

# Linac4 H<sup>-</sup> sources: Highlights 2013 & objectives

Mandate: 80 mA H<sup>-</sup> within norm. emittance of 0.25  $\pi$ ·mm·mrad required intermediate stages:

<i>Linac4 IS#</i>	#1 Volume source	#2 Surface source	#3 Magnetron
<i>Operational experience H<sup>-</sup> current</i>	DESY 30 mA	SNS 50 mA	BNL 80 mA
<i>H<sup>-</sup> production mode</i>	$H_2^* + e \rightarrow H^- + H_0$	H <sub>0</sub> on cesiated surface → H <sup>-</sup>	Complex mix
<i>Plasma Heating process</i>	H <sub>2</sub> -plasma 2 MHz RF Ext. antenna	H <sub>2</sub> -plasma 2 MHz RF Int. & Ext. antenna	H <sub>2</sub> -Cs plasma Arc discharge
<i>Cesiation</i>		Cs or Cs-chromate Single deposition: 100 mg/y	Cs metal Constant flow 5 g/y
<i>Electron / H<sup>-</sup> ratio</i>	20-50	10	0.5 - 1

... and a proton source compatible with linac4, 80 mA or more...

# Organization of the ISWP

## Simulation - Measurements

### Bi-Weekly meeting

- Beam-optics *IBSimu*
- Pulsed H<sub>2</sub> injection
- High voltage, B-field (Opera)
- Thermal equilibrium
- RF-field (ANSYS HFSS)
- Photo- Spectrometry

## Simulation Plasma

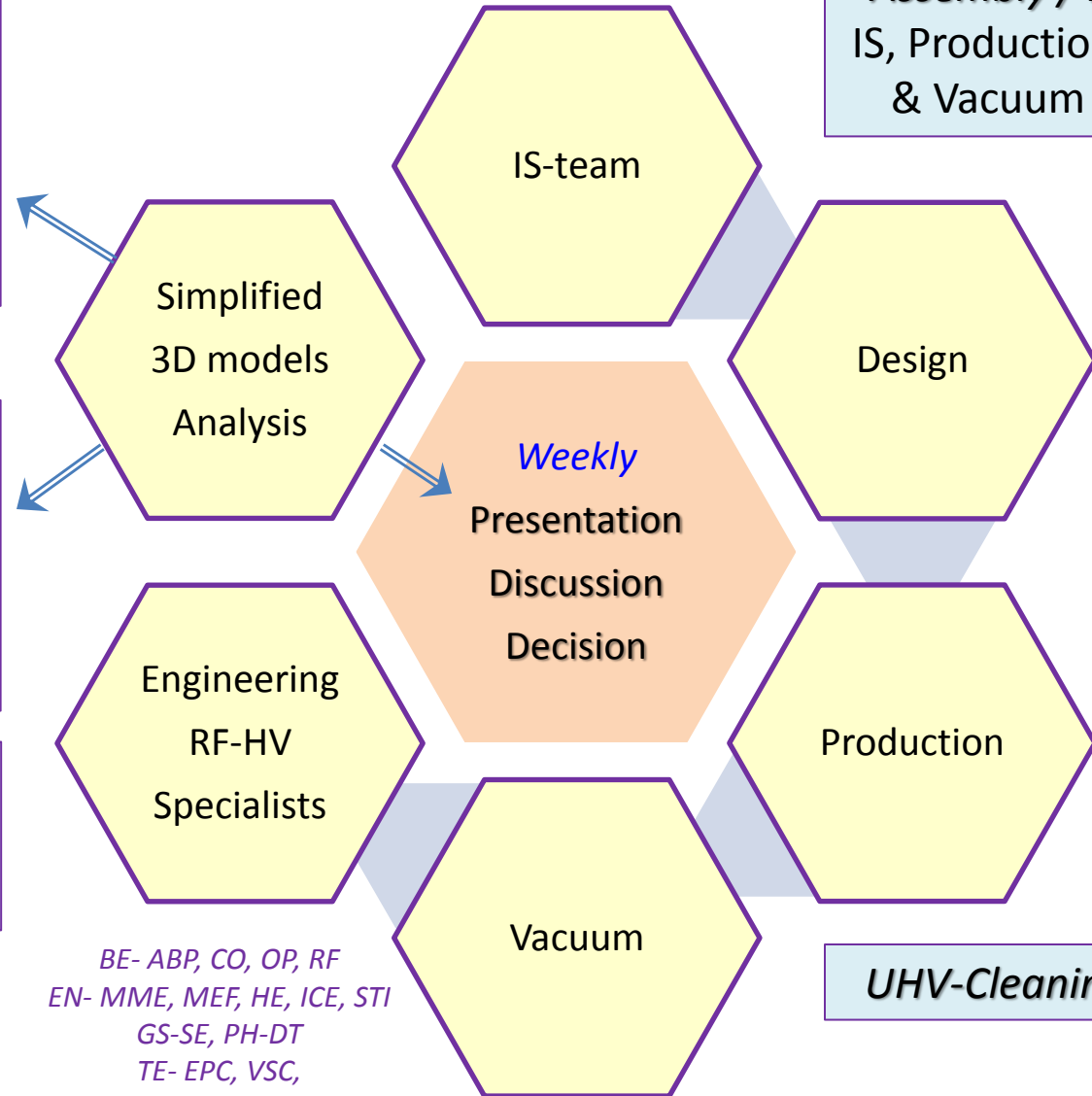
### Bi-Weekly video meeting with KEIO university

- Plasma heating
- Light emission

## Collaborations

*BNL, IPP, SNS, RAL, J-PARC, Uni. Orsay, Uni. Jyvaskyla*

*Assembly / leak test  
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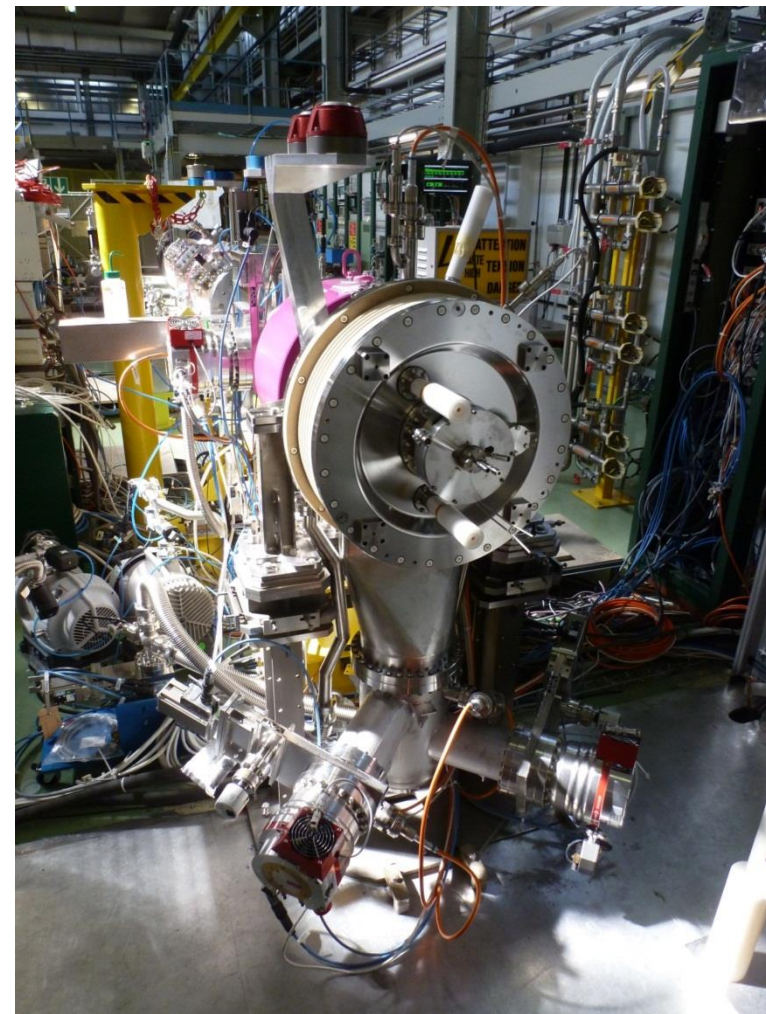
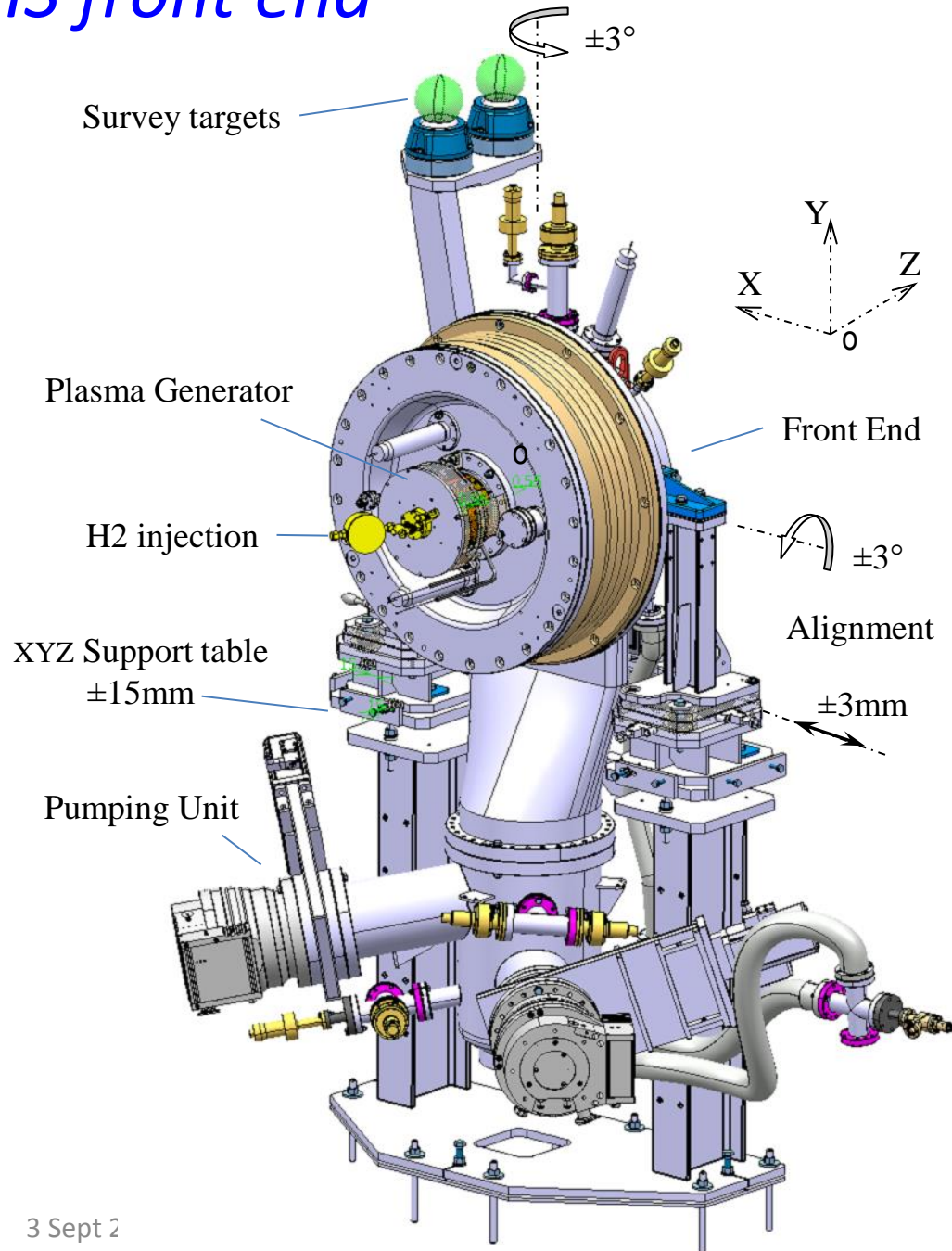
Thank you all 😊

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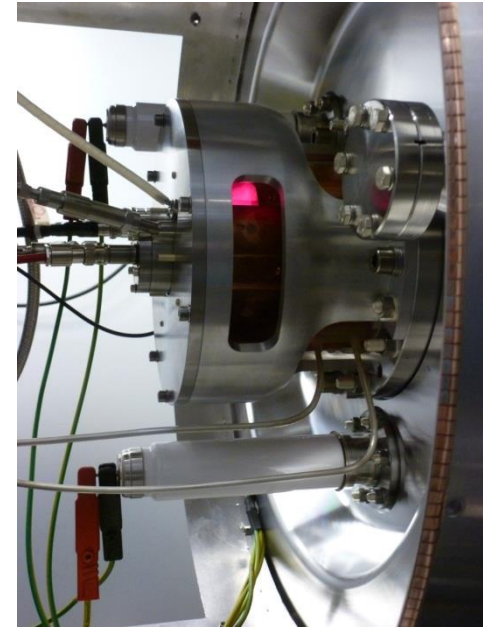
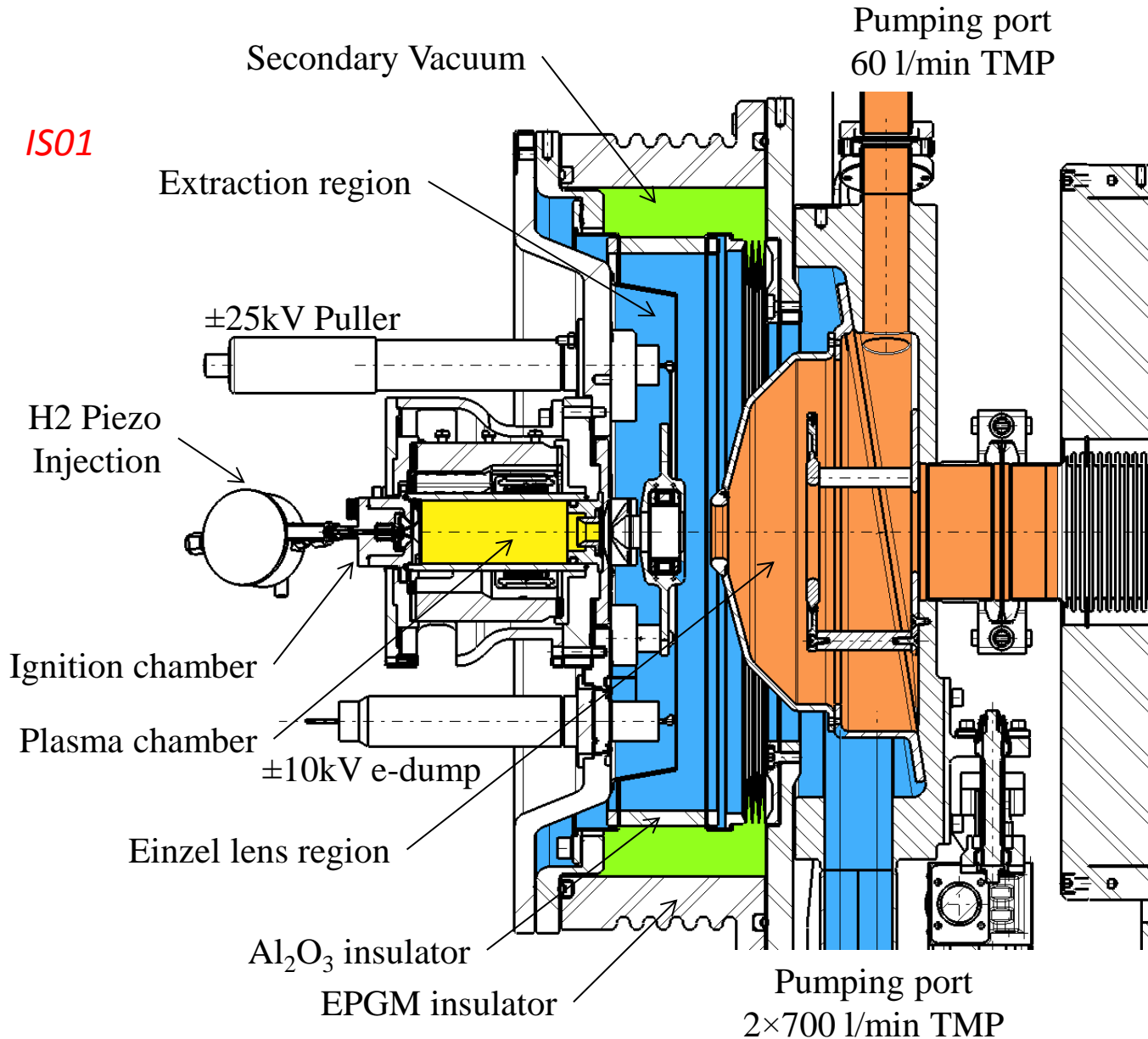
# IS front end



- Alignment table (Survey)
  - Beam based alignment options:  
*Horiz. displacement &  $d\phi$ ,  $d\omega$*
- Quick exchange in case of failure:*
- Pumping port
  - Front end

# "Plug & play" Plasma Generator and beam formation region

IS01



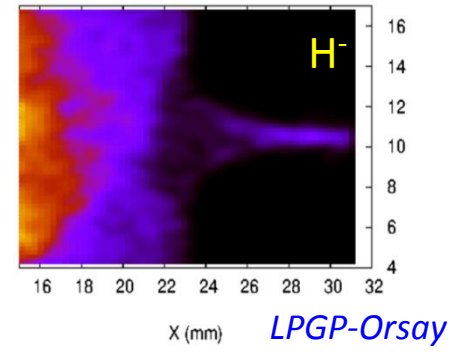
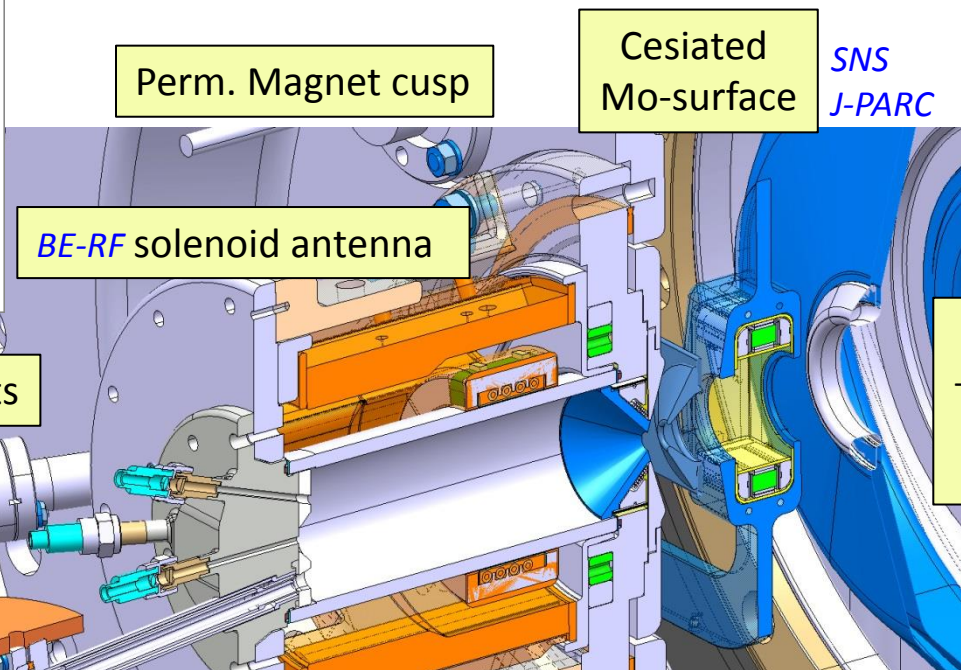
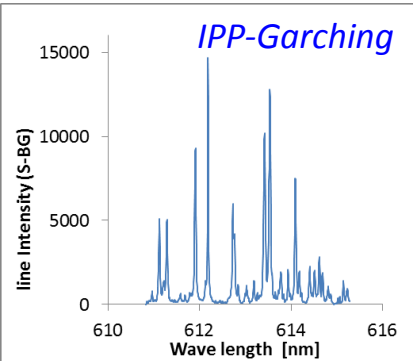
H<sub>α</sub> light diffusing through The Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> Chamber

## Exchangeable:

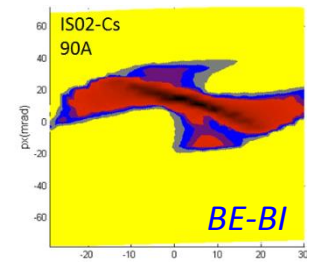
- Plasma Generator
- Flange + Extraction Optics
- Ground electrode
- Einzel lens
- Insulators

# ABP-HSL's Cesium surface Linac4 H<sup>-</sup> source: How does it work? Who made it possible?

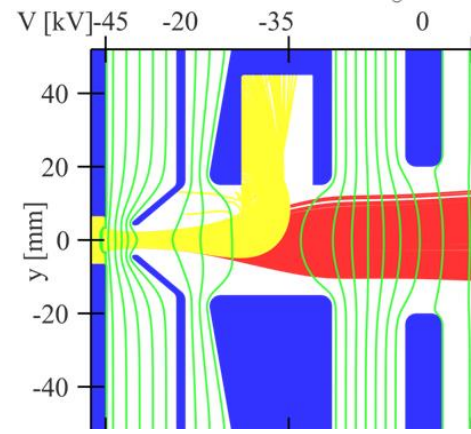
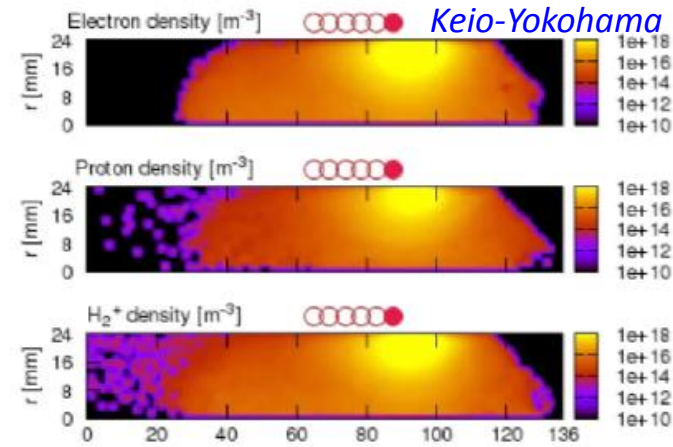
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Pulsed HVs  
-45 kV source  
25 kV puller  
10 kV dump



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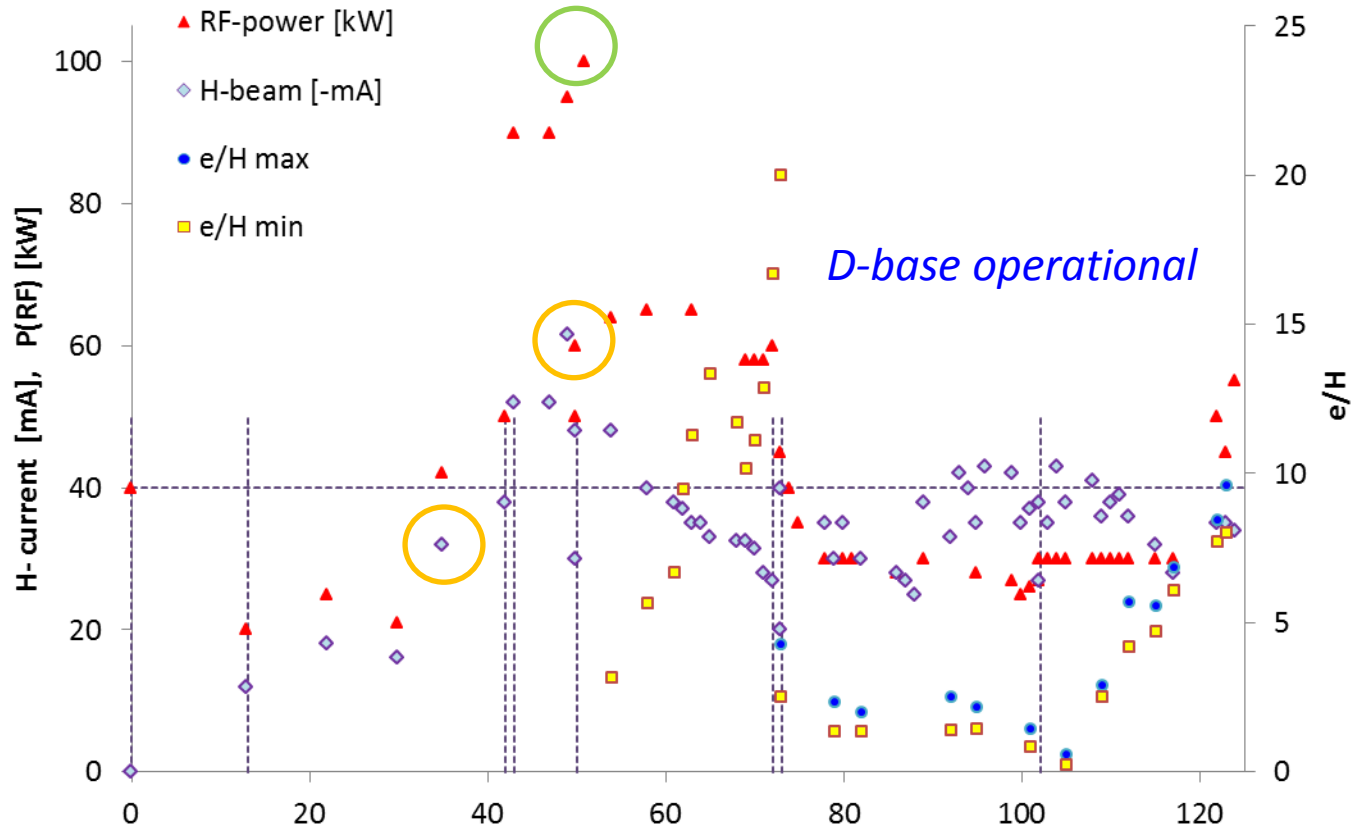
Most physics processes within this H<sup>-</sup> source are simulated, now entering engineering phase

# IS02 Accumulated experience in conditioning & H<sup>-</sup> Production:

## Notes on IS02:

- Volume production 30 mA
- Cesiumated 60 mA
- Cs-shortage: Strong anti-correlation between H<sup>-</sup> current and e-current
- Improvement of e/H few hours after cesiation
- Holds 100 kW RF

- Plasma Generator cond.: 10 days
- Volume production: 30 days
- Cesiumated surface: 80 days

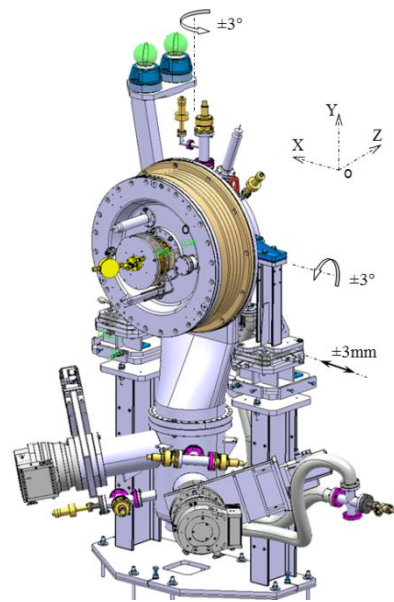


# 2013 highlights

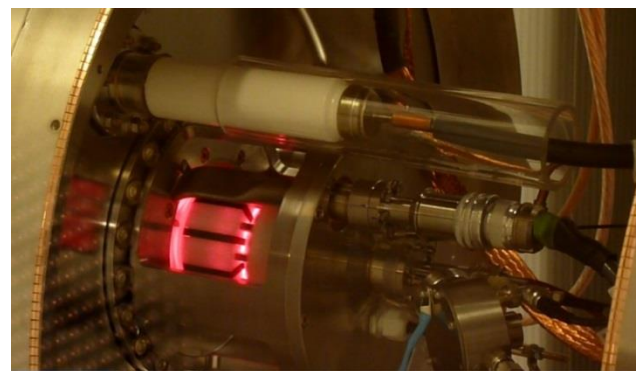
The very tight schedules of the 3MeV TS (mid. 2012) & L4-commissioning (sept.2013) is Matched

Flexible *front end* produced is suited for unprecedented IS-diversity :

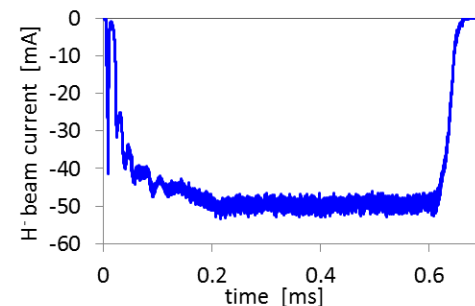
- Direct extraction of  $H^-$  from the RF- $H_2$  plasma volume (Desy *Volume IS 20 mA*)
- Extraction of  $H^-$  emitted from a cesiated Mo-surface after impact of RF- $H_2$  plasma produced  $H_0$  or p (SNS *Surface IS 50 mA*)
- Extraction from an arc discharge induced Cs-H plasma (BNL's *Magnetron 100 mA*)
- Proton source (p,  $H_2^+$ ,  $H_3^+$ )



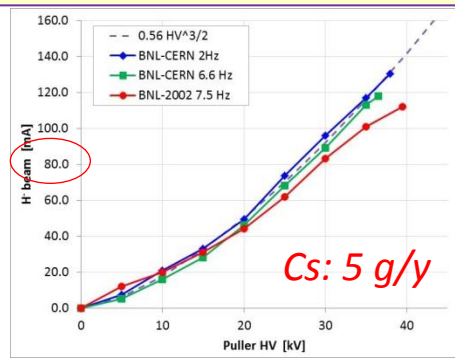
Sept. 2<sup>nd</sup> 2013: 1<sup>st</sup>  $H^-$  beam in linac4



Dec. 13<sup>th</sup> 2013: First 50 mA pulse of the cesiated surface prototype



Oct. 9<sup>th</sup> 2013: Nominal Linac4 beam tested @ BNL, 2 & 6.6 Hz



Sept-2013





# Objectives:

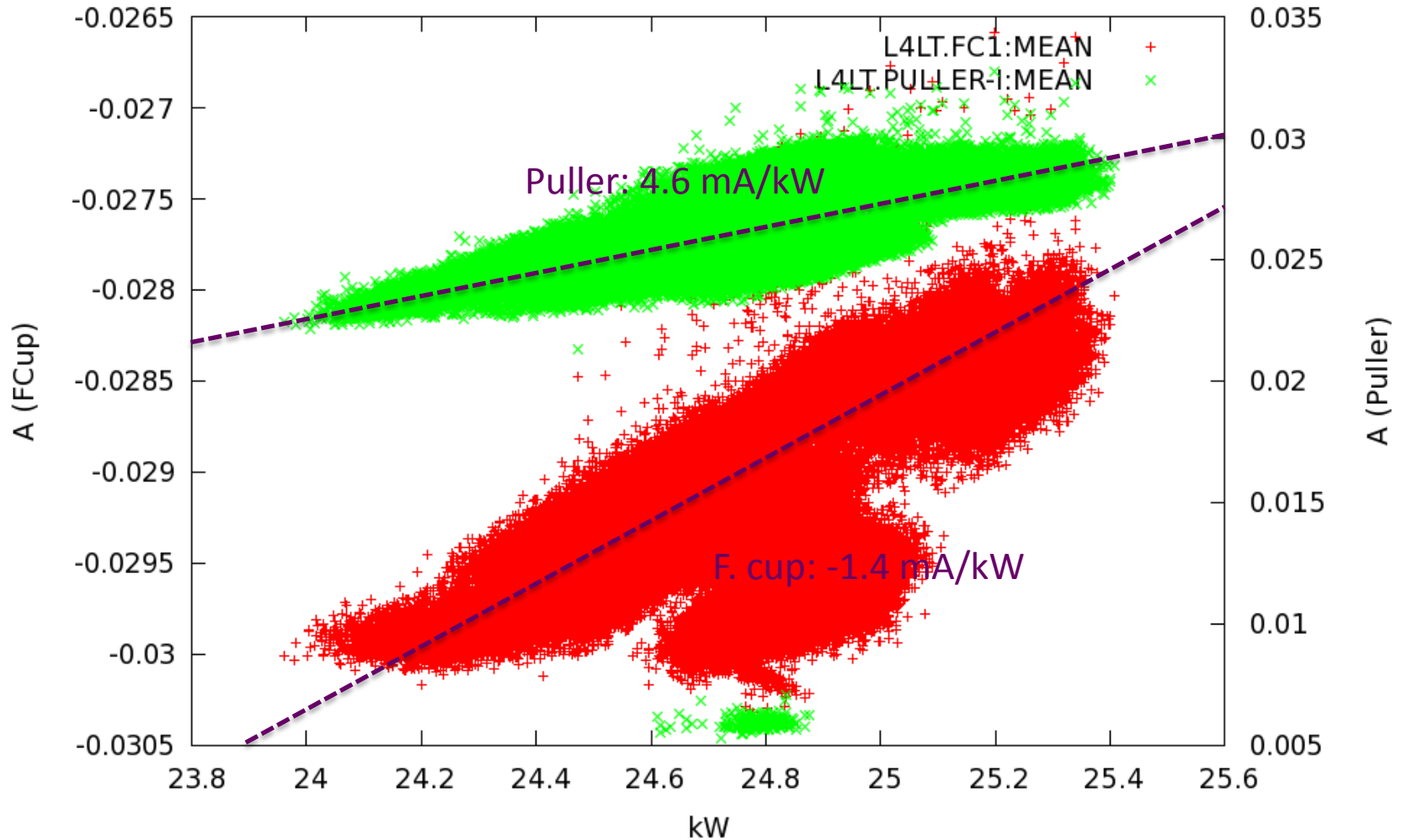
1) reliability 2) p-source 3) beyond 40 mA

2014-15

- Stabilization of the H<sup>-</sup> current
- Increasing the availability to 99 % between technical stops
- Optimizing mean time between maintenance
- Demonstrate reactions to breakdowns via timing and operation procedures
- Produce and test a proton source based on existing plasma generator
- Produce and test the On-axis magnetron at 0.8 Hz at the IS-test stand
- *Tilted magnetron with Cs condensation*

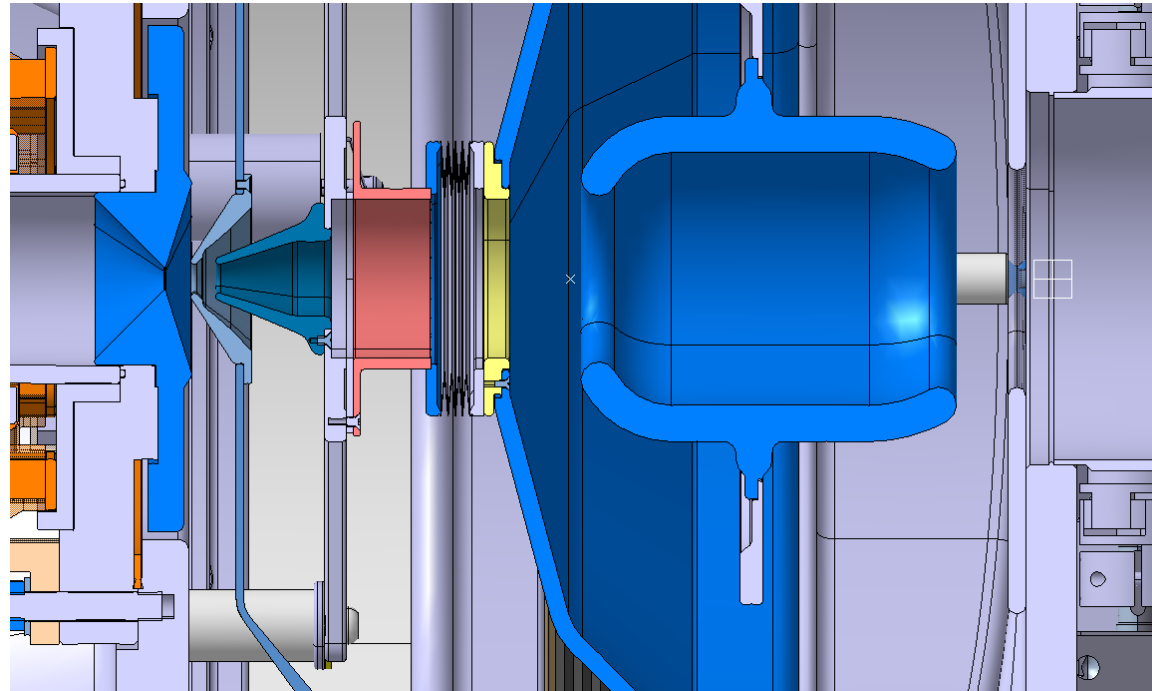
<i>CERN Magnetron: APT flow, Deliverables</i>	<i>Date</i>
Refurbished magnetron prototype with Temperature-controlled anode (On-axis no-flange)	2014
Beam optics available, Design completed raw material ordered, Arc supply ordered	2015
Production completed tests launched, decision for corr.-QP	2016
Proto flange (+spare Magnetron) available for L4 testing	2017

# DB-correlations: Puller & H beam currents vs. RF-power



The Rf-amplifier is facing the entrance door, its power is correlated to the room temperature

# Proton, $H_2^+$ , $H_3^+$ source

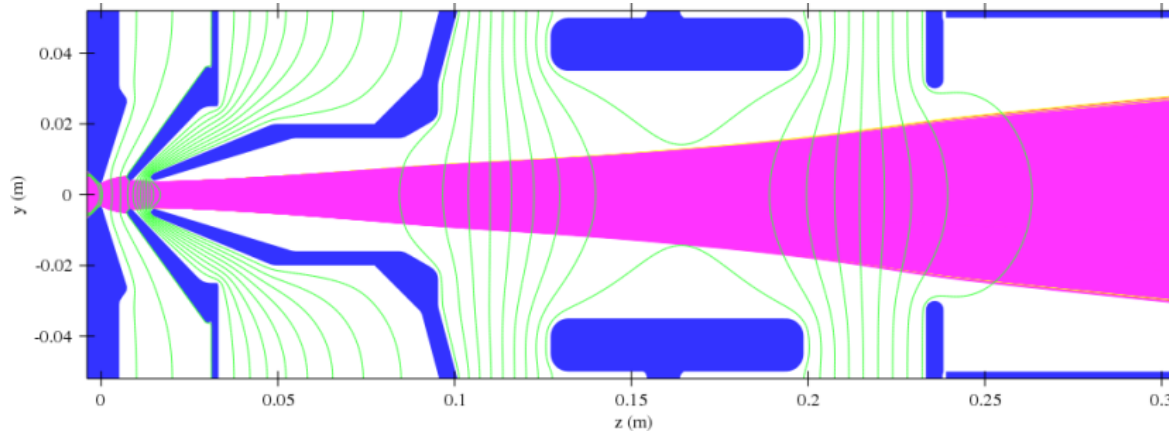


IS01 PG  
+45 kV

Puller 35 kV

Einzel lens -35 kV

- Boundary: compatible with existing front end.
- Iteration between design and beam simulation on-going



# Modification of the Is-Front end: Large ceramic insulator

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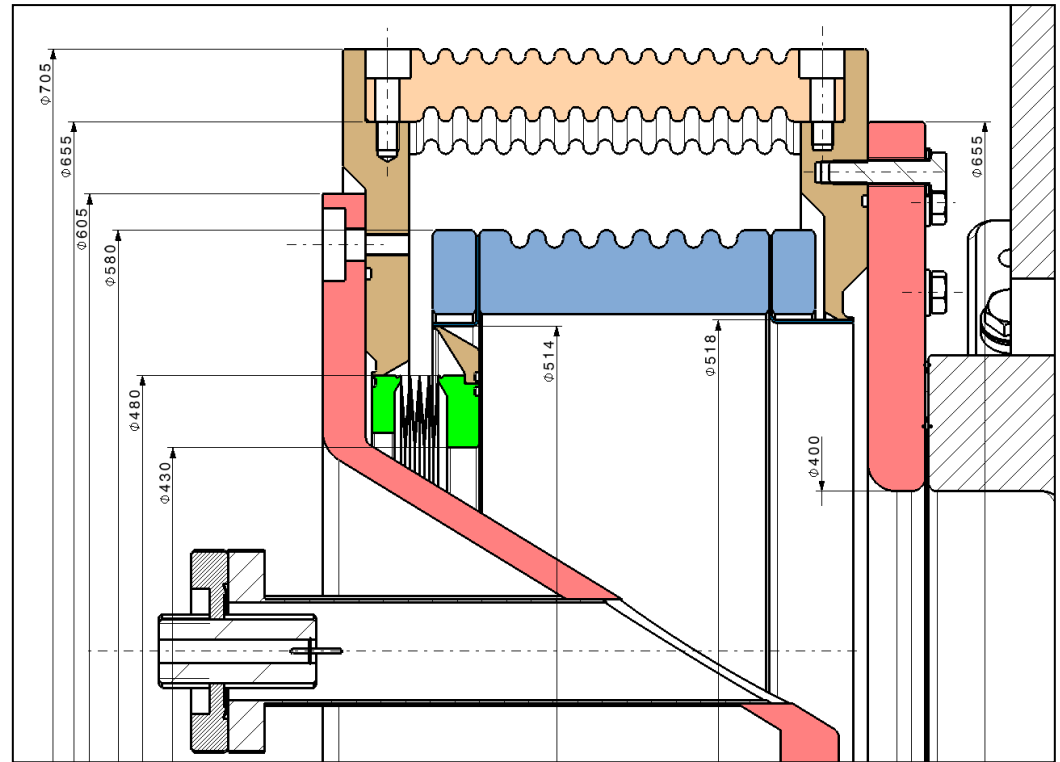
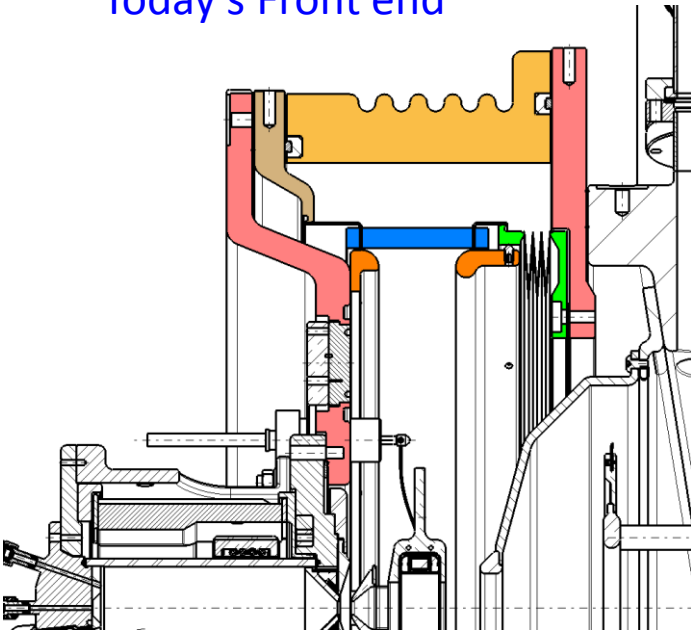
Ceramic insulator: March-April 2015

Deep flange

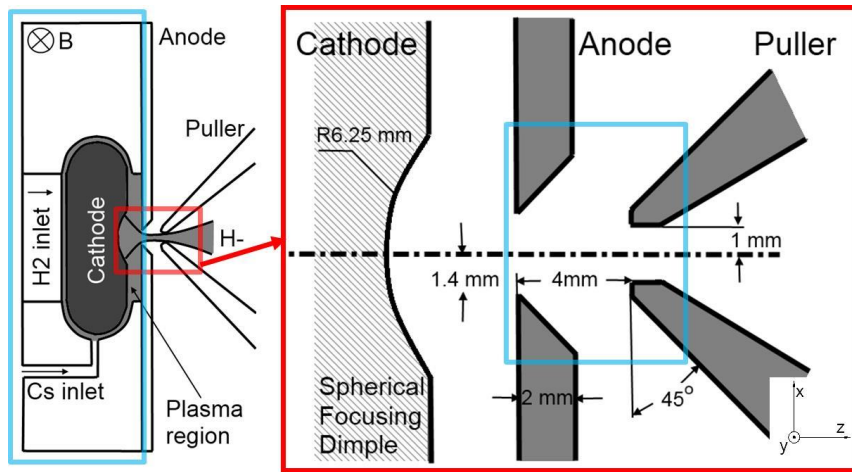
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Today's Front end



# Simulation of BNL's Magnetron with IBSimu

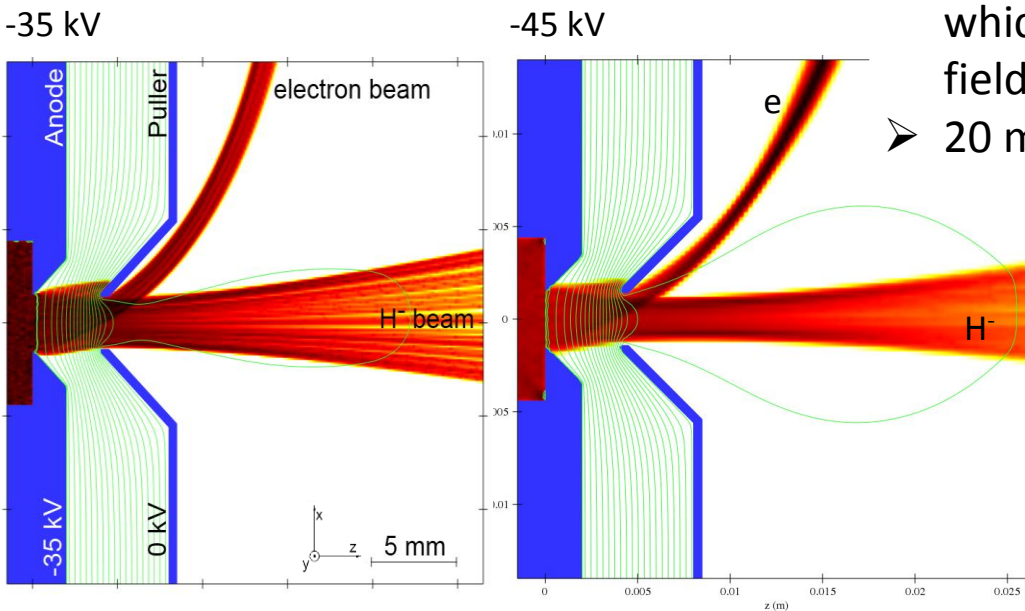


## IBSimu settings:

- H<sup>-</sup> beam current density is set to **1.6 A/cm<sup>2</sup>**, resulting in a current of **100 mA**.
- Electron to H<sup>-</sup> ratio = 1/2 (50 mA)
- A 3-D magnetic field map created in OPERA from the known magnet geometry and adjusting the field to a peak of 900 G.

## Results:

- The H<sup>-</sup> beam is transported through the puller at close to 100% efficiency.
- 60 % of the co-extracted electrons (30mA), which trajectories are bent by the magnetic field, are dumped on the puller electrode tip.
- 20 mA e-beam passes the puller electrode.

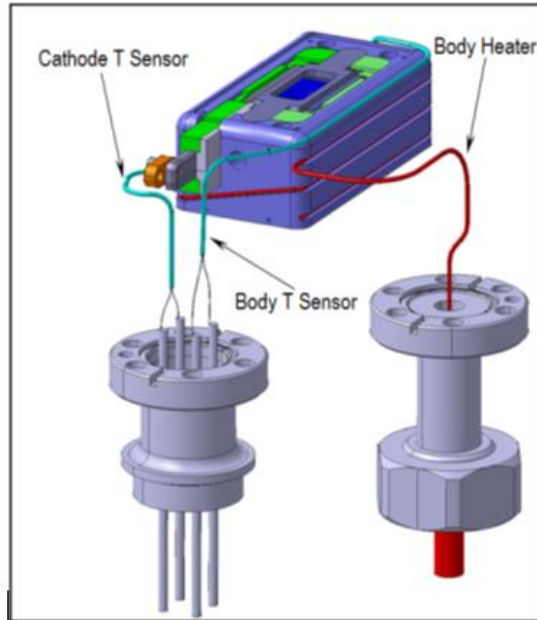


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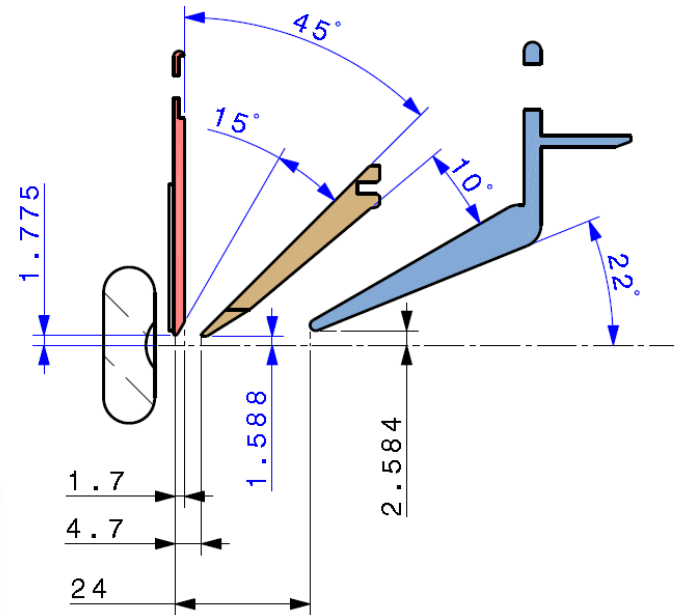
# Magnetron: BNL-test Post mortem, Status and outlook



<https://edms.cern.ch/document/1352150/1>



2 stage extraction: Puller at 30 kV



- Heated Anode body mandatory for 0.8Hz operation designed and ready for production
- W-tip and broken insulator ceramics will be replaced.