

The Cosmic ray energy spectrum in the 2nd knee region measured by the TALE-SD array

Summary Slide

• What is this contribution about?

This is about the TALE-SD array performance.

• Why is it relevant / interesting?

In the energy region observed by TALE SD array, the origin of cosmic rays is expected to be in transition from intragalactic to extra-galactic.

• What have we done?

We performed MC simulations to evaluate the performance of our TALE-SD array.

• What is the result?

We evaluate the energy resolutions ~ 20%, @10^{16.7} eV to $10^{18.5}$ eV, and the resolution of the arrival direction = 1.5° ~ 3° @ $10^{16.7}$ eV to $10^{18.5}$ eV, also, the aperture saturates at $10^{18.3}$ eV with ~ $20 \text{km}^2 \text{sr}$.