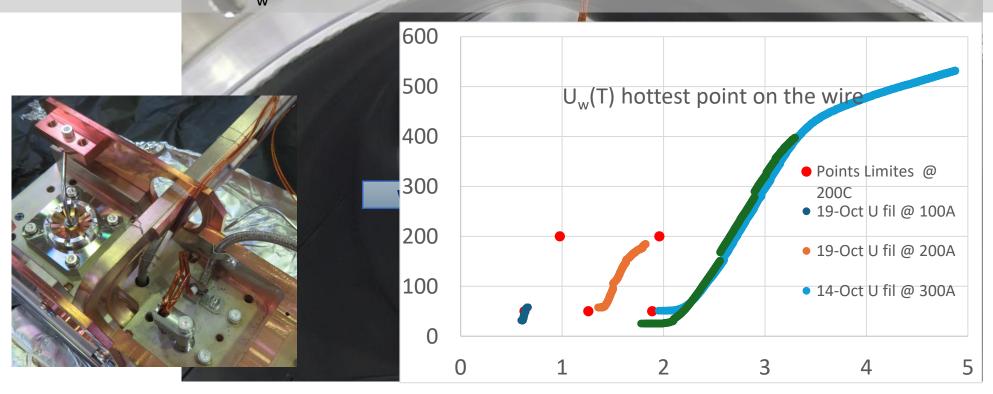
## Measurements to establish interlock params

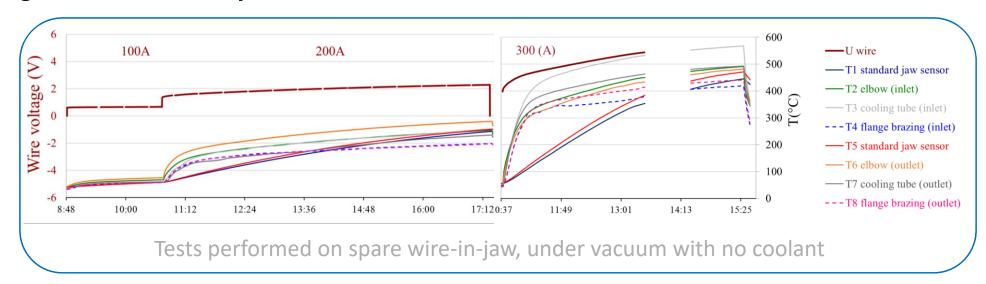
- With cooling, the wire temperature as simulations: stable a few minutes after the current jump. Hottest spot at 120°C @ 350A
- Without cooling, tests at 100 200 300A: Tw <200-300°C for  $U_w$  < 2-3V.



Prototype jaw used for wire testing and U<sub>w</sub>(T) measurements under vacuum

## Wire overheating

- Wire resistivity f(T)
- If wire voltage > 2.6V\*
  - = if hottest point @ 350A
  - < 200°C, WIC cuts the PC
- WIC could dump at the same time
- Long time constant of system, no constraints on collimator HW



<sup>\*</sup>Note this also correspond to Iw=375A



wire

Control