

Task 9.3 : 6 GHz Cavity deposition

Aim: Evaluation of SRF performance of high T_c superconductor thin film by deposition of high T_c superconductor inside a 6 GHz copper cavity.

Nb_3Sn , $NbTiN$, NbN , MgB_2

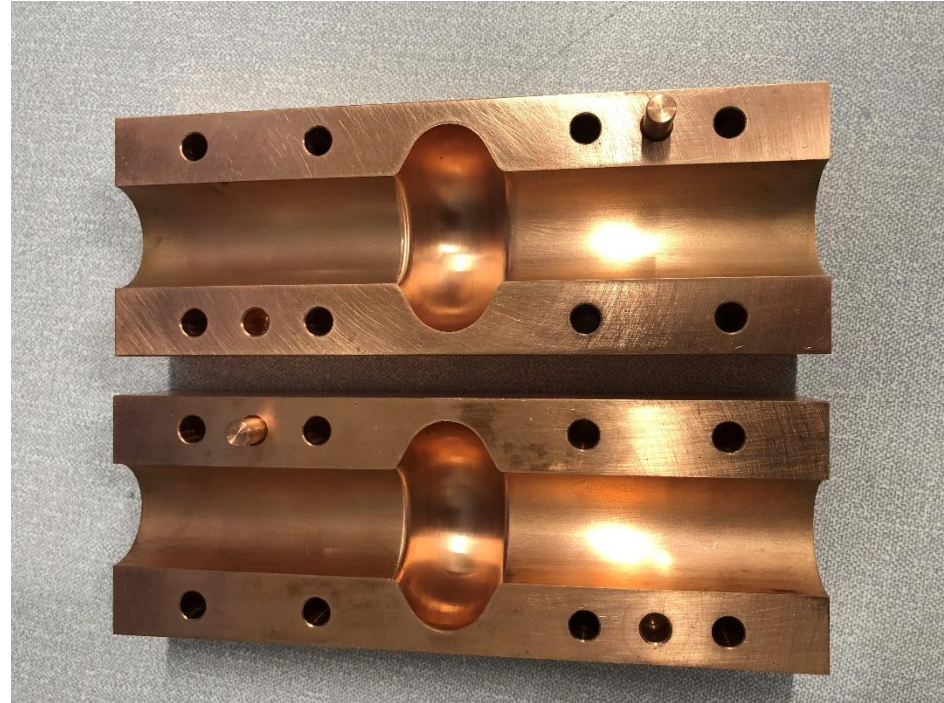
Cavity Coating and Evaluation

6 GHz copper cavity

Two type of cavity is going to be explored at STFC



INFN seamless standard elliptical copper cavity



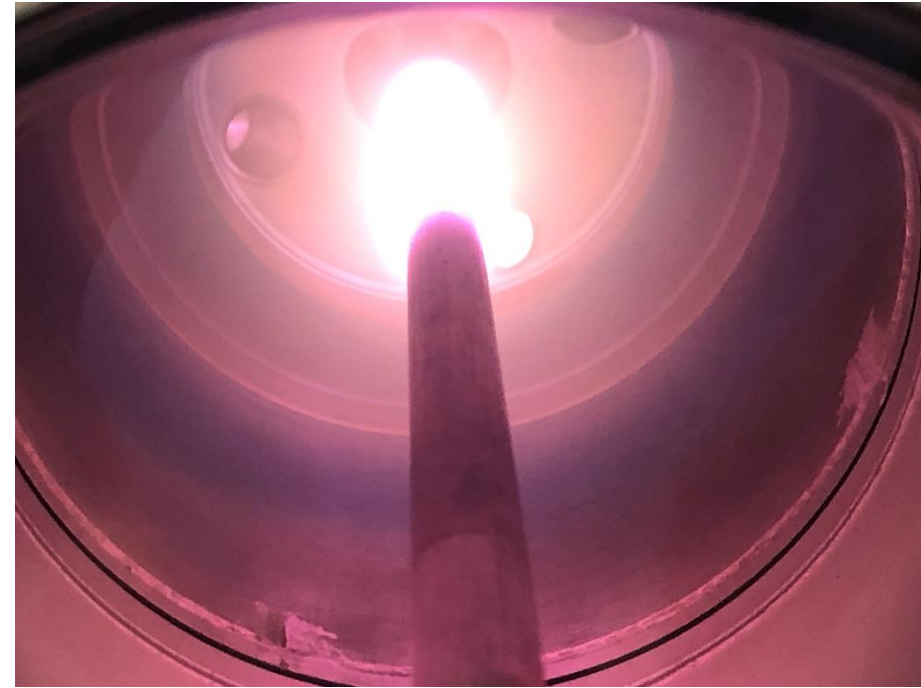
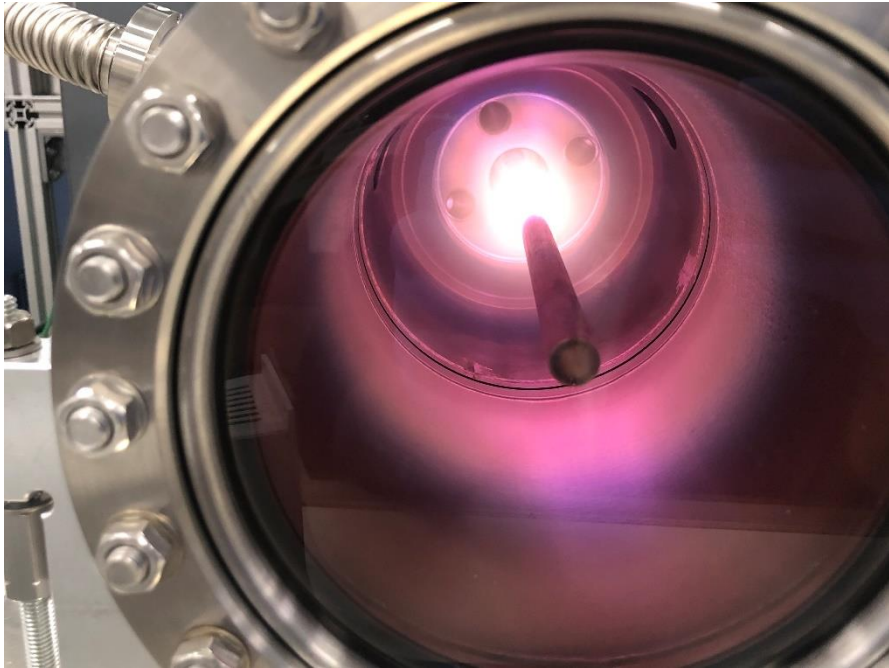
Lancaster University / STFC split cavity design

Deposition facilities: Hybrid physical chemical vapour deposition (HPCVD)



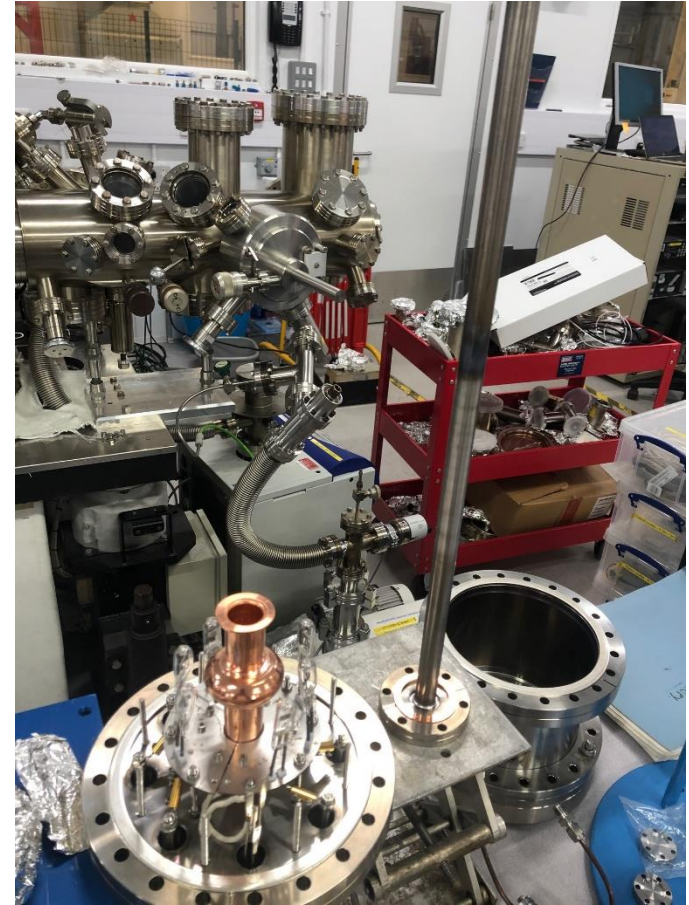
- Single or twisted multiple wires with outer magnetic field.

Permanent Magnet Cylindrical Magnetrons



- Two niobium cylindrical magnetrons with water cooled internal permanent magnet are manufactured (19 mm and 13 mm OD) which were tested and ready to be implemented.

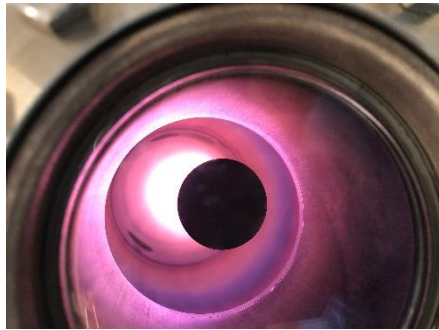
6 GHz cavity mount for deoposition



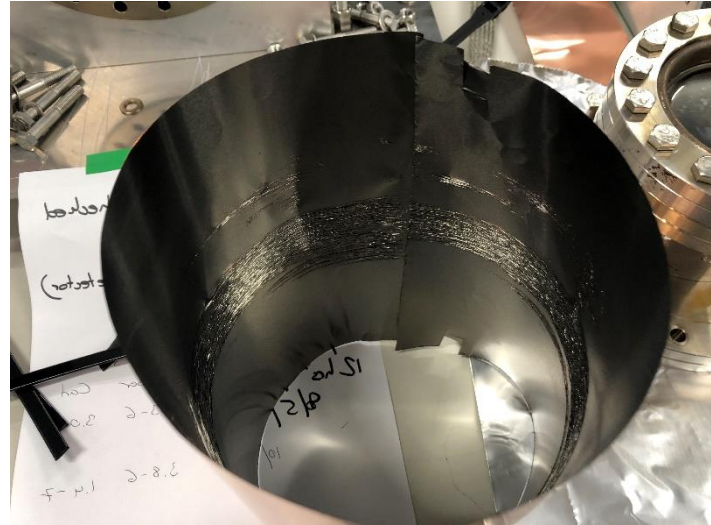
Open 6 GHz Cavity assembly with Magnetron



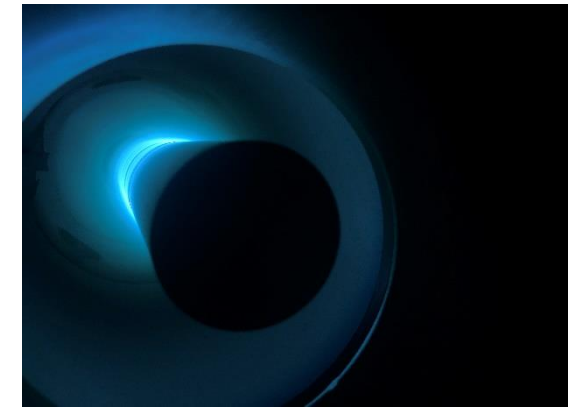
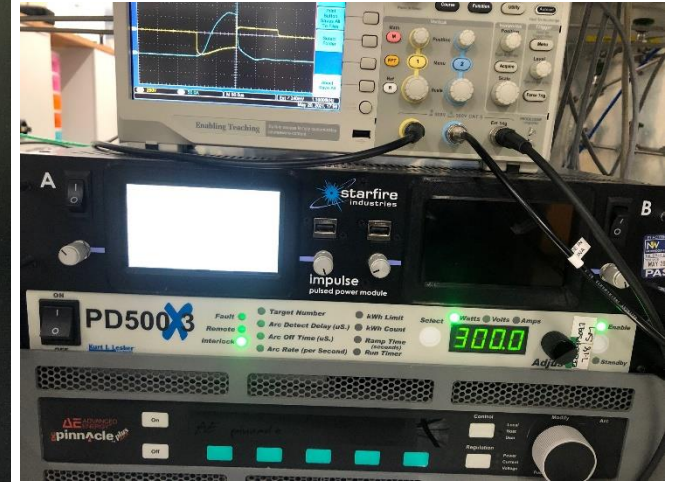
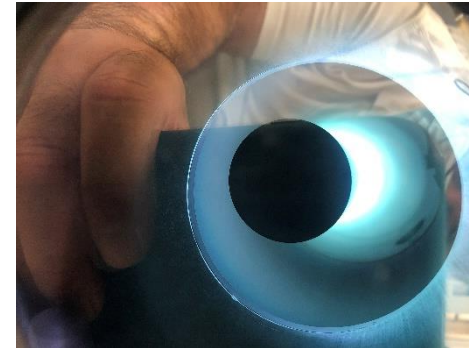
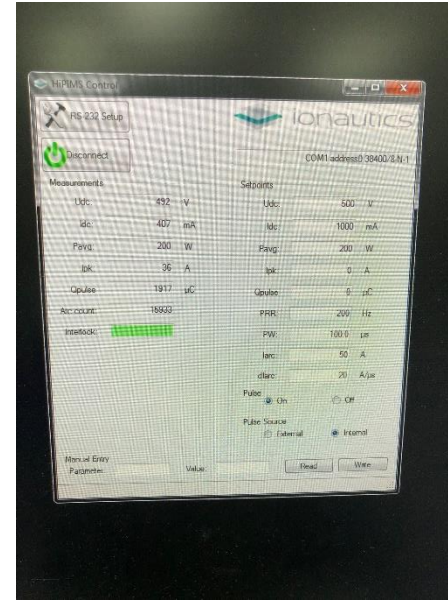
Large cylindrical Magnetron



DC and pulse DC sputtering



Film deposited along the length of active magnetron area. Some condition the centre delaminated



Various HIPIMS supplies with + kick and no bias

Planar Samples & QPR deposition

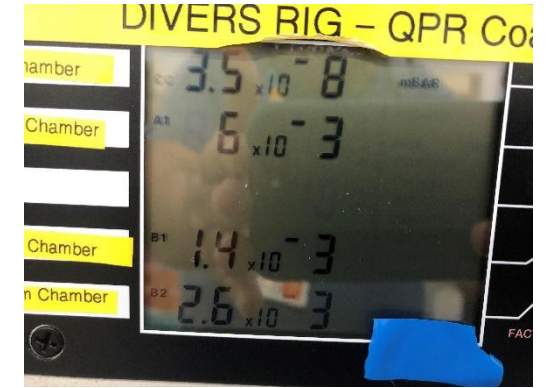
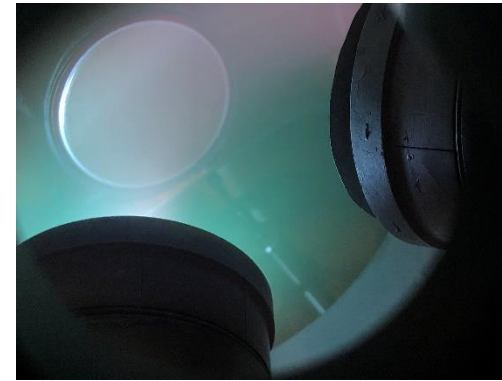
Task 9.3 part Two

- Aim: optimise deposition parameters for other high T_c superconductor and provide sample for other partners for SRF evaluation of the SRF thin Films

QPR Deposition Nb/AlN/NbN

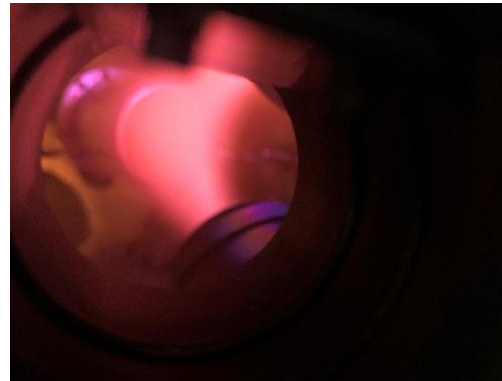
Nb Layer:

Power: 400W Pulsed DC
Current: 1.54 A Voltage: 260 V
F: 350 KHz and DT: 1.1 μ s
Time: 5.5 hours
Thickness: 4 μ m
Gas: Kr Pressure: 2×10^{-3} mbar



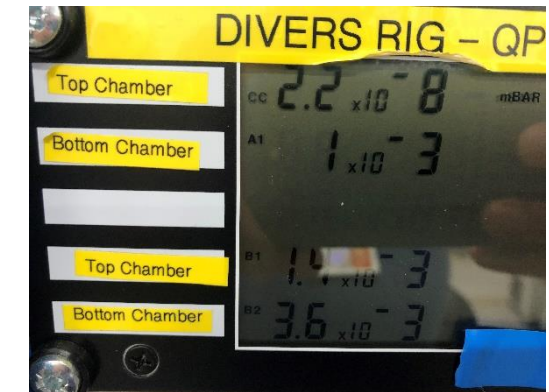
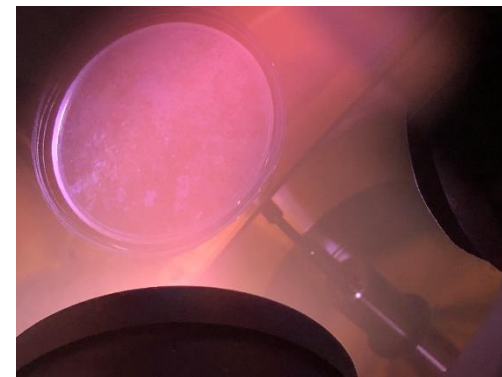
AlN Layer

Power: 200 W Pulsed DC
Current: 0.56 A Voltage: 357 V
F: 350 KHz and DT: 1.1 μ s
Time: 1.5 min
Thickness: 3nm
Gas: Kr/N2 Pressure: 3.6×10^{-3} mbar

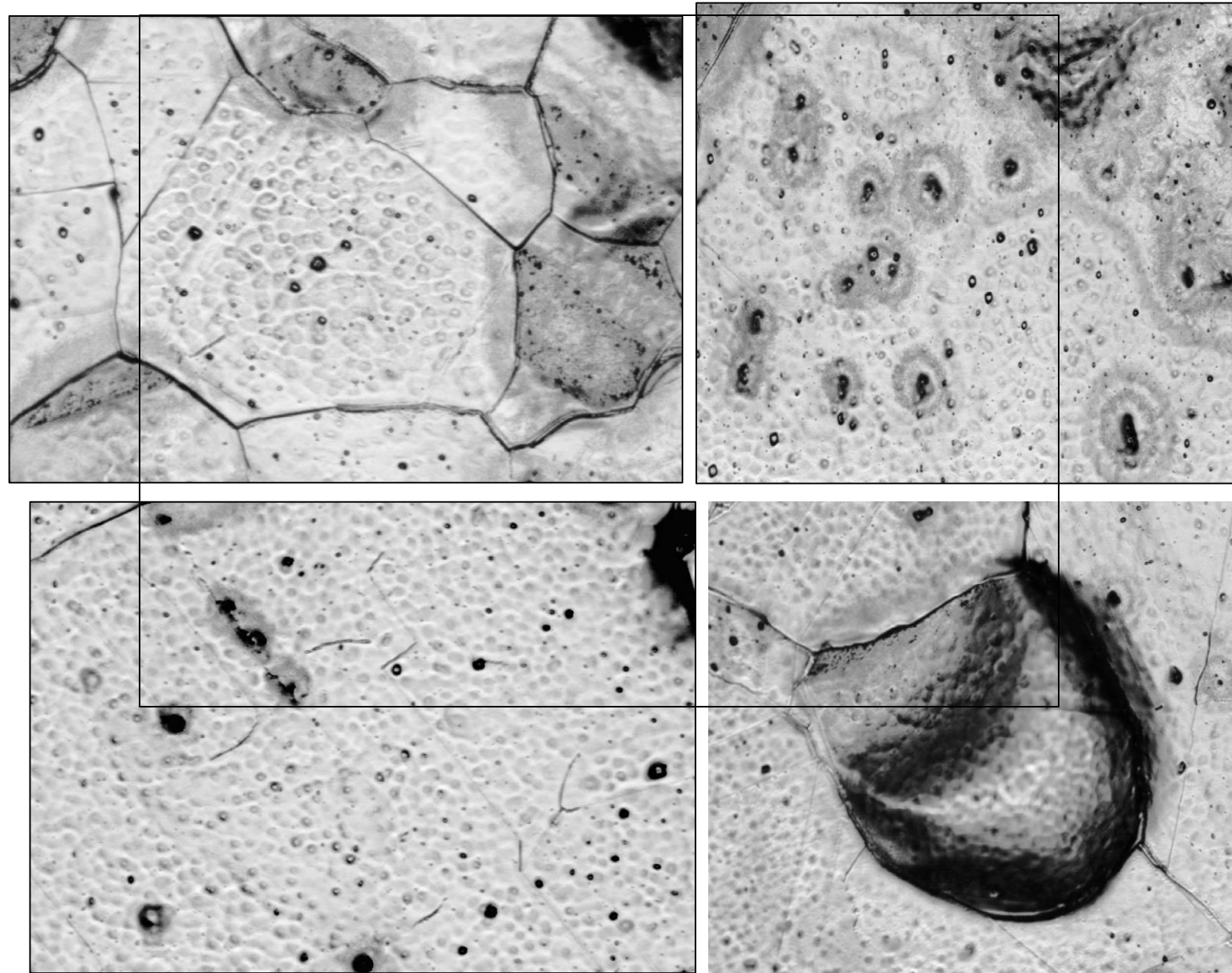


NbN deposition:

Power: 300W Pulsed DC
Current: 0.67 A Voltage: 449 V
F: 350 KHz and DT: 1.1 μ s
Time: 40 min
Thickness: 180 to 200 nm
Gas: Kr/N2 Pressure: 3.6×10^{-3} mbar



QPR after deposition



Diamond turned Cu Nb/AlN/NbN

Nb Layer:

Power: 400W Pulsed DC

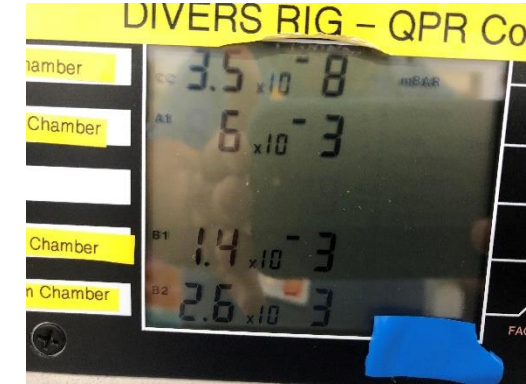
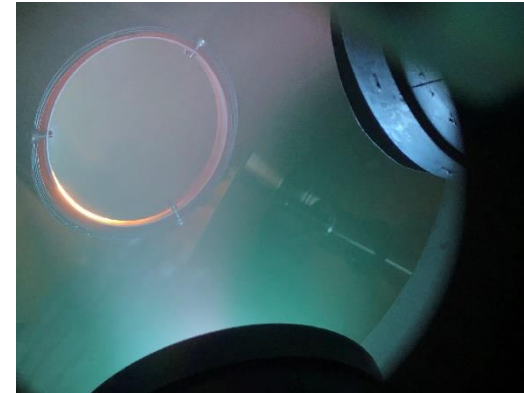
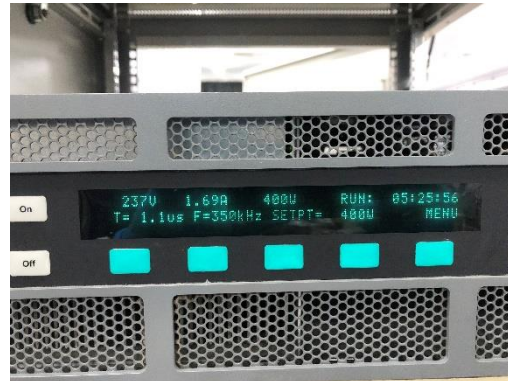
Current: 1.69 A Voltage: 237 V

F: 350 KHz and DT: 1.1 μ s

Time: 5.5 hours

Thickness: 4 μ m

Gas: Kr Pressure: 2.6×10^{-3} mbar



AlN Layer

Power: 200 W Pulsed DC

Current: 0.56 A Voltage: 357 V

F: 350 KHz and DT: 1.1 μ s

Time: 1.5 min

Thickness: 3nm

Gas: Kr/N2 Pressure: 4.3×10^{-3} mbar



NbN deposition:

Power: 300W Pulsed DC

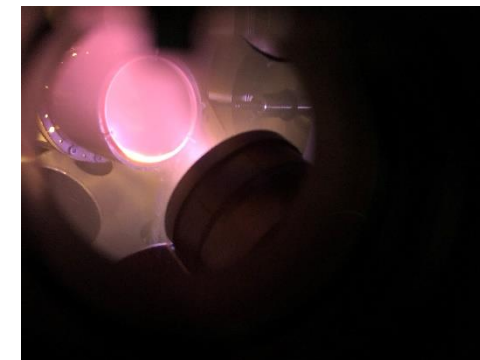
Current: 0.77 A Voltage: 392 V

F: 350 KHz and DT: 1.1 μ s

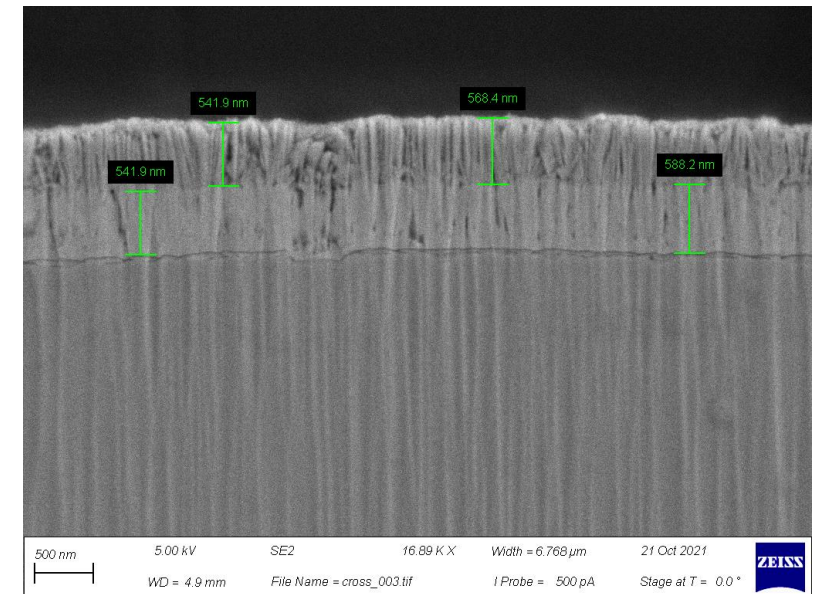
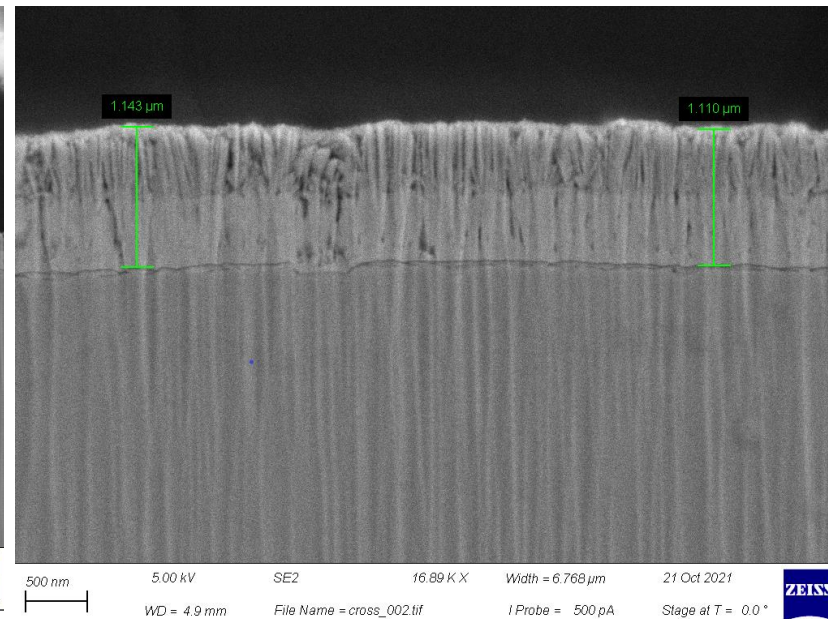
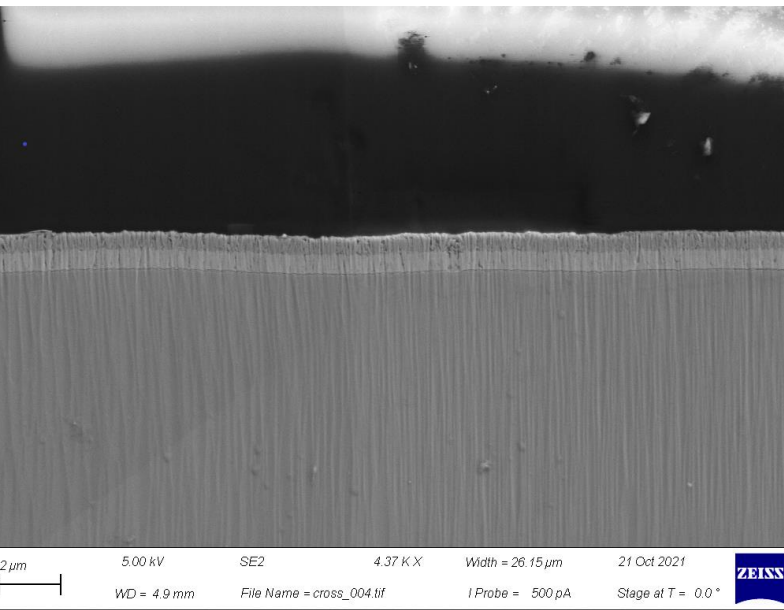
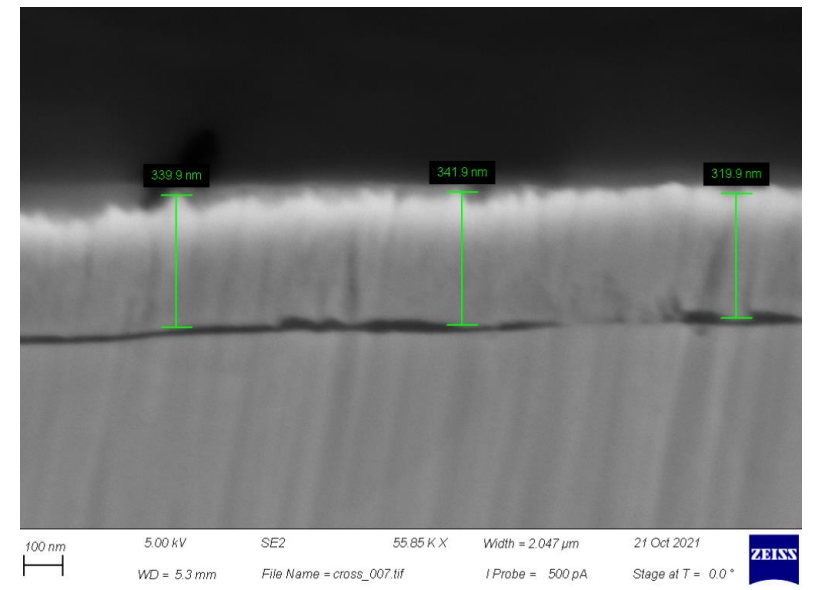
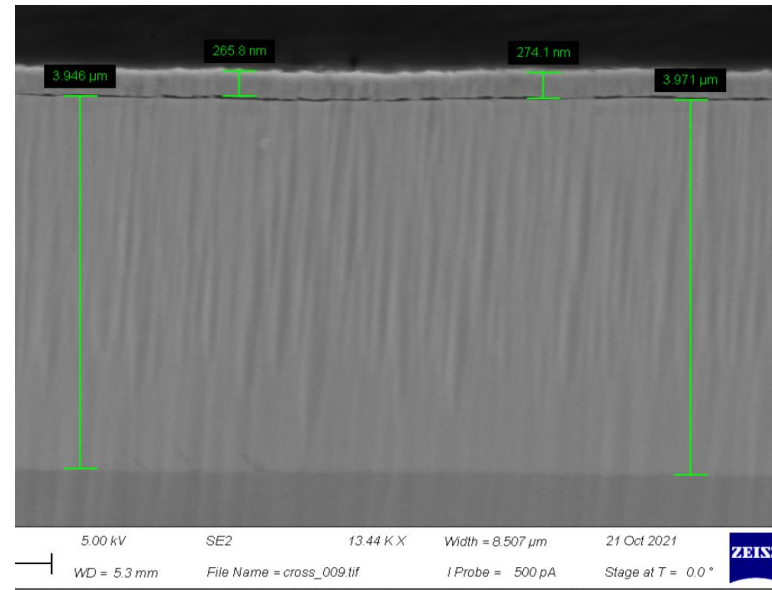
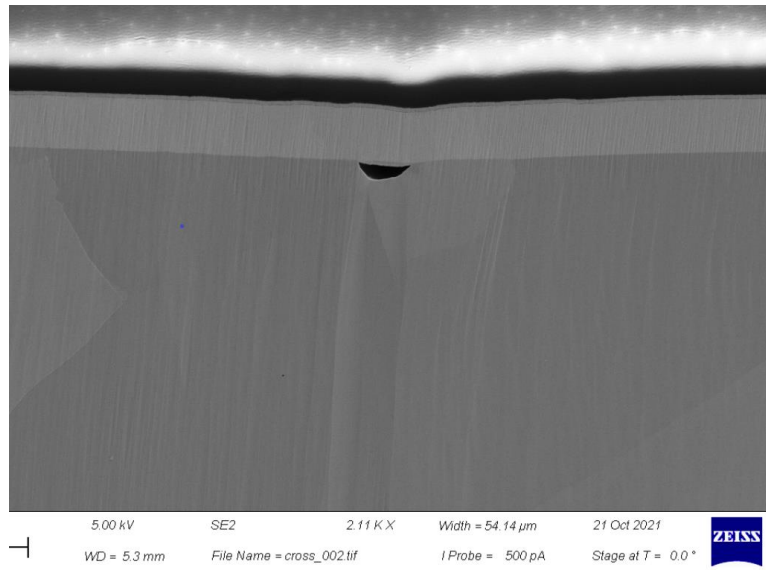
Time: 1h 20 min

Thickness: 180 to 200 nm

Gas: Kr/N2 Pressure: 4.3×10^{-3} mbar

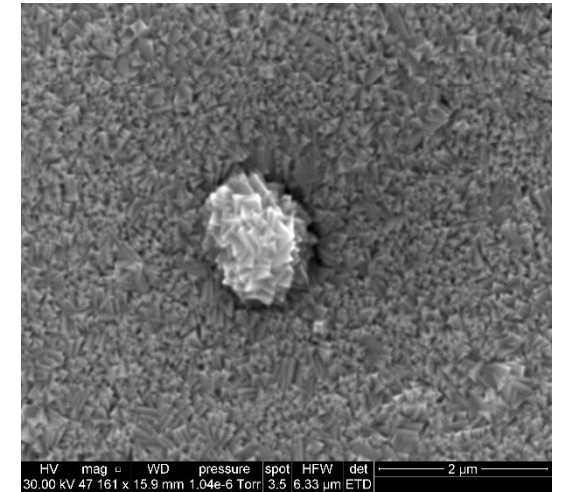


Cross section SEM of triple and double Layer NBN

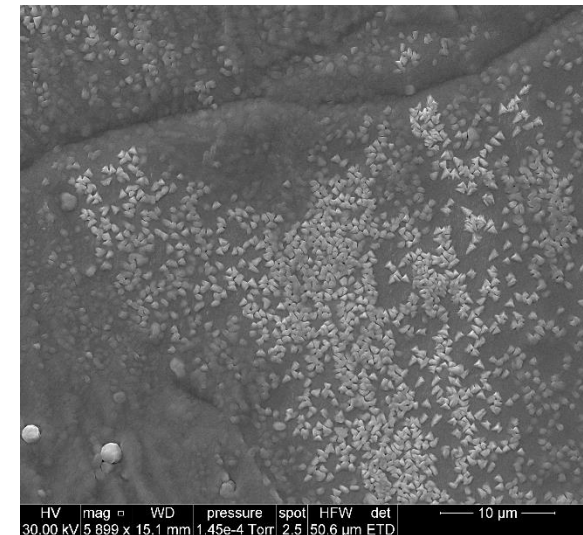


SEM and EDS

Addition of SEM with EDS analysis to increase our efficiency

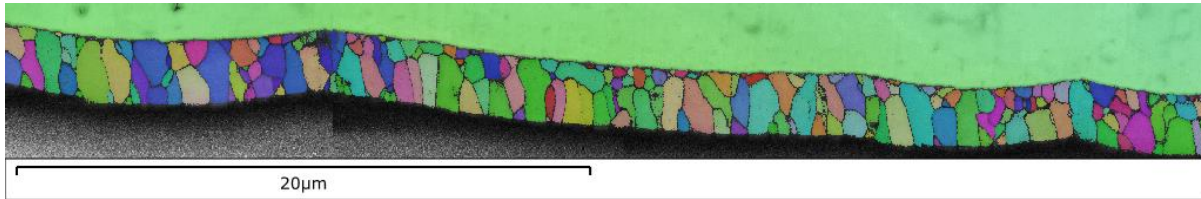
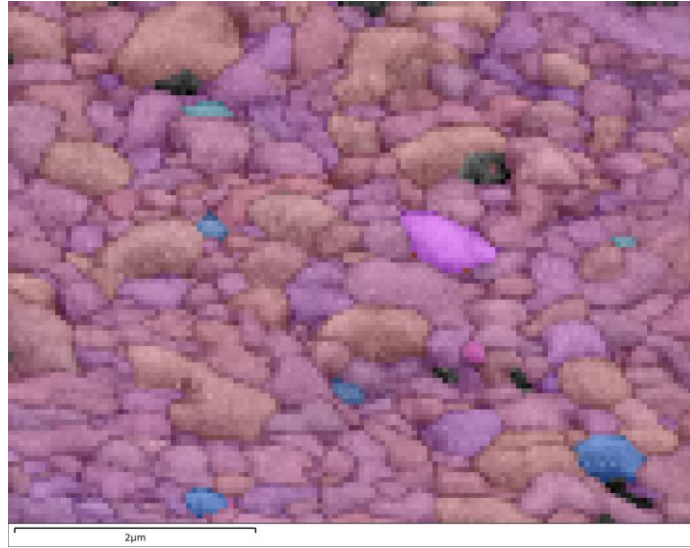
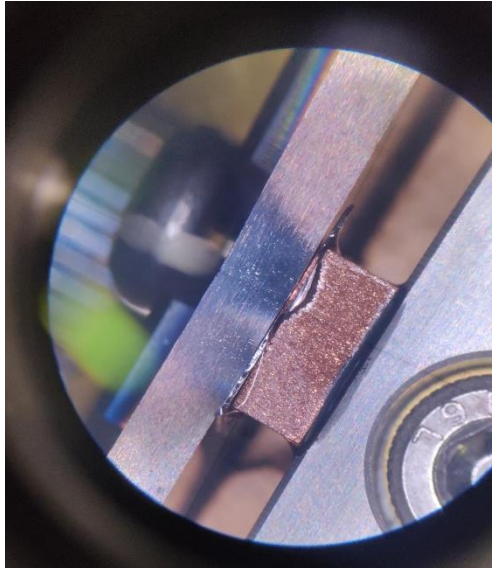


HIPIMS Multilayer Nb/NbN



HIPIMS Nb

Ion Beam Miller for X-section SEM and EBSD



Nb/AlN/NbTiN where the copper has been annealed at 650 C the top two layer is too thin to be resolved by EBSD.
EBSD is done at University of Liverpool



Examples: Multi-layers

Detailed EBSD of Nb section

