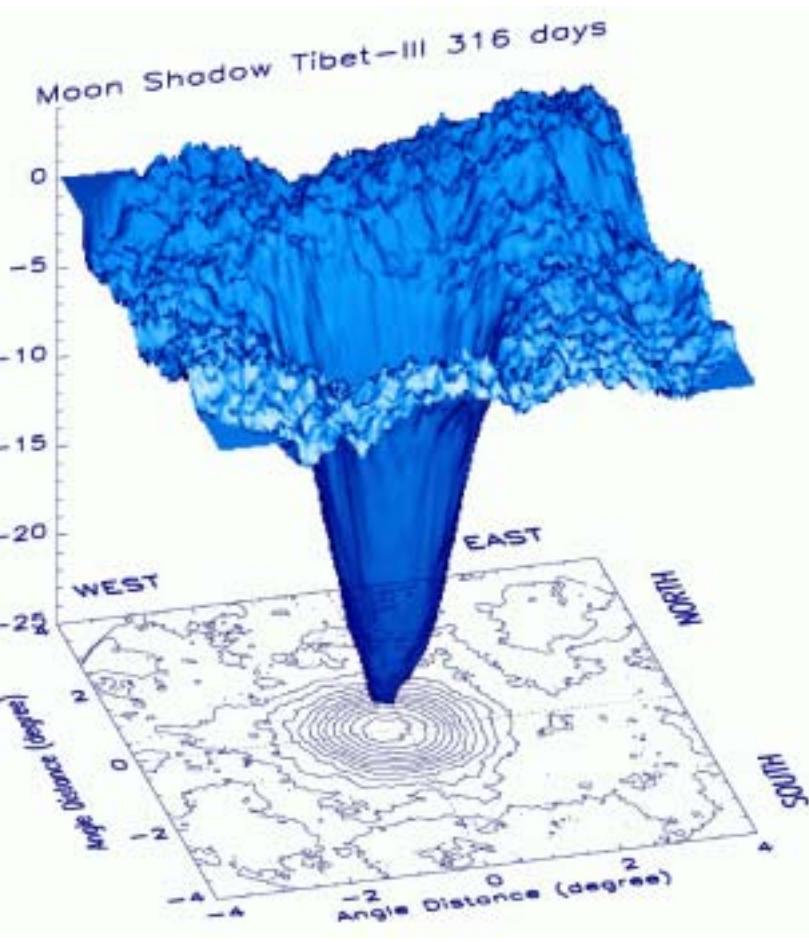
ほとんどの宇宙線は陽子などの  
荷電粒子のため、地磁気の影響を  
受け曲がるため“へこみ”は実際の  
月の方向からは“ずれ”て観測される。

この“へこみ”と“ずれ”から  
装置の性能評価が可能になる。



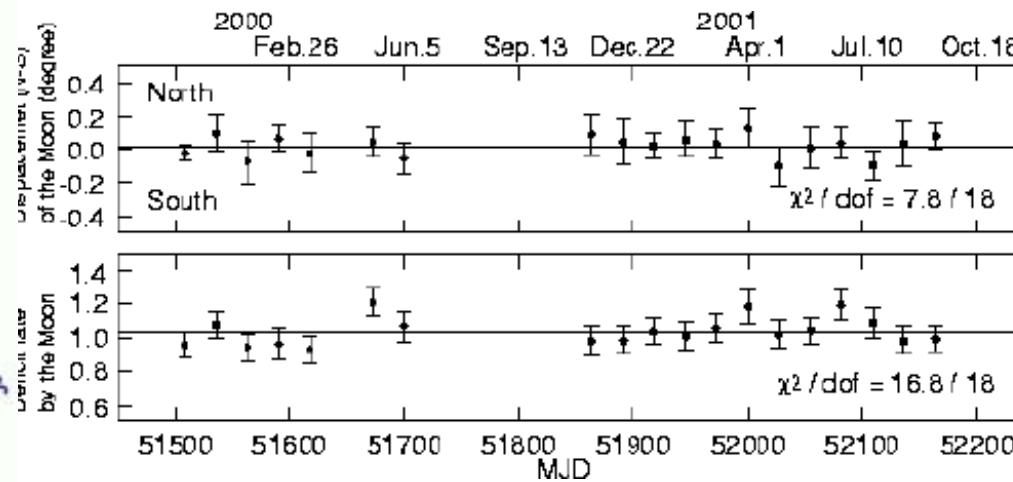
# How to point? (Air shower detector)

Moon's shadow in Cosmic Rays



North-South Displacement  
(geomagnetic field free):

Pointing Accuracy <0.02deg  
(Tibet)

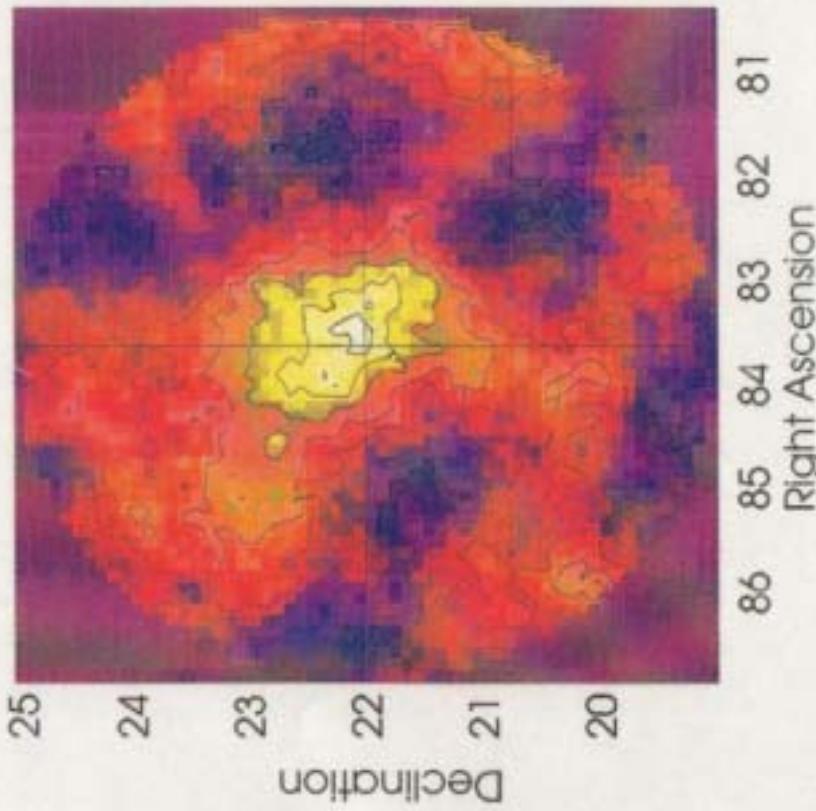


Crab

Tibet-II HD (1999)

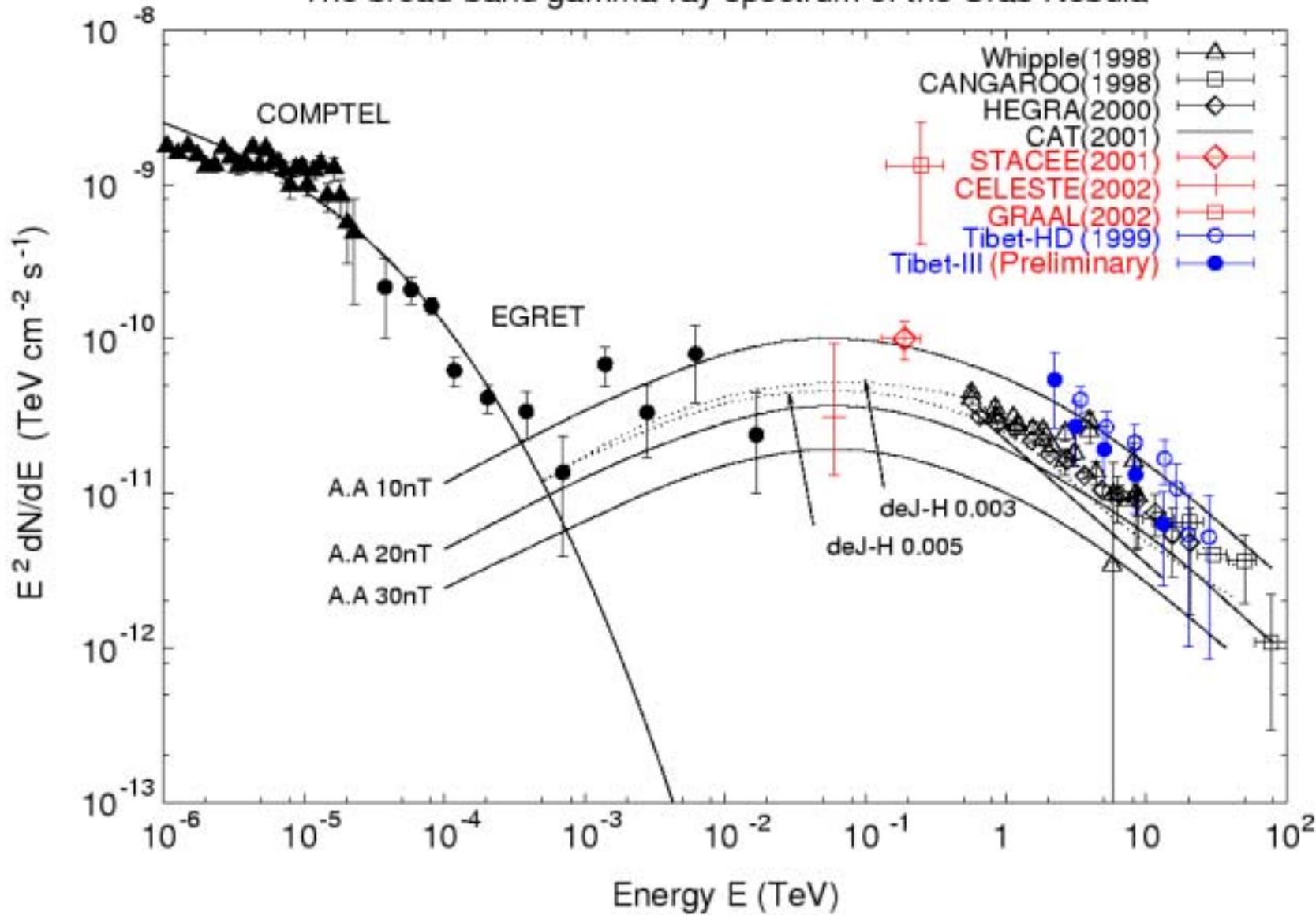
~ 500 day

5.5 $\sigma$  excess  
First  $\gamma$  source observed  
by Air shower array.



# Crab $\gamma$ unpulsed

The broad-band gamma-ray spectrum of the Crab Nebula



# Tibet-II HD Mrk 501 (1997)

## 3.7 $\sigma$ excess

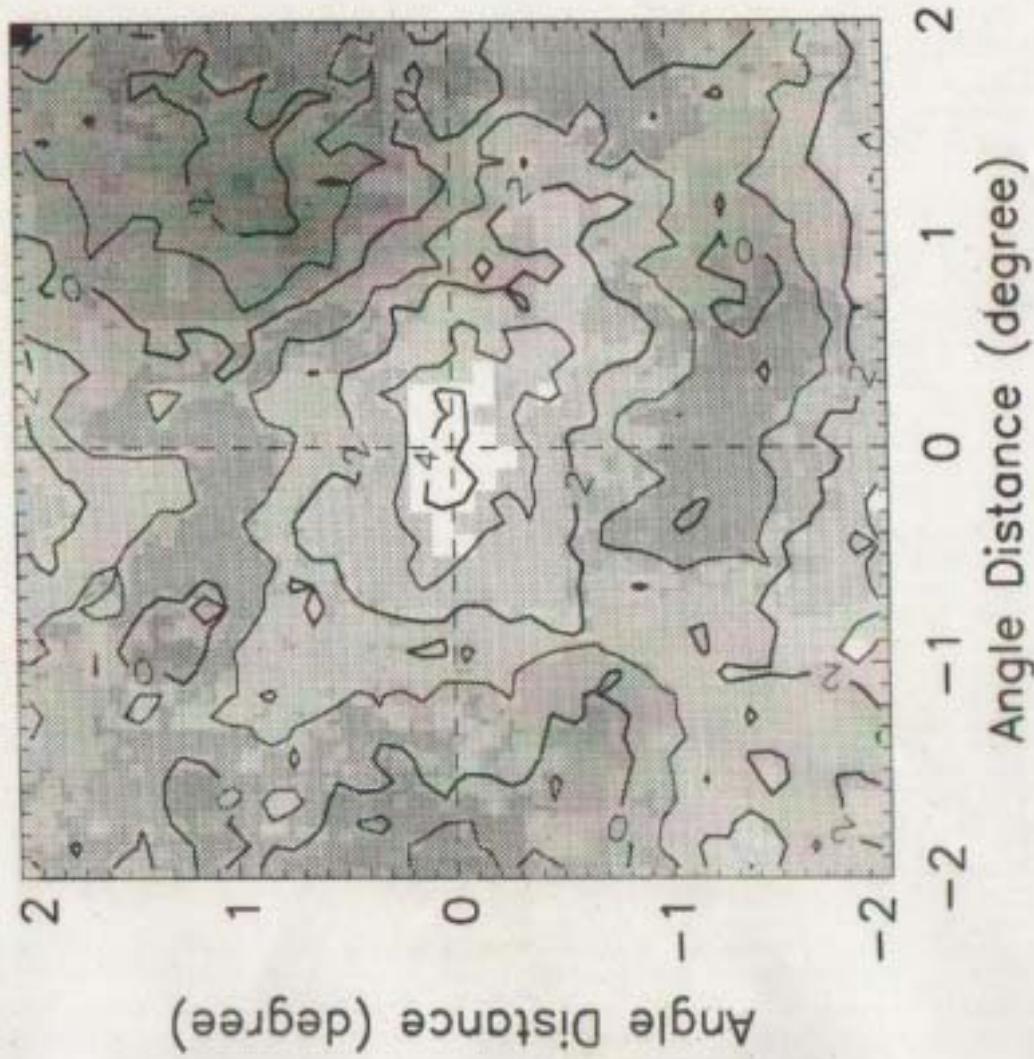
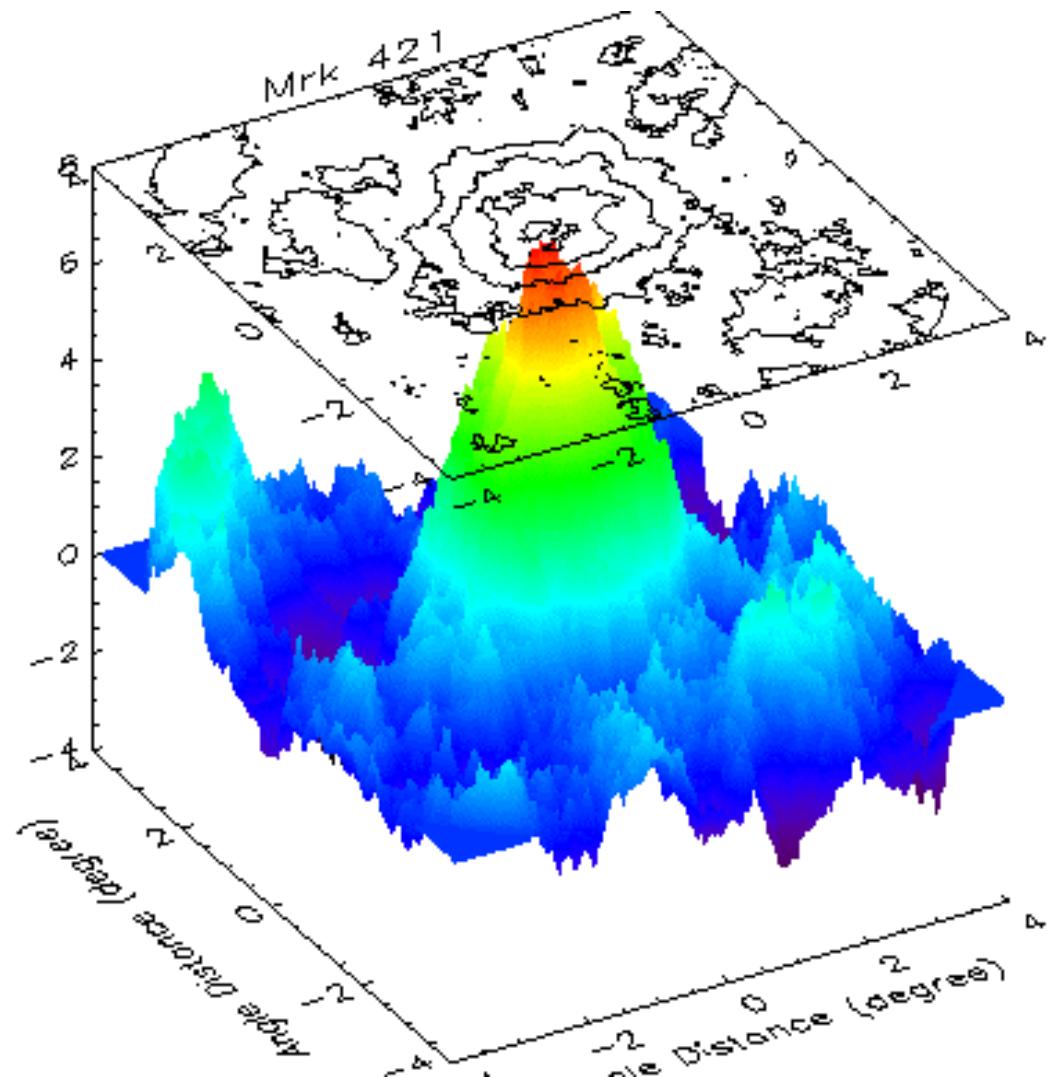


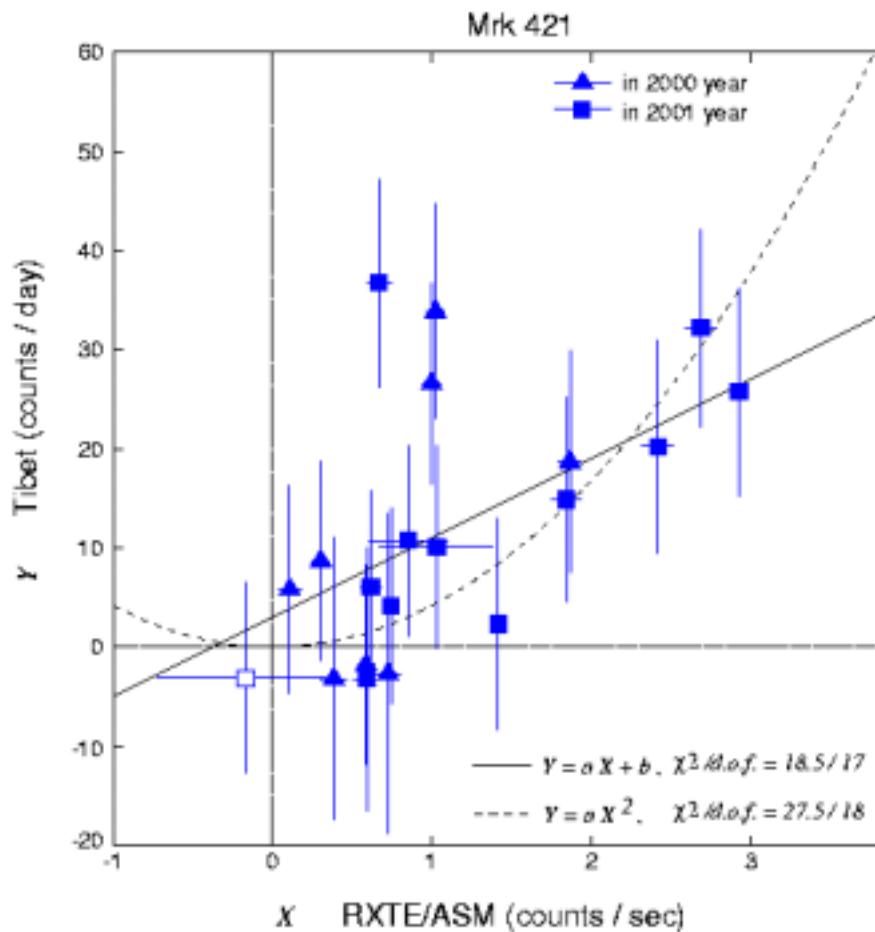
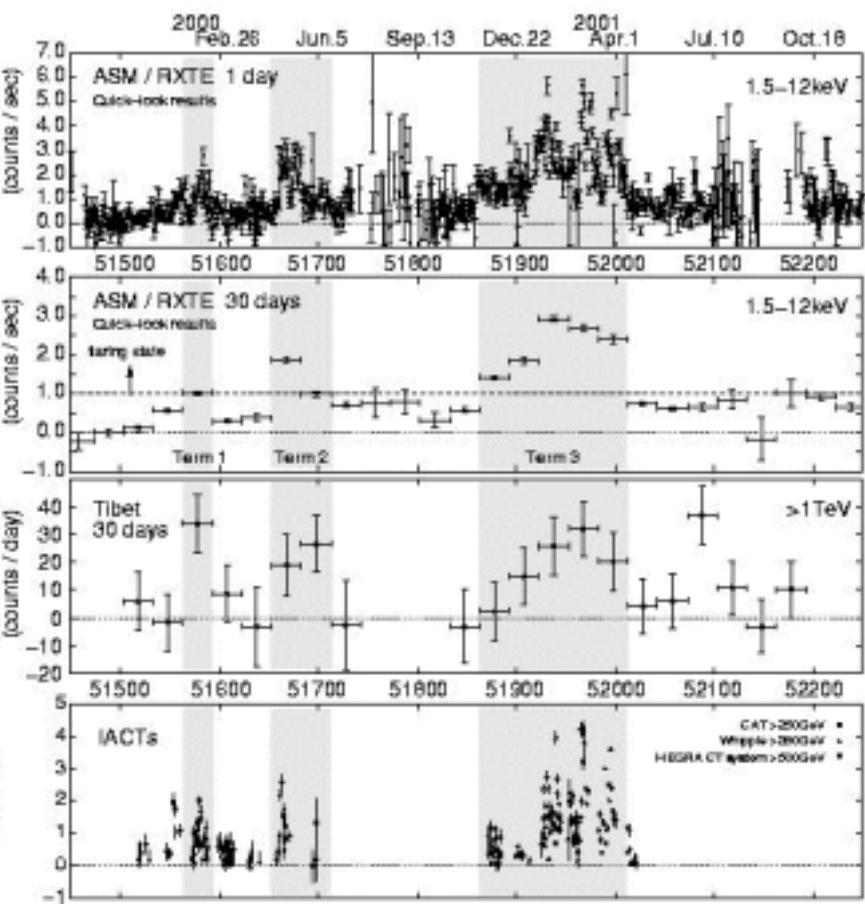
FIG. 4.—Contour map of the weights of excess event densities around Mrk 501, observed between 1997 April 7 and 1997 June 16, in an area of  $1^{\circ} \times 4^{\circ}$  centered on the direction of Mrk 501. The contour lines are drawn with a step of  $1\sigma$ . Angle distance is measured from the direction of Mrk 501 along the right ascension (abscissa) and the declination (ordinate).

# Flare $\gamma$ from Mrk421 (2000-2001)

Tibet-III ( $22000\text{m}^2$ )

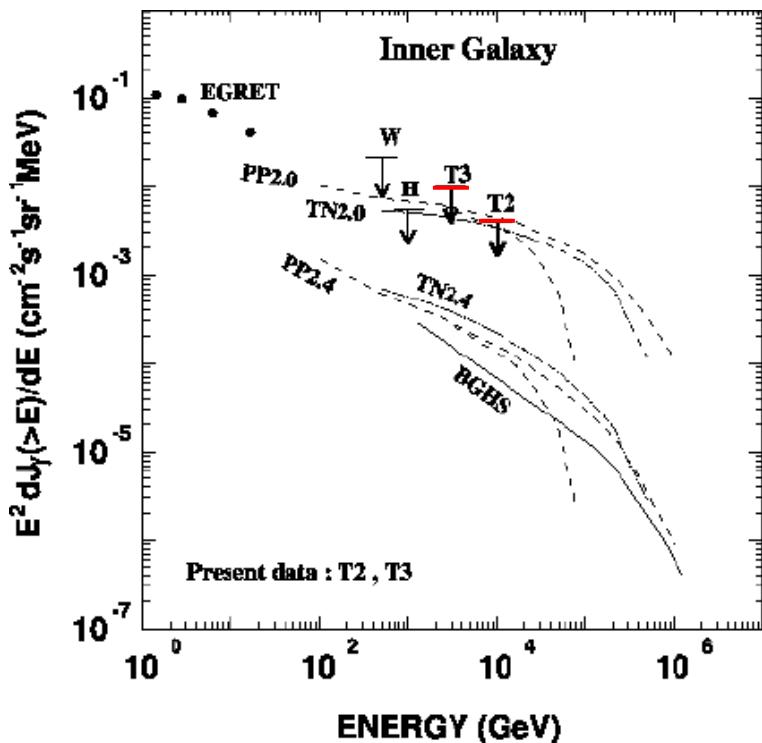


# Mrk421 X線データとTeV データの 長期相関

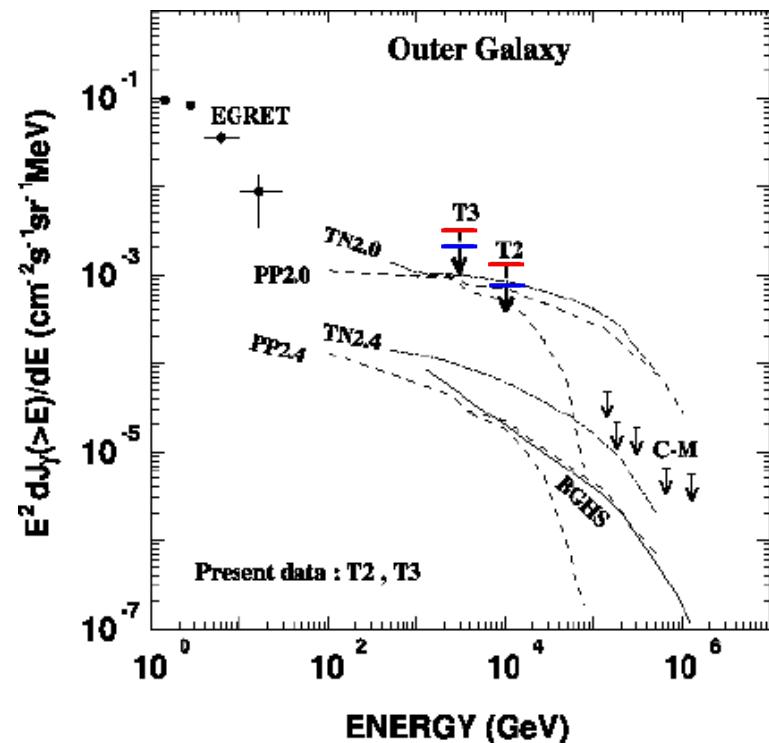


# Upper limits on galactic diffuse rays

Inner galaxy

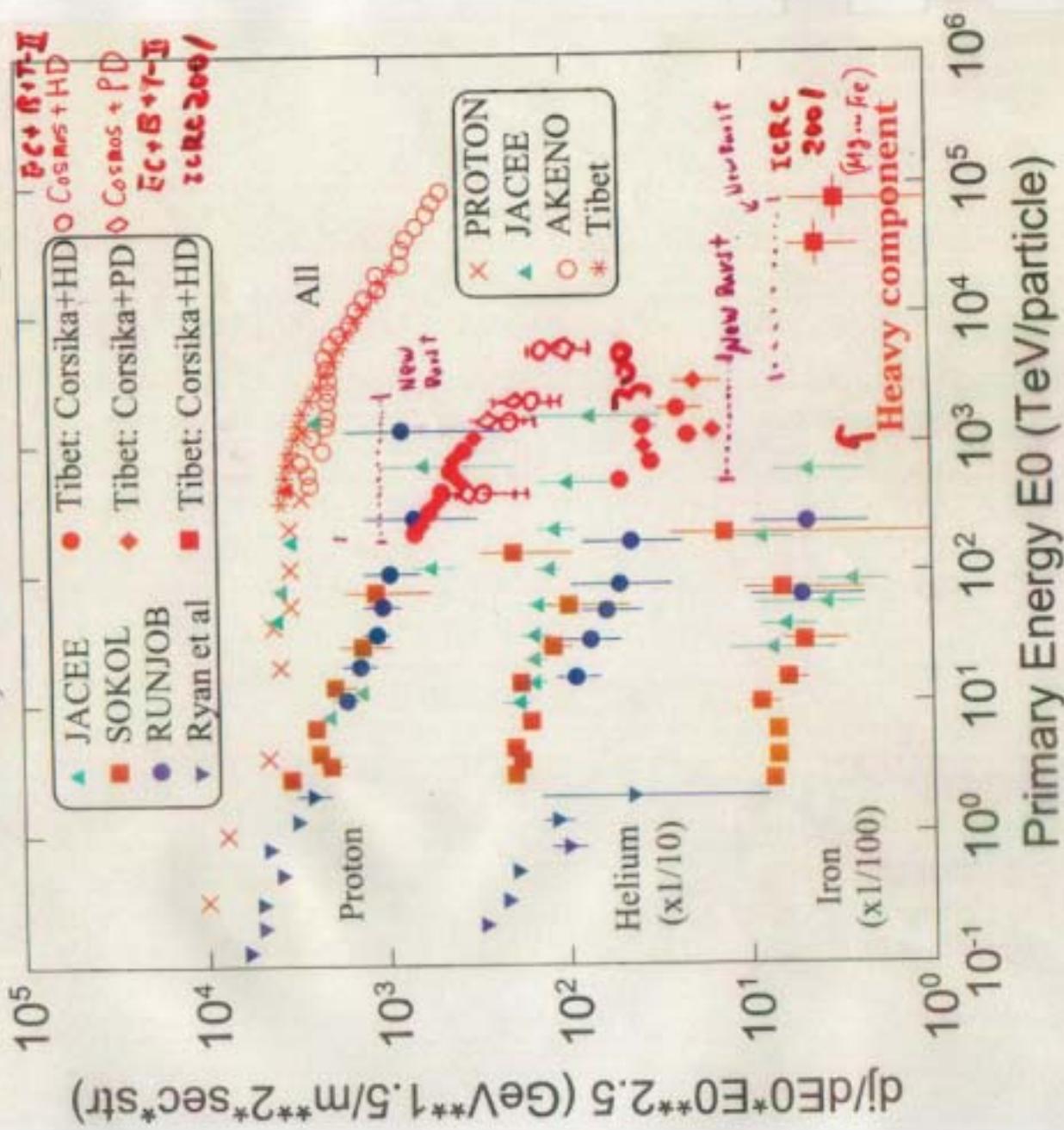


Outer galaxy



Red:99%CL, Blue:90%CL

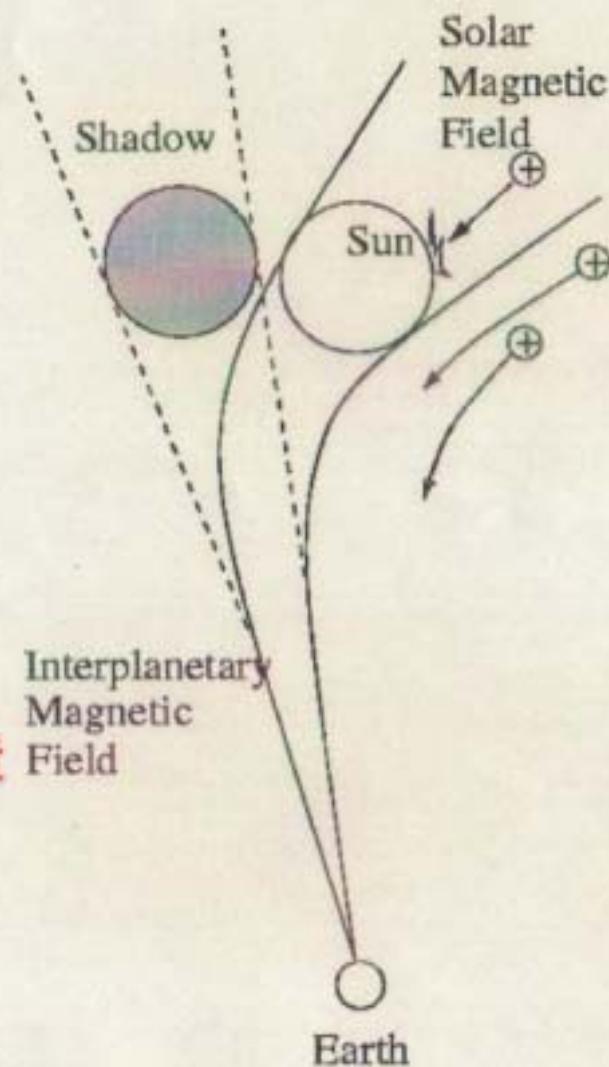
## Proton, Helium and Iron spectra



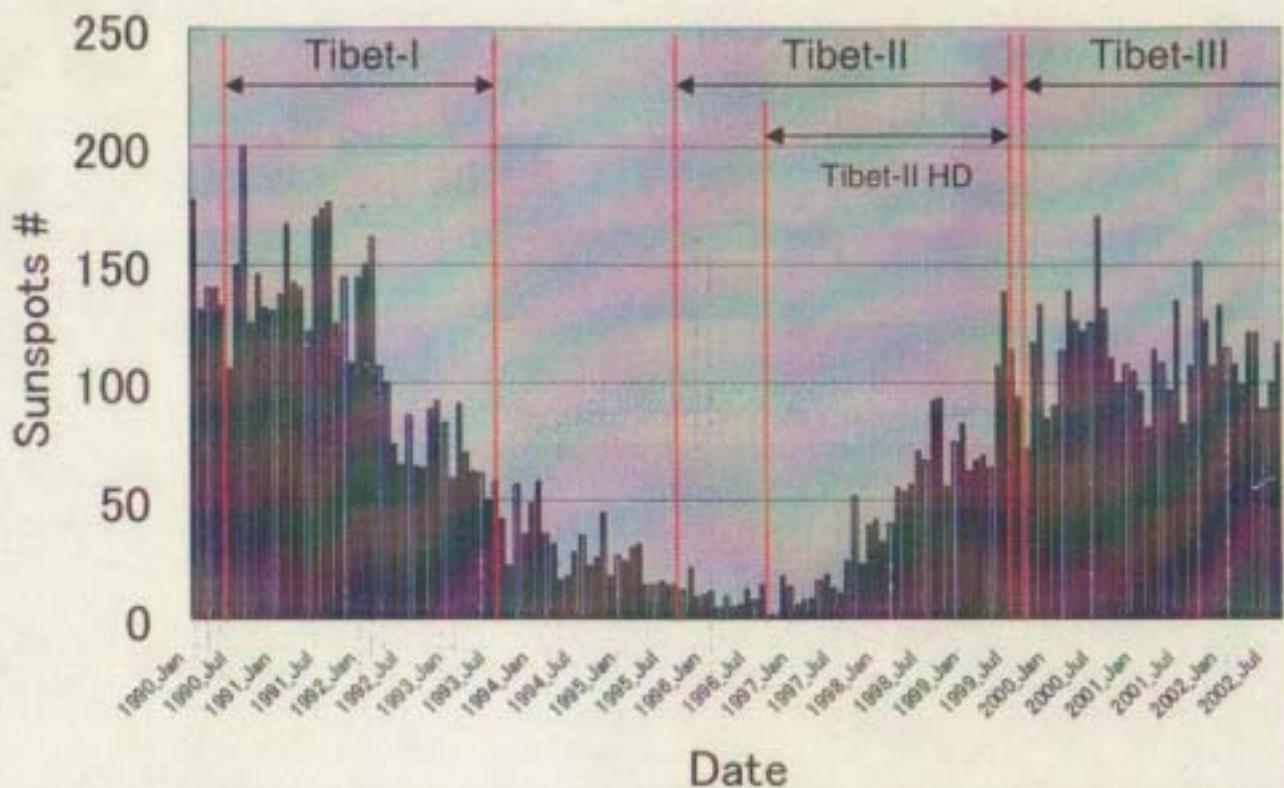
# 惑星間磁場 太陽の影

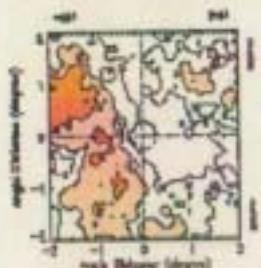
宇宙線は太陽によって遮蔽される。  
正電荷をもった宇宙線は  
太陽磁場、惑星間磁場によって  
曲げられ、観測される“へこみ”は  
磁場の変動によって“移動”する。

太陽活動は11年周期で極大期を迎え、  
磁場の変動も活発になる。  
この“へこみ”的“移動”を観測すること  
によって、太陽磁気圏の大局的磁場構造  
を知ることができる。

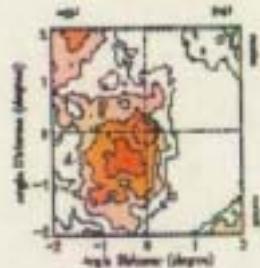


## Monthly Sunspots 1990–2002

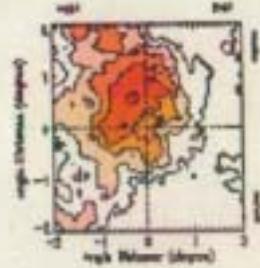




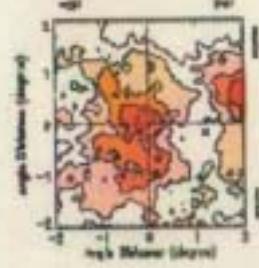
1990 (Tibet-I)



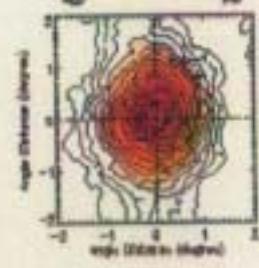
1991 (Tibet-I)



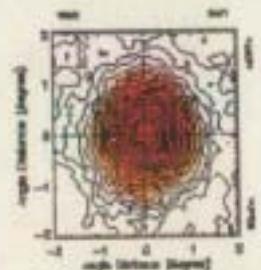
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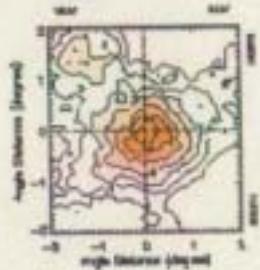
1993 (Tibet-I)



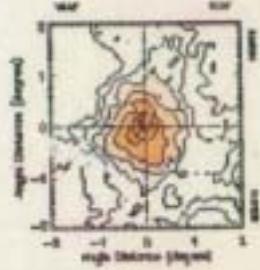
1996 (Tibet-II)



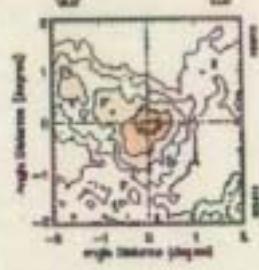
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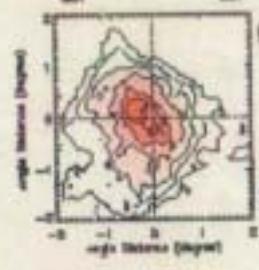
1998 (Tibet-II)



1999 (Tibet-II)



2000 (Tibet-III)



2001 (Tibet-III)

10TeV以上の宇宙線が作る太陽の影の年変化。  
2002年データは現在解析中。

**Difuse**

Observation of multi-Tev diffuse gamma rays from the Galactic plane with the Tibet air shower array **T-II + T-III (22000 m<sup>2</sup>)**  
ApJ, 580, 887-895 (2002)

**Primary**

Primary proton spectrum between 200 TeV and 1000 TeV observed with the Tibet burst detector and air shower array  
Phys. Rev. D, 62, 112003 (2000) **T-II + Burst**

Measurement of air shower cores to study the cosmic ray composition in the knee energy region  
Phys. Rev. D, 62, 072007 (2000) **T-II + Burst**

**Primary**

A study of the Shadowing of Galactic Cosmic Rays by the Sun in a Quiet Phase of Solar Activity with the Tibet Air Shower Array  
The Astrophysical Journal, 541, 1051-1058 (2000) **T-II**

**Mrk501**

Detection of Multi-Tev Gamma Rays from Markarian 501 During an Unforeseen Flaring State in 1997 with the Tibet Air Shower Array  
ApJ, 532, 302-307 (2000) **T-II HD**

**Crab**

Observation of Multi-Tev Gamma Rays from the Crab Nebula using the Tibet Air Shower Array  
ApJ, 525, L93-L96 (1999) **T-II HD**

**Primary**

Shadowing of Cosmic Rays by the Sun Near Maximum or at the Declining Phase of Solar Activity  
ApJ, 464, 954-958 (1996) **T-II**

**Primary**

The Cosmic Ray Energy Spectrum between  $10^{14.5}$  and  $10^{16.3}$  eV covering the "Knee" Region  
ApJ, 461, 408-414 (1996) **T-II**

**Primary**

Search for 10 TeV Burst-Like Events Coincident with the BATSE Bursts Using the Tibet Air Shower Array  
ApJ, 311, 919-926 (1996) **T-II**

**Primary**

Search for 10 TeV Gamma-Ray Emission from Active Galactic Nuclei with the Tibet Air Shower Array  
ApJ, 429, 634-637 (1994) **T-II**

**Do**

Direct Evidence of the Interplanetary Magnetic Field Effect on the Cosmic-Ray Shadow by the Sun  
ApJ, 415, L147-L150 (1994) **T-II**

**Do**

Cosmic Ray Deficit from the Directions of the Moon and the Sun Detected with the Tibet Air Shower Array  
Phys. Rev., D47, 2675-2681 (1993) **T-II**

**Do**

Search for Steady Emission of 10-Tev Gamma Rays from the Crab Nebula, Cygnus X-3 and Hercules X-1 Using the Tibet Air Shower Array  
Phys. Rev. Lett., 69, 2468-2471 (1992) **T-II**

Tibet Group Related Publication List

1 Primary proton spectrum around the knee deduced from the emulsion chamber data obtained at Mt. Fuji and Kanbara Astroparticle Physics, in press (2002)

2 Neural Network Approach to obtain the Primary Proton Flux at the Knee from a Hybrid-Experiment of IC and AS Array in Tibet NTM, A376, 263 (1996)

3 Intensity of Protons at the "Knee" of the Cosmic Ray Spectrum Astrop. Phys., 1, 257-267 (1993)

4 Photodiode sensed scintillation counter for detection of a  
large number of cascade shower electrons  
NTM, A300, 202-206 (1991)

5 DEVELOPMENT AND PERFORMANCE TEST OF A PROTOTYPE AIR SHOWER  
ARRAY FOR SEARCH FOR GAMMA RAY POINT SOURCES IN THE VERY  
HIGH ENERGY REGION  
NTM, A288, 619-631 (1990)

6 A MONITORING SYSTEM FOR FAST-TIMING SCINTILLATION COUNTERS USED  
FOR DETECTION OF AIR SHOWERS  
NTM, A285, 532-539 (1989)

## Forth coming publication.

$\gamma$ : Mrk 421  $\tau$ -III ( $22000 \text{cm}^3$ )  
 $\tau$ -IIHD +  $\tau$ -II ( $22000 \text{cm}^3$ )

$\gamma$ : 全  $\gamma$  (DC) draft in preparation.  
No significant point source.  
Crab : the brightest.

# Physics with Tibet-III ( $37000\text{m}^2$ )

- Primary : All particle  $10^{16}$ - $10^{17}$  eV  
(consistency with UHECR)  
Modulation
- : Unknown DC & AC sources  
(  $\sim 0.5\text{crab/yr@5}$  for DC)  
Crab multi-10 TeV (IC or  $\gamma\gamma$ )  
Single Counter Trigger mode  
(sub100GeV GRB with GLAST)
- Sun : Solar Cycle 24
- Etc...

# What's After Tibet-III

Tibet-III Grants in Aid for Scientific Research:  
Until March 2005

Next Plan under Discussions

Upgrade of Burst Detectors?

Higher Density in Tibet-III?

Cherenkov Detectors?