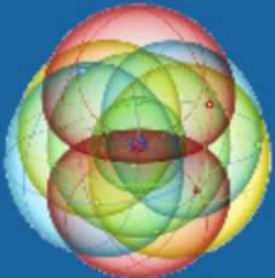


Broader Applications of Nuclear Science and Technology



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NSAC Long Range Plan Town Hall Meeting on Nuclear
Structure, Reactions and Astrophysics

November 14, 2022

Nuclear _____

Fill in the blank...

Nuclear Science

What if you asked the public...

Politicians, Funding Agencies, New students...

Nuclear Science
Nuclear Energy
Nuclear Weapons
Nuclear Medicine
Nuclear States...

Known widely for its applications...

Nuclear Science

Fundamental: Structure, Reactions...

Applied:

Reactors

Accelerators

Energy

Weapons

Medicine

Ion Implantation

Art, Archeometry

Trace Elements

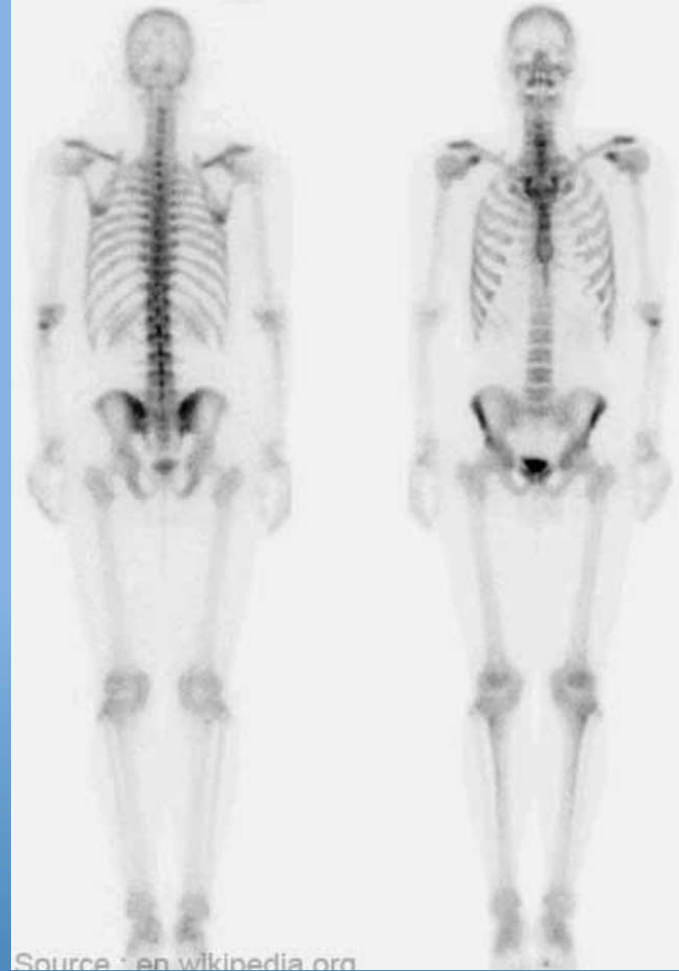
Nuclear Medicine

^{99}Tc Bone scans

- +Myocardial perfusion
- +Functional brain imaging
- +Immunoscintigraphy
- +spleen scans
- +diverticulosis

Isotopes: Therapeutic,
Diagnostic,
Theragnostic...

**Technetium 99 scan
used for identifying
bone involvement
in cancer**



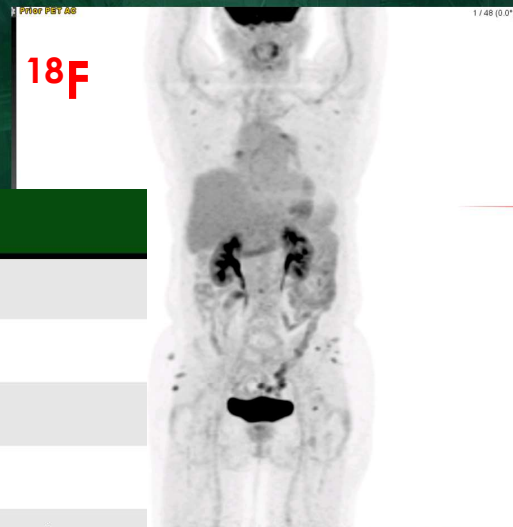
Nuclear Medicine

Expanding the Toolbox of Imaging Agents

Expanding the toolbox

From: S. Lapi UAB

Radiopharmaceutical	Use
[¹⁸ F]FLT	Proliferation
[¹³ N]NH ₃	Cardiac blood flow
[⁶⁸ Ga]DOTATATE	SSTR status
[¹⁸ F]FMISO	Hypoxia
[⁸⁹ Zr]Trastuzumab	HER2 status (breast cancer)
[¹⁸ F]FET	Amino acid transport
[¹¹ C]PiB	Amyloid
[¹⁸ F]DPA-714	TSPO (neuroinflammation)
[⁶⁸ Ga]PSMA-11	PSMA status (prostate cancer)
[⁸⁹ Zr]Panitumumab	EGFR status (colon cancer)
[¹⁸ F]AV1451	Tau protein
[⁶⁸ Ga]GZP*	Granzyme B (Immune Activation)
[¹¹ C]Acetate	Cardiac Metabolism
[⁸⁹ Zr]Oxine/White Blood Cells*	WBC tracking
[¹⁸ F]FES	Estrogen receptor
[⁶⁸ Ga]FAP-2286	Fibroblast Activation Protein



[¹⁸F]FDG



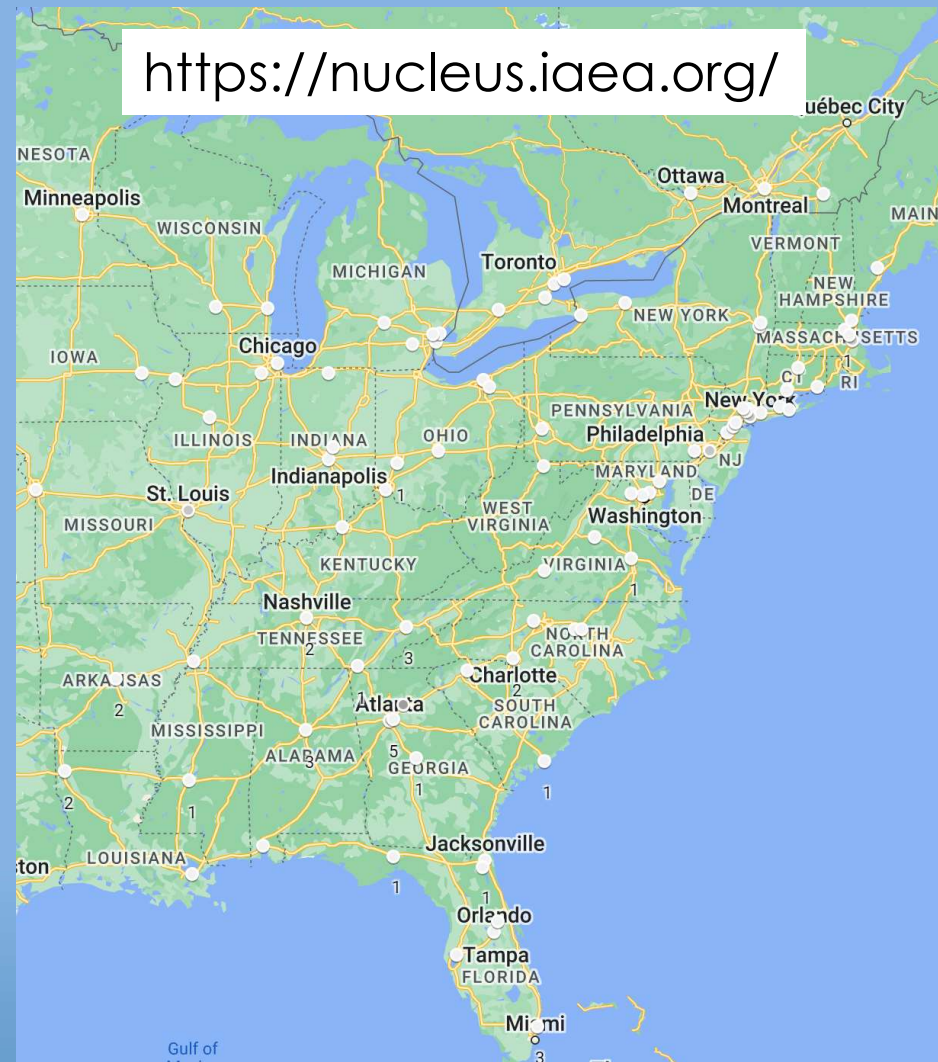
[⁶⁸Ga]DOTATATE

Courtesy J. McConathy, UAB

Therapeutic,
 Diagnostic,
 Theragnostic...

Nuclear Medicine

- > 1500 cyclotrons worldwide
- > 200 in US



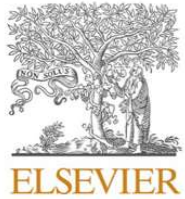
Medical Accelerators: Therapeutic
Isotope production

Now including a LINAC: FRIB & Isotope Harvesting

Need for more research:

Isotope production on the proton-rich side:

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A heavy-ion production channel of ^{149}Tb via ^{63}Cu bombardment of ^{89}Y

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**Avoiding $^{149\text{m}}\text{Tb}$
production**

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Heavy-ion production of ^{77}Br
and ^{76}Br

Sean R. McGuinness[✉], John T. Wilkinson & Graham F. Peaslee

$^{16}\text{O} + \text{natCu}$ instead of:
 $p + ^{78}\text{Se}$
 $\alpha + ^{75}\text{As}$

Need for more research:

The problems with ^{44}Sc isotope production

Physical characteristics of relevant Sc radioisotopes

Radionuclide	Half-life	Decay mode	Energy of particles or photons (keV)
^{43}Sc	3.89 h	β^+	1198 825
$^{44\text{g}}\text{Sc}$	3.97 h ^a	β^+	1475 1157
$^{44\text{m}}\text{Sc}$	58.6 h	γ	271 1002 1126 1157
^{46}Sc	83.79 d	β^-	357 889 1121
^{47}Sc	3.35 d	β^-	600 439 153 1120

2022 $^{27}\text{Al}(^{19}\text{F},\text{p}2\text{n})\dots$

$^{46}\text{Ti}(\text{p},\alpha)\dots$

$^{44}\text{Ca}(\text{p},\text{n})\dots$

Ion Implantation

Materials modifications

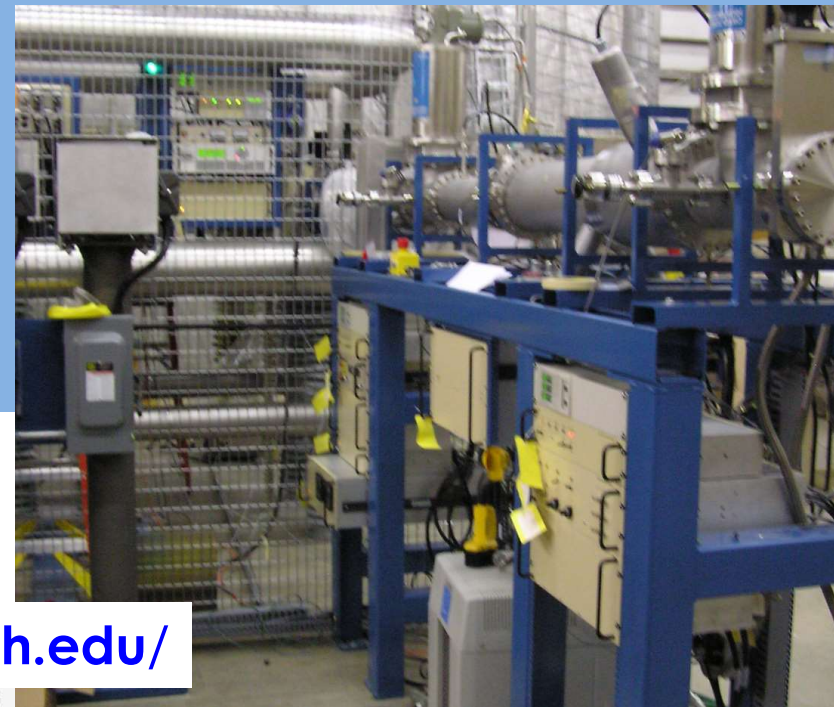
Ion Beams Produced in the 400 kV NEC Implanter

○ Ions implanted (42)

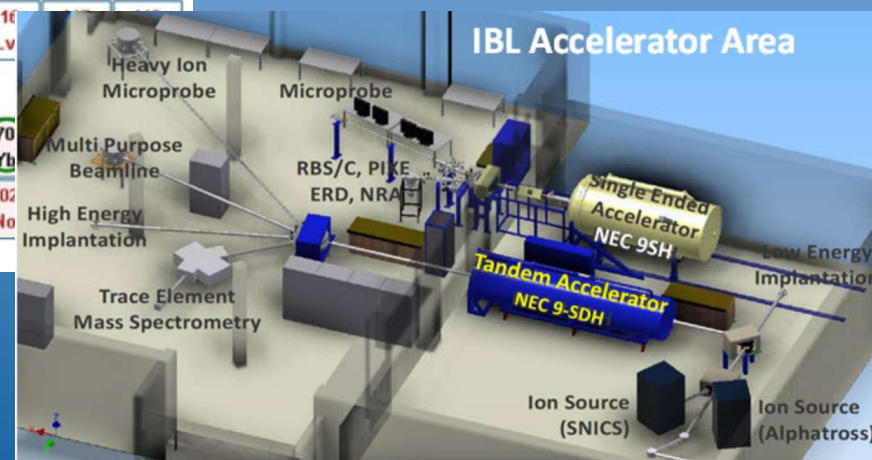
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3	11 Na	12 Mg											13 Al	14 Si	15 P	16 S	17 Cl	18 Ar
4	19 K	20 Ca	21 Sc	22 Ti	23 V	24 Cr	25 Mn	26 Fe	27 Co	28 Ni	29 Cu	30 Zn	31 Ga	32 Ge	33 As	34 Se	35 Br	36 Kr
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UNT Ion Beam Laboratory

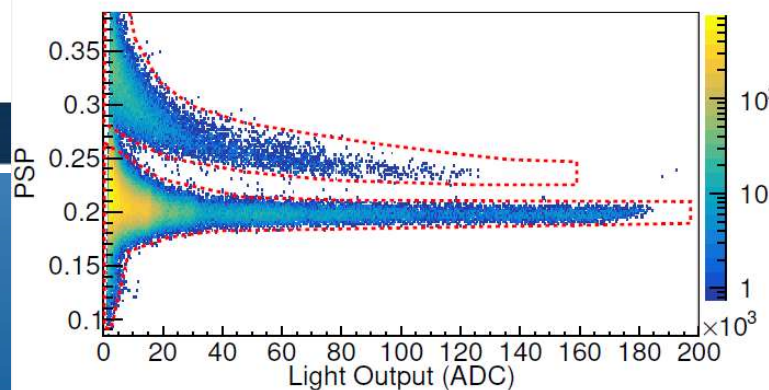
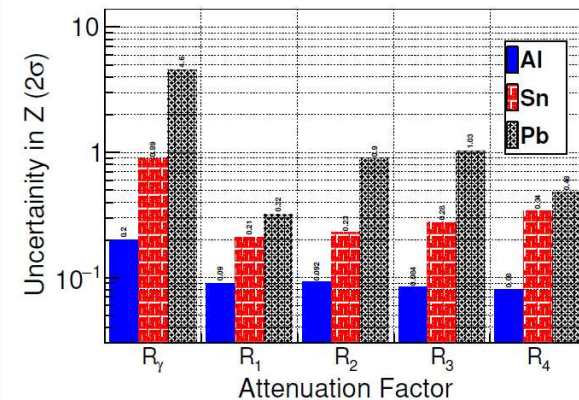
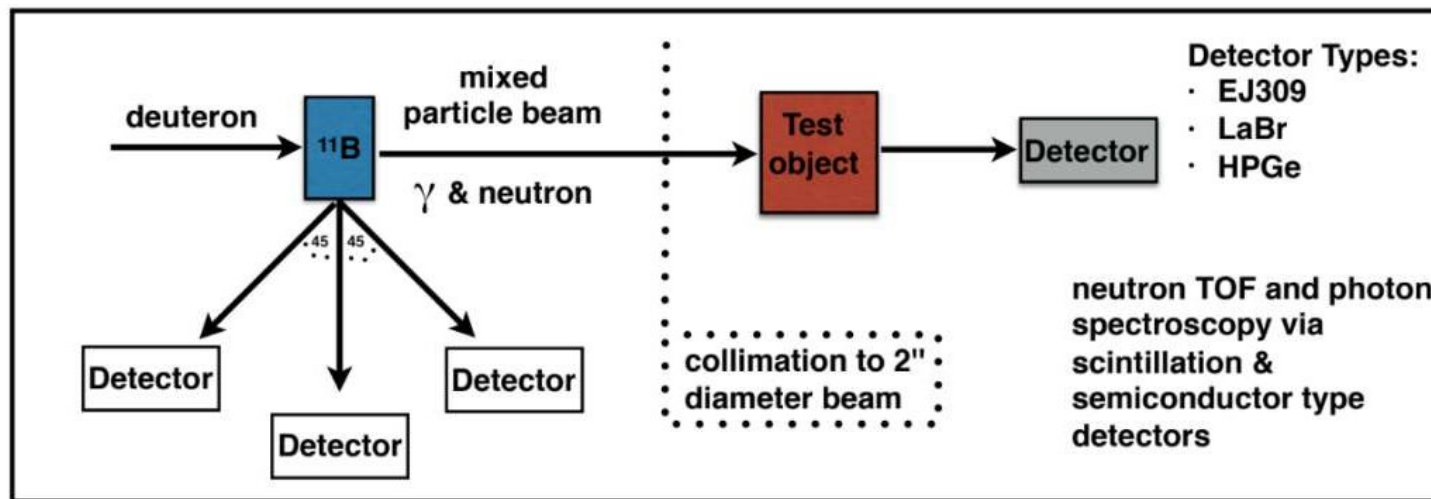


DHS: Tomography with neutron beams

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High-Contrast Material Identification by Energetic Multiparticle Spectroscopic Transmission Radiography

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Environmental Applications



PIXE Art verification



AGLAE: Accélérateur Grand Louvre d'analyse élémentaire

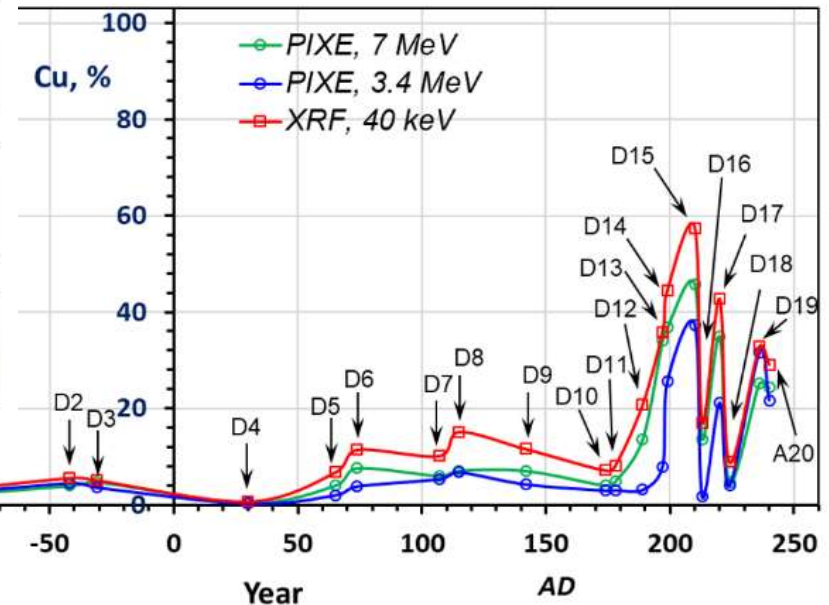


Full length article

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Differential PIXE



Environmental Applications

Radiocarbon dating via AMS

Historical Radiocarbon via AMS
Climate Research: UC-Irvine



3700 yo : Ötzi the Iceman



W. M. KECK CARBON CYCLE
ACCELERATOR MASS
SPECTROMETER (KCCAMS)
FACILITY

Pharma Applications

Use sensitivity of AMS (10^{-18} moles ^{14}C) to trace carbon pharmacokinetics in human subject trials...

LLNL 250 kV SSAMS spectrometer for biomedical ^{14}C measurements



Identification and Quantification of Drugs, Metabolites, Drug Metabolizing Enzymes, and Transporters (Second Edition)

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Chapter 6 - AMS in drug development: Exploring the current utility of AMS and future opportunities for absolute bioavailability and ADME investigations

Absorption, Distribution, Metabolism and Excretion.

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Environmental Applications



PIGE Analysis of ^{19}F

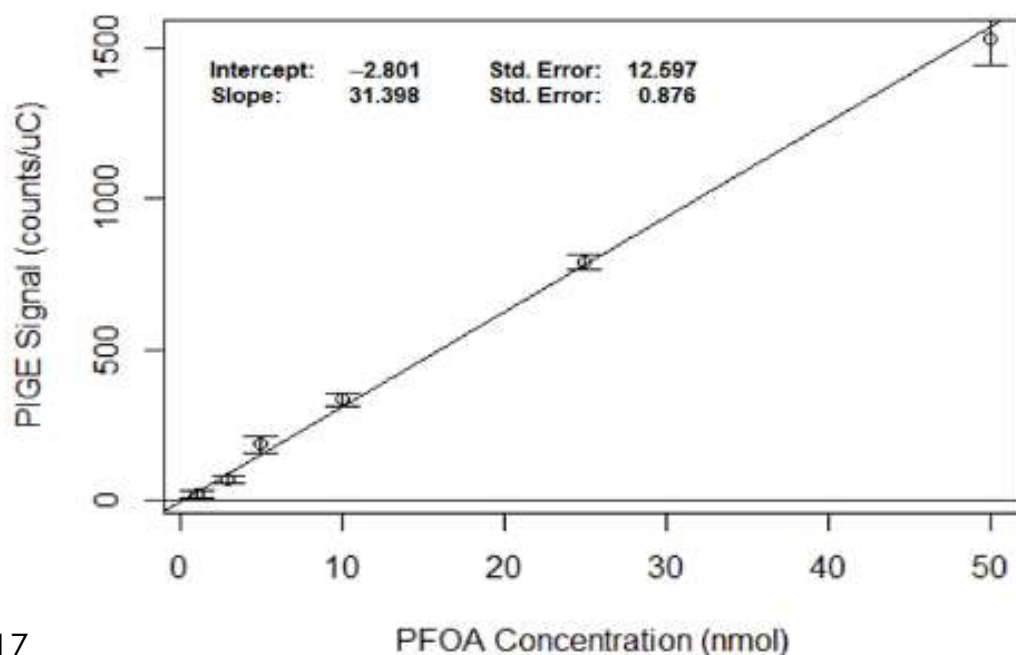
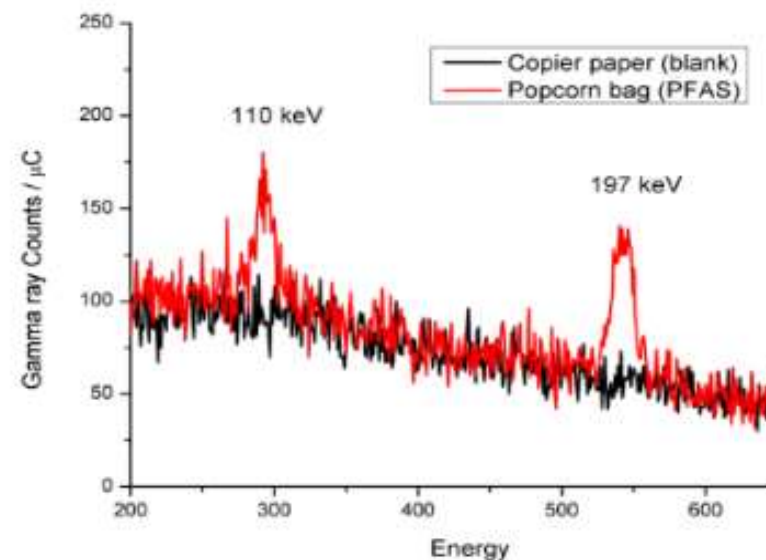
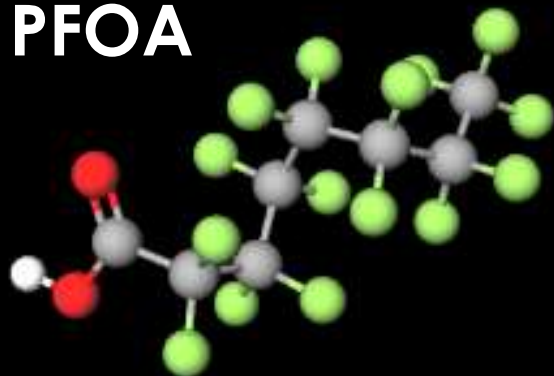


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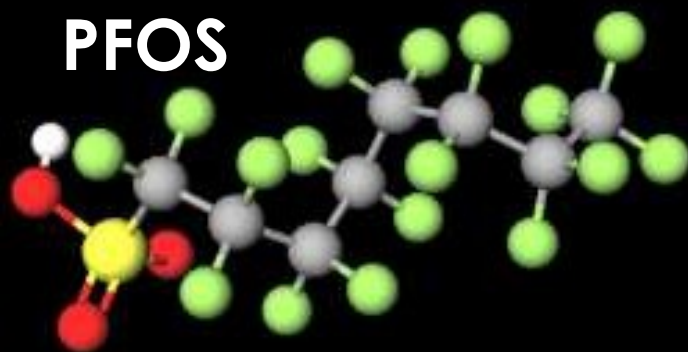


The "Forever" Chemicals: PFAS

PFOA

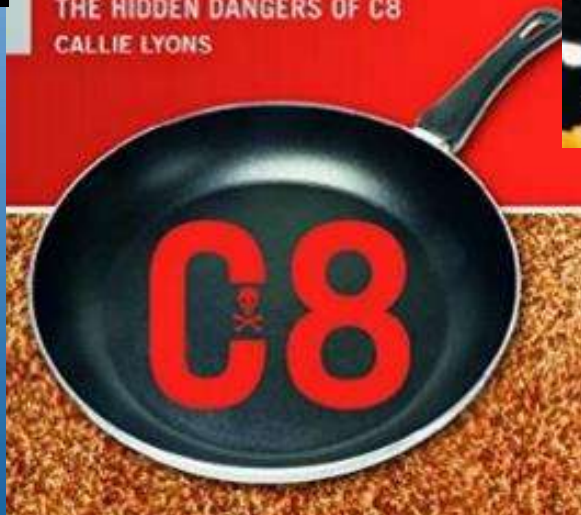


PFOS



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NONSTICK, WATERPROOF,
AND LETHAL**

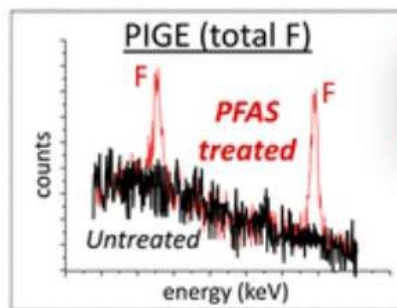
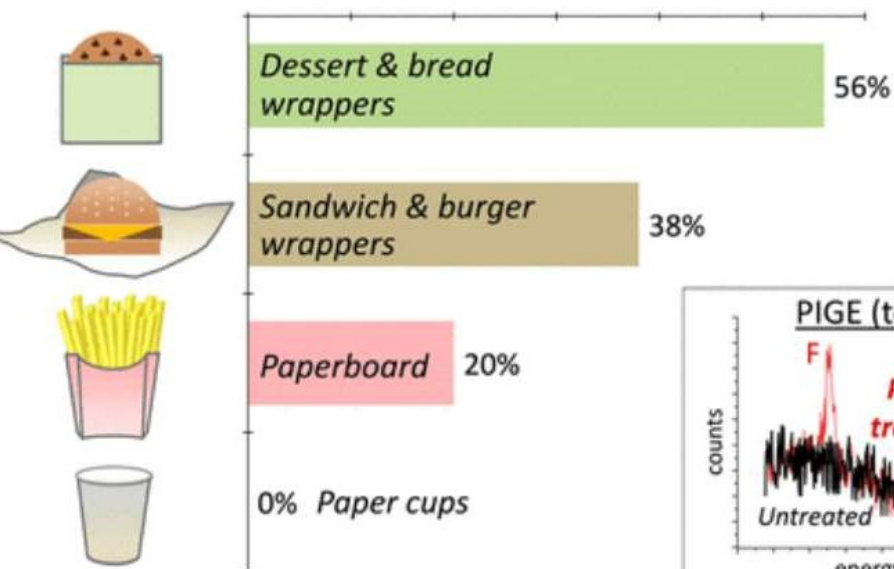
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Fluorinated Compounds in U.S. Fast Food Packaging

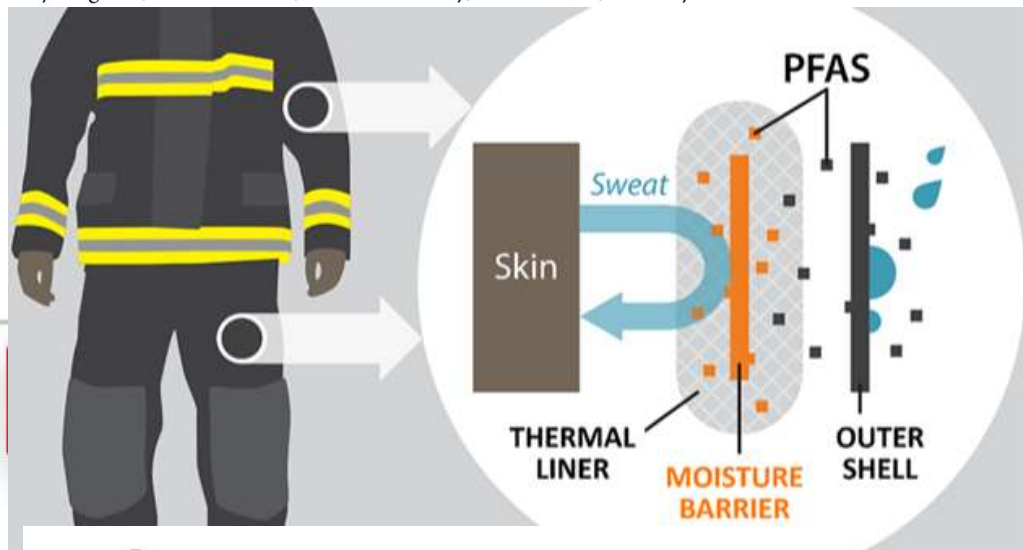
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Percent with fluorine



Another Pathway for Firefighter Exposure to Per- and Polyfluoroalkyl Substances: Firefighter Textiles

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International Association of Fire Fighters
University of Notre Dame study
substances (PFAS) in firefighter gear

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

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The research studies conducted by the IAFF as they provide the data fire fighters are most exposed to

Dr. Peaslee's latest research acknowledges PFAS from the use of AFFF, valid firefighting and training. Dr. Peaslee another viable source of exposure

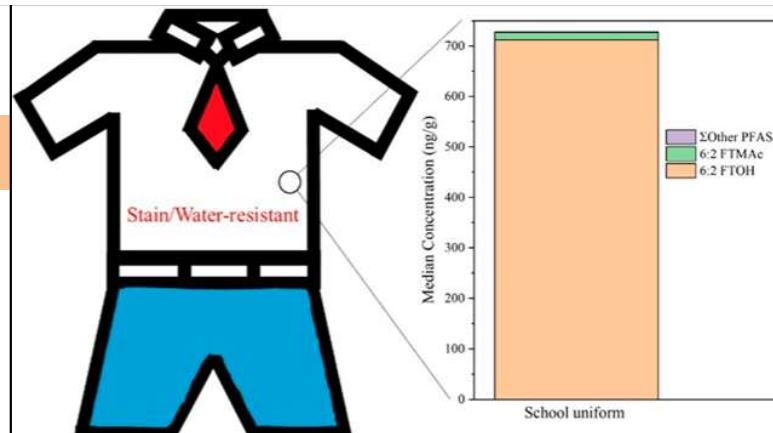
His research has provided new information on how these chemicals could transfer from direct contact with skin. This is information from PPE and present a risk of exposure

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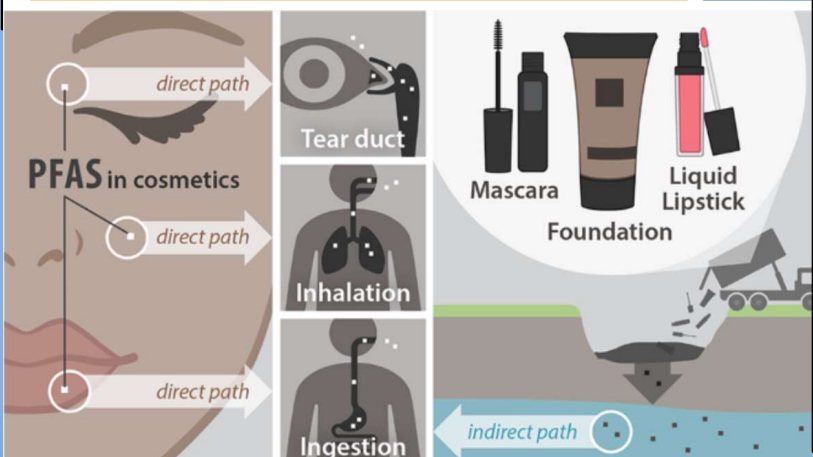


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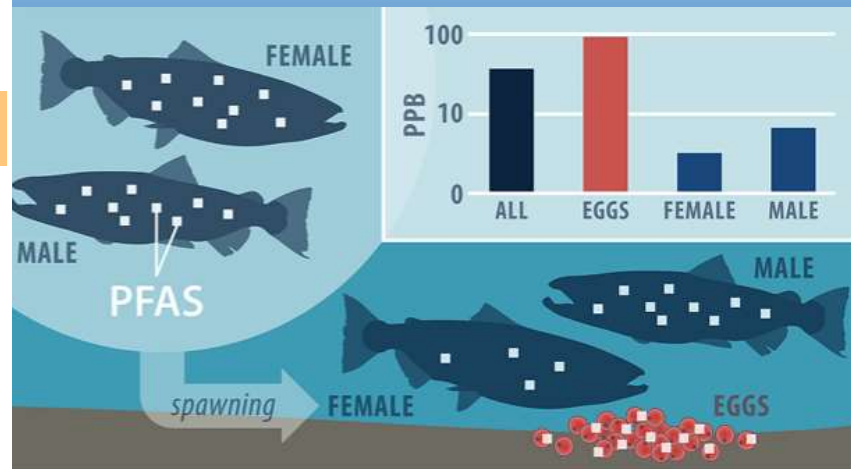
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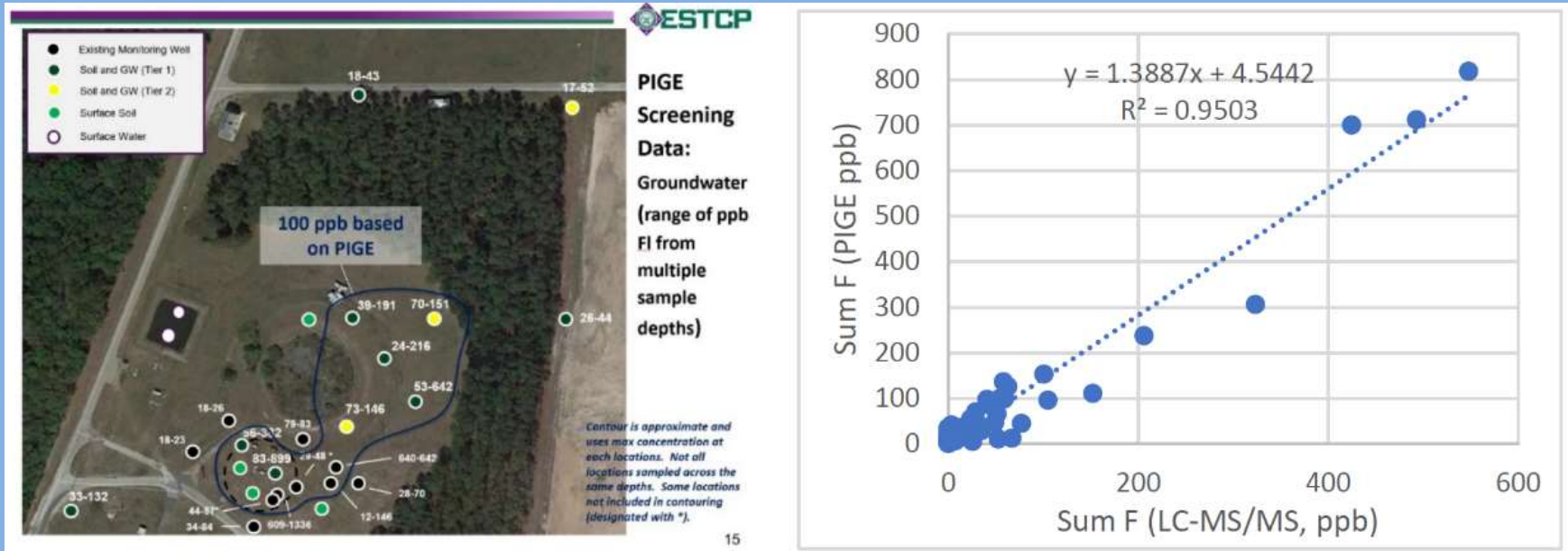
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Field-Deployable PIGE Analysis

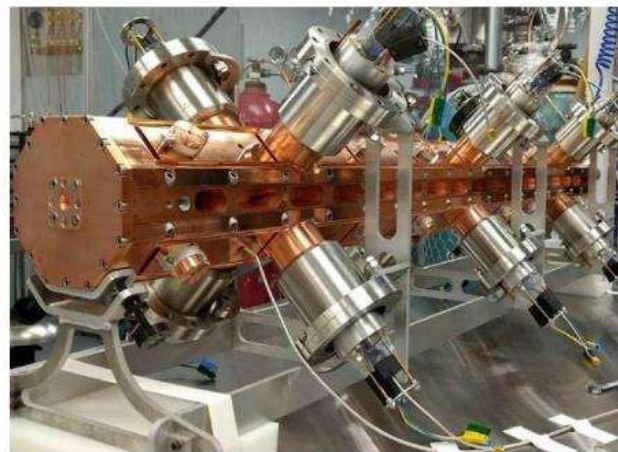
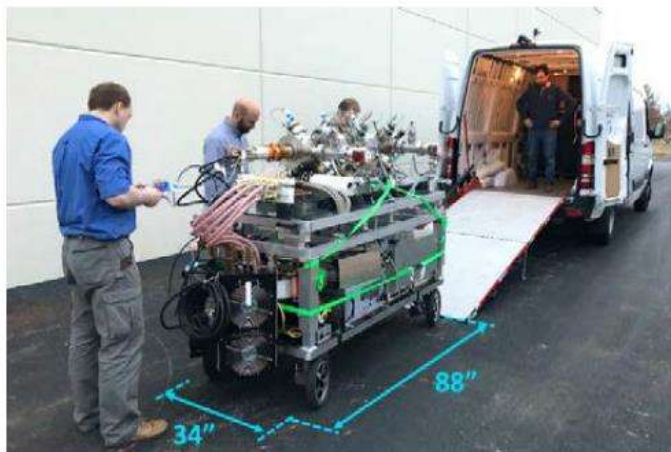


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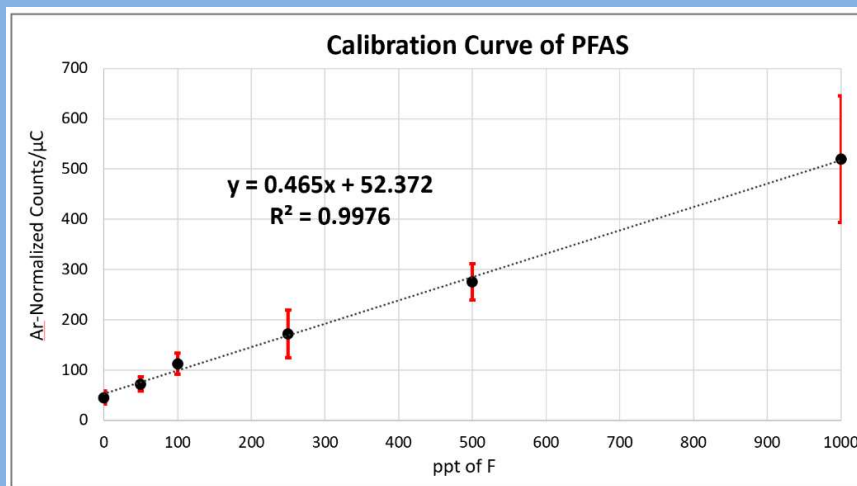
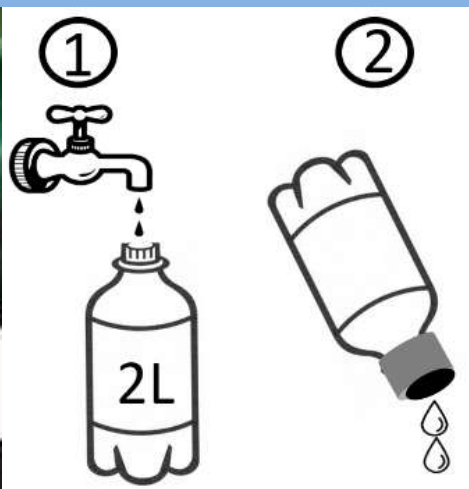


Environmental Applications

Field-deployable Solid-Phase Extraction/PIGE



GAC felt



PIGE analysis of ^{19}F : Screening for PFAS

High sensitivity in drinking water:
MDL <20 ng/L for 4.0 L samples



Commercialization: Forever Analytical Services, LLC

The role of funding agencies...

Provide stable funding opportunities for basic research in nuclear science...

However, Federal budgets are rarely increasing and we are increasingly asked what is the purpose/benefits of basic research?

Including a small mix of applied nuclear science in the funding portfolio will increase visibility, attract students and can take advantage of current events to increase funding streams...

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