

Group A: who we are and what we learned

ATSOA 2024



Konrad Altenmüller

Accelerator physicist at ESS Bilbao

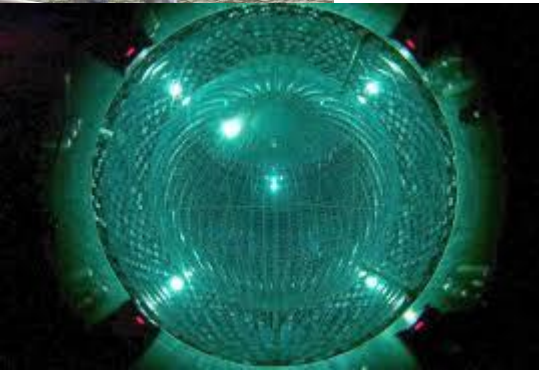
Previously in astroparticle physics

PhD about sterile neutrinos at TUM
Munich / Université Paris-Saclay

Postdoc in BabyIAXO (axion dark
matter) at University of Zaragoza



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What caused a plume of radioactive ruthenium in Europe in 2017?

Chemical detective work suggests an accident at a Russian plant (that processes spent nuclear fuel) was the source of the cloud

by *Laura Howes*
July 29, 2019

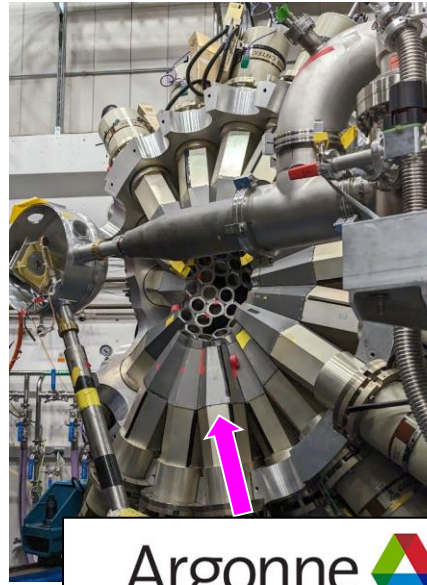
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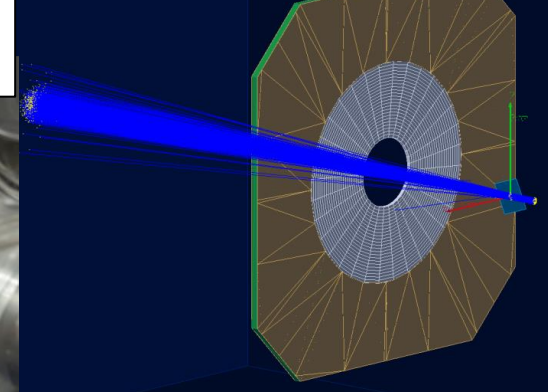
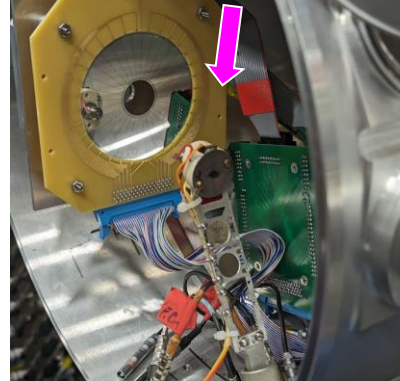
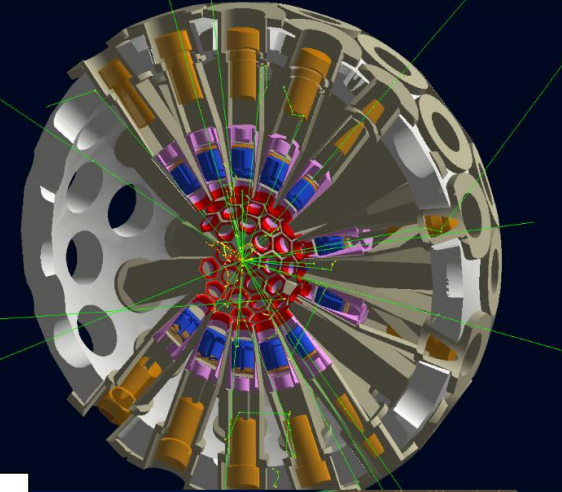
Greg

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- 1st year PhD at University of Surrey
- Experimental nuclear physics: Nuclear structure (Coulomb excitation)
- Background in Geant4 sims, not accelerators!



Geant4 simulation of the GammaSphere HPGe array. The source is ^{60}Co .



Geant4 simulation of ^{200}Hg impinging onto a natural Ti target upstream of a S3 DSSD ion detector.



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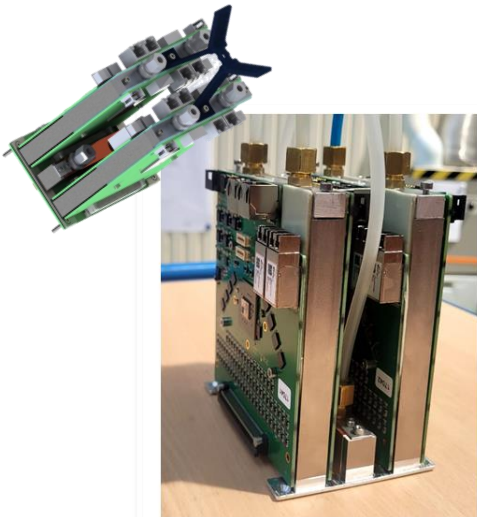


Pablo - My Background

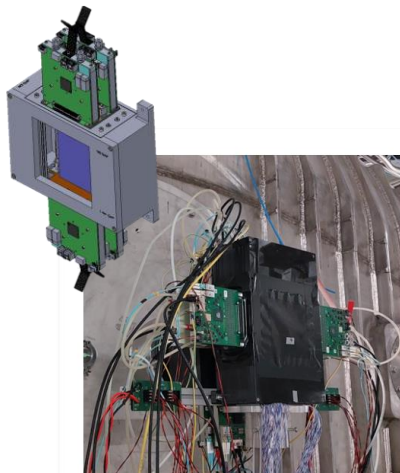


Industrial engineer - Specialized on mechanical engineering (UVigo)

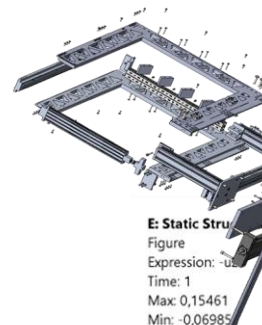
Currently Phd student - developing mechanics and cooling system for the new generation of SiPMs based detectors in R3B (GSI-Fair)



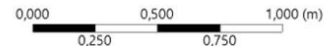
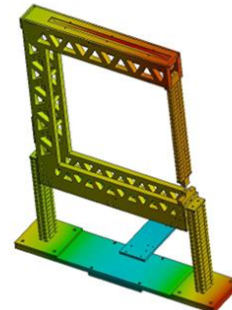
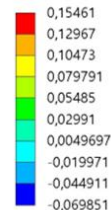
Cooling bodies with reed-out electronics
Jun 23



Fibers distance prototype positioned
Dec 23



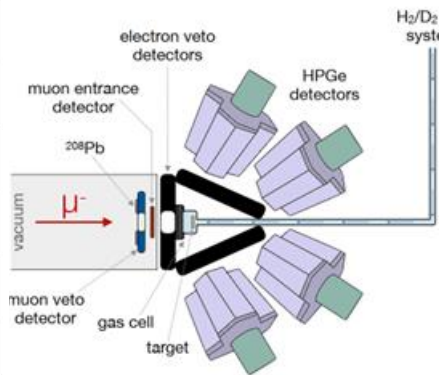
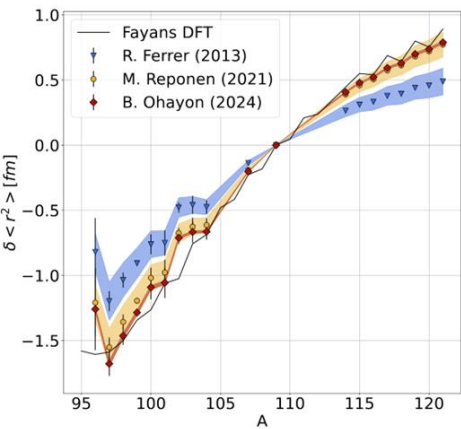
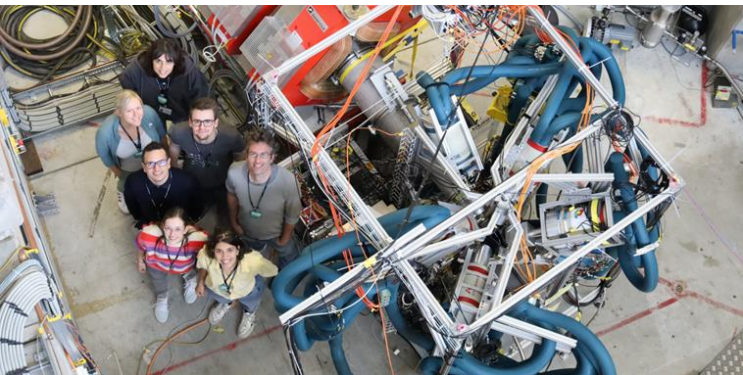
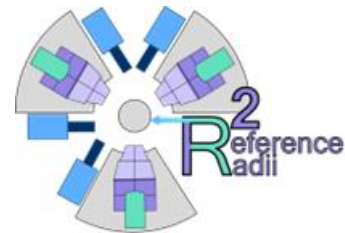
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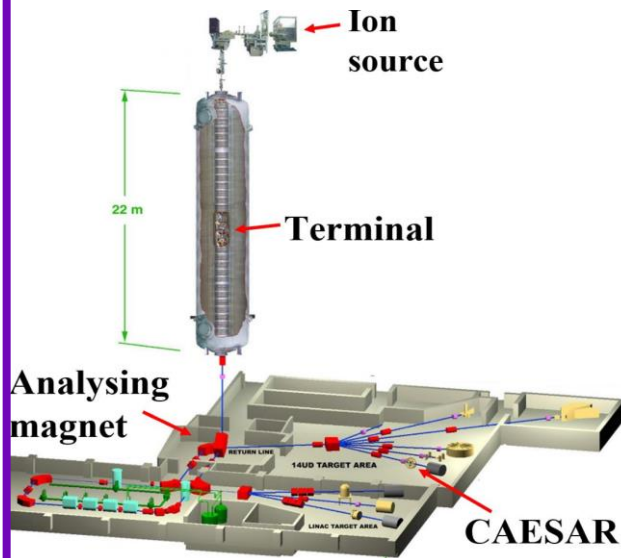
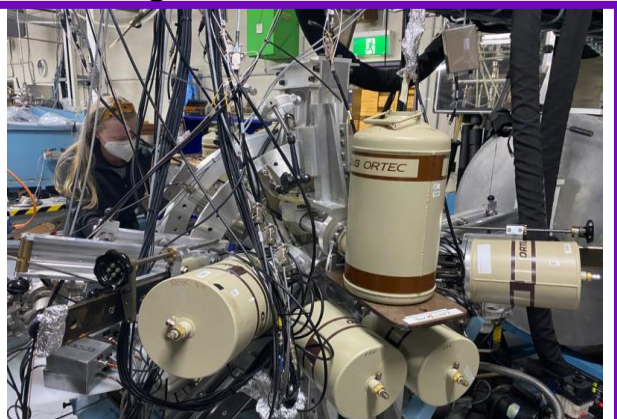
Marie



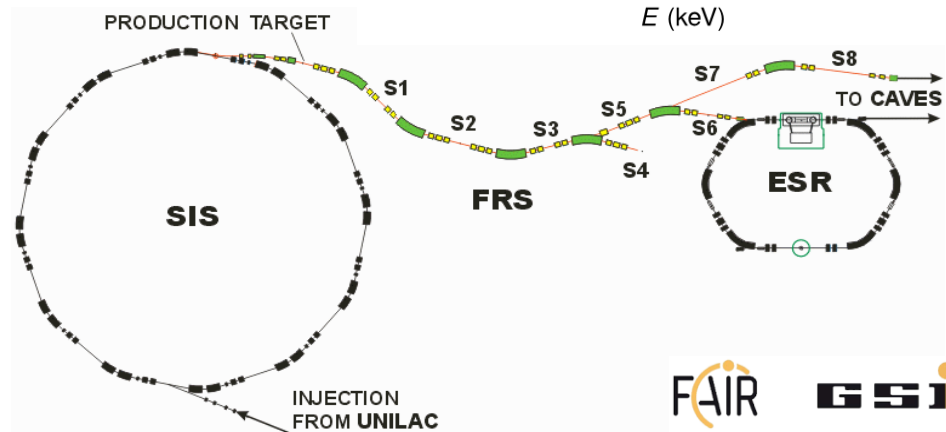
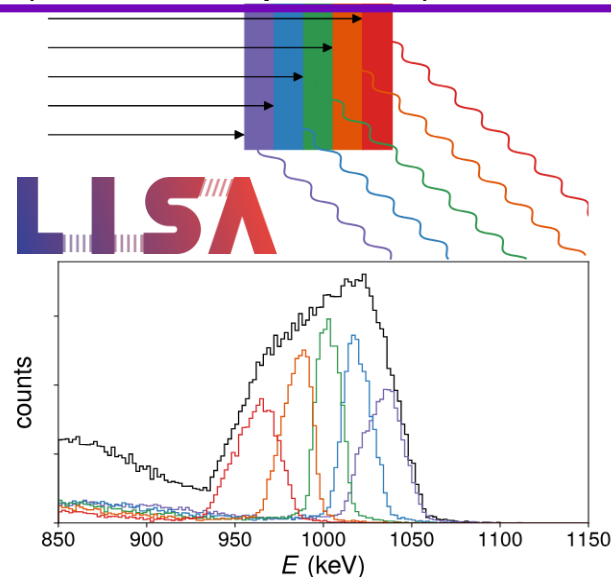
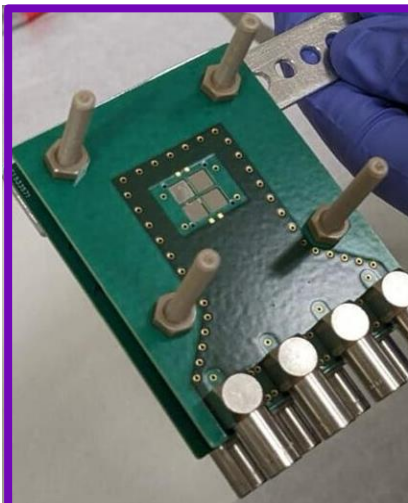
Research Foundation
Flanders
Opening new horizons



Undergrad/Honours @ANU

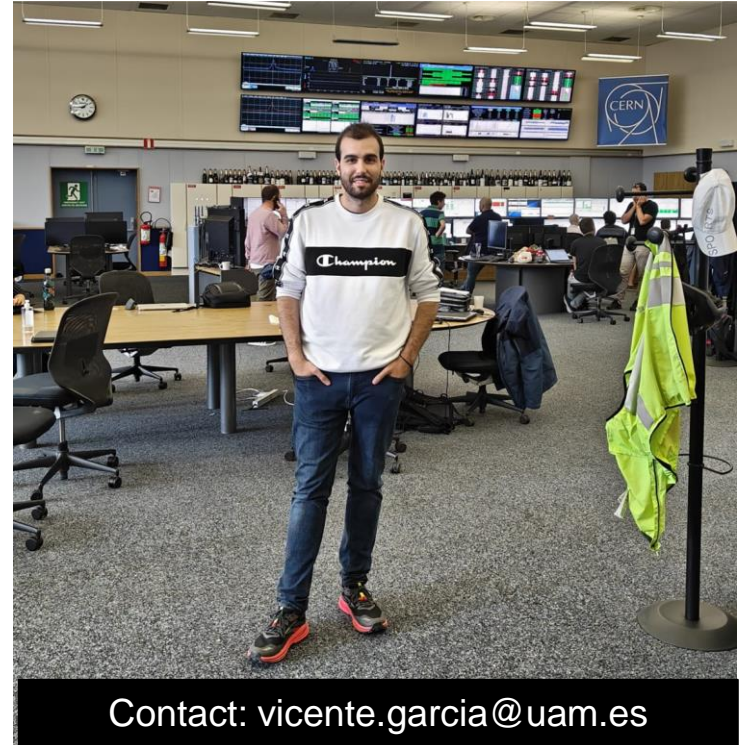


PhD @GSI (Started Sept 2023)



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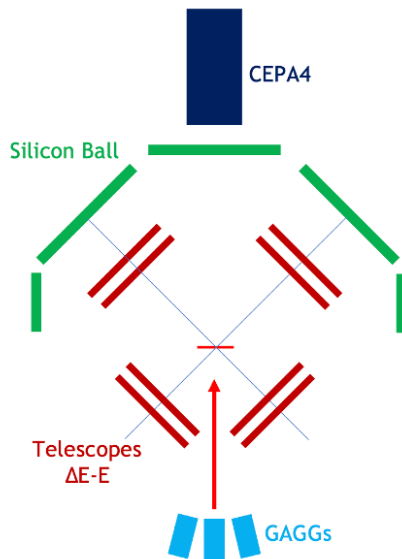
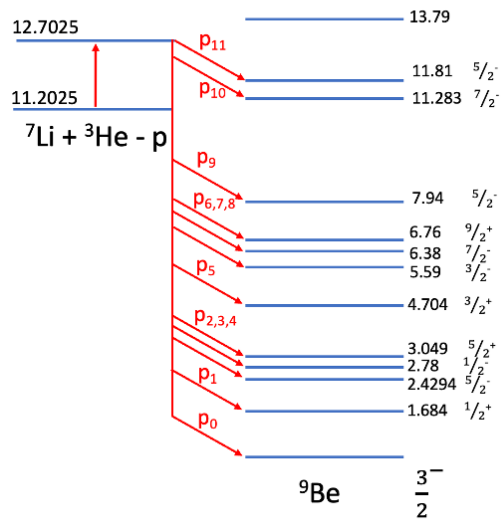


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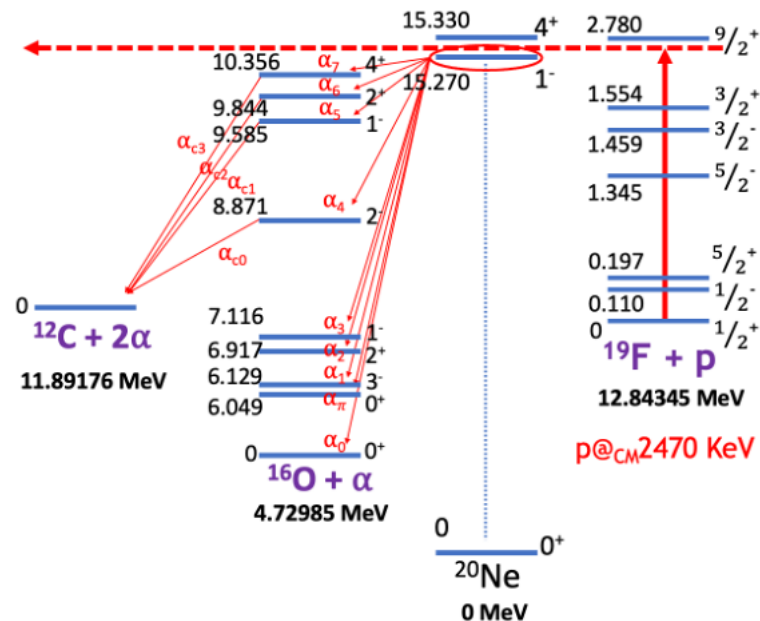
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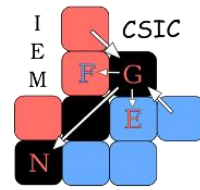


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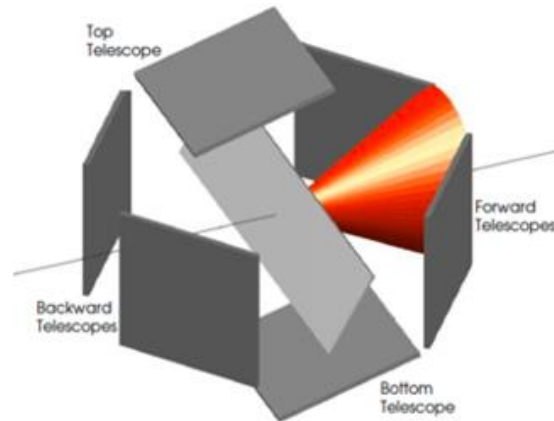
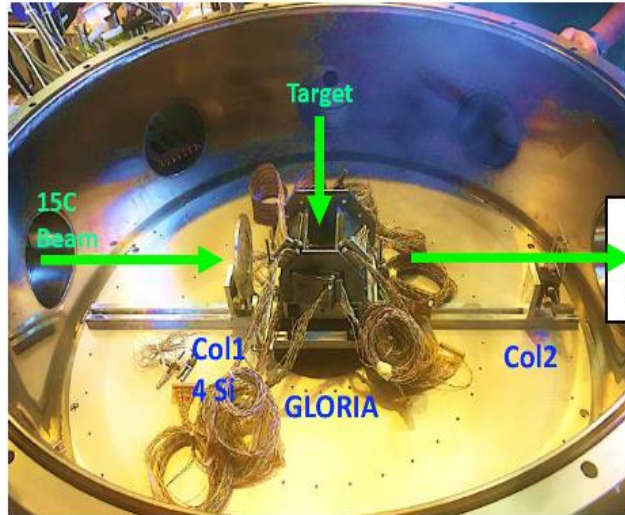


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Grupo de Física
Nuclear Experimental



SEC: Scattering chamber

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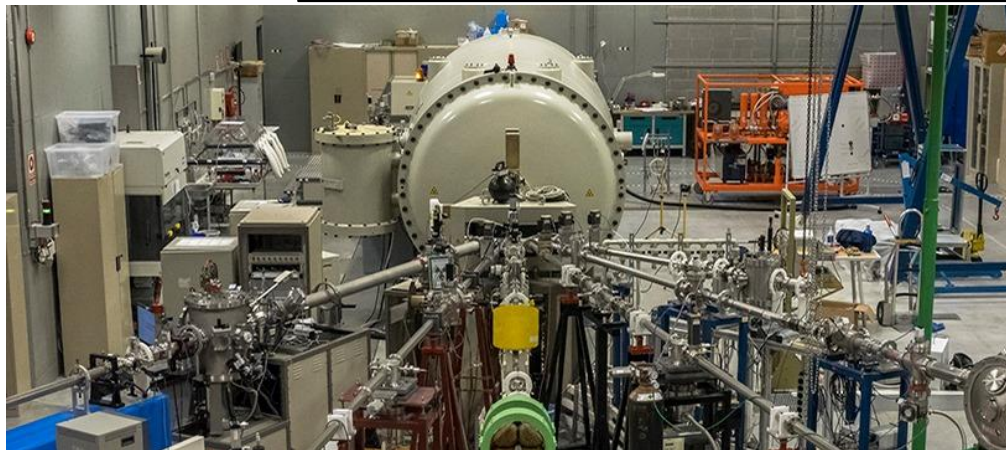


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- **Research & Development Engineer at CMAM (UAM).**

- Nuclear Studies.
- Materials Analysis and Research.
- Medical Physics Research.
- Technical work and development.
- RP Supervisor.
- Beam operator.

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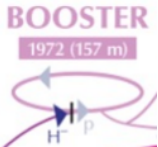
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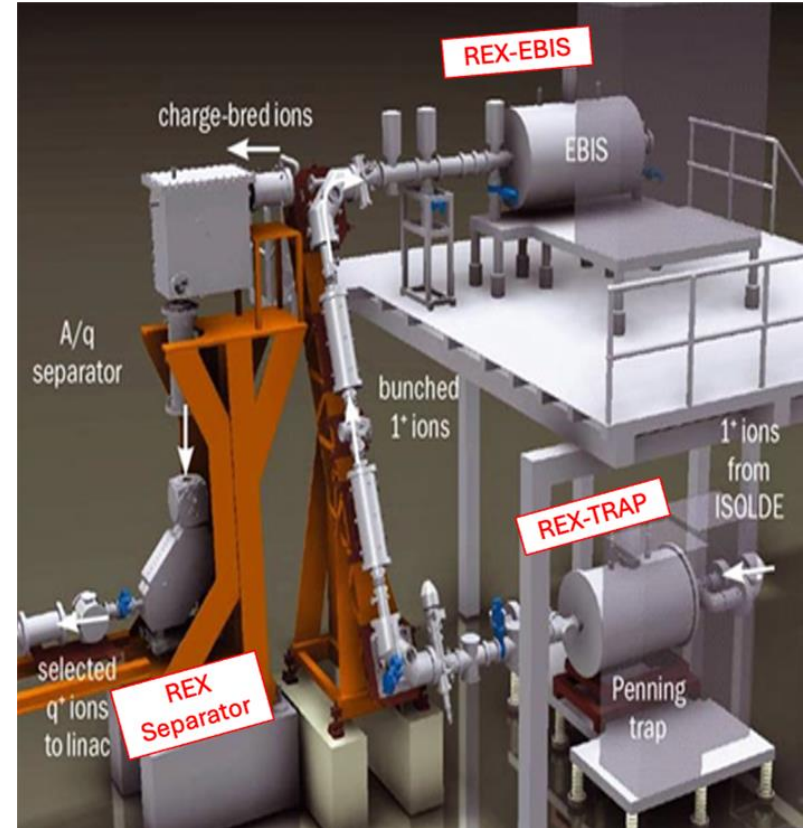
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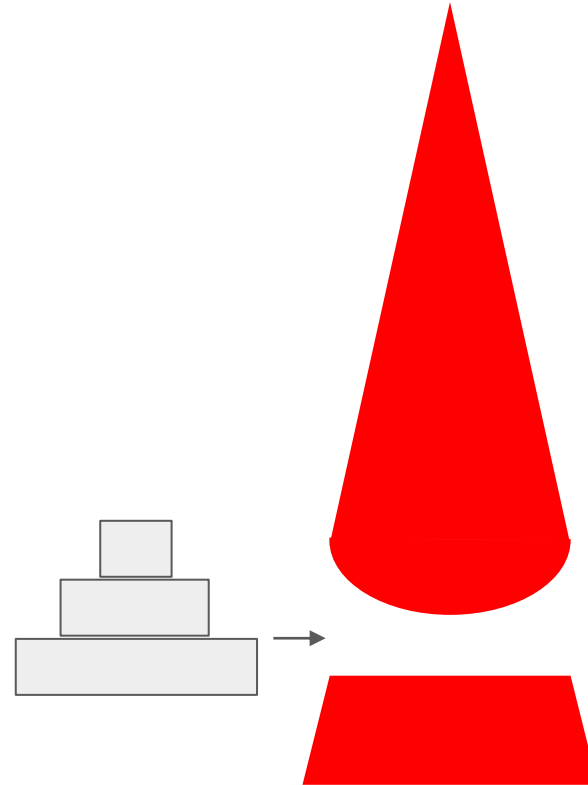
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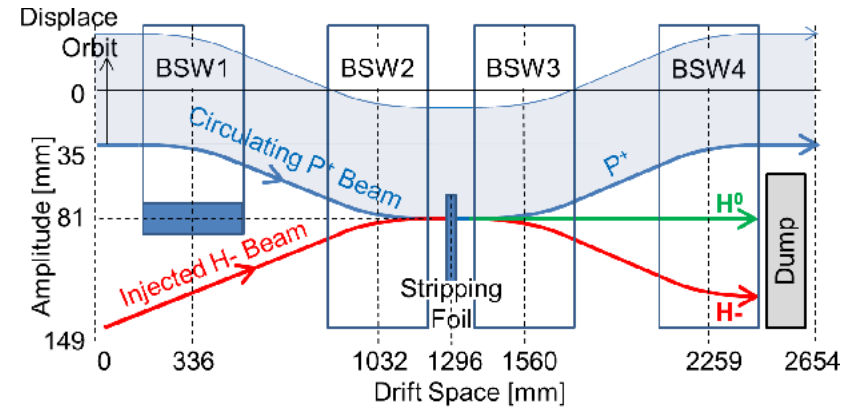
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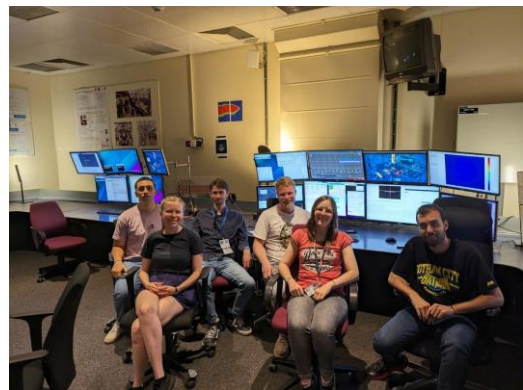
Take away:

Better understanding of beam dynamics:

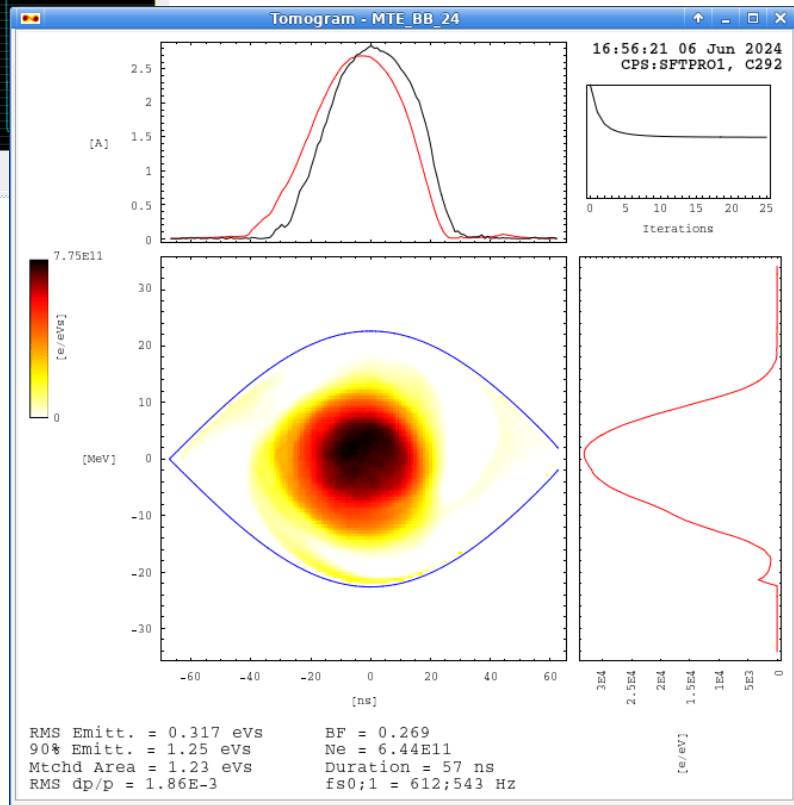
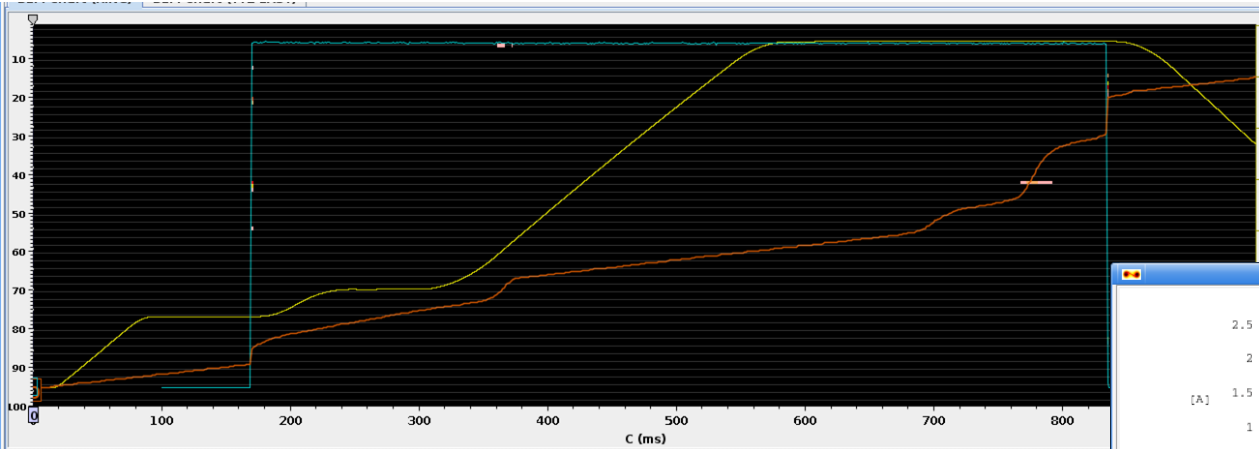
- How imperfections of the hardware and intrinsic effects change the dynamics
- The necessary hardware to control the beam
- The control processes during operation

Many ideas for our accelerator in Bilbao!

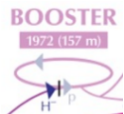
- New connections and motivation!



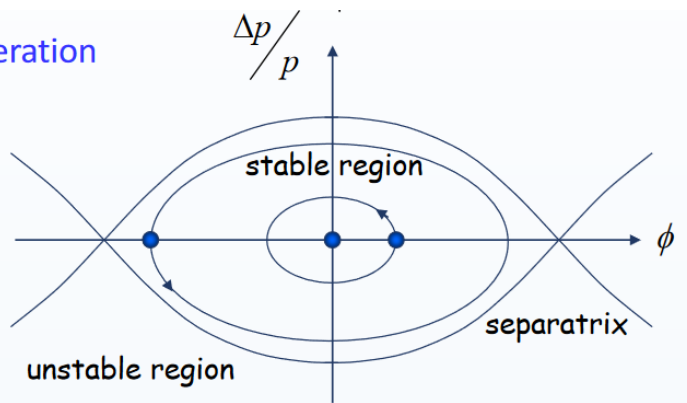
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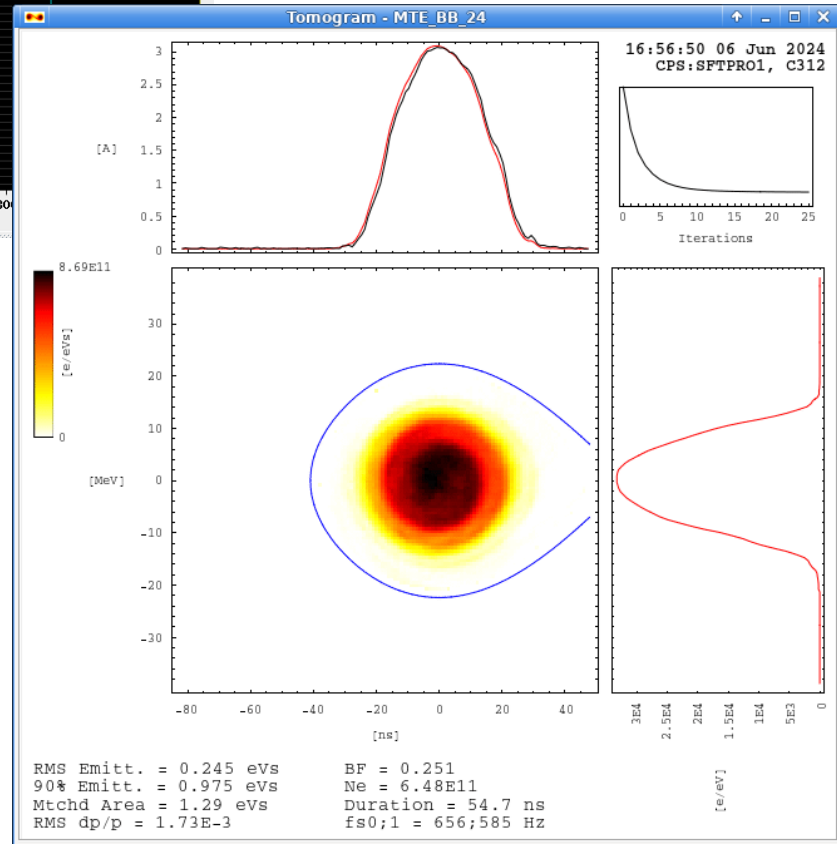
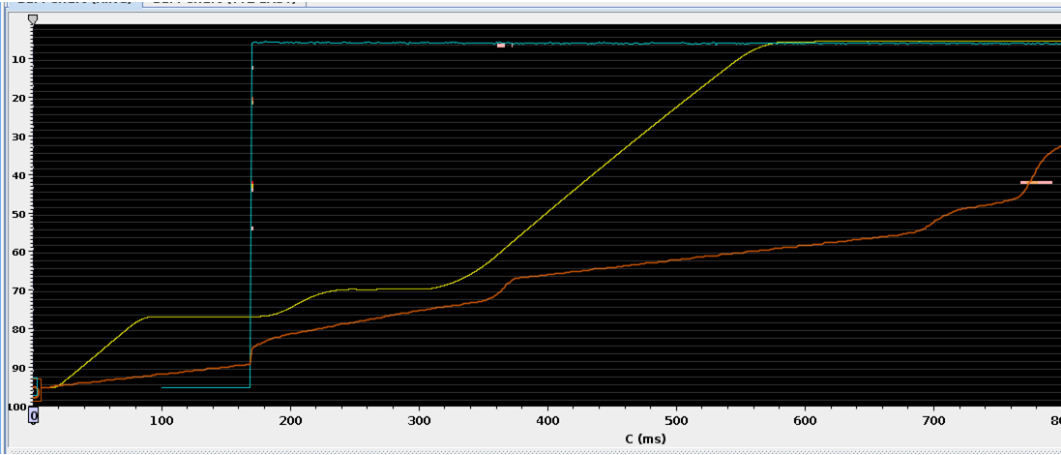
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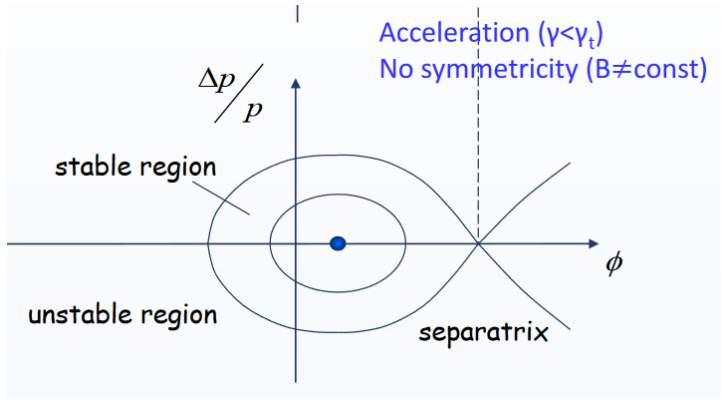
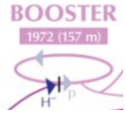
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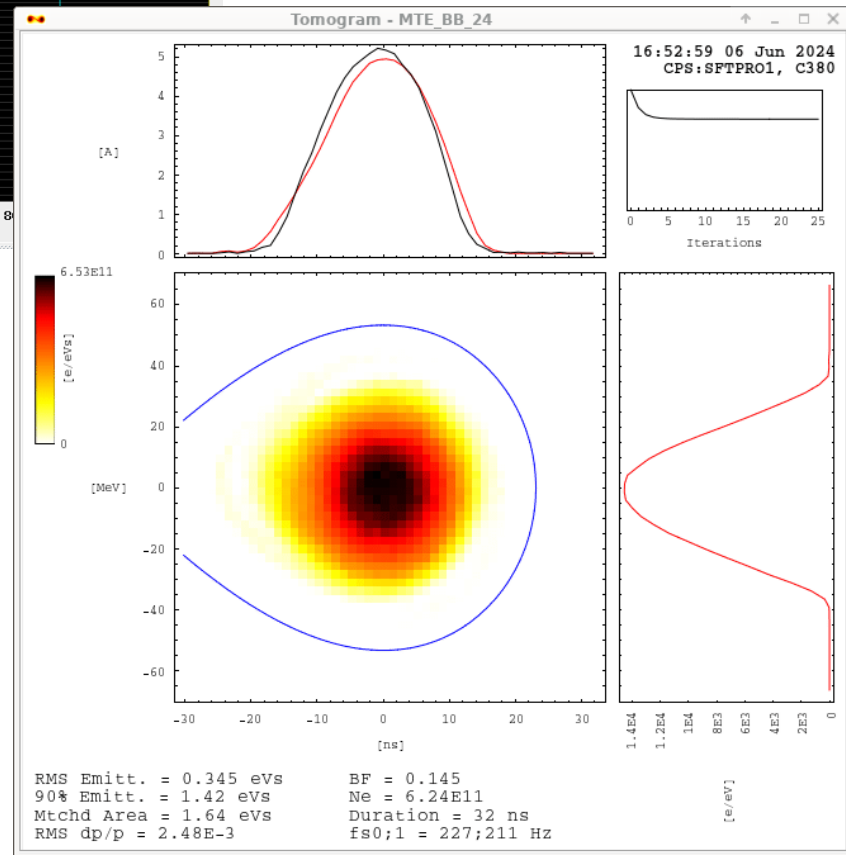
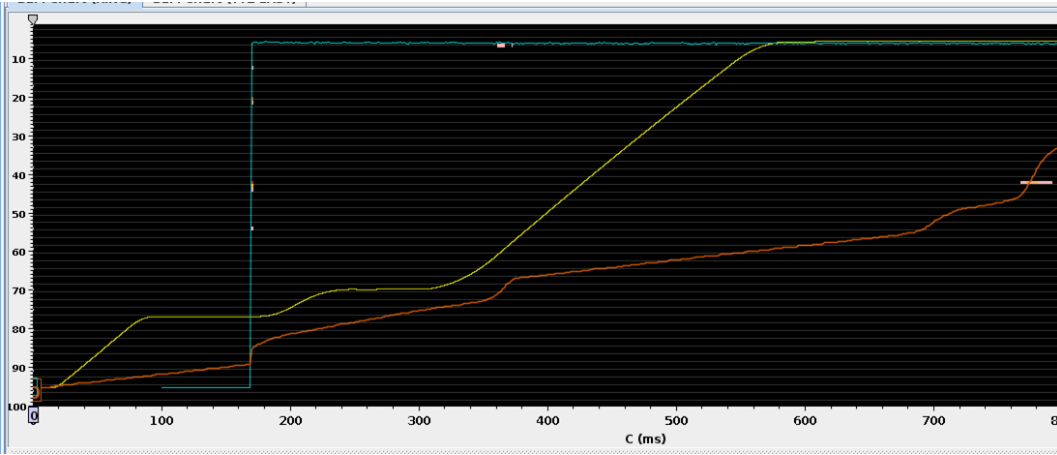
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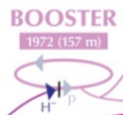
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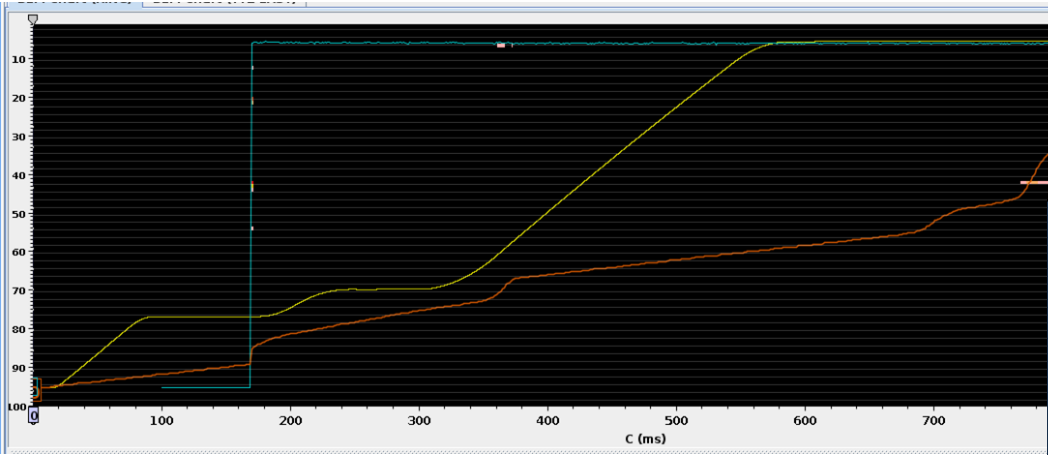


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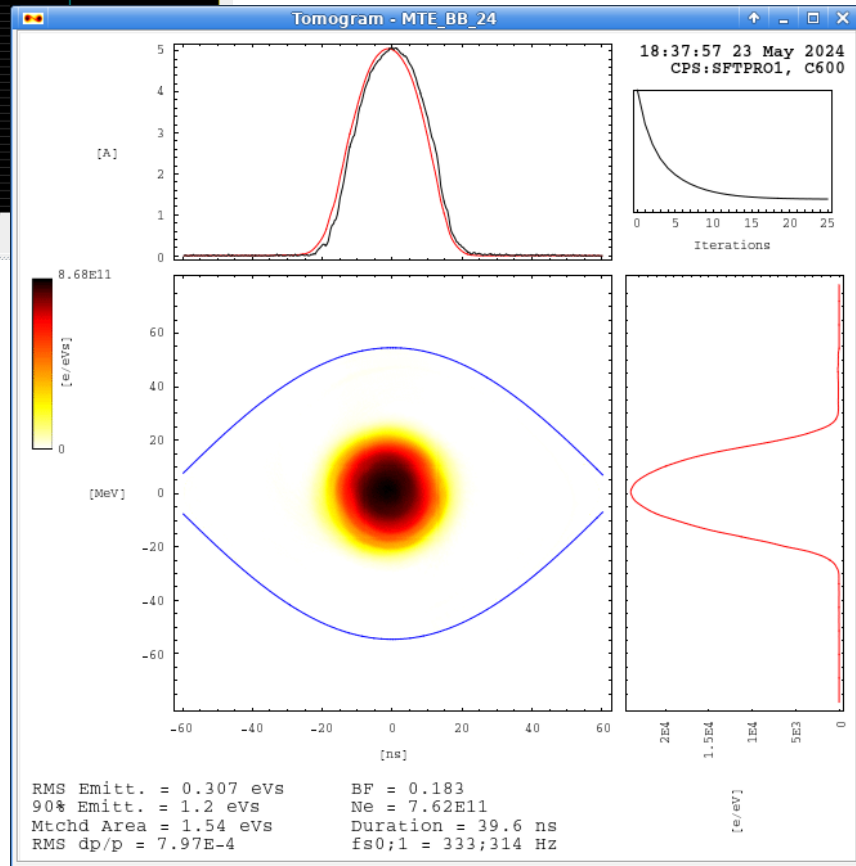
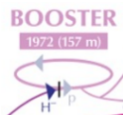
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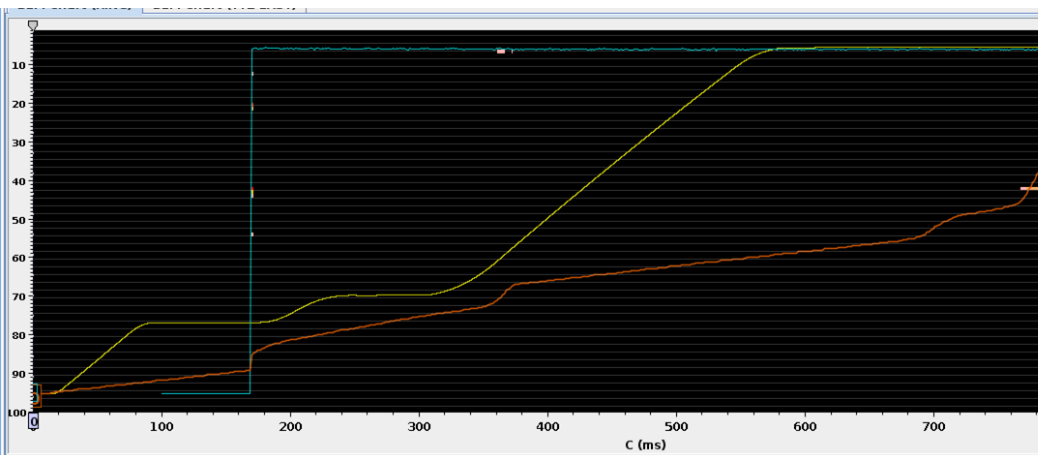




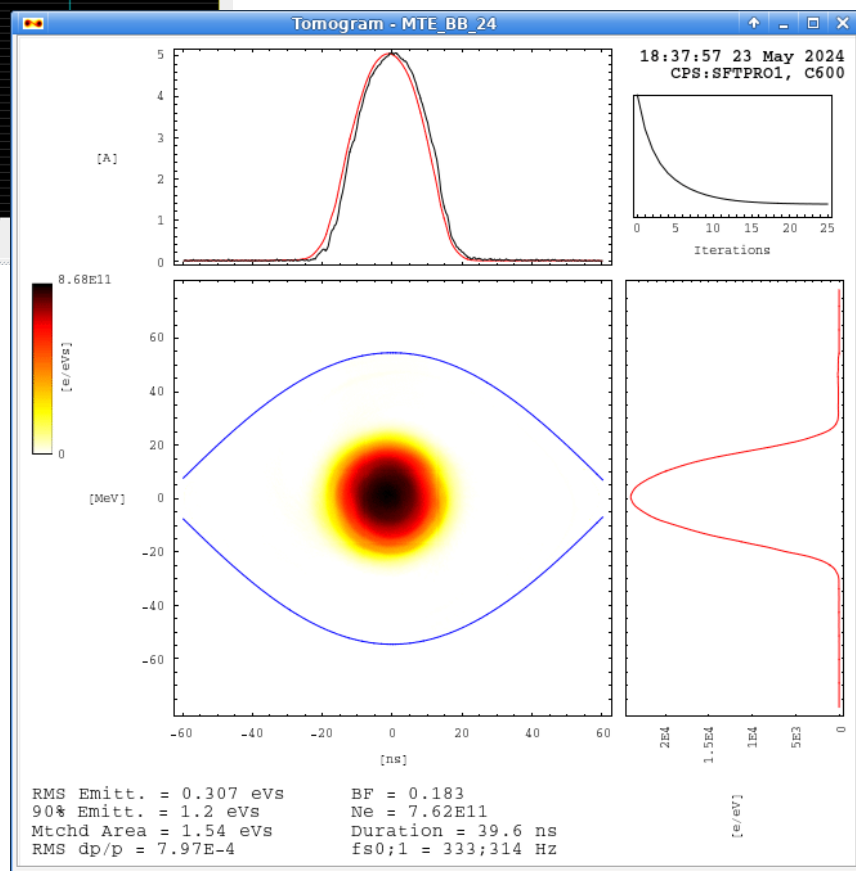
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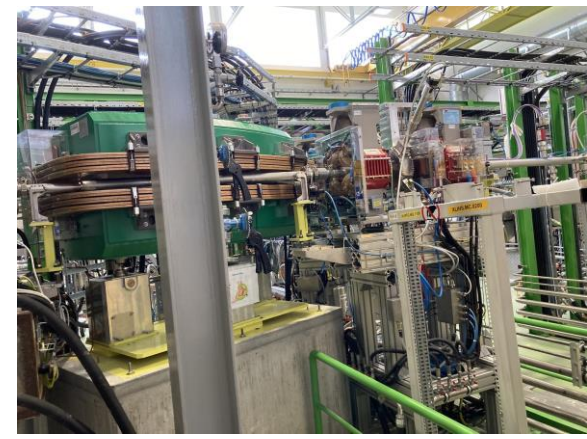
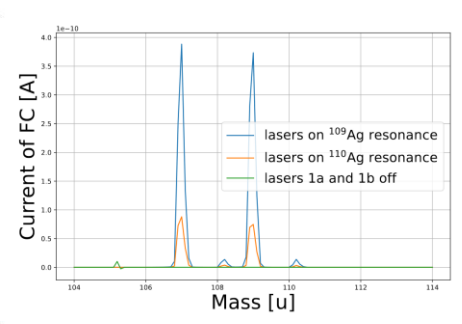
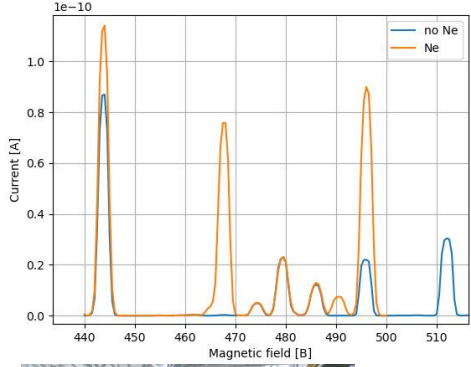
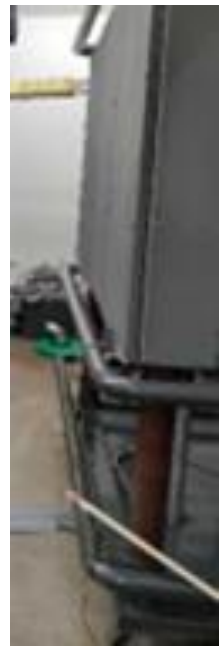
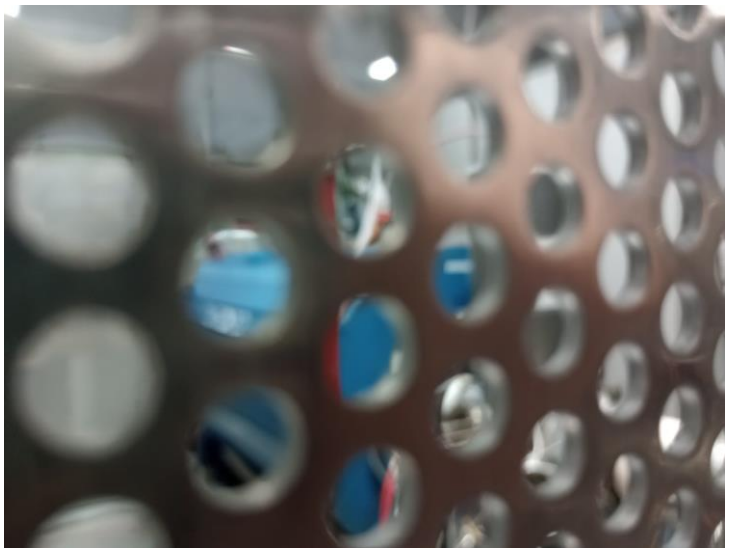
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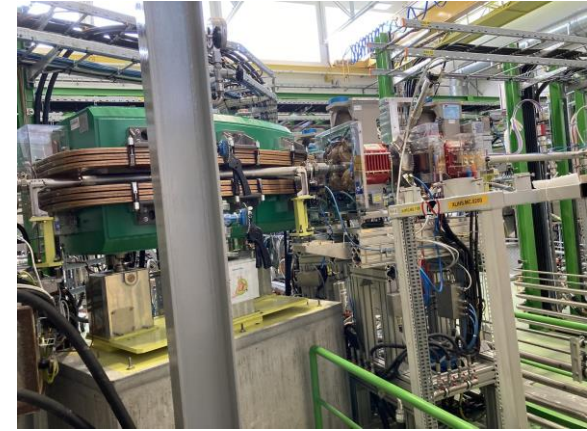
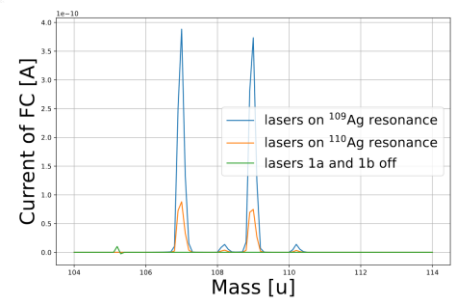
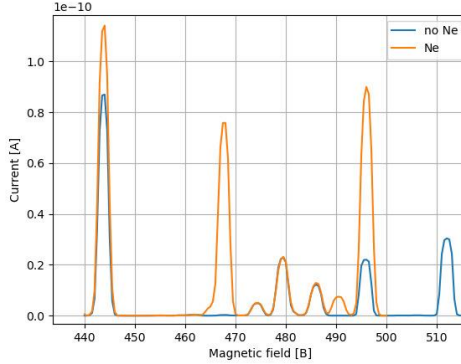
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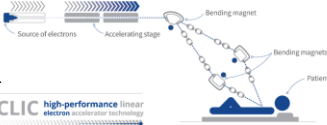


HI-ISOLDE



CLEAR

clear



FLASH
large and
discrete
tumours

< 200 ms
Full dose
of electrons
in less
than 200 ms

**low healthy
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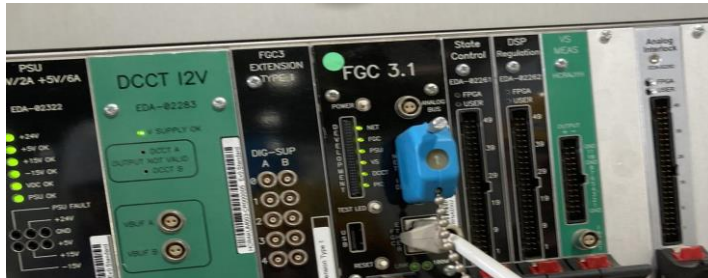
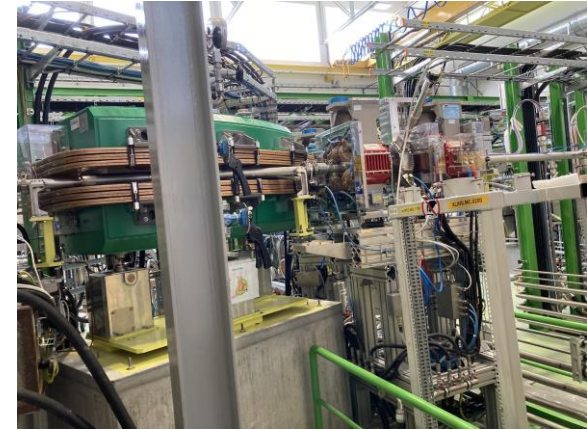
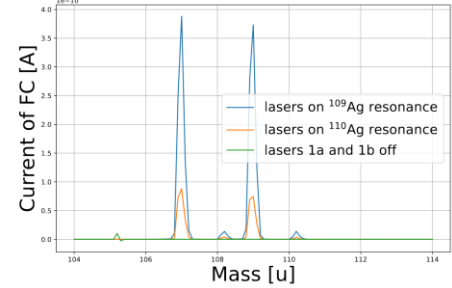
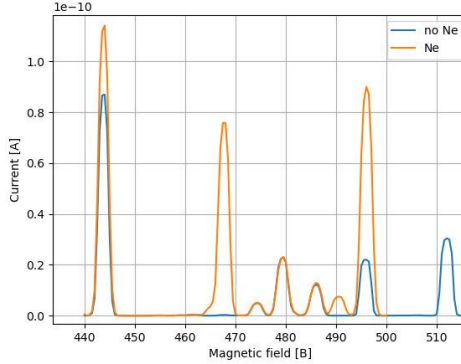
**Innovative
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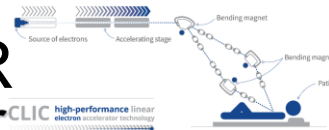


Blue mystery boxes



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clear



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Full dose
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high-performance linear
electron accelerator technology

no healthy
tissue spared

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Greg - What did I learn from this week



- User beams don't magically appear
- Many A/Qs are contaminated
- EBIS + separator have to be very finely configured (charge state distribution)

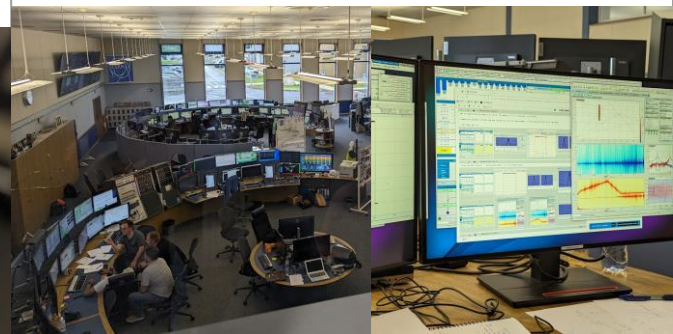
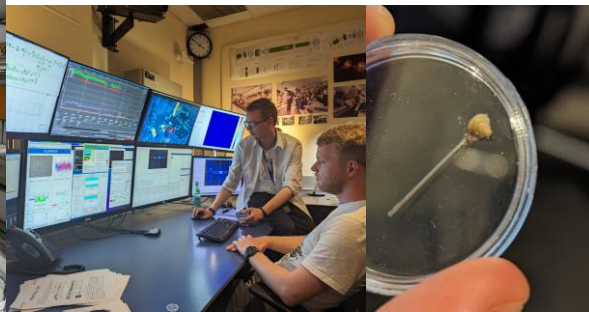


- Wide use cases of e^- beams
- Gaussian shaped scatterer +
- Gaus beam = flat beam afterwards

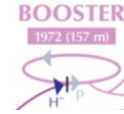


No logo? :(

- Super cycles being so dynamic
- Ring 1 is the best
- Clarified the accelerator concepts covered in the lectures



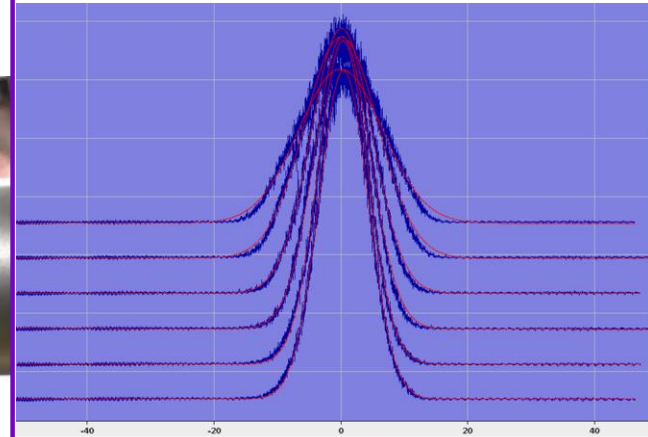
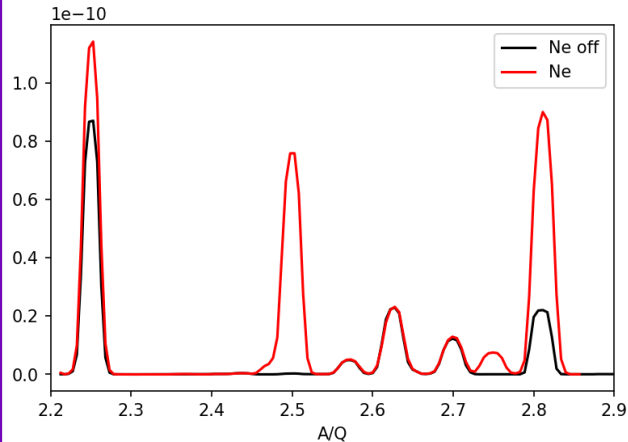
Martha - what I learnt and what I thought was cool



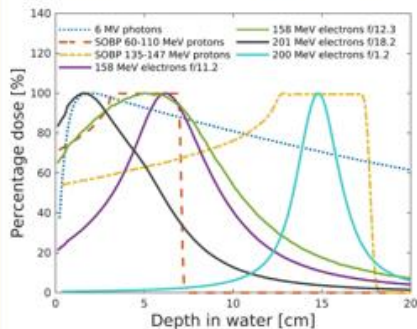
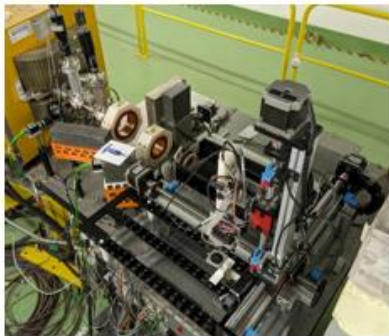
- A/Q scan
- ways around A/Q contaminants
- Electrostatic elements for low energy

- Cool that it is stand-alone
- scatterer
- optical cable
- very convenient YAG screens

- Synchrotron tune, resonances, emittance (the most new content for me)
- Has the best coffee



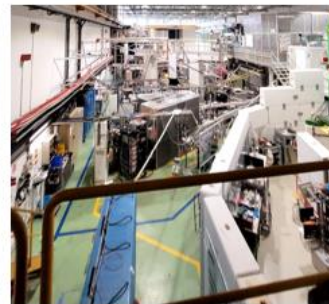
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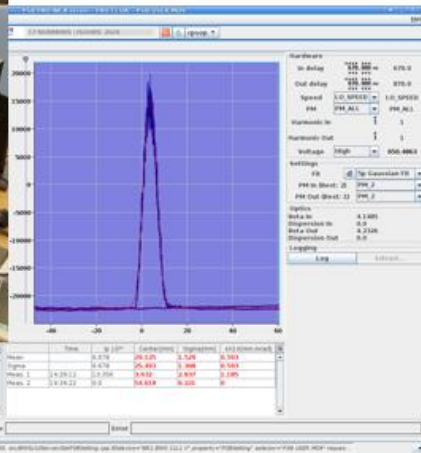
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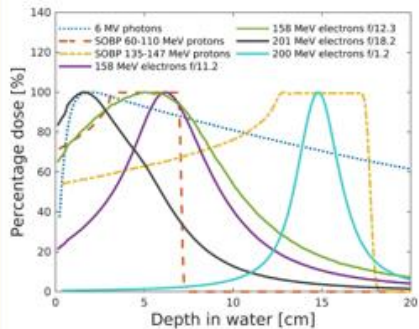
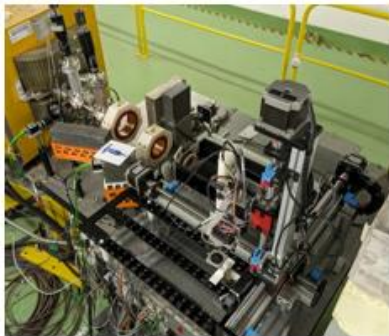
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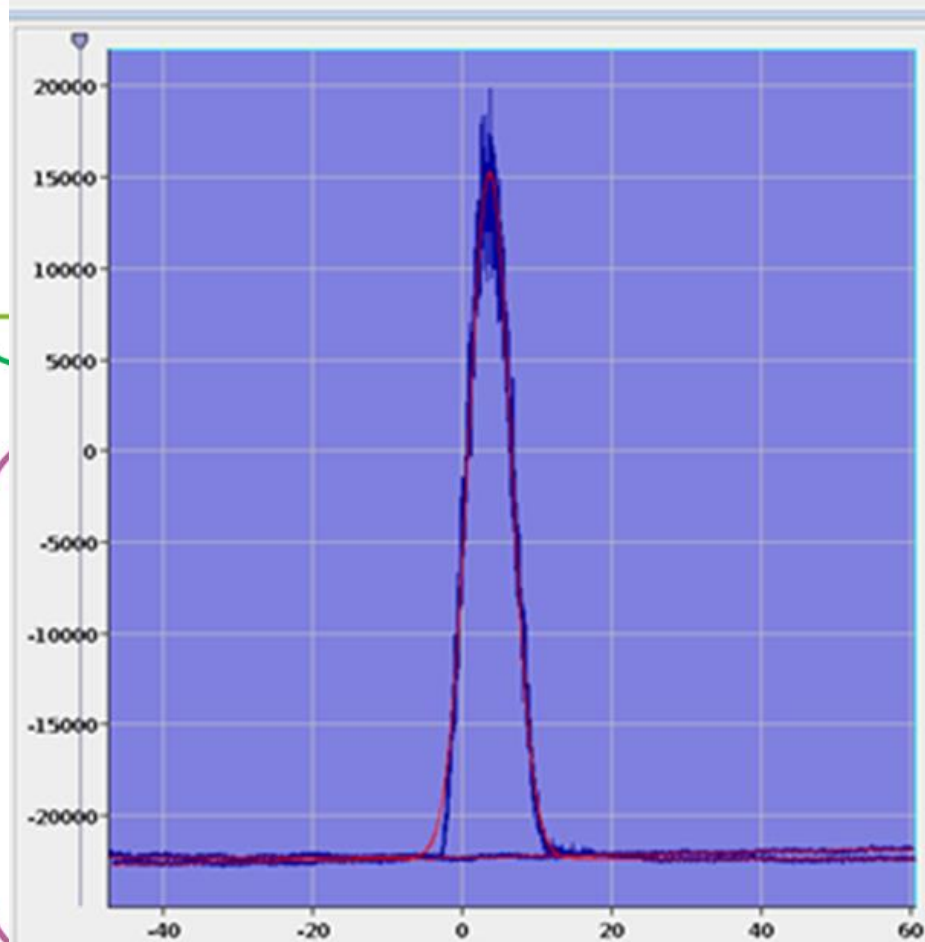
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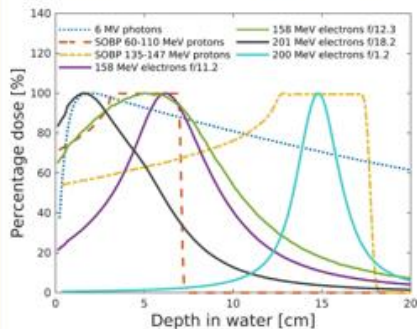
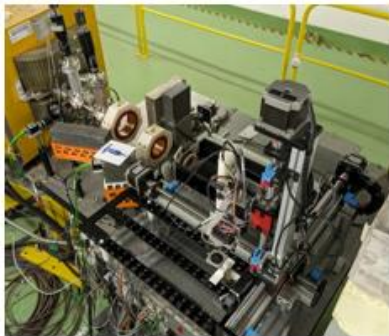
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