

# **SpinQuest Target Overview**

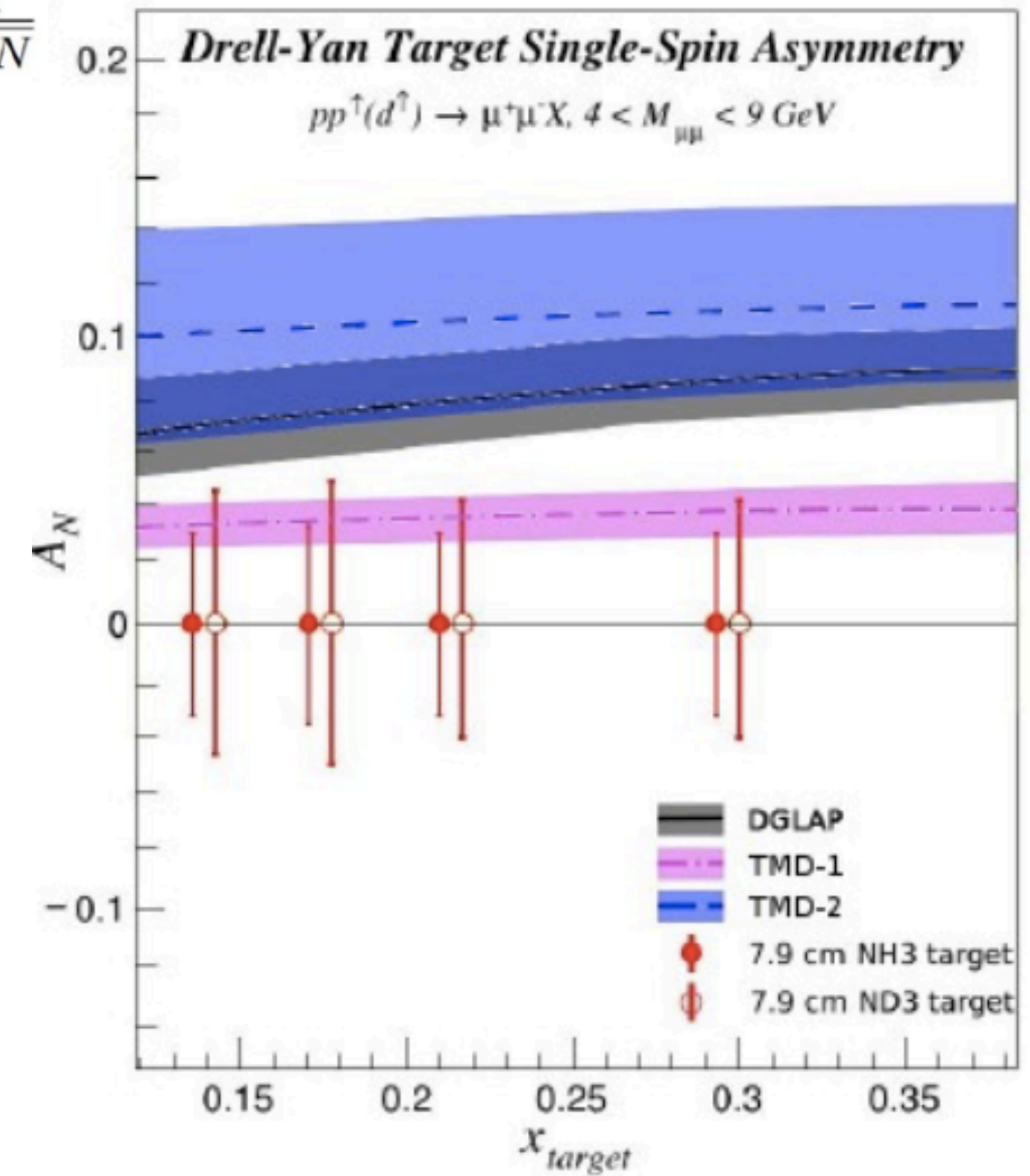
**E1039 Polarized target system and cryogenics**

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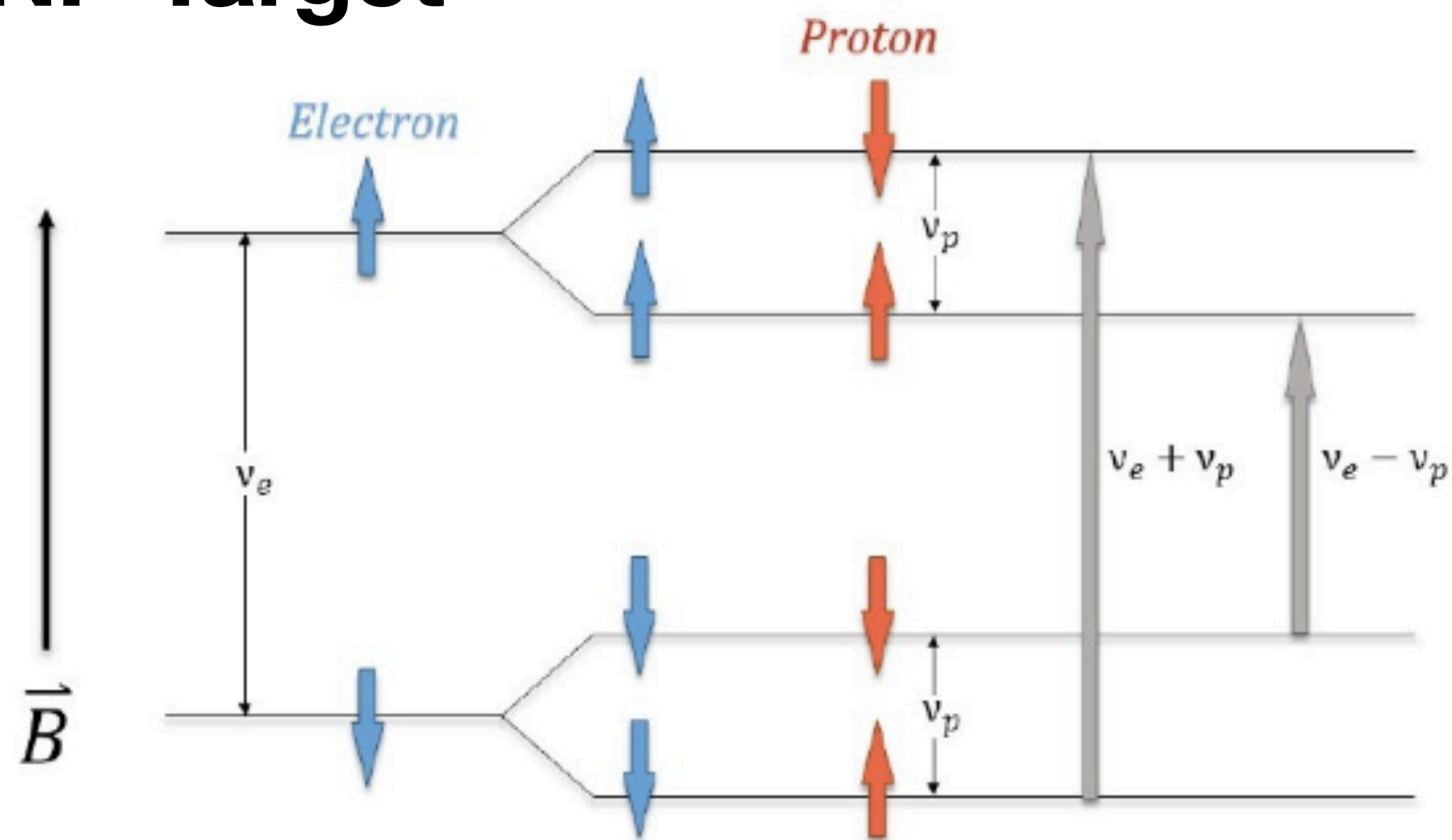
# Expected Uncertainties

- Statistical: 3%-5% absolute error
  - Dependent on polarization, dilution, events
  - Dependent on run time
- Systematic: Mostly relative error, some absolute. Numbers listed hopeful upper bounds
  - Target: ~6/7% (P/D)
    - Dilution: 3%
    - Packing Fraction: 2%
    - Density: 1%
    - Polarization: 2.5%/4.5% (P/D)
    - Polarization Homogeneity: 2%
    - Uneven Decay: 3%
    - Alignment: small absolute possible
  - Beam: 2.5%
    - Relative Luminosity: 1%
    - Drifts: 2% (Absolute possible)
    - Scraping: 1%
  - Detector: 1% (Some relative, Absolute possible)

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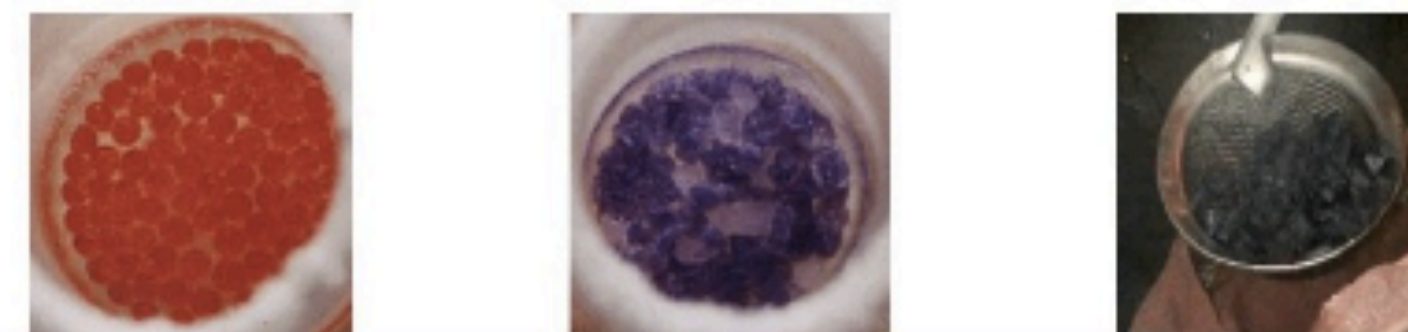


# DNP Target



Successful material for DNP characterized by three measures:

1. Maximum polarization
2. Dilution factor
3. Resistance to ionizing radiation

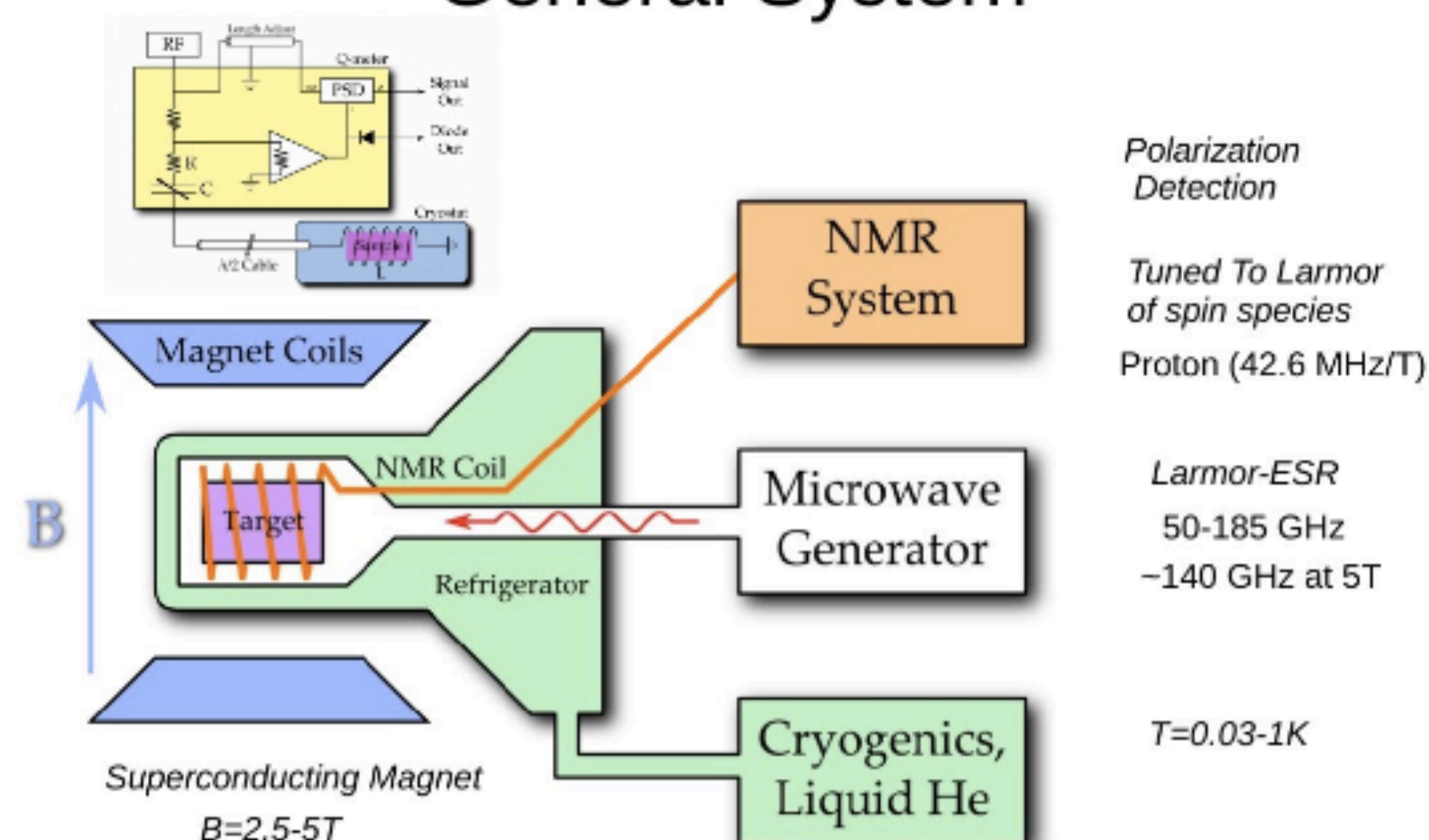


Material	Butanol	Ammonia, NH <sub>3</sub>	Lithium Hydride, <sup>7</sup> LiH
Dopant	Chemical	Irradiation	Irradiation
Dil. Factor (%)	13.5	17.6	25.0
Polarization (%)	90-95	90-95	90
Material	D-Butanol	D-Ammonia, ND <sub>3</sub>	Lithium Deuteride, <sup>6</sup> LiH
Dil. Factor (%)	23.8	30.0	50.0
Polarization (%)	40	50	55
Rad. Resistance	moderate	high	very high
Comments	Easy to produce and handle	Works well at 5T/1K	Slow polarization, but long T <sub>1</sub>

- Dynamic Nuclear Polarization
  - Dope target material with paramagnetic centers: chemical or irradiation doping to just the right density (10<sup>19</sup> spins/cm<sup>3</sup>)
  - Polarize the centers: Just stick it in a magnetic field
  - Use microwaves to transfer this polarization to nuclei: mutual electron-proton spin flips re-arrange the nuclear Zeeman populations to favor one spin state over the other
- Optimize so that DNP is performed at  $B/T$  conditions where electron  $t_1$  is short (ms) and nuclear  $t_1$  is long (minutes or hours)

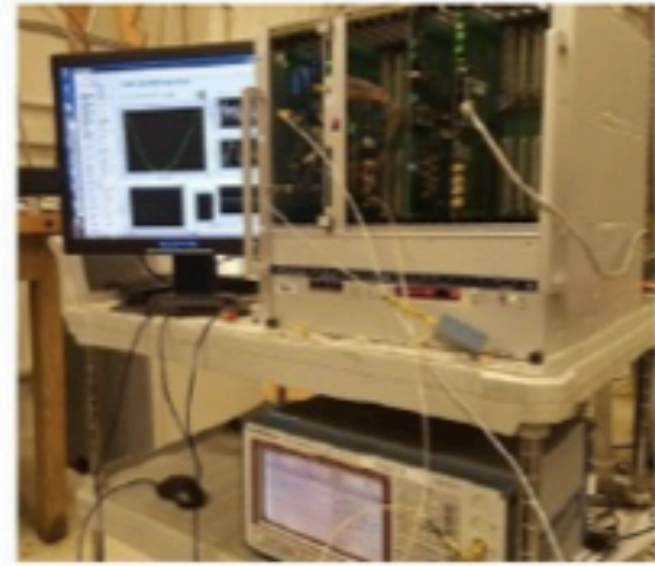
$$P_{TE} = \frac{e^{\frac{\mu B}{kT}} - e^{-\frac{\mu B}{kT}}}{e^{\frac{\mu B}{kT}} + e^{-\frac{\mu B}{kT}}} = \tanh\left(\frac{\mu B}{kT}\right)$$

## General System



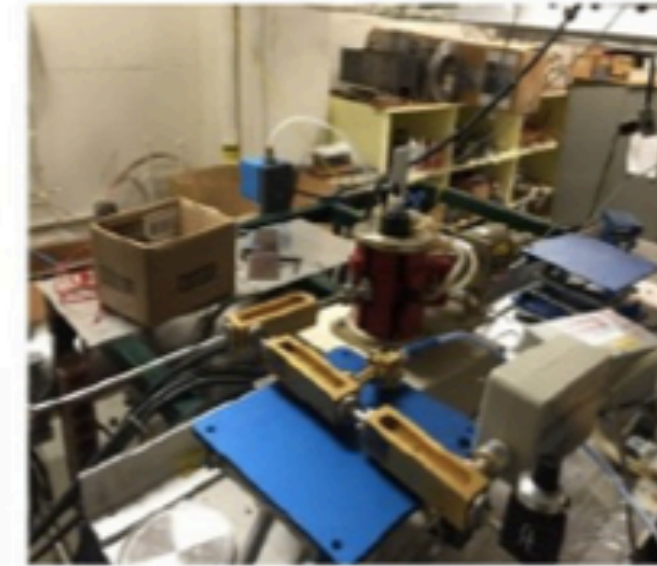
# Polarized Target Subsystems

UVA-LANL: Three completely new NMRs

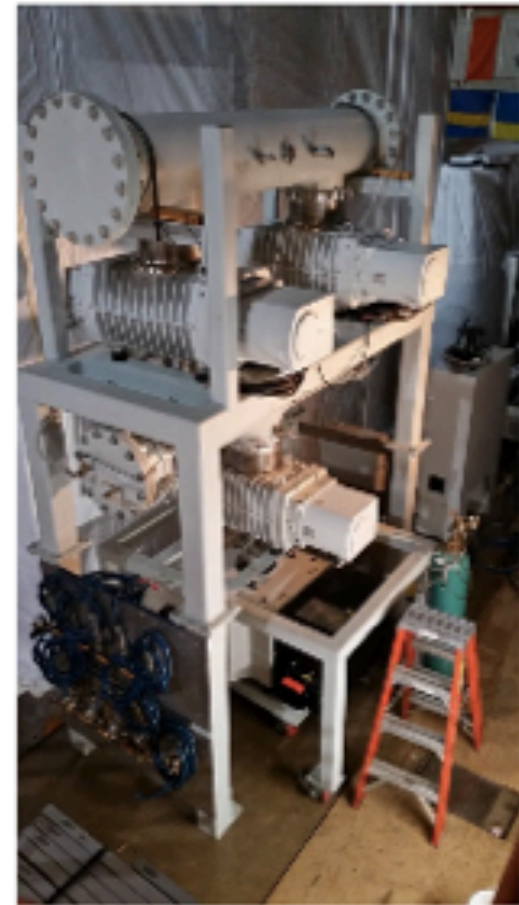


UVA: Design

○ Insert



UVA: Tune System and Automation



○ NMR

○ Microwave



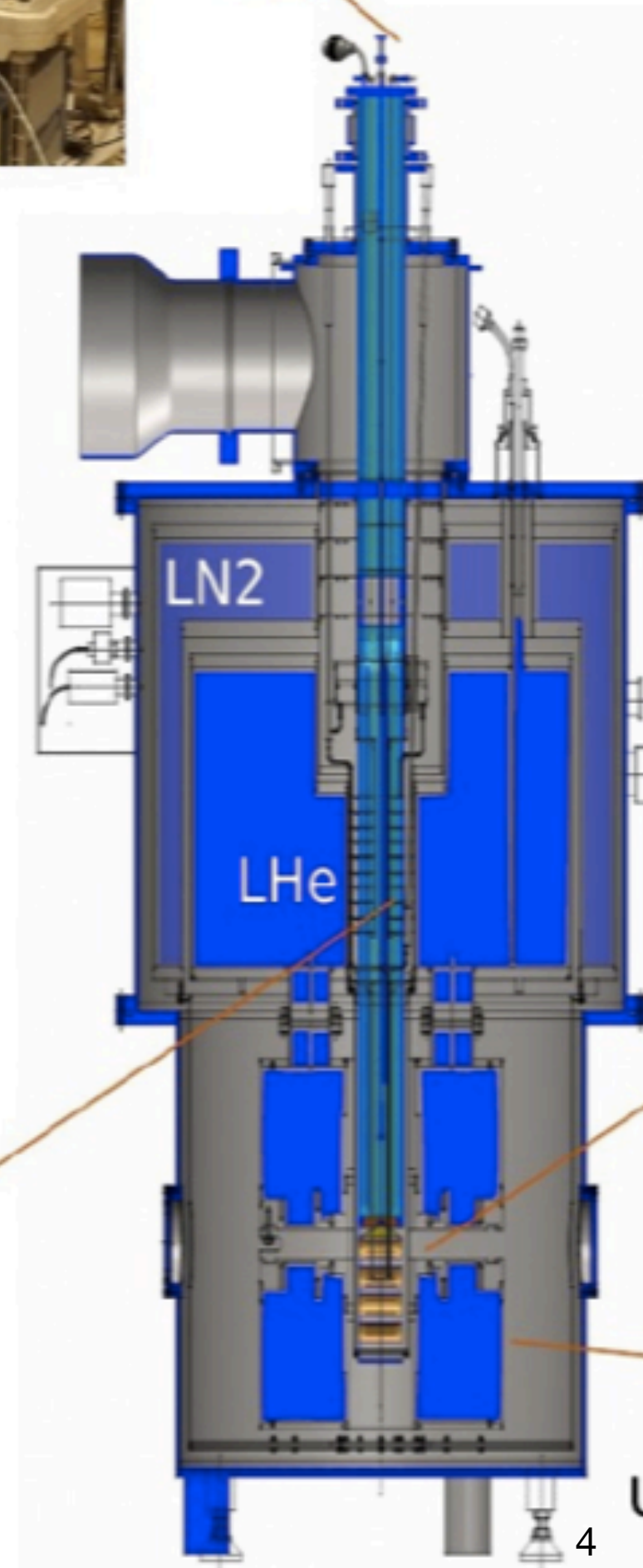
○ Target material

UVA: Target Insert with longest cell at 8 cm for 5T



○ Pumps

14,000 providing the highest cooling power for 1K system



○ Fridge

○ Magnet



UVA: Configure Fridge and Insert, Commission for Optimal running, setup with Actuator

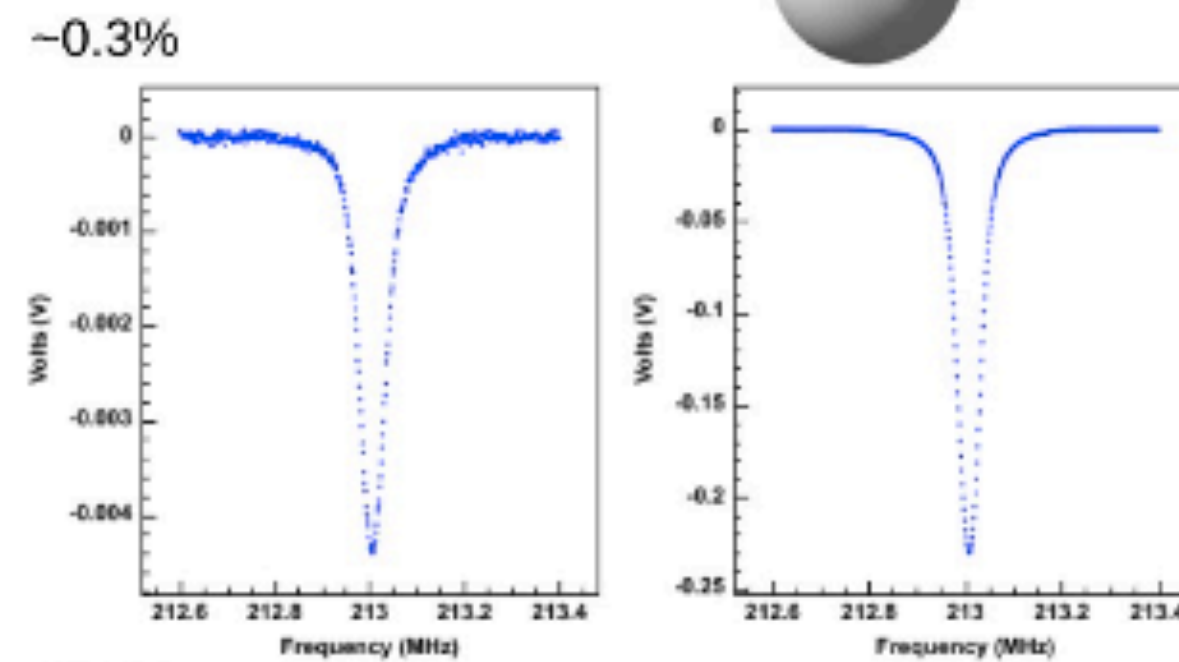
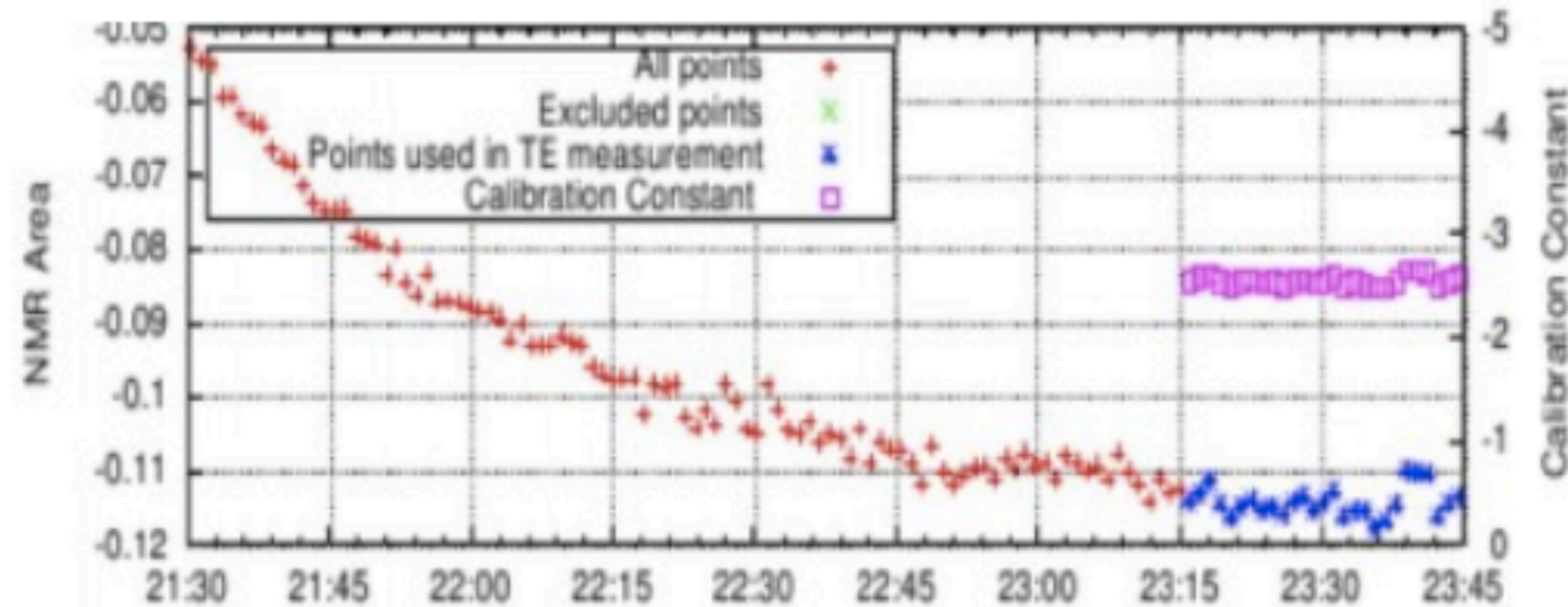
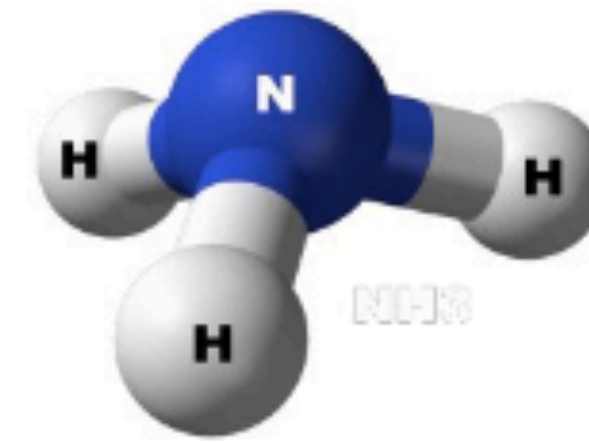
UVA: Commissioning, Slow Controls, Quench Study, Beamline interface

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NH <sub>3</sub>	0.867	7.9	91.7	0.176	0.6	80%
ND <sub>3</sub>	1.007	7.9	82.9	0.3	0.6	32%

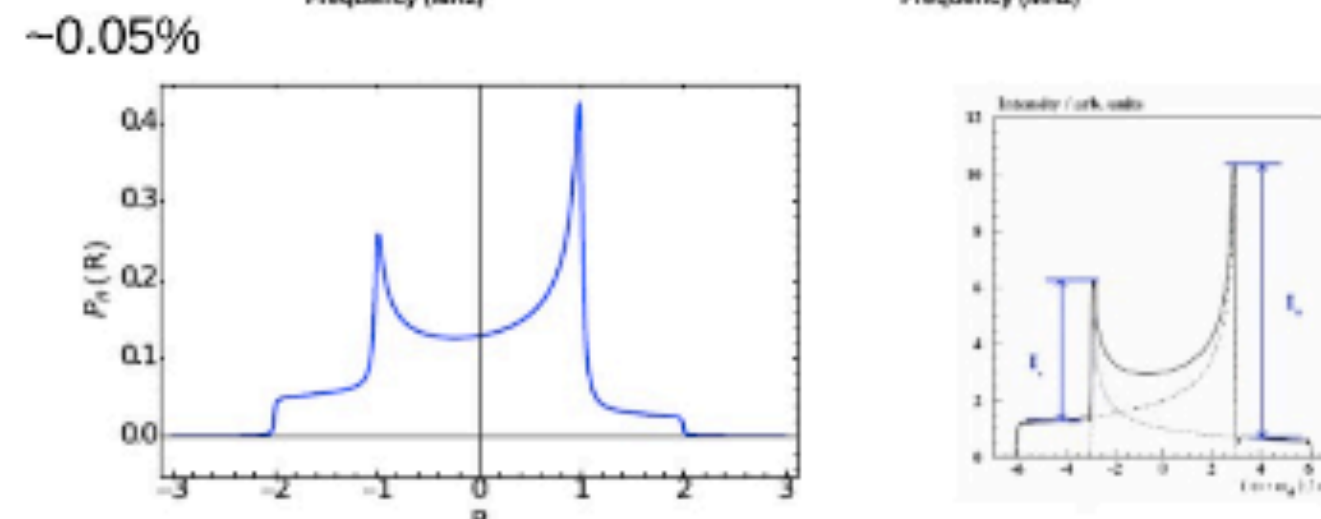
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$$f \equiv \frac{N_{p,polarizable}}{N_p + N_n} = \frac{p \times 3}{p \times (7 + 3) + n \times 7} = \frac{3}{17}$$



Proton  
 $P_{TE} = \tanh\left(\frac{\mu B}{kT}\right)$

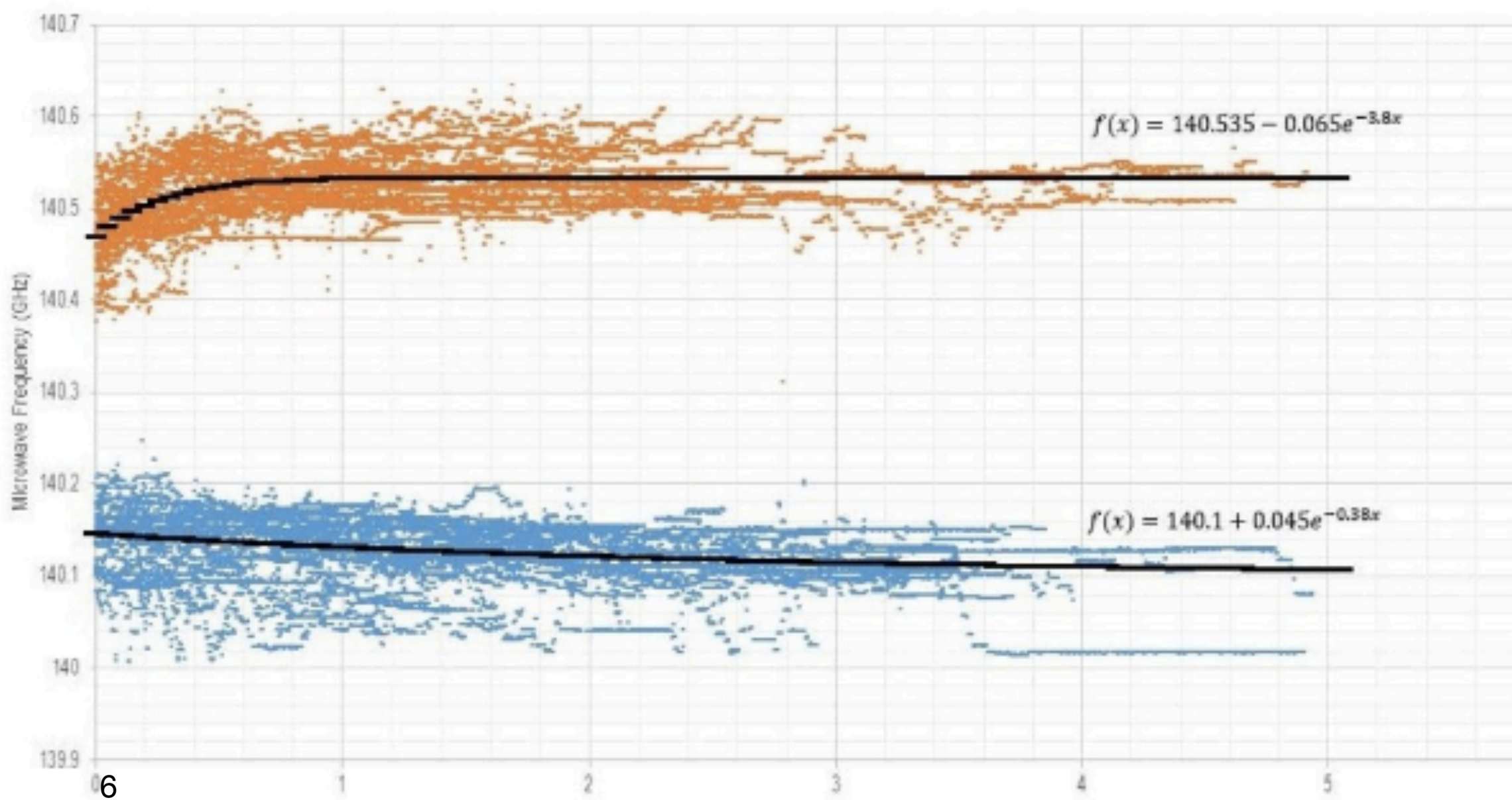
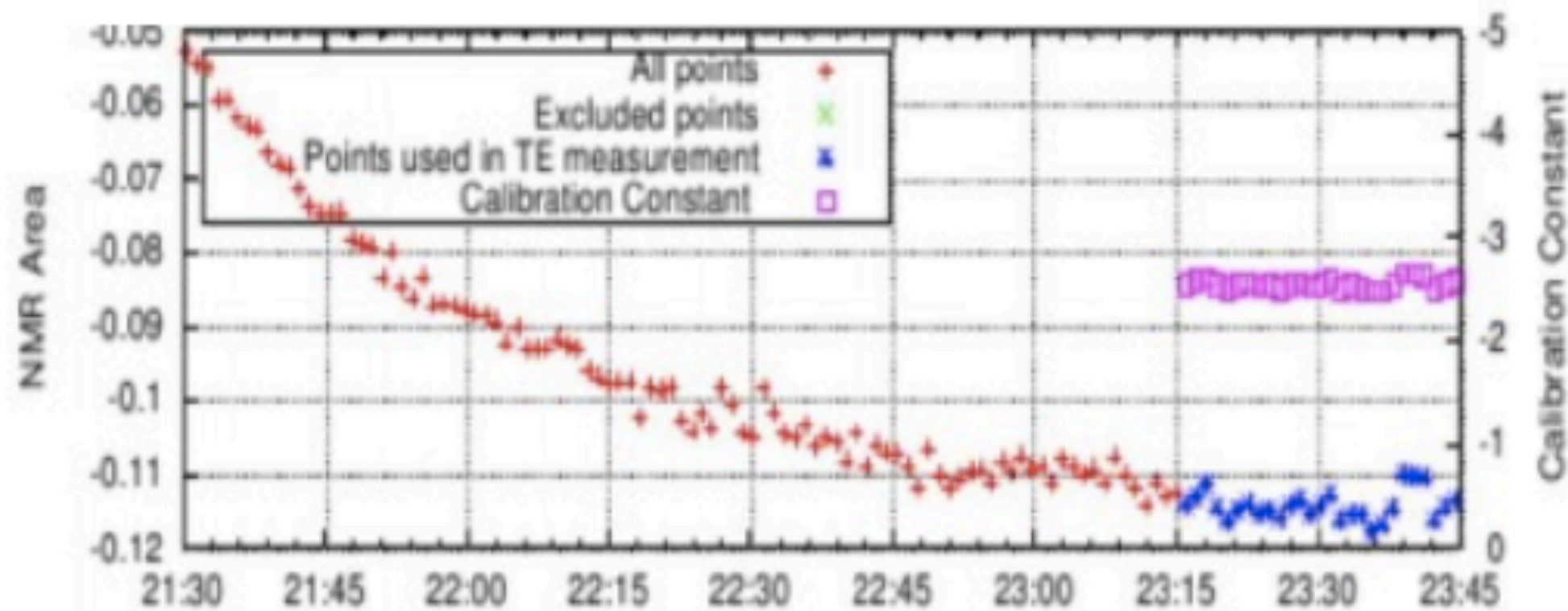
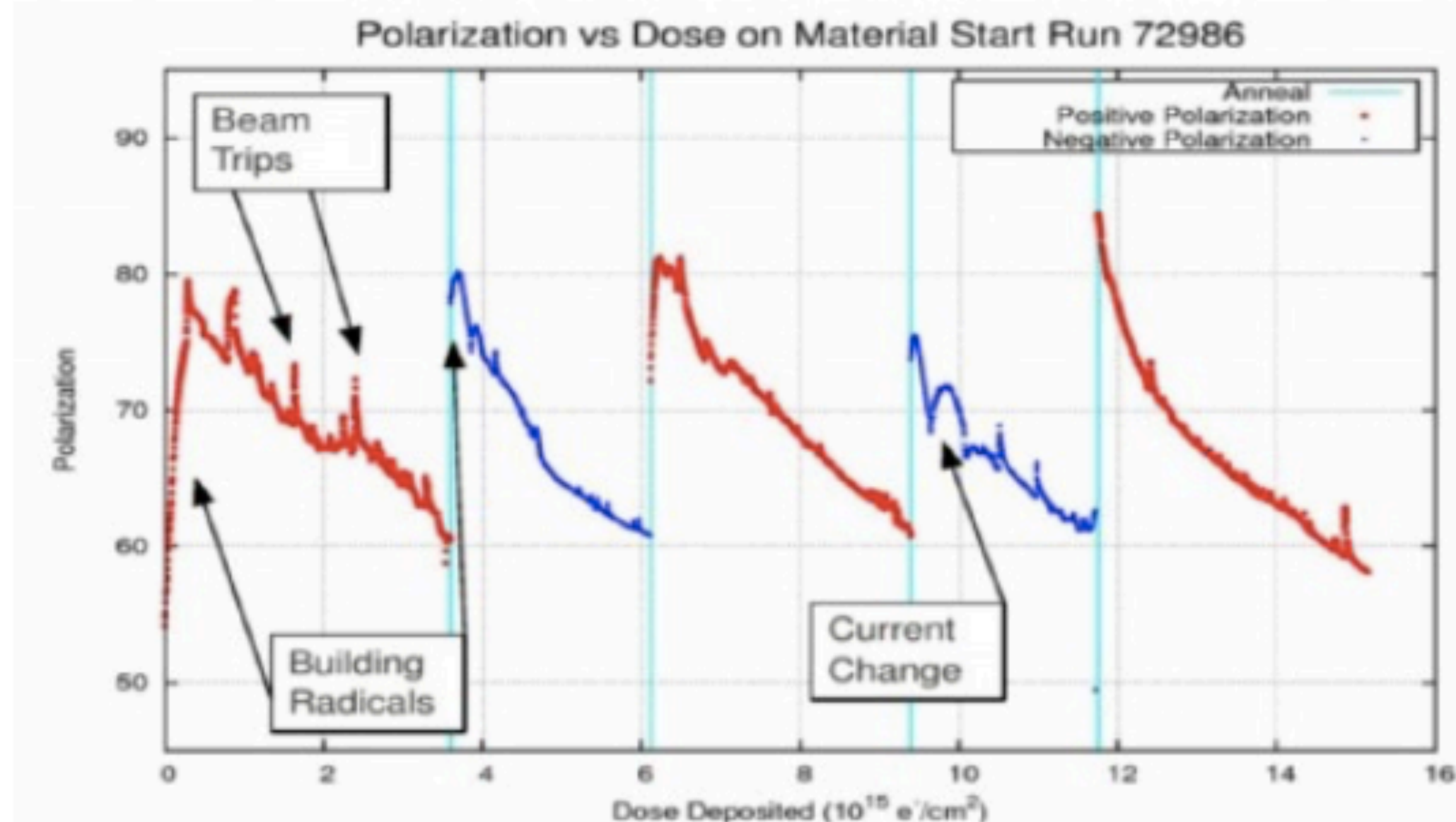


Deuteron  
 $P_{TE} = \frac{4 + \tanh\left(\frac{\mu B}{2kT}\right)}{3 + \tanh^2\left(\frac{\mu B}{2kT}\right)}$   
 $P_z = \frac{R^2 - 1}{R^2 + R + 1}$

5 Neutron  $P_n = (1 - 1.5\alpha_D)P_d \approx 0.91P_d$

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# SpinQuest

## A target system to operate at the proton intensity frontier

- At least  $3 \times 10^{12}$  protons/spill
- 8 cm long target of  $\text{NH}_3$  and  $\text{ND}_3$
- Several Watts of cooling available: 14000  $\text{m}^3/\text{hour}$  pump
- 5T vertically pointing field (close to critical temperature each spill)
- Luminosity of  $2 \times 10^{35} \text{cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$

# DNP Refrigerator

## High Cooling Power Evaporation System





# Target Insert

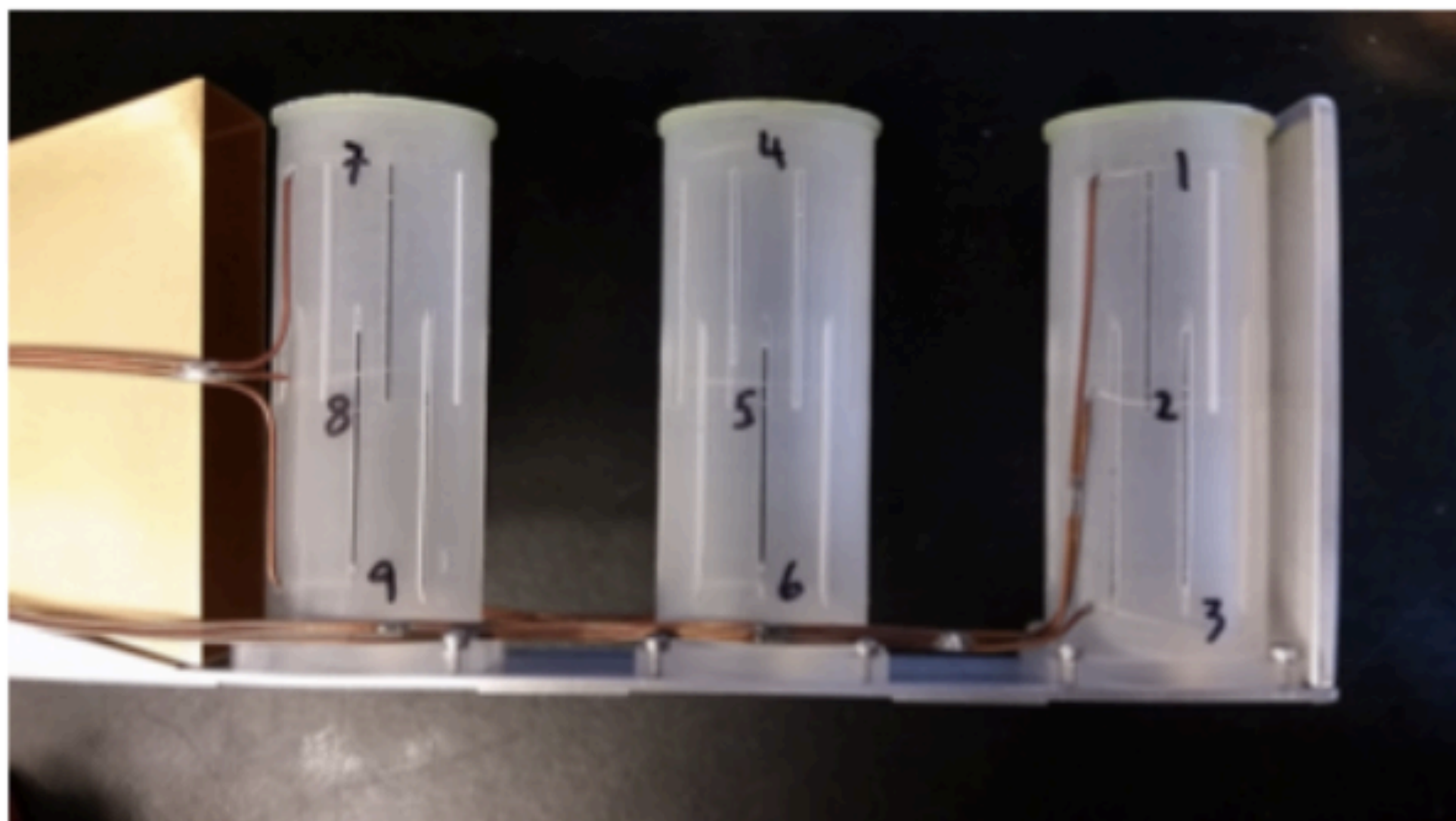
Carbon fiber with copper heat sink

20X27 mm elliptical cells

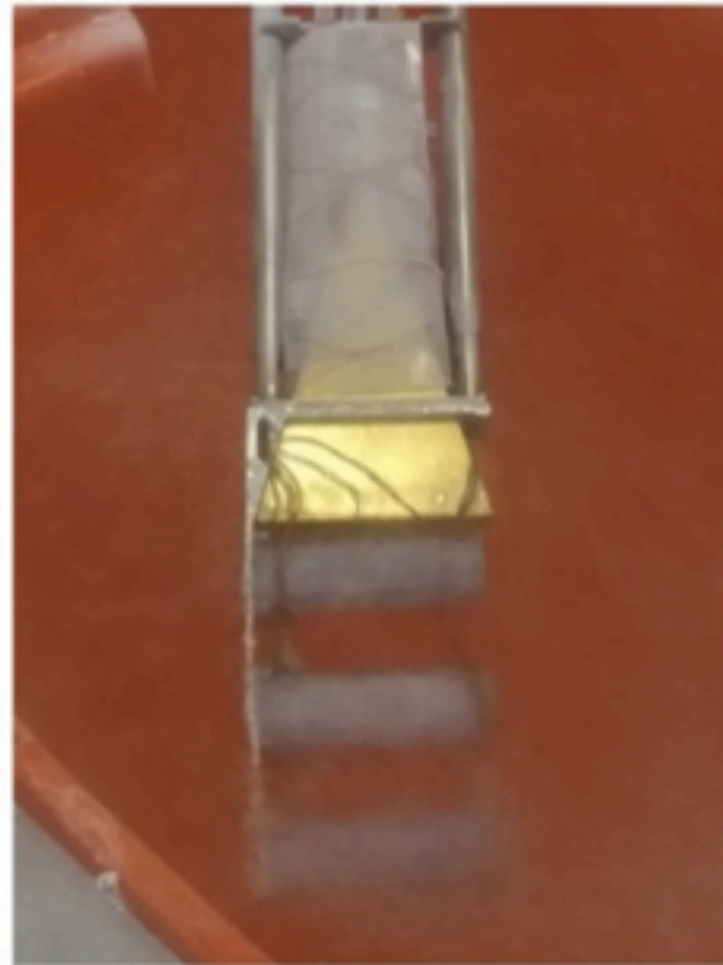
long cell length microwave horn



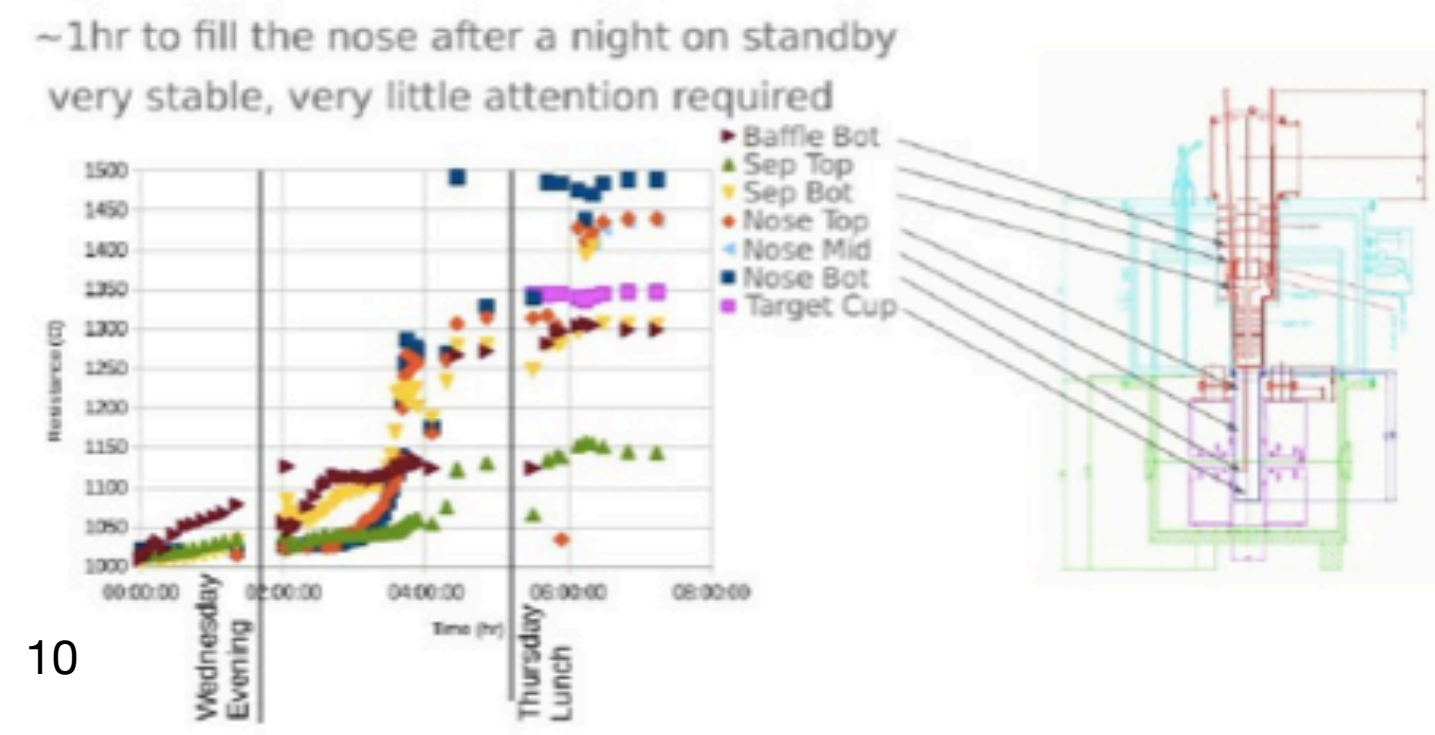
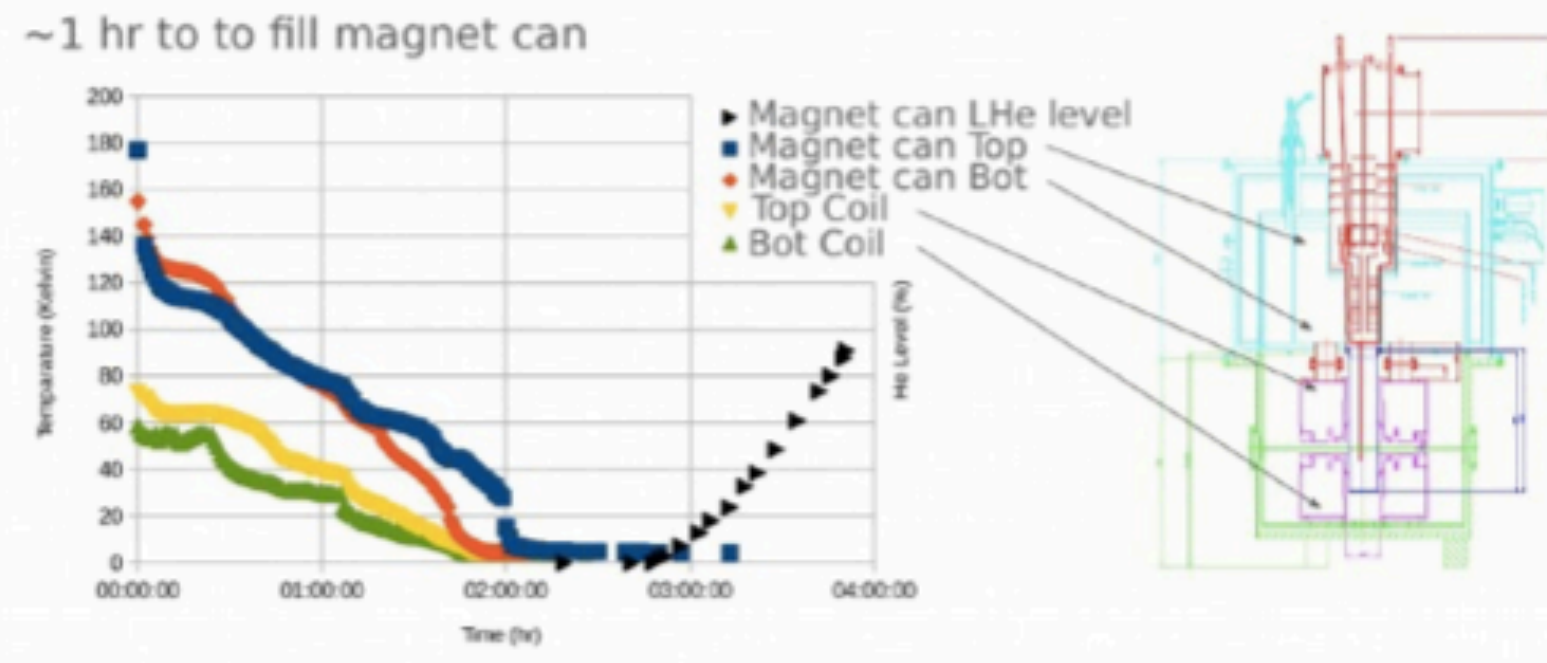
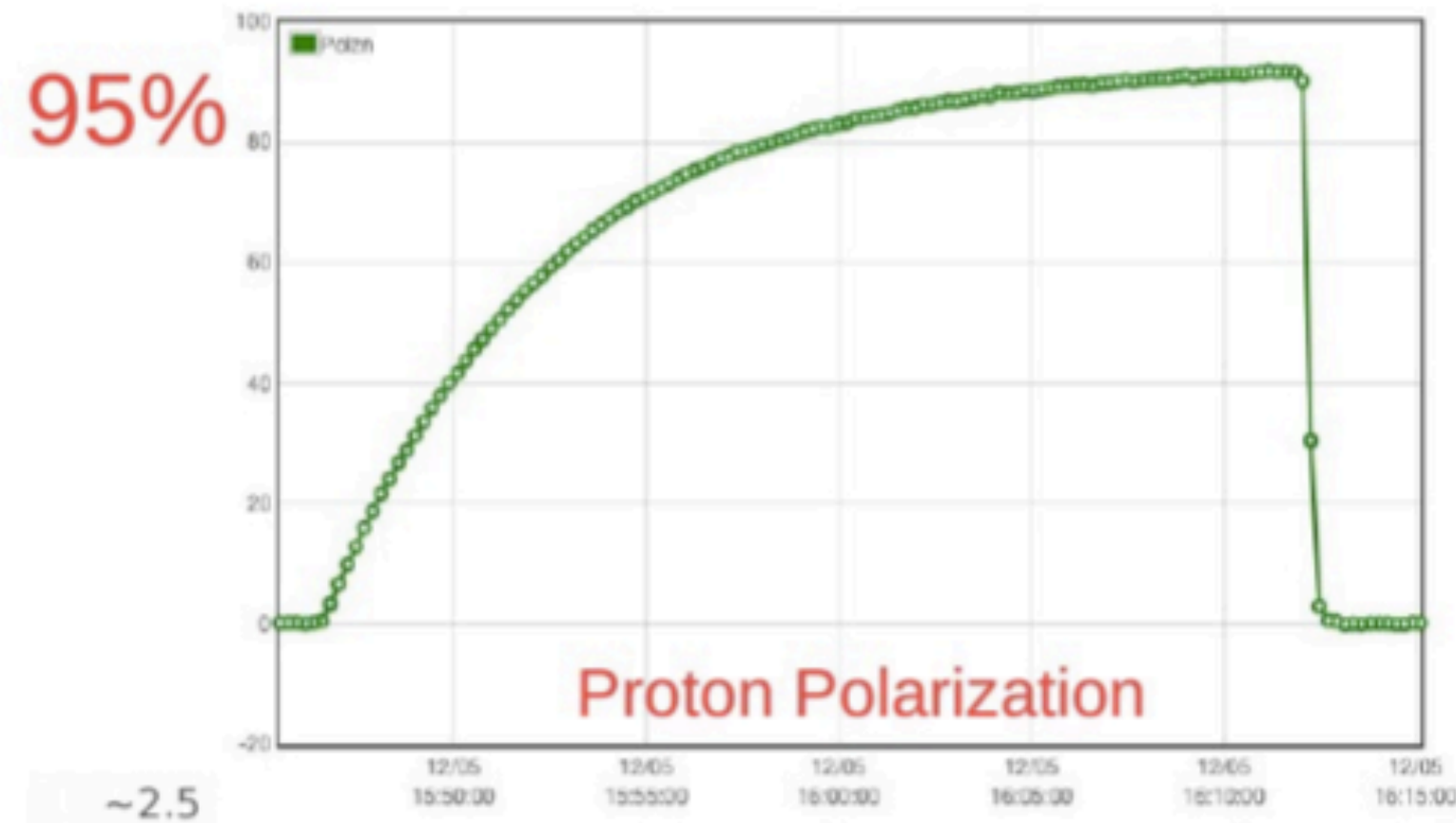
- 3 NMR coils per cell
- 8 cm long target cell of solid:  $\text{NH}_3$  and  $\text{ND}_3$
- Standard Insert has 3 cells
- One centering cell
- Elliptically shaped to match profile



# Last Target Polarization at UVA



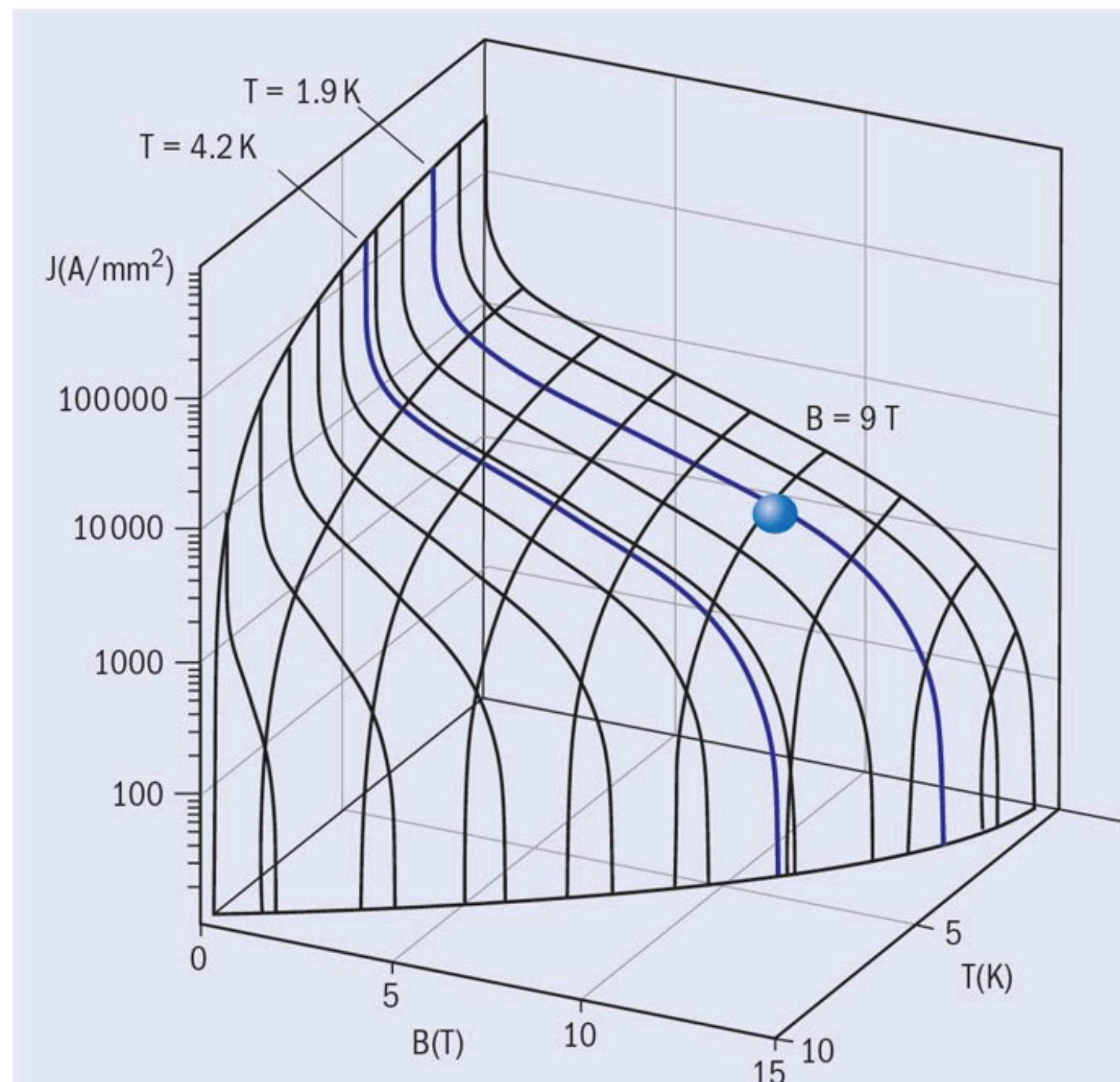
Insert in LN2



# Superconducting Magnet



## Introduction: Quench definition



The critical surface is defined from the temperature ( $T$ ), magnetic field ( $B$ ), and the surface current ( $J$ )

Magnet quench if the  $T$ ,  $B$  or  $J$  lie outside the critical surface

For  $B = 5 \text{ T}$ , The maximum temperature that the magnet can hold is around  $7.2 \text{ K}$

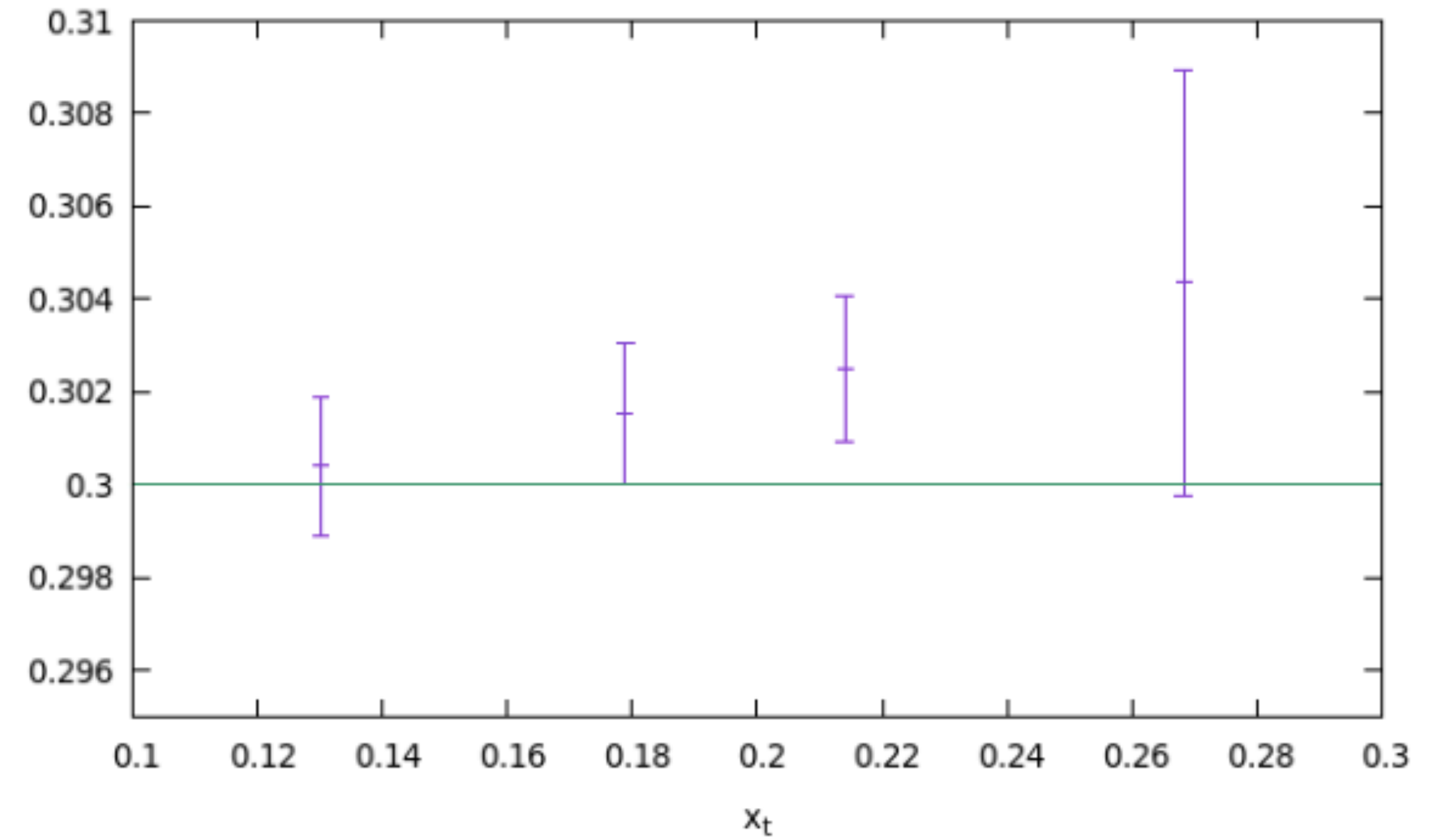
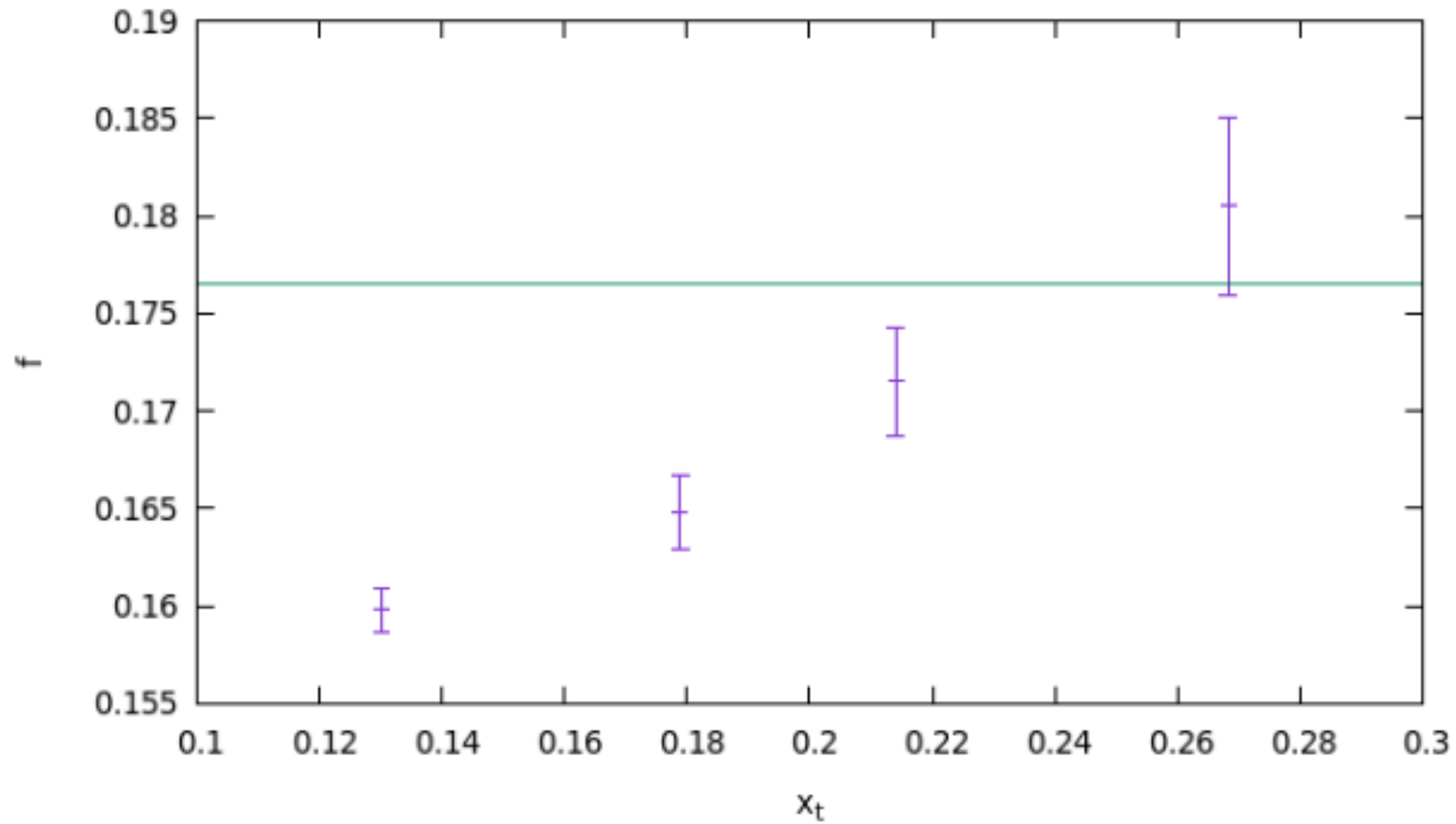
# Novelty Issues

## Polarized Target on the Intensity frontier

- Proposed as the highest instantaneous proton intensity ever done
- Integrated over 1 second  $\sim 10^{12}$
- Longest target cell used in an evaporation DNP system (decay, uniform)
- First Drell-Yan on  $\text{NH}_3/\text{ND}_3$  (dilution factor, cycling)
- Magnet heat-load limits

# Dilution Factor

## Kinematic sensitivity



$$f(x_t) = \frac{3d\sigma_p^{DY}/dx_t}{3d\sigma_p^{DY}/dx_t + d\sigma_N^{DY}/dx_t}$$

# Quench Studies

## Primary Intensity Boundary

- Very Limited Experimental Information
- Use Monte Carlo and Finite Element Analysis
- Match Measured Field and Simulated Field
- Simulate Heat-load Cycle from Beam
- Calculate the heat propagation to the coils
- Estimate Quench Threshold for Stable Running
- Use Estimate to Make Quench Commissioning Plan

# Update to Projected Error bars

## Beam(2.5%):

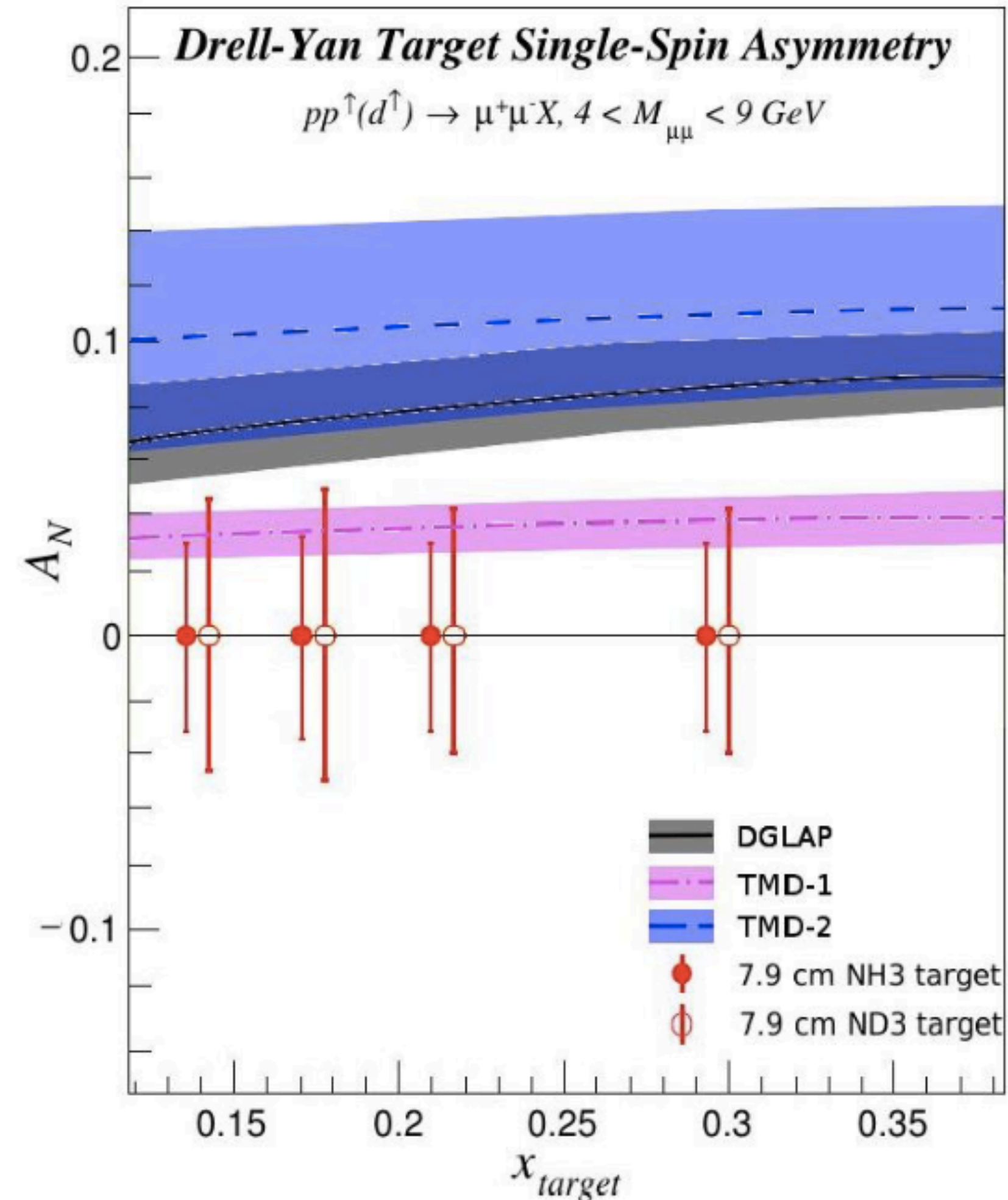
- Relative Luminosity (~1%)
- Drifts (<2%)
- Scraping (~1%)

## Analysis sources(3.5%):

- Tracking Efficiency (1.5%)
- Trigger and Geometrical Acceptance (<2%)
- Mixed background (3%)
- Shape of DY (~1%)

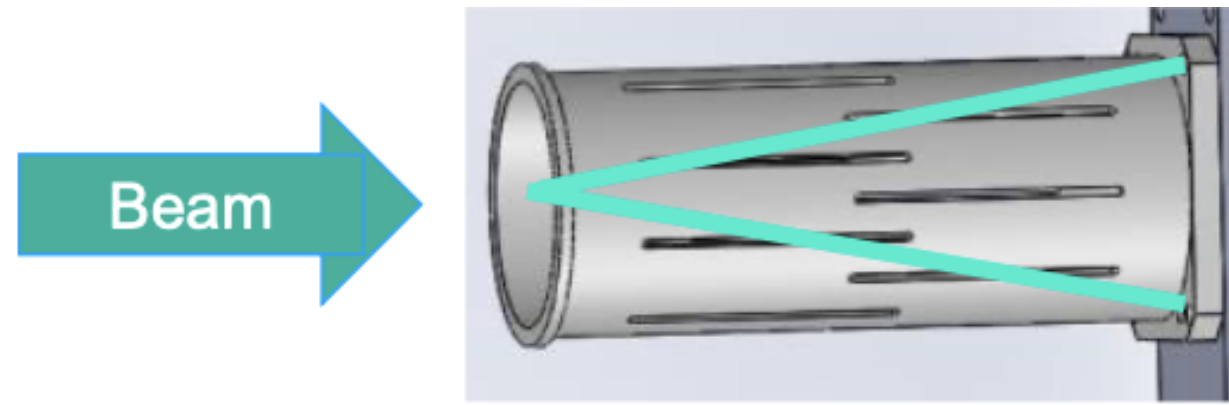
## Target(6-7%)

- TE calibration (P-2.5% D-4.5%)
- Polarization inhomogeneity (2%)
- Density of target (ammonia) (1%)
- Uneven radiation damage (3%)
- Beam/target misalignment (0.5%)
- Packing fraction (2%)
- Dilution factor (3%)



DGLAP: M. Anselmino et al arXiv:1612.06413  
 TMD-1: M. G. Echevarria et al arXiv:1401.5078  
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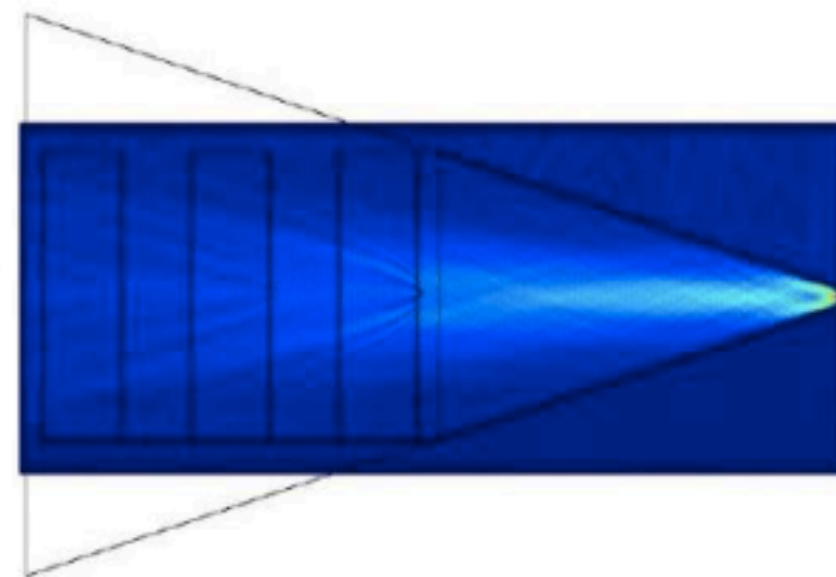
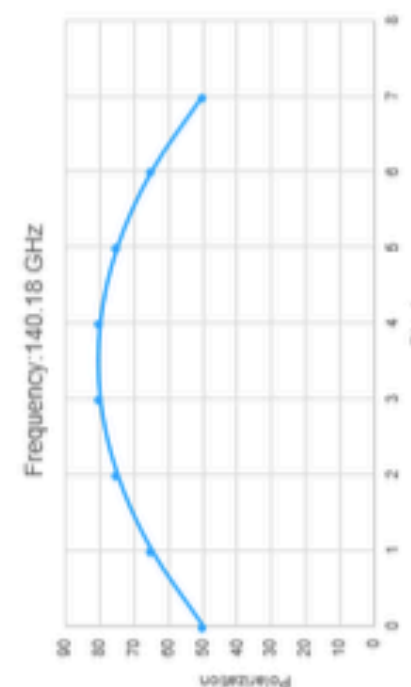
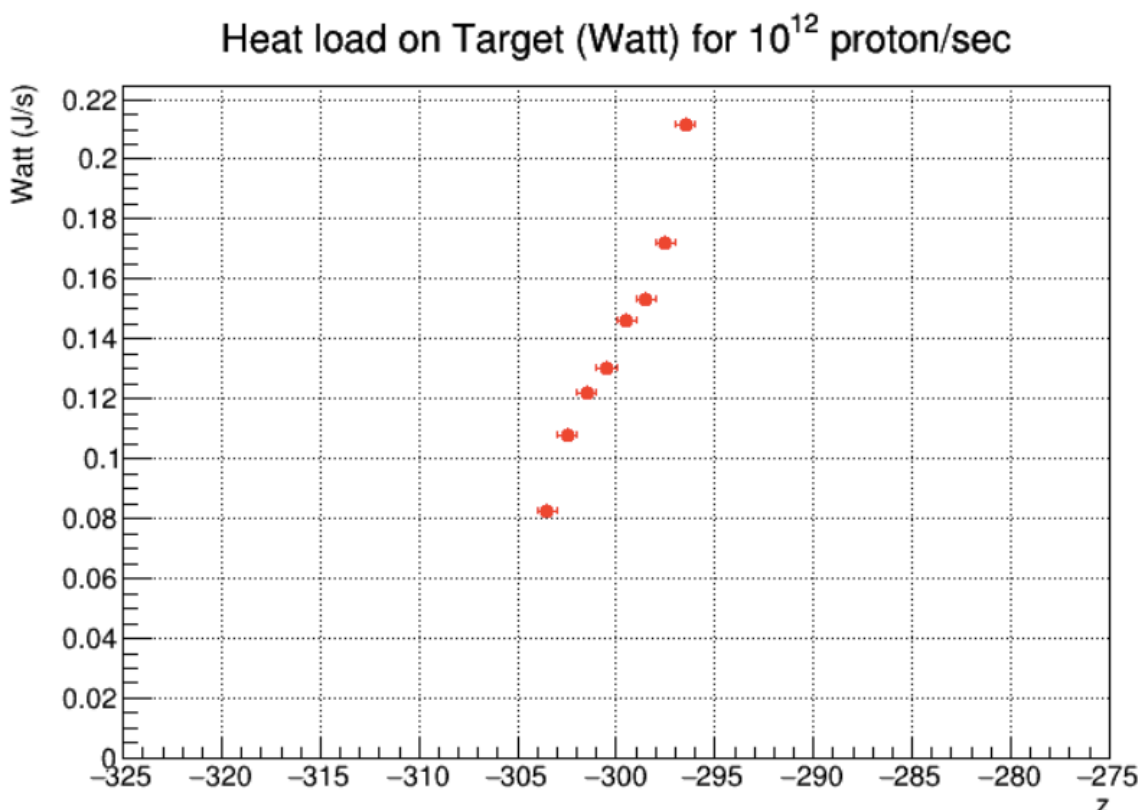


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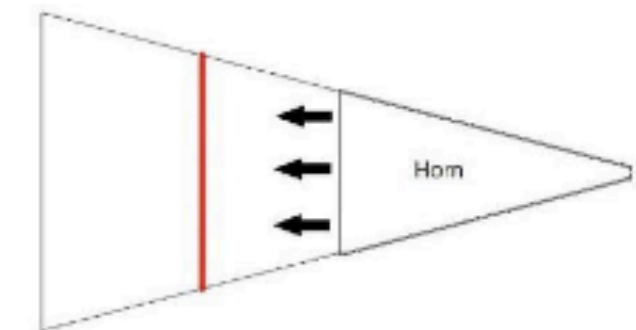
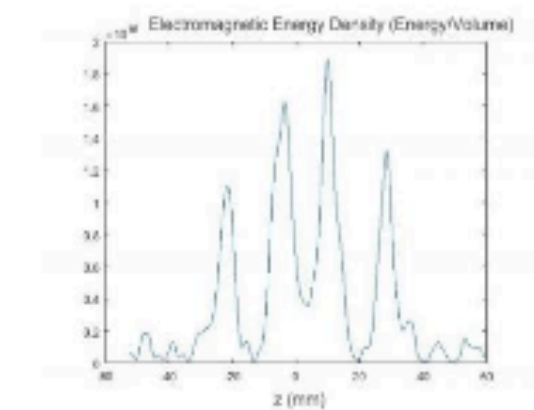
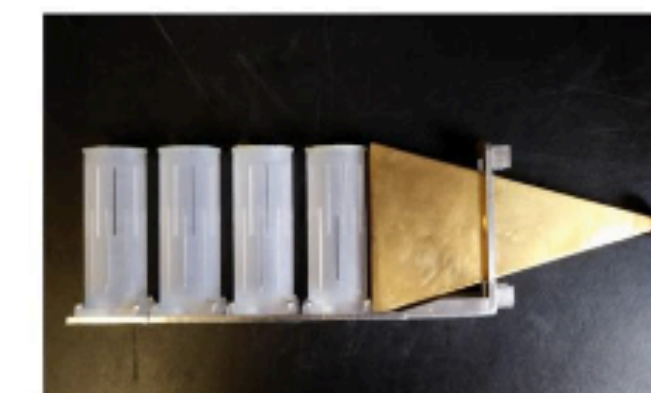
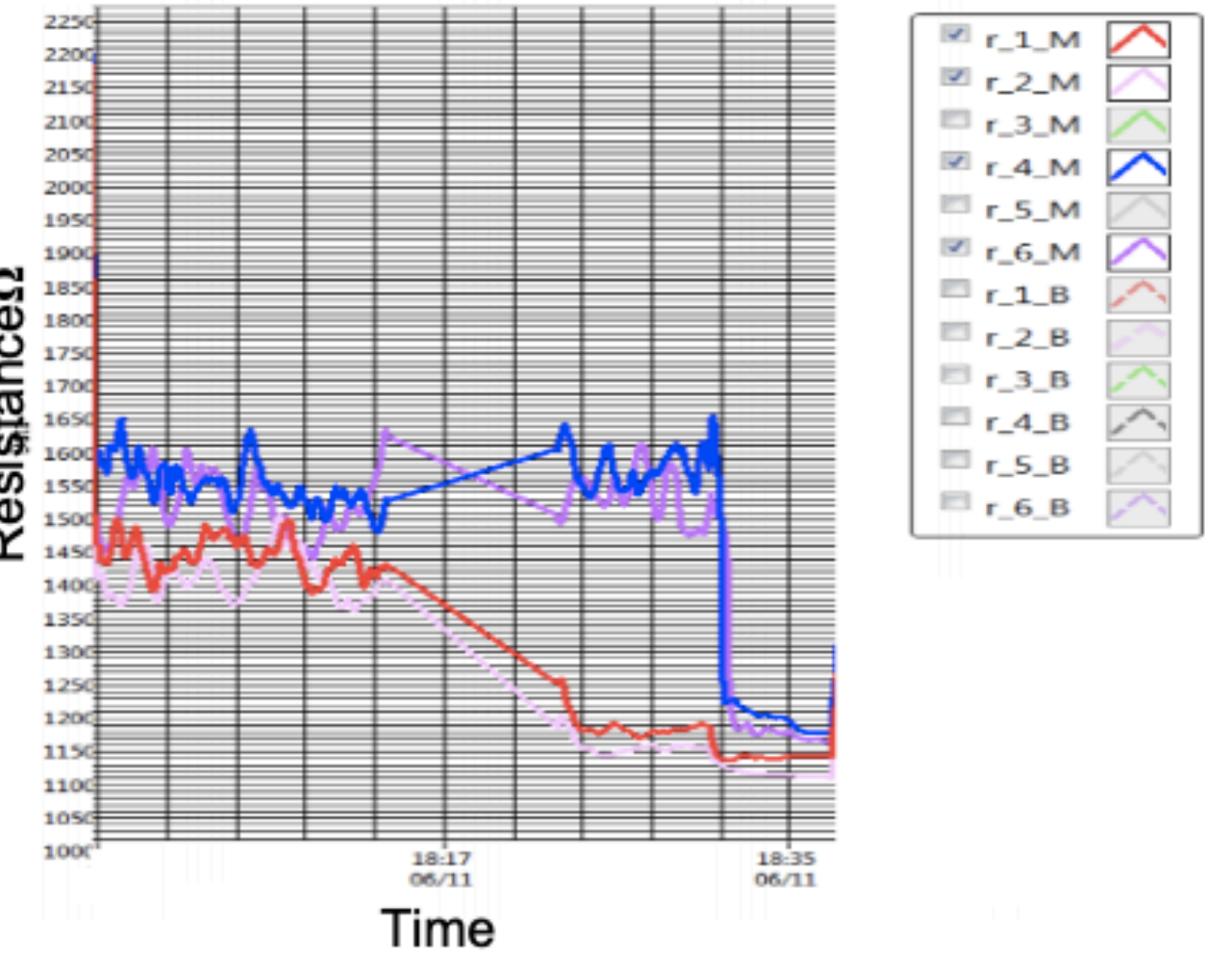
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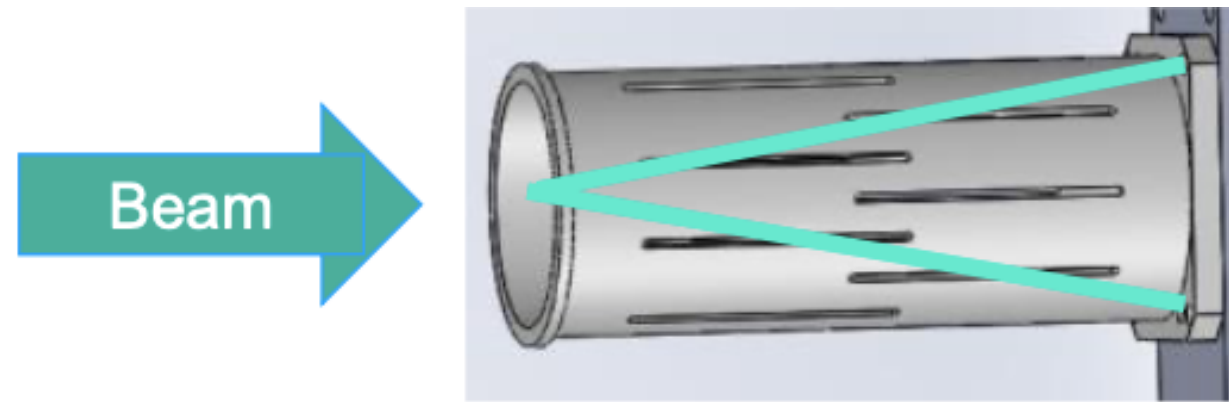
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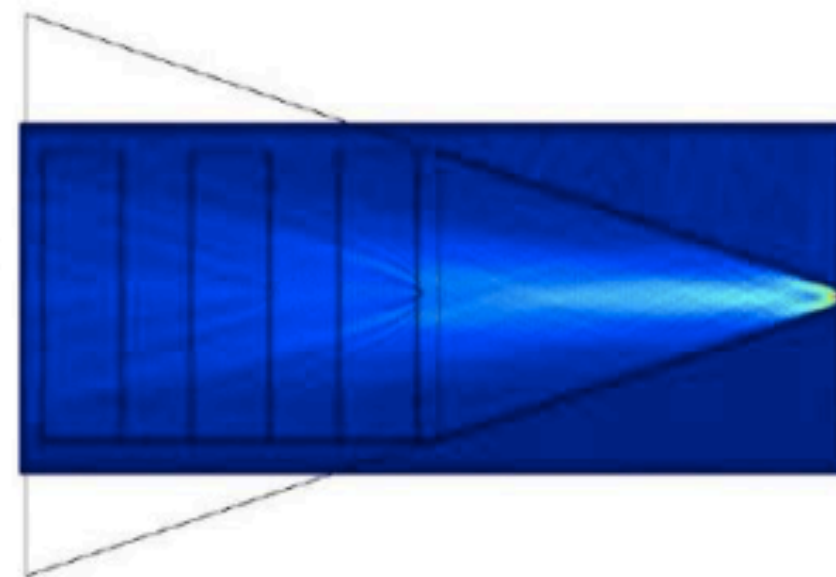
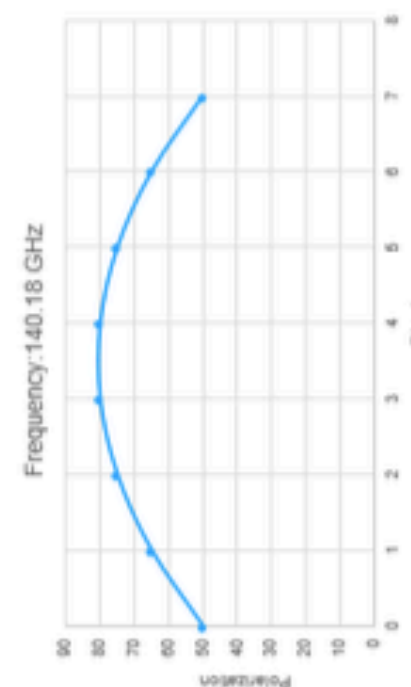
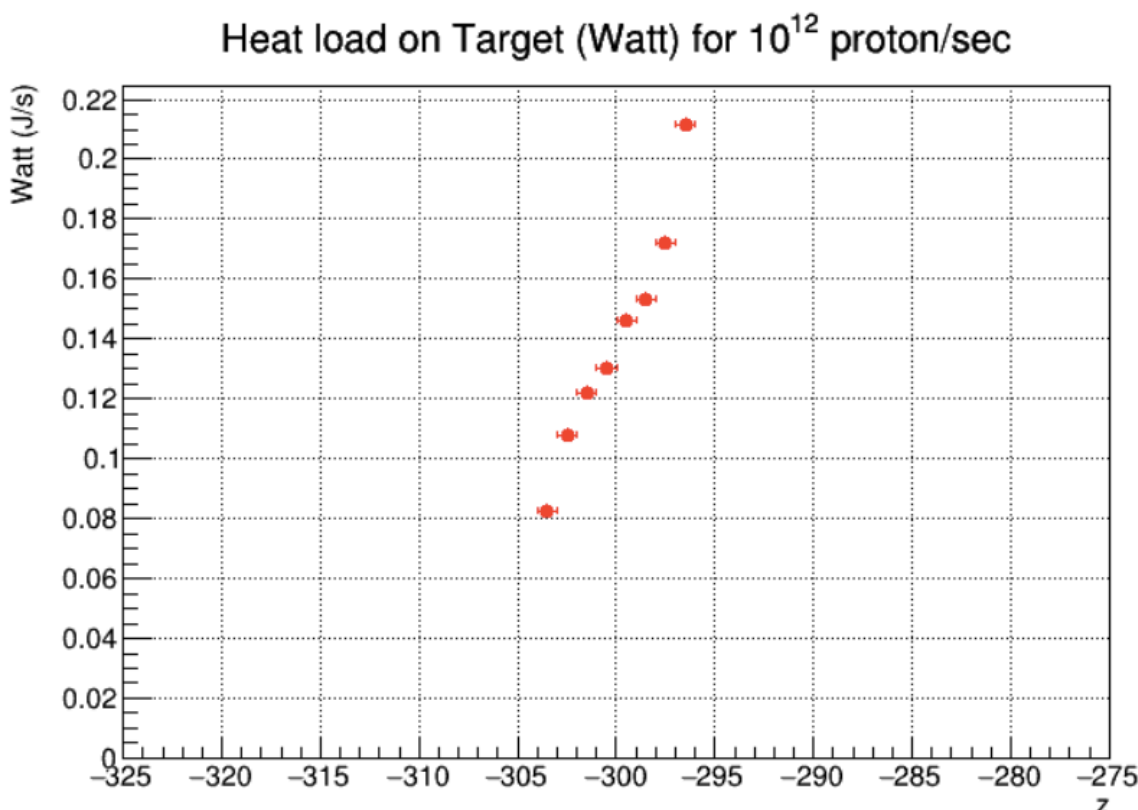


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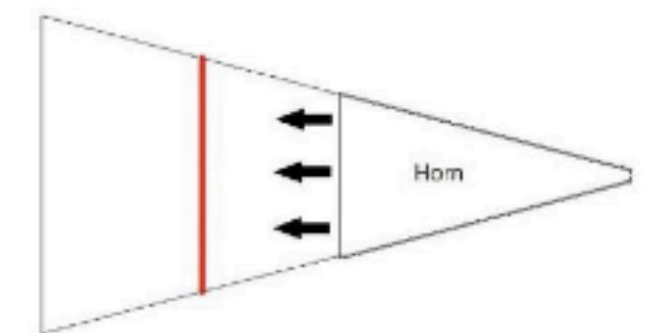
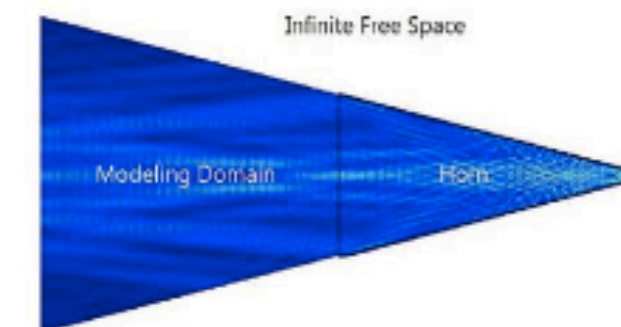
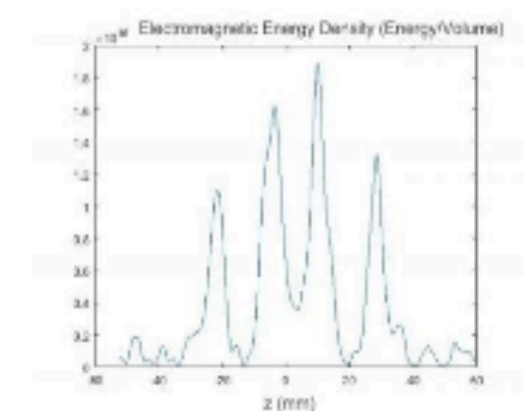
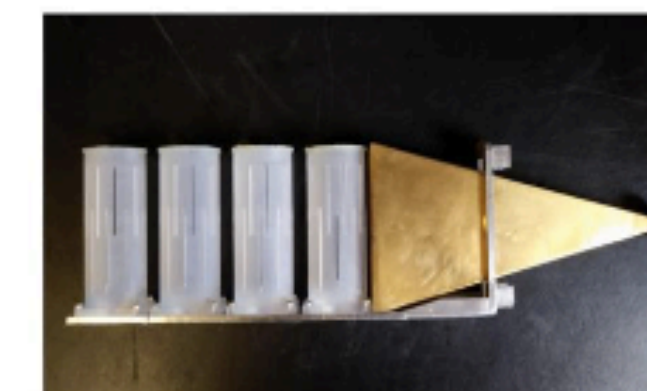
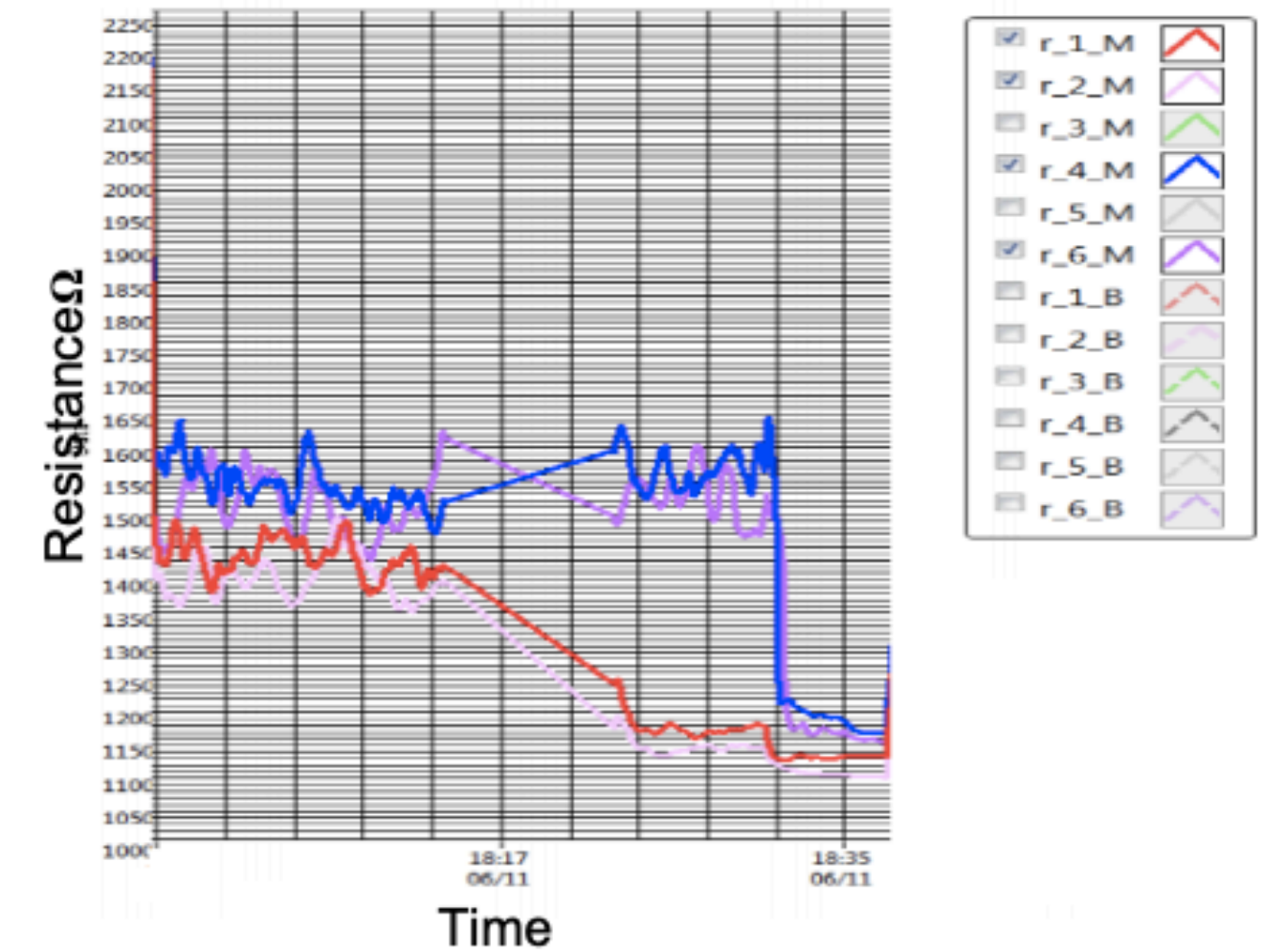
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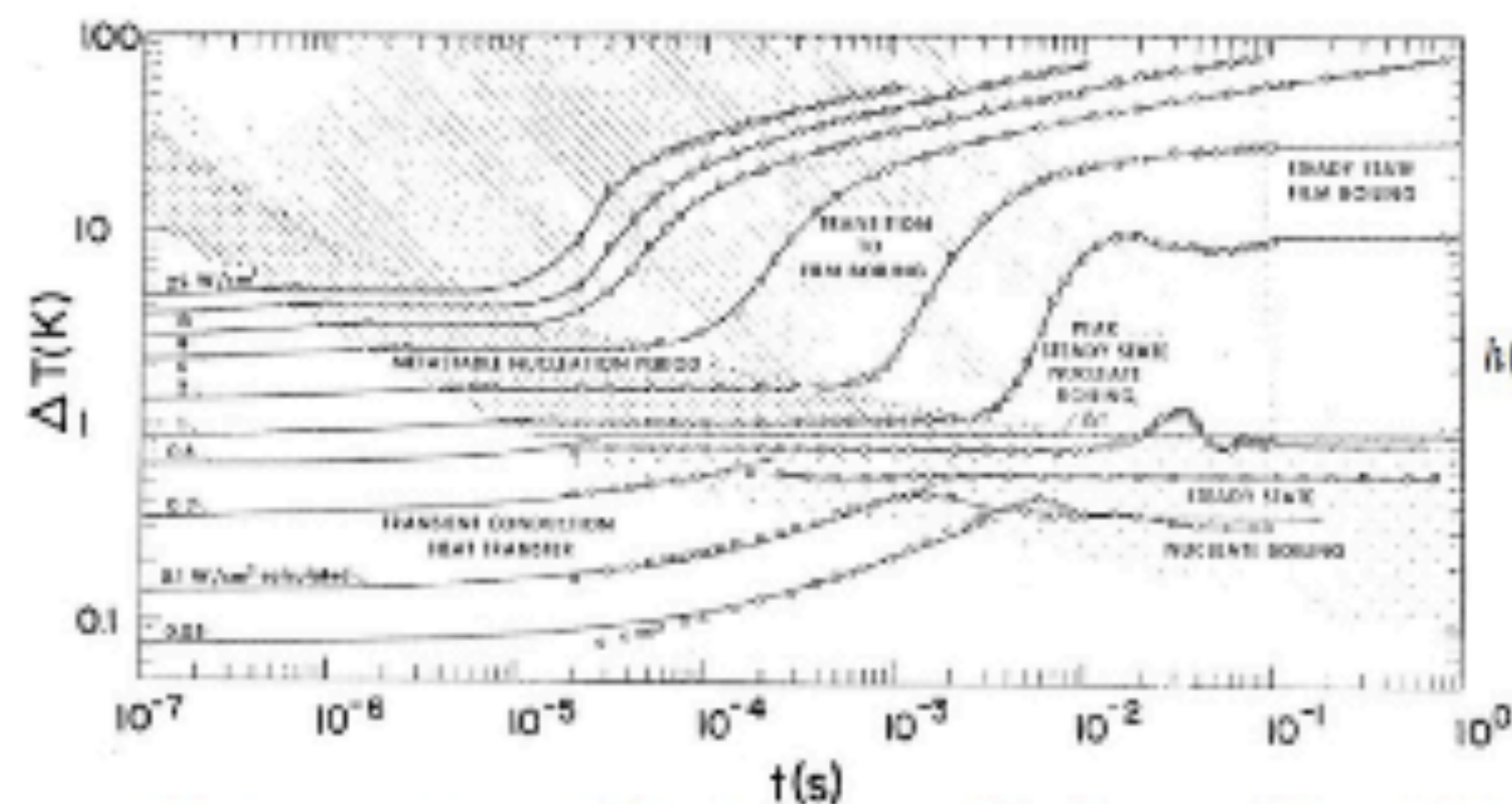


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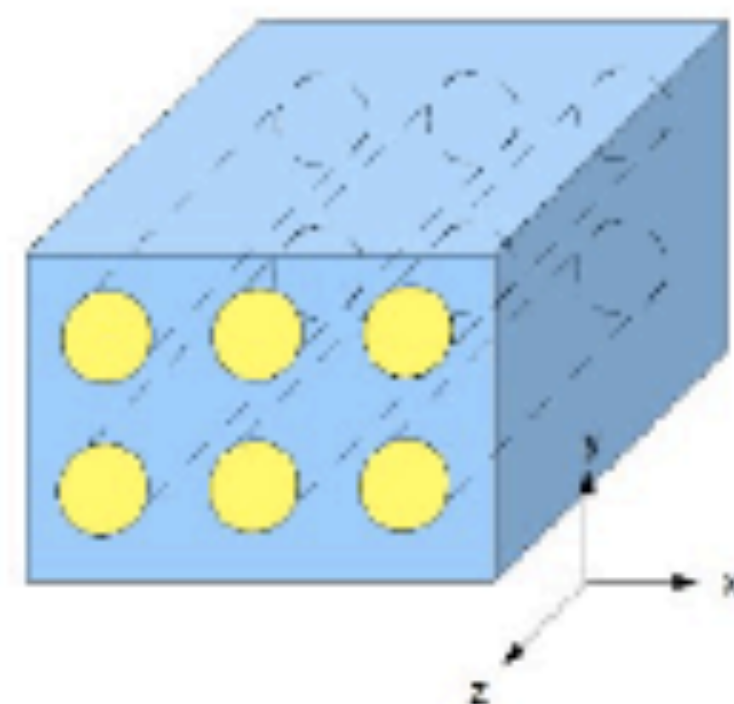


Various regimes of the heat transfer from solid to LHe

First, Steady state Film boiling regime is applied

$$h(T_s, T_{He}) = a_{FSB}(T_s - T_{He})$$

Second, we consider the superconducting magnet as a composite material with the effective thermal parameter



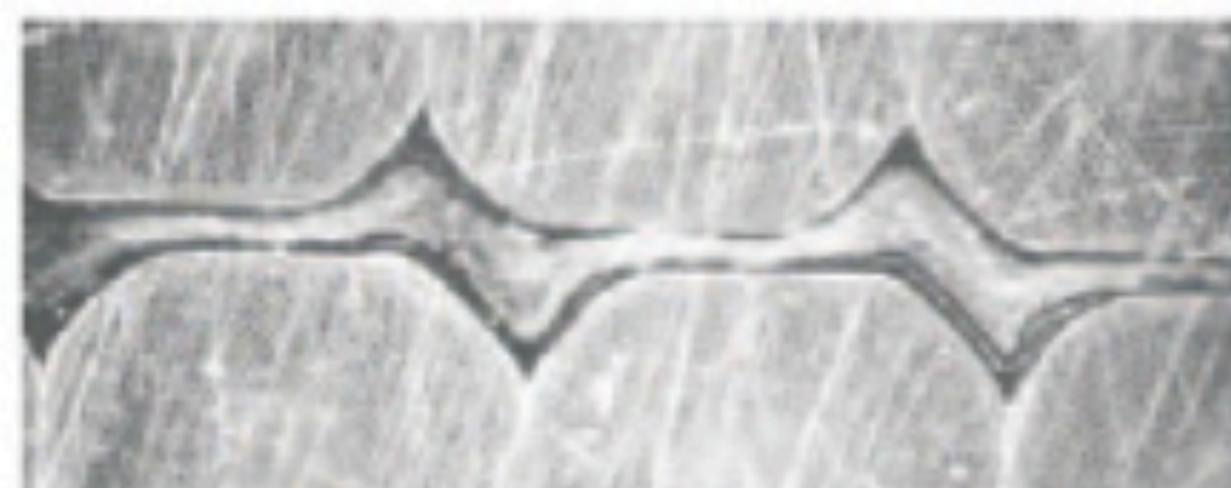
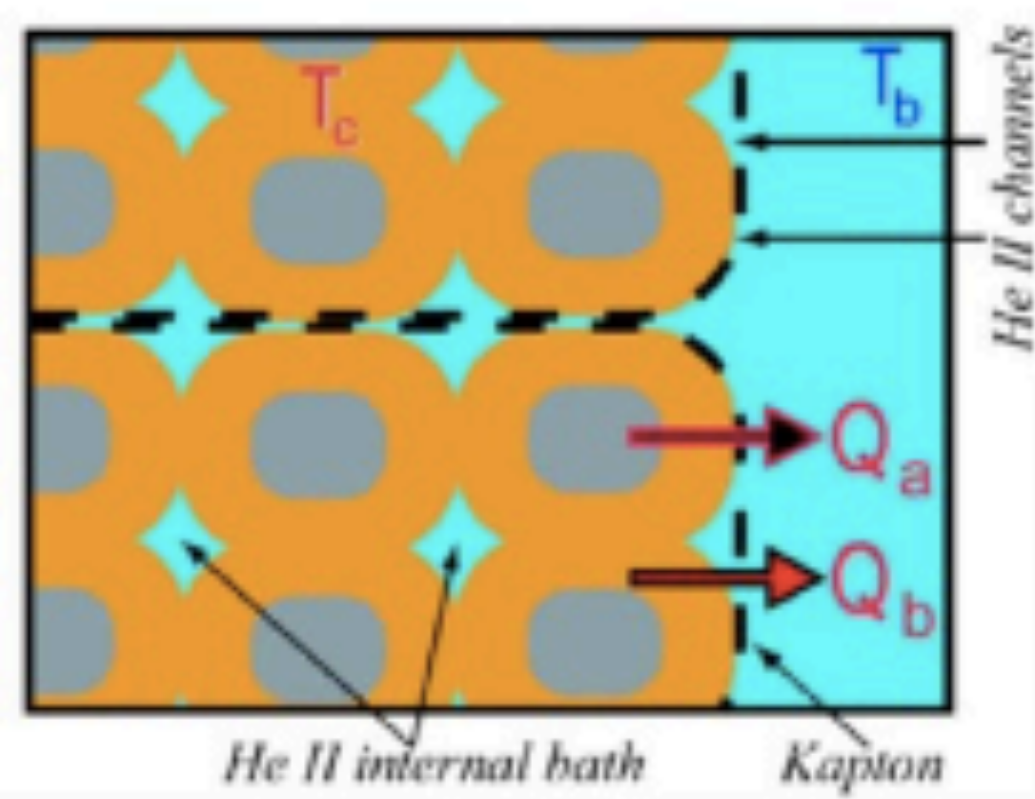
Rayleigh's model consist of parallel cylinders embedded in a continuous matrix

Rayleigh's formula

$$\frac{k_{eff}}{k_m} = 1 + \frac{3\phi}{\left(\frac{k_1 - k_m}{k_1 + k_m}\right) - \phi + 1.569 \left(\frac{k_1 - k_m}{k_1 + k_m}\right) \phi^{1/2} + \dots}$$

Third, we parameterize some of the unknown properties by the effective surfaces that are in direct contact with the LHe:

- Perimeter of the He void
- Insulation
- Former



Microscopic view of the cable

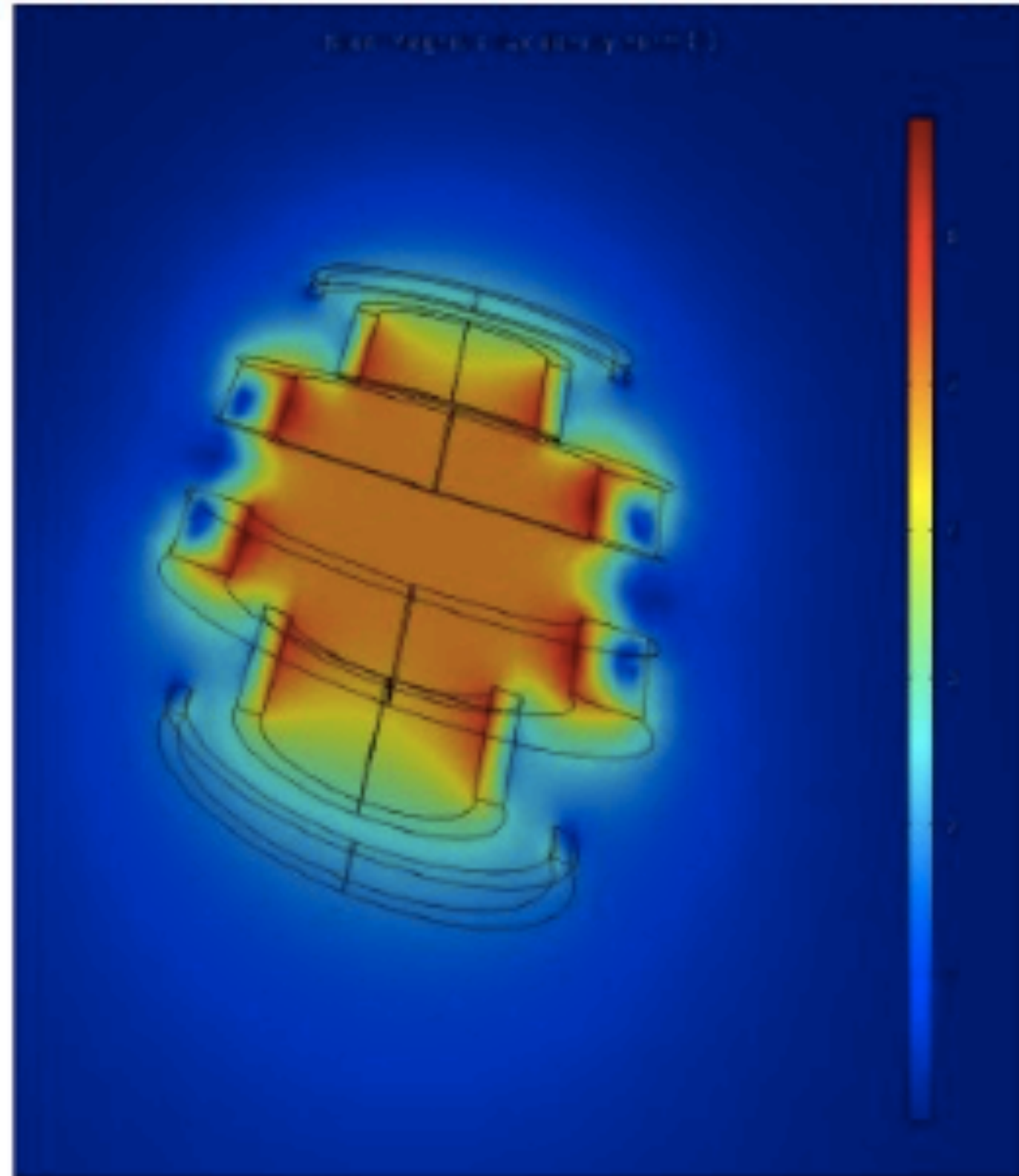
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Measure Homogeneity using  
NMR and Hall Probe

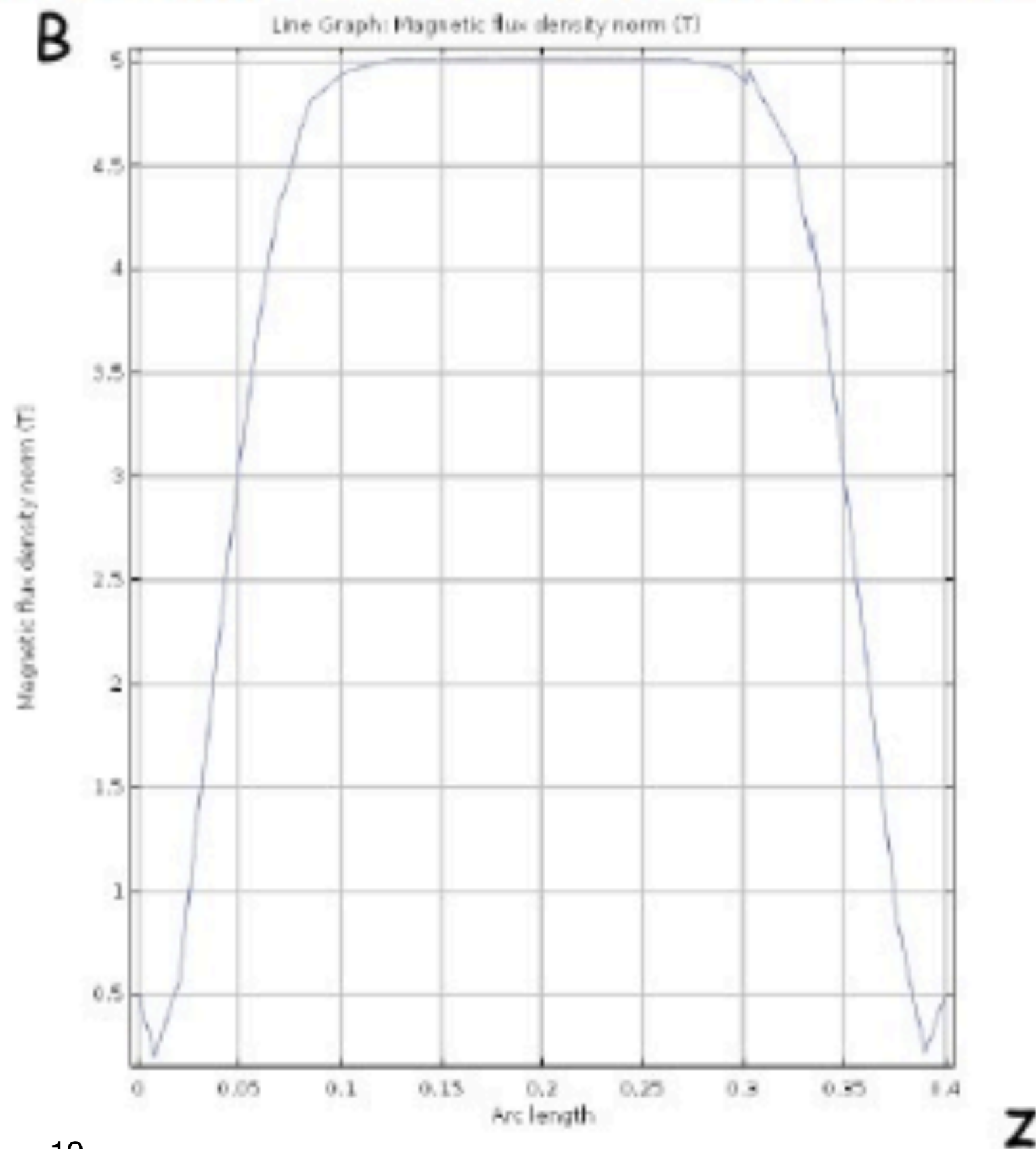
Accurate Field Map 

Measure outside fringe field  
and map to simulated field

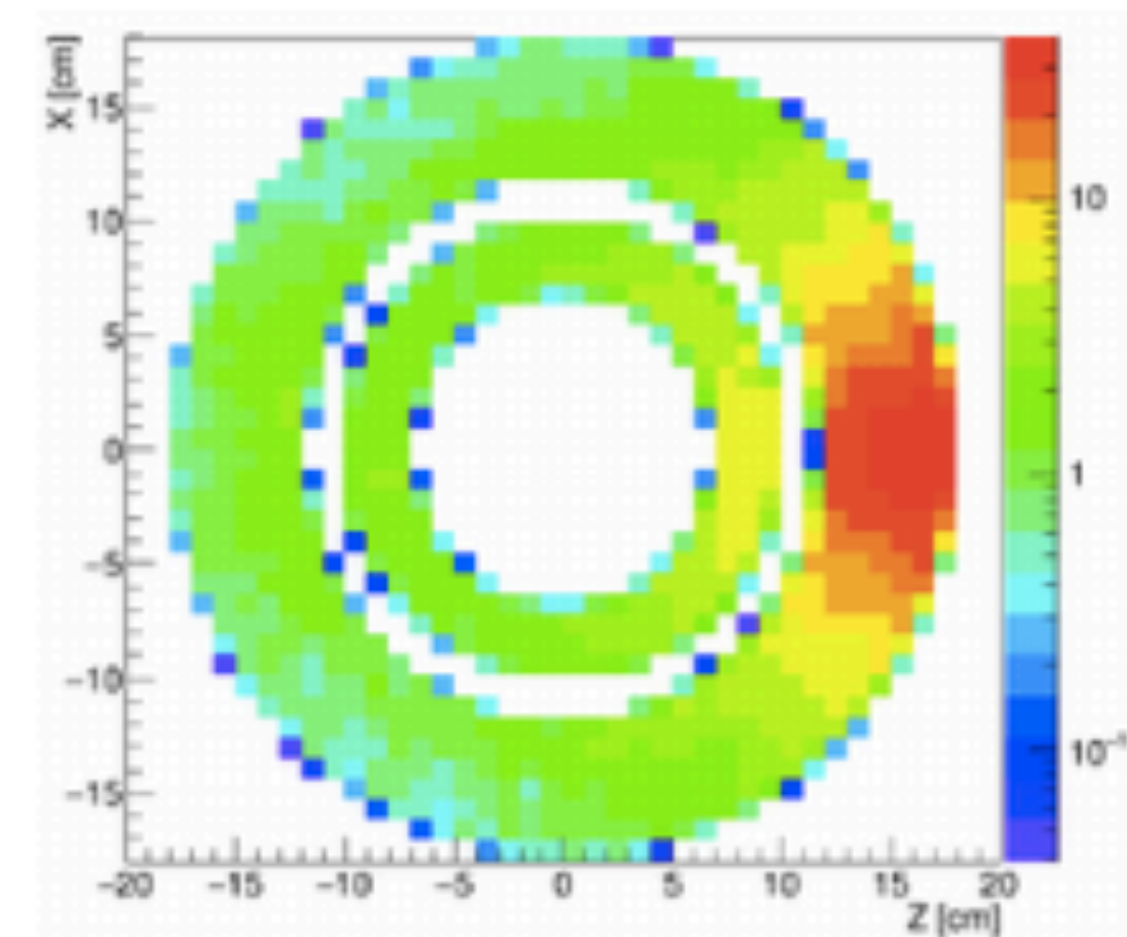
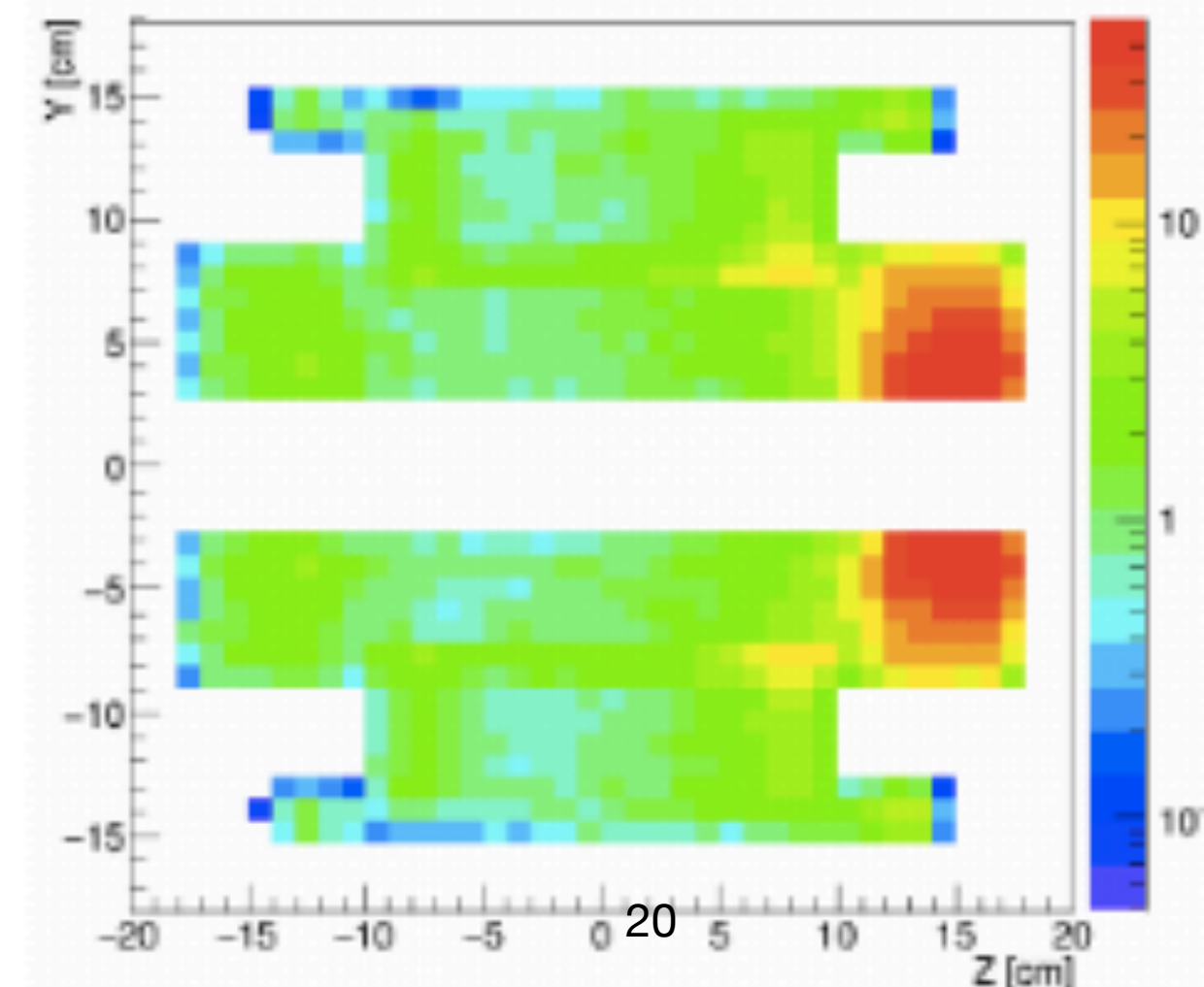
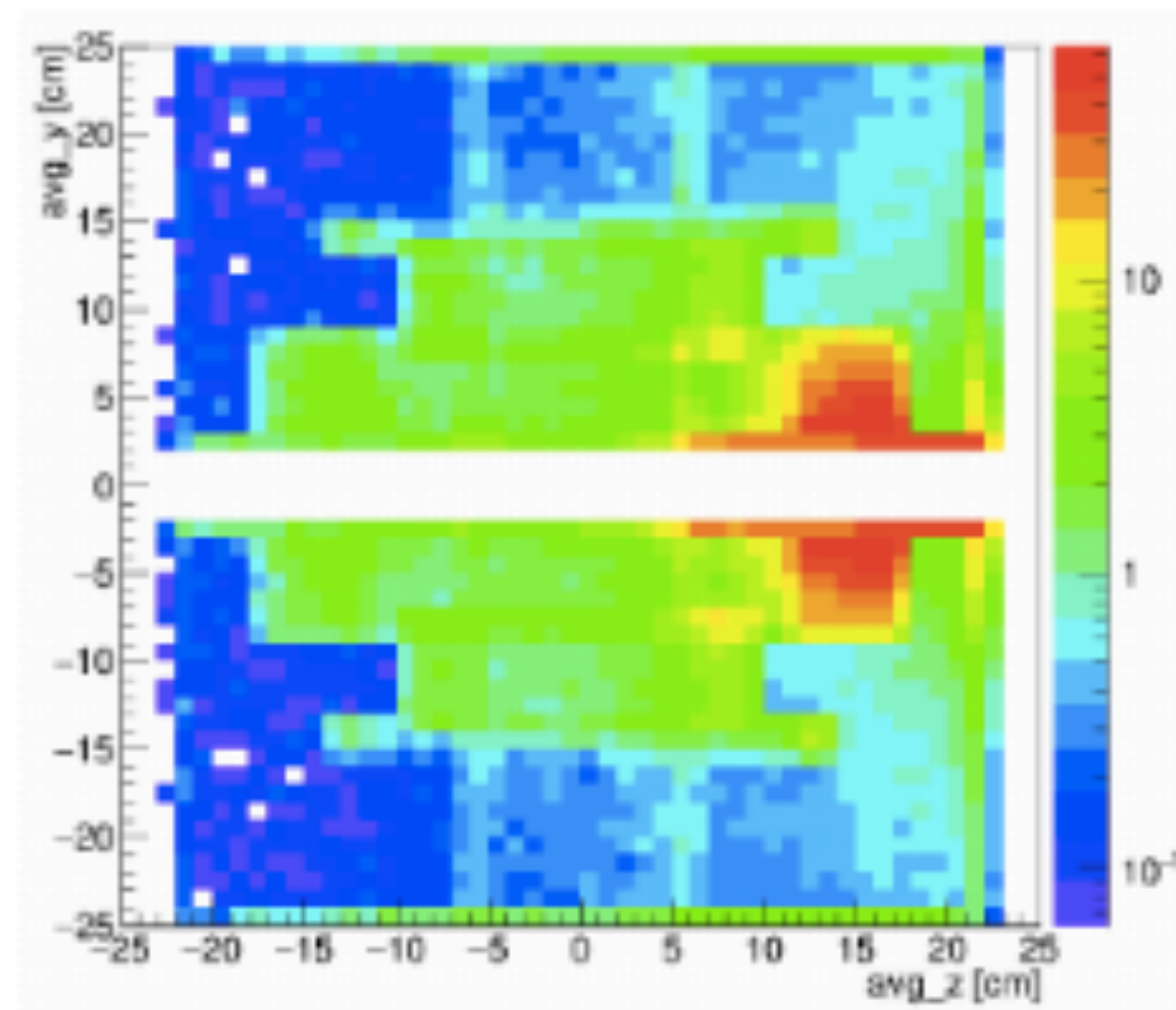
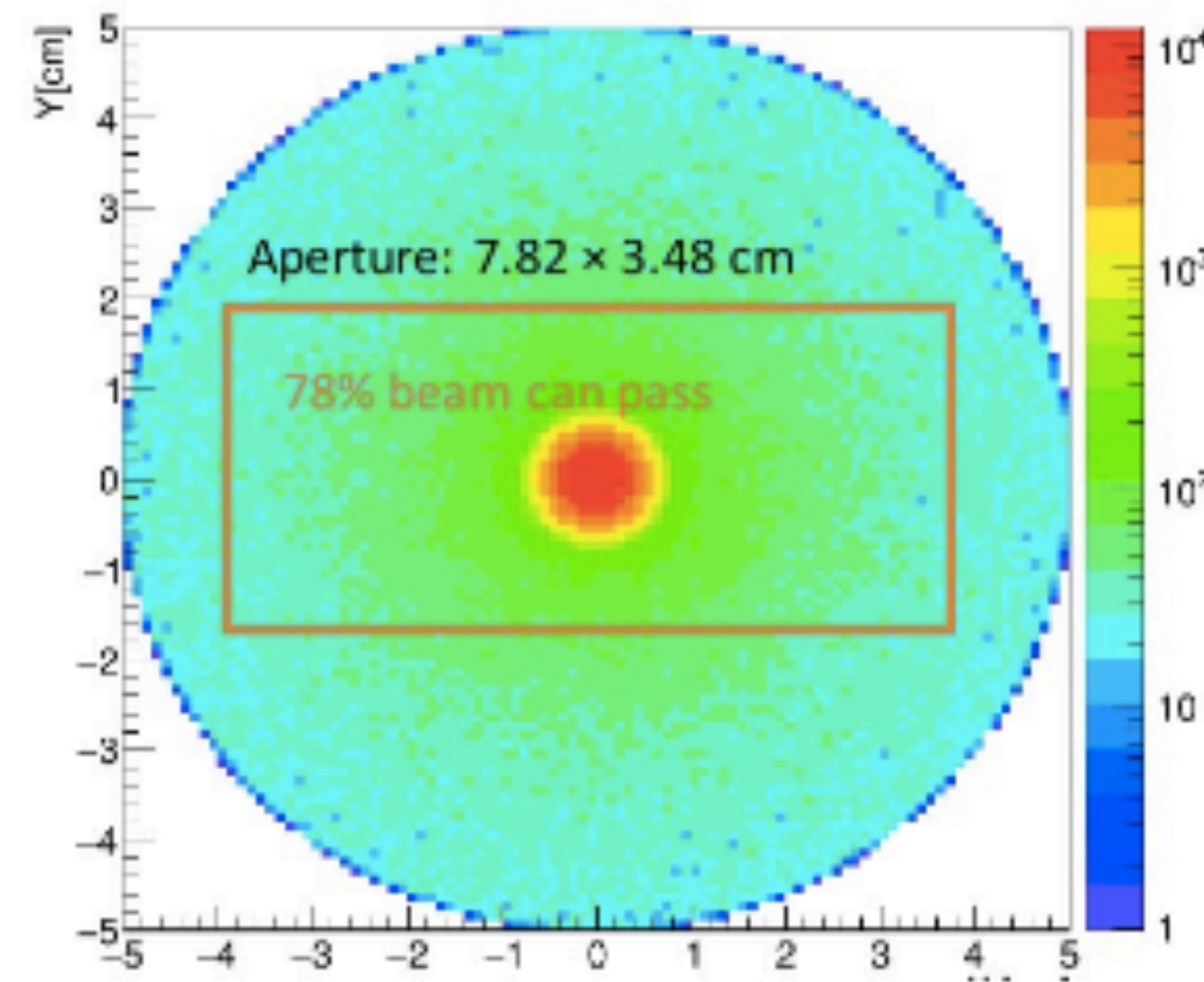
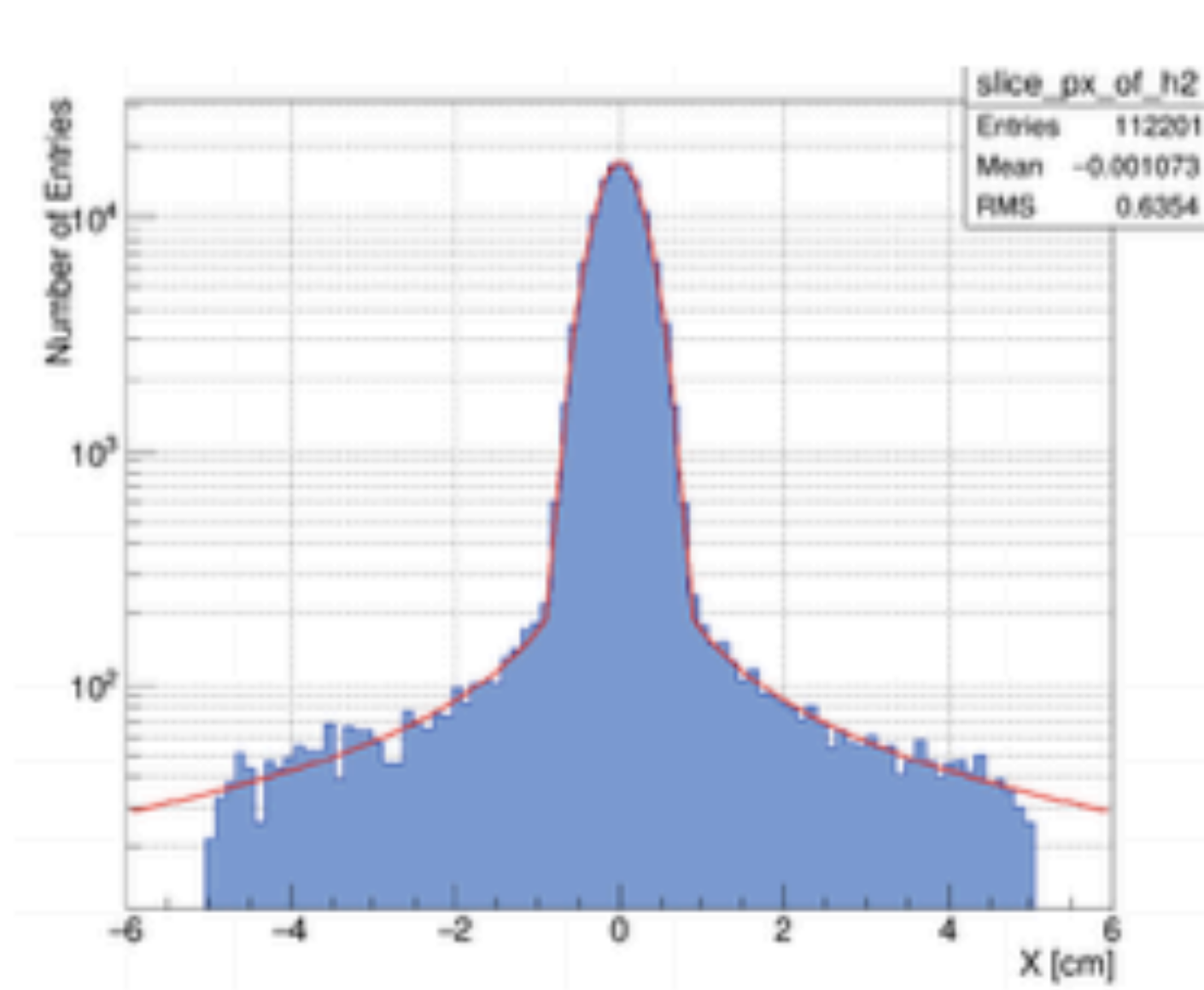
We achieve a high level of homogeneity around the target area & along the beam line:



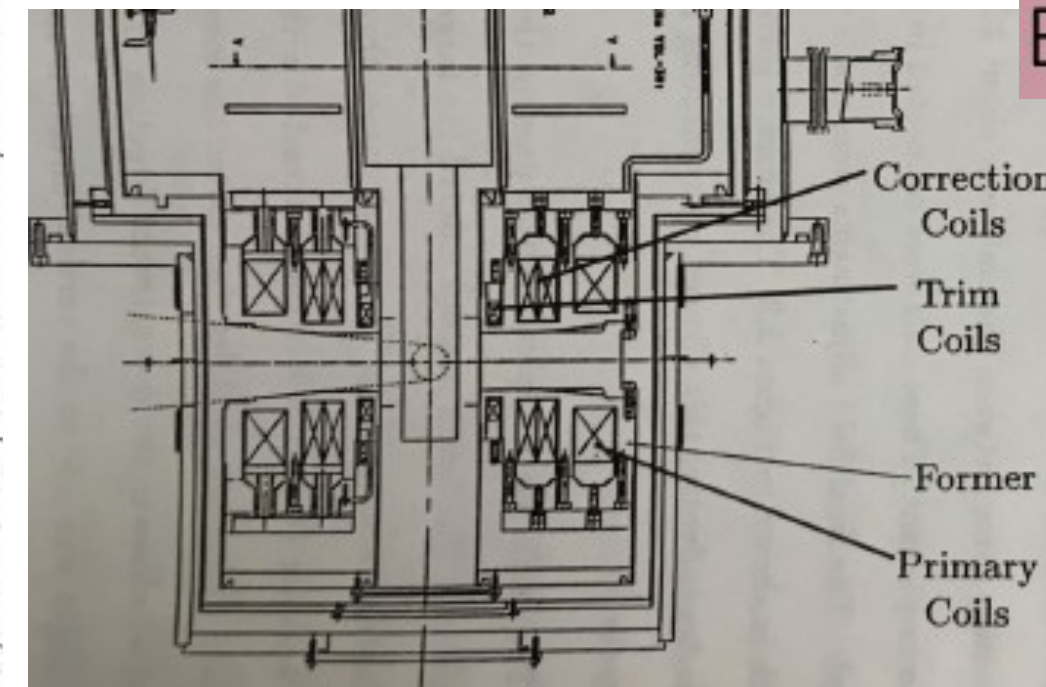
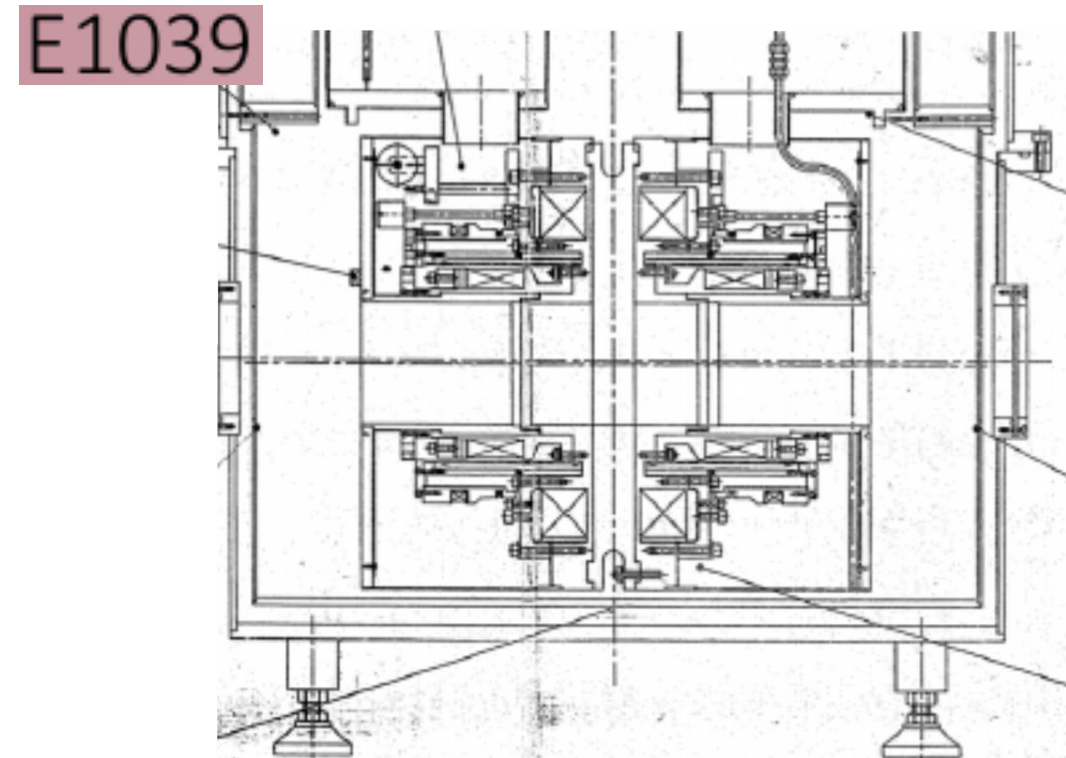
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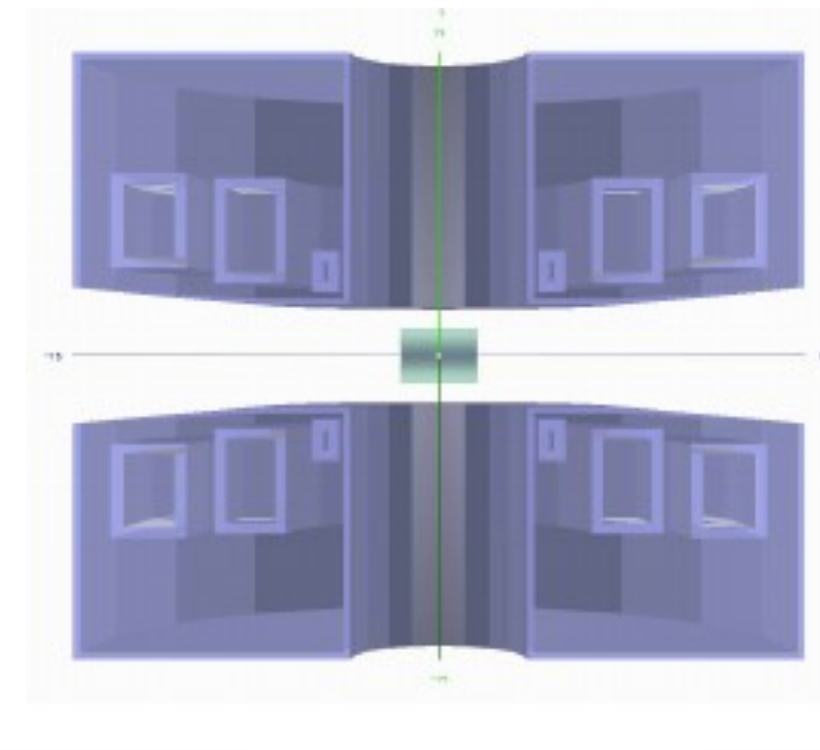
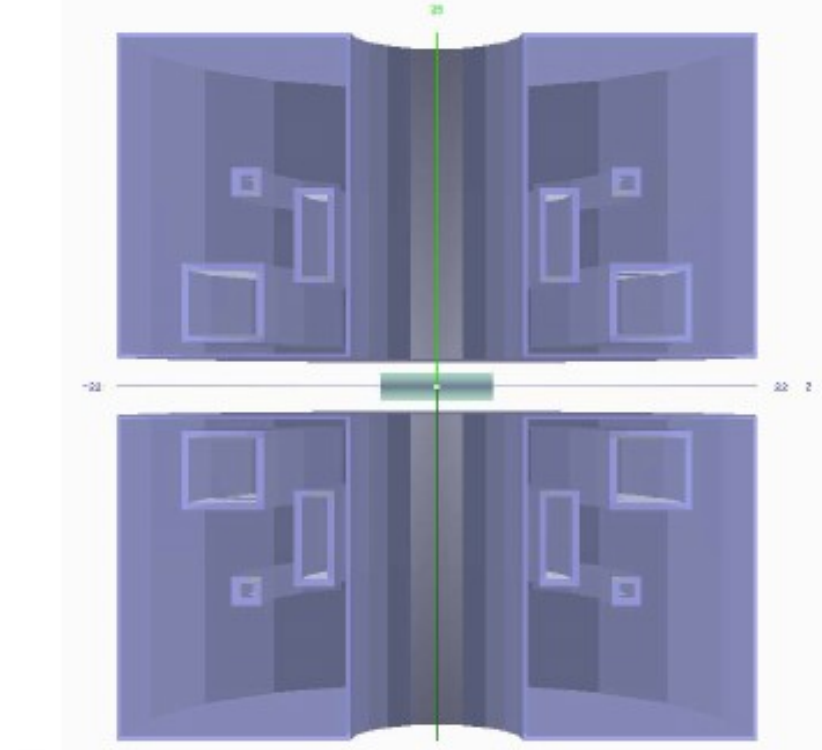
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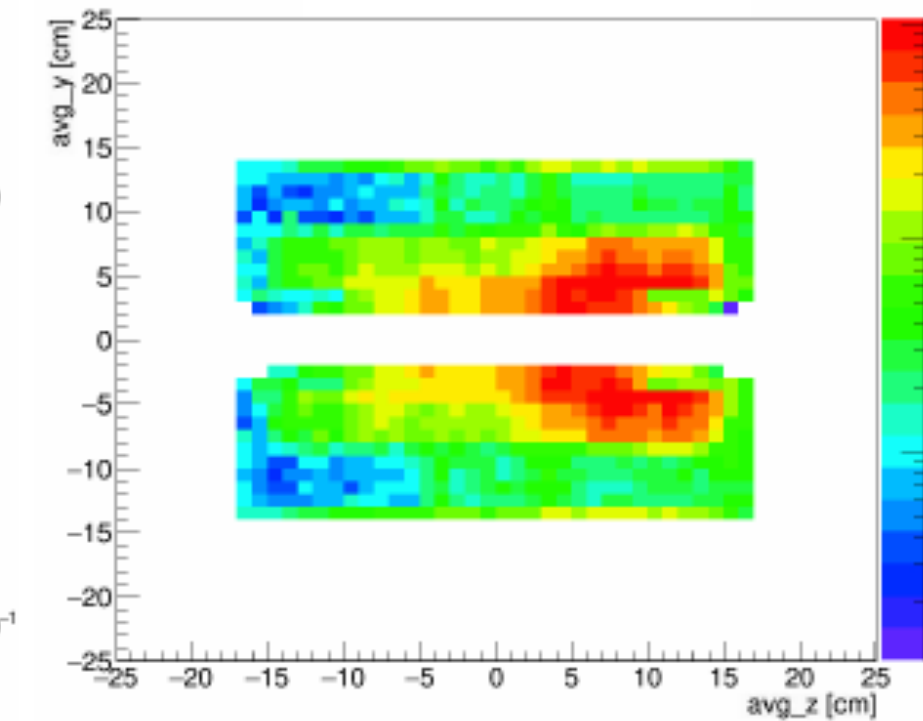
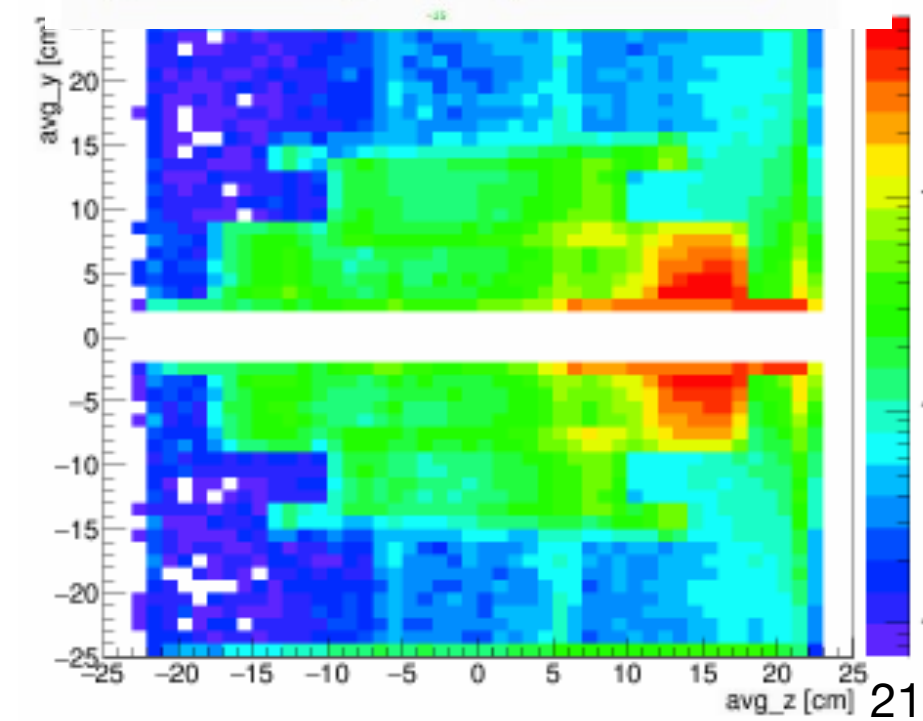
# Magnet Comparison



Solidworks → Geat4  
Based on drawings  
and measurements



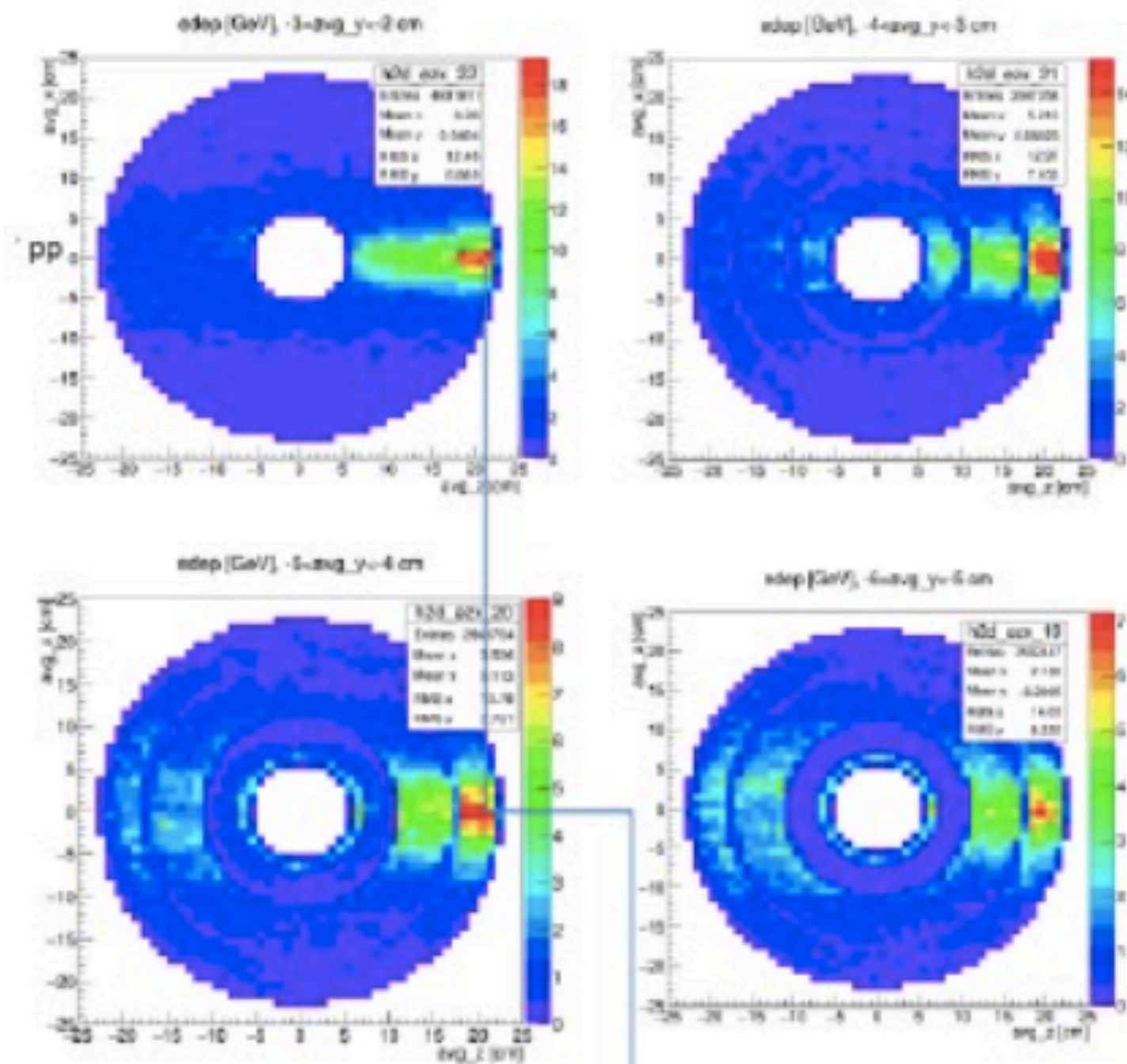
Simulation contain  
SS former, LHe,  
vessels, target cell,  
target material



Then look at energy  
deposition in the  
SC coils

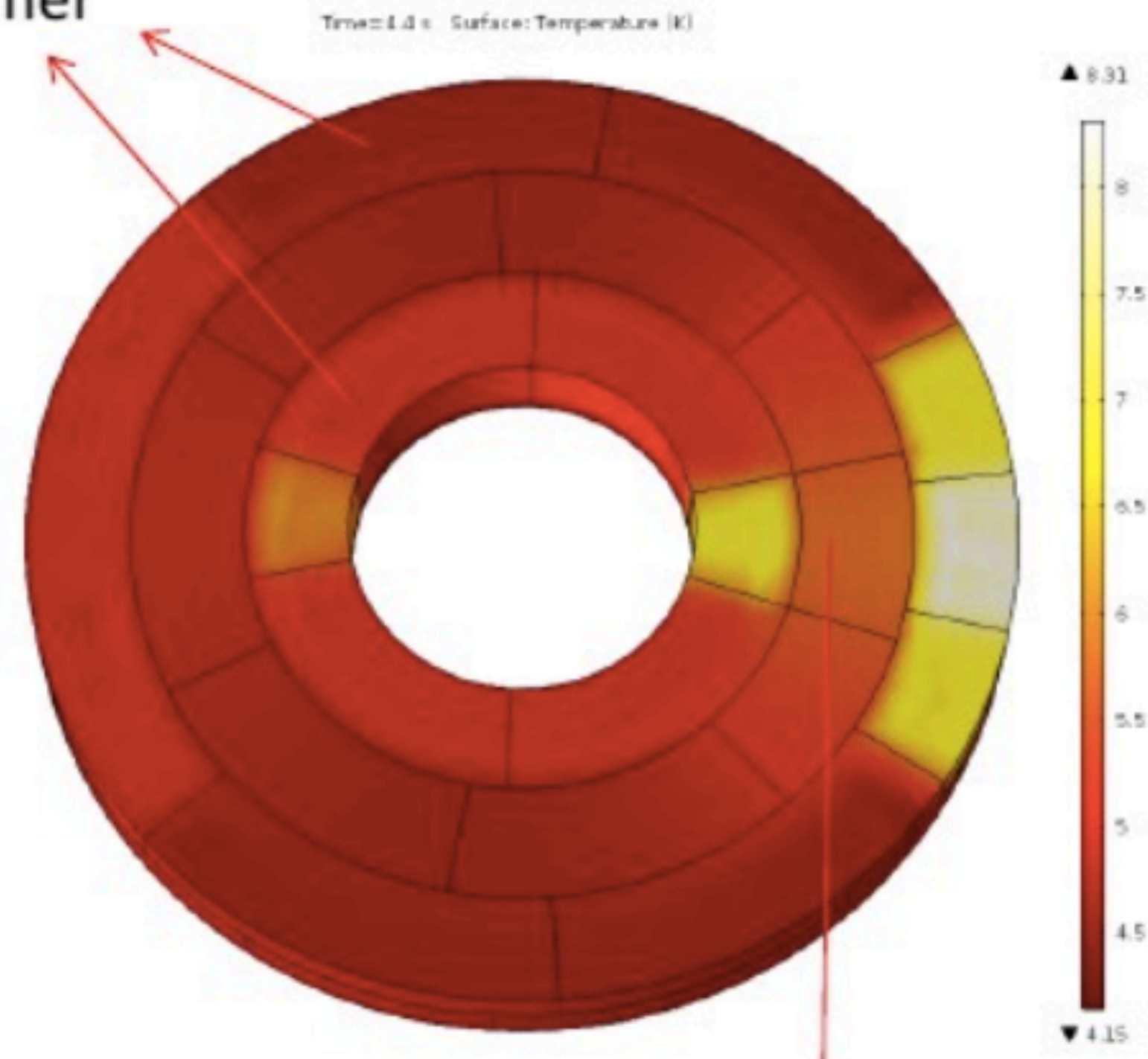
# Quench Simulations

What we have currently



Maximum hot spot  
around 18000 W/m<sup>2</sup>

Former

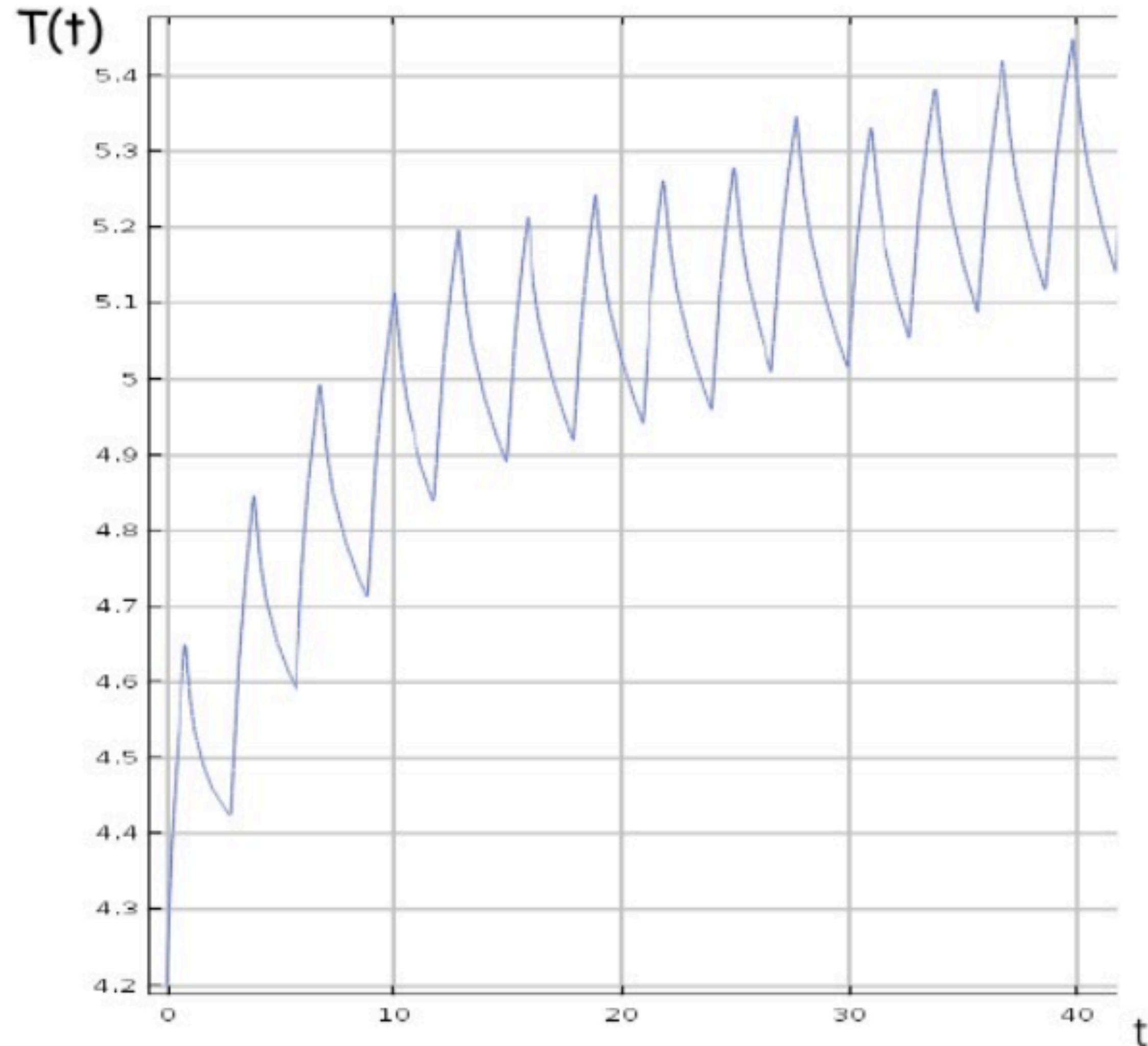


Simulation result

Maximum temperature of  
coil around 5.7 K

# Results on BNL experiment

The maximum temperature of the coil as a function of time



Maximum Temperature profile  $T_{max}(t)$  for BNL:

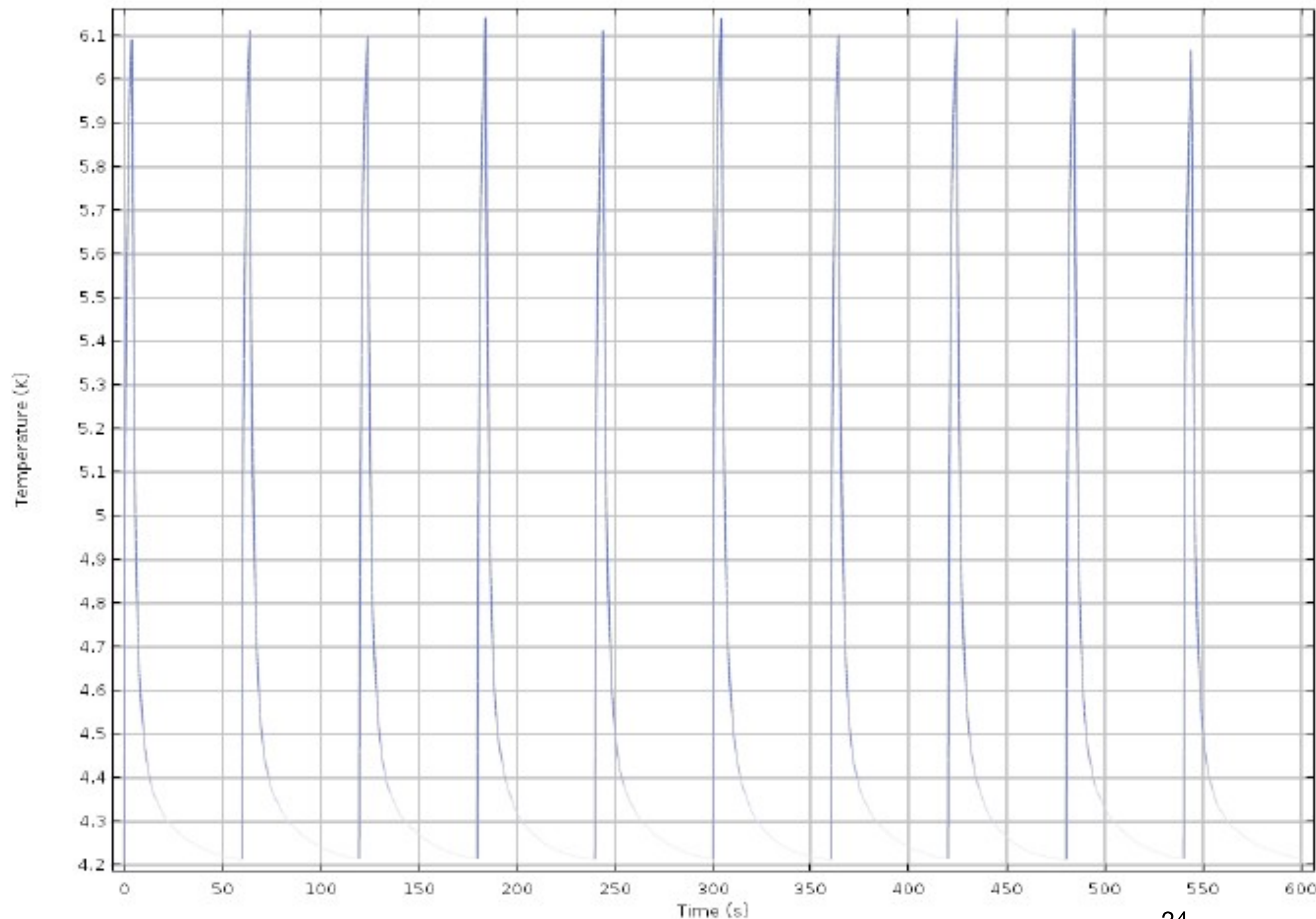
- 24 GeV proton
- $2e11$  proton/s
- Teflon Target

Notes:

- The BNL magnet was quenched in this setup (Teflon target &  $2e11$  proton/s)
- The simulation results "indicate" quench -> The heat is accumulated over time
- There is an issue about numerical convergence issue for longer run that need to be fixed -> require extremely fine Mesh and time step

# SpinQuest Target Magnet

The maximum temperature of the coil as a function of time



Maximum Temperature profile  $T_{max}(t)$  for E1039:

- 120 GeV proton
- $1e12$  proton/s
- NH3 Target

Conclusion: It is safe to run at  $1e12$  proton/s but I recommend this intensity to be considered as the upper limit



# Superconducting Magnet Quest Studies

## SpinQuest

- Cycle Time: Every 55.6 seconds
- Spill Length: 4.4 seconds
- Beam Intensity:  $1.0 \times 10^{12}$  protons/sec

vs

BNL:

Energy	24 GeV
Cycle Time	3 seconds
Spill Length	1 second
Beam Intensity	$2 \times 10^{11}$ protons/pulse

**Limiting Factors:** - Fridge Cooling Power  
- Heat load to SC Magnet  
- Cycle Time

BNL :  $4.0 \times 10^{12}$  protons/min - 4 cm  
FNAL :  $5-4.4 \times 10^{12}$  protons/min - 8 cm

Highest Cooling Power DNP Evaporation System:

- Running at 20 SLPM have 1.4 W of cooling power
  - For 4.4 sec receive 0.4 W of heat load from protons
  - Continuous DNP microwave heat load 0.65 W
- Super conducting magnet critical temperature 7.5 K @ 5T
- Cycle gives time to cool

# External Magnet Temp Sensor



Type-T Thermocouples Cu-CuNi

# Systematic Uncertainties

Subsystem	Systematics	$\Delta T_{\max}/T_{\max}$ (No pump)	$\Delta T_{\max}/T_{\max}$ (KNF Pump)
<b>Heat transferred to the LHe</b>			
• Coefficient uncertainty	50 %	0.7 %	1.1 %
• Contact-surface area	50 %	0.7 %	1.1 %
<b>COMSOL Simulation</b>			
• Mesh	Normal, fine, extra fine	0.79 %	0.8 %
• Time Step	$\Delta t = 0.05 \dots 0.001$	Negligible	Negligible
• <b>Geant fitting</b>	<b>10%</b>	<b>2.6 %</b>	<b>3.1 %</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>4.5 %</b>	<b>5.8 %</b>
		<b>6.1 K +/- 0.27 K</b>	<b>6.1 K +/- 0.35 K</b>

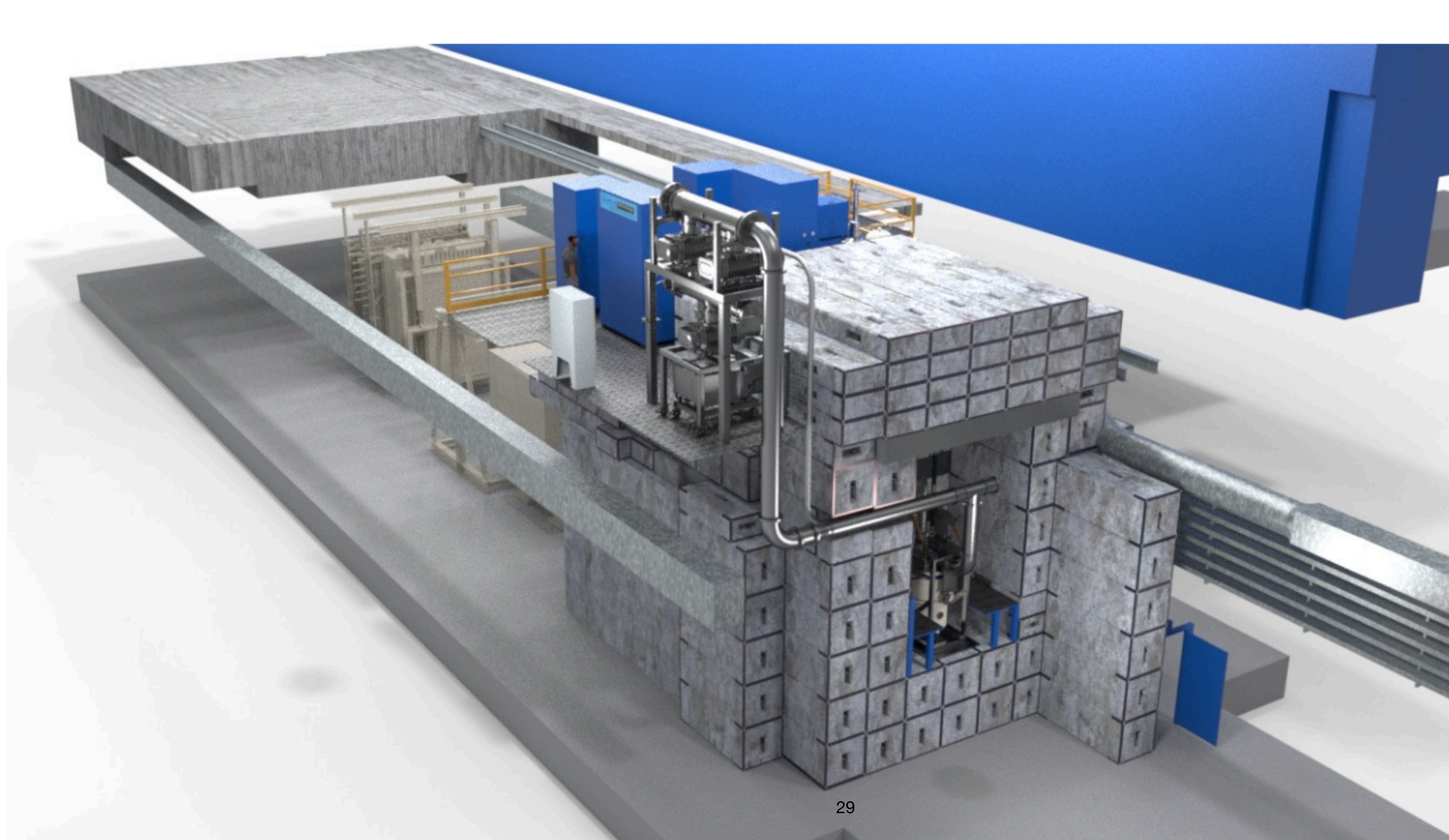
# Estimated Quench Threshold

## Based on a series of MC systematics studies

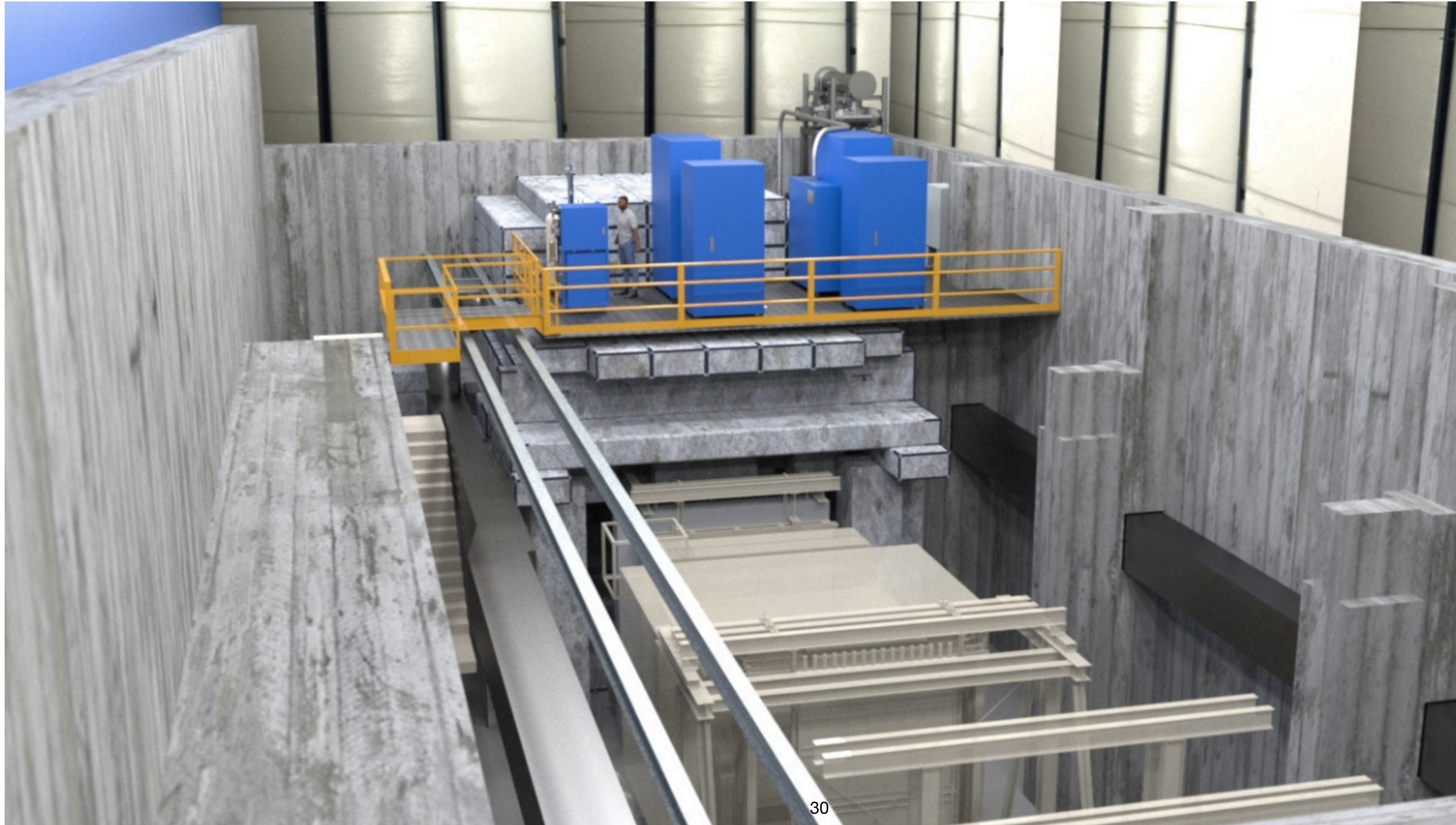
- Assume no other intensity constraints
- Assume unlimited LHe

PUMP	BEFORE SYSTEMATIC STUDIES (PROTON/SEC)	AFTER SYSTEMATIC STUDIES (PROTON/SEC)
No pumping	$1 \times 10^{12}$	$0.85 \times 10^{12}$
KNF-N0150	$3.2 \times 10^{12}$	$2.7 \times 10^{12}$

# SpinQuest Experimental Hall



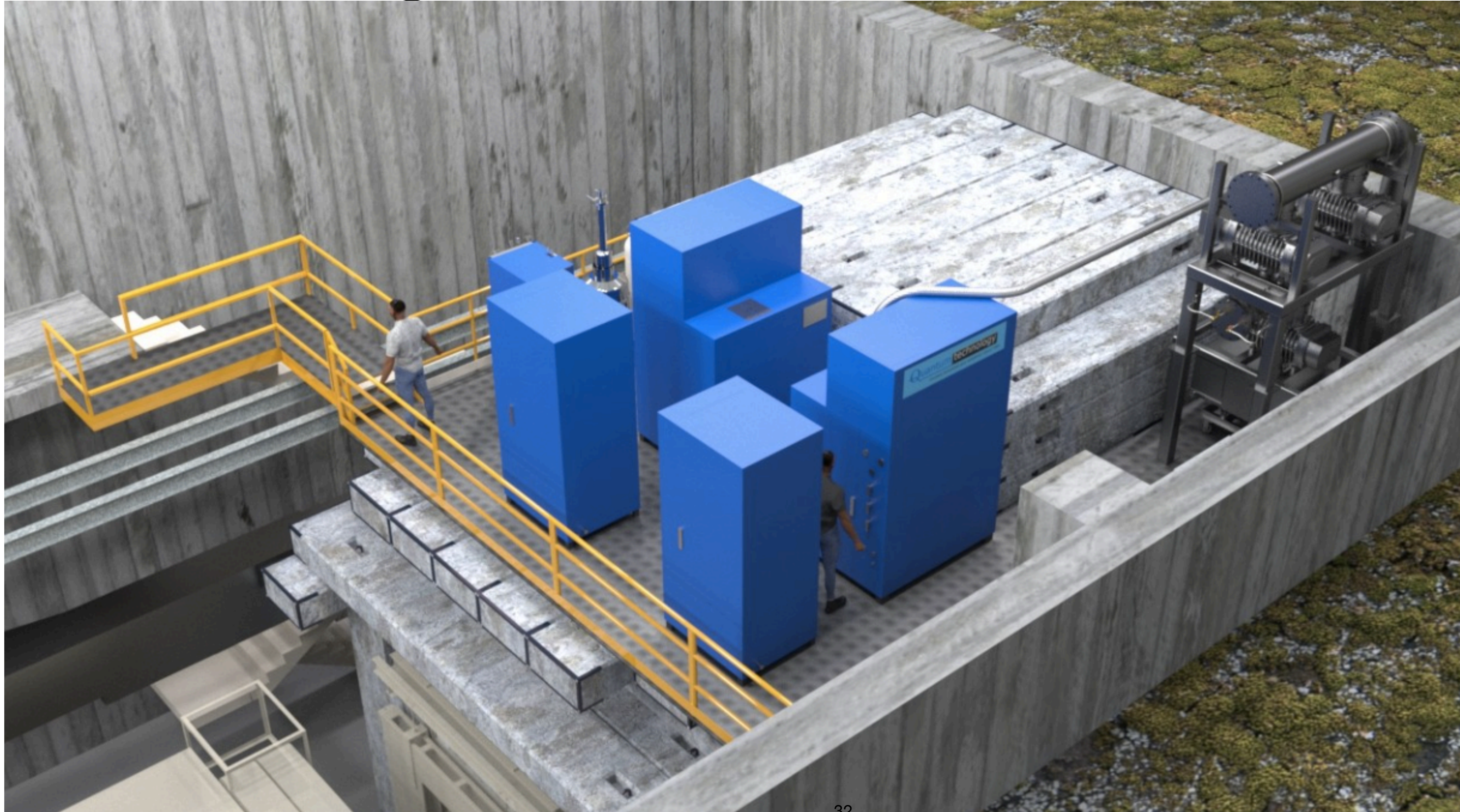
# NM4 Experimental Hall



# Cryo-platform

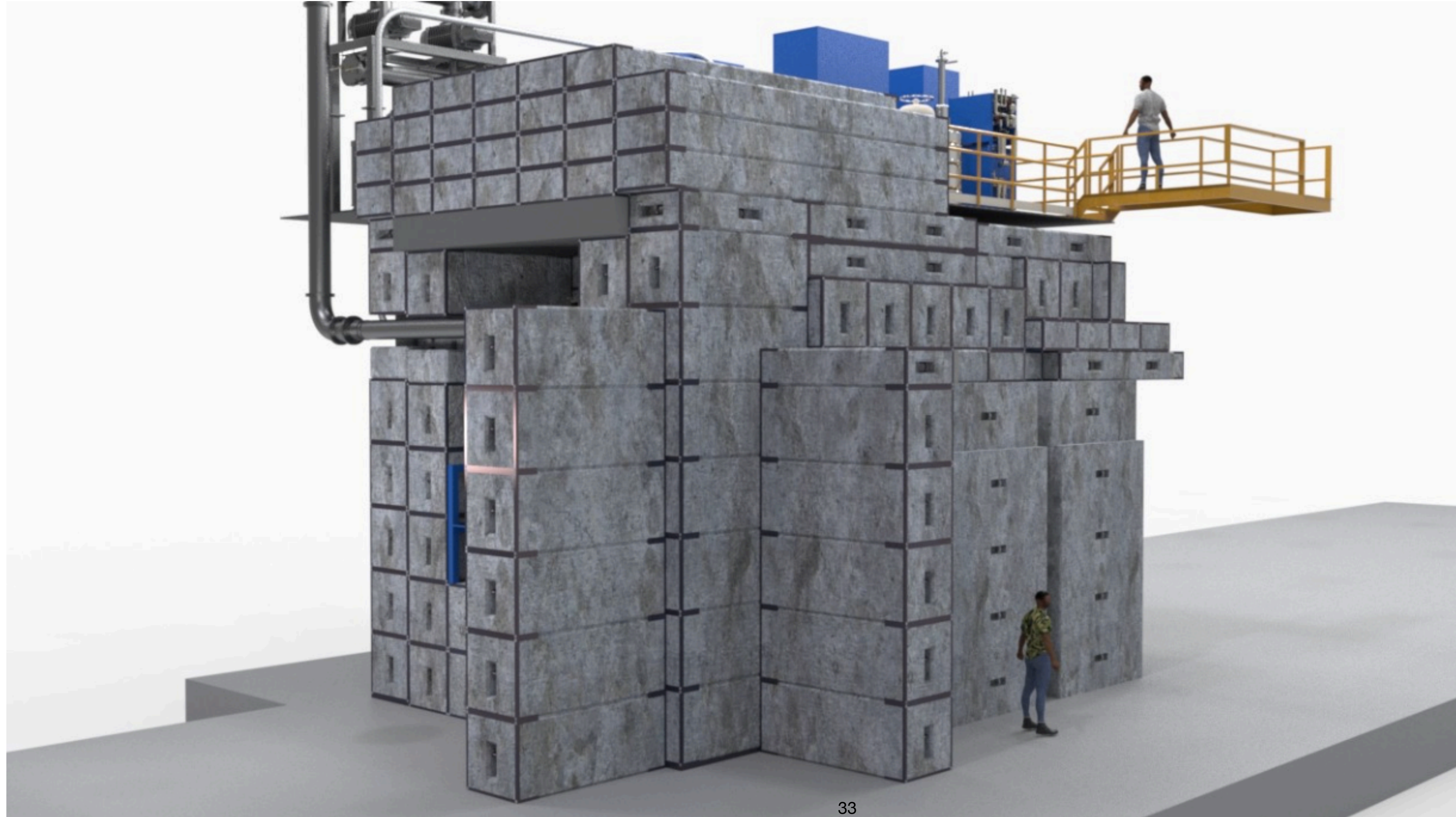


# Top of Target Cave

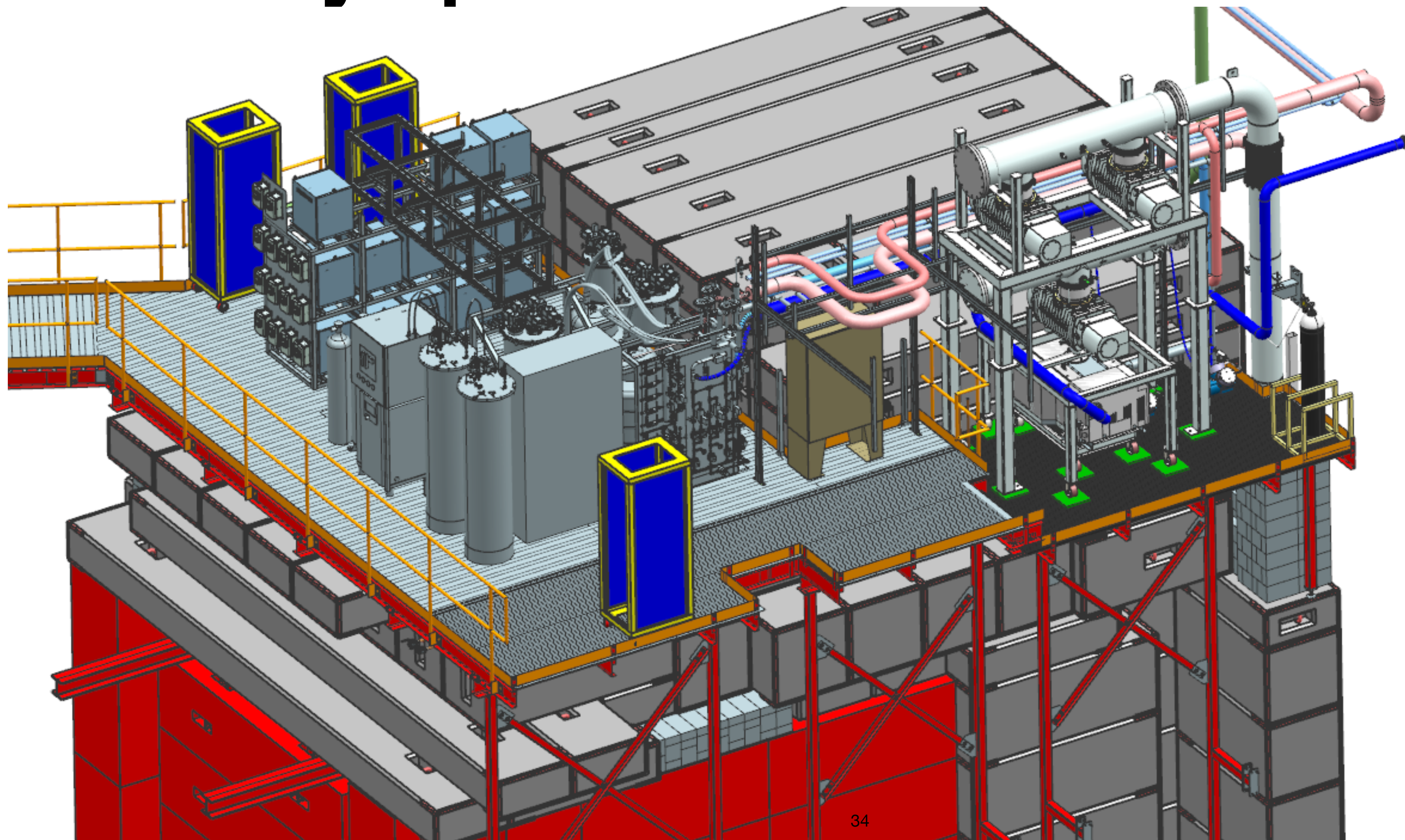




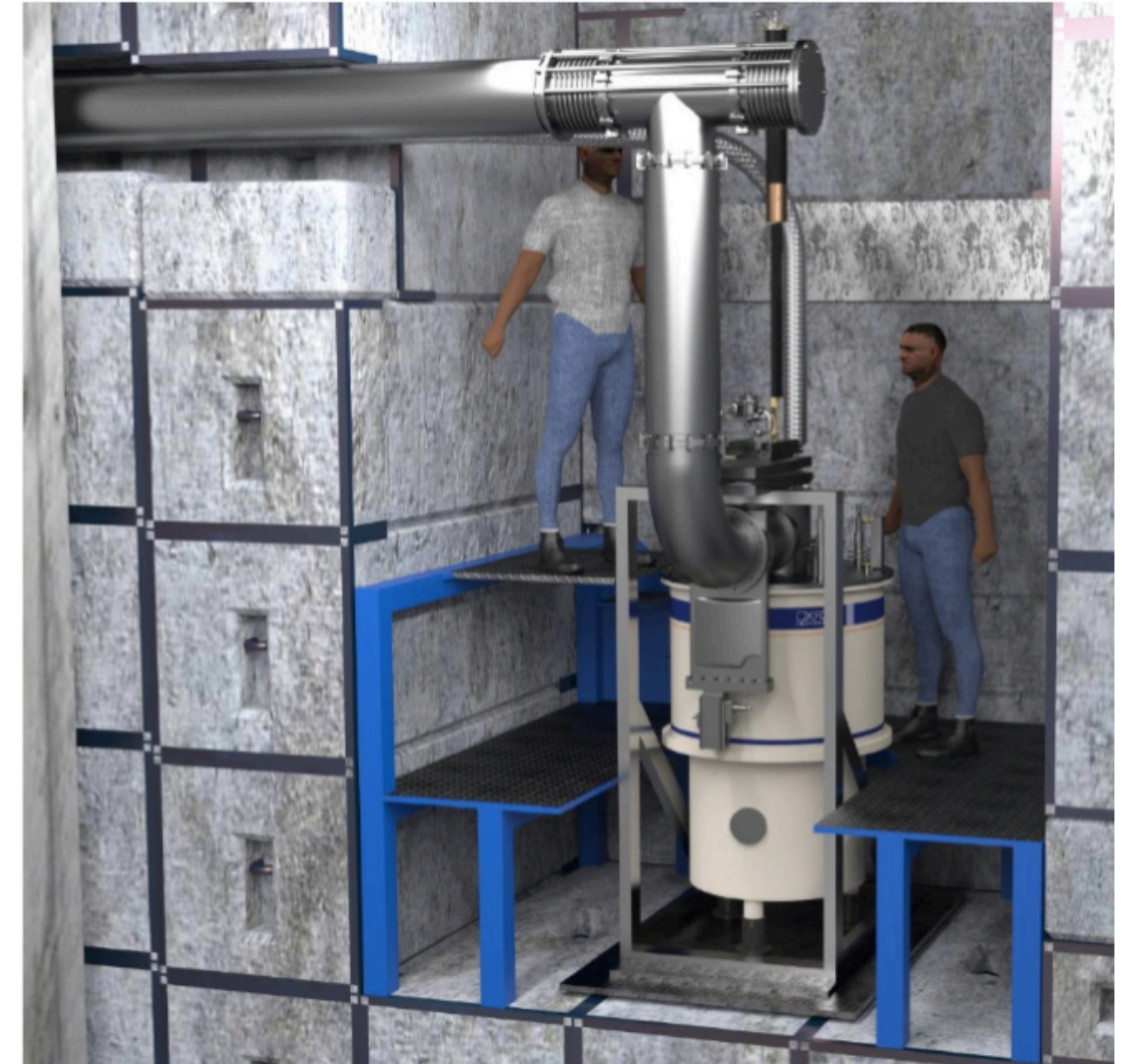
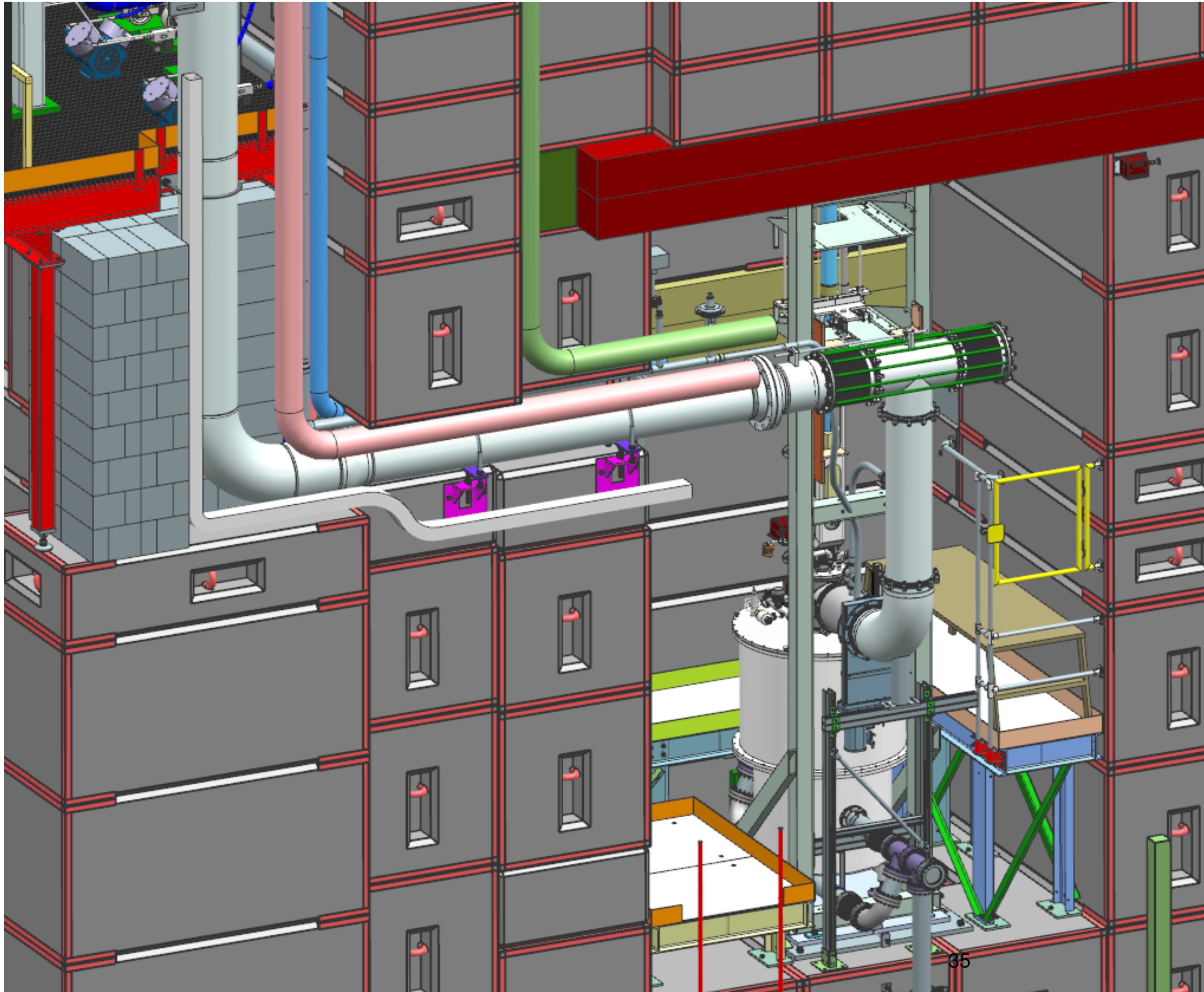
# Target Cave and Cryo-platform



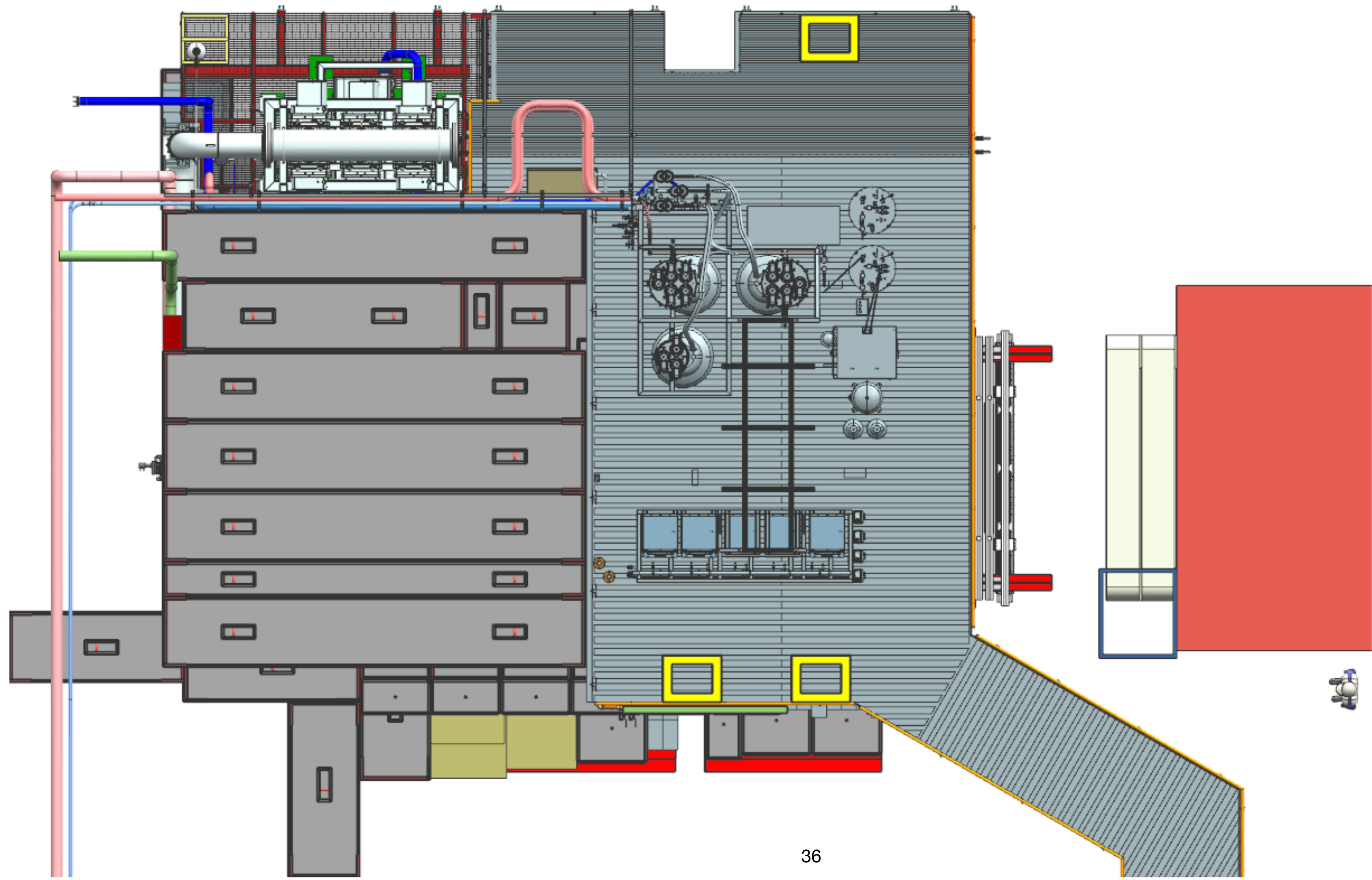
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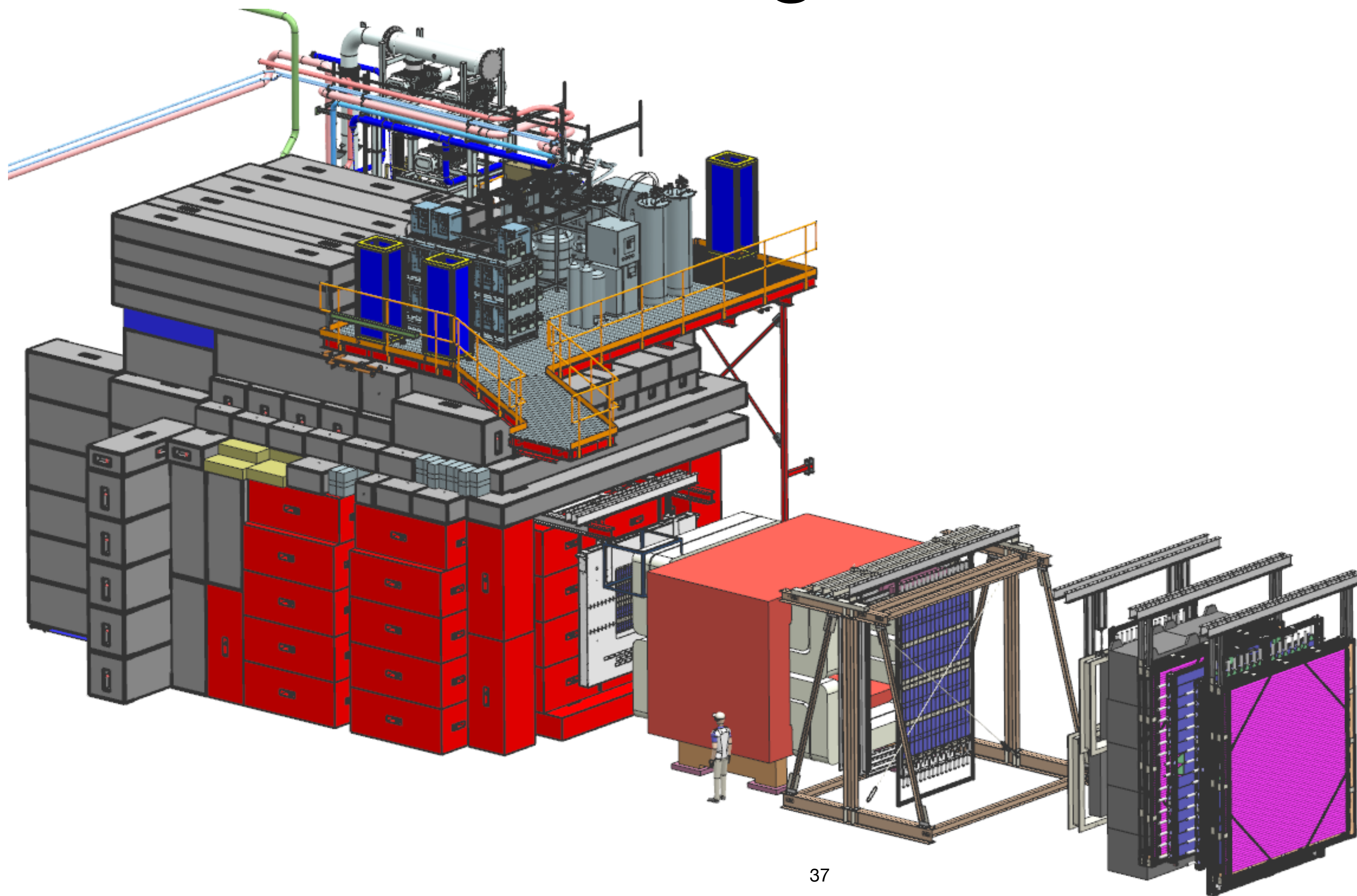
# Target Alcove



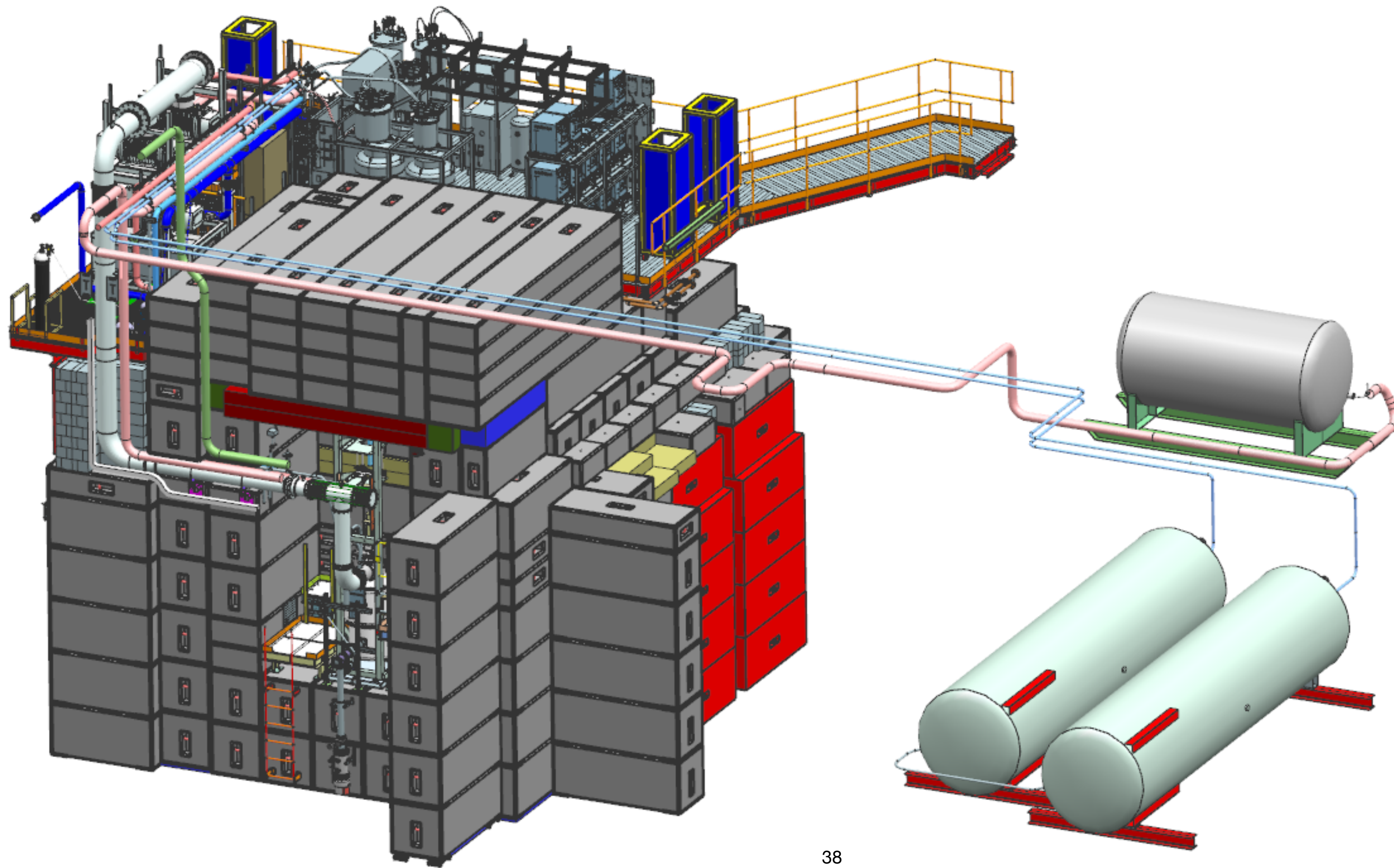
# Overhead view of Cryo-platform



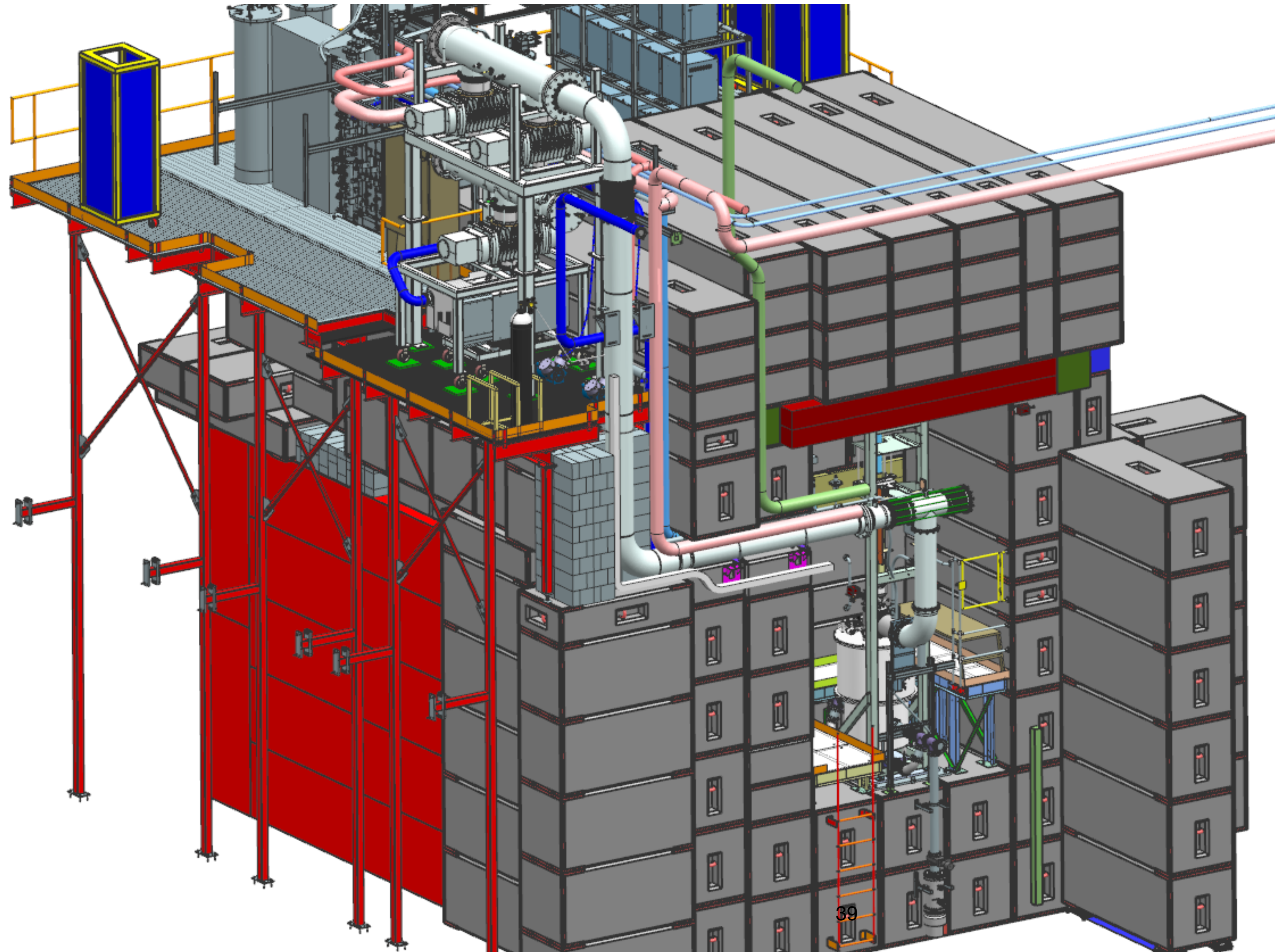
# Full Detector and Target



# Helium and Nitrogen Supplies

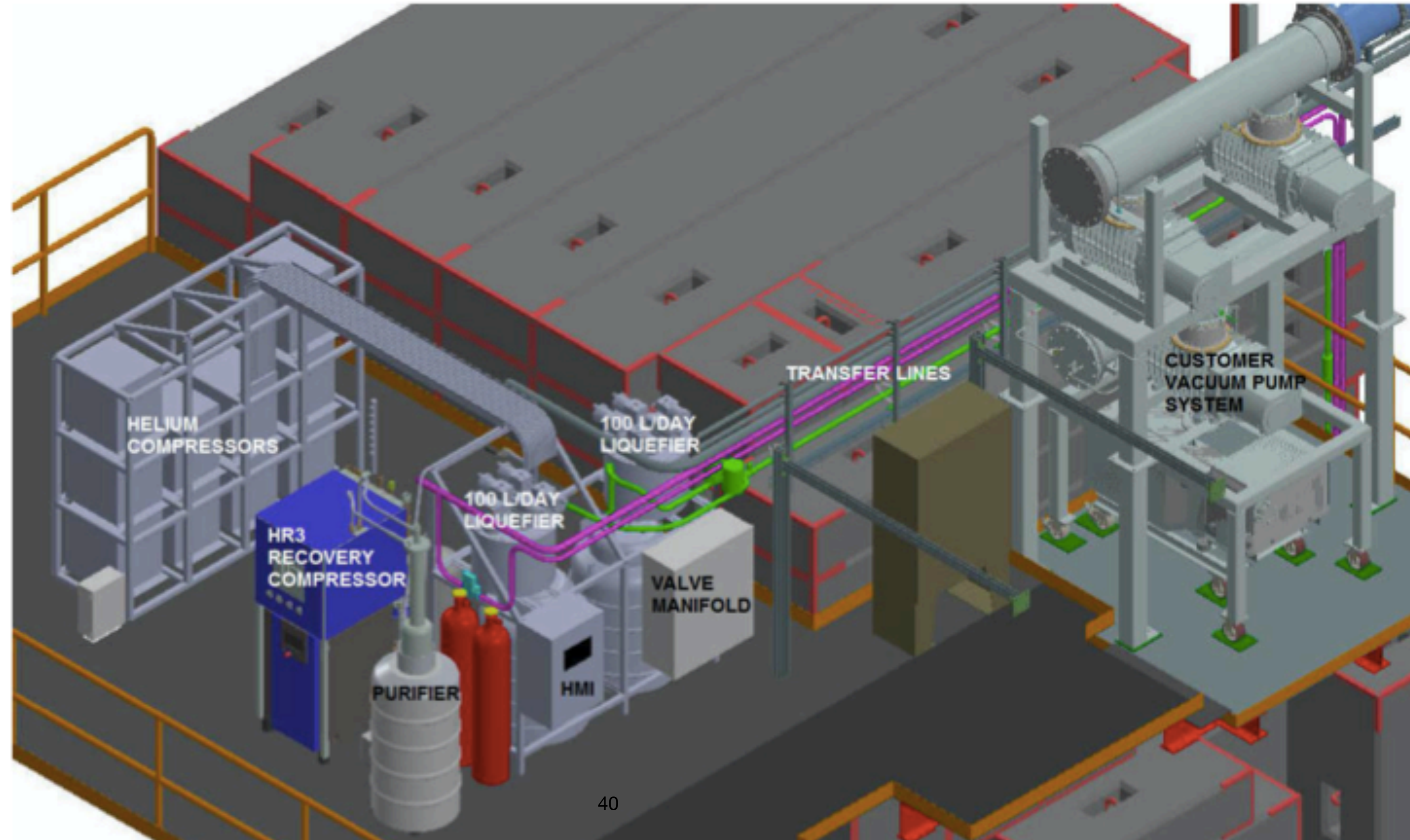


# West View of Target Cave



# QT Liquefier

## Set of components





# Quantum Technology Corp Liquefier

## A DOE-UVA Purchase for SpinQuest

Model QDHRR100 Helium liquefier

**2 units, for a total of 200 LPD**

Liquefaction Rate: 100 liters/day

Dewar Capacity: 250 Liters

Compressor Package Model (five units): QDC6000V (Available water cooled only)

Compressor Package Weight: 1320 LB

Power Consumption: 37.5 kW 3 Phase 480V / 60Hz

Cooling Water: Minimum flow 9.5 GPM @ 80°F

Ambient Temperature Range: 45°F to 100°F (7 to 38°C)

Gaseous helium requirement: Purity 99.99%

- Quntumpure Purifier
- Helium Gas Purity Meter
- Custom liquid helium transfer line
- Custom liquefier and liquid helium transfer system

# Liquefier System

Liquefier		Production @6psi/day	Boil-off dewars (2 x250L) (1.15%/day)	Transfer line cooling	Transfer line flow 1/2h*	Flash boil-off (11%)**	Expected He transferred
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200/day	upper bound	220	6	4	16	24	170
	lower bound	200	8	10	20	22	140

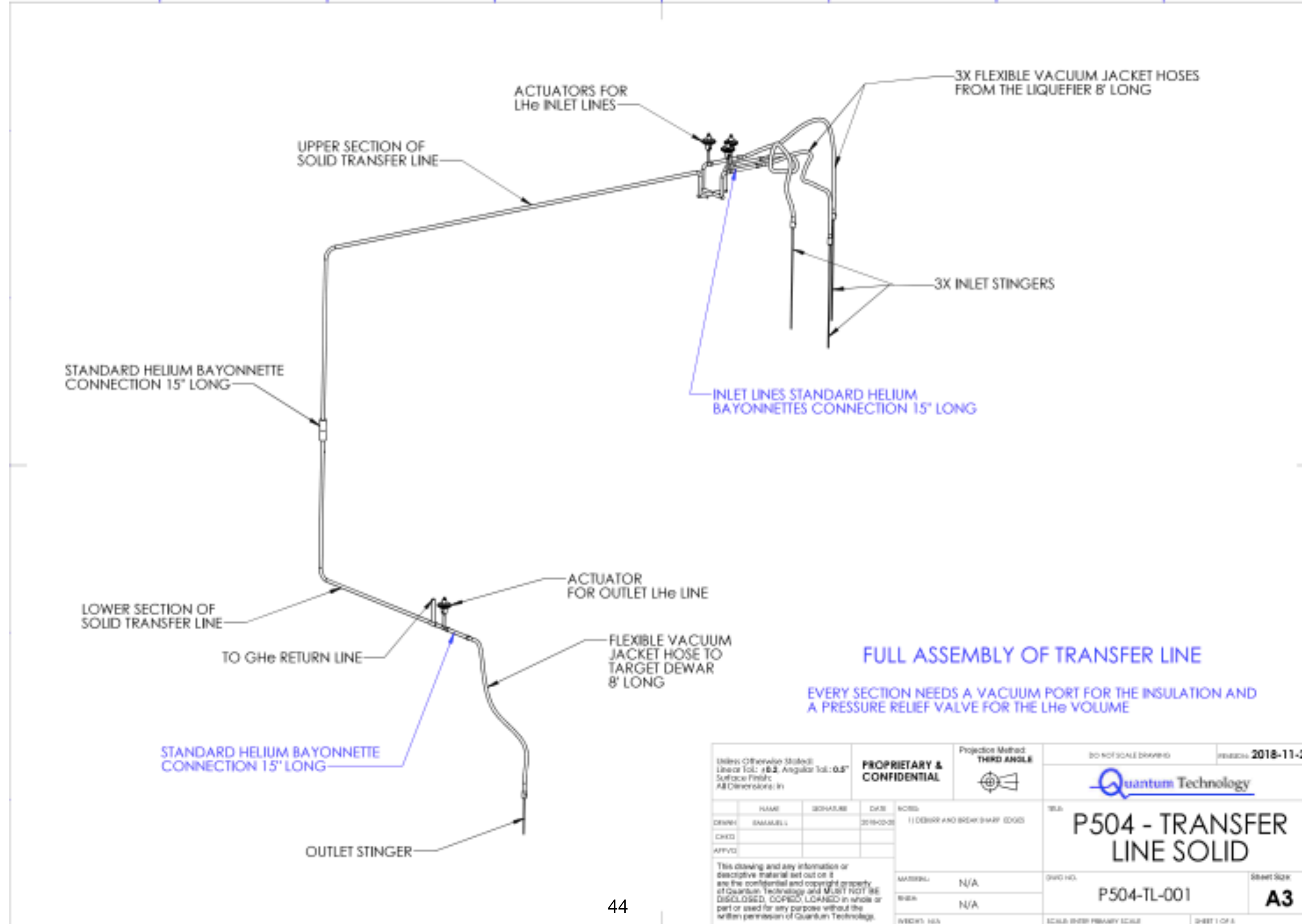
- Requested 135 L/day at the target magnet (67% efficient when transferring over 60 min.)
- Based on studies at UVA this is more than sufficient for continuous running with no beam
- Additional pumping on the magnet will likely be required to run at the beam intensity of interest
- Less efficiency is expected due to safety modification of system, magnet and fridge
- These numbers are very much dependent on the efficiency of the transfer line meeting expectation

# Liquid Helium Transfer

## QT Transfer to the target

- Initial Cooldown 100% boil-off at 1700 slpm
- QT recovery compressor can handle 1500 slpm
- Loss of 200 slpm
- Using rigid non-LN2 shielded (just vacuum) with flexible ends
- Initial fill at 80K requires at least the full 500L of stored LHe
- Refill ~135L (200L) should be delivered over 60 minutes
- Can only store 2X250 at a time

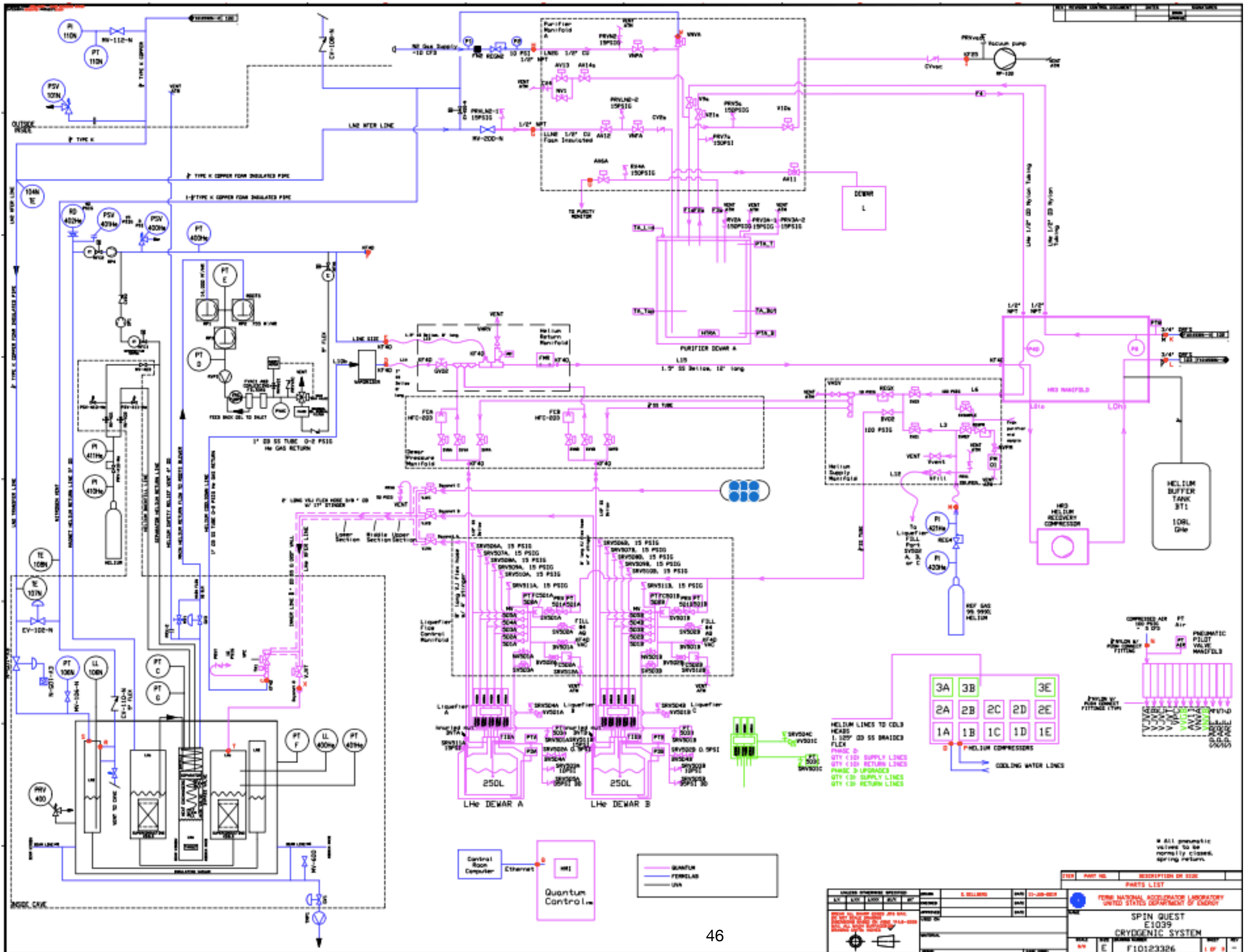
# QT Transfer Line into Cave

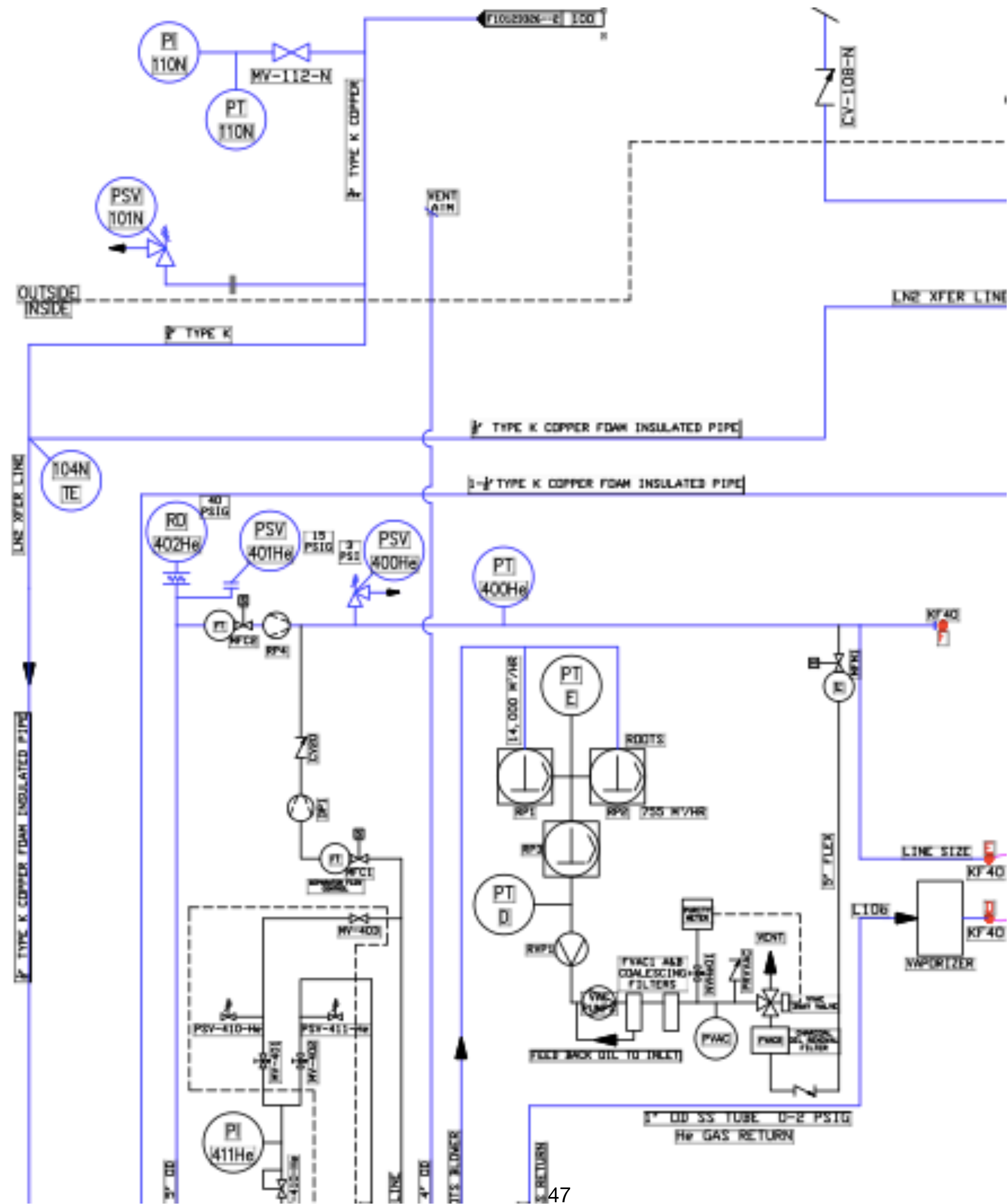


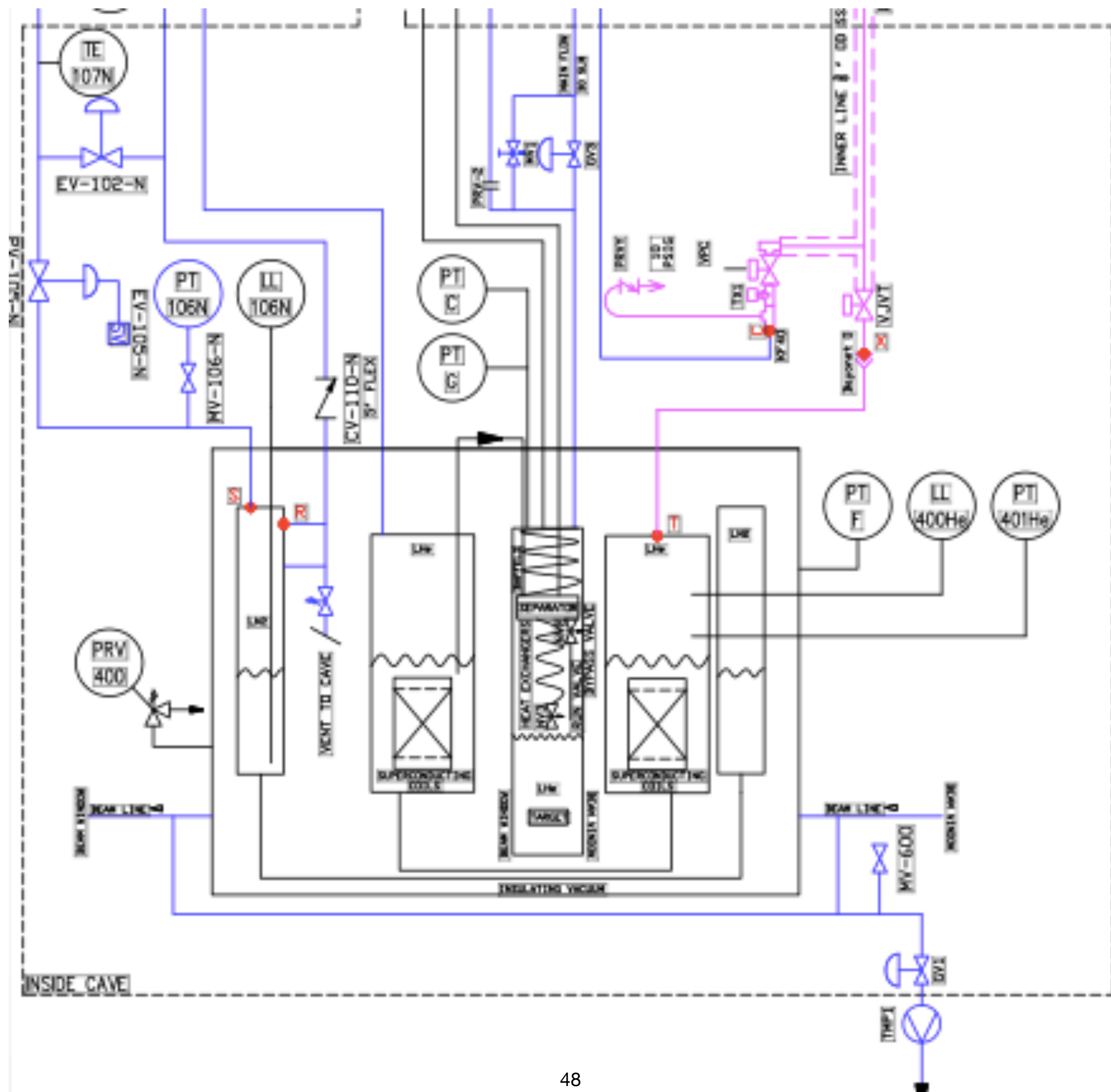
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# Target Magnet Pumping Intensity vs Helium budget

<b>Intensity</b>	$3 \times 10^{12} p/s$	$10 \times 10^{12} p/s$
<b>Daily Consumption</b>	135 l/day	175 l/day
<b>Additional Daily Requirements</b>	0 l/day	40 l/day
<b>250L</b>	0	5 days









# Target Team

## UVA Spin Physics and Polarized Target Group

- Team Leader
- 1 UVA Research Scientist (hiring in process)
- 2 UVA postdocs (general)
- 1 LANL postdoc (slow controls)
- 1 Target Technician (hiring in process)
- 2-3 UVA grad students
- Multiple undergrads

# Challenges

## Past and Present

- No full-time cryo-engineer to help prepare for FNAL cryosafety review
- Major infrastructure additions/modification to meet safety standards
- Additional modifications driven by safety still in process
- FNAL Cryo-engineers can not guarantee a pass (at any price)
- Training target experts requires a running target

**Thank You**