



Cold Linac NPM status

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November 20th 2017

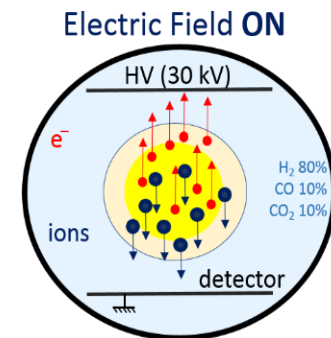
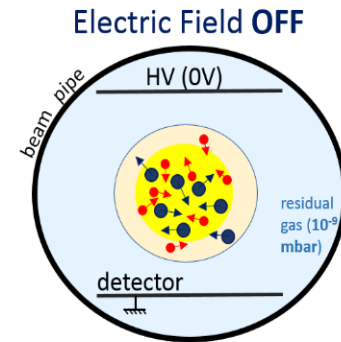
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Outline



- What was foreseen
- Come back to real life
- Planning & Strategy



NPM: Non invasive
Profile Monitor



What was foreseen

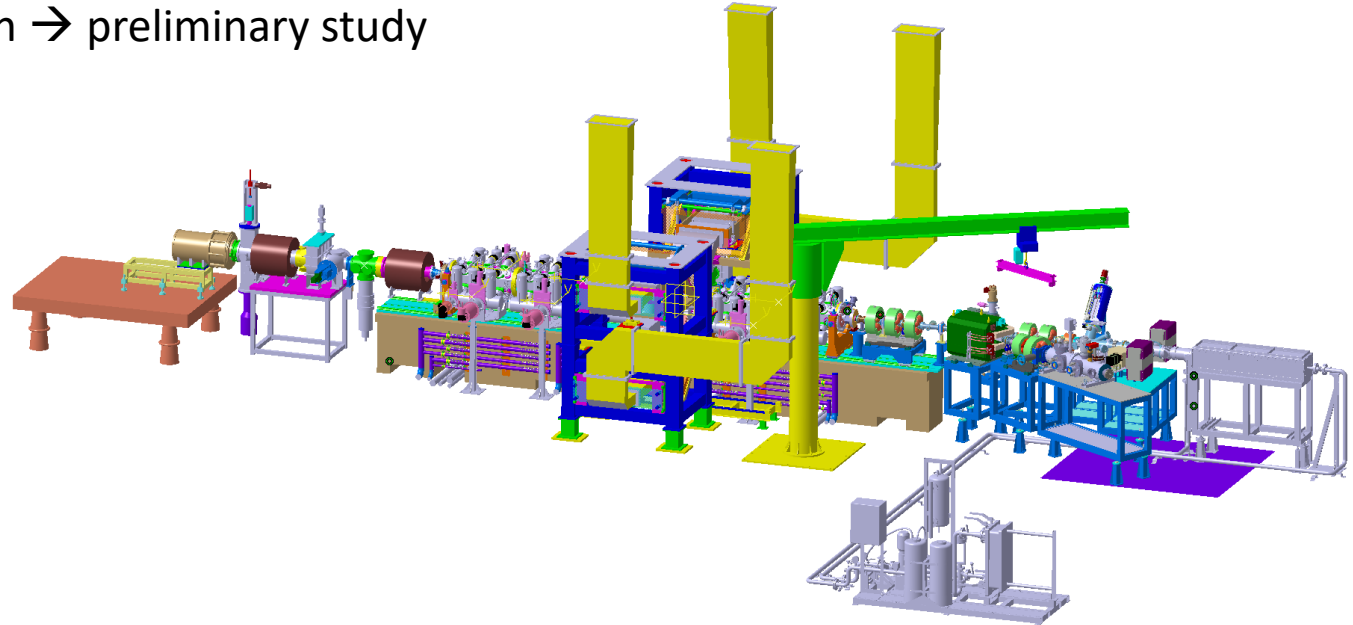
IPHI (Injecteur de Protons à Haute Intensité – Proton Injector at High Intensity)

Proton beam accelerator at CEA Saclay

- 3 MeV - $I < 100$ mA – up to cw
- RF = 352 MHz
- Injector: 95 keV

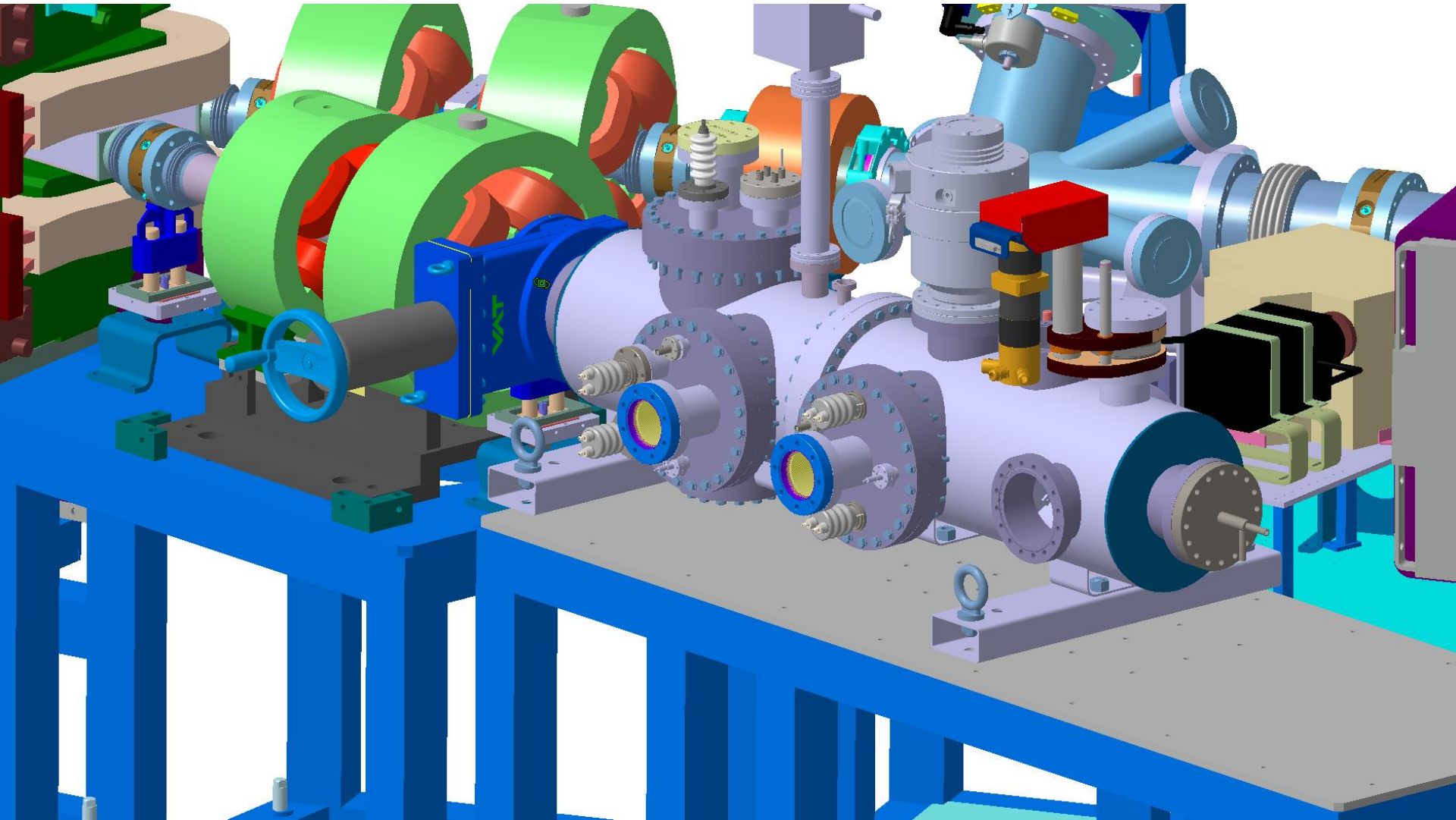
Far from ESS cold NPM conditions,

- but close to our colleagues → convenient for debugging, for different kinds of studies...
- Test bench → preliminary study



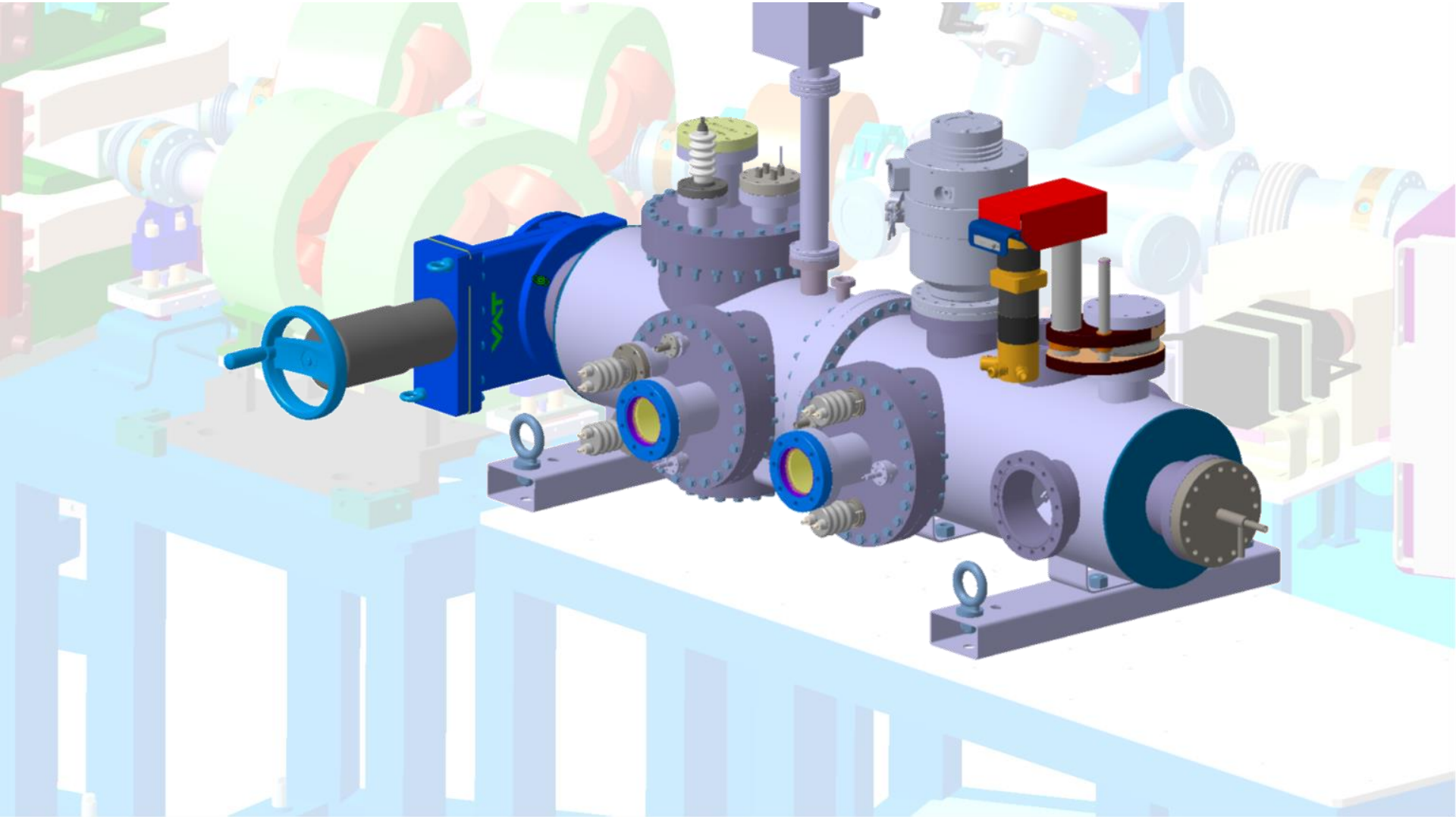


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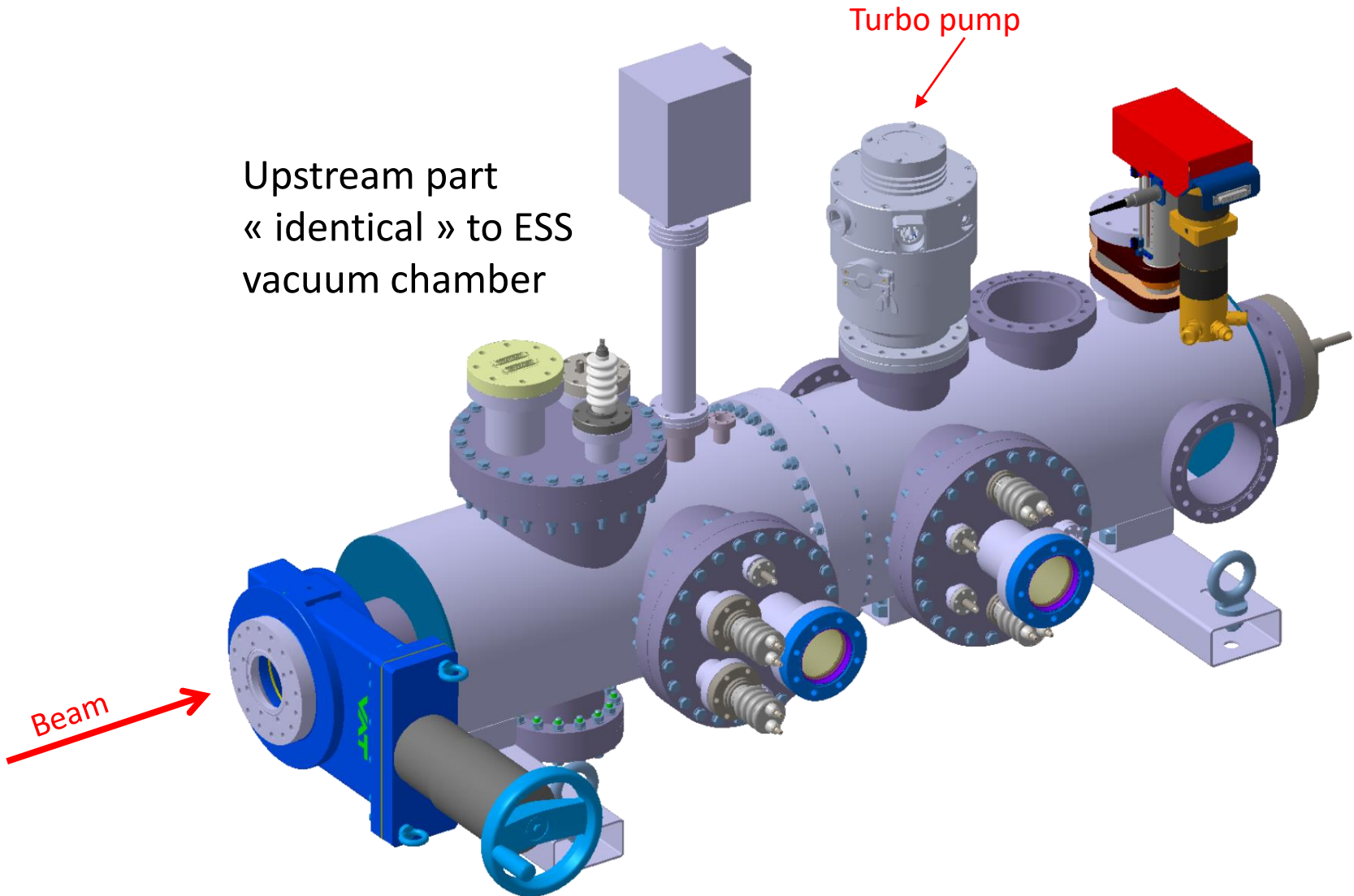




3 Read-Outs to be investigated



Upstream part
« identical » to ESS
vacuum chamber





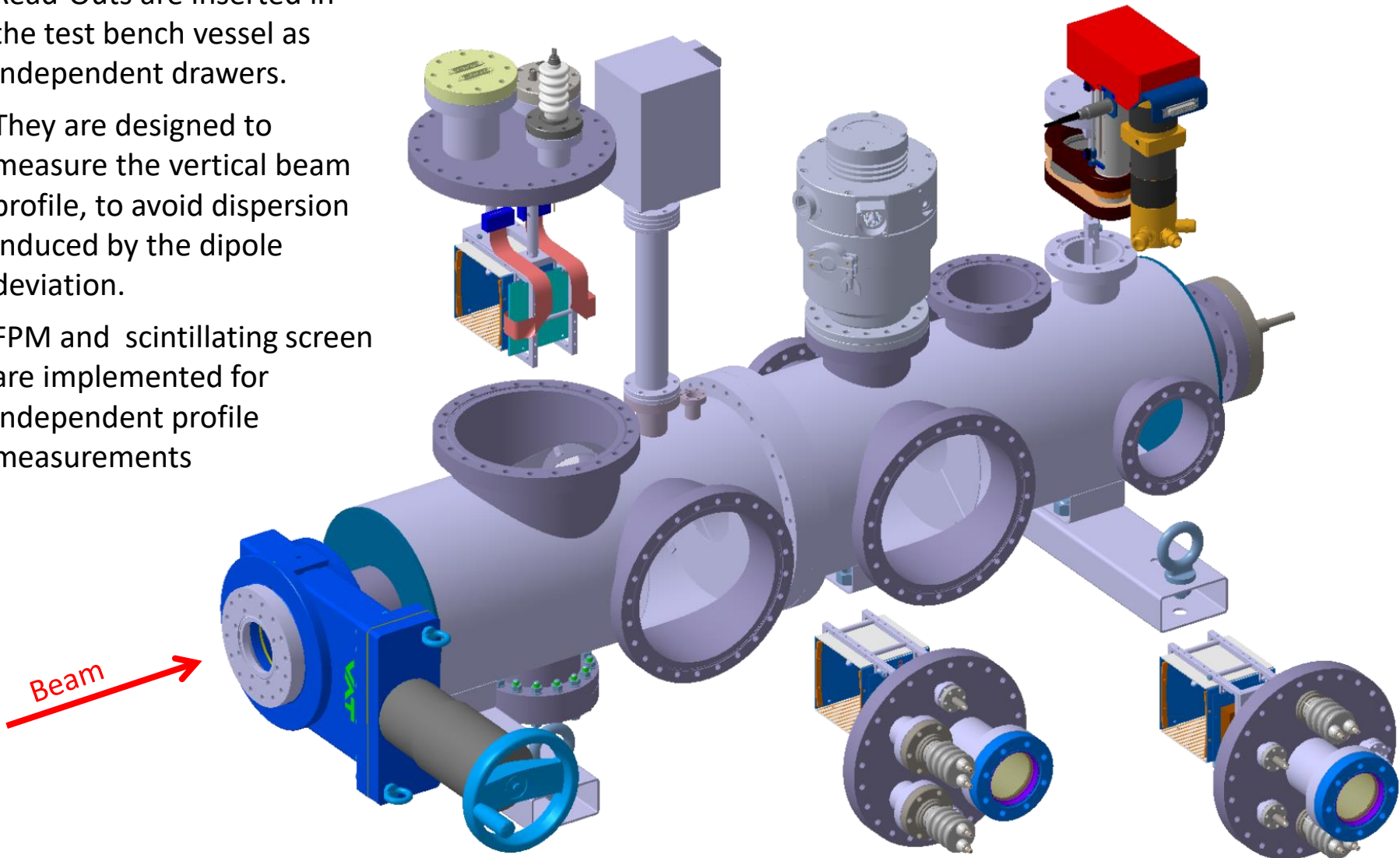
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Read-Outs are inserted in the test bench vessel as independent drawers.

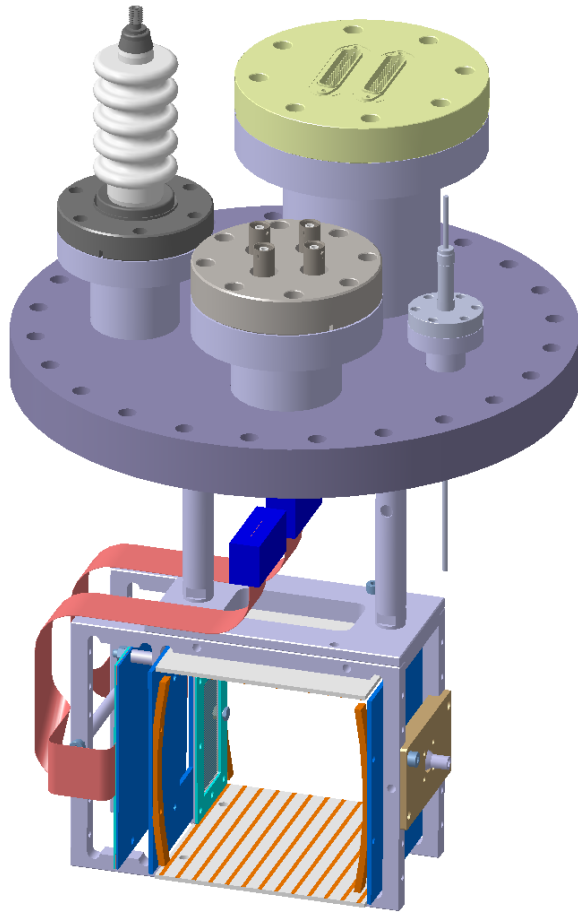
They are designed to measure the vertical beam profile, to avoid dispersion induced by the dipole deviation.

FPM and scintillating screen are implemented for independent profile measurements



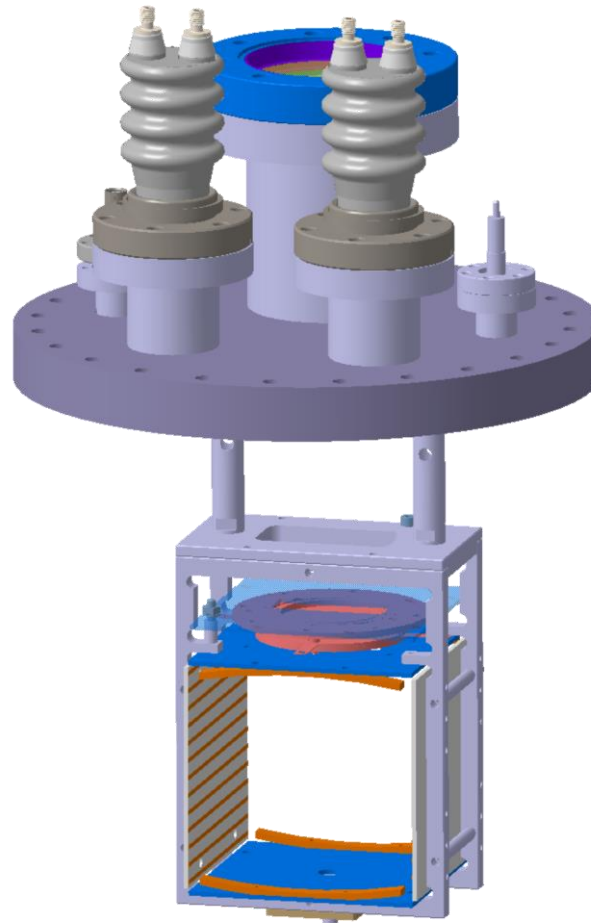


The 3 Read-Outs



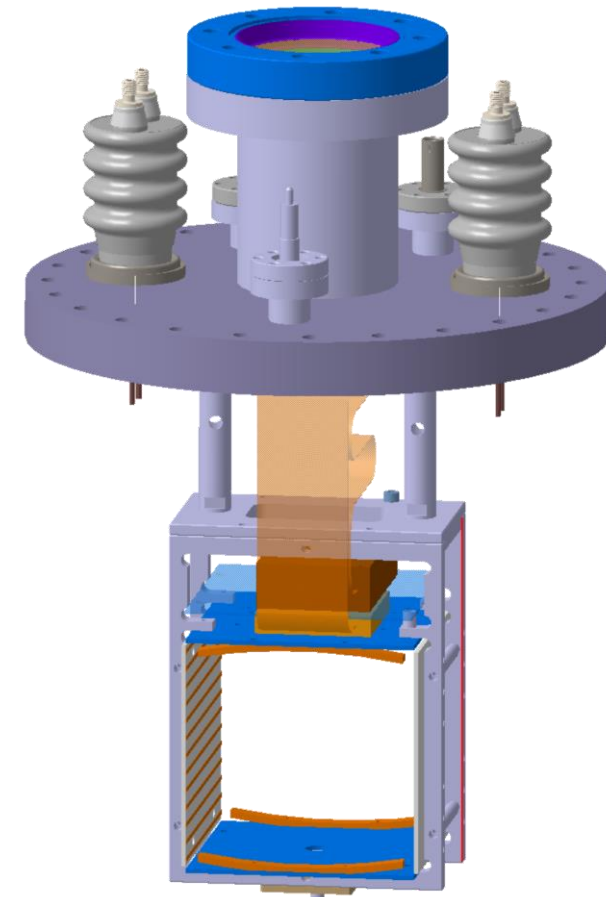
RO with strips

Possibility to insert a MCP
for signal amplification
Asymmetric: 0 / 30 kV



Optical

Phosphorescent MCP
read by a camera
Symmetric: -15 / 15 kV



Si matrix / Optical

TimePix or Optical
Symmetric: -15 / 15 kV



Come back to Real Life



Delays



delivery

- Vacuum chamber:
 - CFT launched by mid-June
 - Delivery foreseen beginning October
 - Delivered, after an extra cleaning process, on Nov. 13th
- HV vacuum connectors: foreseen end Oct, re-foreseen beg. December
- Mechanics, HV, MCP, Vacuum items (connectors, flanges, pumping...)

IPHI

- Refurbishing the water cooling system → good progress
 - Vacuum improvement...
- Should be ready to start beam for the 1st week of December

NPM team

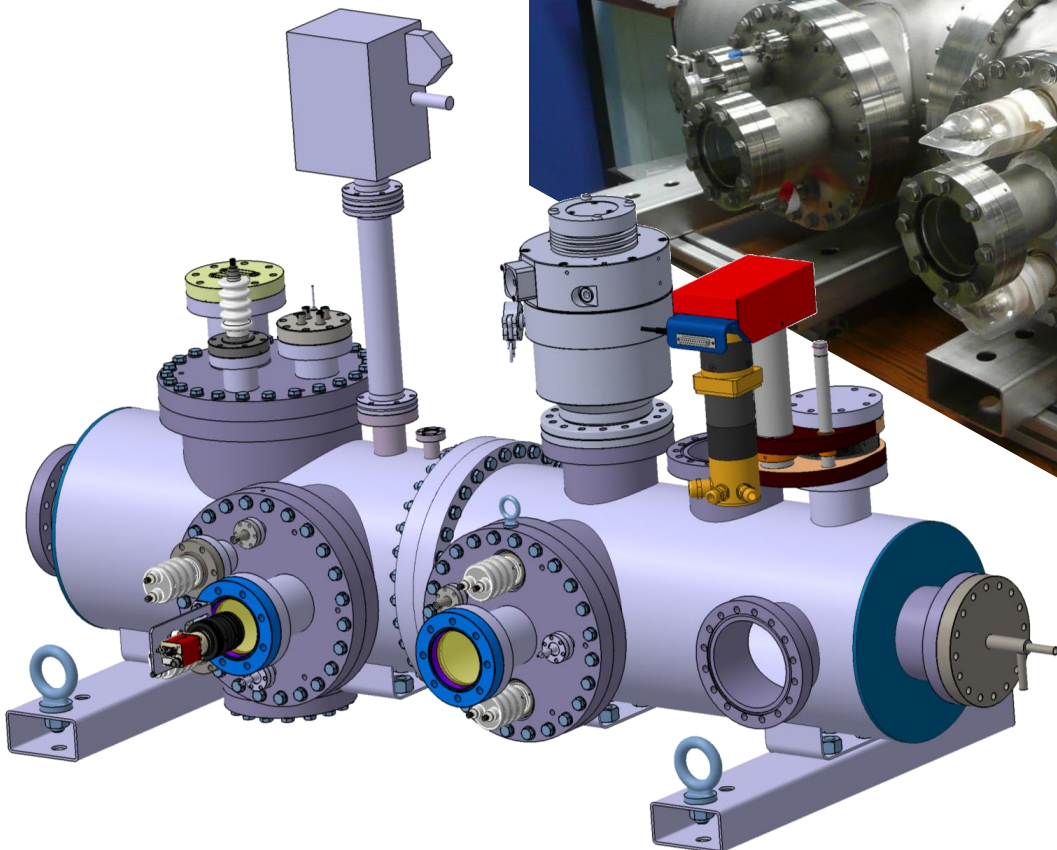
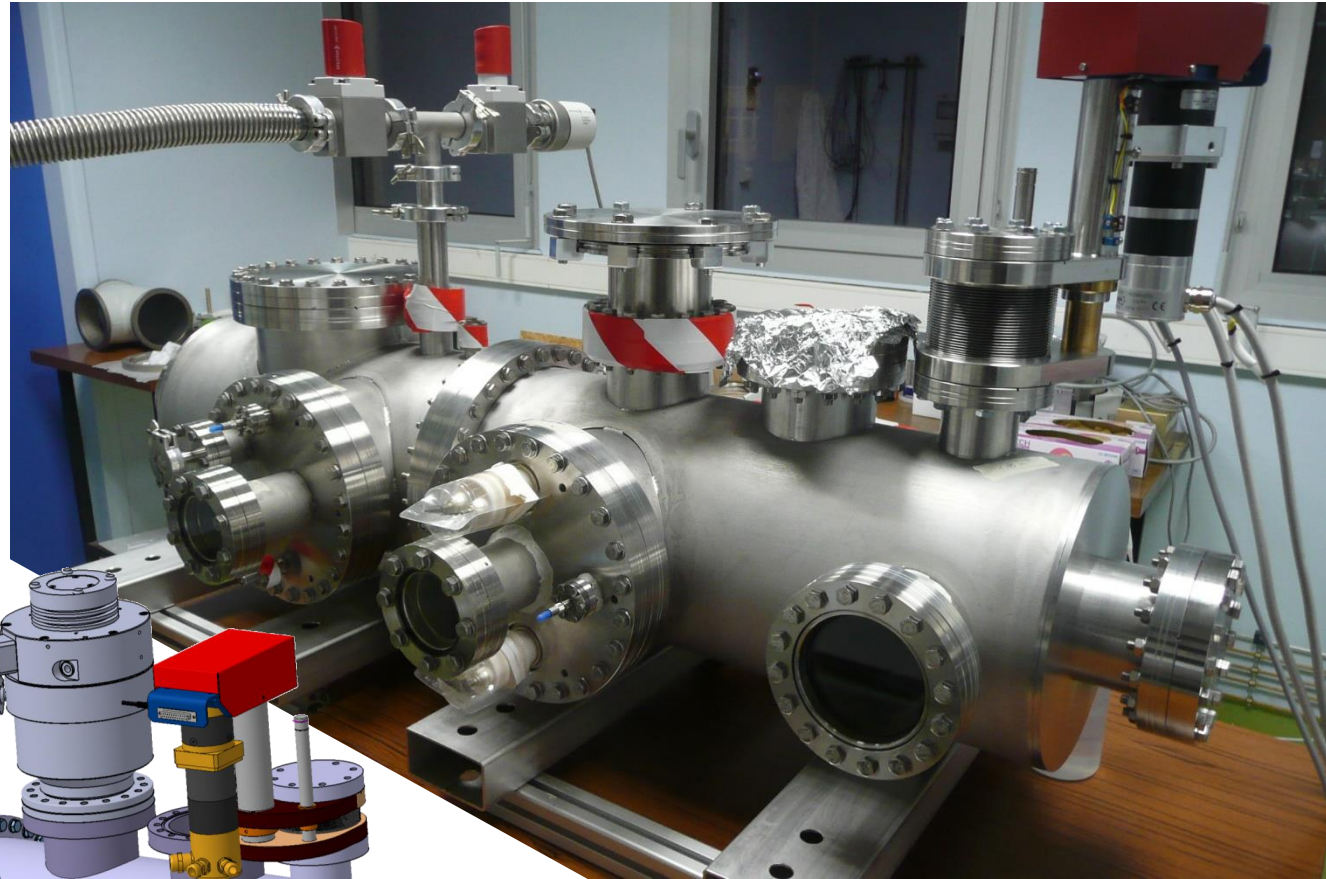
- Improve SC effect study and electric field uniformity (→ *Florian's talk*)
- Develop FEE for strip reading, connection boxes for vHV
- Design mounting tools for RO, vacuum chamber for MCP storage
- Since last week (delivery of the entire test bench chamber), vacuum tests → trouble with important leakage
- Etc.



Virtual / Reality



Vacuum chamber:
Leakage problems
identified on view ports
last Thursday.
Work is going-on!
IPHI request: 10^{-7} mbar

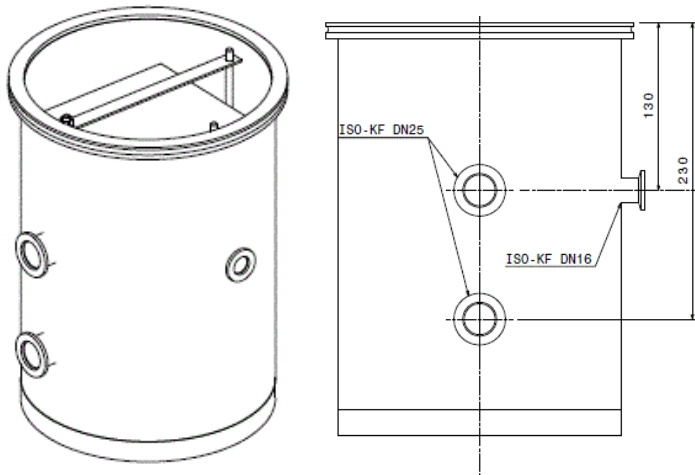
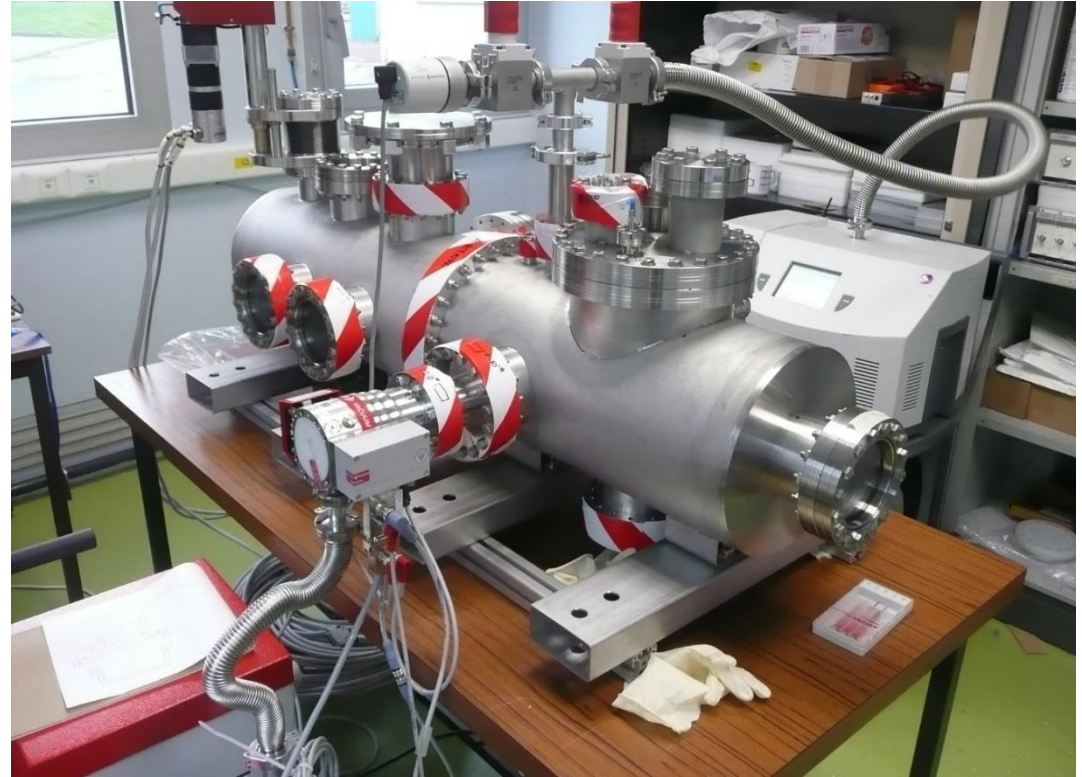




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Vacuum chamber for MCP storage

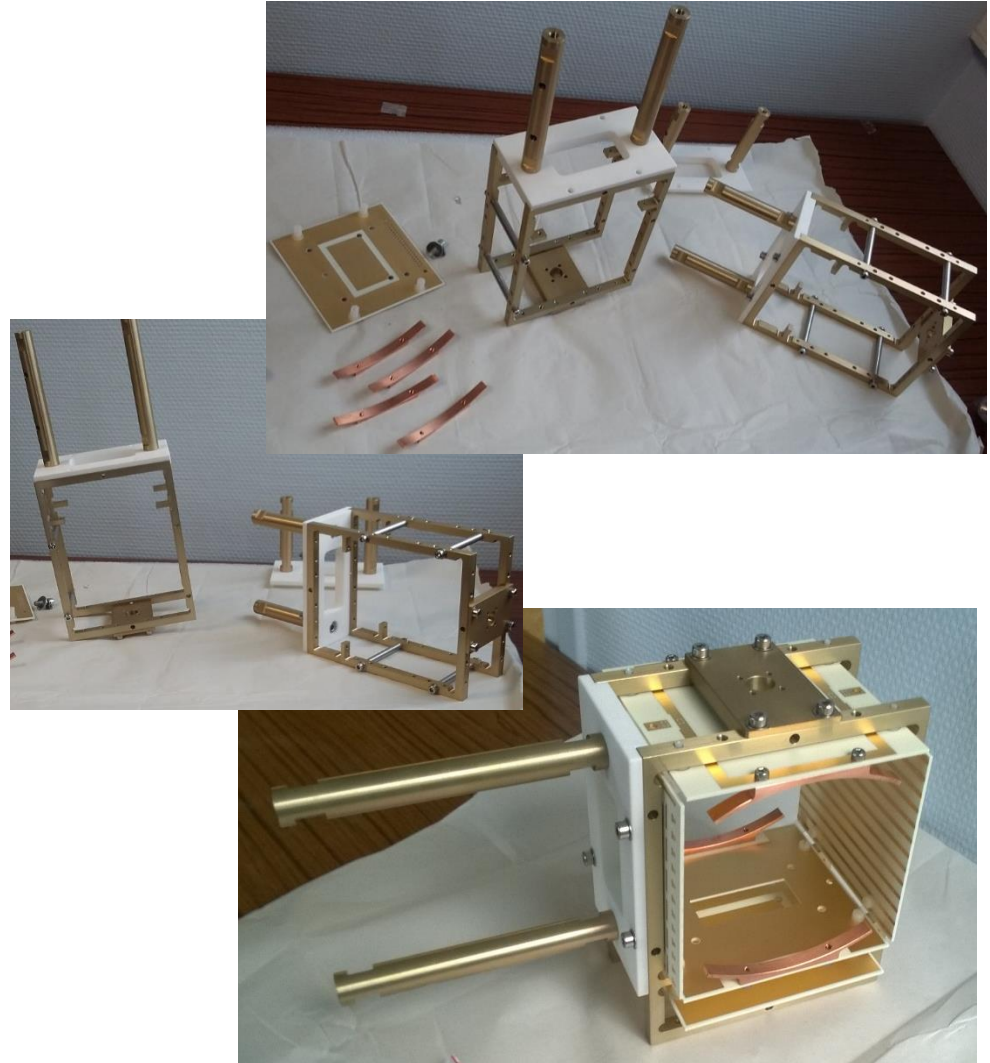
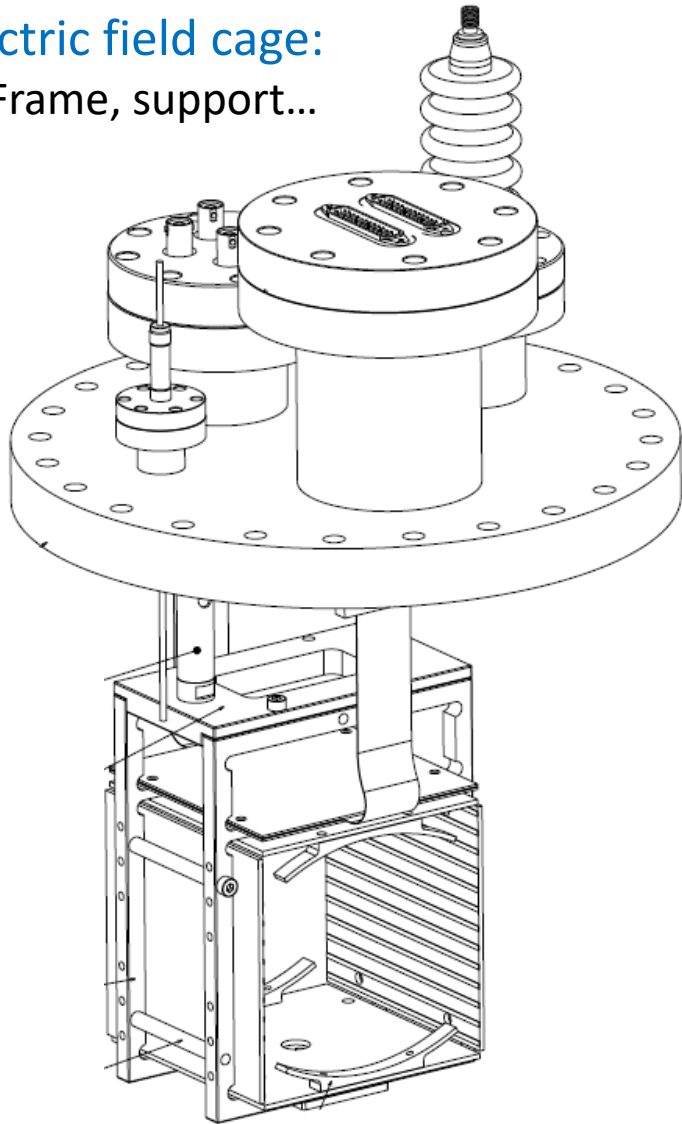




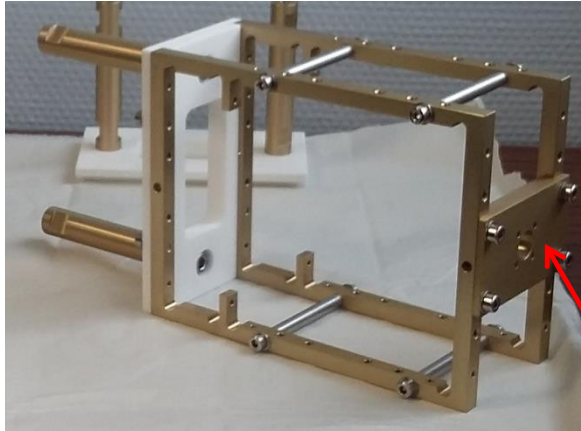
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Electric field cage:
Frame, support...



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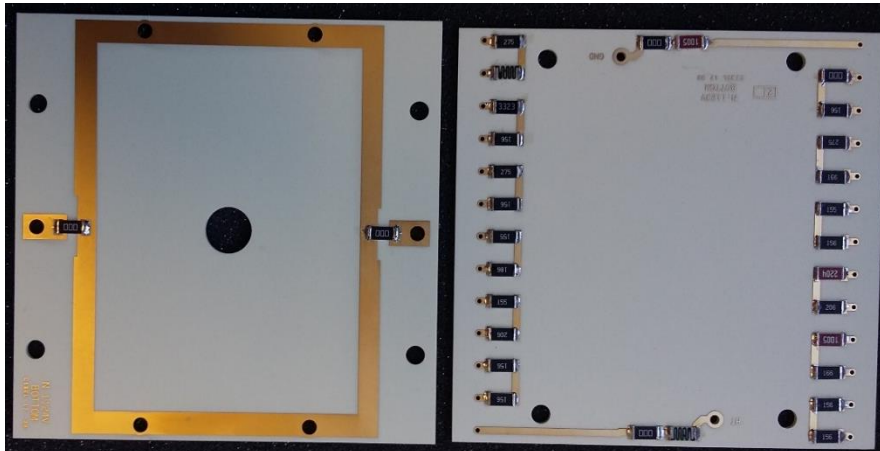
photodiode



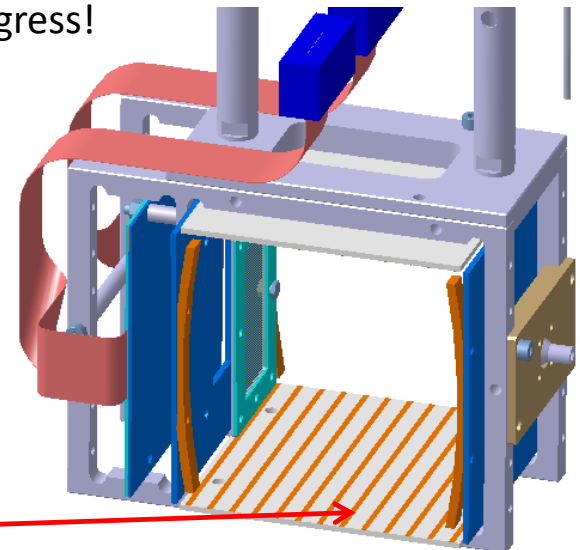
ISEG HVs

Resistor soldering for the degrader: difficult task since ceramics supports, but In good progress!

HV electrode



degraders





DAQ, FEE & CS



Caramel and Syroco: delivered at Saclay by LPC Caen (end 8/17)

Adaptation card for signal read-out

Cameras

- NPM (2): Epics, development in progress
- FPM (1): brought by Cyrille Thomas
- Scintillating screen: Iphi

ISEG HVs: 6, 15 and 30 kV delivered

- potentiometer for MCP gain
- Connection boxes for vHV

Motor for moving scintillating screen: GeoBrick is installed and checked.

Photo-diode to monitor the ageing of the MCPs

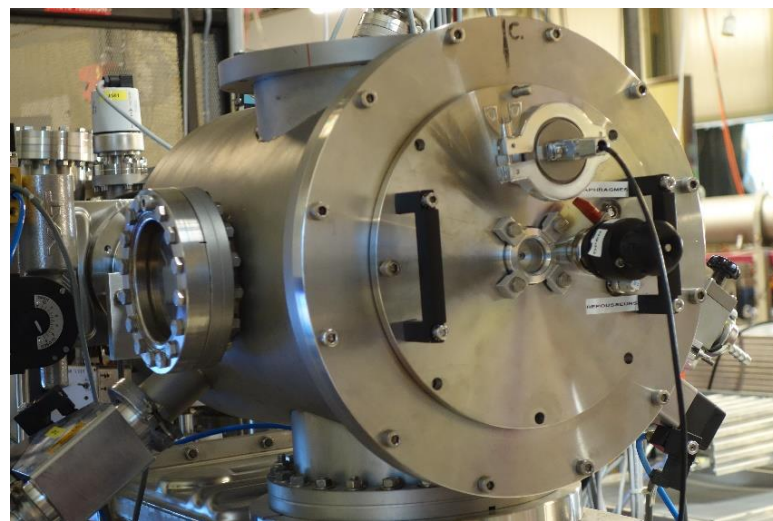
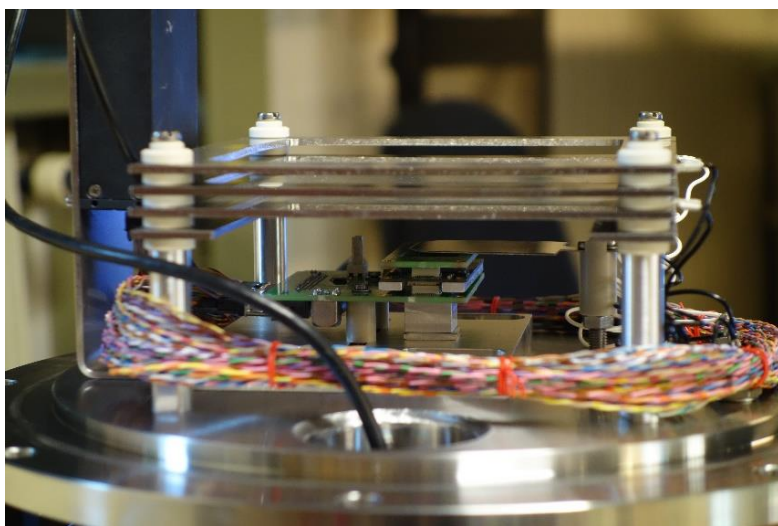
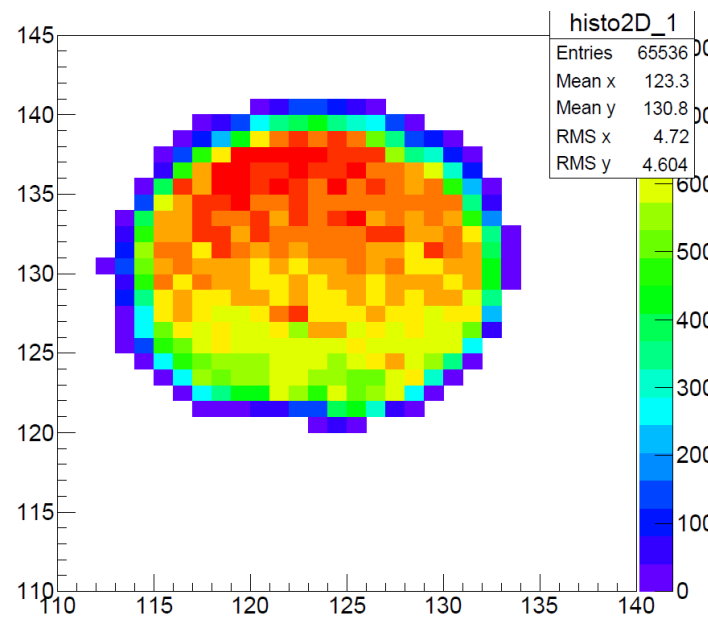
CSNSM Orsay (August 28, 2017)

C. Bachelet & S. Renouf

H_2^+ ions at 12, 15, 20 and 30 keV

→ difficulties to extract information, but at 15 keV we saw clear signal while 12 keV is too low

→ Plan to make new measurement, but not before Feb. – March 2018





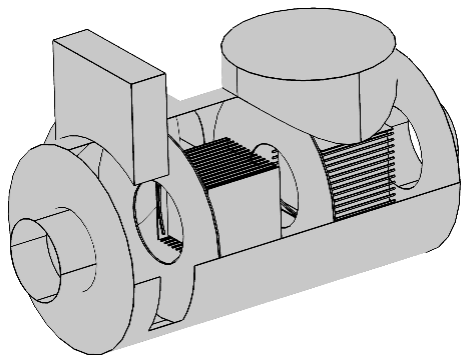
Planning & Strategy



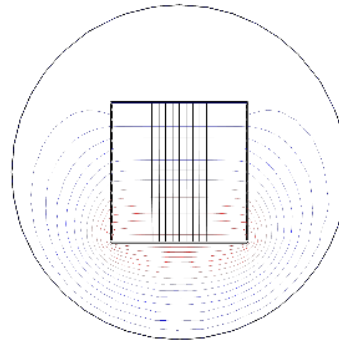
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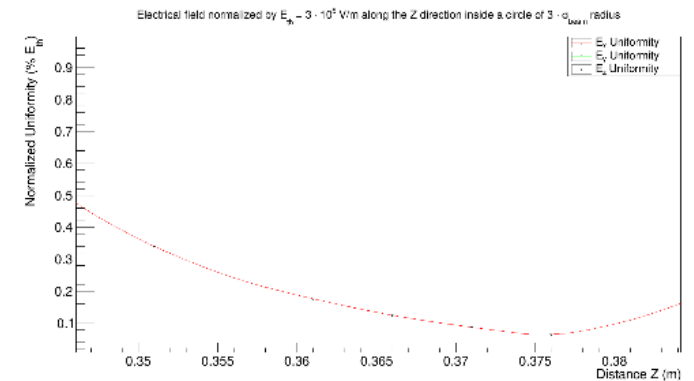
- Installation at IPHI → after integration at Dédip laboratory, checks of vacuum (10⁻⁷ mbar) and of all tuning systems
- Read-Outs:
 - Frish grid effect → beam, no IPM electric field: strip signal checking
 - counting rates:
 - Comparison between all ROs
 - Comparison between measurement and calculation
- uniformity of the electric field
 - comparison between \vec{E} (3 IPM) / no \vec{E} read-outs (FPM, p-screen)
 - influence of interferences between 2 IPMs



Comsol simulation for X&Y profilers



field lines



Electric field "non uniformity" in beam direction

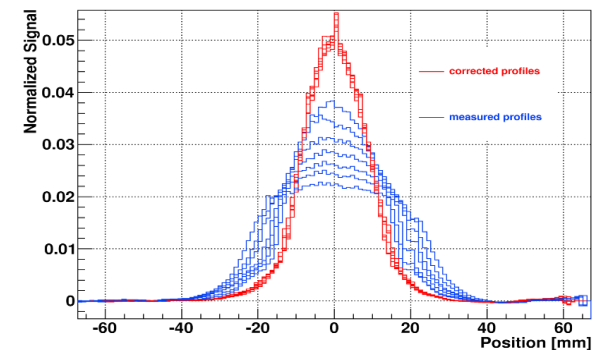


Experimental test program (2)



- +/- HV polarity
 - ion detection: does it work? better result?
 - MCP, TimePix3: ion / electron
- sparking effect
 - same entrance geometry VC / bench test
 - HV increasing
- Space Charge effect
 - once stabilized beam → beam parameters frozen
 - increasing and decreasing the IPM HV
 - comparison with SC calculation
- others...
 - MCP ageing effects
 - scintillating screen
 - and general improvements...

done on 01/2012, IPHI source 6 mA, $E_p=90$ keV

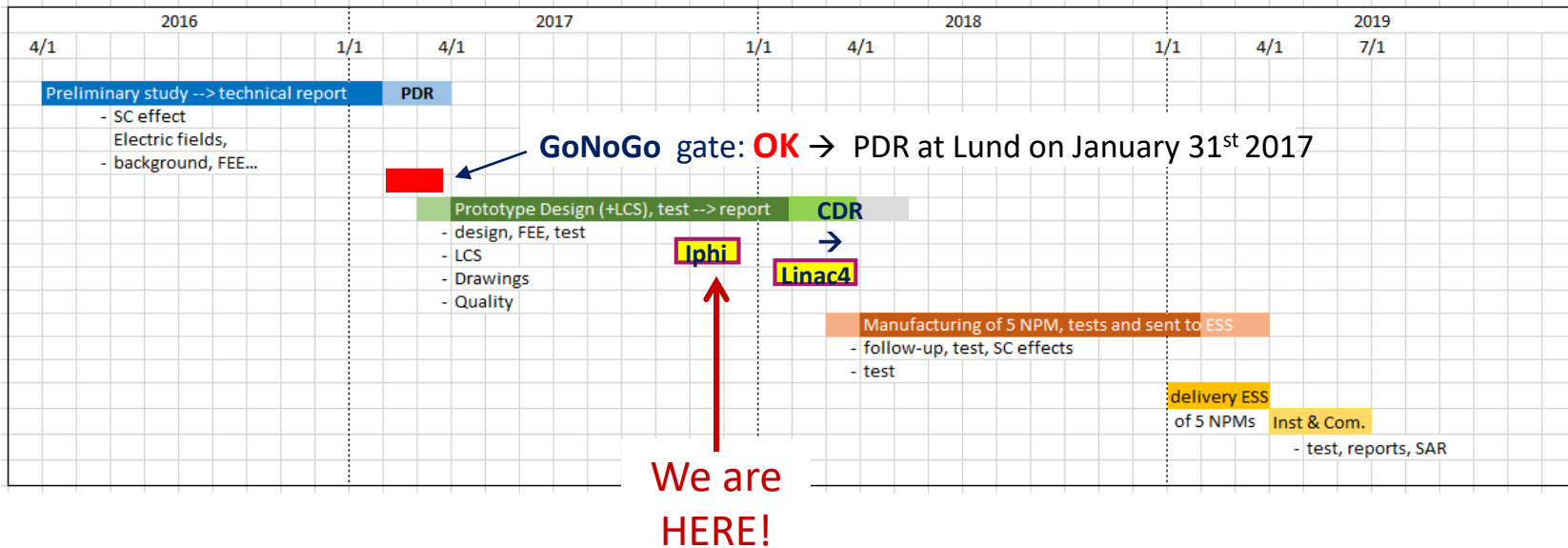




Planning



The official schedule



Delay up to now: < 1 ½ month

In the best scenario, with the vacuum leakage we have encountered on the VC, we will not be ready before beginning of December

IPHI: today they plan to put water cooling in the RFQ...

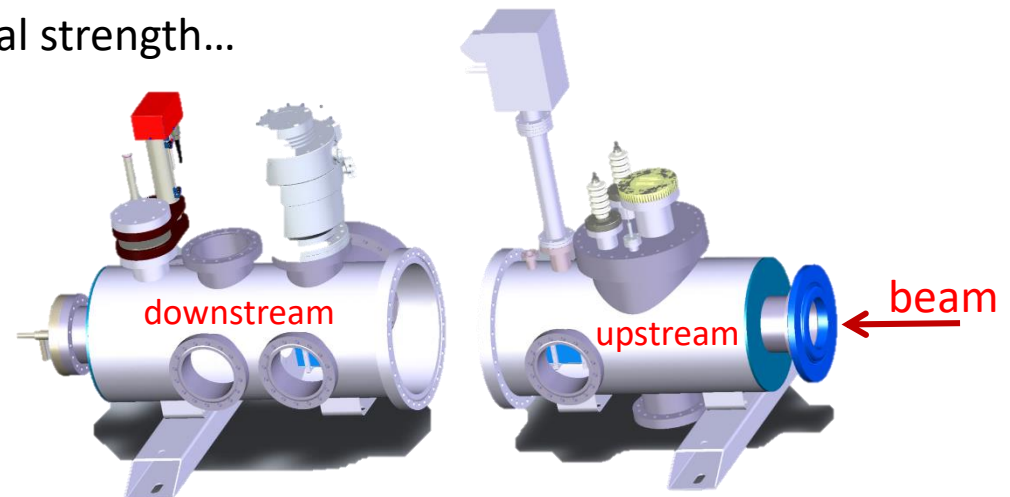
Beams for tests:

IPHI → possibility to have beam to resume December activities, in January and after (tbd)

LINAC4 → installation should be done in January, for background measurement

Three scenarios may be foreseen for 2018

1. Keep on going on IPHI
2. “Half parts”
 - IPHI with only the downstream part of the test bench
 - LINAC4 with the upstream part (similar to ESS chamber), but only for background measurement
 - Need more vHV, another VC for MCP...
3. “Double tests” with the entire test bench
 - IPHI: beginning 2018
 - Julich: people seems to be open, but when?
 - Validation of the signal strength...





Summary



Material delivery

Most of them are delivered, but with important delay

IPHI test

Should not start before beginning of December

Up to now, 1 ½ month of delay

Therefore, 3 scenarios may be foreseen for 2018

1. Keep on going on IPHI
2. “Half parts”
3. “Double tests” with the entire test bench

Warmly thanks to all my colleagues for the huge work done since last ESS forum (we started from scratch from PDR review – Feb. 1st 2017.)

Thank you for your attention



Extra slide



Planning IPHI + LINAC4

