

Status of TE² Electron Gun

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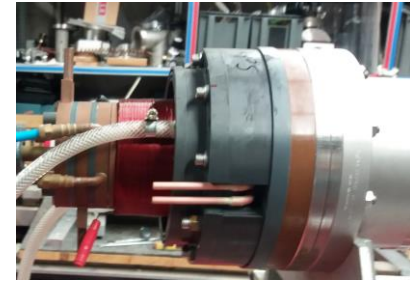
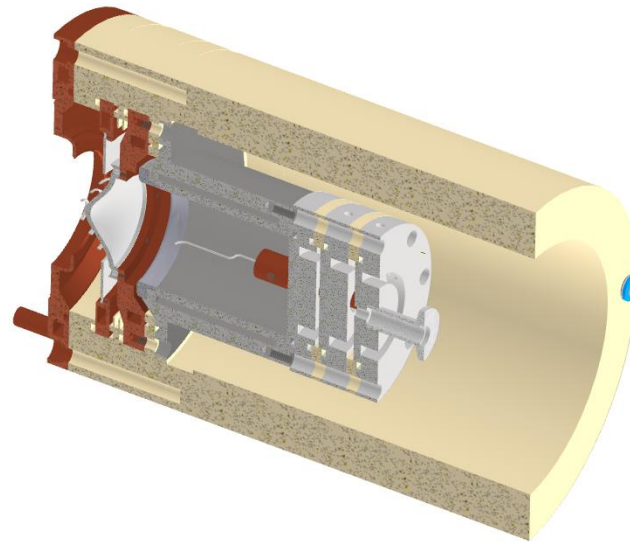
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Status of E-Gun

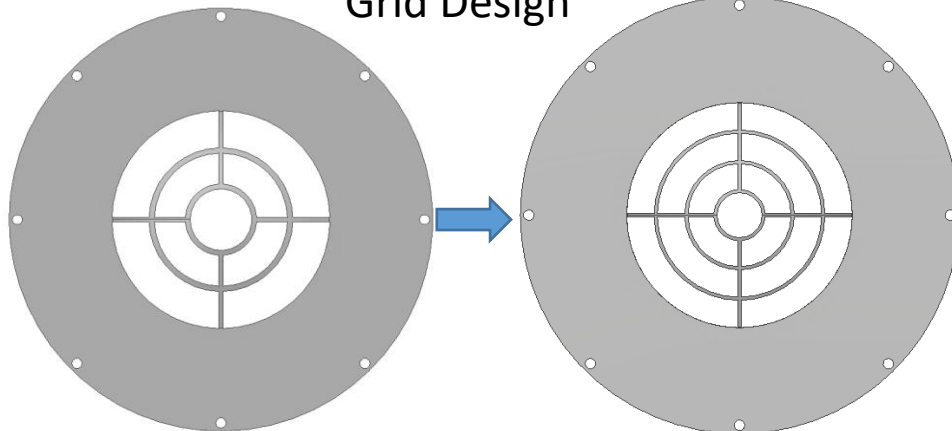
Adaption to Solenoid and Design Upgrades of TE²-Gun

Modifications of:

- cooling connections and flange edges
 - ground electrode
 - grid electrode
- modulating grid
- anode
- Insulating shield between gun and solenoid

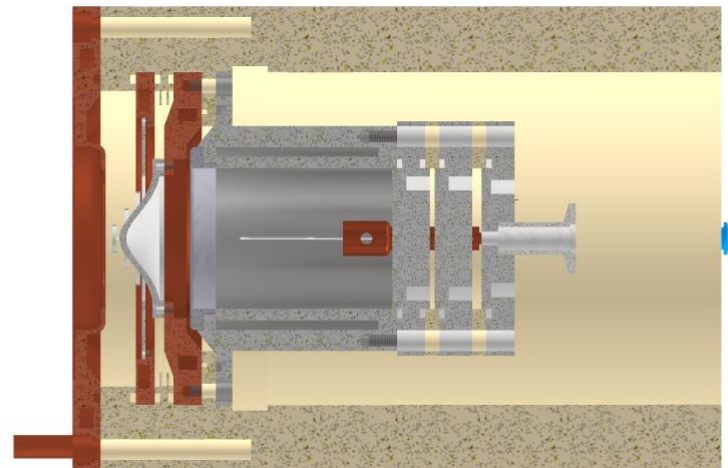


Grid Design



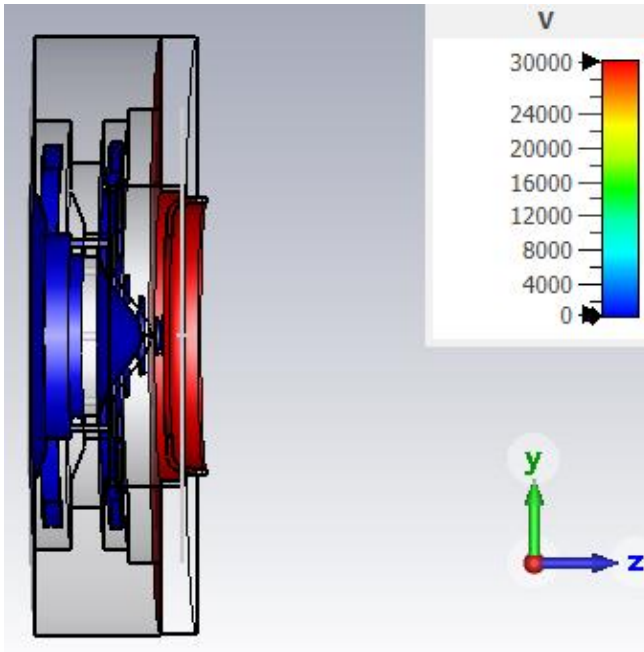
current design

new design



Design Upgrade of TE²-Gun

Former electrode design (with optimized grid)



E-Gun Parameters:

$$U_a = 30 \text{ kV}$$

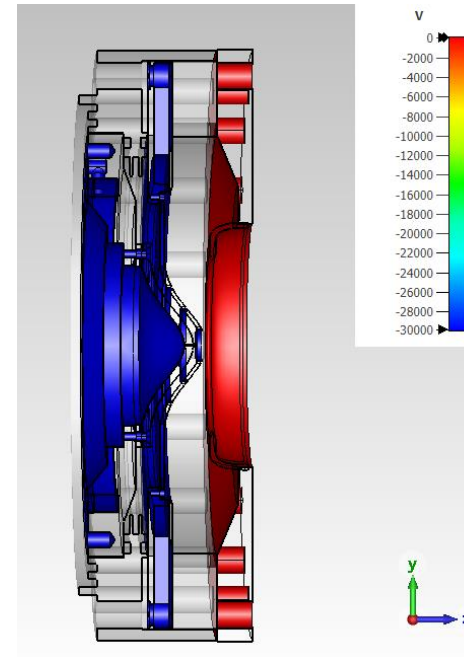
$$U_c = 0 \text{ kV}$$

$$U_g = 0 \text{ kV}$$

$$I_{ex} = 8.4 \text{ A}$$

$$B_z = 0.6 \text{ T}$$

Upgraded electrode design



E-Gun Parameters:

$$U_a = 30 \text{ kV}$$

$$U_c = 0 \text{ kV}$$

$$U_g = 0 \text{ kV}$$

$$I_{ex} = 10.7 \text{ A}$$

$$B_z = 0.6 \text{ T}$$

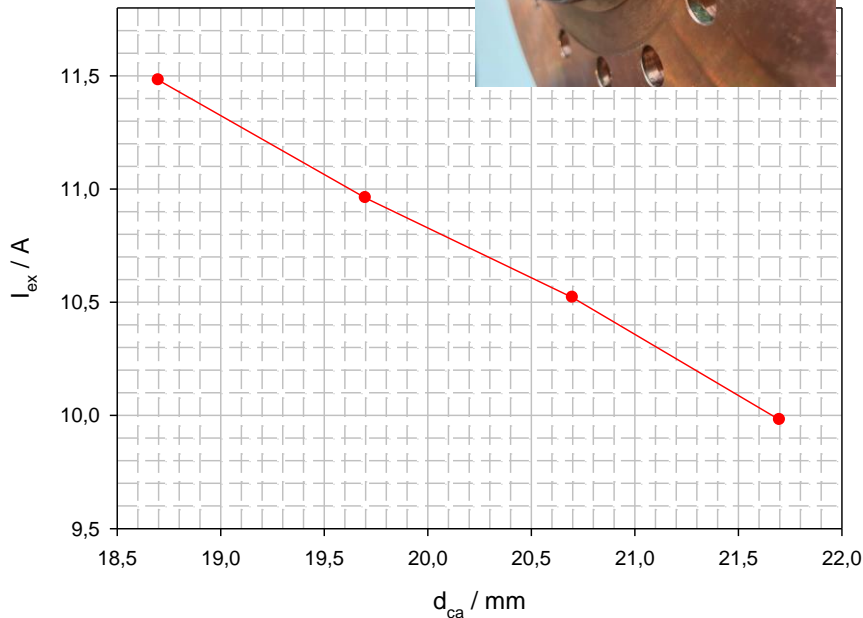
approx. 2.3 A less than „final gun design“ as reported in MS53

Design Upgrade of TE²-Gun

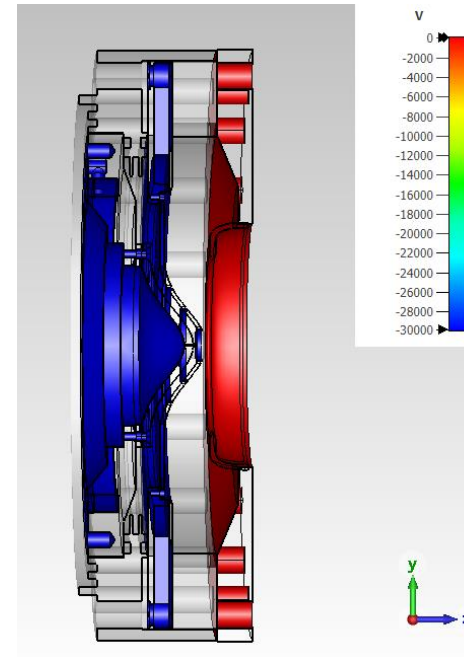
Variable cathode-anode-distance



possible variation of
 $\pm 4\text{mm}$



Upgraded electrode design



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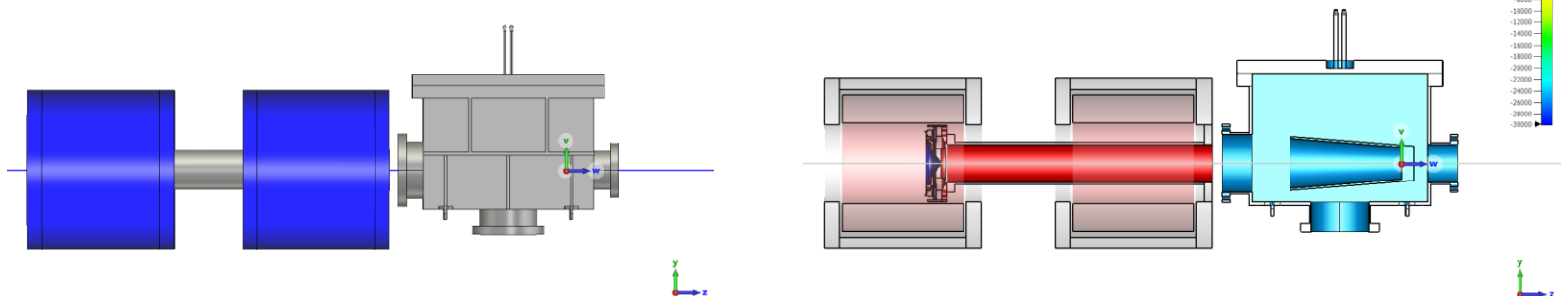
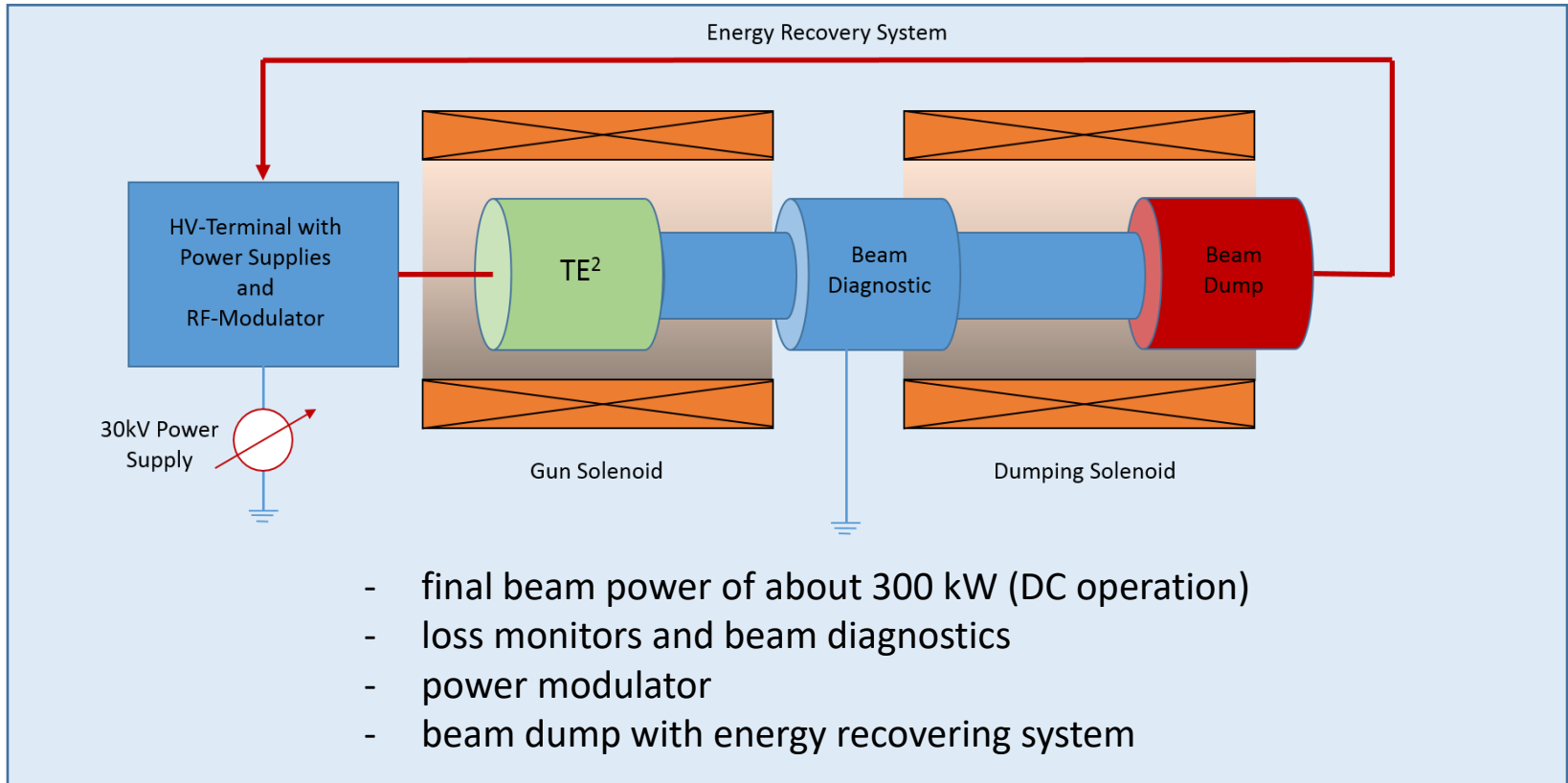
$$U_g = 0 \text{ kV}$$

$$I_{ex} = 10.7 \text{ A}$$

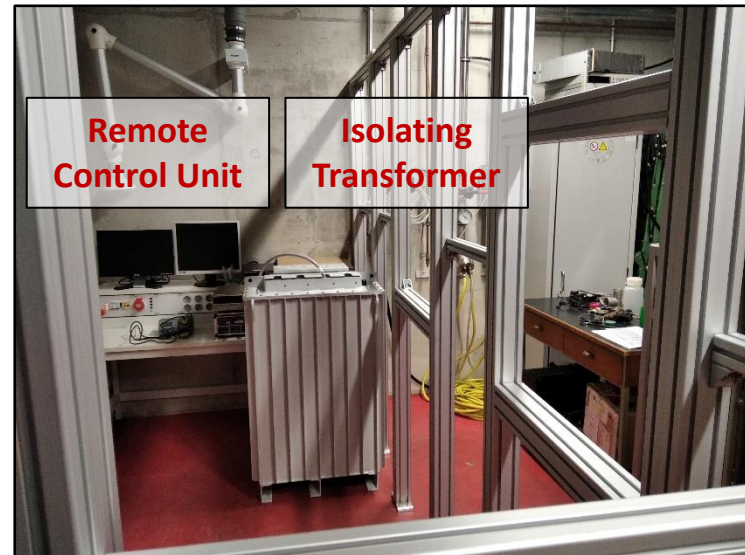
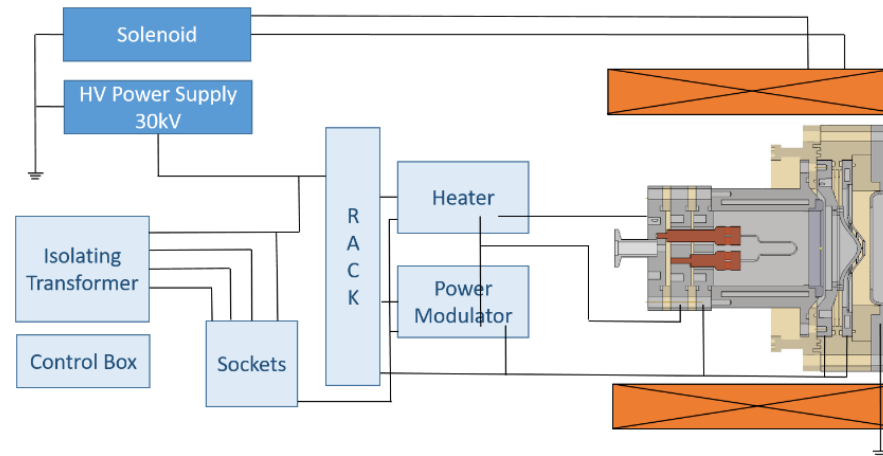
$$B_z = 0.6 \text{ T}$$

design provides also
flexibility in adjusting
cathode-grid-distance

Concept of Electron Source Test Bench



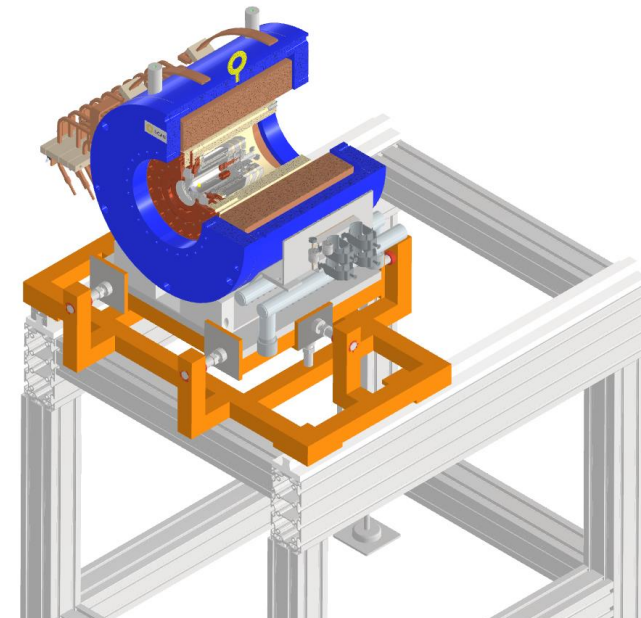
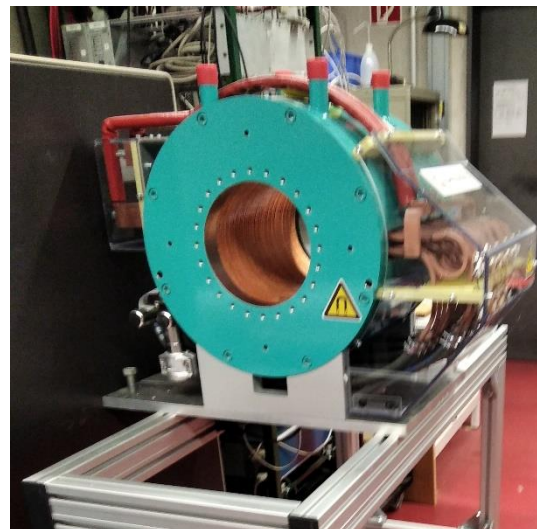
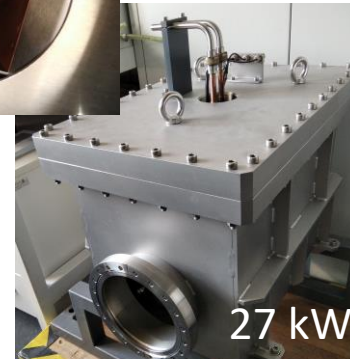
HV-Terminal for TE² Operation



Status of Terminal and Test Bench

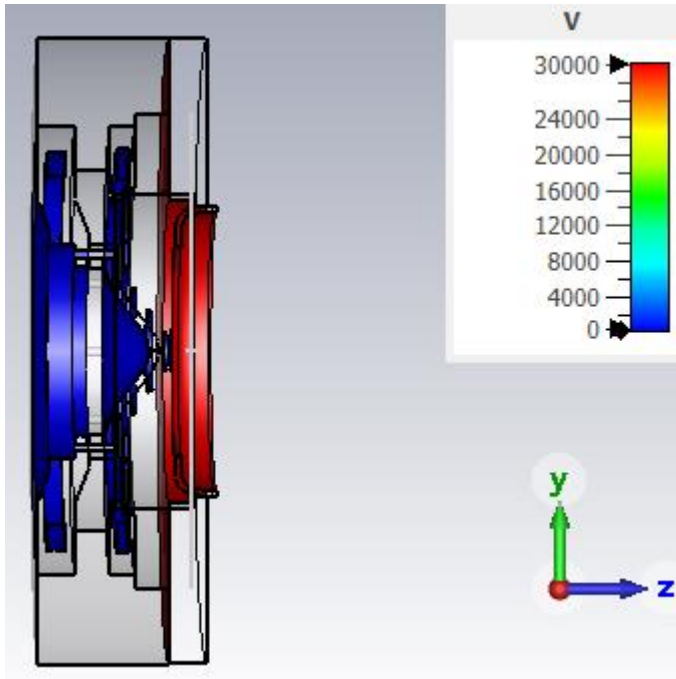
Status of:

- terminal (cooling, cables, insulation sockets)
 - under construction
- experiment carrier
 - under construction
- adjustment unit for solenoid
 - in design process, material already delivered
- TE² parts
 - Vinidur and copper parts are under construction at IAP workshop
 - cathode and grid ordered, delivery delayed (KW 24)
- Controls (IT infrastructure, software)
 - T. Dönges, BSc Cand.



Numerical Studies of TE²-Gun

Thermionic Model



E-Gun Parameter:

$U_a = 30$ kV

$T = 2000 - 2800$ K

$U_c = 0$ kV

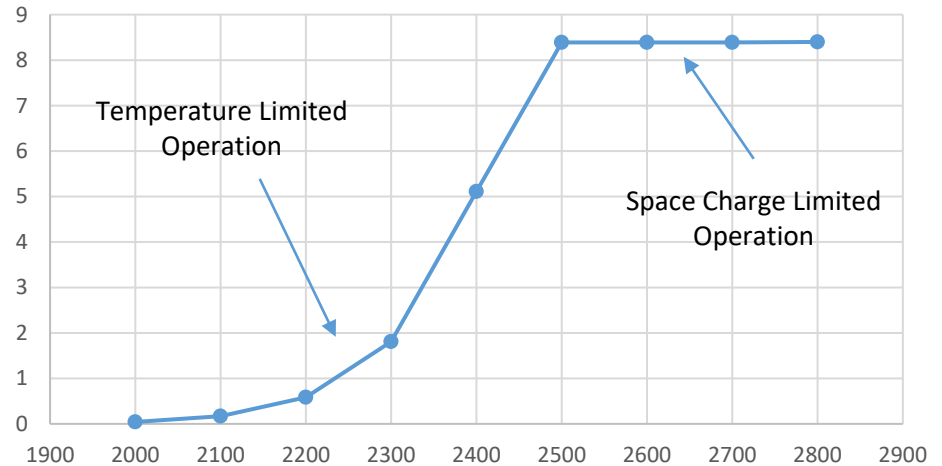
tungsten

$U_g = 0$ kV

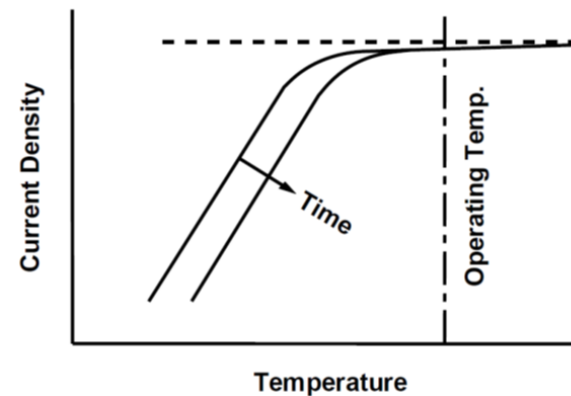
$B_z = 0.6$ T

benchmark of simulations

Cathode Operation Range



Operating Temperature



has to be determined experimentally

Schedule

| Task | Status | Schedule |
|---|---|--------------|
| Assembling of HV-terminal | under construction | Q1 - Q2 2021 |
| Construction of test stand | under construction | Q1 - Q2 2021 |
| Installation of e-gun solenoid and integration of TE ² | Solenoid delivered by GSI/FAIR TE ² parts are being manufactured Experimental carrier under construction support solenoid is being designed, material already delivered | Q2 2021 |
| Extraction of low intensity electron beams | control system under development Numerical beam dynamics studies started | Q2 – Q3 2021 |
| Extraction of high intensity electron beams with modulation | Beam dump delivered by Goethe-University | Q3 - Q4 2021 |