

# CrYogenic Brightness-Optimized Radiofrequency Gun (CYBORG) Test Bed

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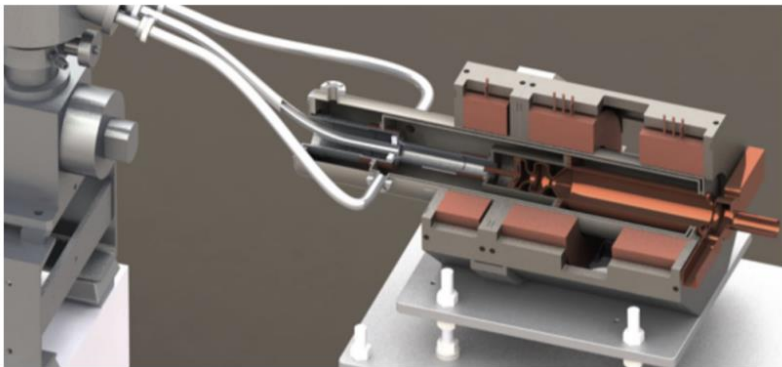
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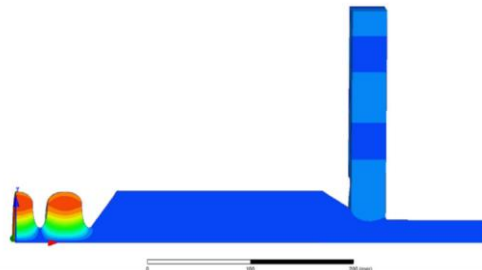
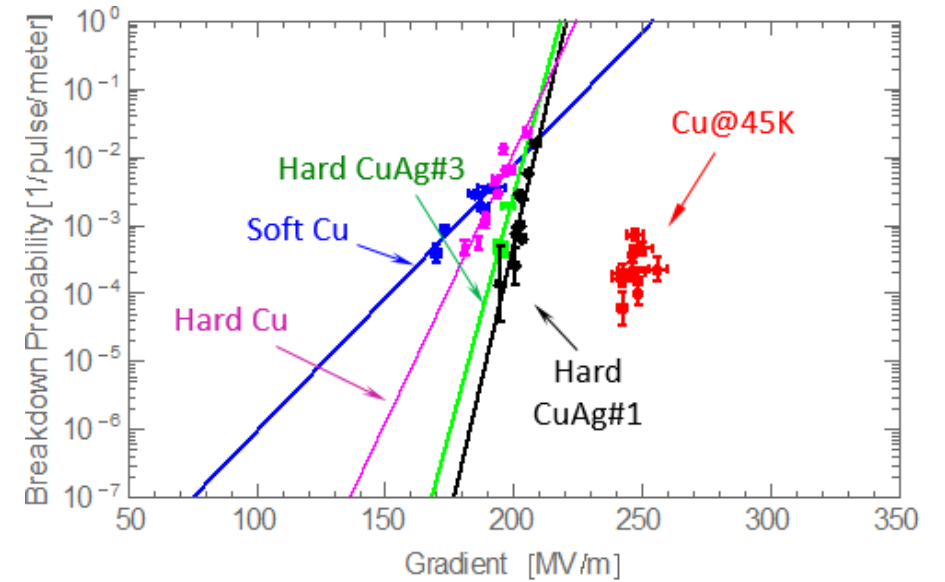
# 1. Background



- Significant focus photoinjector; wakefield; fundamental high field physics
- TopGun previous development in Sband
- Based on normal conducting cryogenic gradient improvements which we can



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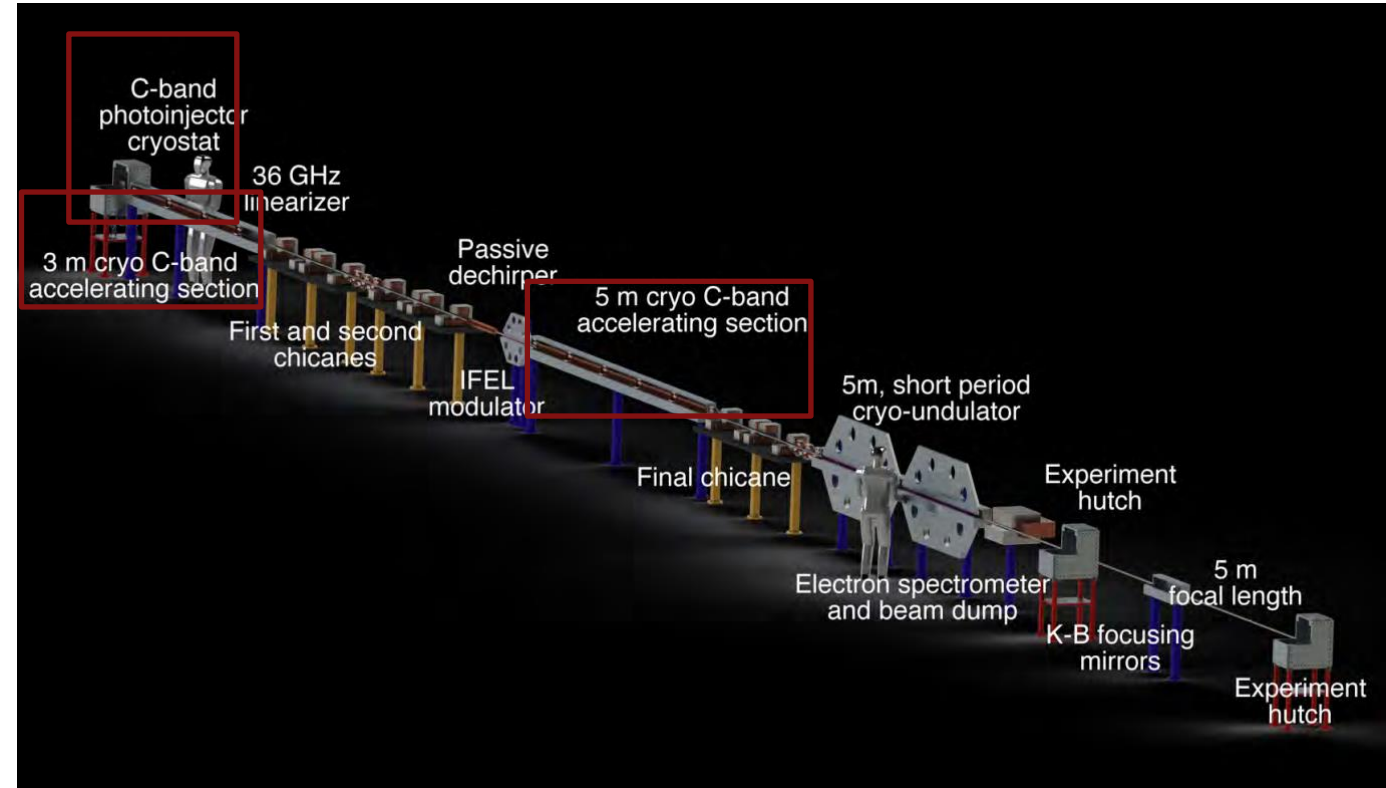
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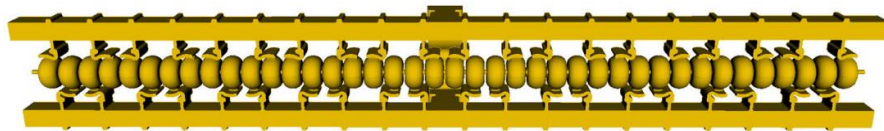
# 1. Motivational Cases



- Ultra-compact xray free electron laser (UCXFEL) concept dependent on cryo-enabled high gradients and distributed coupling RF design
  - Reduction of detrimental breakdown
- Photoinjector and associated brightness improvements most relevant but linac sections also implications for longer machines
  - Cool Copper Collider (C<sup>3</sup>) (below)
- Cathodes studies of interest for NSF CBB



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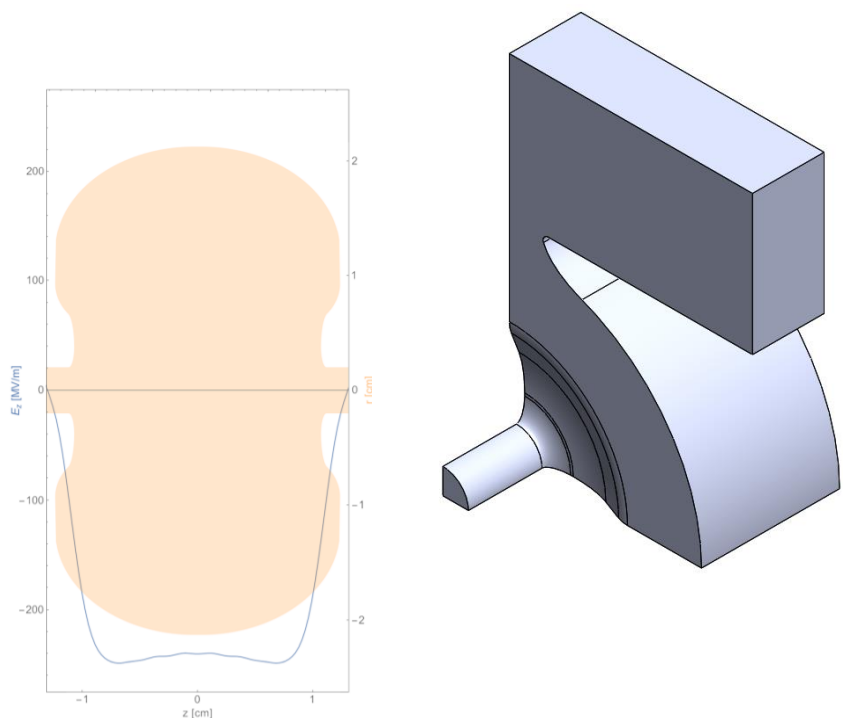




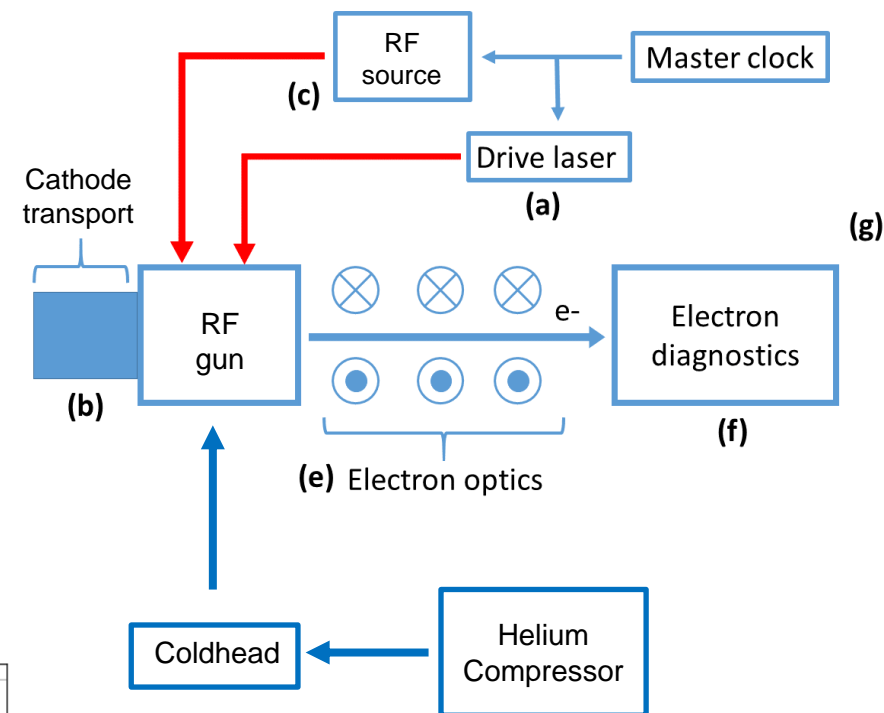
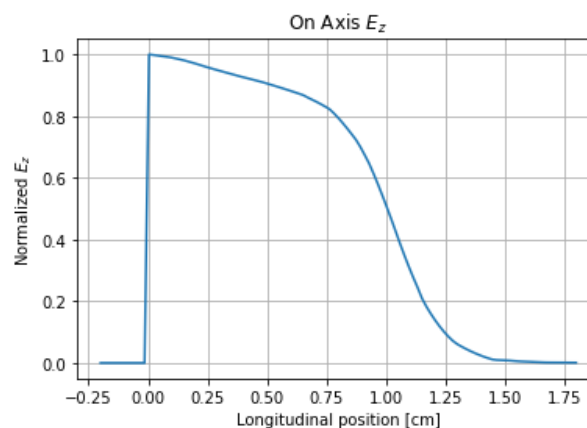
# 1. Additional CYBORG Functions



- Cavity fabrication & structure test
- Infrastructure development



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## 2. Metallic photoemission



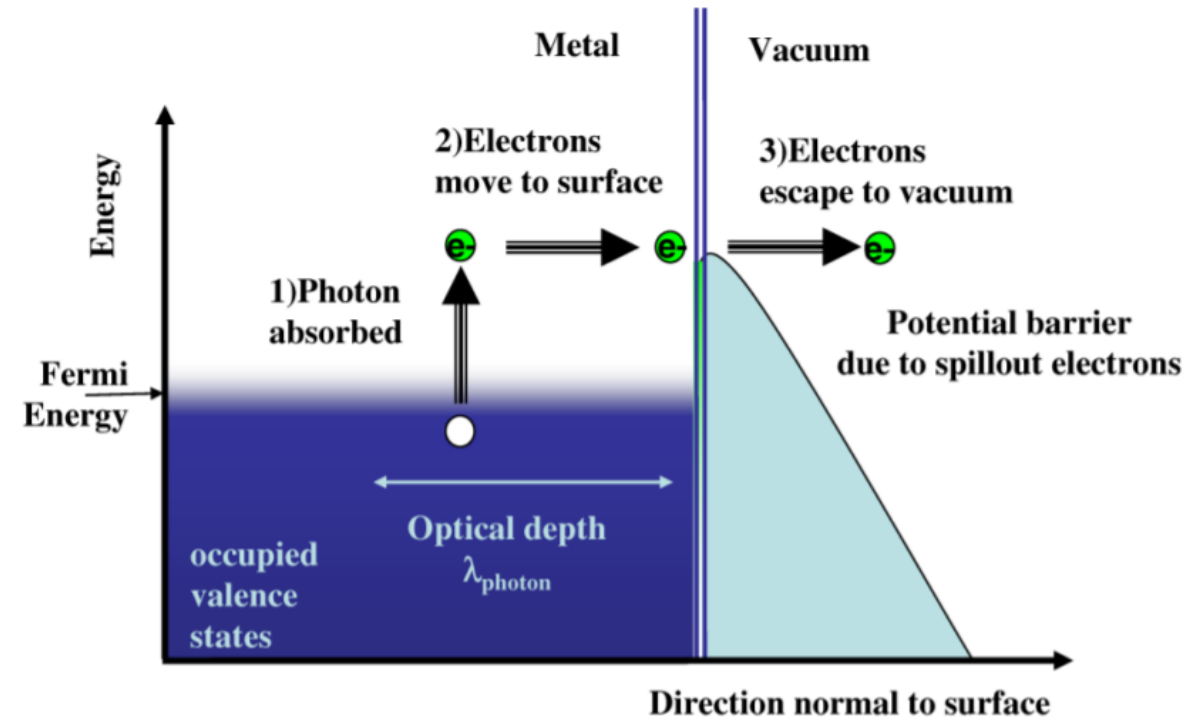
- Emission properties of photocathodes change @ cryogenic temperatures (<93K)
- Where  $h\nu \gg \phi_{\text{eff}}$  scaling as below

$$k_b T_c = (h\nu - \phi_{\text{eff}})/3$$
$$QE = N_{e^-}/N_\gamma \propto (h\nu - \phi_{\text{eff}})^2$$

- Cu photocathodes emission temp ranges from ~100 meV to 1 eV depending on wavelength
- 1D brightness scaling (below)
- From UXFEL NJP, note 6D brightness importance

$$B_{e,b} \approx \frac{2ec\epsilon_0}{k_B T_c} (E_0 \sin \phi_0)^2$$

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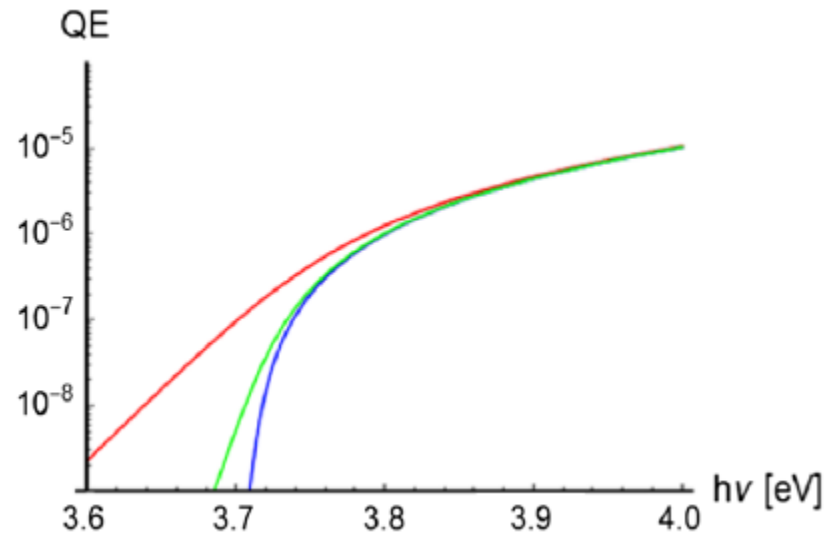
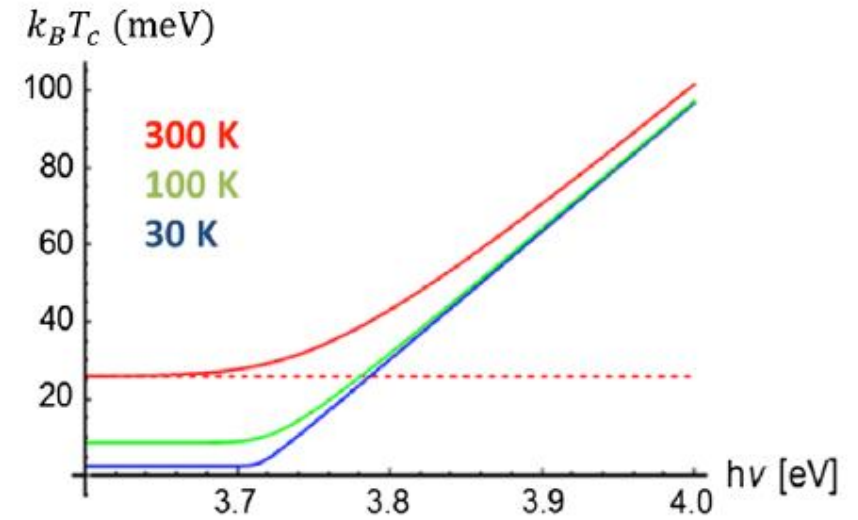




## 2. Cryogenic metallic photoemission



- Near threshold emission from tail of Fermi-Dirac distribution
- Now including full FD distribution with temperature dependence (right)
- $h\nu \rightarrow \phi_{\text{eff}}$ , photoemission temperature approaches physical cathode temperature,  $k_B T_c \rightarrow 26 \text{ meV}$  at 300 K
- Very low QE

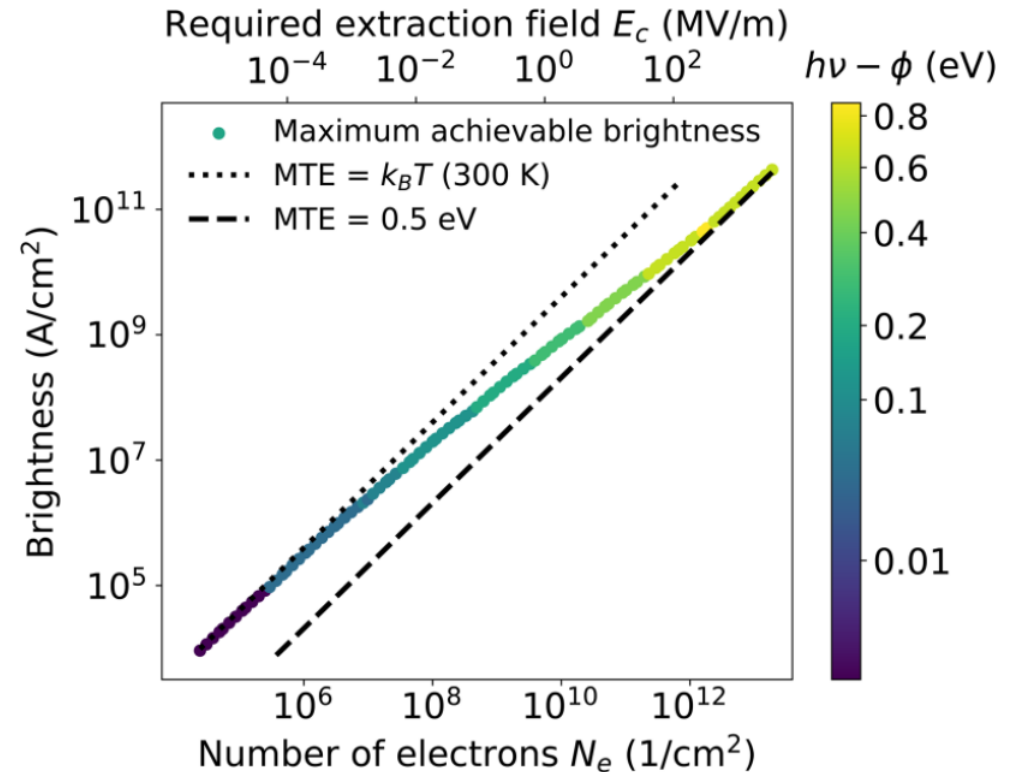




## 2. Cryogenic metallic cathode issues



- Easiest if Cu satisfies all cathode requirements
- 100 pC from 75  $\mu\text{m}$  rms spot size at 250 MV/m accelerating field, 38 nm-rad intrinsic emittance  $\rightarrow$  130 meV MTE,  $\sim 10^{12}$  e $^-$ /cm $^2$
- Extremely challenging due to non-linear emission
- 50 fs pulse – could be better for 5 ps pulse
- Need to characterize cathodes in these extreme condition



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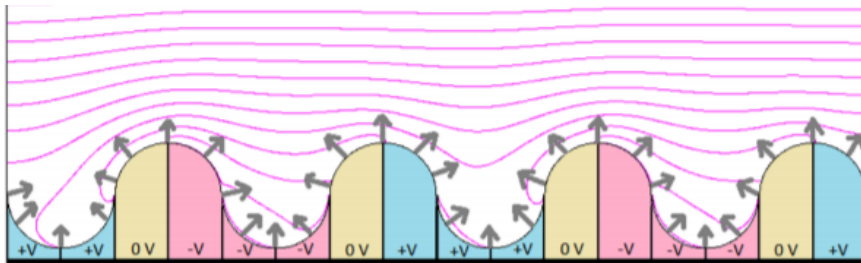




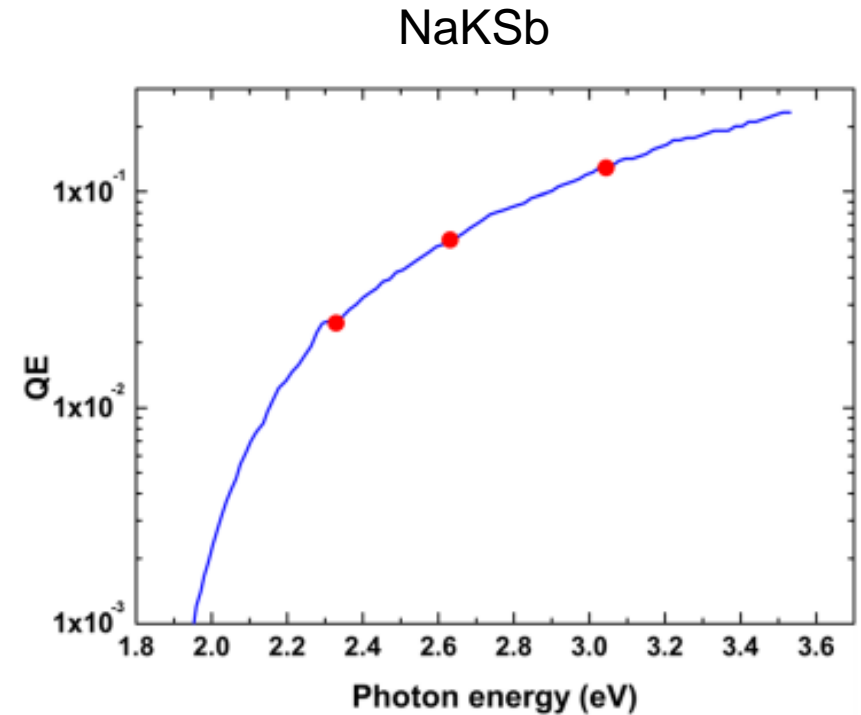
## 2. Cryogenic semiconductor cathodes



- High QE photocathode, many orders of magnitude higher than Cu, promising
- Alkali antimonides, Cs<sub>2</sub>Te
  - Field emission could be an issue due to lower work functions/roughness.
- Cs/GaN or n-doped polar GaN
  - High QE in UV, high work function
  - Could result in very low MTE
  - never been tested in photoinjectors
  - Potential vacuum concerns
- Reduction of MTE at cryogenic temps observed



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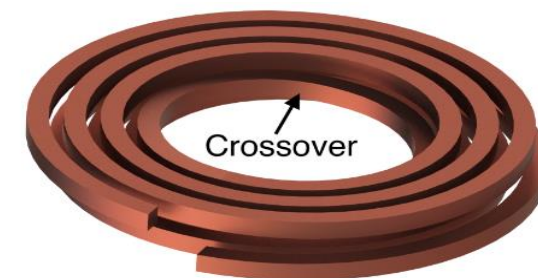
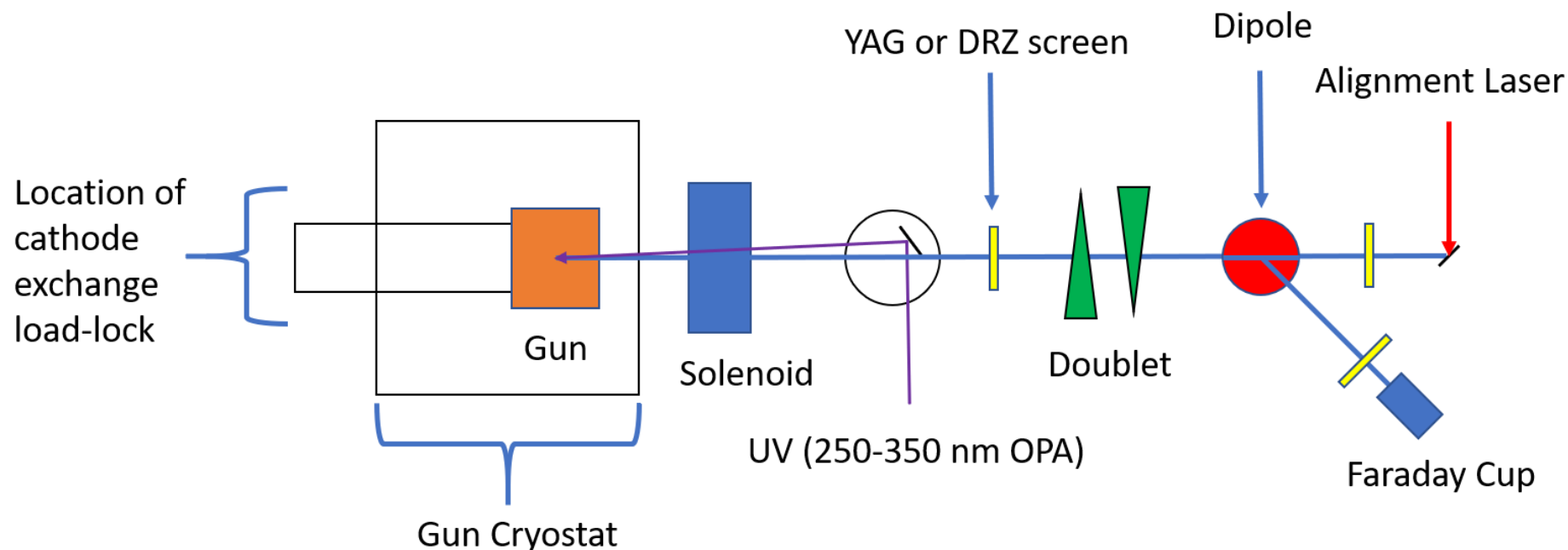
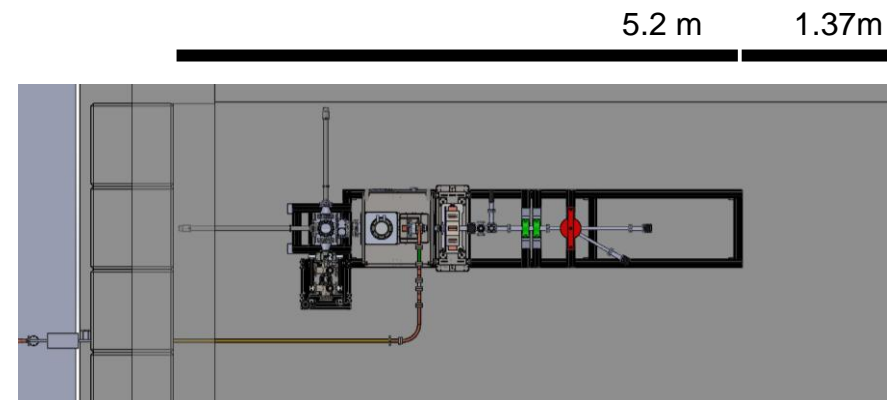
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# 3. CYBORG w/ diagnostics



- Simplified phase 1 of cryogenic test bed design
- Measurements of QE for cryogenic copper



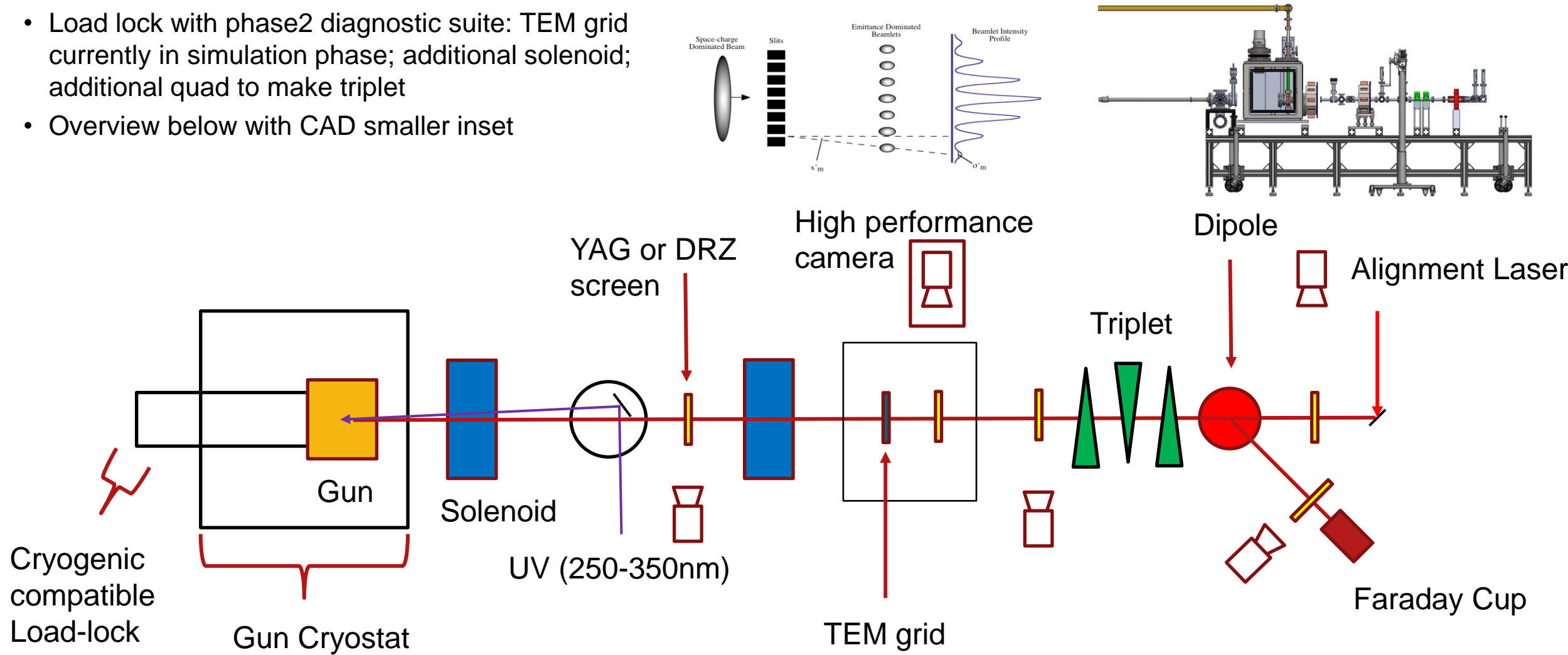
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# 3. Cathode Diagnostic Beamline



- Load lock with phase2 diagnostic suite: TEM grid currently in simulation phase; additional solenoid; additional quad to make triplet
- Overview below with CAD smaller inset



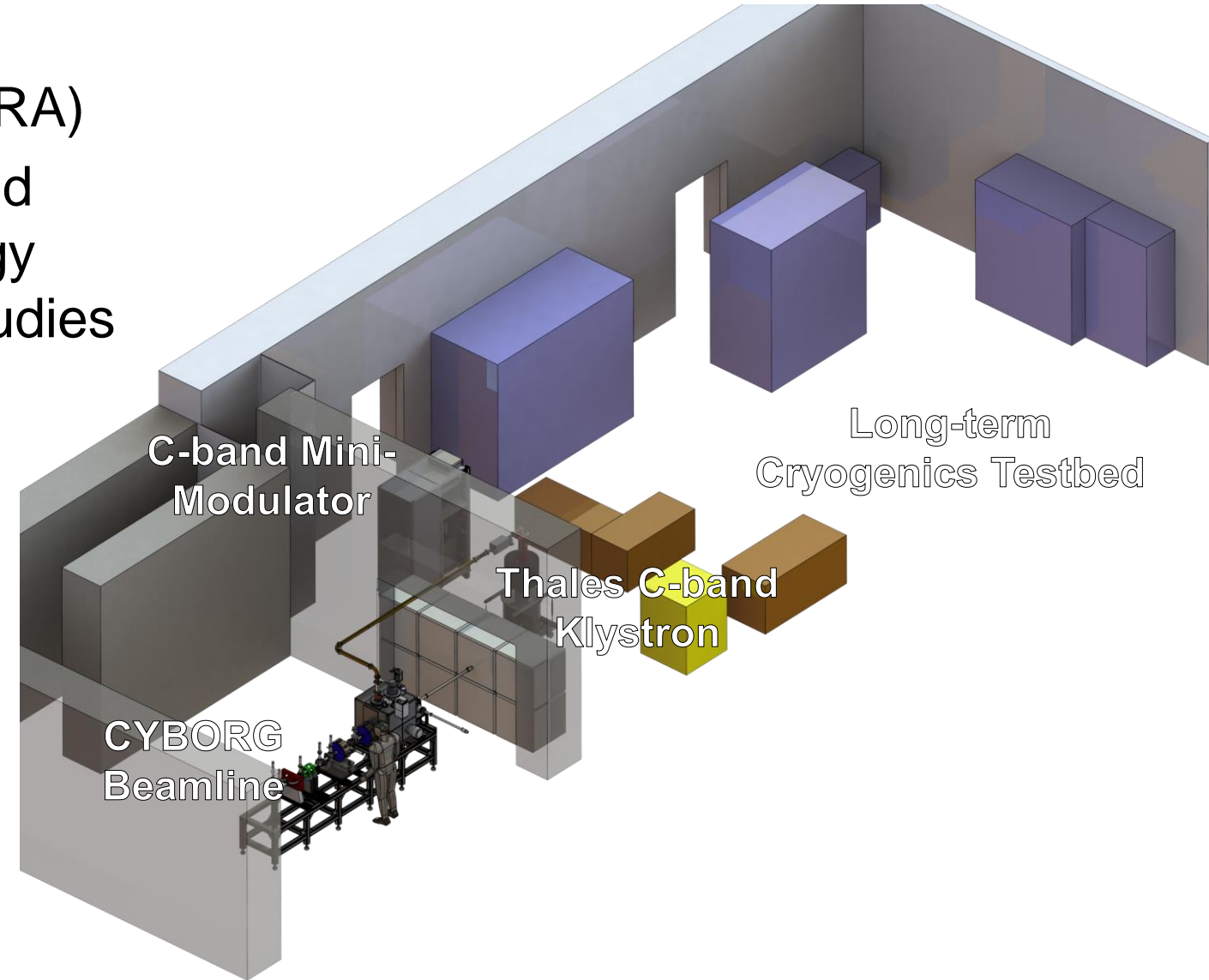
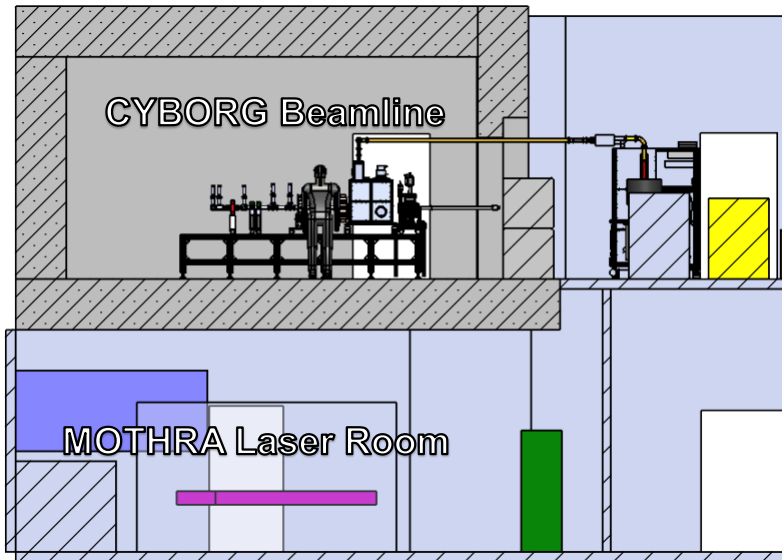
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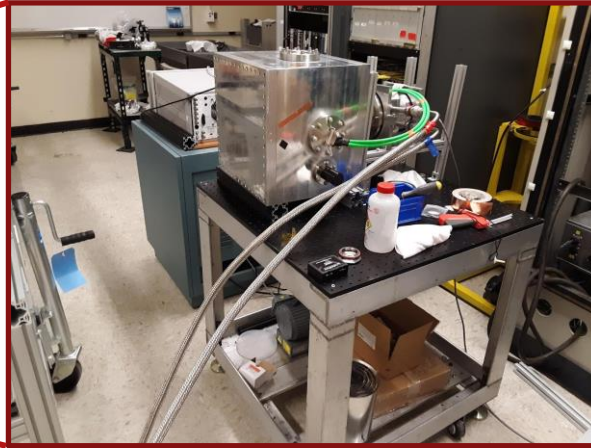
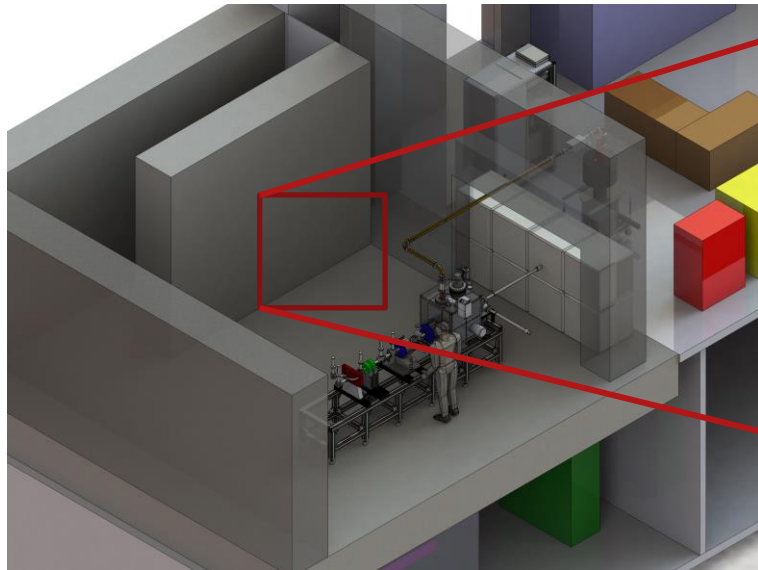


- Multi-Option Testing of High-field Radiofrequency Accelerators (MOTHRA)
- Suitable for cryogenics testing; C-band infrastructure development; low energy (single MeV) beamline for cathode studies



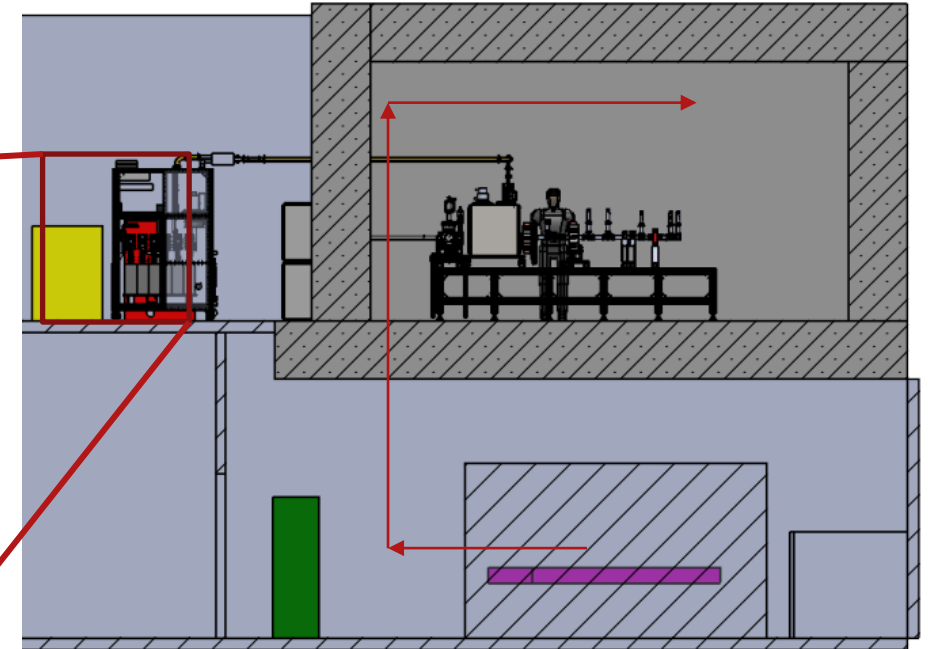
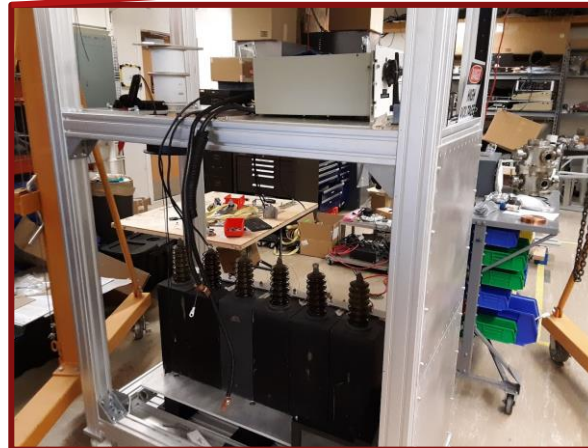


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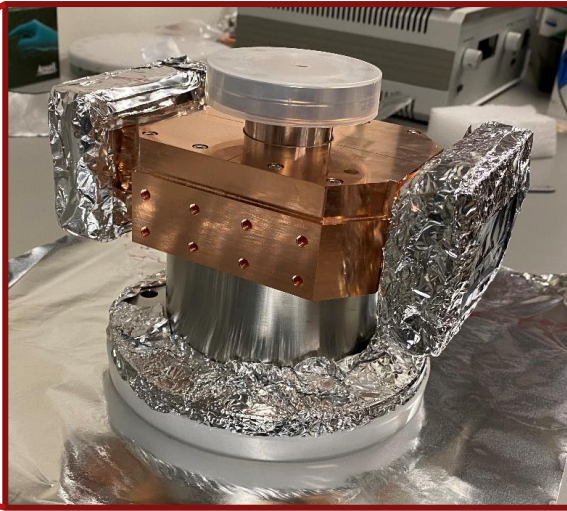
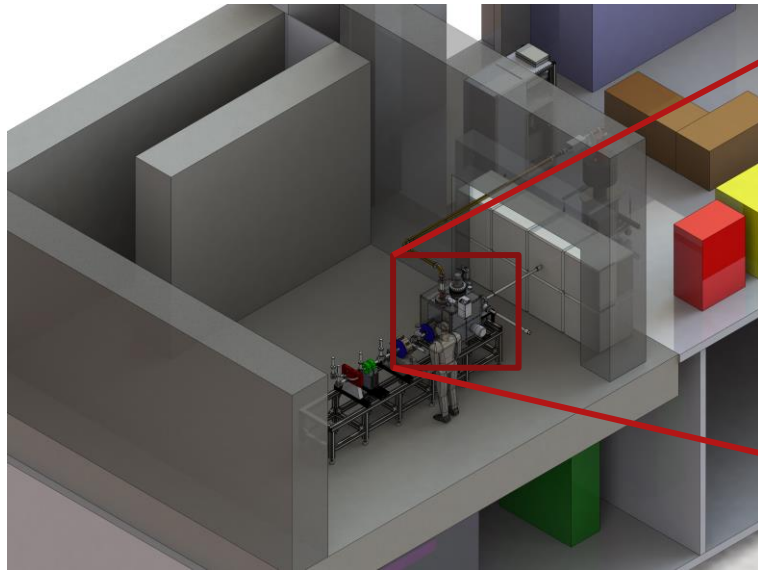
- Cryogenic cooling system development setup (cryostat v1, left)
- Conduction cooling setup for cost effectiveness and future miniaturization concerns

- C-band modulator construction (right)

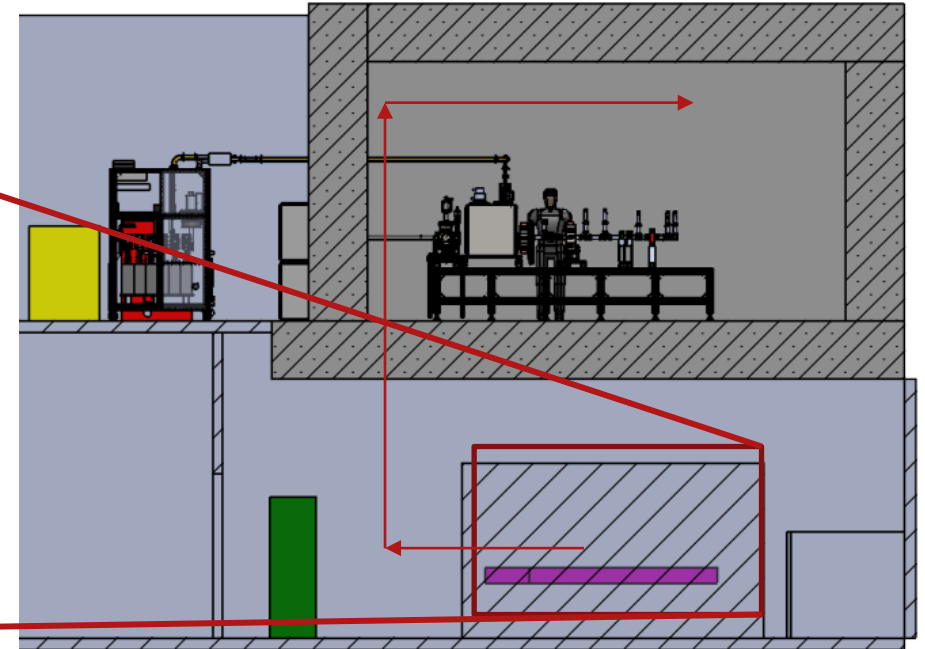




# 3. MOTHRA Lab



- Cryogenic cathode diagnostic test bed
- Using load lock-enabled 1/2 cell high gradient photogun (CYBORG, left)



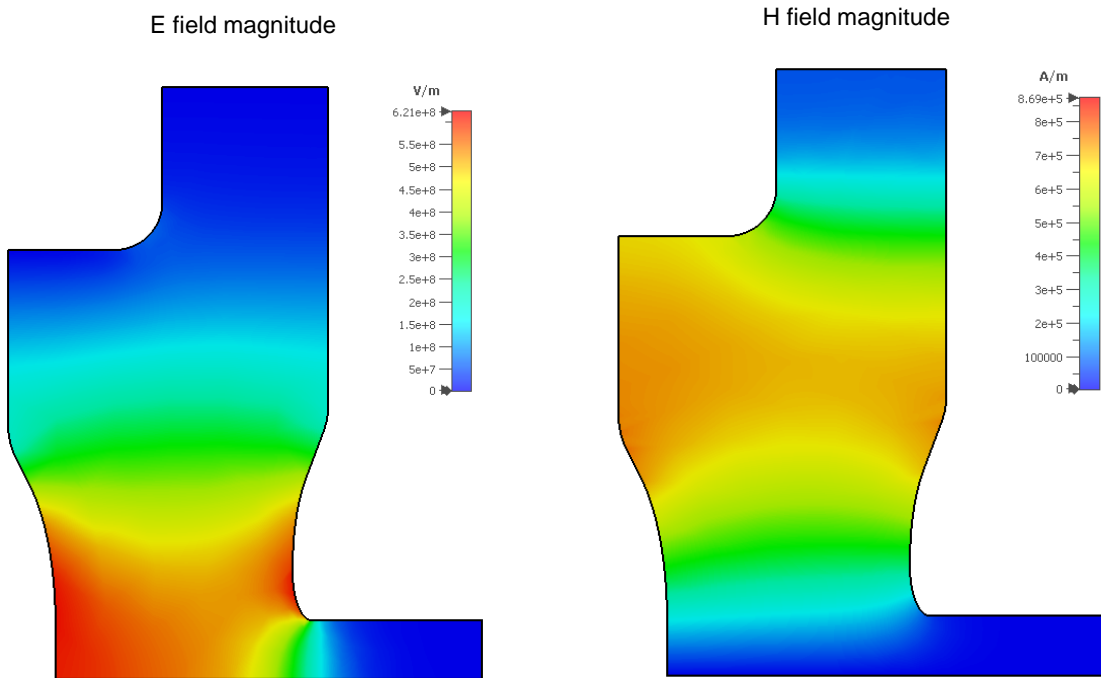
- Clean room for UV production using legacy SLAC GTF setup



# 3. RF Design Parameters



- Reentrant cavity with high shunt impedance
- Peak electric field around cathode surface



Parameter	295K	77K	45K
Launch field	-	120 MV/m	120 MV/m
Frequency	5.695 GHz	5.712 GHz	5.713 GHz
$\beta$	0.7	4	5.3
Q0	8579	23000	38000
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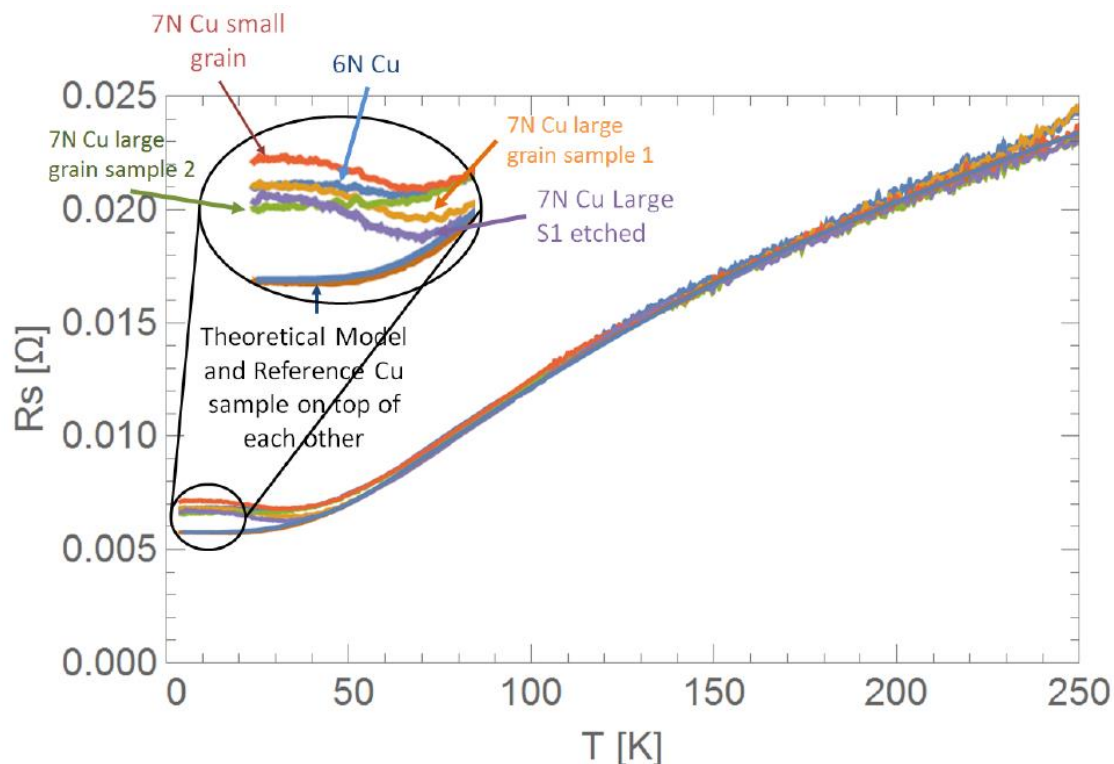
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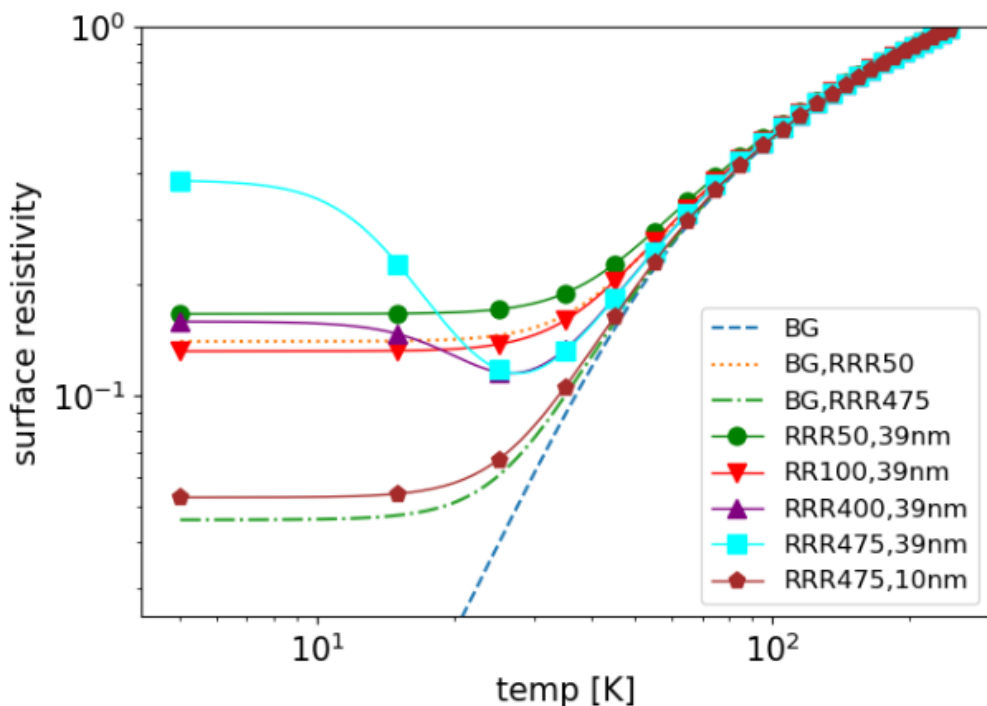




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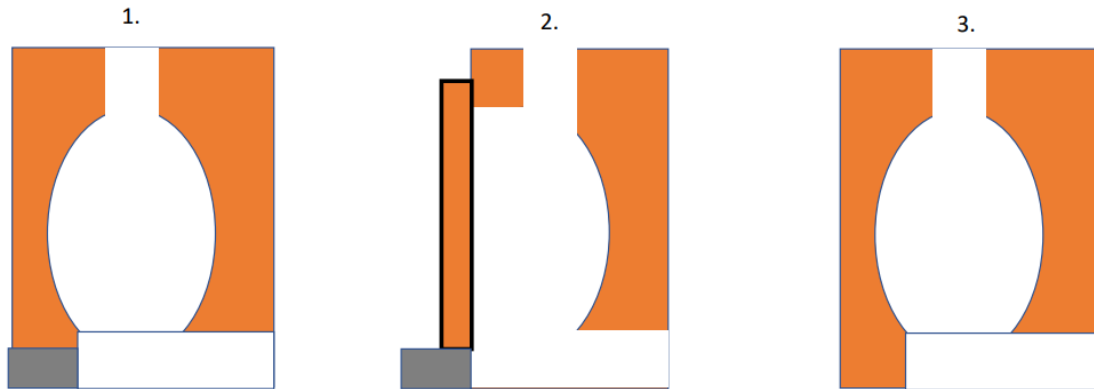
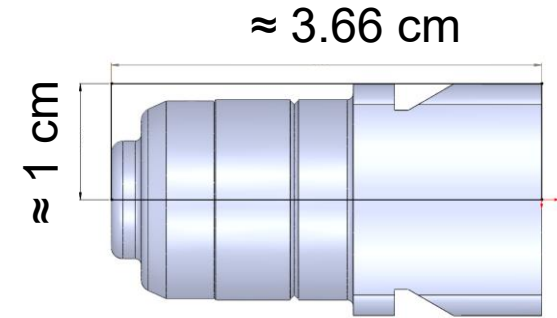
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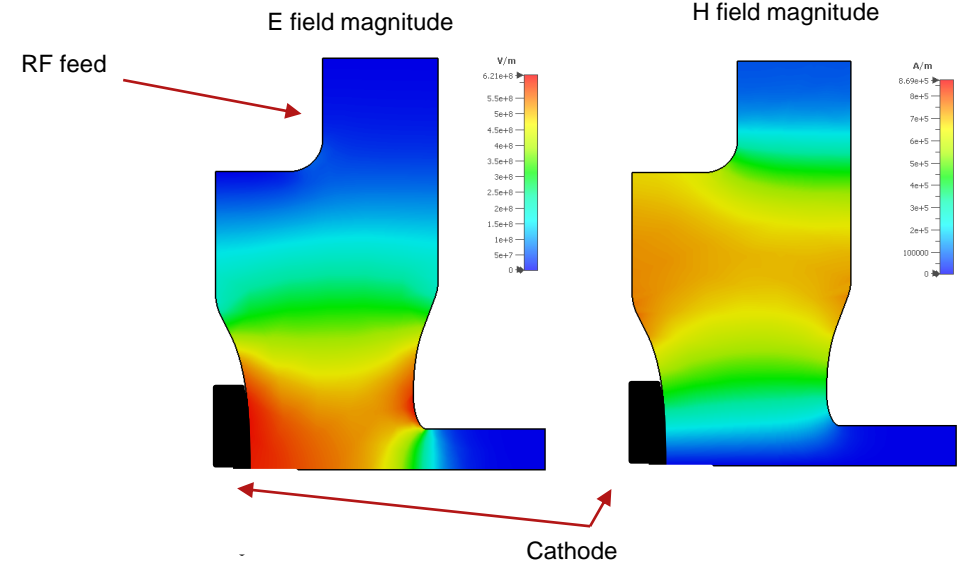
# 3. Cathode Interface



- Forward compatibility needed for INFN style mini puck, etc.
- For phase 1 of test bed, CF flange sealed off w/ blank from back of cavity and test copper cathode



- Plug directly into cavity
- Useful for 1.6 cell to max gradient
- Good for cathode tests
- High gradient (120 MV/m) but lower than plug alone
- No cathode exchange
- Highest achievable gradients

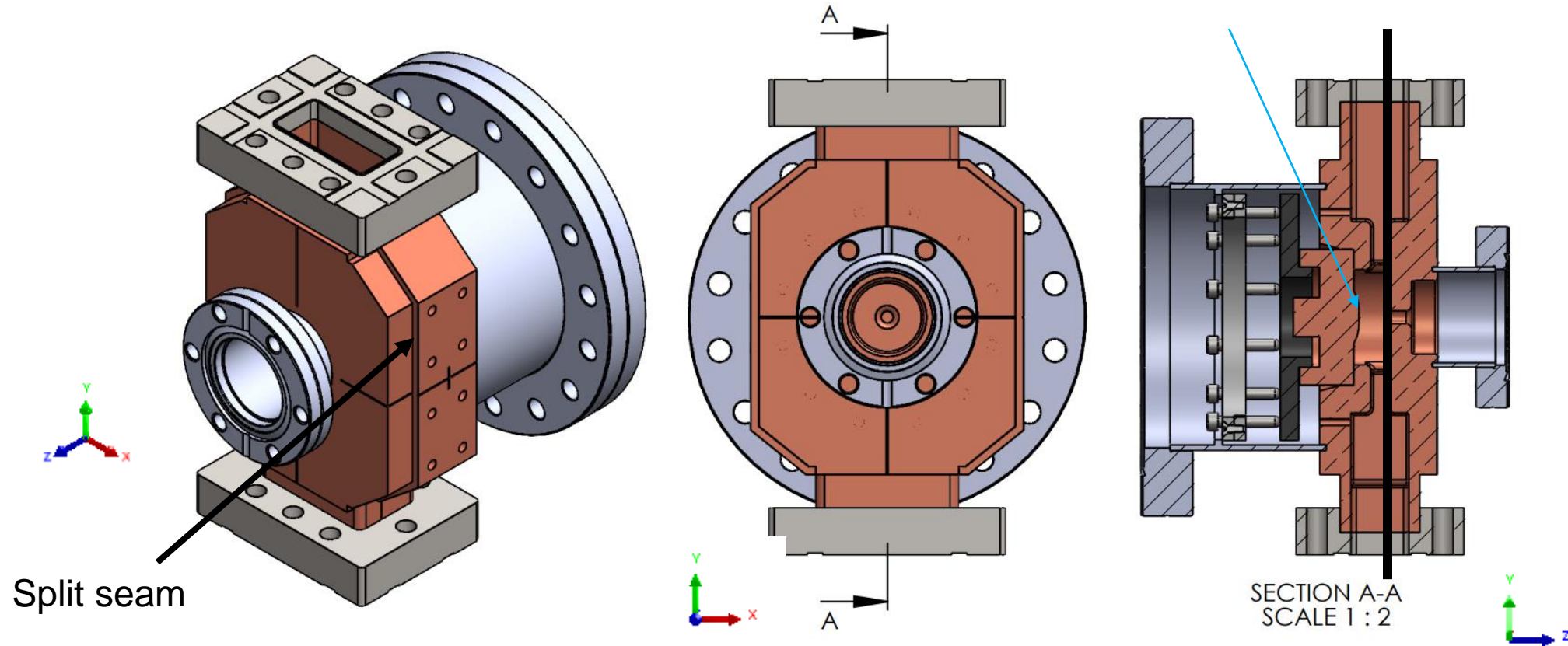




# 4. CAD



- CAD drawings
- Split seam brazing location necessitated by cavity machining tolerance requirements
- External features for alignment

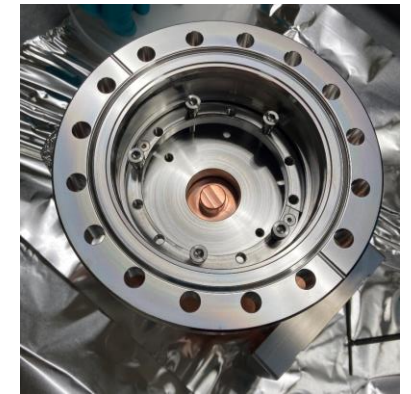
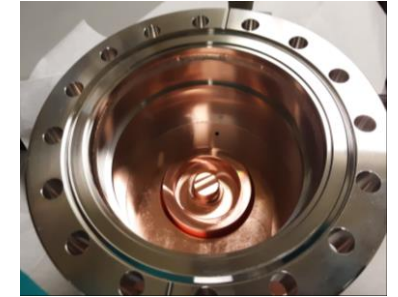
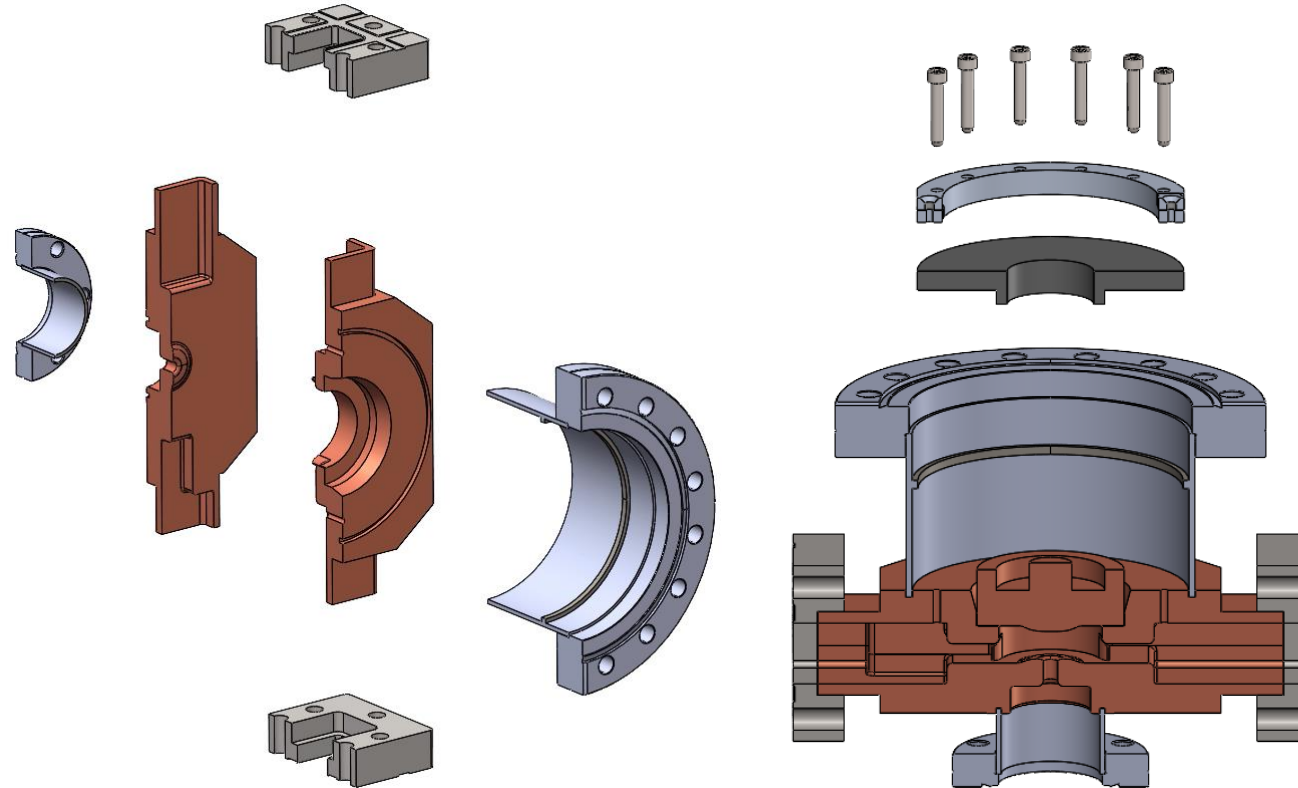




# 4. CAD Photos



- Cathode backplane press fit to begin
- Functional at Elettra lab in Trieste, Italy for FERMI seeded FEL
  - Uses high gradient BNL/SLAC/UCLA 1.6 cell electron gun
- Slow exchange not intended for final cathode testing but allows versatility with respect to cathode load lock integration



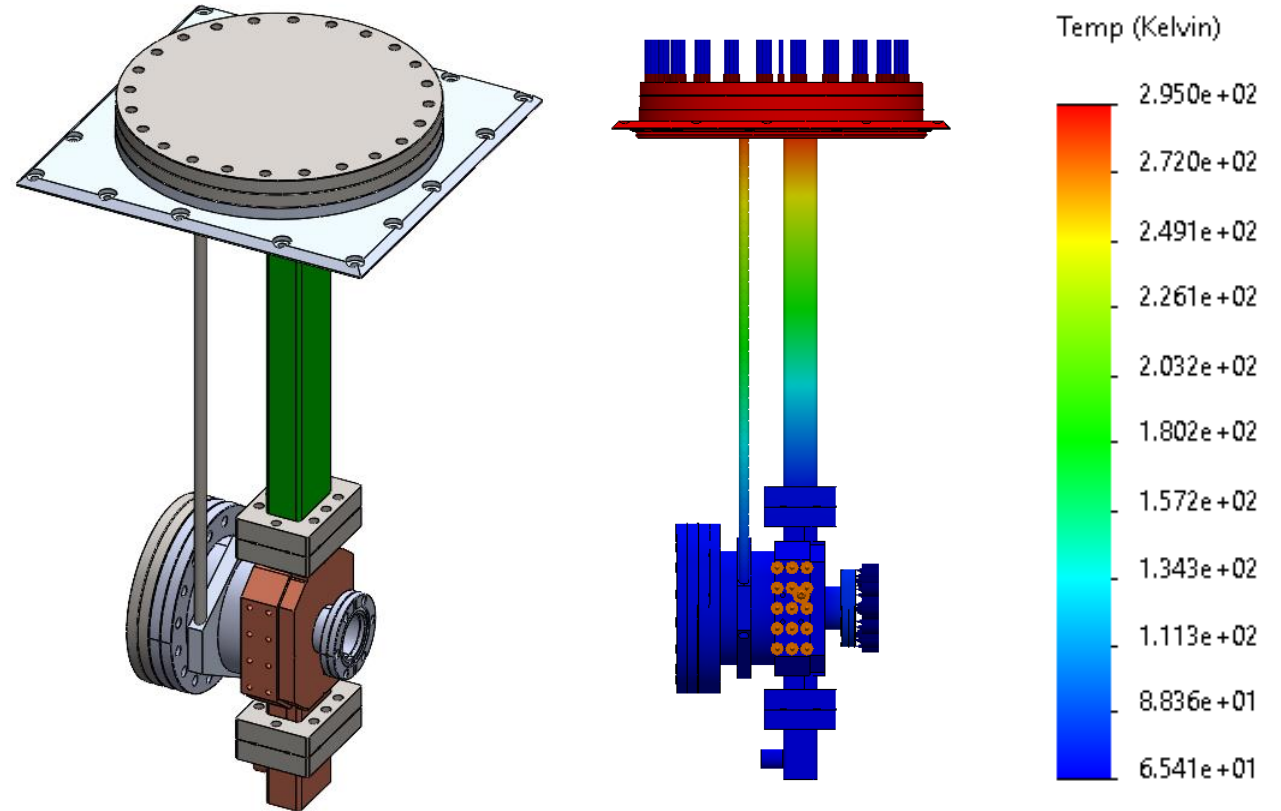


# 4. Steady State Thermal Sim



- Steady state thermal simulation results w/ 15W cooling from press fit with 3W heat leak budget

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Supports	Stainless + 2" G10	TBD	0.6 W	0.8 W
Diagnostic probes	Copper wiring	1.6 mm <sup>2</sup>	≈ 0.1 W	≈ 0.1 W
Radiation	-	25000 mm <sup>2</sup>	< 0.1 W	< 0.1 W
Pumping on dummy side	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Upstream load lock	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
1Hz pulse heating	-	TBD	≈ 0.1 W	≈ 0.1 W



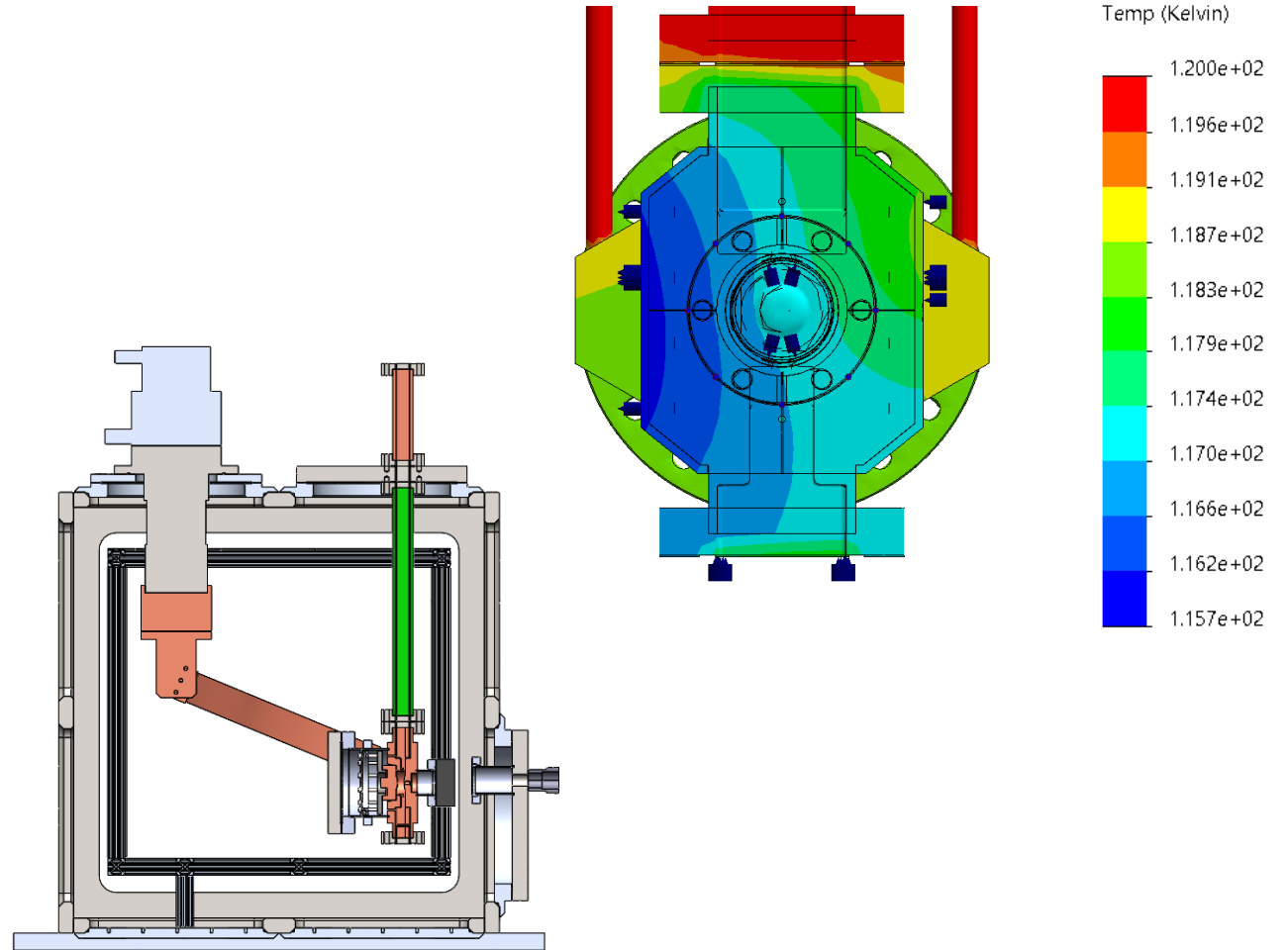


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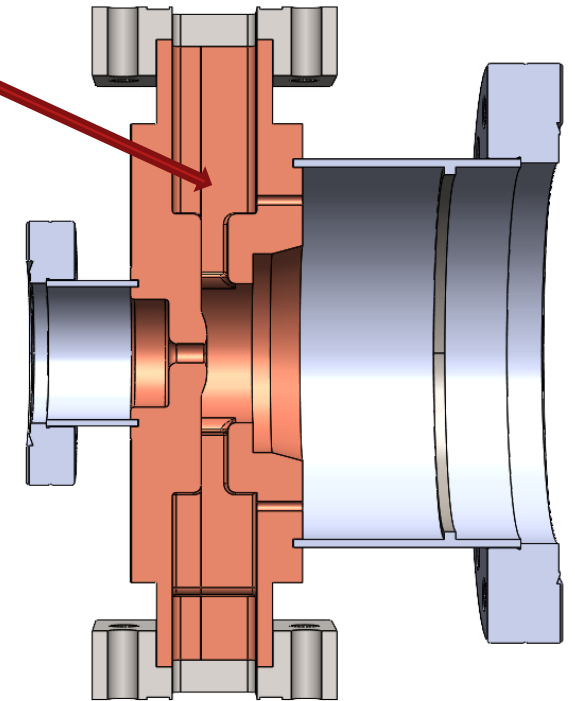
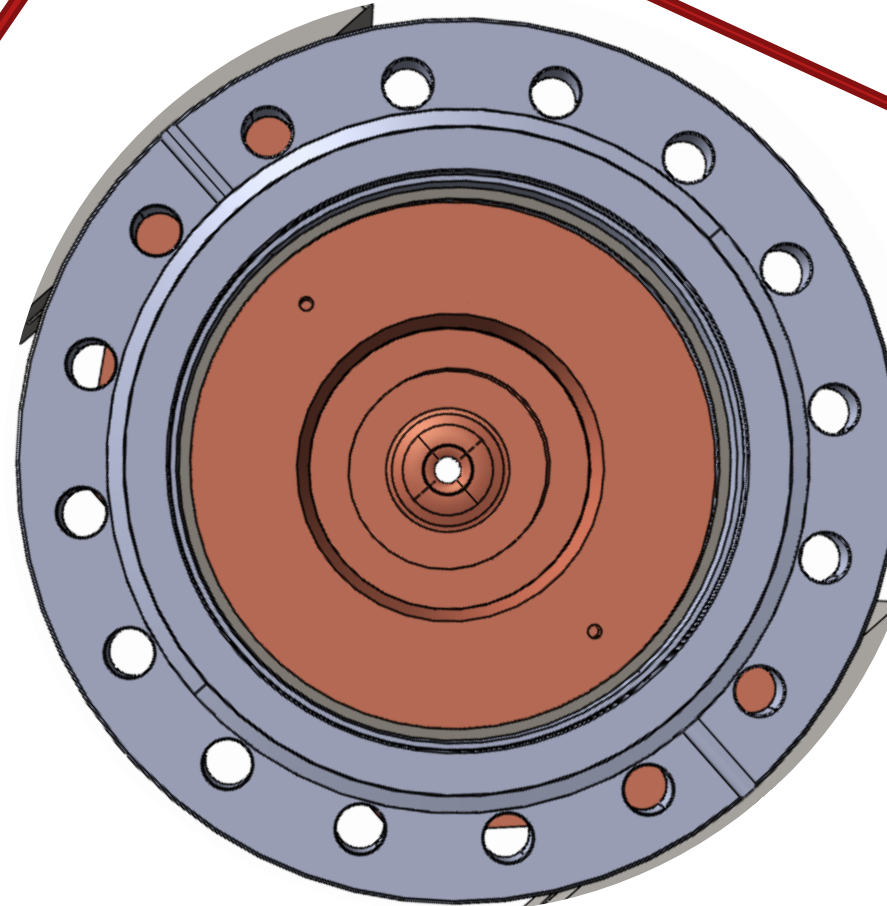
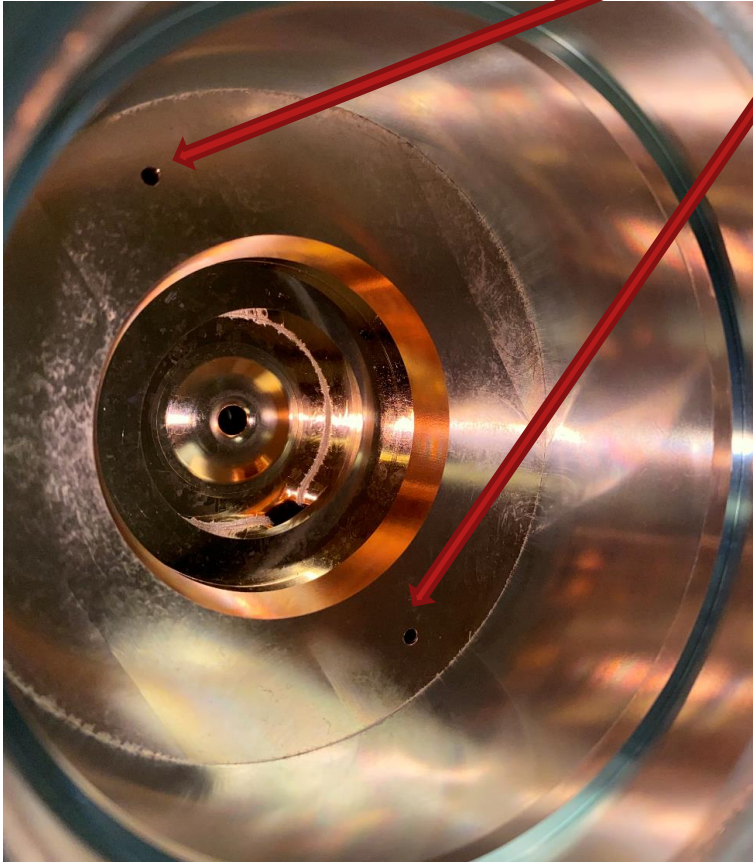




# 4. Cavity faces



Vacuum Venting ports

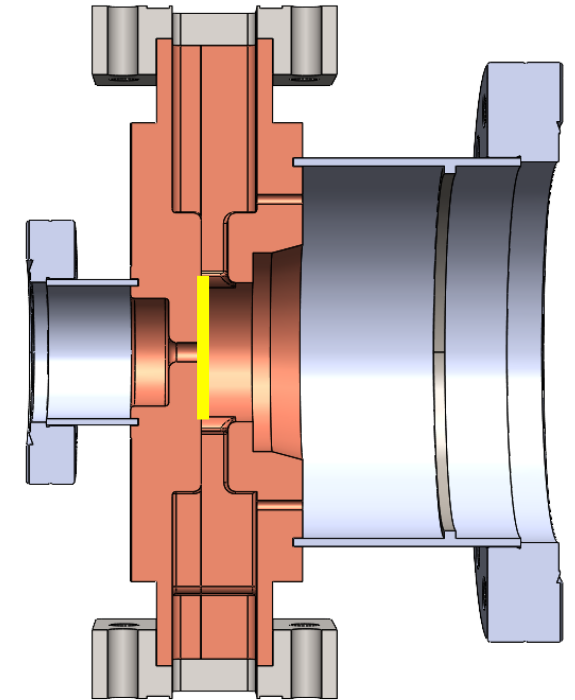
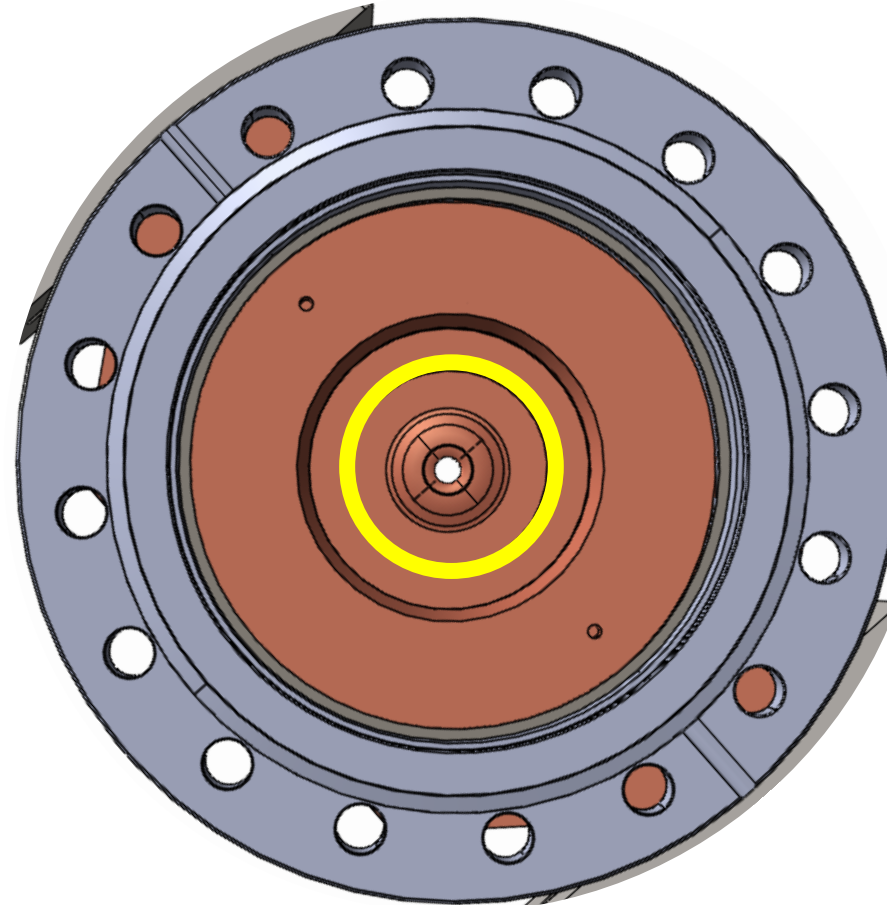
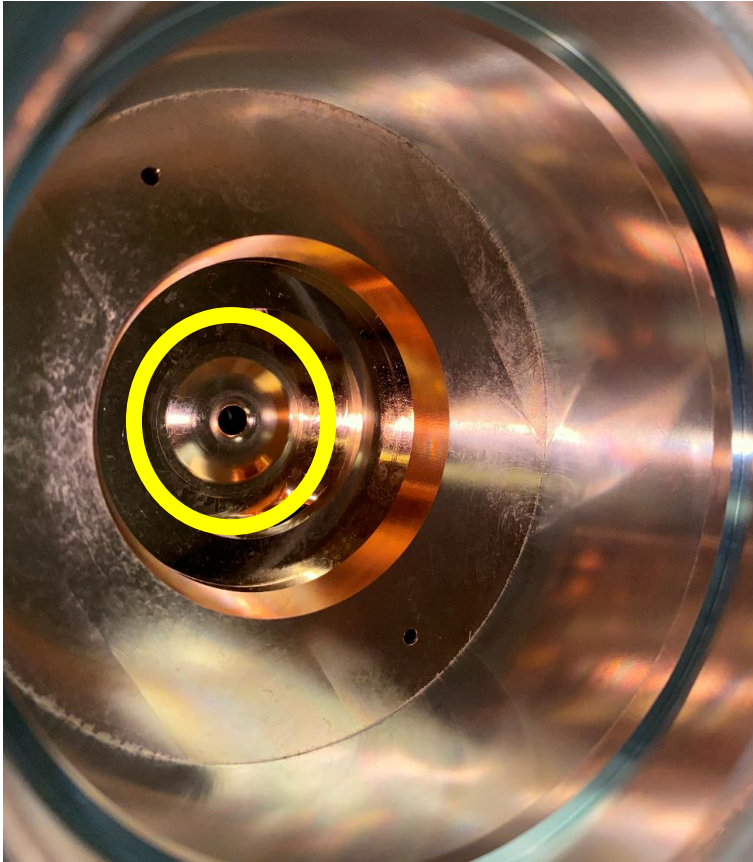




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- Circumference of front plane of  $\frac{1}{2}$  cell cavity





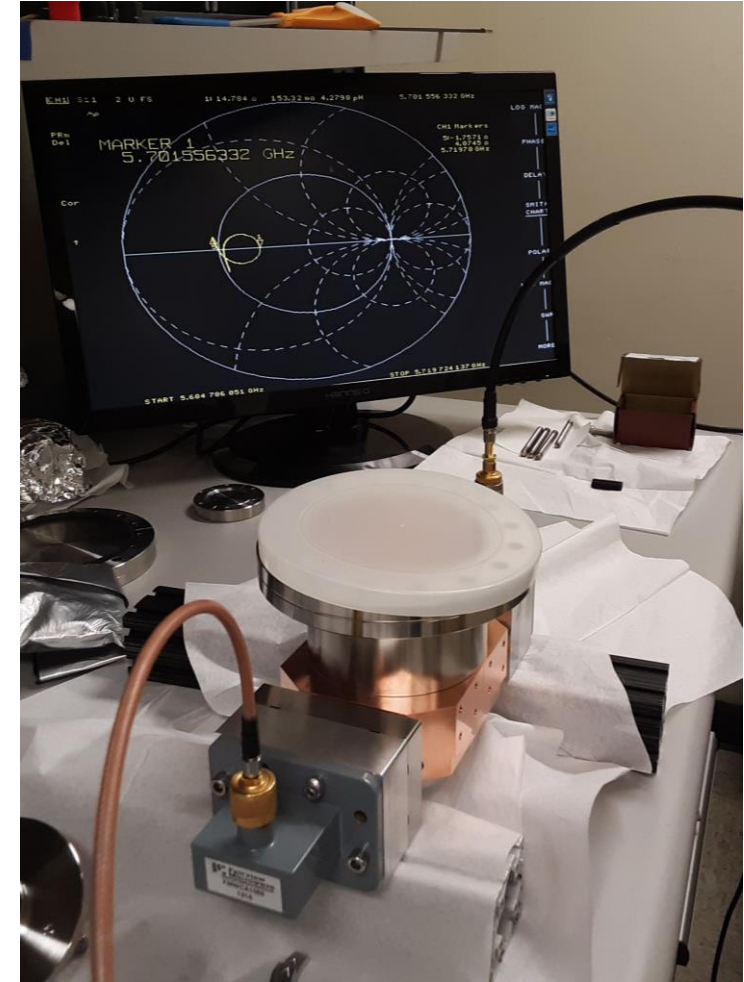


# 4. LLRF Measurements



- Low level RF measurements (LLRF) with vector network analyzer
- 295K resonance 6 MHz higher than intended and coupling lower
- $Q_0 = 4200$  with no clamp, up to 7649 with firm but not aggressive clamp

	Measurement	Design/Simulation
$f_0$	5.701 GHz	5.695 GHz
$\beta$	0.52	0.7
QL	$\approx 5000$	5167
$Q_0$ (partial clamp)	$\approx 4600$	-
$Q_0$ (clamped)	7649	8579



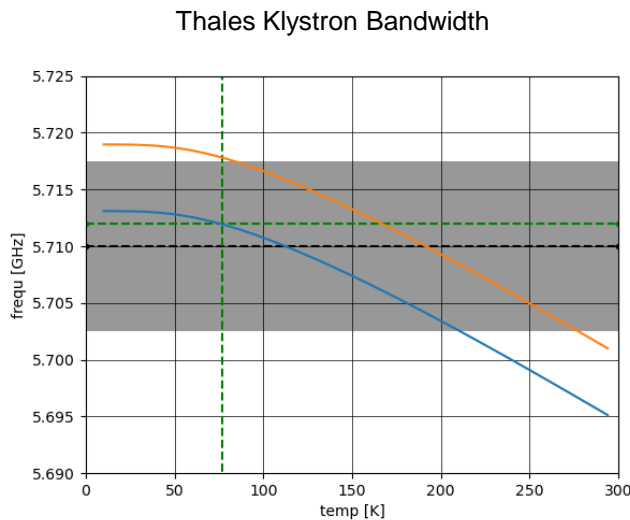
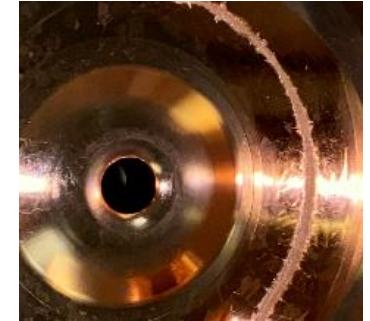


# 4. Surface Sensitivity



- Attributed to presence of braze material
- Slater perturbation theory gives frequency change from small displacement of one surface
- LC circuit model of cavity  $\omega^2 = \frac{1}{LC}$
- Removing small volume in vacuum cavity equiv. to adding small amount of material on surface, i.e. braze material
- 15 MHz bandwidth of klystron
- Set new working point for intermediate test between 90-100K

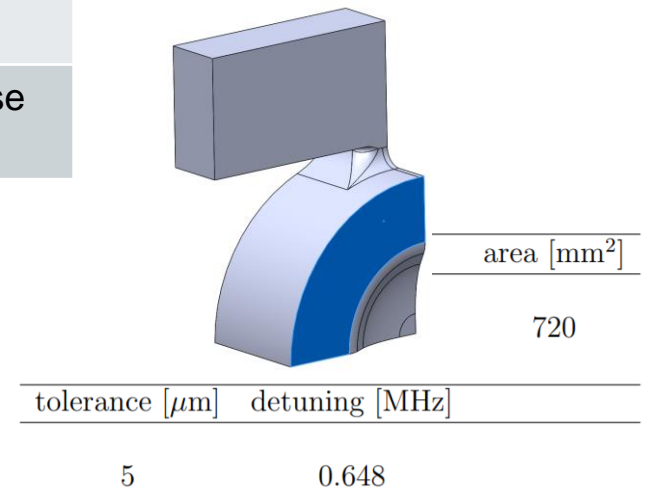
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RF Power requirement	0.56 MW
Energy deposition	0.22 J/pulse



Measurement w/ simulated cool down —

Design w/ simulated cool down —

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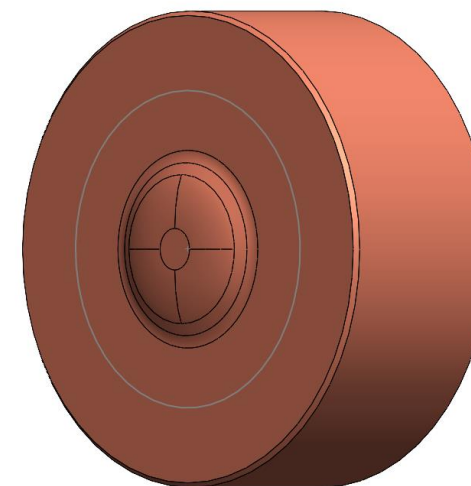
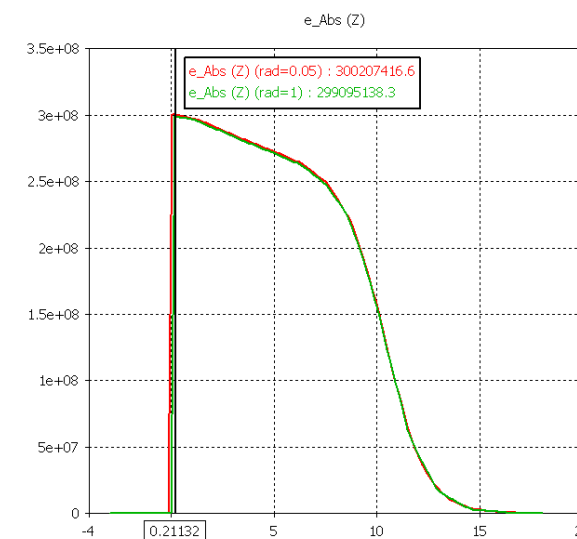
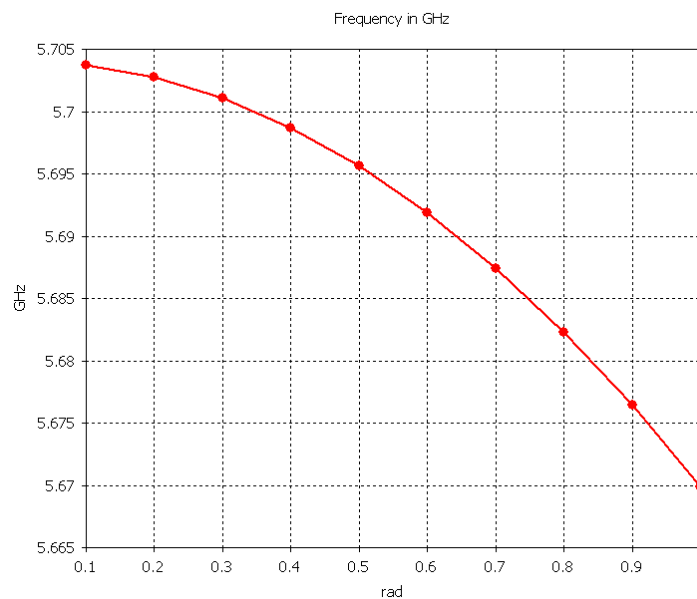
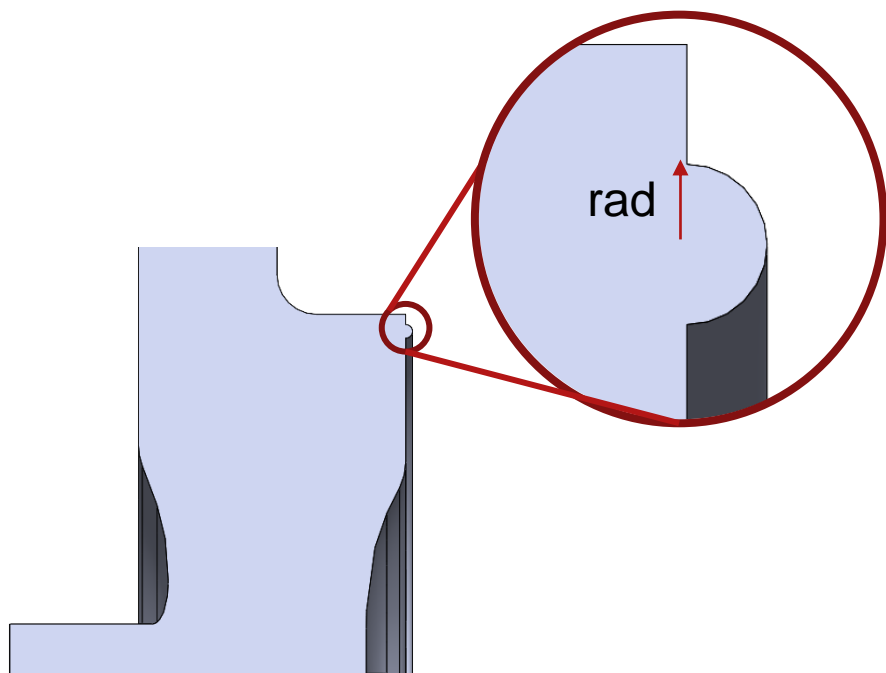




# 5. Backplane Modifications



- Removal of material on backplane in high H, low E area on next backplane can shift resonance back into bandwidth

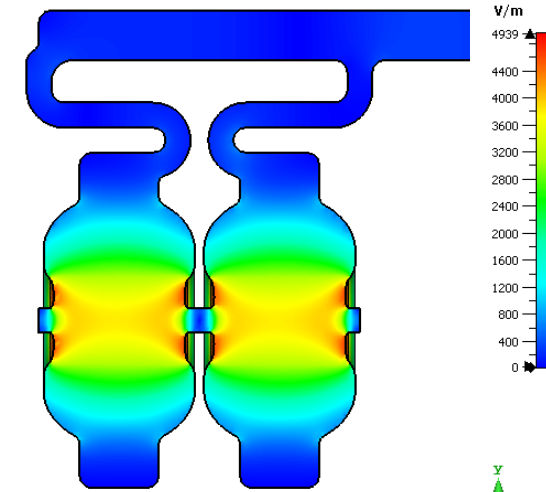
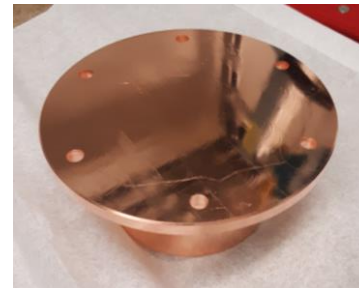
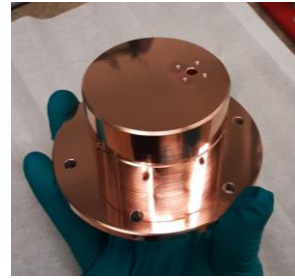




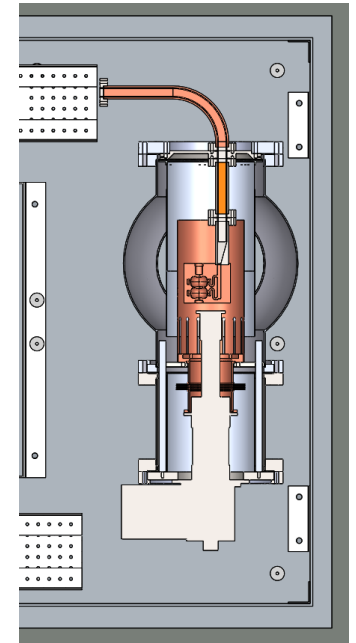
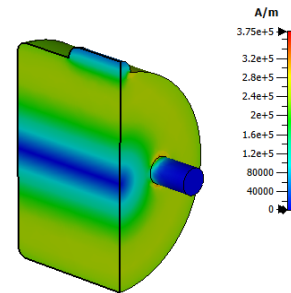
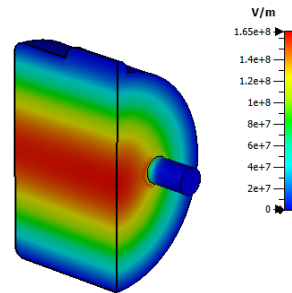
# 5. Testing Goals



1. C-band pillbox surface resistivity
2. CYBORG infrastructure: vacuum, cooldown, and temperature tuning
3. CYBORG cryo copper dark current (demountable backplane)
4. CYBORG cryo copper dark current (demountable backplane + copper plug)
5. CYBORG cryo copper photoemission
6. C-band breakdown tests
7. CYBORG semiconductor cathode emission



e-field (f=5.712) [1]  
Component Abs  
Frequency 5.712 GHz  
Phase 90 °  
Cross section A  
Cutplane at X 0.000 mm  
Maximum (Plane) 13414.7 V/m  
Maximum 13414.7 V/m





# Conclusions



1. High gradient cryogenic test bed for cathode studies has been designed at under construction
2. Many future measurements planned (temperature dependent dark current etc.)
3. Continually maturing understanding of complex physics of breakdown necessary for increasing robustness of photoguns for precise brightness preserving cathode measurements



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