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High Power SRF Linacs at IMP

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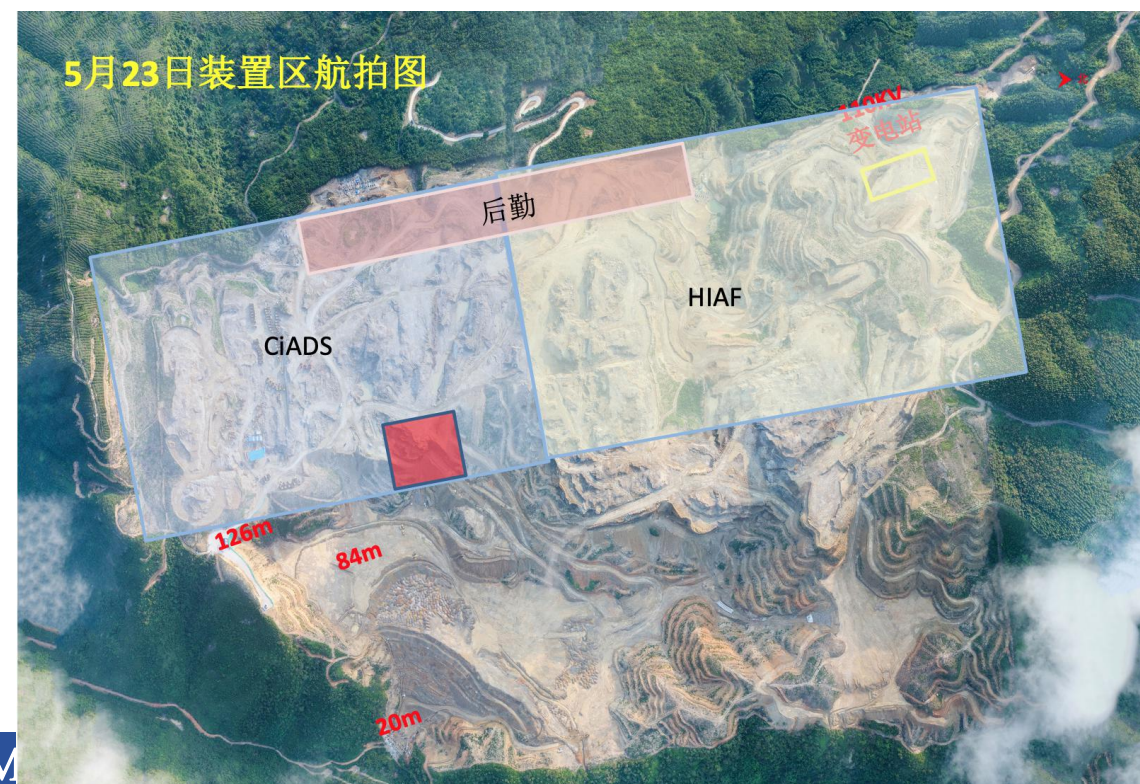




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- Approved in Dec. 2015; Leading institute: IMP
- CiADS Budget: ~4B CNY (Gov. + local + Corp.)
- Partners: CIAE, IHEP, CGN, etc.
- HIAF Budget: ~3B CNY (Gov. and local)
- Partner: PKU
- Location: Huizhou, Guangdong Prov.



BRing-S: Booster ring
Circumference: 650 m
Rigidity: 86 Tm

Beam stacking
Beam acceleration

BRing-N: Fast cycle ring
Circumference: 590 m
Rigidity: 34 Tm

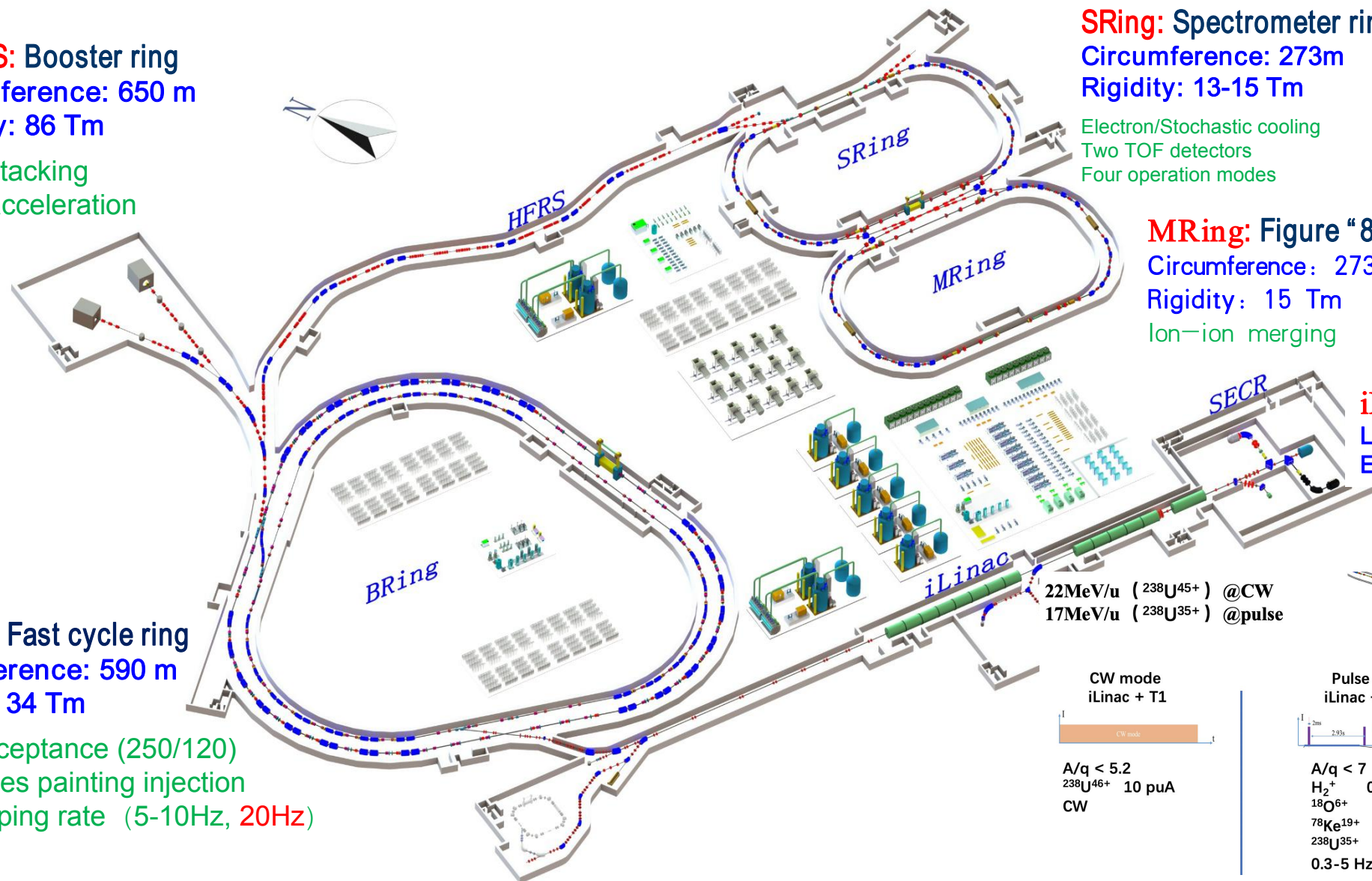
Large acceptance (250/120)
Two planes painting injection
Fast ramping rate (5-10Hz, 20Hz)

SRing: Spectrometer ring
Circumference: 273m
Rigidity: 13-15 Tm

Electron/Stochastic cooling
Two TOF detectors
Four operation modes

MRing: Figure "8" ring
Circumference: 273m
Rigidity: 15 Tm
Ion-ion merging

iLinac: Superconducting linac
Length: 100 m
Energy: 17-22 MeV/u (U^{35+45+})



22MeV/u ($^{238}U^{45+}$) @CW
17MeV/u ($^{238}U^{35+}$) @pulse

CW mode
iLinac + T1

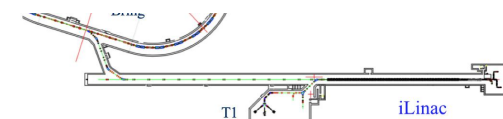
$A/q < 5.2$
 $^{238}U^{46+}$ 10 pA
CW

Pulse mode
iLinac + Bring

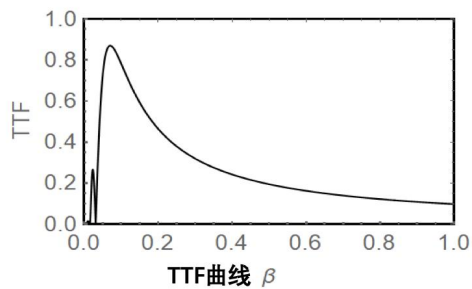
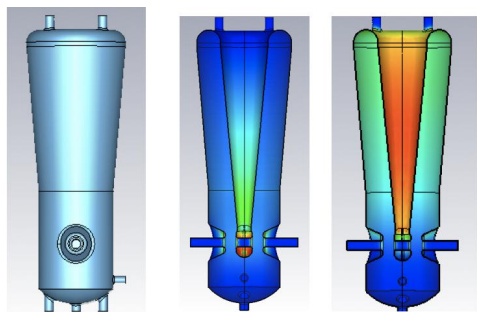
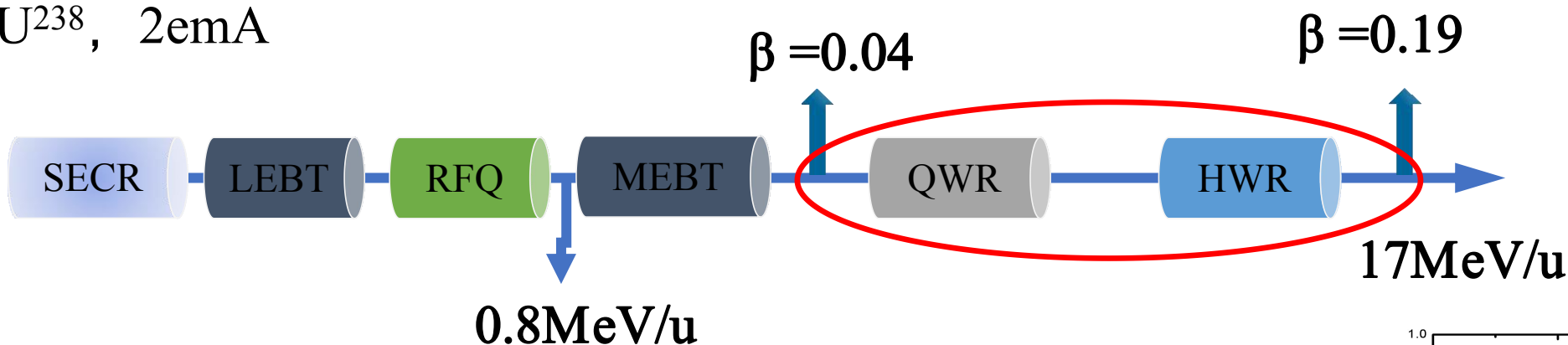
$A/q < 7$
 H_2^+ 0.6 eMA
 $^{18}O^{6+}$ 1 eMA
 $^{78}Ke^{19+}$ 1 eMA
 $^{238}U^{35+}$ 1 eMA
0.3-5 Hz@0.2-2 ms

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iLinac + Bring + T1

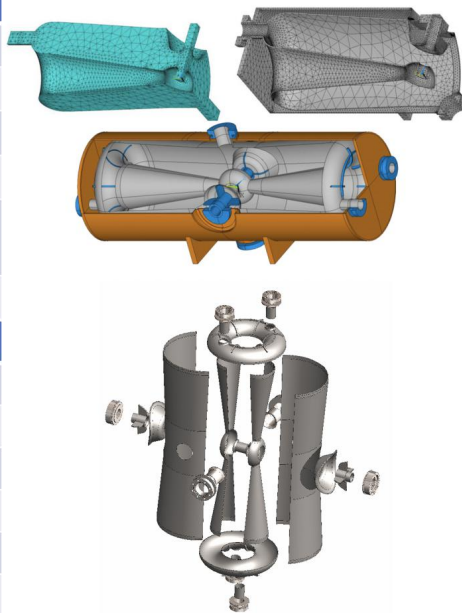
$A/q < 5.2$
ECRs + T1 switch
Two beams with $A/q > 80\%$ T1 + 2 ms Bring
0.3-5 Hz@0.2-2 ms



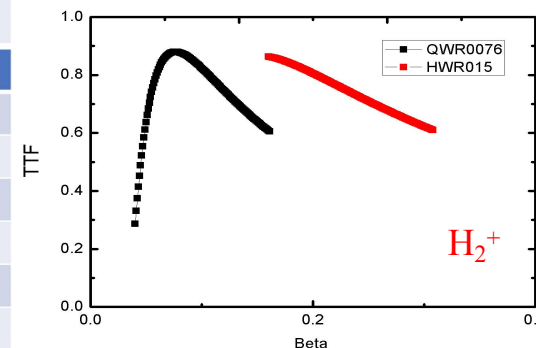
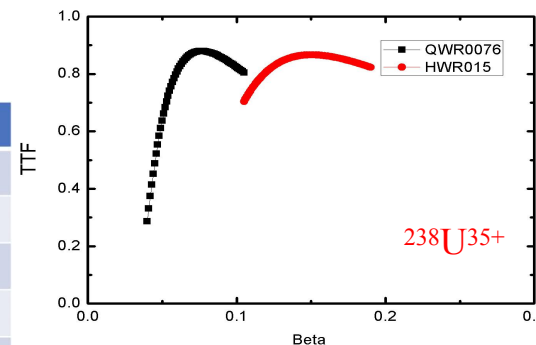
Design: $^{35}\text{U}^{238}$, 2emA

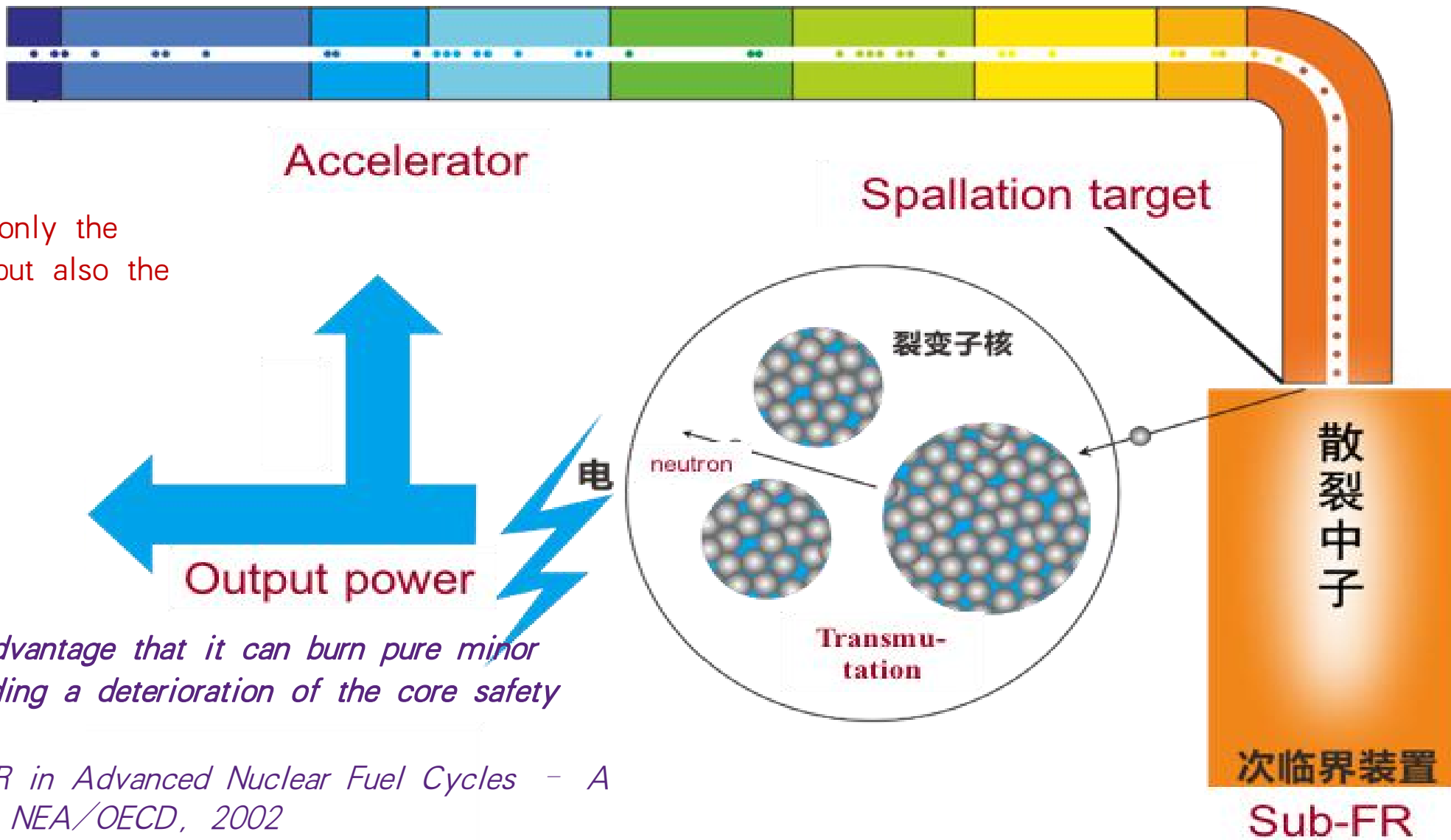


parameter	IMP	ANL
Frequency (MHz)	81.25	72.75
β_{opt}	0.076	0.077
Leff (mm)	280.4	317.5
Epeak/Eacc	4.85	5.0
Bpeak/Eacc (mT/(MV/m))	5.43	7.1
Ra/Q0 (Ω)*G (Ω)	15402	14711
Parameter		
Epmax (MV/m)		33
Ep1(operation) (MV/m)		28
Veff @Ep1 (MV/m)		1.62
Eacc@Ep1 (MV/m)		5.77
Q0 (Res15n Ω , 20mG)		1.67E9
Ploss[2K] @Ep1 (W)		3.07



Parameter	
Frequency (MHz)	162.5
β_{opt}	0.15
Effective length (mm)	276
Epeak/Eacc	4.89
Bpeak/Eacc (mT/(MV/m))	6.11
Ra/Q0 (Ω)*G (Ω)	14892
parameter	
Epmax (MV/m)	33
Ep1(operation) (MV/m)	28
Veff @Ep1 (MV/m)	1.58
Eacc@Ep1 (MV/m)	5.37
Q0 @2K (Res15n Ω , 20mG)	2.80E9
Ploss[2K] @Ep1 (W)	3.05

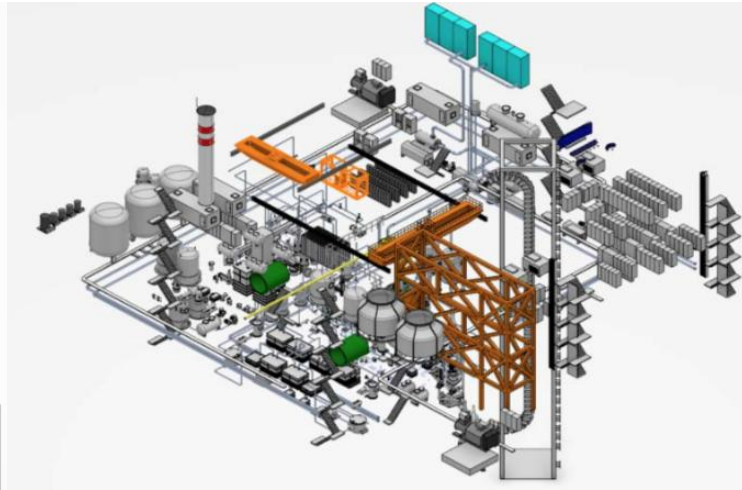
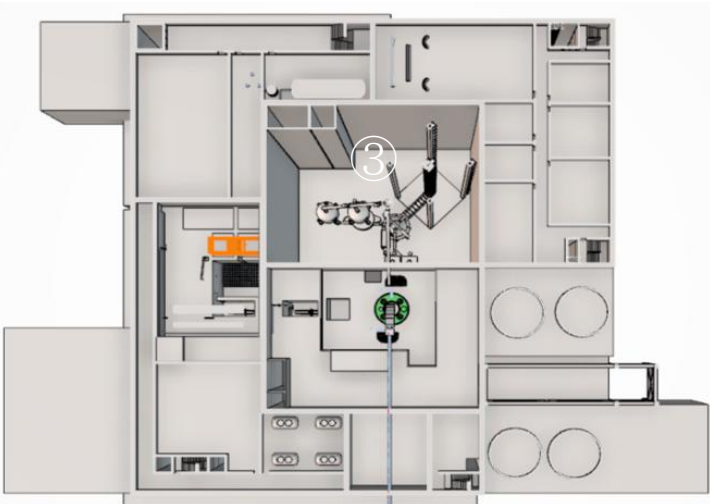




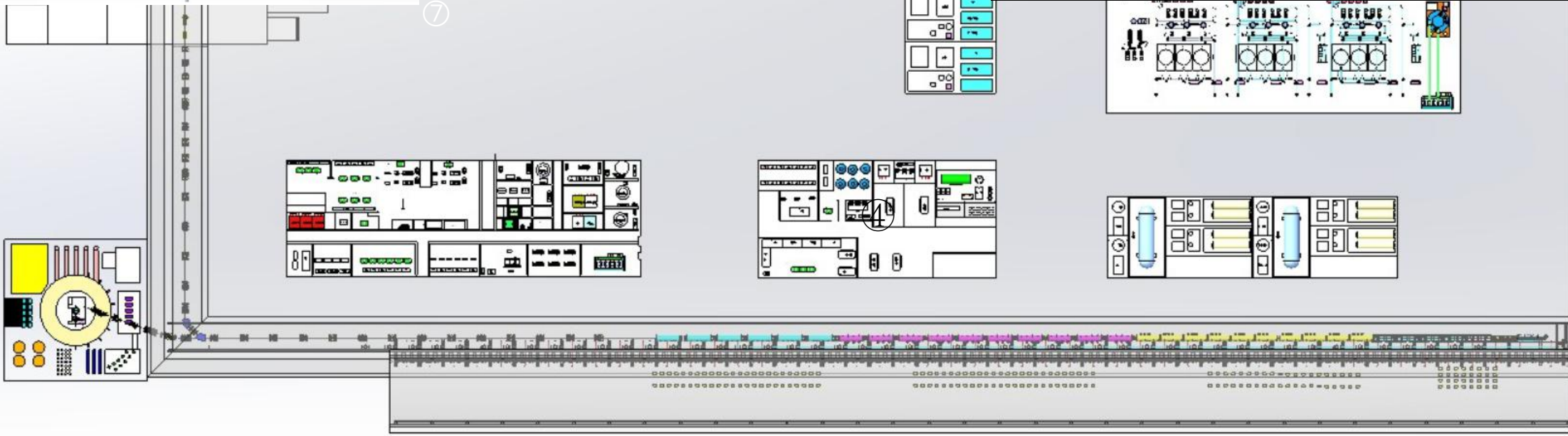
Nuclear waste is not only the issue of sustainable, but also the long-term supply.

"The ADS has the advantage that it can burn pure minor actinides while avoiding a deterioration of the core safety characteristics."

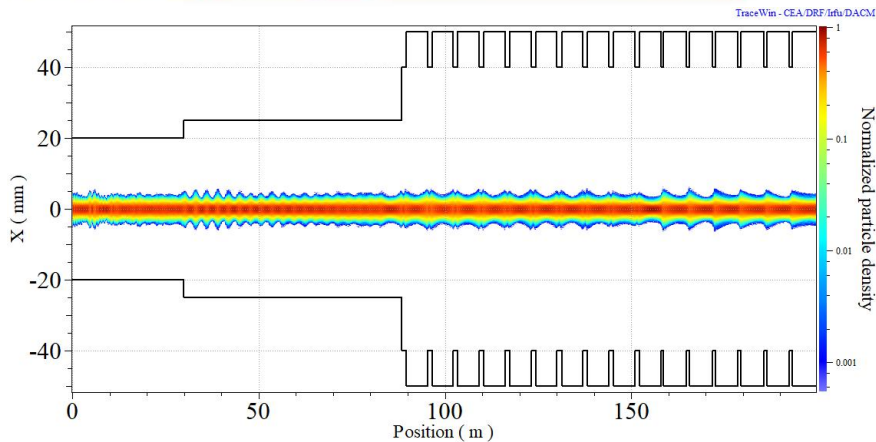
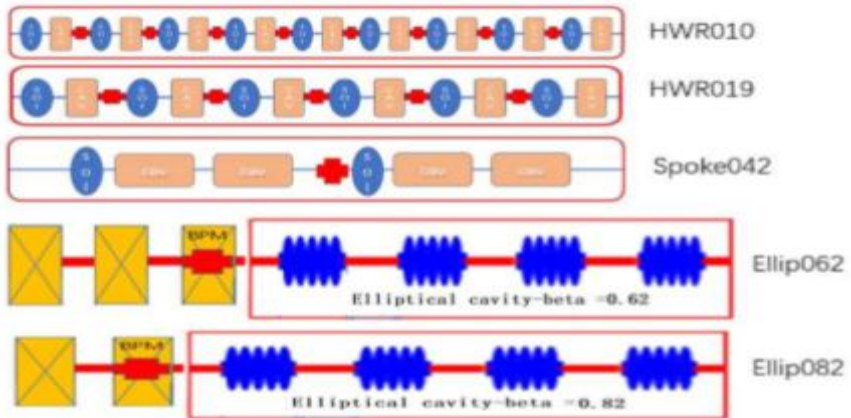
— ADS and FR in Advanced Nuclear Fuel Cycles - A Comparative Study, NEA/OECD, 2002



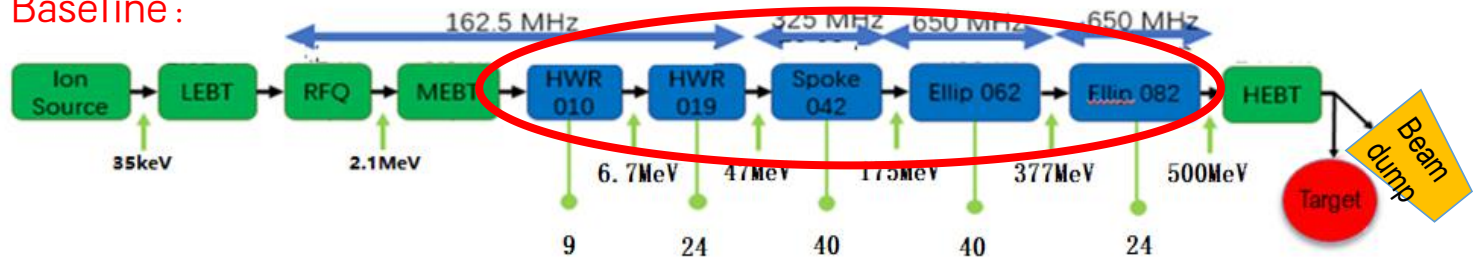
Design Particle	proton
Energy	500 MeV
Beam current	5 mA
Beam power	2.5 MW
Operation mode	CW&Pulse
Reactor power	10 MWt (incl. beam)
Cryogenic	2 K



- Physics** : phase advance < 90 ; smoothness of focusing strength
- Engineering** : minimization and uniformity of the hardware, such as CM, SC cavities
- Operation** : the margin of operation VS design value



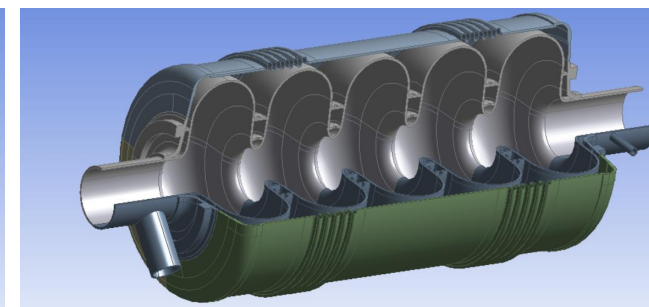
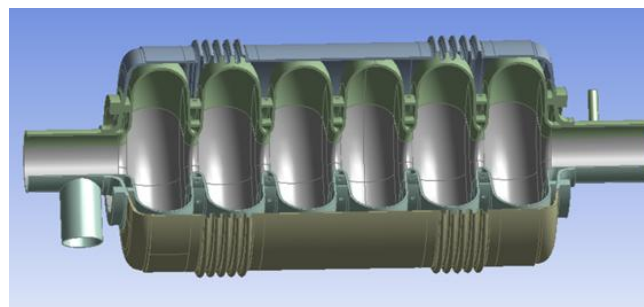
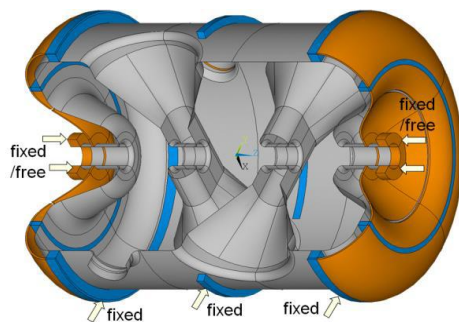
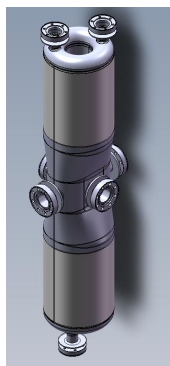
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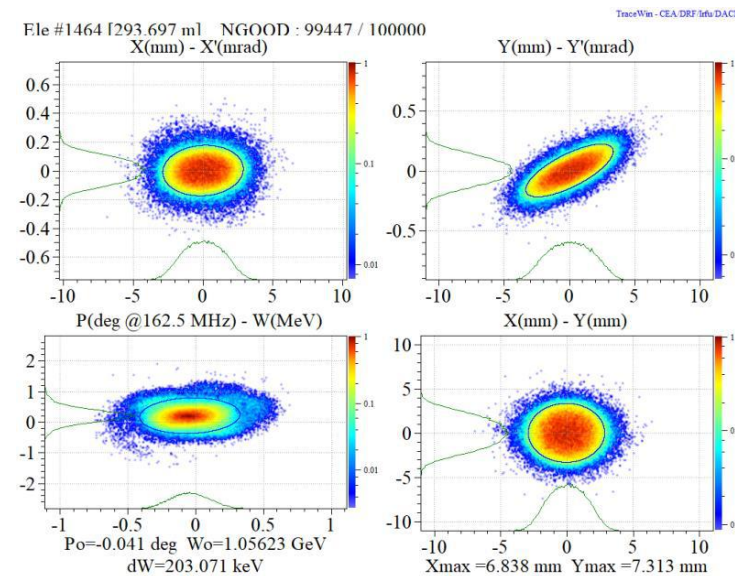
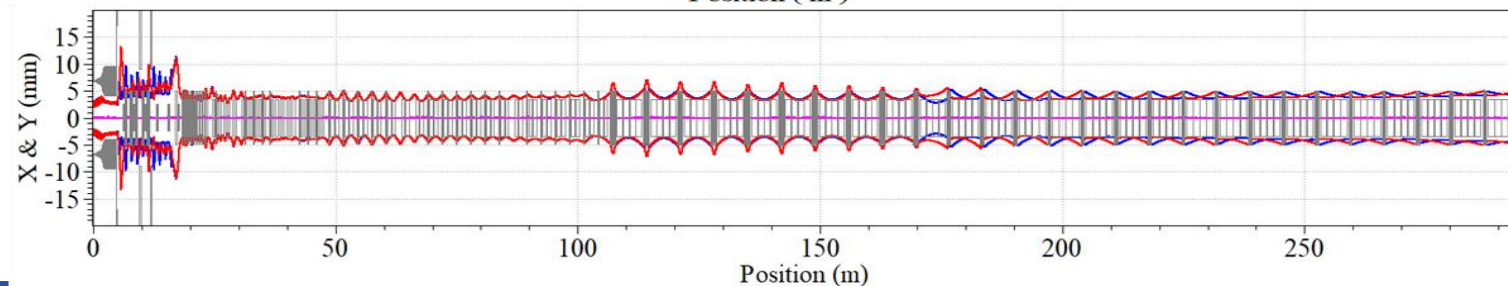
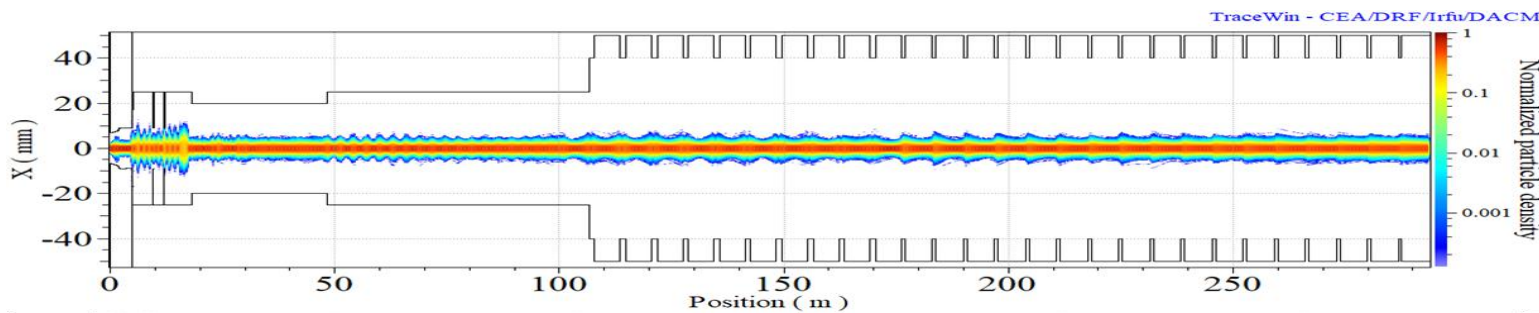
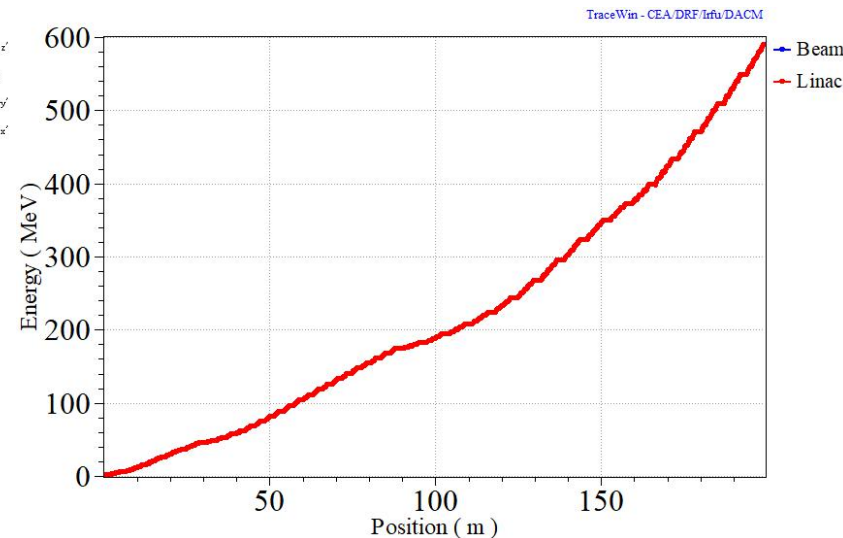
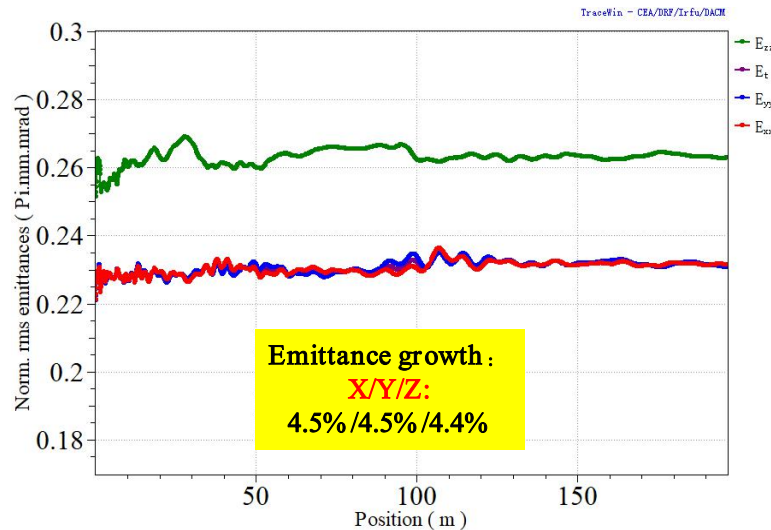
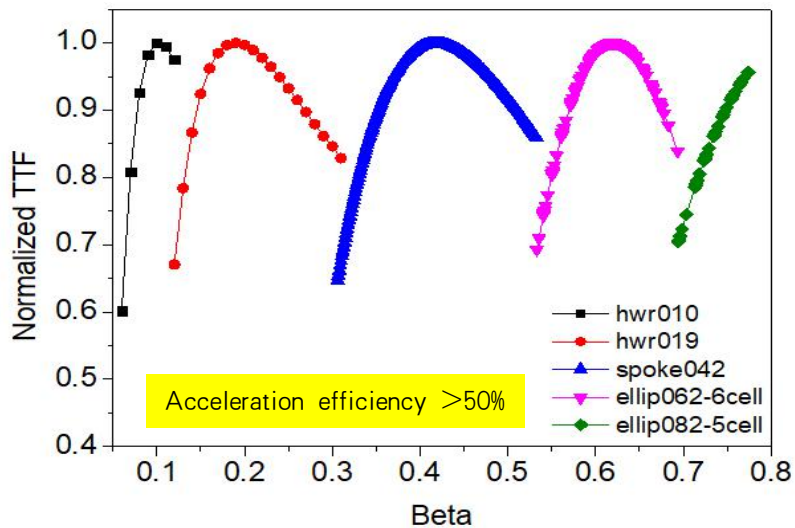


Optimization of "smoothness" from 2 to 10 degs !!

	HWR010	HWR019	Spoke042	Ellip062	Ellip082
f (MHz)	162.5	162.5	325	650	650
β_{opt}	0.10	0.19	0.42	0.62	0.82
Number of cells	2cell	2cell	3cell	6cell	5cell
Epeak(MV/m)	26/30	28/33	28/33	28/33	28/33
Num of cavities	9	24	40	40	24
Focusing elements	SC sol	SC sol	SC sol	triplet	doublet
Num of magnets	9	24	20	10	6
Magnet field(T)	7.5	7.5	7.5	0.9	0.9
Length of CM(m)	6	6	6	6	6
Num of CMs	1	4	10	10	6

SC Cavity		HWR010	HWR019	SPOKE042	Elliptical062-6cell	Elliptical082-5cell
Beta		0.10	0.19	0.42	0.62	0.82
frequency	MHz	162.50	162.50	325.00	650.00	650.00
Beam Aperture	mm	40.00	40.00	50.00	100.00	100.00
L _{eff}	m	0.185	0.351	0.582	0.824	0.895
L _{ftof} (flange to flange)	m	0.2100	0.4700	0.8300	1.2200	1.2200
Ep/Eacc		5.60	4.25	3.84	2.80	2.10
Bp/Eacc	mT/MV/m	12.71	6.35	6.95	4.86	3.98
Ep1(operation)	MV/m	26.00/30	28.00/33	28.00/33	29.00/33	29.00/33
Bp @Ep1	mT	59.01	41.84	50.68	50.37	54.96
TTF		0.83	0.8867	0.80	0.72	0.74
V _{eff} @Ep1	[MV]	0.86	2.31	4.24	8.54	12.36
V0 @Ep1	[MV]	1.03	2.61	5.30	11.81	16.82
Eacc@Ep1	[MV/m]	4.64	6.59	7.29	10.36	13.81

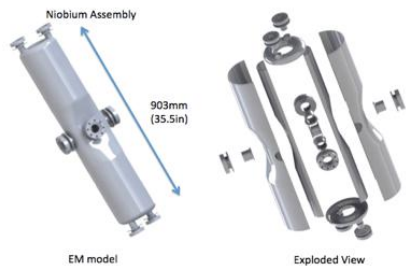






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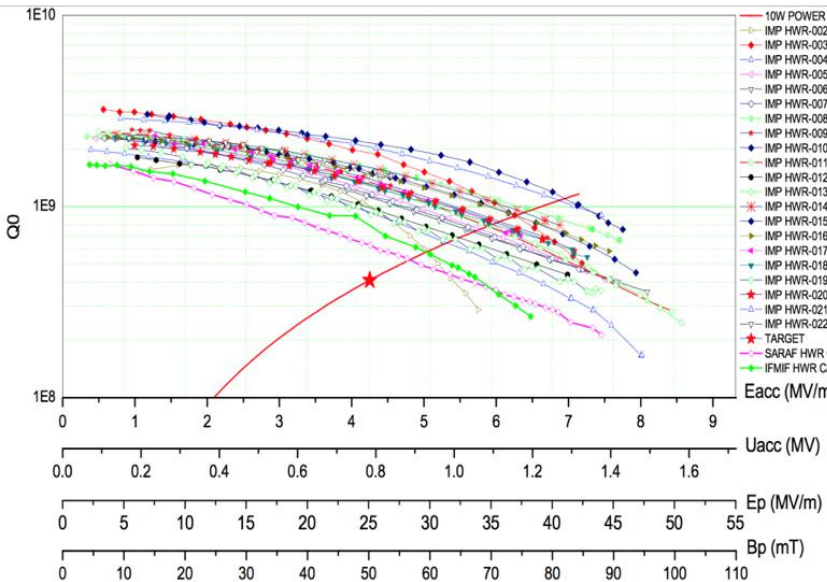
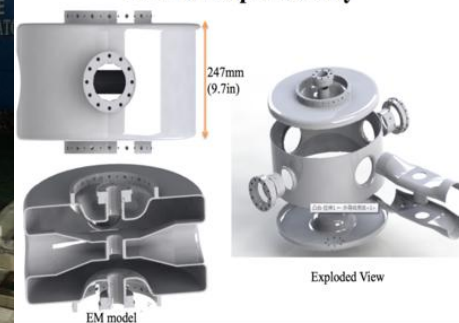
162.5 MHz Half-wave Cavity



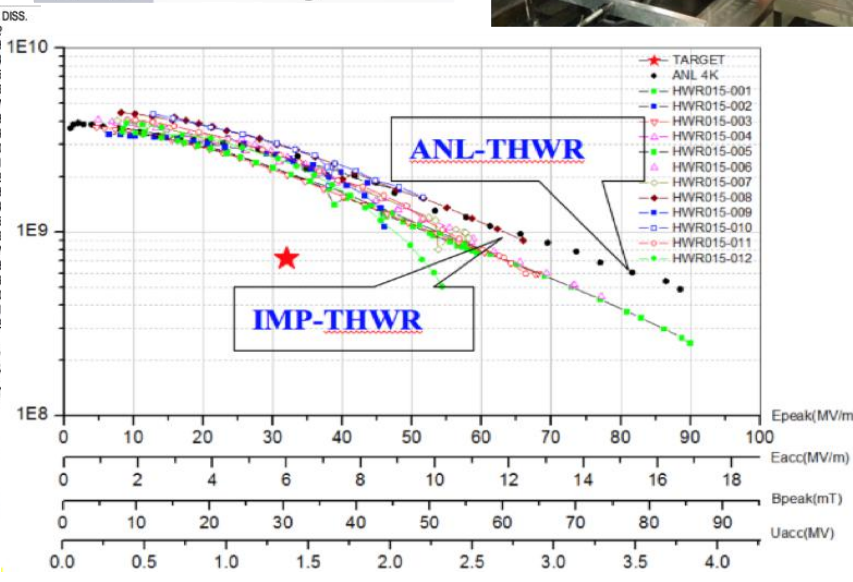
162.5 MHz Taper HWR015



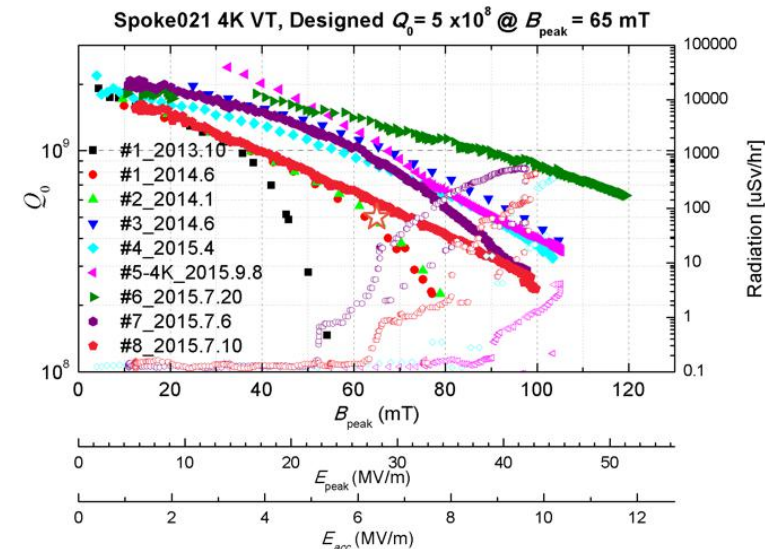
325 MHz Spoke cavity



21 in total, 18 online

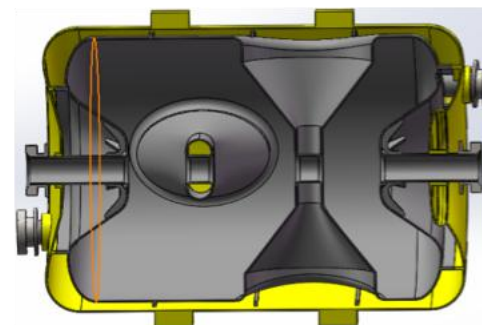
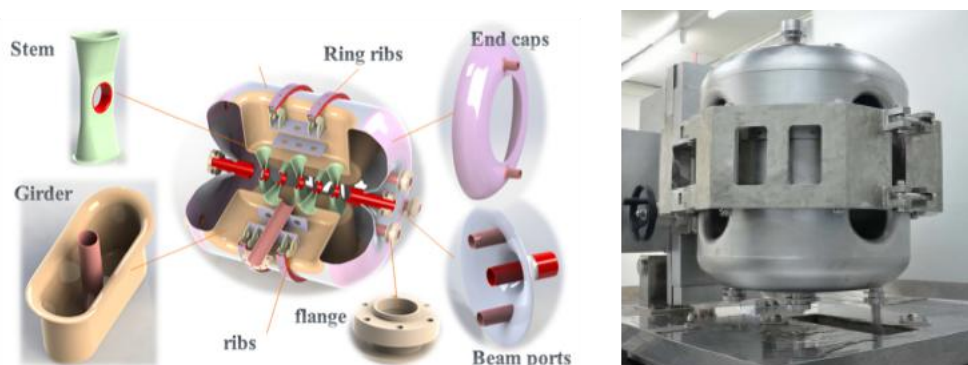


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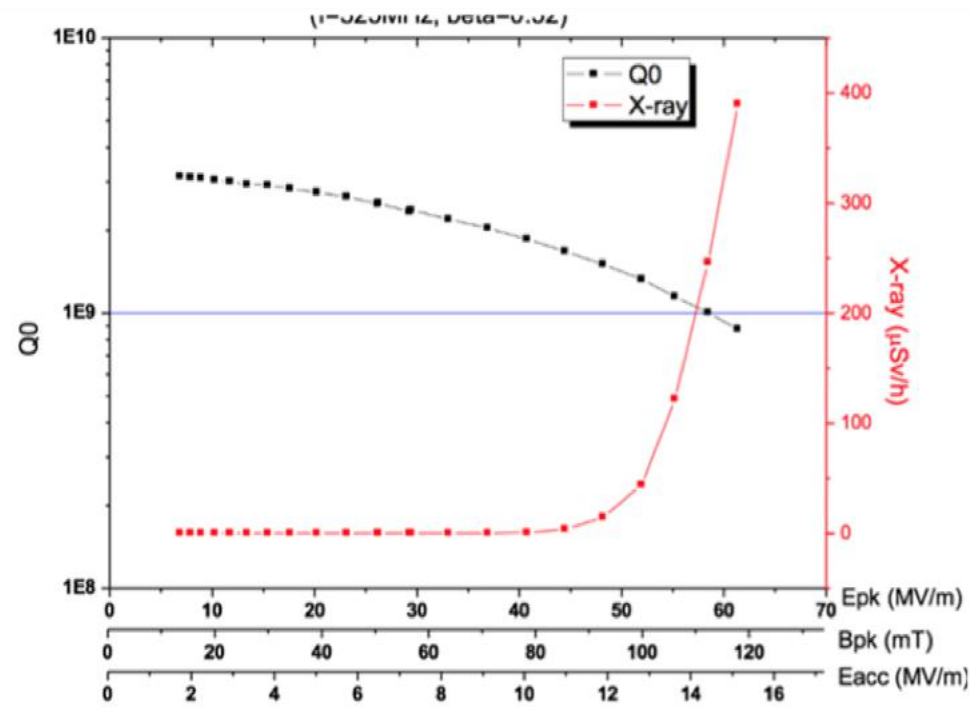
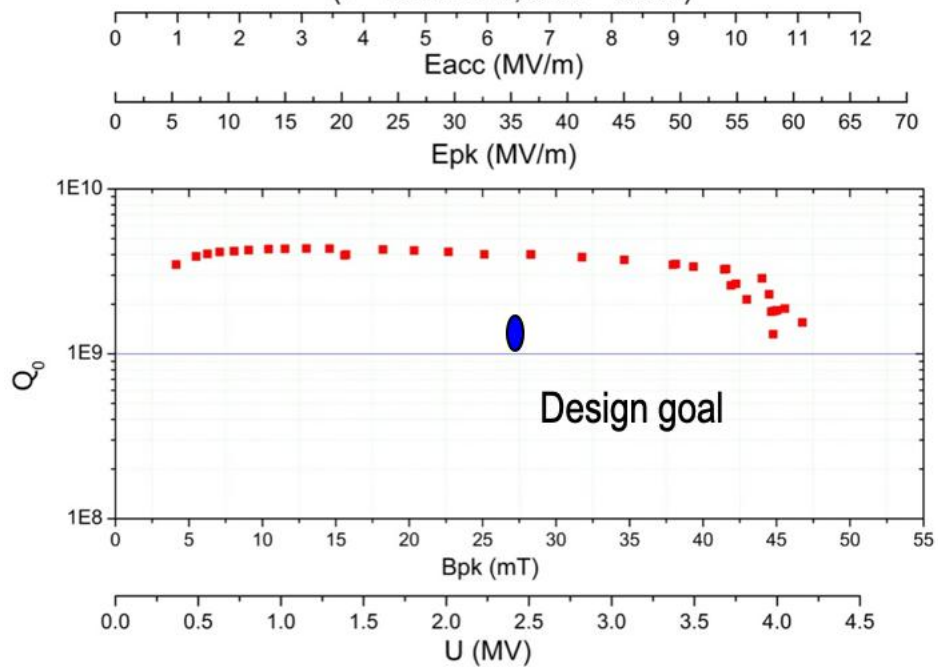


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Spoke like cavities



The 4K vertical test results of superconducting CH cavity in IMP
($f = 162.5$ MHz, $\beta = 0.067$)





Chemical Laboratory at IMP

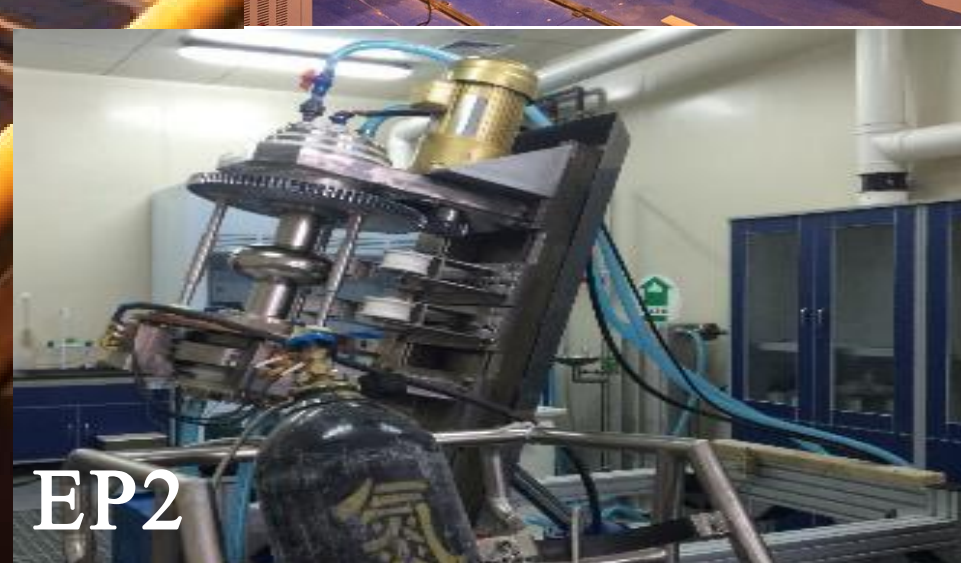




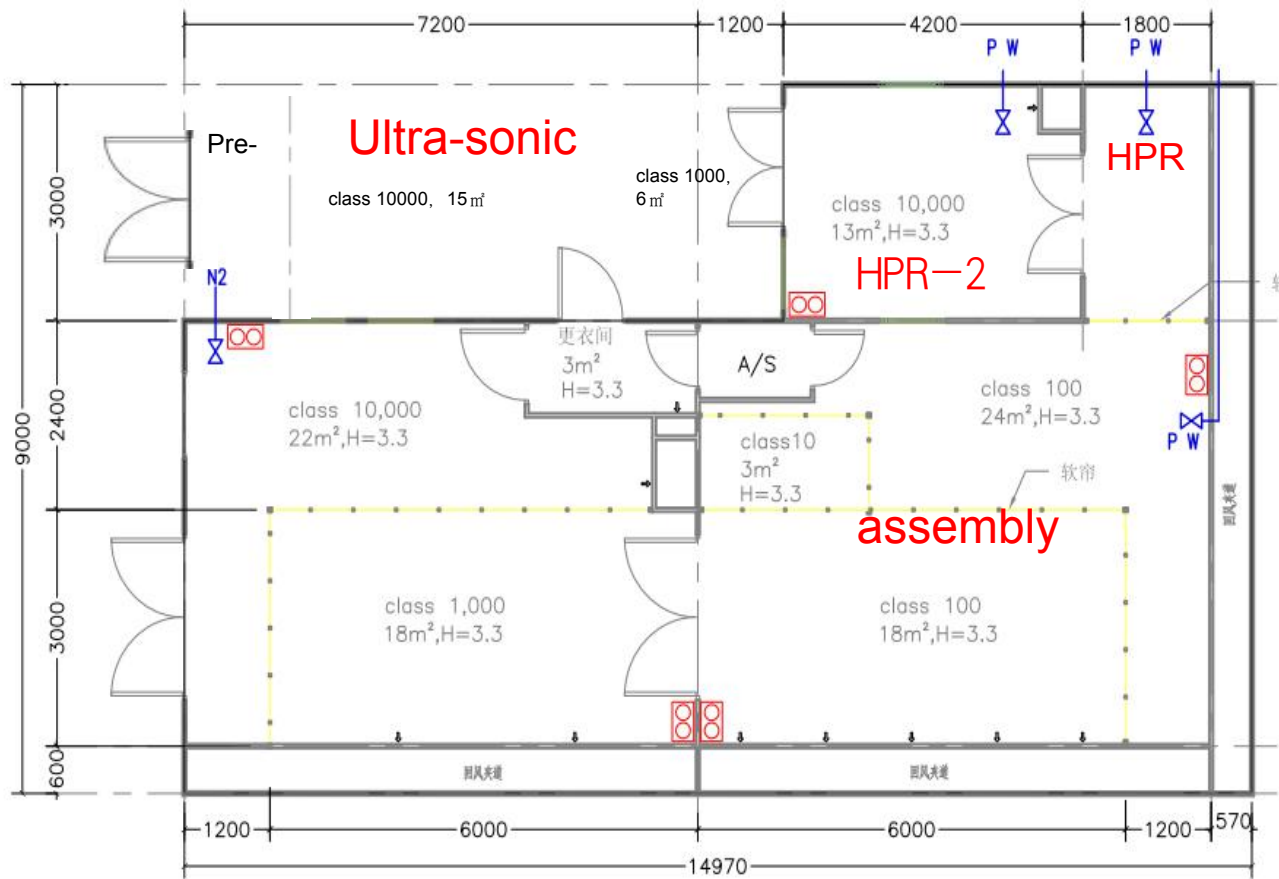
EP1



$T_{max}=1873K$

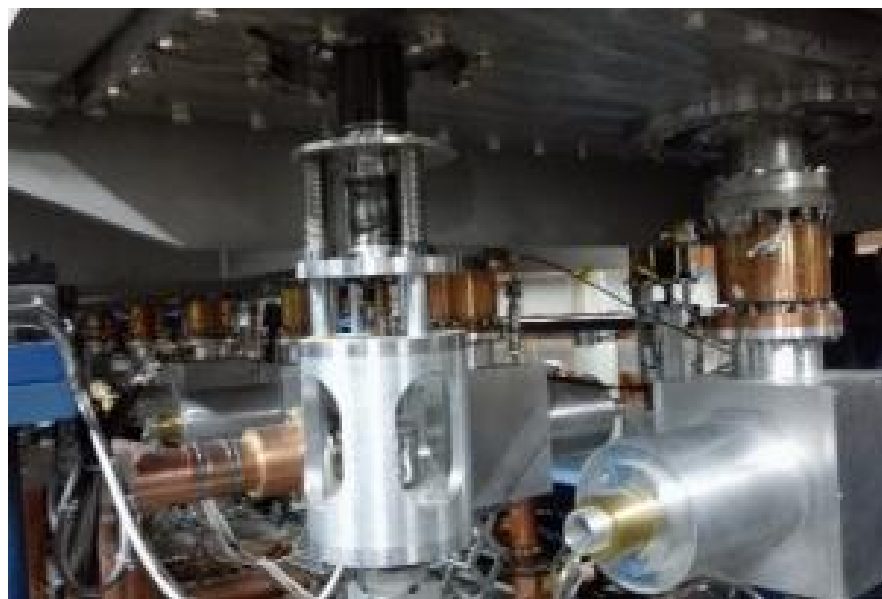
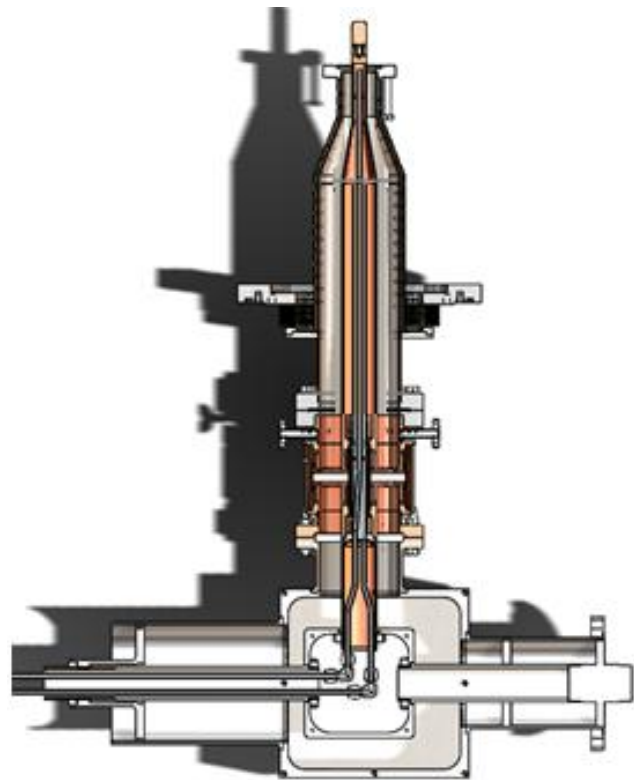


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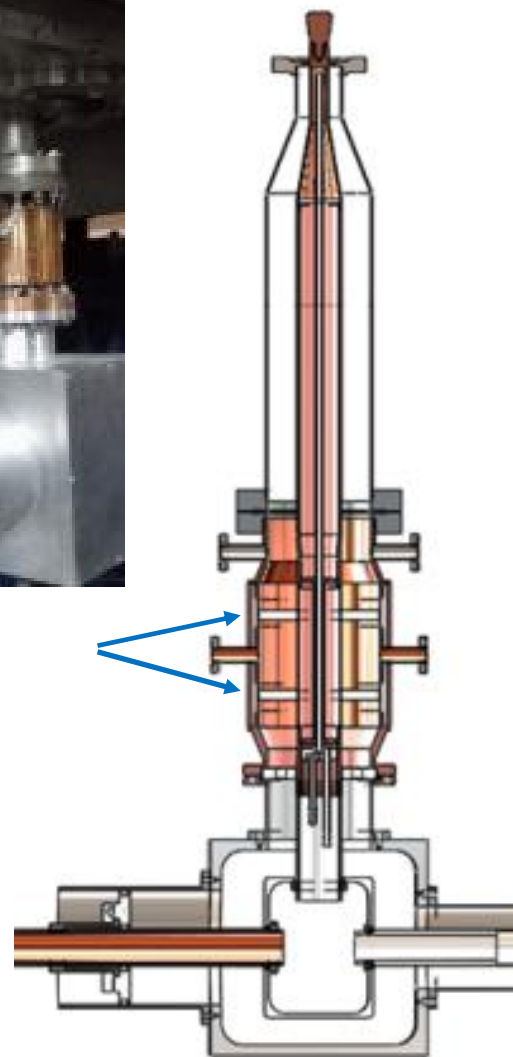


130m² cleanroom, Class 100 ~ 68m²

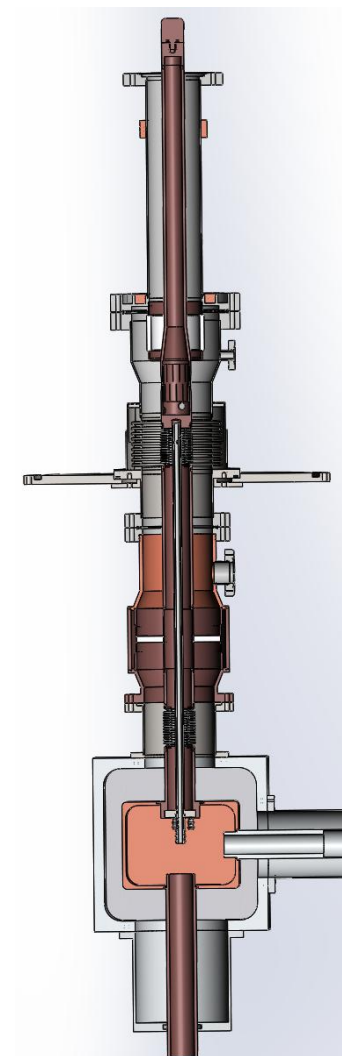
Fundamental Power Coupler



windows



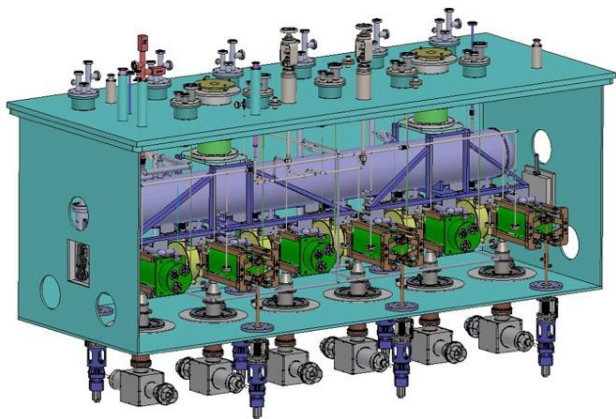
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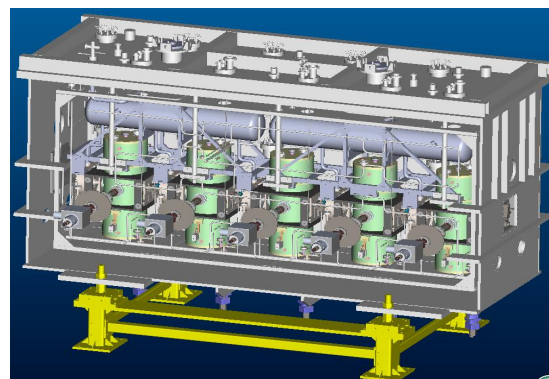
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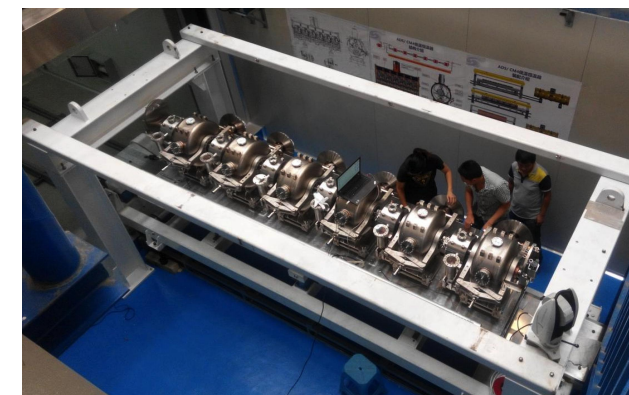
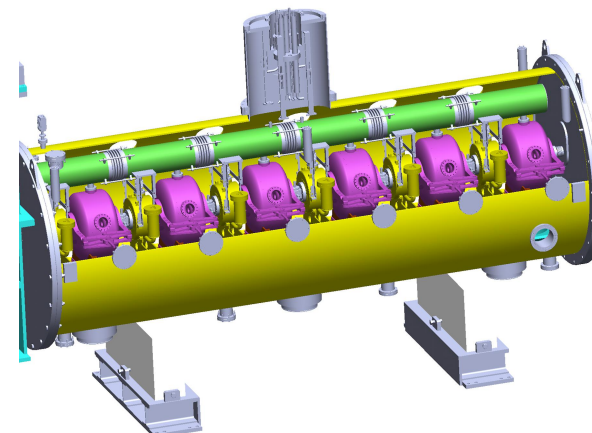
3 CMs HWR010



2 CMs HWR015



1 CM SPOKE024



6 CMs have been constructed, and 5 of them operated with CW proton beam.

Cryogenic plant of 850 W at 4.2 K



- Linde L280, 850W/4.2K
- FSD571 main compressor
- DS85 recovery compressor

- Recovery compressor, 15MPa/40m³*4
- HP He purifier, 15MPa/100m³

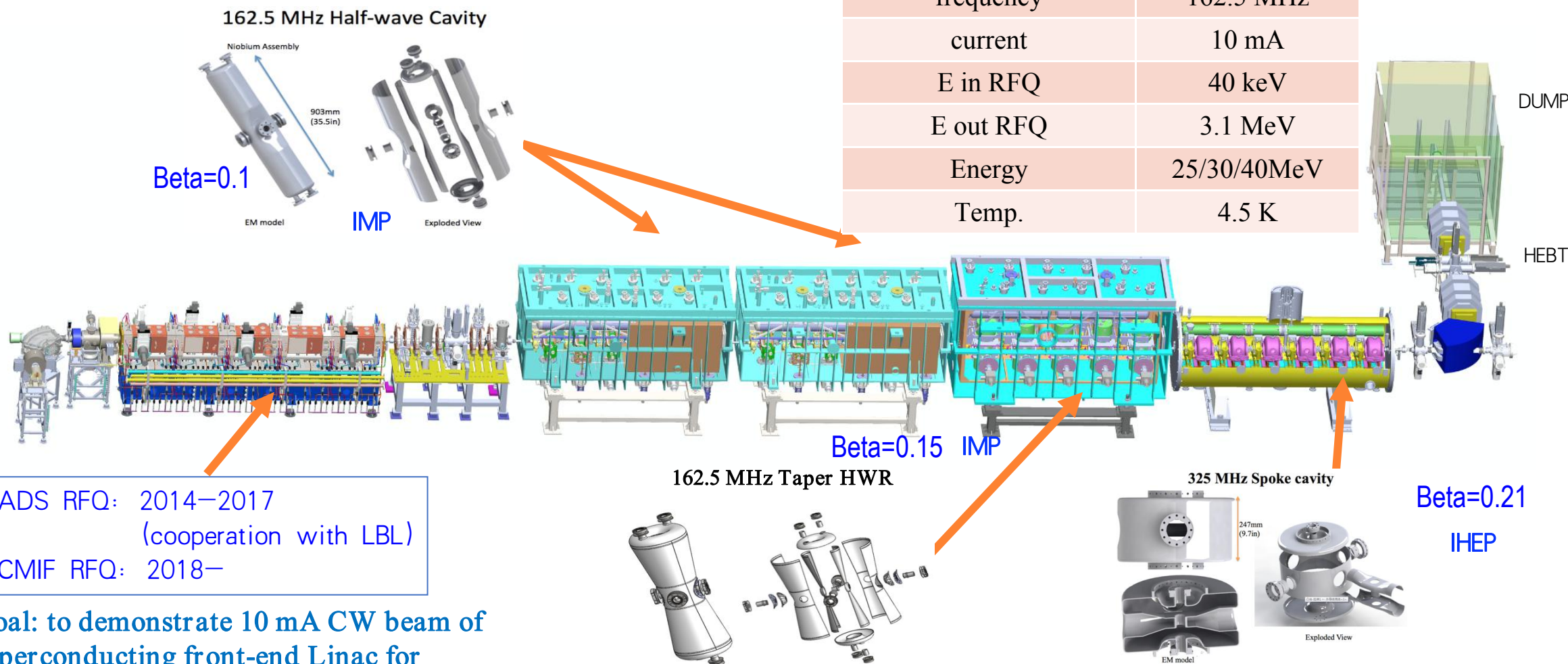
- HP He tank, 15MPa, 8000m³
- Gas bags, 25m³*2
- Purity analyzer on line



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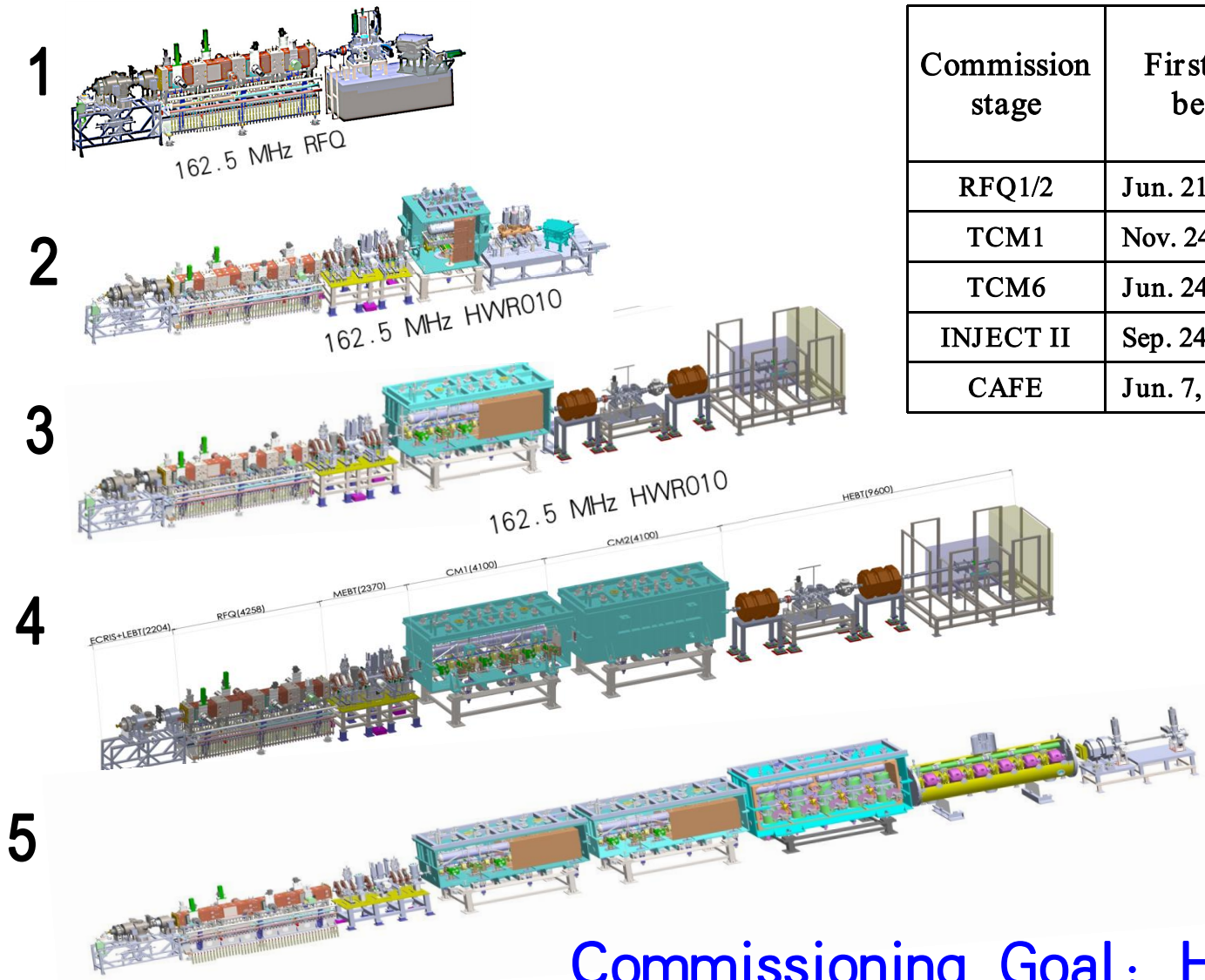
- IMP collaboration with IHEP 2011 ~ 2017

ions	P, H ₂ ⁺ , α
frequency	162.5 MHz
current	10 mA
E in RFQ	40 keV
E out RFQ	3.1 MeV
Energy	25/30/40MeV
Temp.	4.5 K



- Goal: to demonstrate 10 mA CW beam of superconducting front-end Linac for CiADS.

- Supported by "Strategic Priority Research Program" of the Chinese Academy of Sciences.

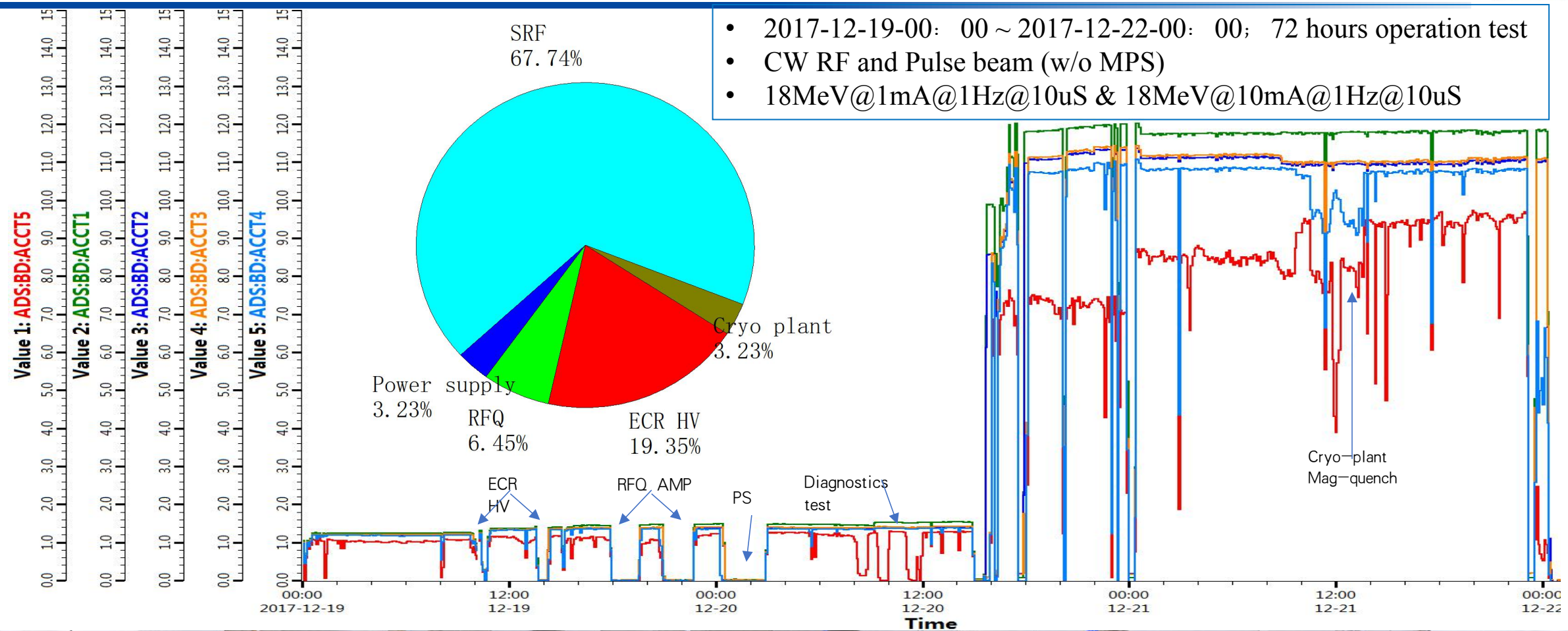


Commission stage	First CW beam	Max Energy (MeV)	Beam time (hours)	CW beam time Total (hours)	CW Current Max(A)	CW Power Max(kW)
RFQ1/2	Jun. 21, 2014	2.15/3	2036/~200	90/~120	11	23
TCM1	Nov. 24, 2014	2.55	208	22.5	11	28
TCM6	Jun. 24, 2015	5.3	400	20	4	21
INJECT II	Sep. 24, 2016	10.2	327	11	2.7	26
CAFE	Jun. 7, 2017	26.1	~500	~140	2.55	45

1. 2014.06.06—2014.07.24, RFQ
2. 2014.09.14—2015.02.13, TCM1
3. 2015.03.26—2015.06.29, TCM6, beam accident, RFQ AMP and coupler broken
2015.10.28—2016.01.21, TCM6 commissioning
4. 2016.05.01—2016.06.20, injector II, coupler broken
2016.09.01—2016.12.17, injector II high power
5. 2017.04.28—2017.06.18, CAFE, current leads broken
2017.10.03—2018.01.23, CAFE, operation stability
2019.01.04 —2 mA CW beam, operation stability

Commissioning Goal: Higher power, Higher stability

- 2017-12-19-00: 00 ~ 2017-12-22-00: 00; 72 hours operation test
- CW RF and Pulse beam (w/o MPS)
- 18MeV@1mA@1Hz@10uS & 18MeV@10mA@1Hz@10uS



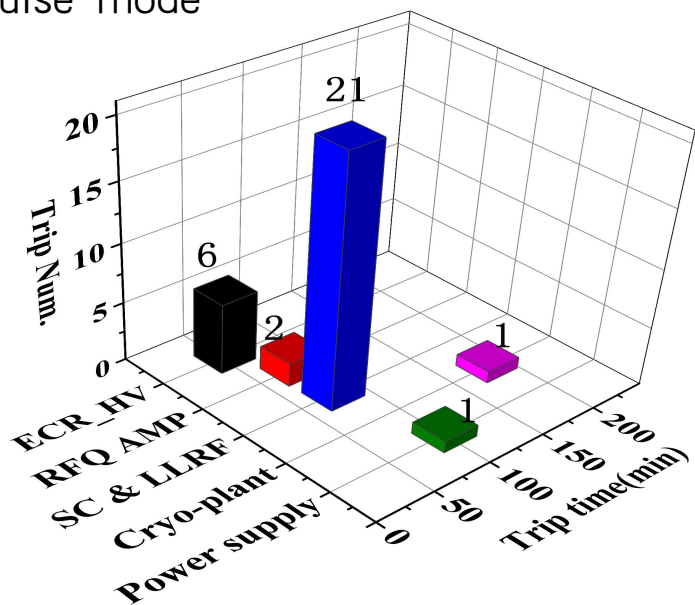


Preliminary RAMI analysis w/o active protection

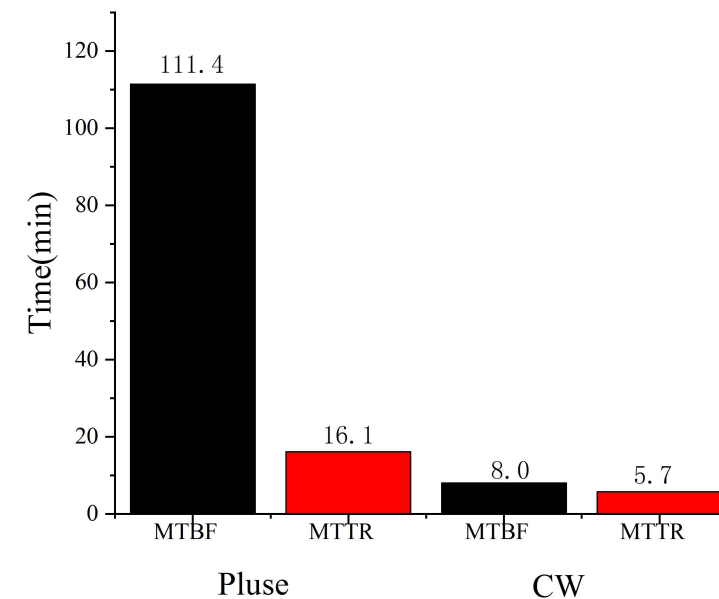
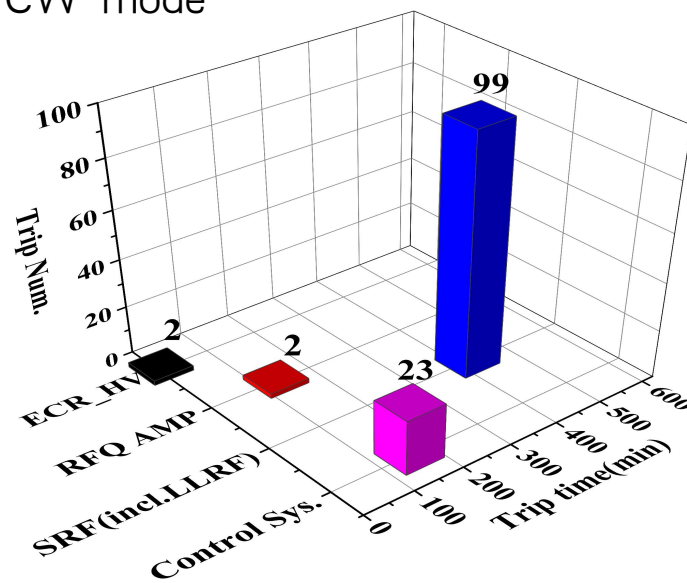


Operation time	Beam time	Down time	Availability		
4050 min	3566 min	484 min	0.88		
MTBF (min)	MTTR (min)	Beam trips (10s–5min)	Beam trips (>5min)		
111.4	16.1	20	10		
	ECR HV	RFQ AMP	SRF (incl. LLRF)	Cryo-plant	Power supply
Beam trips	6	2	21	1	1
Down time	53 min	77 min	78 min	183 min	100 min

Pulse mode

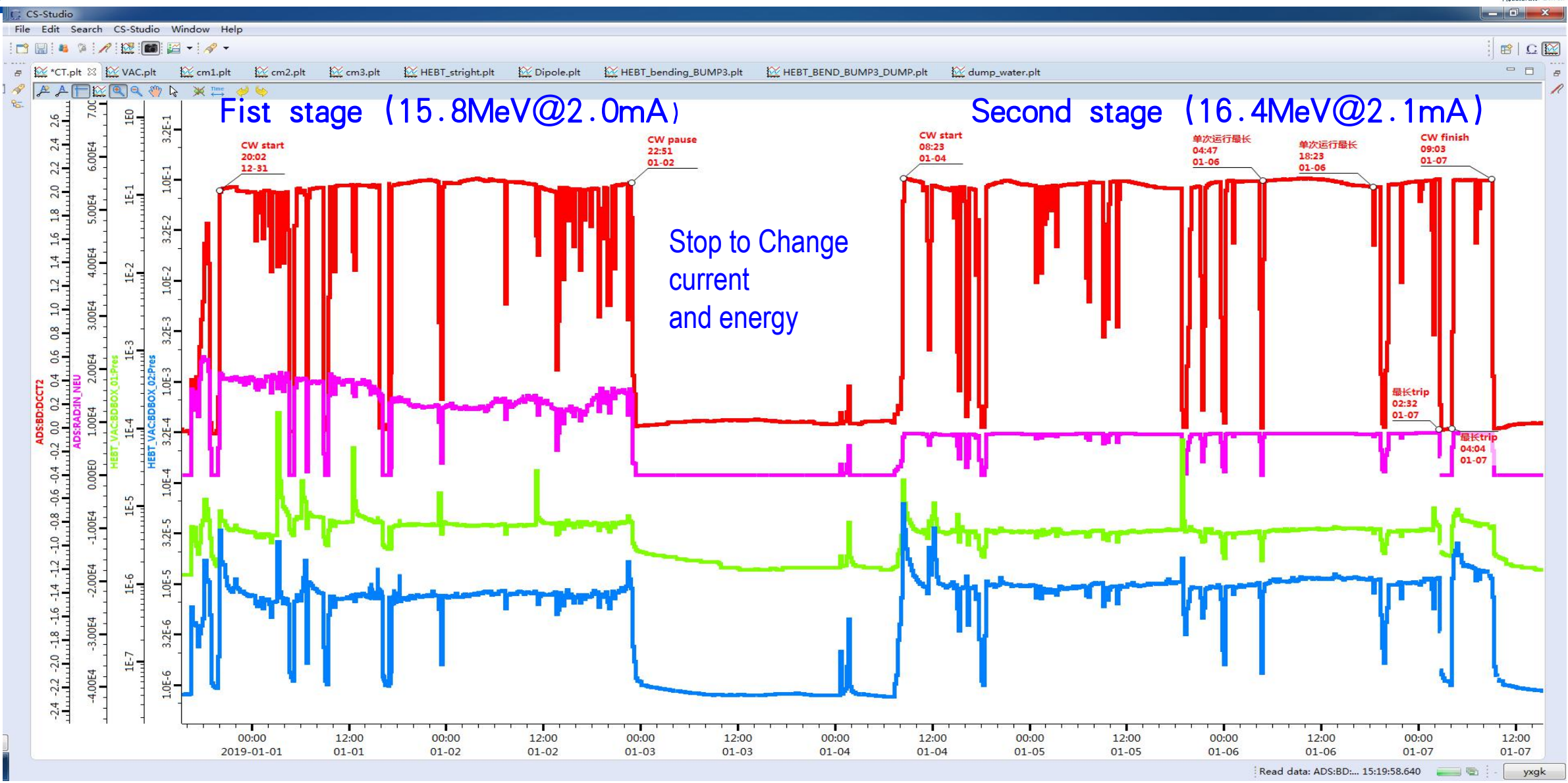


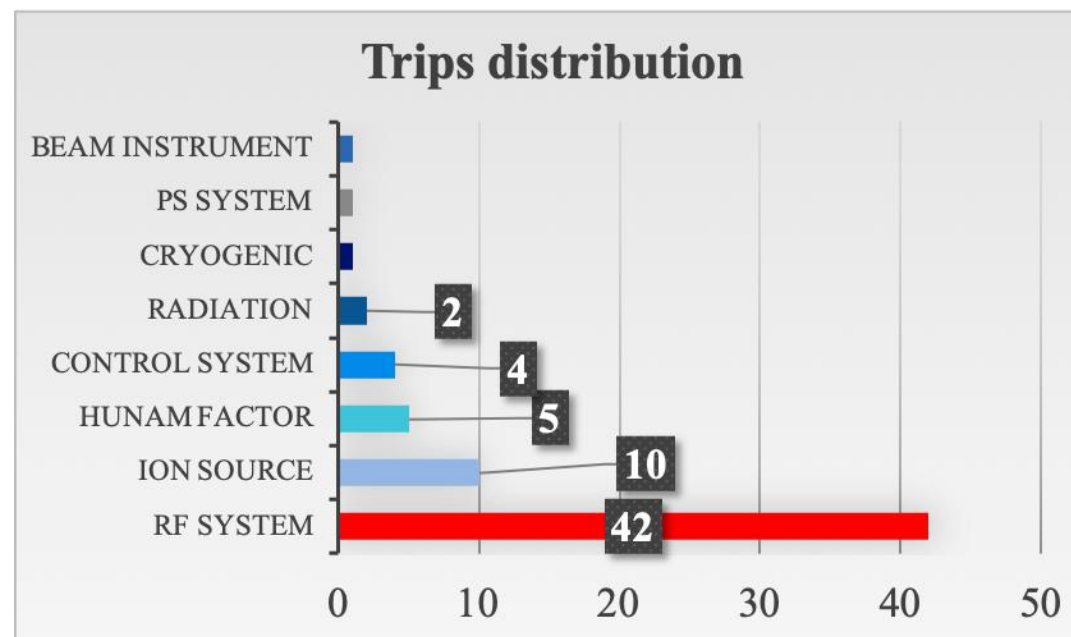
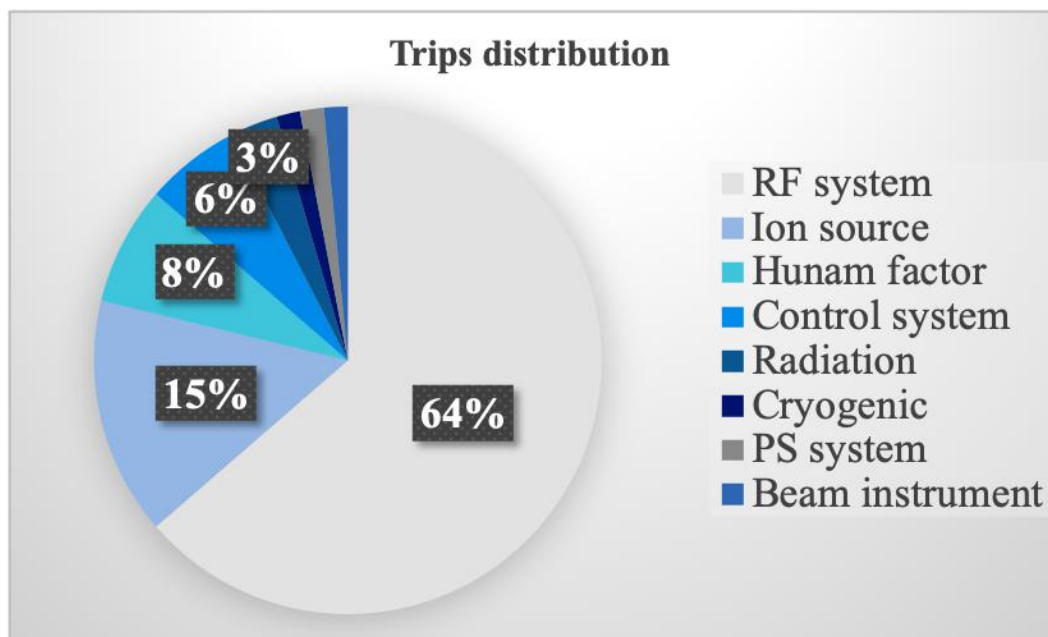
CW mode





Operation Reliability Test with high power in 2019





• Operation time 7553 min, downtime 737 min, availability

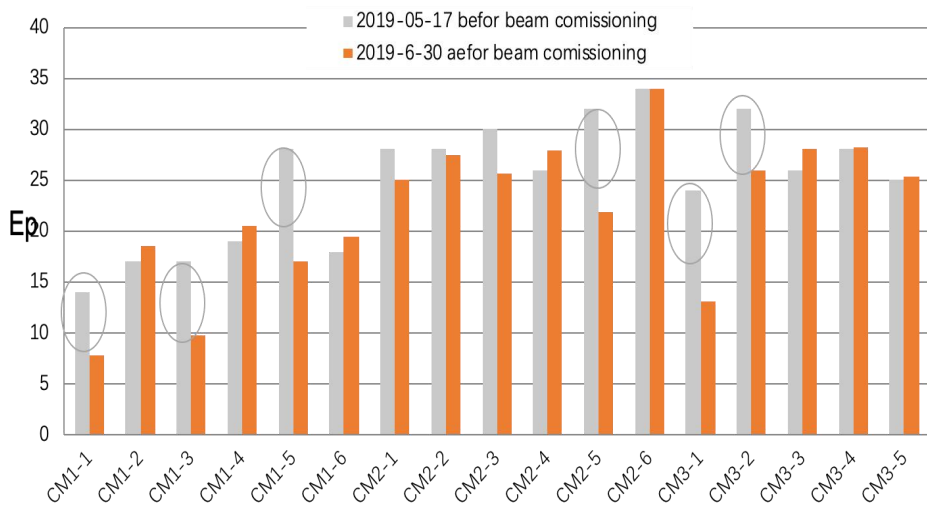
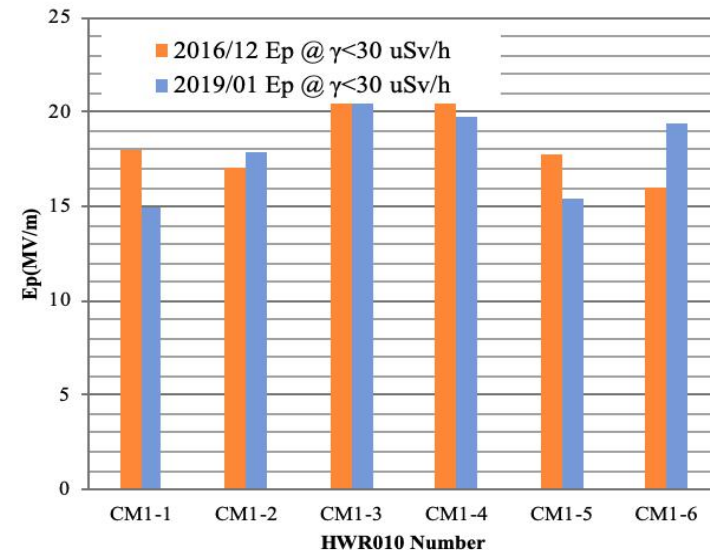
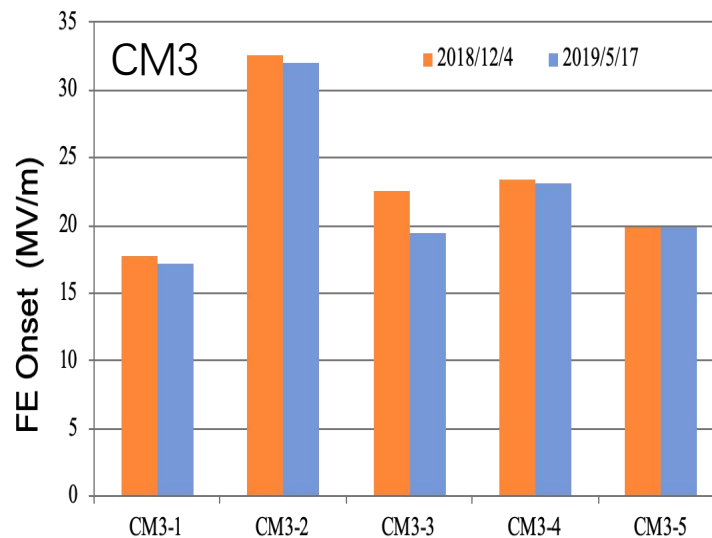
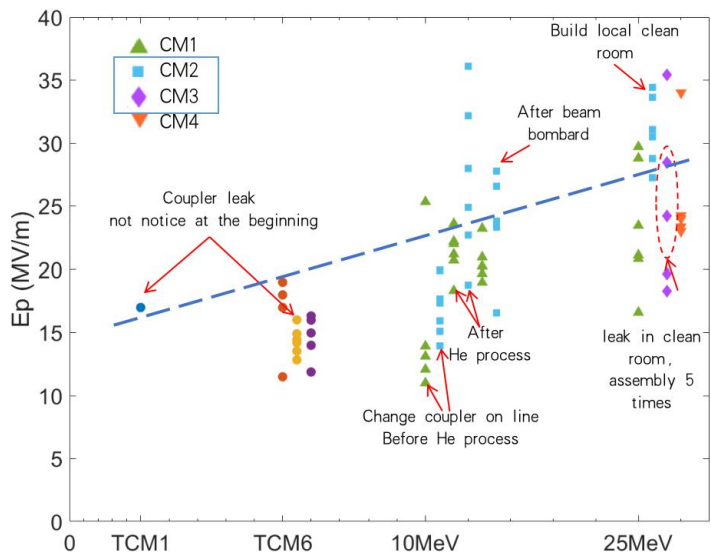
89%

• Max power is 45 kW with 2.55 mA @ 17.5 MeV

• 1st stage: 2018/12/31 18:44 – 2019/01/02 23:42 2nd stage: 2019/01/04 08:08 – 01/07 09:03

Availability	MTBF	MTTR	Availability	MTBF	MTTR
0.89	90.7 min	11.1 min	0.89	113.7 min	14.6 min



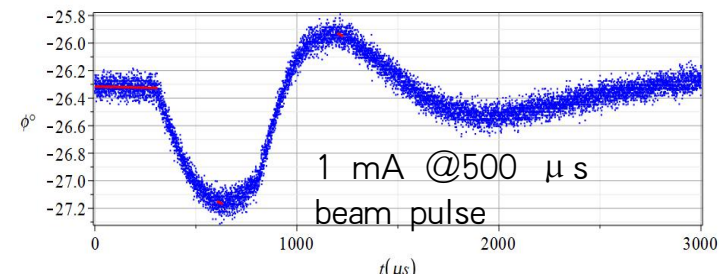
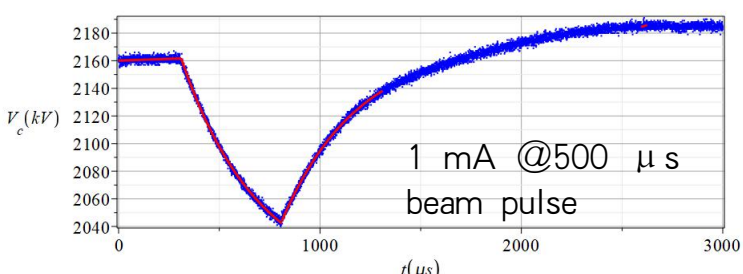
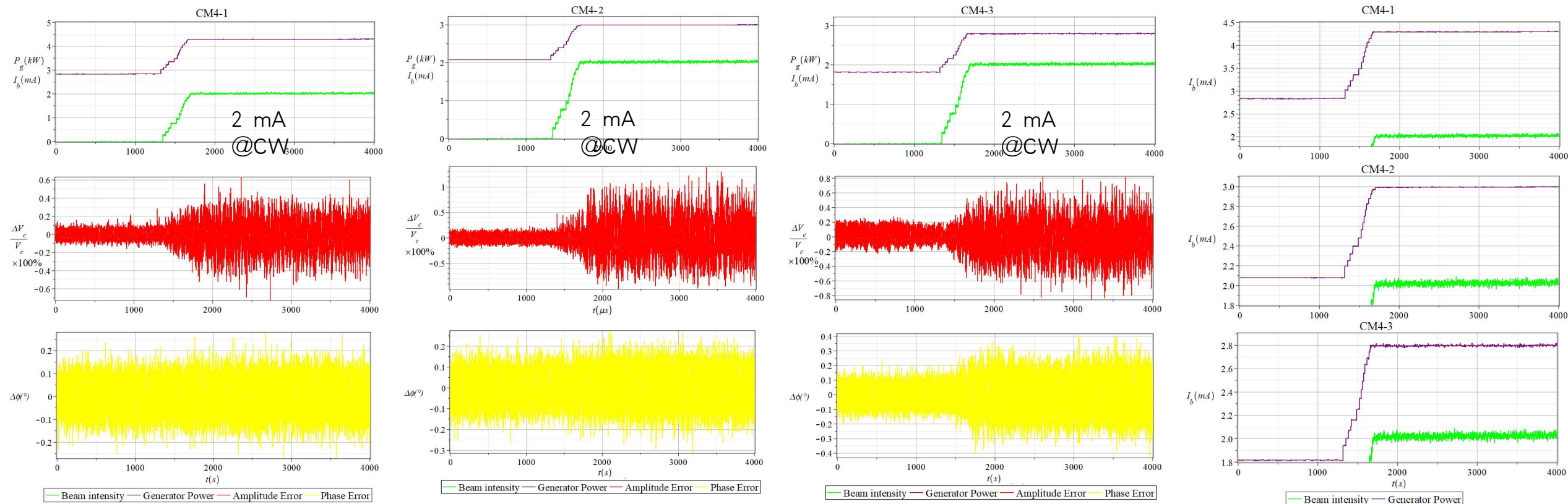


- 2018/12/4: before CW commissioning
- 2019/5/17: after CW commissioning, return to room temperature, RF conditioning
- FE onset almost not change

- CM1 removed after 10 MeV test
- Warm back to room temperature, vacuum ~ 100 Pa, 2017/01 to 2018/09
- Re-install after RF condition, Ep average 18 MV/m with $\gamma 30 \text{ uSv/h}$ limit (ball shape, EGM).
- **Average performance almost not change after the CM1 not used for one year in room temperature, vacuum ~ 100 Pa**

Compare at same γ -dose

- Degradation: CM1-1, CM1-3, CM1-5, CM2-5, CM3-1, CM3-2
- For the 6 cavities, 8.6MV/m decrease

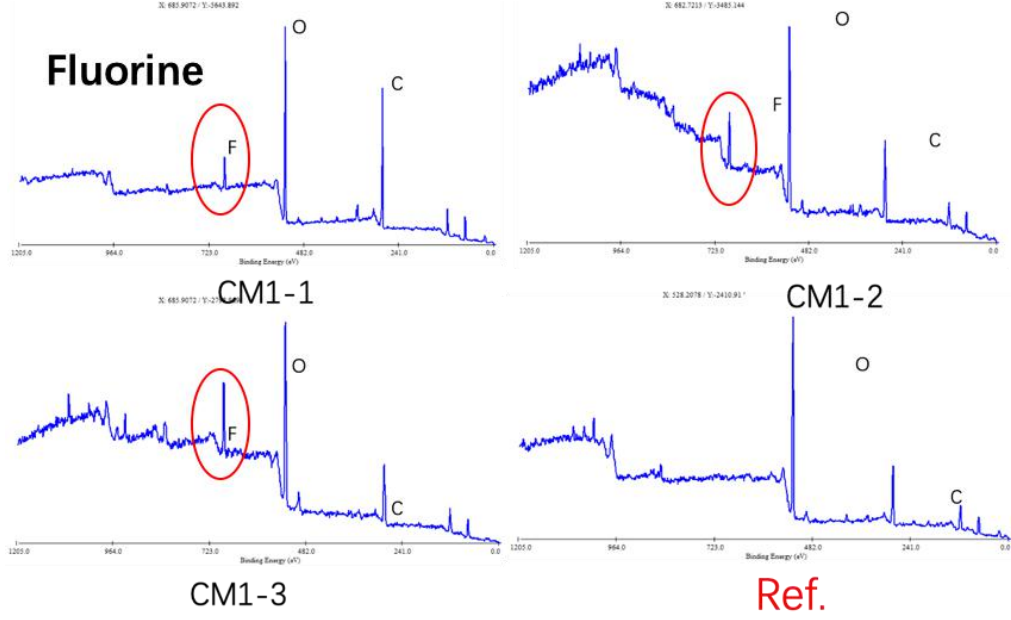
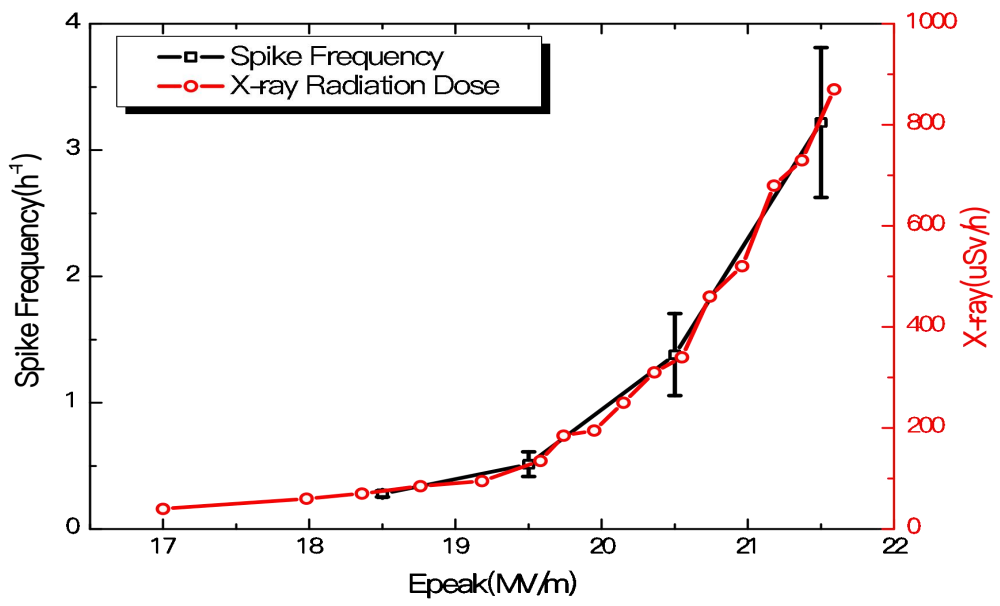
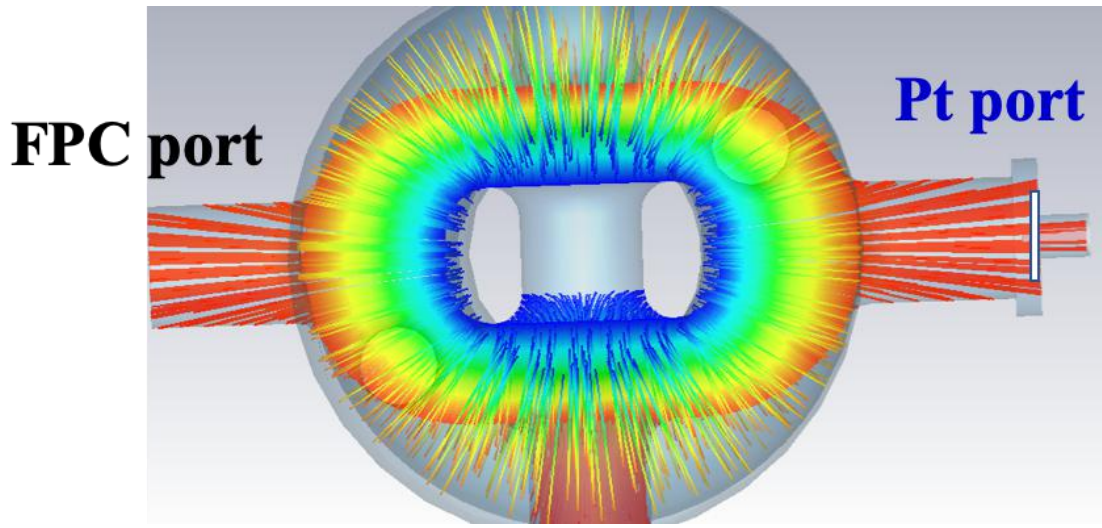


Possible reason:

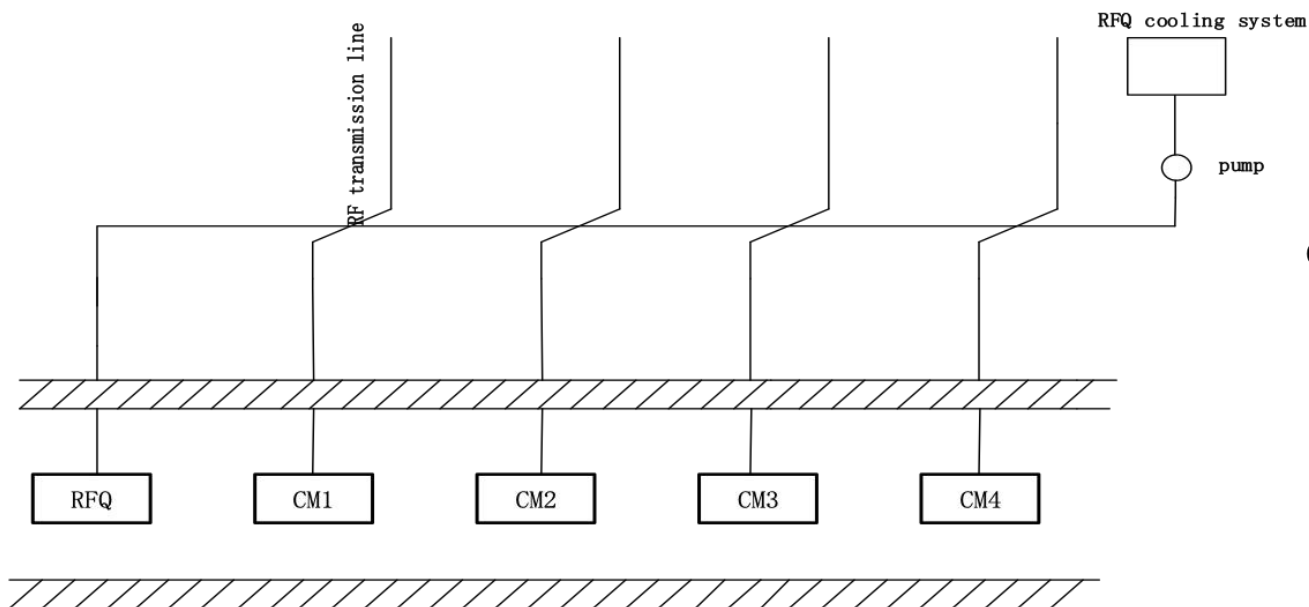
1. Excessive k_p in the feedback loop;
2. Large time delay in the feedback loop;
3. Ponderomotive effects.

HWR010@CM2-1, no feedforward, weak amplitude feedback;

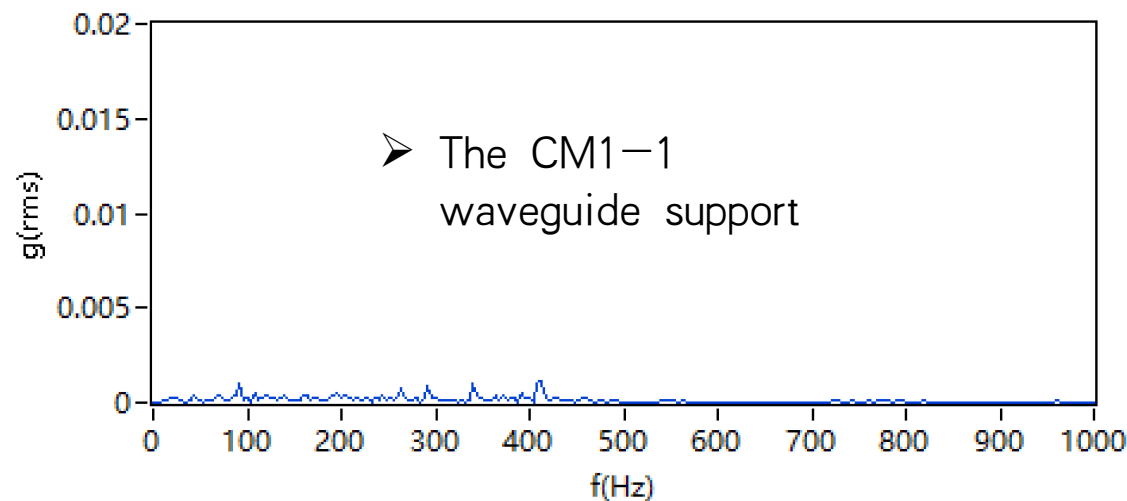
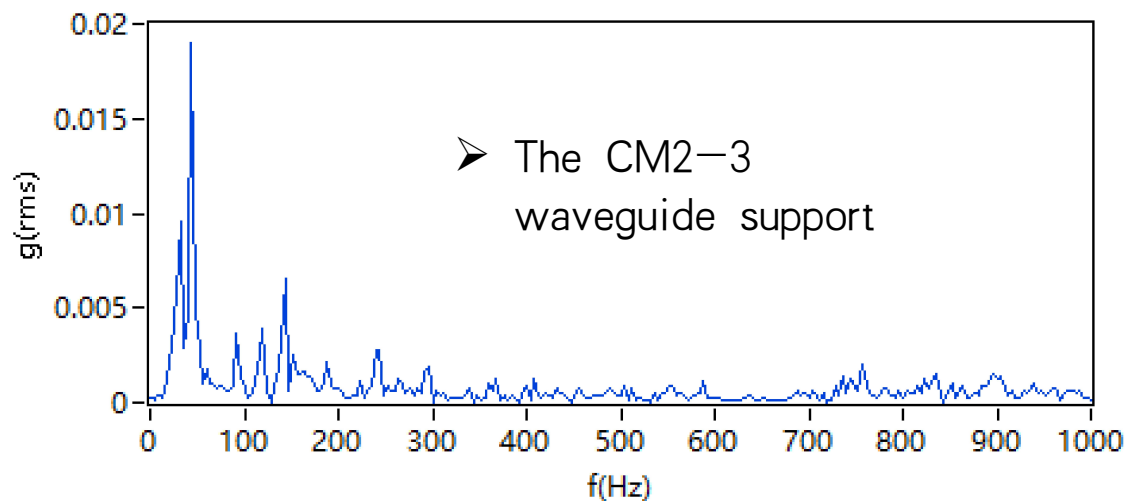
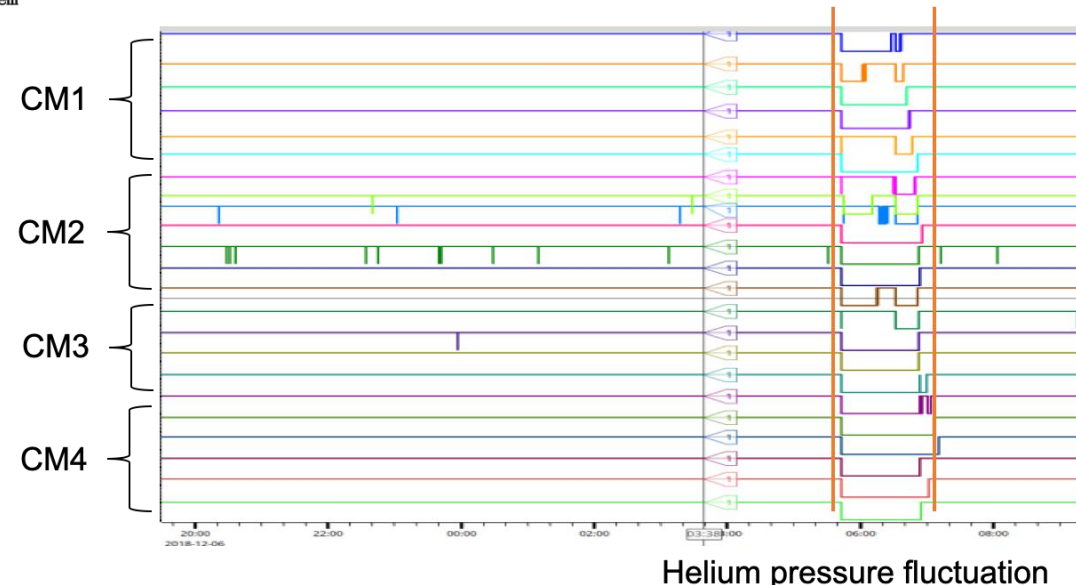
Windows broken of FPC and Pt Caused by FE



Microphonics of SRF resonators in CM2

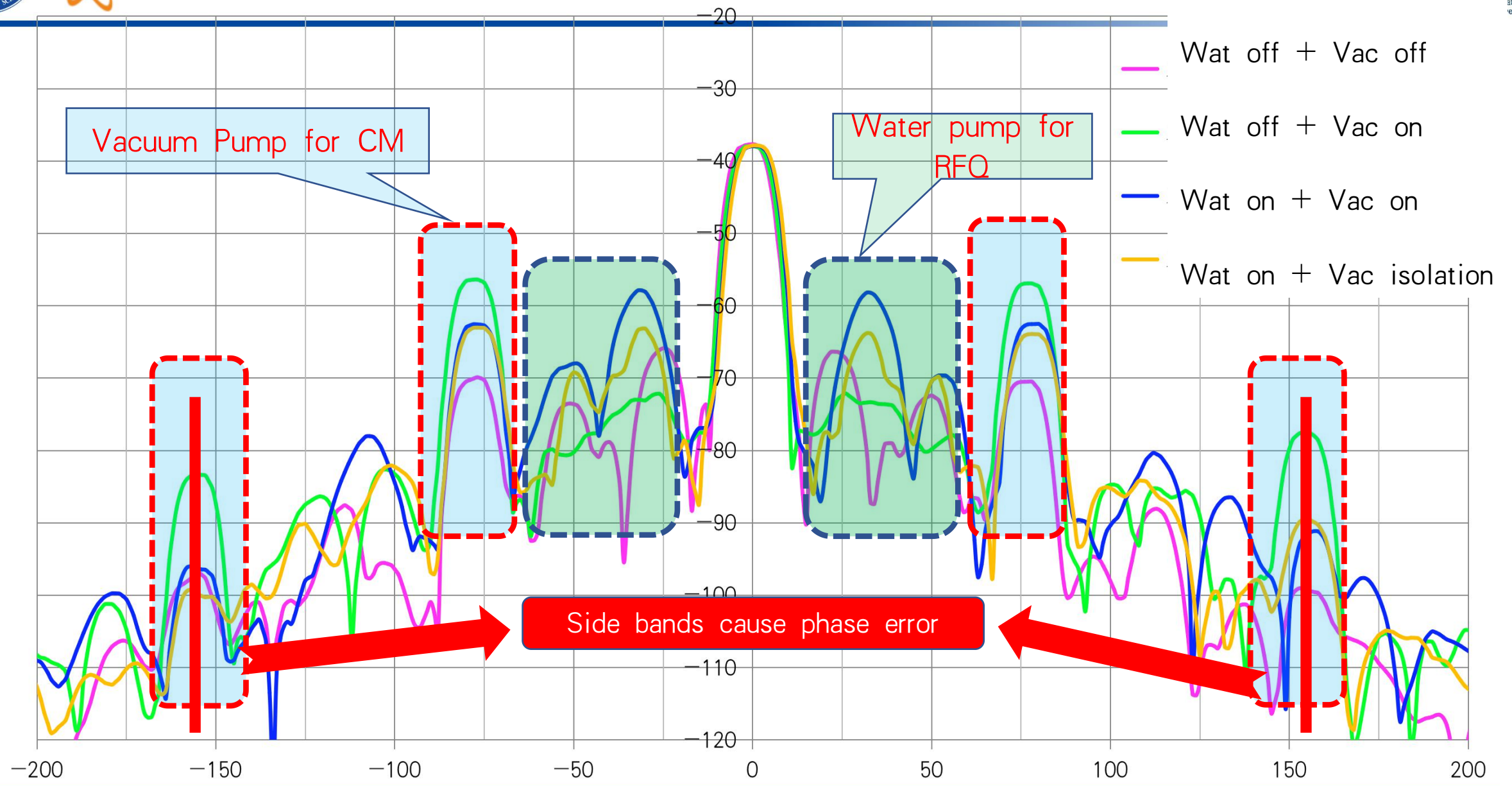


CM1 to CM4 trips (7:30 p.m. Dec.6 -- 9:30 a.m. Dec.7)





Vibration Sources to CM2-3





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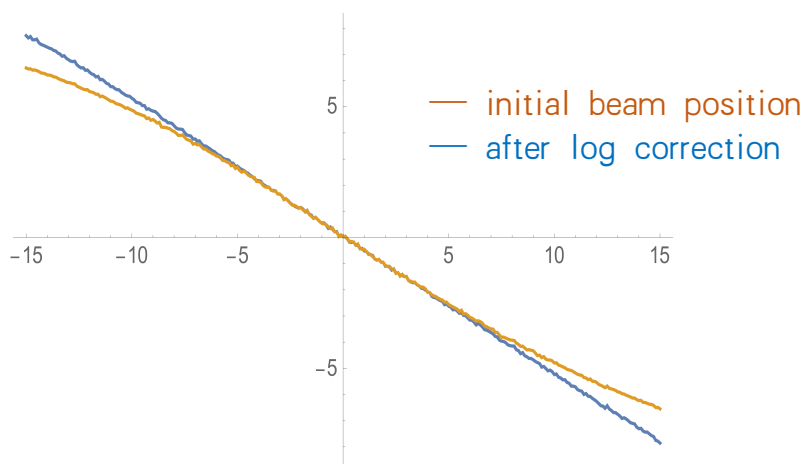
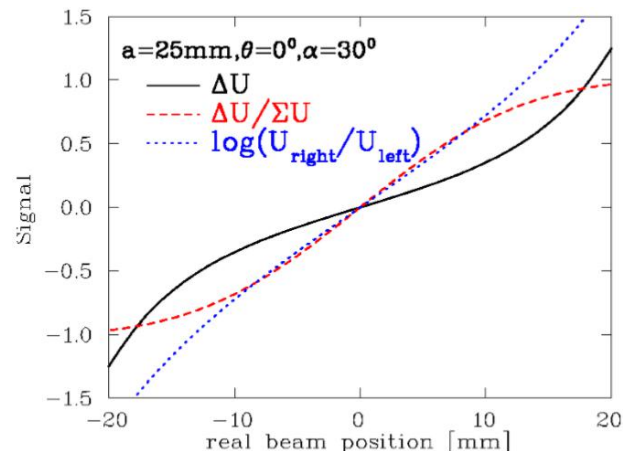
Beam based of correction of BPM model

Question: the measurement beam position is not matching with the simulation results for accelerator reconstruction

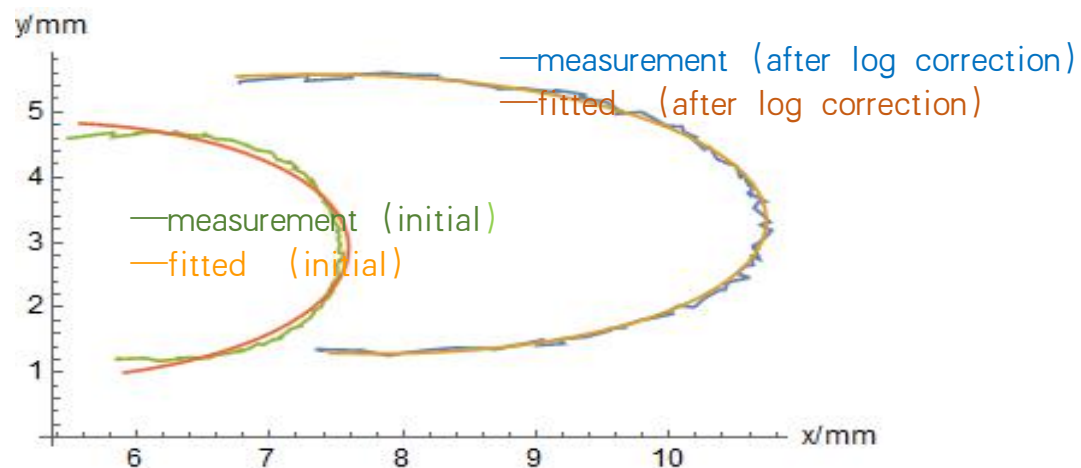
Reason: the beam position with severe nonlinearity ($>5\text{mm}$) using the $\Delta U/\Sigma U$ algorithm

Lead to: the real beam position \gg measurement ones

Solution: Correct the beam position algorithm of BPM

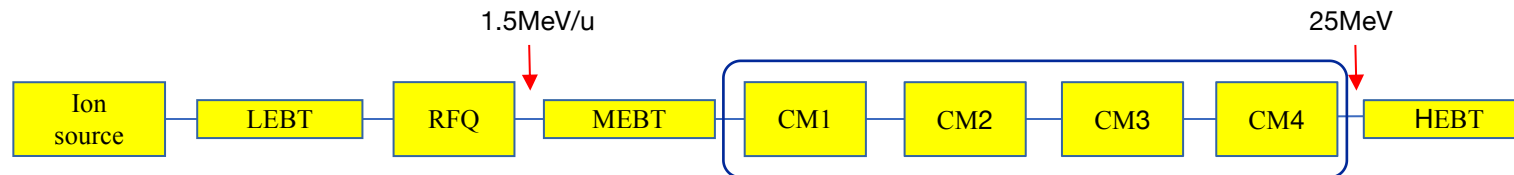


NT section BPM Vs. correct magnet



SC section BPM Vs. solenoid magnet

BPM offset calibration



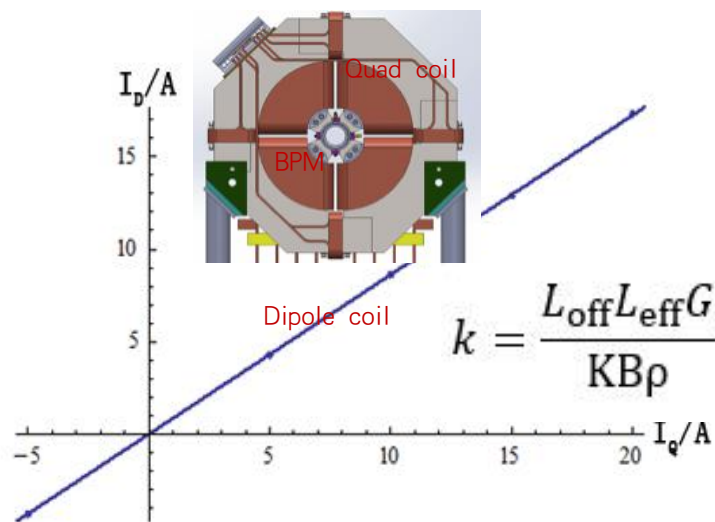
Normal-T section:

- Combined quadrupole model
- The 'null comparison' method

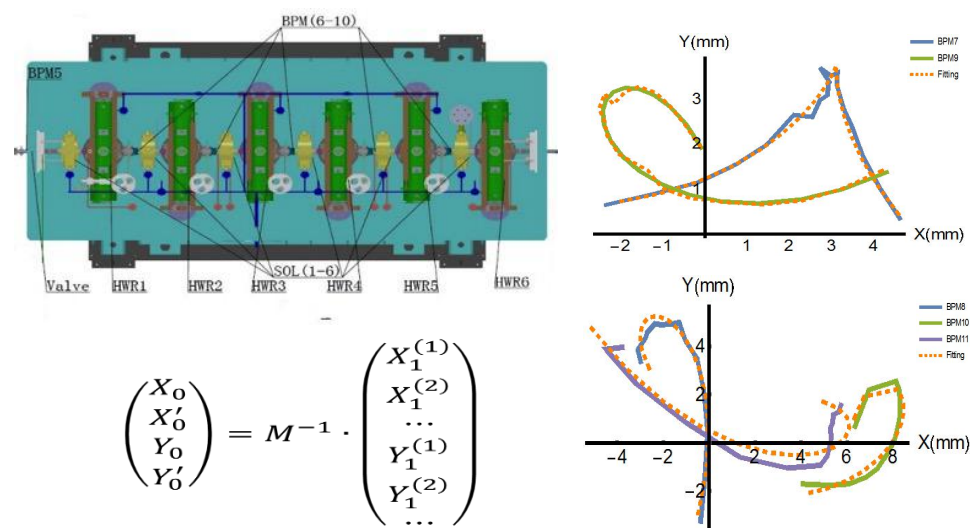
Cold-T section:

- Solenoid model
- The no-linear fitting

Normal-T BPMs @ BT



Cold BPMs@SC Linac



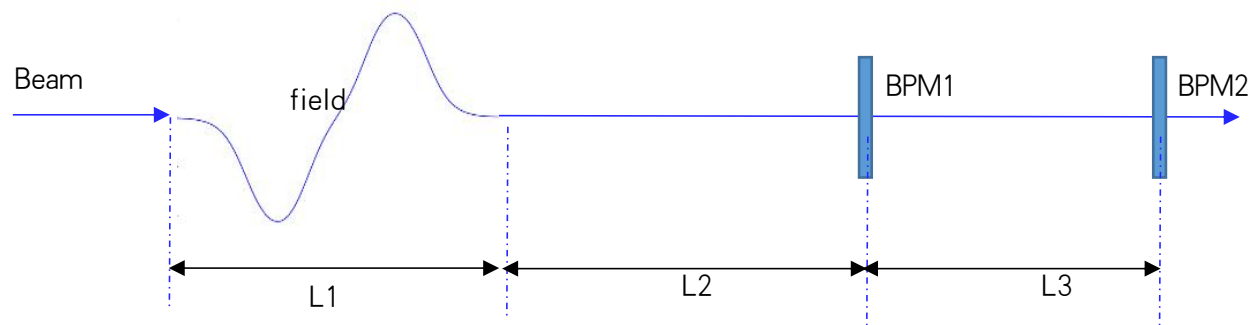
BPM	X (mm)	Y (mm)
BPM1	0.449	0.559
BPM2	-0.026	0.432
BPM3	0.063	-0.325
BPM4	0.434	0.158

The calibration results of Cold BPMs

BPM	BPM6	BPM7	BPM8	BPM9	BPM10	BPM11	BPM12
X (mm)	-1.19	-1.19	-0.57	1.37	1.44	1.28	4.66
Y (mm)	-2.82	-1.13	-1.72	-5.76	-1.35	-3.86	-0.47

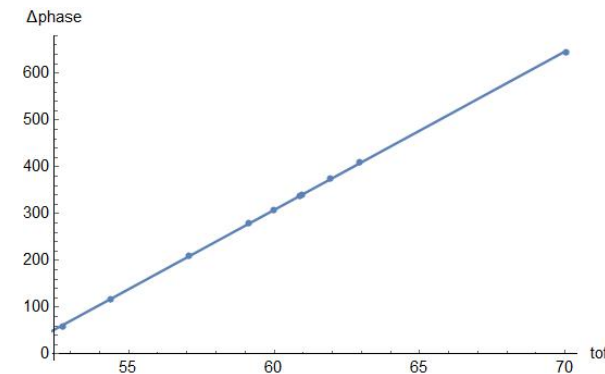
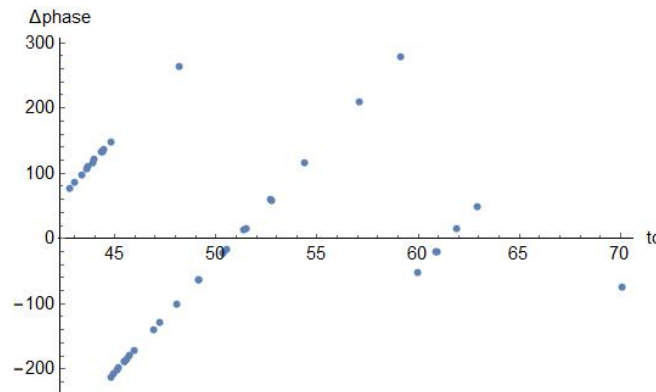
Cavity voltage calibration

- Beam based TOF length calibration of BPMs (L3)
- Correct GAP model of low beta cavity with field map model considering of space-charge effect
- Based of the BPMs TOF for calibrating the length of local cavity and BPM as the phase scan fitting parameters (L1 L2)
- Writing auto phase scan app.

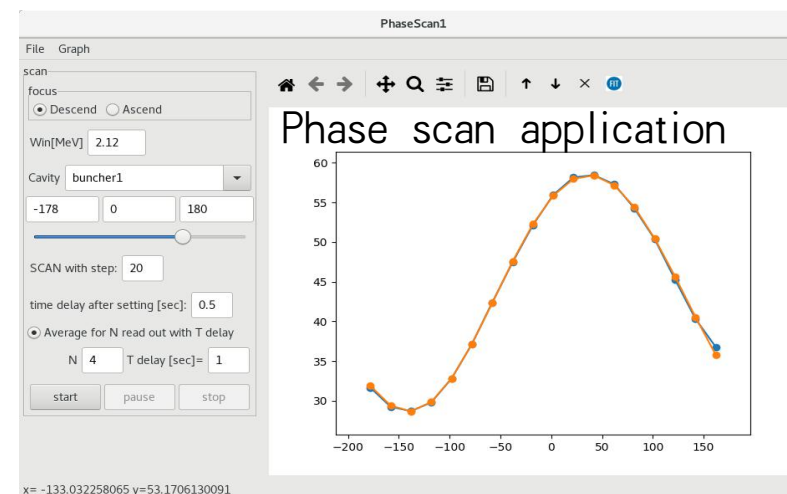


The physical model of phase scanning

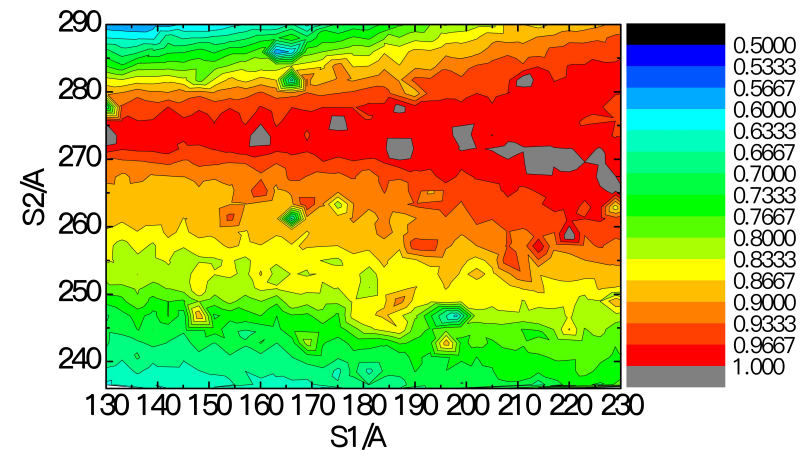
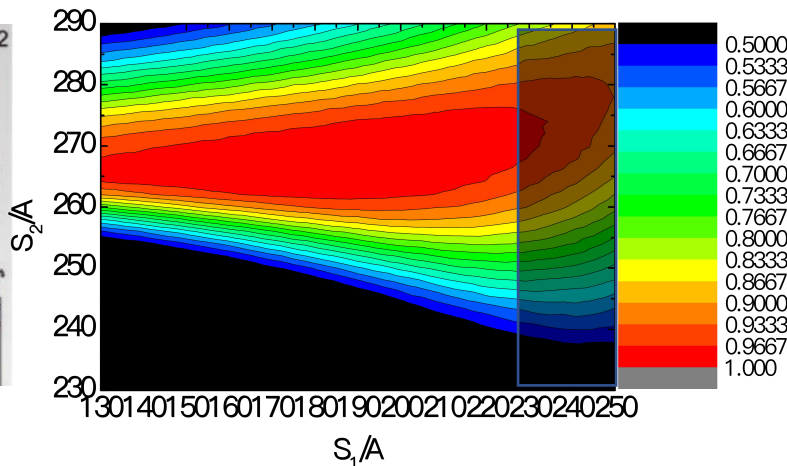
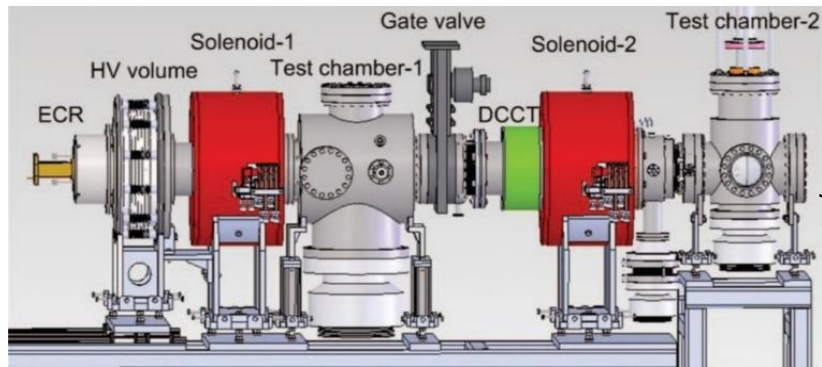
$$\frac{l}{l_{tof}} = \frac{\Delta t}{tof} \Rightarrow l = k \times l_{tof} \times \frac{10^3}{360 \times 162.5}, \quad k = \frac{d\Delta phase}{dtof}$$



BPM22-BPM23 online length calibration results



Beam match between LEBT and RFQ

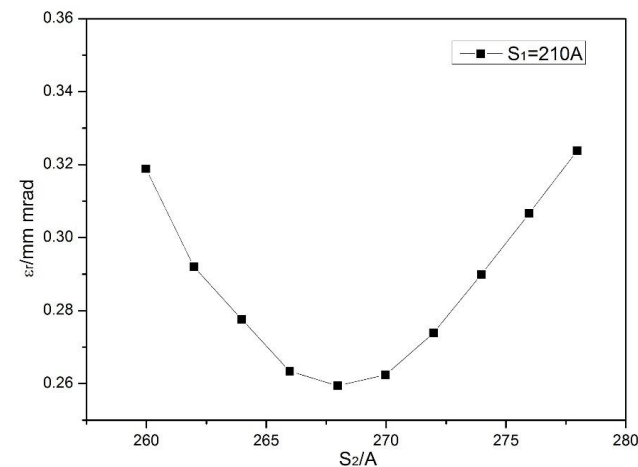
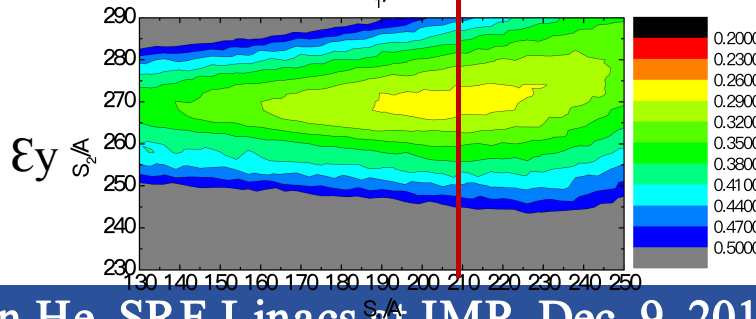
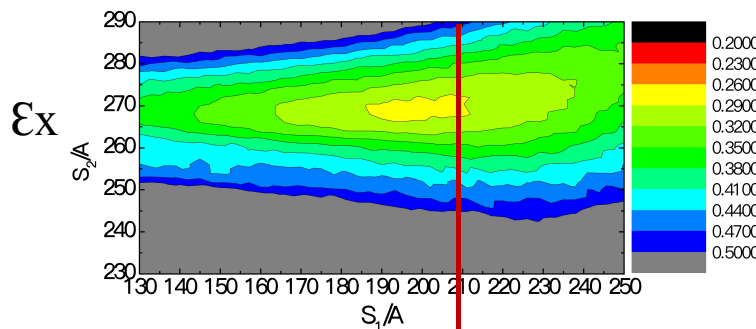


Beam current: 2mA
Beam energy: 35keV

LEBT solenoids match VS. beam transmission of RFQ

LEBT input parameters

α_x	β_x	α_y	β_y	ϵ_x	ϵ_y
0	0.16	0	0.16	0.188	0.188

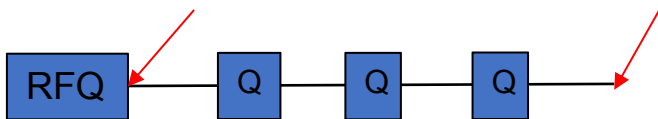


LEBT solenoids match VS. beam emittance out of RFQ

tomography to reconstruct the emittance

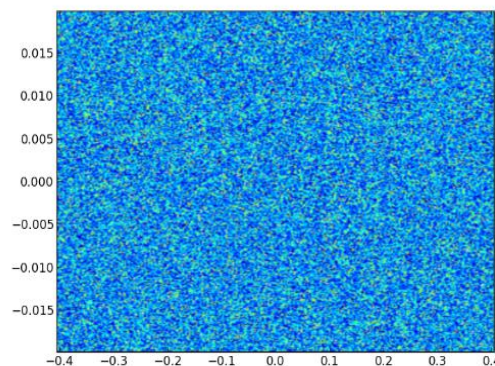
Reconstruct point

Profile measurement

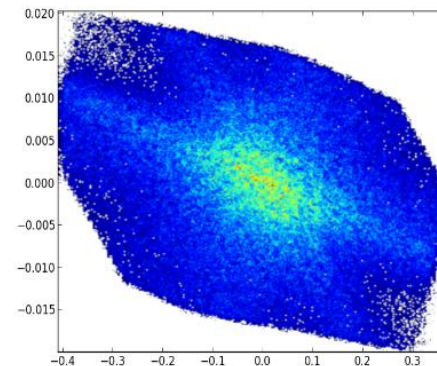


- Reconstruct the distribution of beam in phase space by profile measurements.
- The range of phase advance equally divided benefit for data convergence.

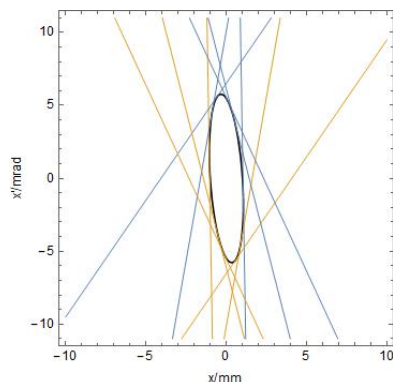
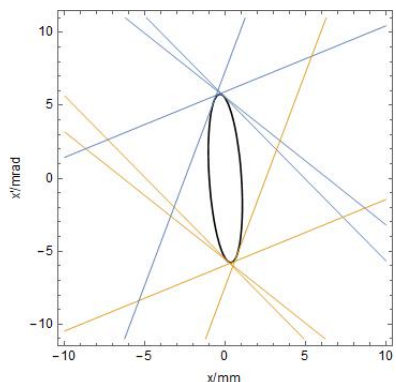
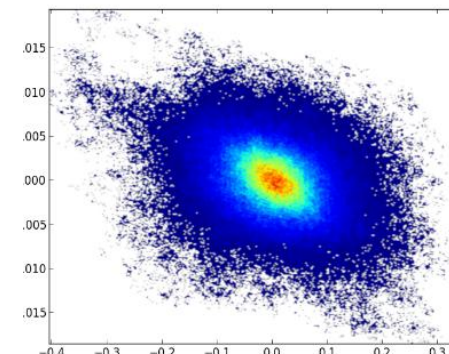
1st iteration



3rd iteration



30th iteration

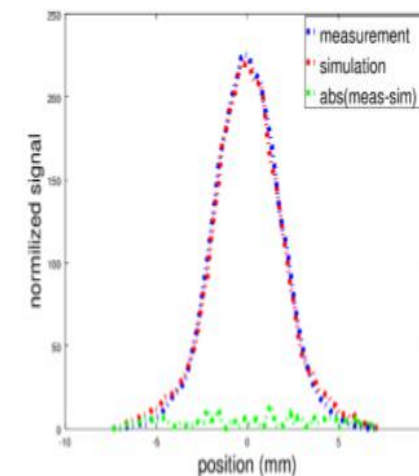
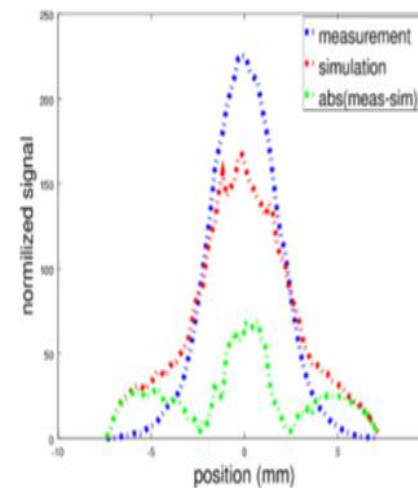
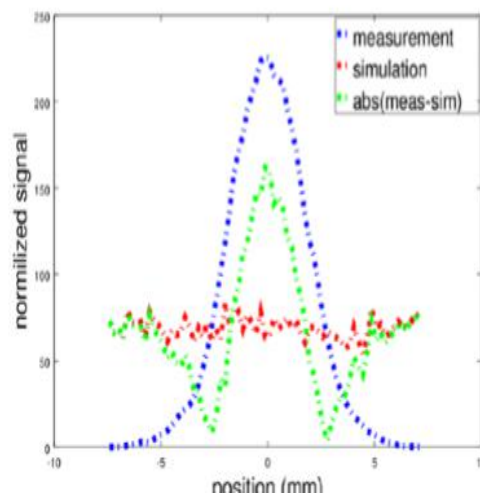


Linear mapping of the measured rms beam size to the initial phase space

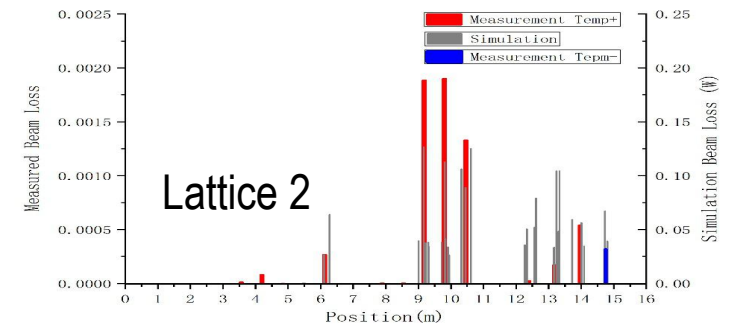
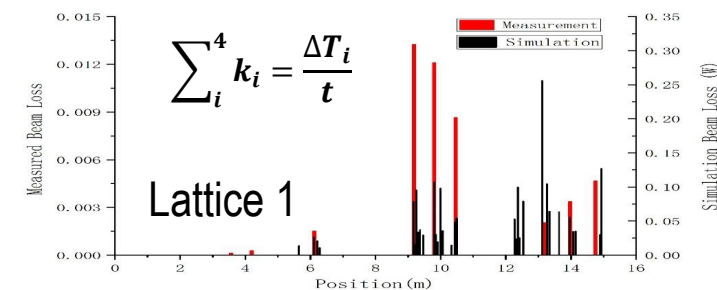
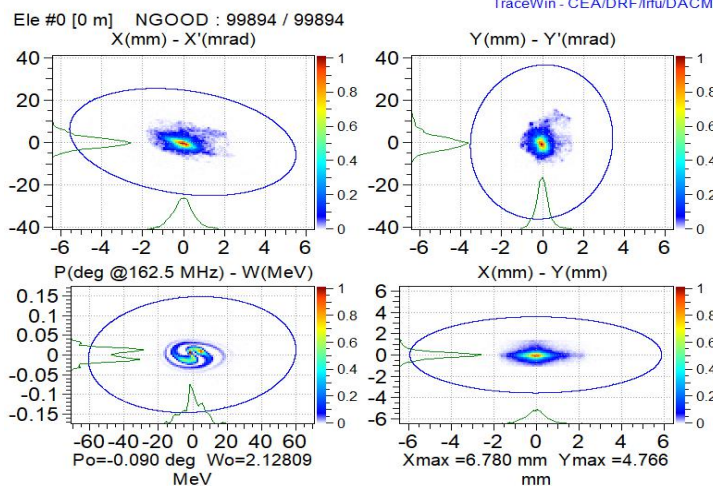
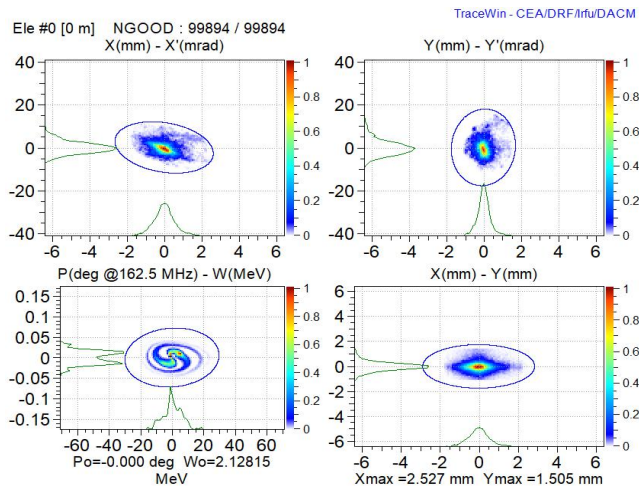
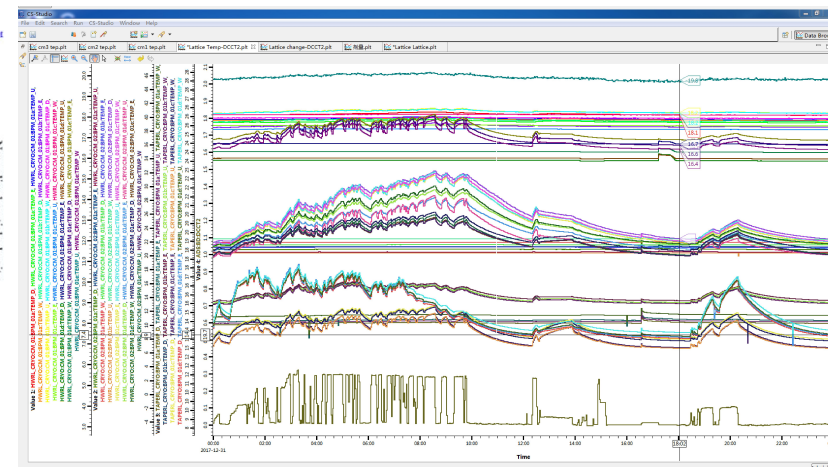
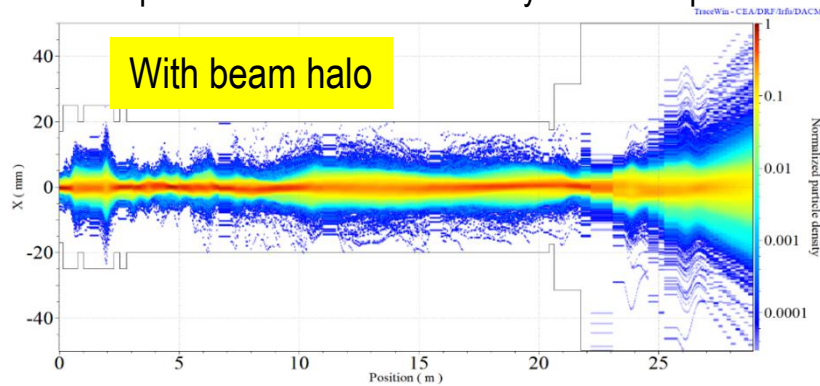
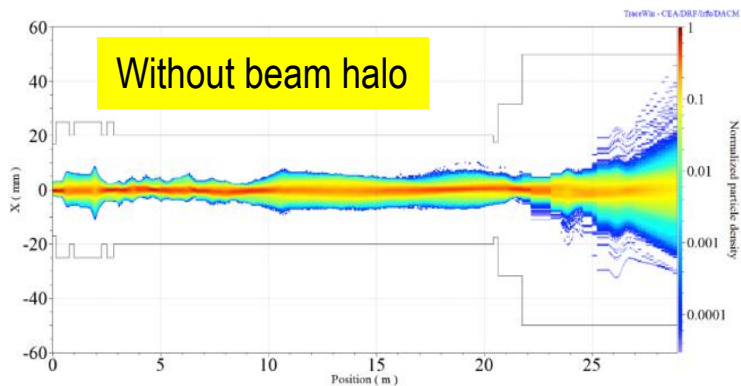
left: randomly

right:

equally



The temperature rises simultaneously in all four quadrants



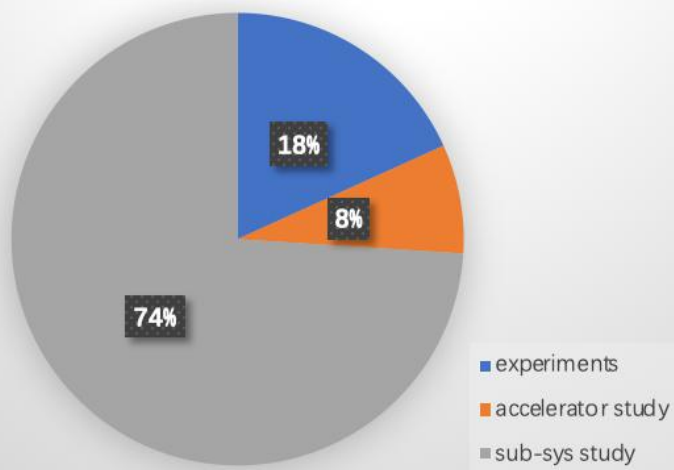
	Alpha X/Y/Z	Beta X/Y/Z m/rad	Emit-X/Y/Z (RMS) π . mm . mrad [Norm.]	Emit-X/Y /Z(99.99%) π . mm . mrad [Norm.]
Without beam halo	0.247/-0.05/- 0.076	0.226/0.096/0.611	0.112/0.097/0.094	2.065/2.066/2.136



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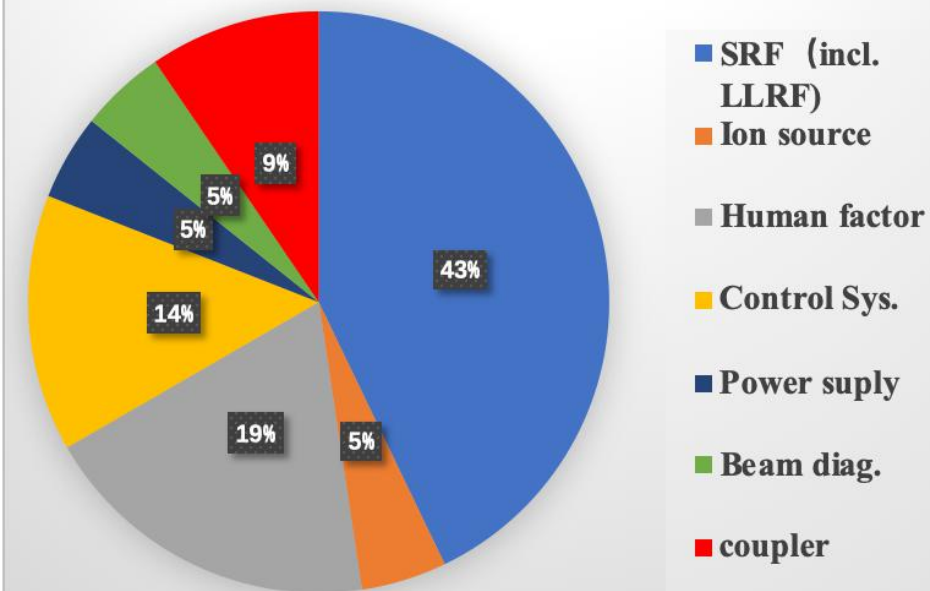
- Operation for users, Dec. 7th – 30th, 2018, May 14th ~ June 30th 2019
- Beam: H⁺ and ⁴He²⁺, energy 2.1–32MeV, average current 100nA~125uA
- Available beam time 58.0 hours for 62 experiments
- Downtime: 5.9 hours
- Availability: ~ 0.90

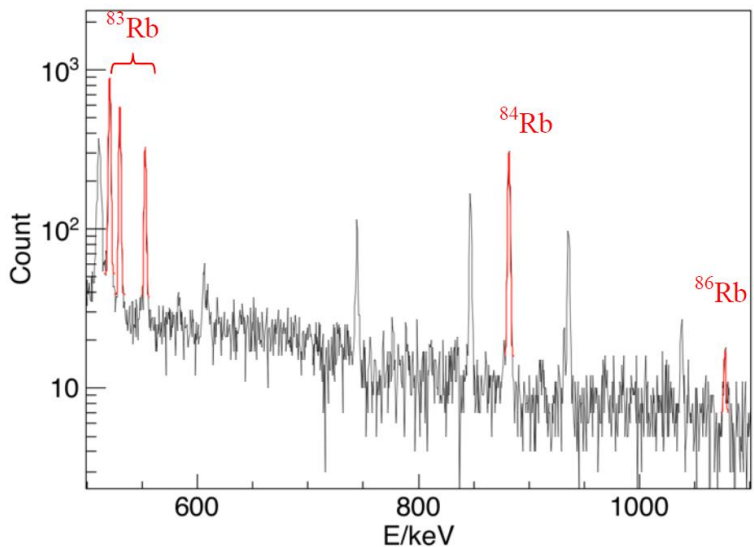
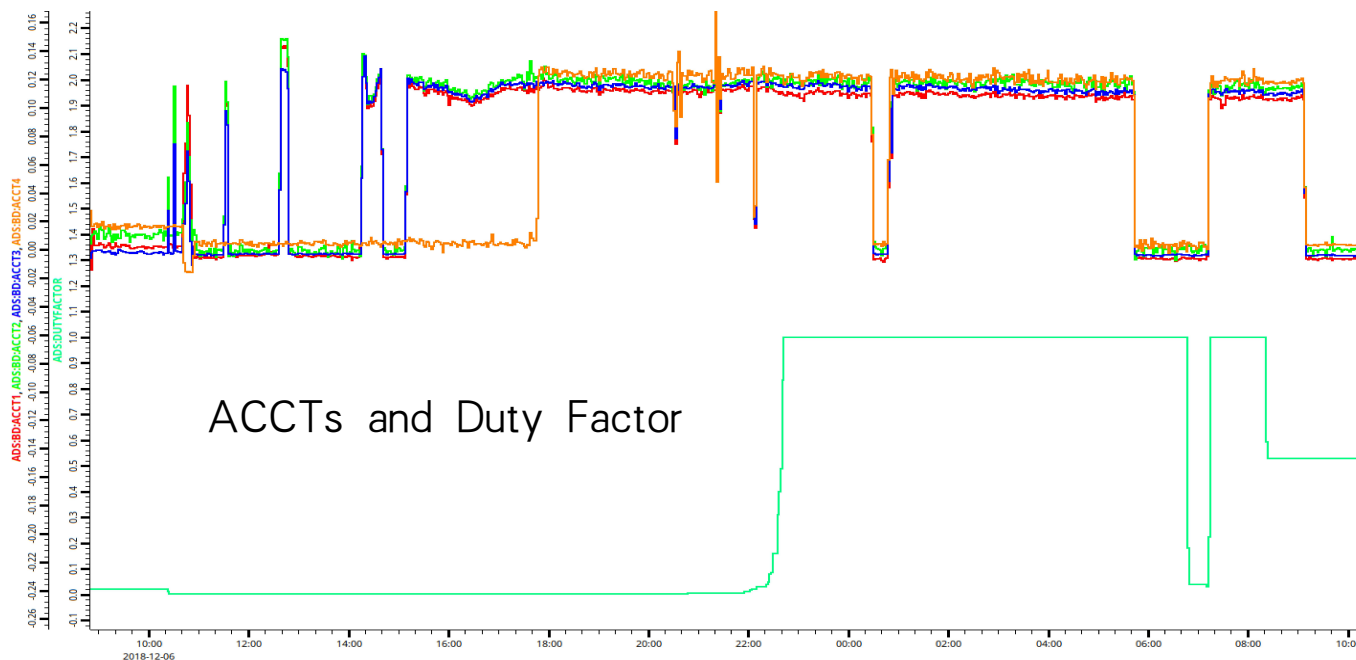
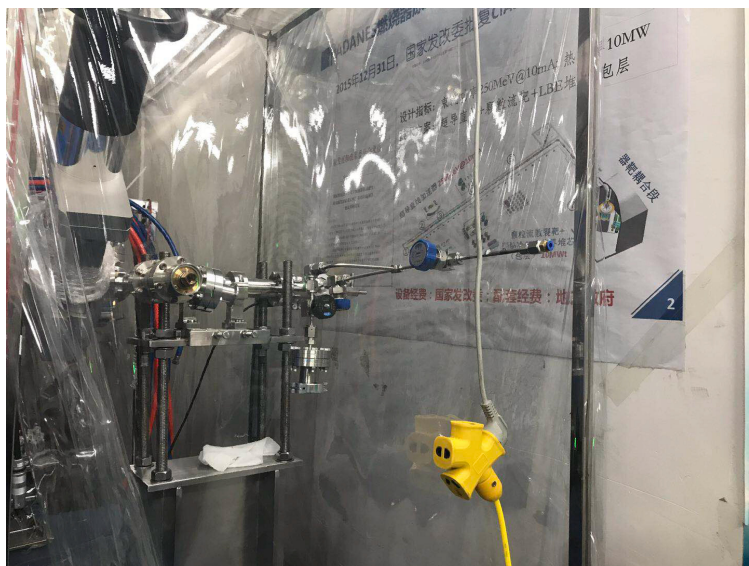
beam time distribution



source	trips
RF (incl. RFQ, LLRF)	9
IS	1
human	4
control	3
PS	1
Diagnostic	1
coupler	2
total	9

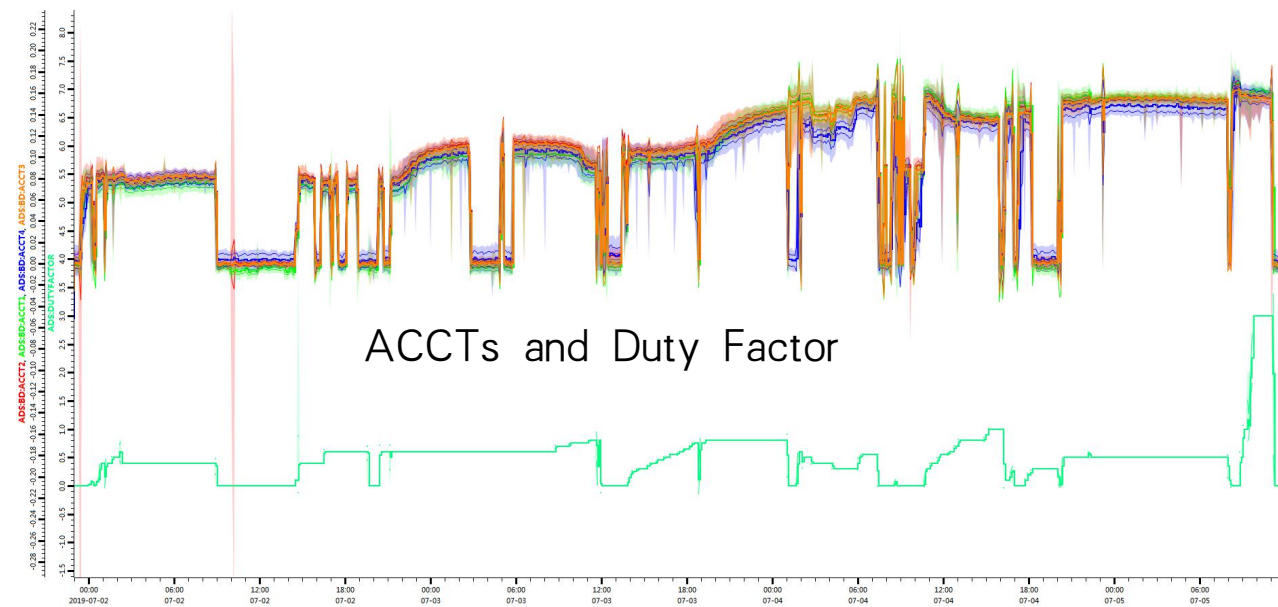
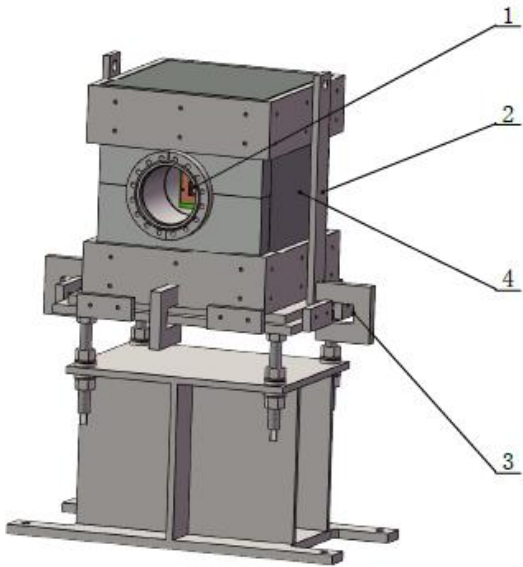
Failure analysis



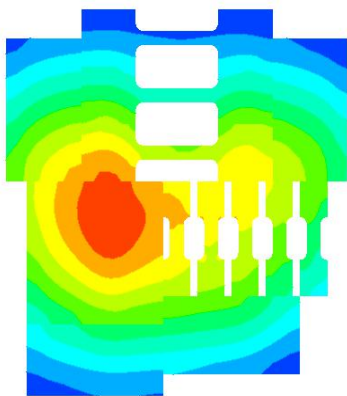


- PANDAX is aimed to find the dark matter particles with liquid Xenon detector. <https://pandax.sjtu.edu.cn/>
- ^{83}Rb is a useful source to calibrate detectors in PANDAX.
- CAFE provided 10 hours proton beam of 20 MeV 400 us, 25 Hz, 100 uA to bombard on natural Krypton gas and generate ~ 6 MBq ^{83}Rb .





Temperature
Contour 1
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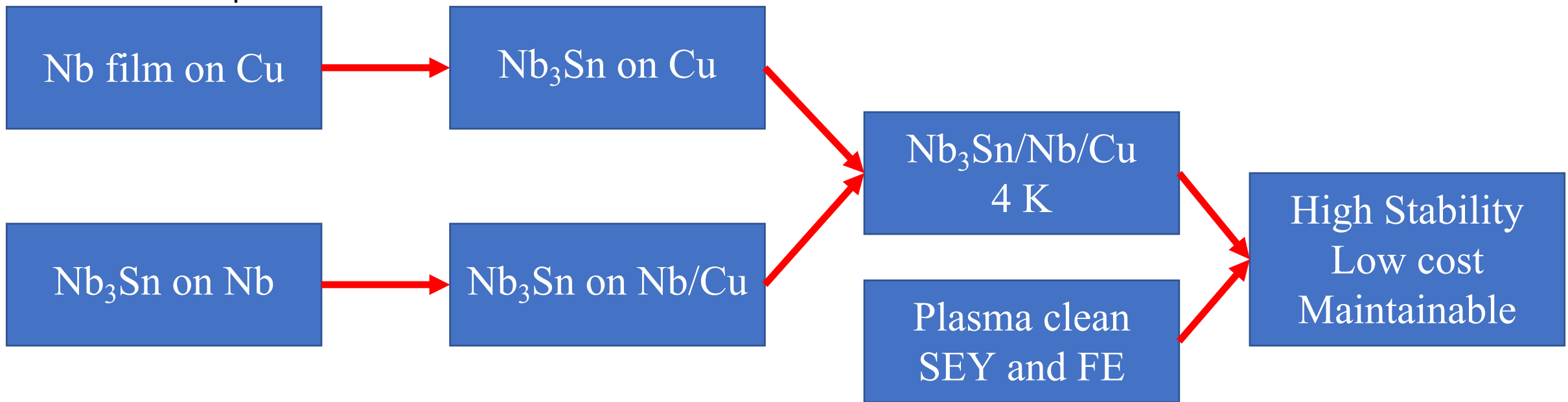


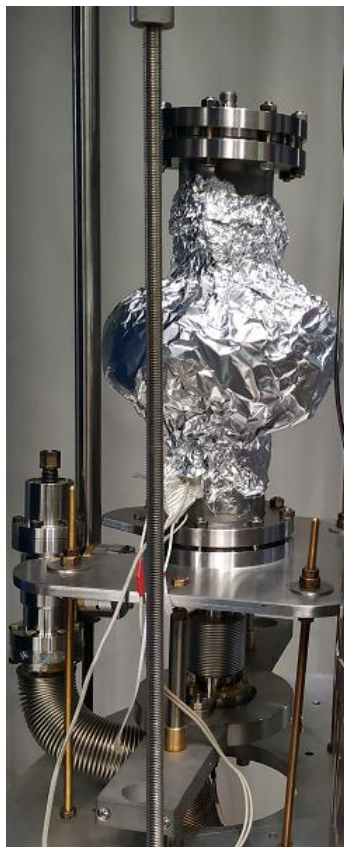
- Helium bubbles is important in nuclear material.
- To study the bulk effect of Helium bubbles, an irradiation chamber is developed to hold and cool the test samples.
- CAFE provided 70.5 hours ${}^4\text{He}^{2+}$ beam of 6~28.5 MeV, 0.8 euA to do Helium implantation of test samples.
- The chamber has been dismantled and wait for the Dose decay, before the samples are took out and do mechanical and microscopic measurement.



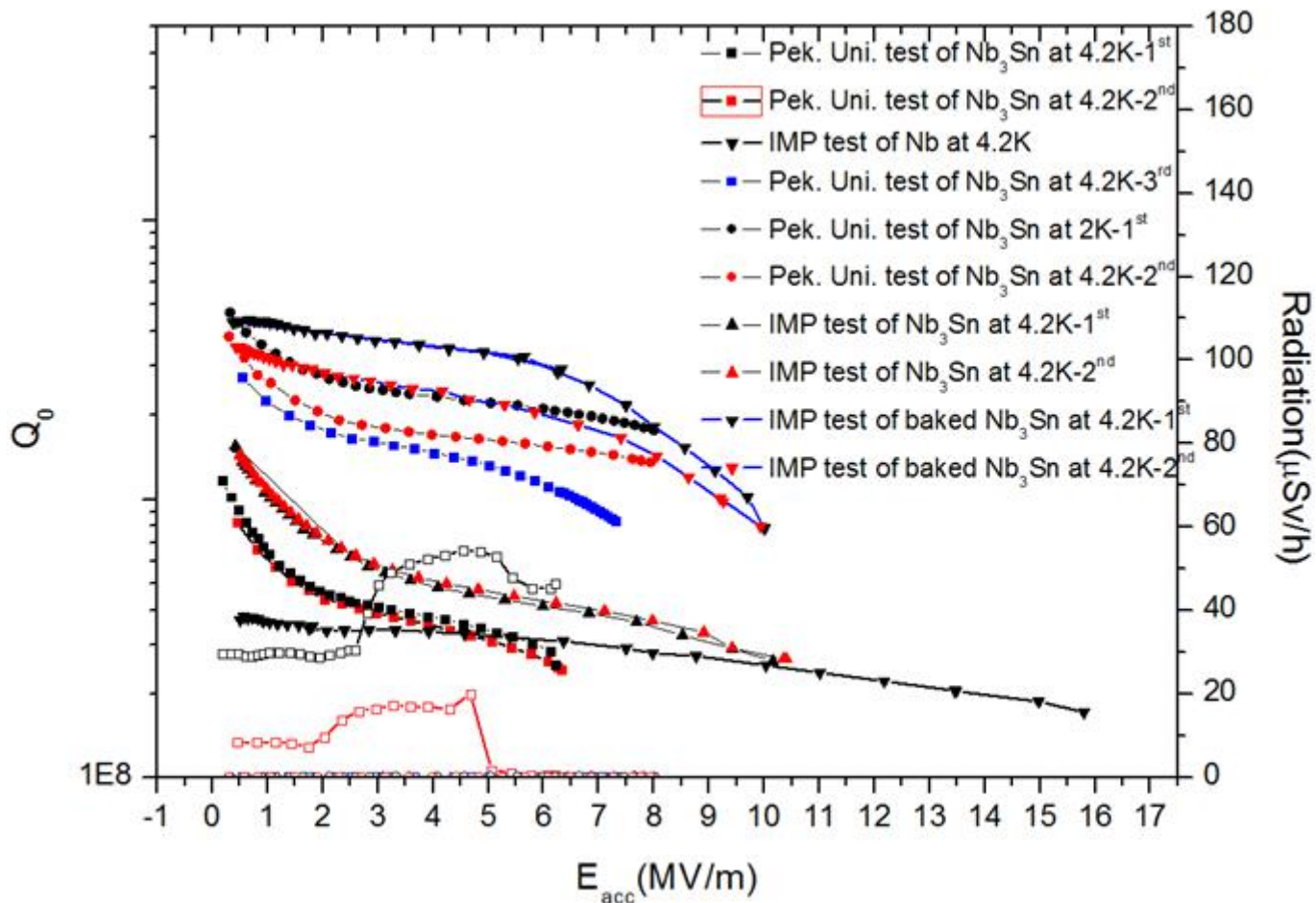
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- High stability, low cost, performance recovery every year in-situ
- Copper based thin film cavity and plasma + He cleaning are our choice for the future project demo
- Recipe of stable CW RFQ, MP and arc free



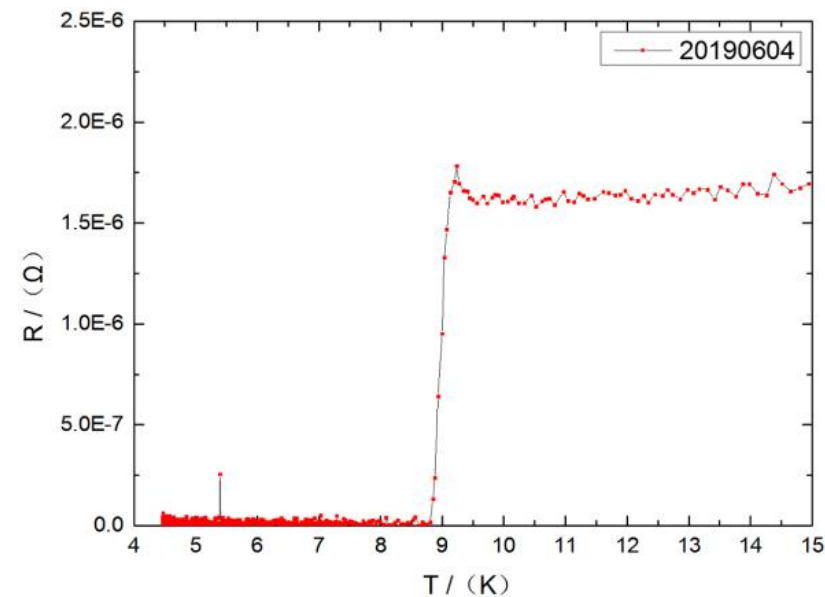


Nb₃Sn on Nb cavity underwent 100°C 48h baking. Vacuum was kept below 1.4e-5 Pa



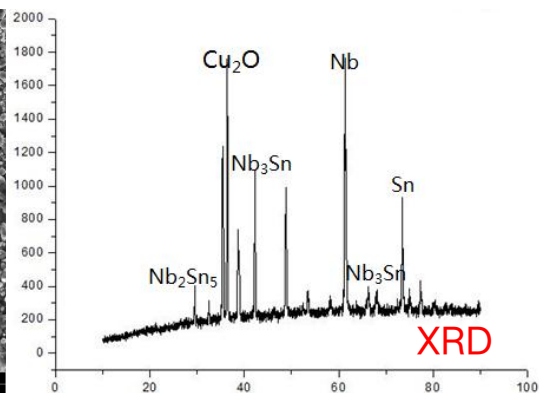
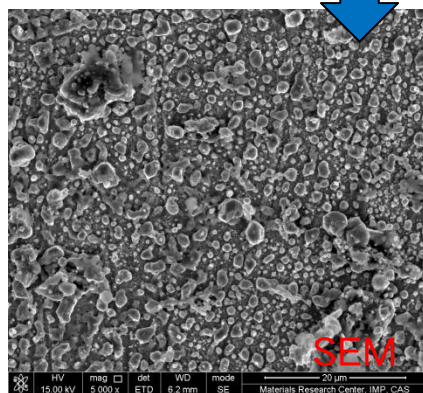
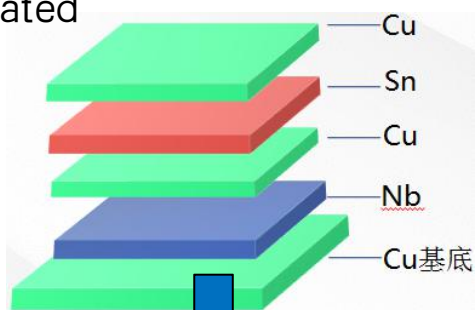
Some remarks on Nb₃Sn tested at 4.2K:

1. As deposited: limited by the material and test system (large remnant B field)
2. After baking: much improved! **Q₀ reaches 4.4e9 at low field. Very small Q slope.** Showing low temperature annealing could be an effective way to process Nb₃Sn cavity made by tin-diffusion.



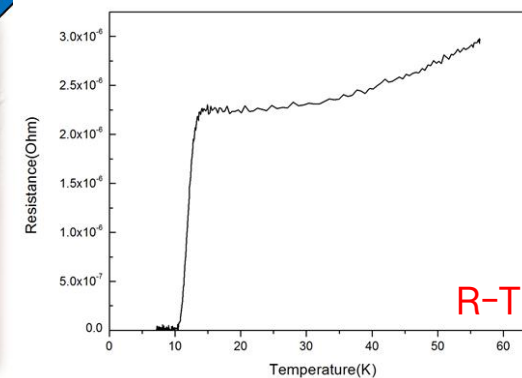
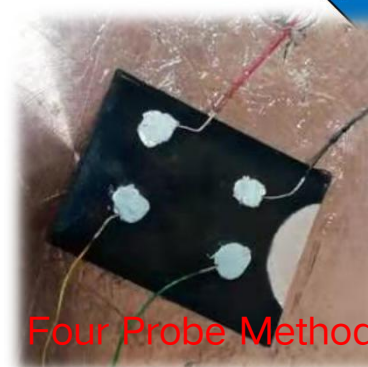
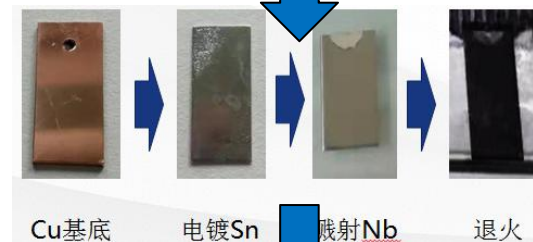
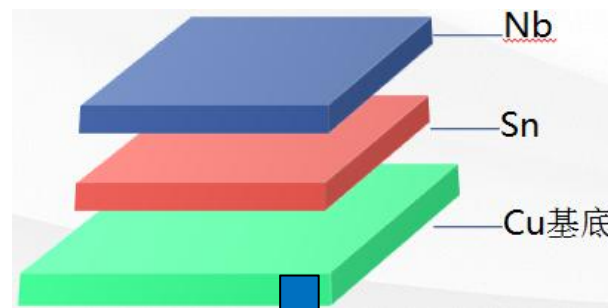
Nb₃Sn on Cu via ternary reaction

Electro-plated



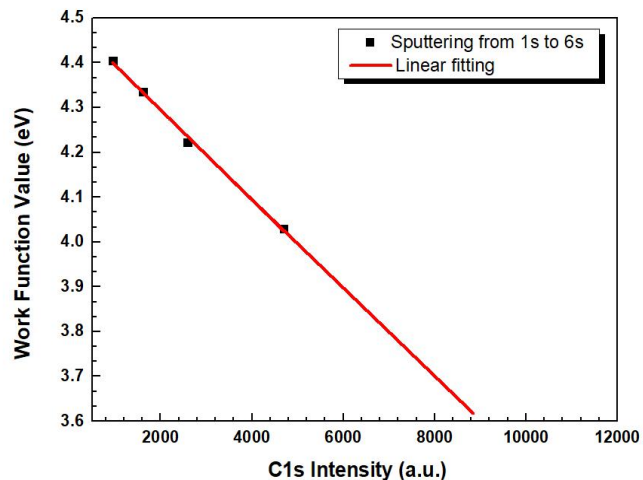
Miscellaneous phase and poor bonding strength

Cu based Nb₃Sn cavity is the future technical route that best meets the needs of **CIADS**!

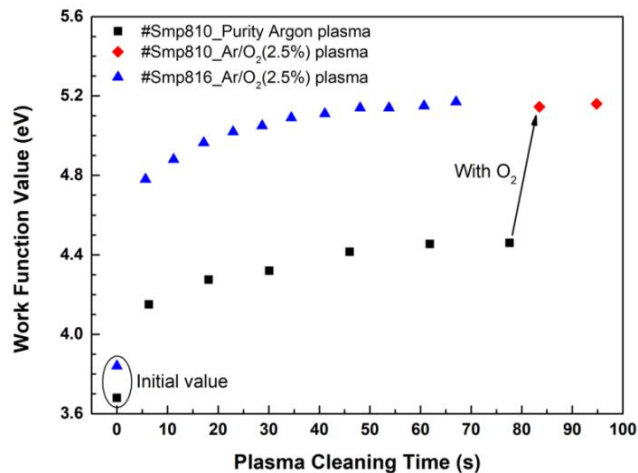


T_c~14K was achieved by optimized method on Cu substrate

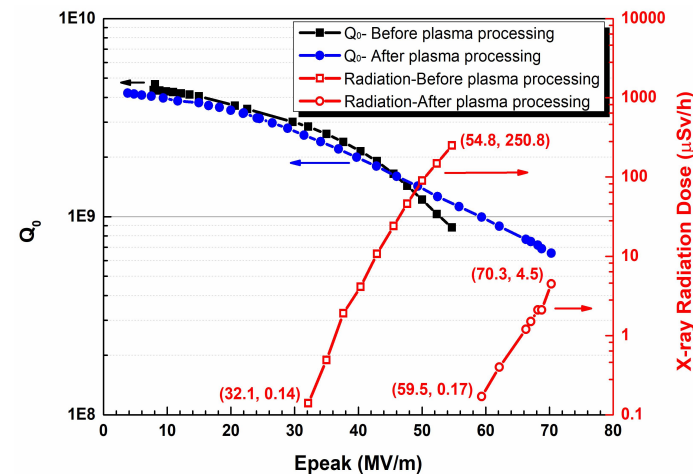
Cleaning on Nb samples, HWR cavities and mechanism of CH-contamination



Work function vs. C1s intensity

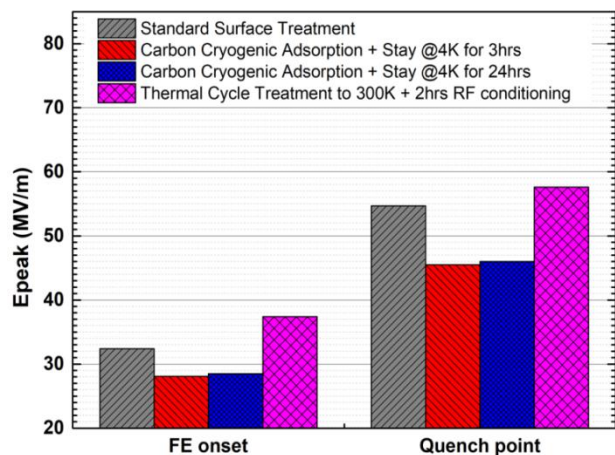


Ar/O₂ plasma cleaning on samples

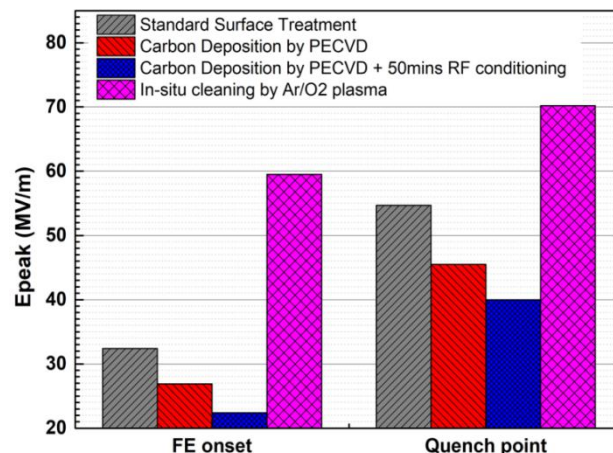


HWR performance improvement by Plasma

Details:
MOP085,
THP064,
THP065



Cryogenic adsorption of hydrocarbons



Hydrocarbons deposition by PECVD

- Carbon contamination decreases the work function, which can be recovered by the reactive oxygen plasma cleaning;
- HWR processed by plasma results in the increase of E_{pk} by 29%;
- Hydrocarbon by the cryogenic adsorption and PECVD can be eliminated by thermal cycle and plasma cleaning.



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- The SRF started in IMP since 2010. The low beta cavities such as HWR, Spoke, CH have been developed in IMP and operated.
- The first FPC was designed and fabricated at IMP in 2016. Now, 17 couplers are operating online.
- The ADS front-end demo linac, CAFe (25 MeV superconducting linac) started commissioning in 2017. It has achieved max beam power of 45 kW with 2.55 mA @ 17.5 MeV. It operated at 2 mA more than 100 hours continuously.
- Next commissioning campaign is more than 100 kW beam power, and higher stability in 2019.
- The thin-film SRF on copper and in-situ cleaning are the developing technologies in IMP for the future ADS.



Thanks the worldwide collaboration!



Looking forward to
the deeper collaboration