



Slow, exotic, ions at GSI/FAIR

Deceleration and Storage of heavy, highly charged ions

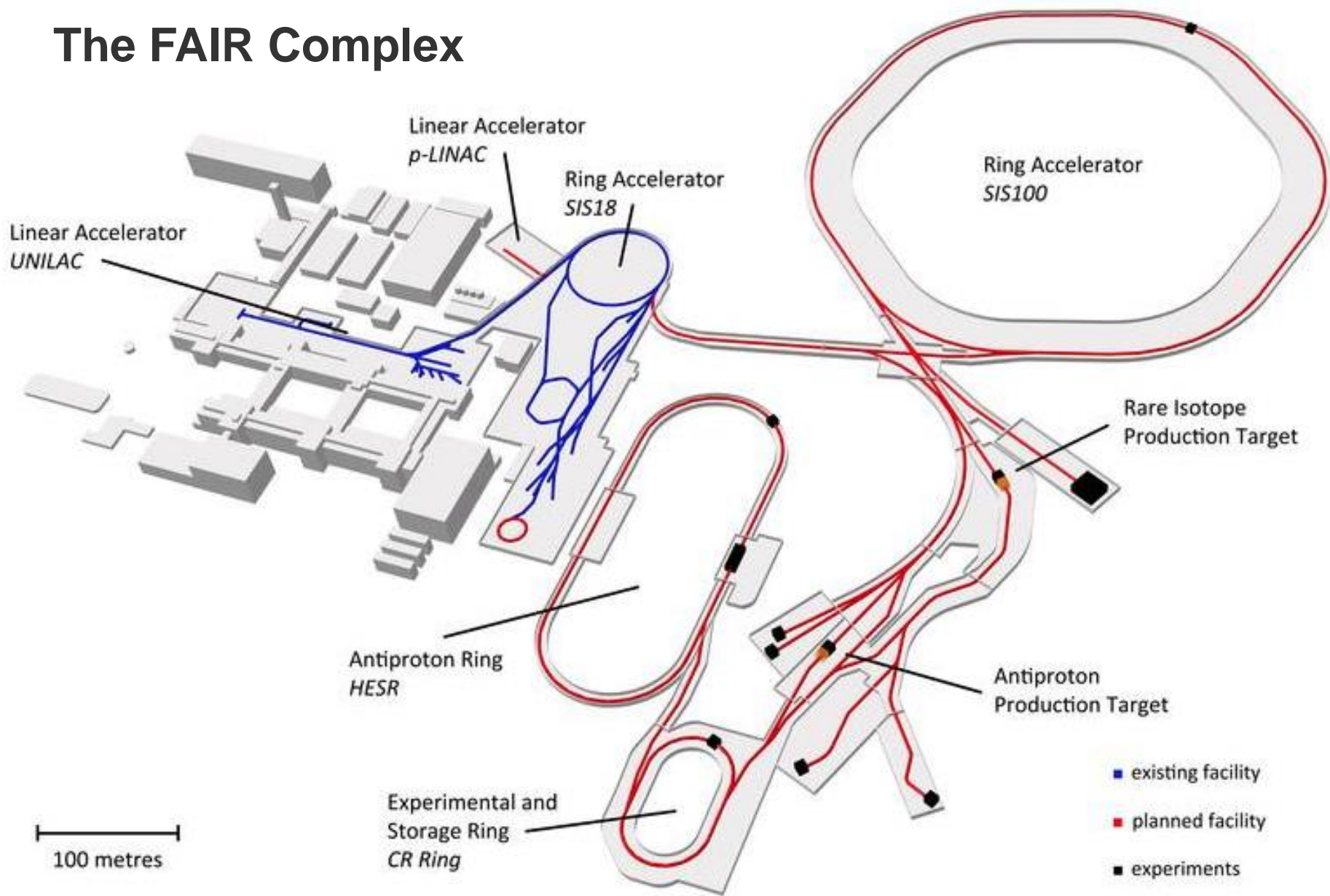
CRYRING@ESR

Commissioning and Performance

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The FAIR Complex



Status of FAIR construction

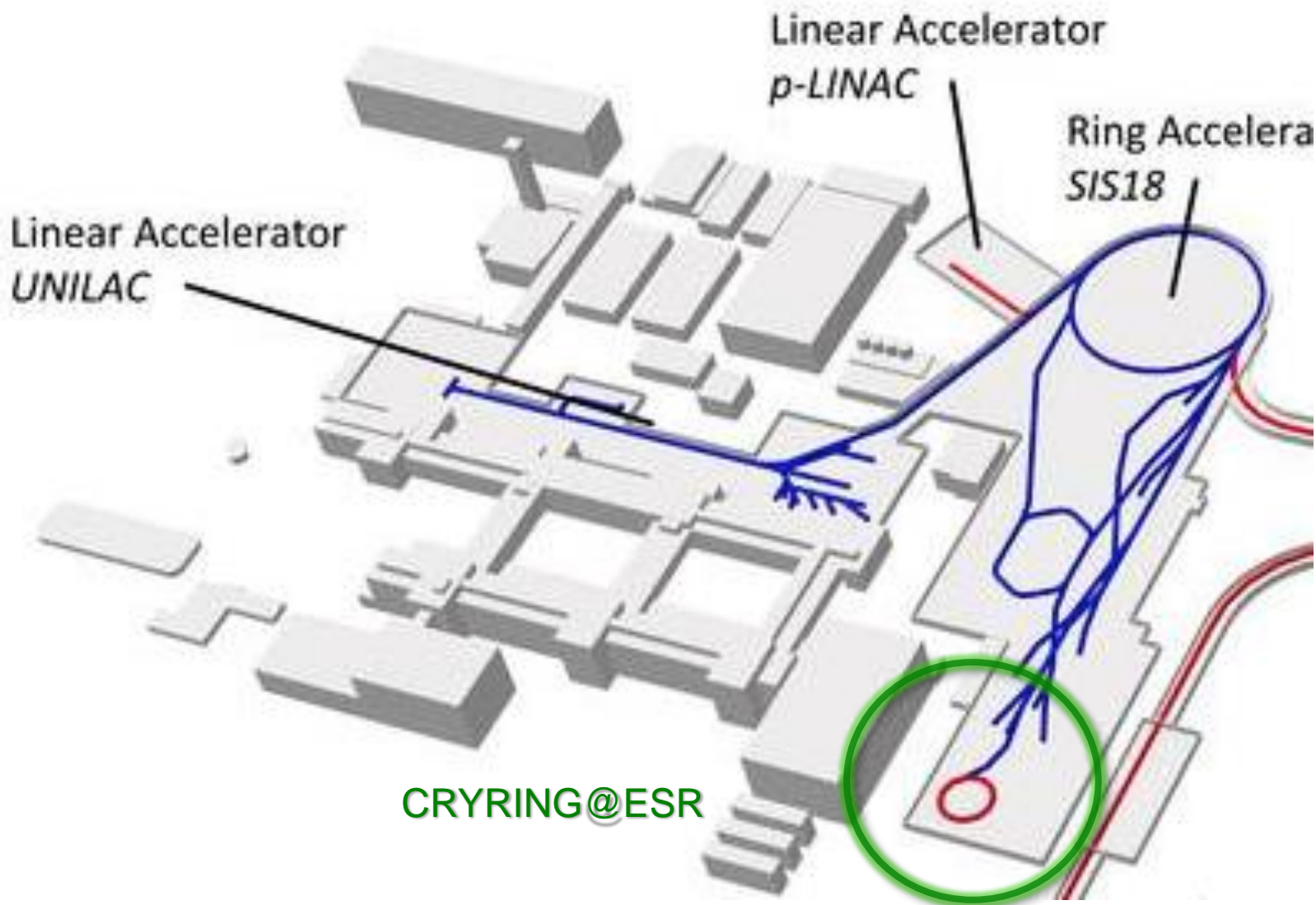


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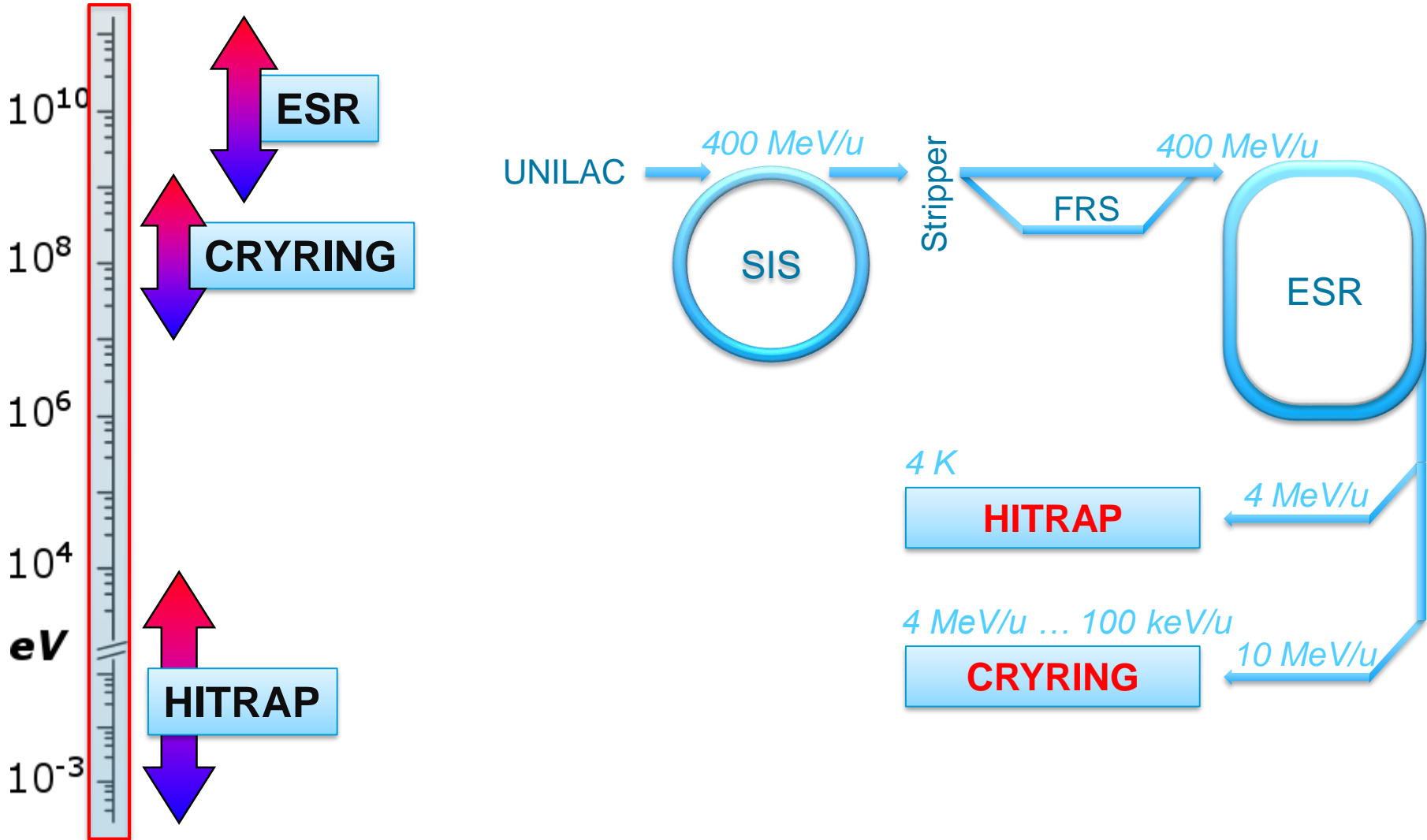
FAIR construction site in August 2018

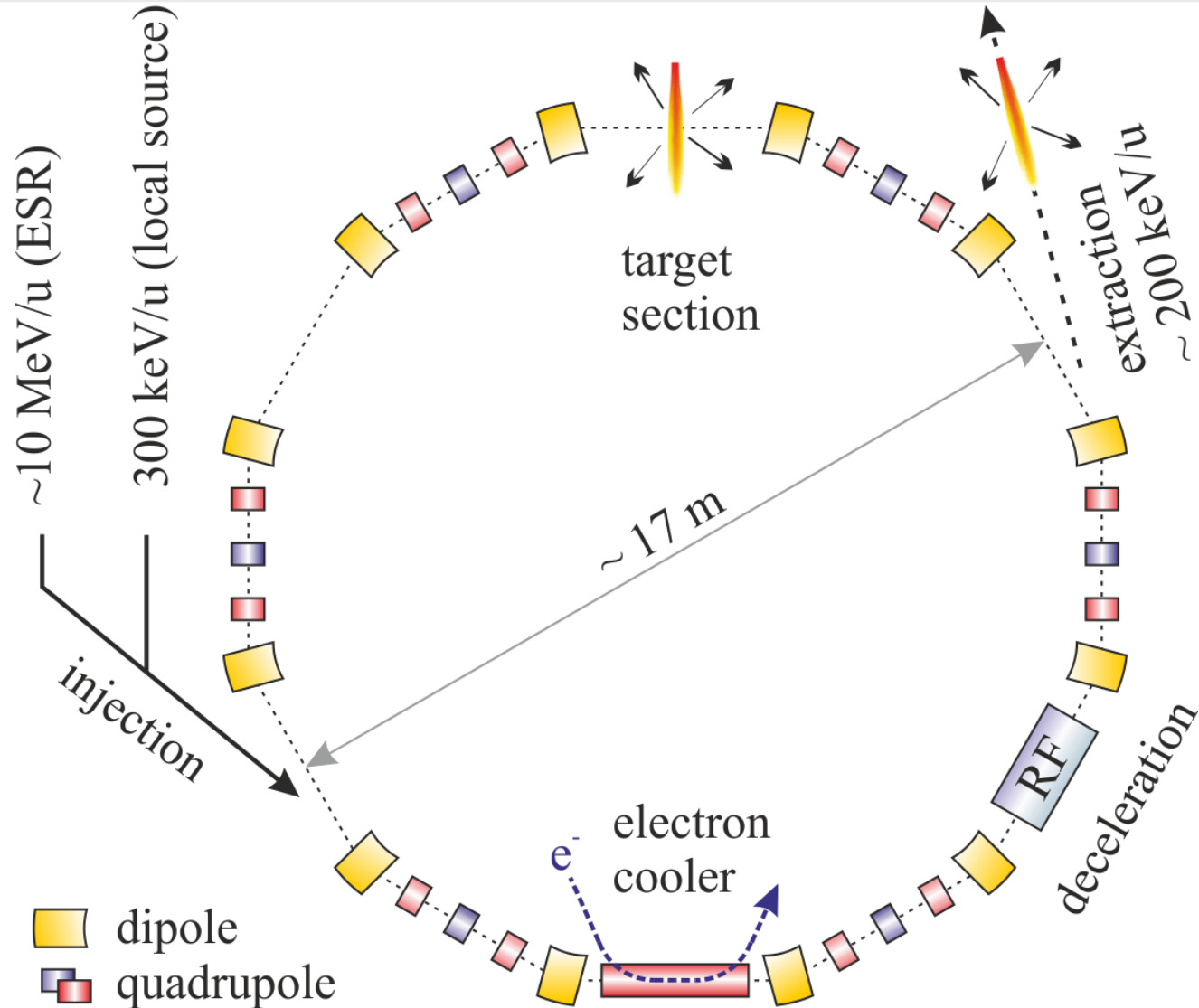
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Highly Charged Ion Storage at GSI ("low energy")





CRYRING in Stockholm (MSL)

Singly charged positive atomic ions:

$H^+, D^+, {}^3He^+, {}^4He^+, {}^7Li^+, {}^9Be^+, {}^{11}B^+, {}^{12}C^+, {}^{14}N^+, {}^{16}O^+, {}^{40}Ar^+, {}^{40}Ca^+, {}^{45}Sc^+, {}^{48}Ti^+, {}^{56}Fe^+, {}^{83}Kr^+, {}^{84}Kr^+, {}^{86}Kr^+, {}^{88}Sr^+, {}^{129}Xe^+, {}^{131}Xe^+, {}^{132}Xe^+, {}^{138}Ba^+, {}^{139}La^+, {}^{142}Nd^+, {}^{151}Eu^+, {}^{197}Au^+, {}^{208}Pb^+$

Multiply charged atomic ions:

${}^4He^{2+}, {}^{11}B^{2+}, {}^{12}C^{2+}, {}^{12}C^{3+}, {}^{12}C^{4+}, {}^{12}C^{6+}, {}^{14}N^{2+}, {}^{14}N^{3+}, {}^{14}N^{4+}, {}^{14}N^{7+}, {}^{16}O^{2+}, {}^{16}O^{3+}, {}^{16}O^{4+}, {}^{16}O^{5+}, {}^{16}O^{8+}, {}^{19}F^{6+}, {}^{19}F^{9+}, {}^{20}Ne^{2+}, {}^{20}Ne^{5+}, {}^{20}Ne^{6+}, {}^{20}Ne^{7+}, {}^{20}Ne^{10+}, {}^{28}Si^{3+}, {}^{28}Si^{11+}, {}^{28}Si^{14+}, {}^{32}S^{5+}, {}^{36}Ar^{9+}, {}^{36}Ar^{10+}, {}^{36}Ar^{12+}, {}^{36}Ar^{13+}, {}^{40}Ar^{7+}, {}^{40}Ar^{9+}, {}^{40}Ar^{11+}, {}^{40}Ar^{13+}, {}^{40}Ar^{15+}, {}^{48}Ti^{11+}, {}^{58}Ni^{17+}, {}^{58}Ni^{18+}, {}^{84}Kr^{33+}, {}^{126}Xe^{36+}, {}^{129}Xe^{36+}, {}^{129}Xe^{37+}, {}^{136}Xe^{39+}, {}^{136}Xe^{44+}, {}^{207}Pb^{53+}, {}^{208}Pb^{53+}, {}^{208}Pb^{54+}, {}^{208}Pb^{55+}$

Positive molecular ions:

$H_2^+, HD^+, H_3^+, D_2^+, H_2D^+, {}^3He^+, NH_2^+, OH^+, CH_5^+, NH_4^+, H_2O^+, C_2H_2^+, HCN^+, C_2H_3^+, HCNH^+, NO^+, D^{13}CO^+, CH_3O^+, CF^+, O_2^+, N_2H_7^+, D_2^{32}S^+, CD_3OH_2^+, CD_3D_3^{34}S^+, C_3H_4^+, D_2^{37}Cl^+, D_5O_2^+, CH_3CNH^+, C_3D_3^+, N_2D_7^+, N_3^+, C_3H_7^+, Na_2O^+, CO_2^+, HCS^+, C_2H_5O^+, DN_2O^+, C_2H_5OH^+, CO_2D^+, CD_3CDO^+, NO^+·H_2O, O_3^+, DCOOD_2^+, CD_3OCD_2^+, C_3D_7^+, CF_2^+, NO^+·D_2O, DC_3N^+, CD_3OCD_3^+, N_3H_{10}^+, DC_3ND_3^+, CD_3ODCD_3^+, H_7O_3^+, COS^+, N_2O_2^+, CH_3OCOH_2^+, D_7O_3^+, N_3D_{10}^+, C_4D_4^+, S^{18}O_2^+, ArN_2^+, H_9O_4^+, CD_3COHNHCH_3^+, CD_3CONHDCH_3^+, C_6D_6^+, PO^{37}Cl^+, H_{11}O_3^+, C_2S_2H_6^+, C_2S_2H_7^+, H_{13}O_6^+, PO^{35}Cl_2^+$

Negative atomic ions:

$H^-, Li^-, F^-, Si^-, S^-, Cl^-, Se^-, Te^-$

Negative molecular ions:

$CN^-, C_4^-, Si_2^-, Cl_2^-$

~200 different ion species

*singly charged (pos. & neg.)
multiply charged
molecular (pos. & neg.)*

- Successful operated from 1992 to 2010
- Dismantled and shipped to FAIR/GSI in 2012/13

GSI(FAIR): + heavy, highly charged ions!

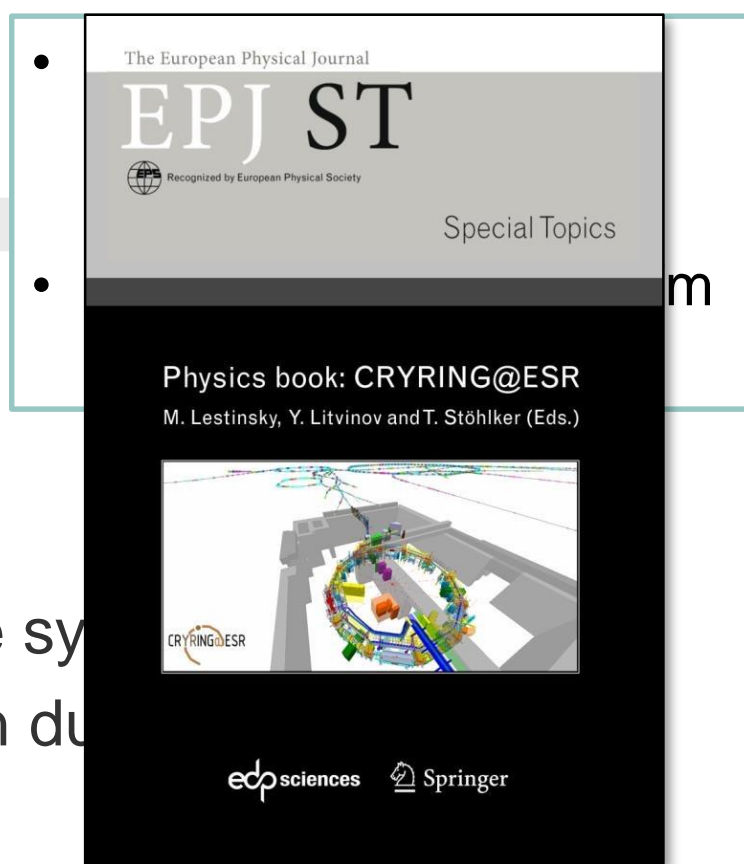
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■ FAIR Research & Development

- Detectors and diagnostic systems
- FAIR type control system
- Training of operators on FAIR type systems with real beam (standalone operation during

■ Scientific Opportunities

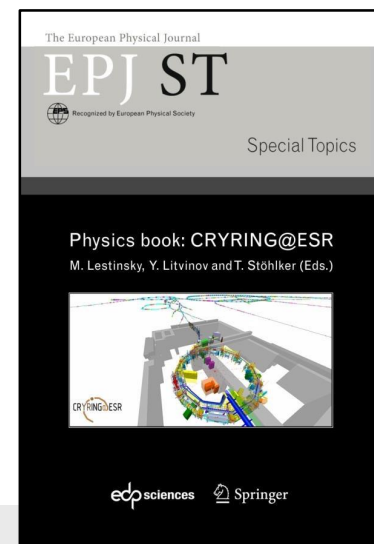
- Heavy, highly-charged ions available at GSI (up to U^{92+} , fragmentation products) at low energy 100 keV/u .. 10 MeV/u – bridge the energy gap between the ESR (> 4 MeV/u) and HITRAP (<10 keV/u)



- Atomic and molecular structure, slow collision dynamics, elementary processes
- Nuclear structure, astrophysically relevant rates in the Gamov window of p-process, (p, γ) , nuclear collisions at the Coulomb barrier
- Intersections of atomic and nuclear physics (nuclear magnetic moments, isotope shifts and charge radii, NEEC, nuclear Polarization ...)
- HCI and surfaces/bulk material

already using the present GSI accelerator chain ~2018++

- 3 PAC proposals granted
- 17 Letters of intent



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Restart of
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Transport
to GSI

New, FAIR controls, first integration of ... databases, machine model, user interface, timing, ...

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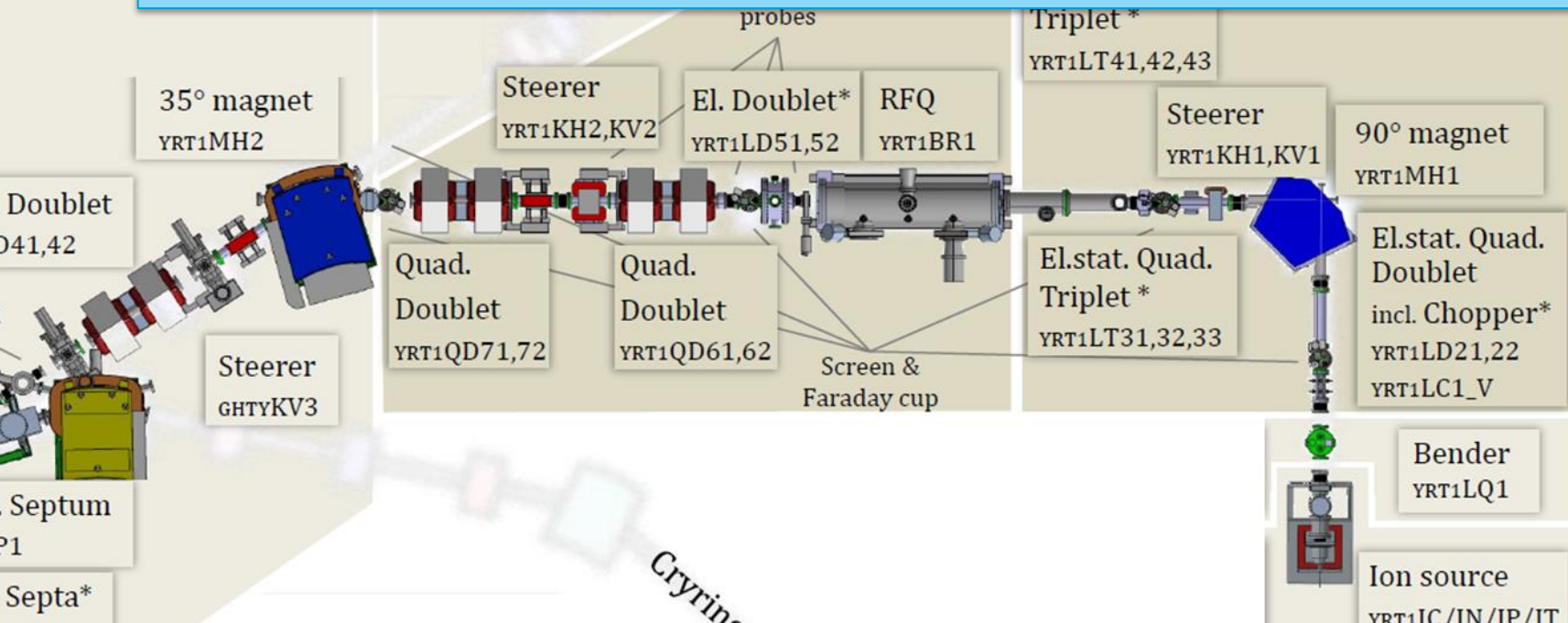
First ions from source

First ions @ 300 keV/u

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Local Ion Source

- Typical ions so far – H₂, D₂, Ar, **Mg**
- Typical intensities of beam for injection – 40 μA for gases, 4 μA for Mg, *has been improved from the initial 1 μA*
- Uninterrupted operation time – *improved from a few days to weeks*
- *Second and third version built for fast change over and development work*
- Other source types (e.g. EBIT) and upgrade of RF Power discussed or already scheduled



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ESR – From 400 to 4 MeV/u

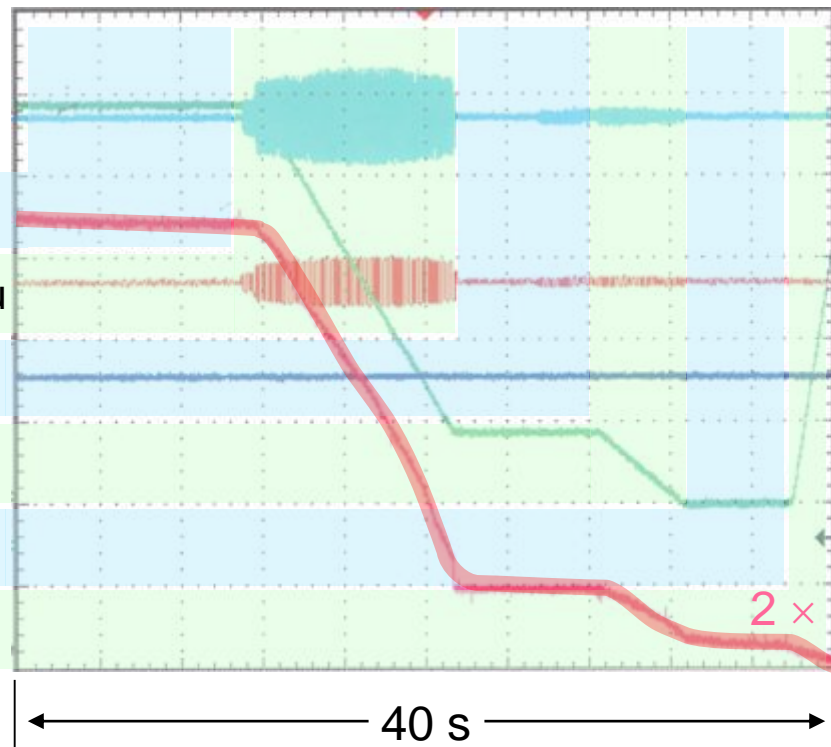
ESR – Experimental Storage Ring at GSI with stochastic and electron cooling

Ni^{28+} 400 → 30 → 4 MeV/u

time (s)

ESR cycle during recent experiment

5..20	injection, stoch. cooling
3..10	deceleration 400 – 30 MeV/u
2..6	e ⁻ cooling, rebunching
2..5	deceleration 30 – 4 MeV/u
2..5	e ⁻ cooling, ejection
3	reset magnets



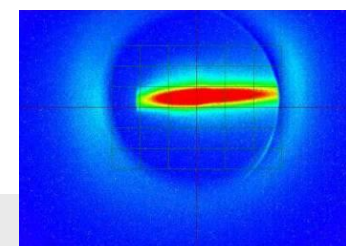
signal:
RF amplitude

magn. dipole field

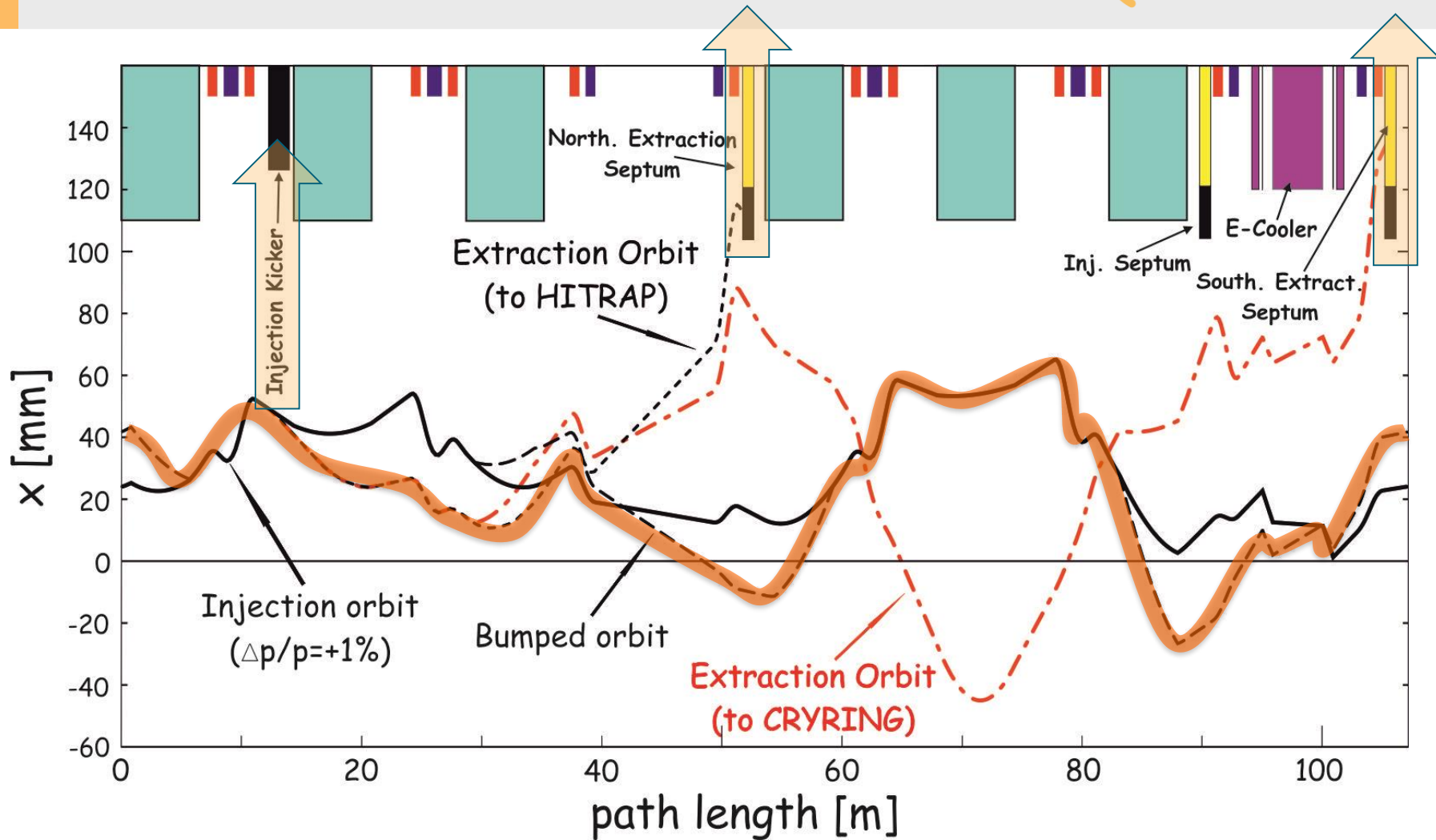
2×10^7
ion current

$1100 \mu\text{A} \rightarrow 180 \mu\text{A} \rightarrow 25 \mu\text{A}$

M. Steck et al.

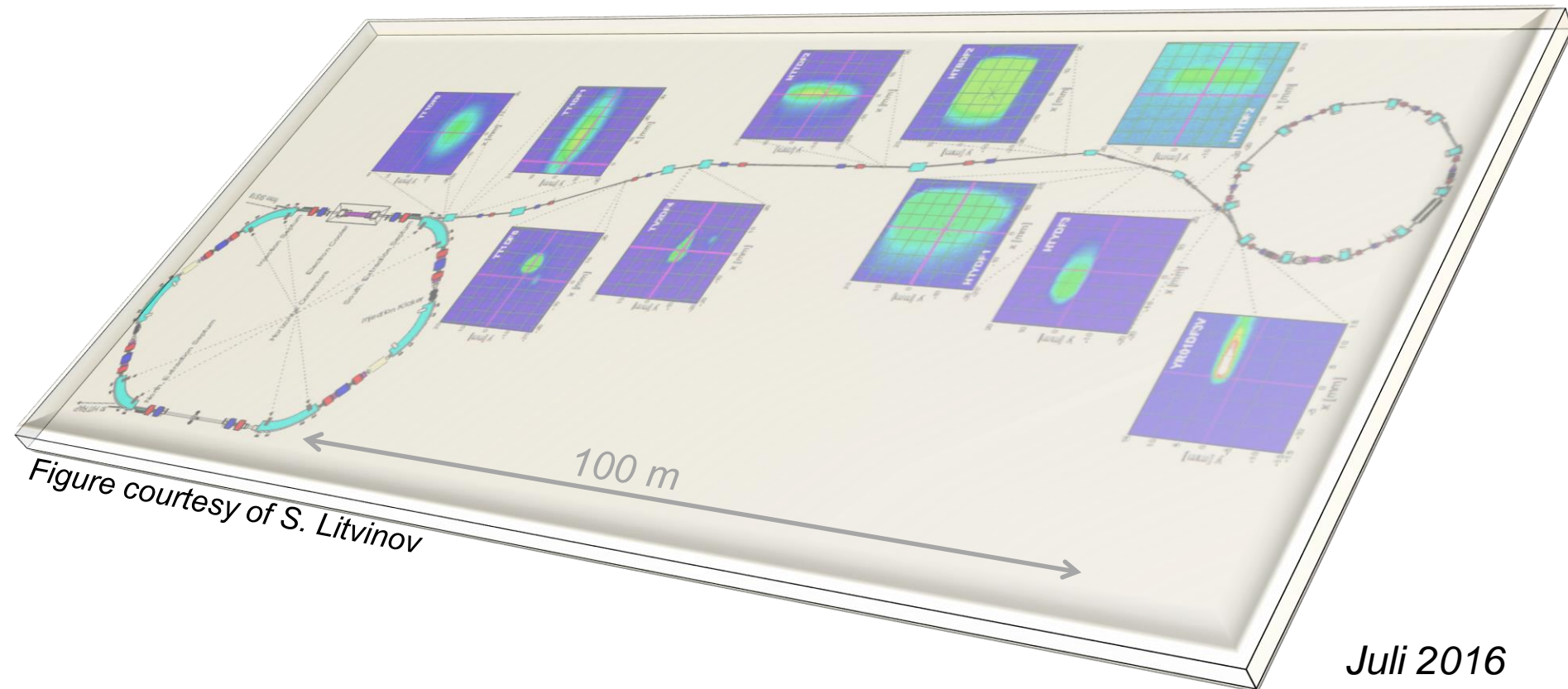


Fast Extraction from ESR to CRYRING



S. Litvinov et al.

ESR $\xrightarrow{> 60\%}$ **CRYRING@ESR**



Juli 2016

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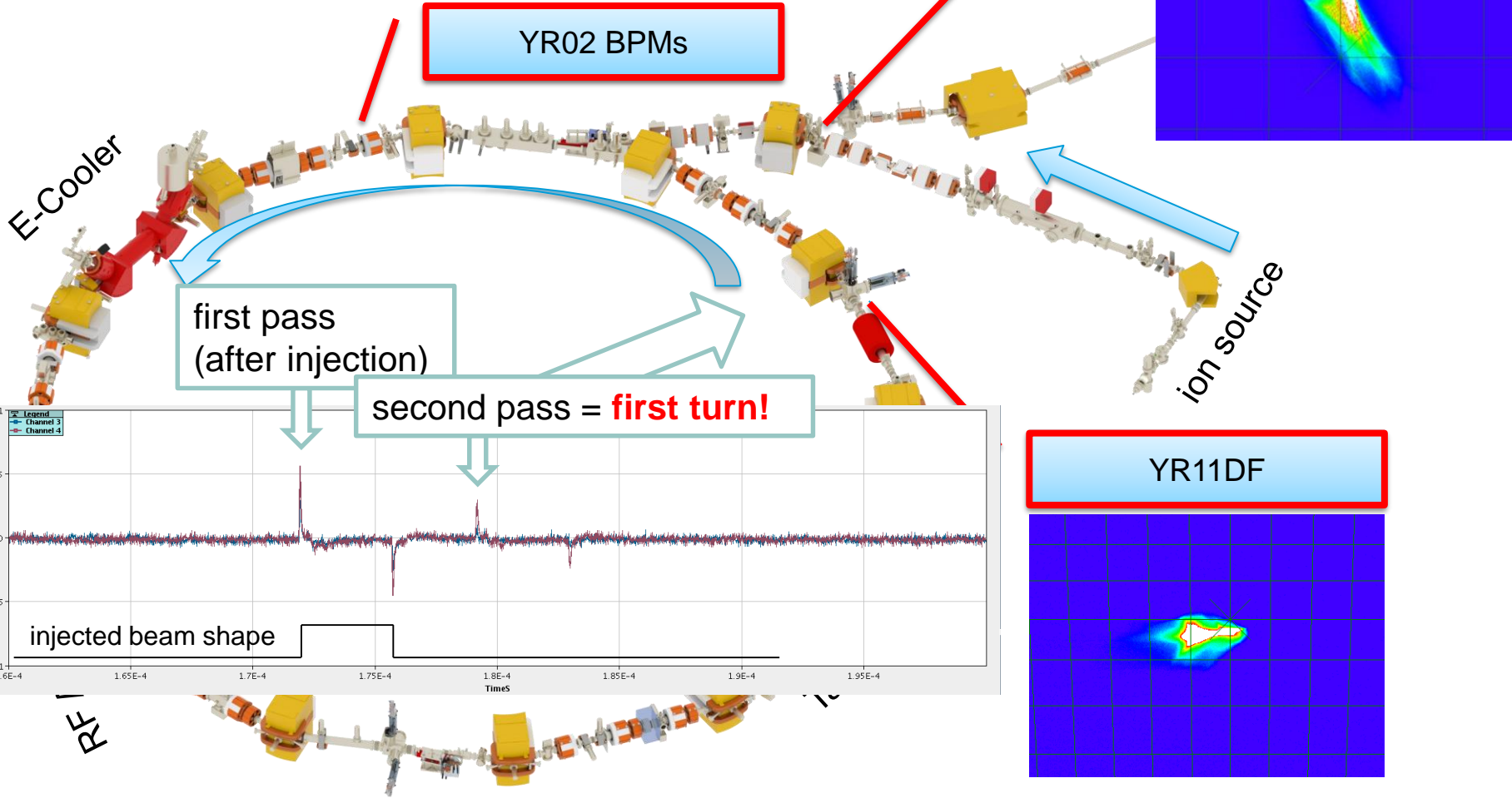
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Transport test with ESR beam

First ions in ring = first turn

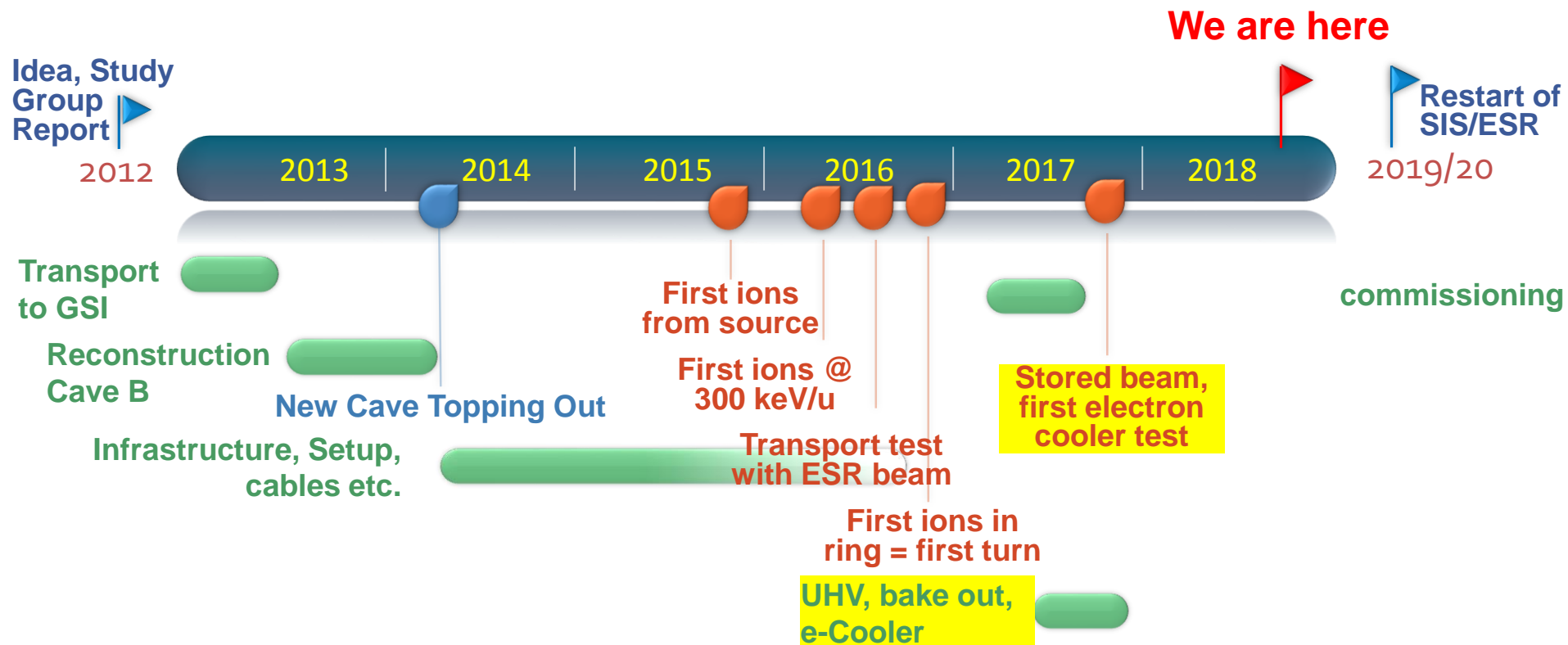
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First Turn – Oct. 2016



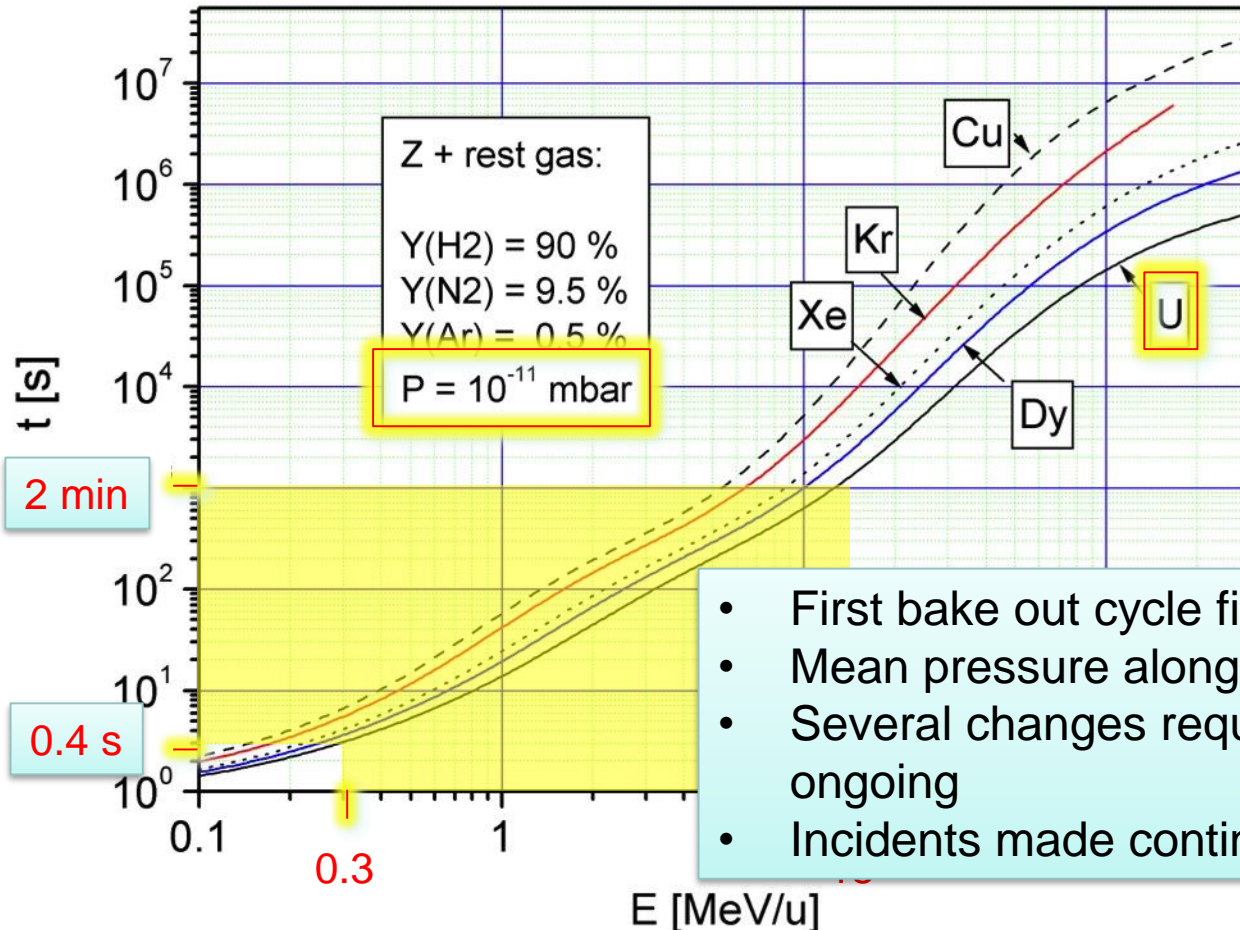
Successful testbed for FAIR type control system stack

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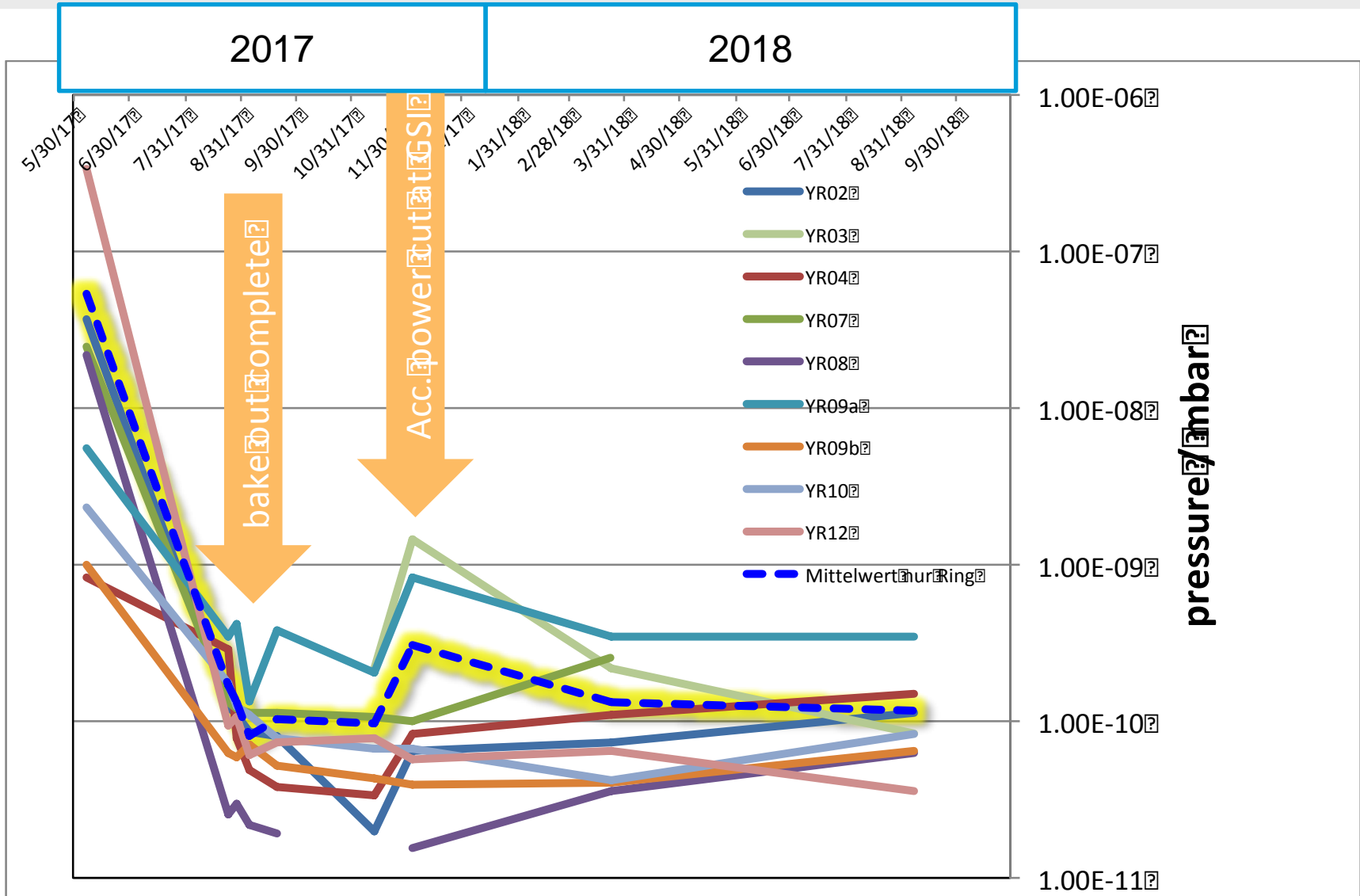
LIFETIMES OF BARE NUCLEUS



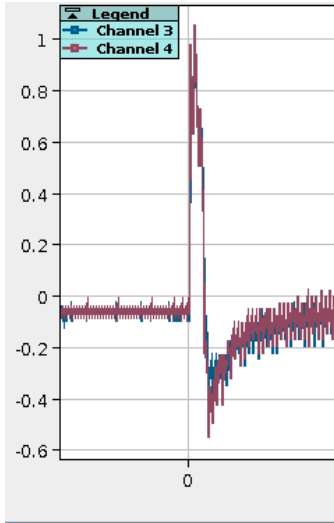
- Ion pumps
~ 10
- Cryopumps
- NEG pumps
~ 100

- First bake out cycle finished
- Mean pressure along the ring 1 x 10⁻¹⁰ mbar
- Several changes require more bake out – ongoing
- Incidents made continuous pumping difficult

Vacuum Conditions



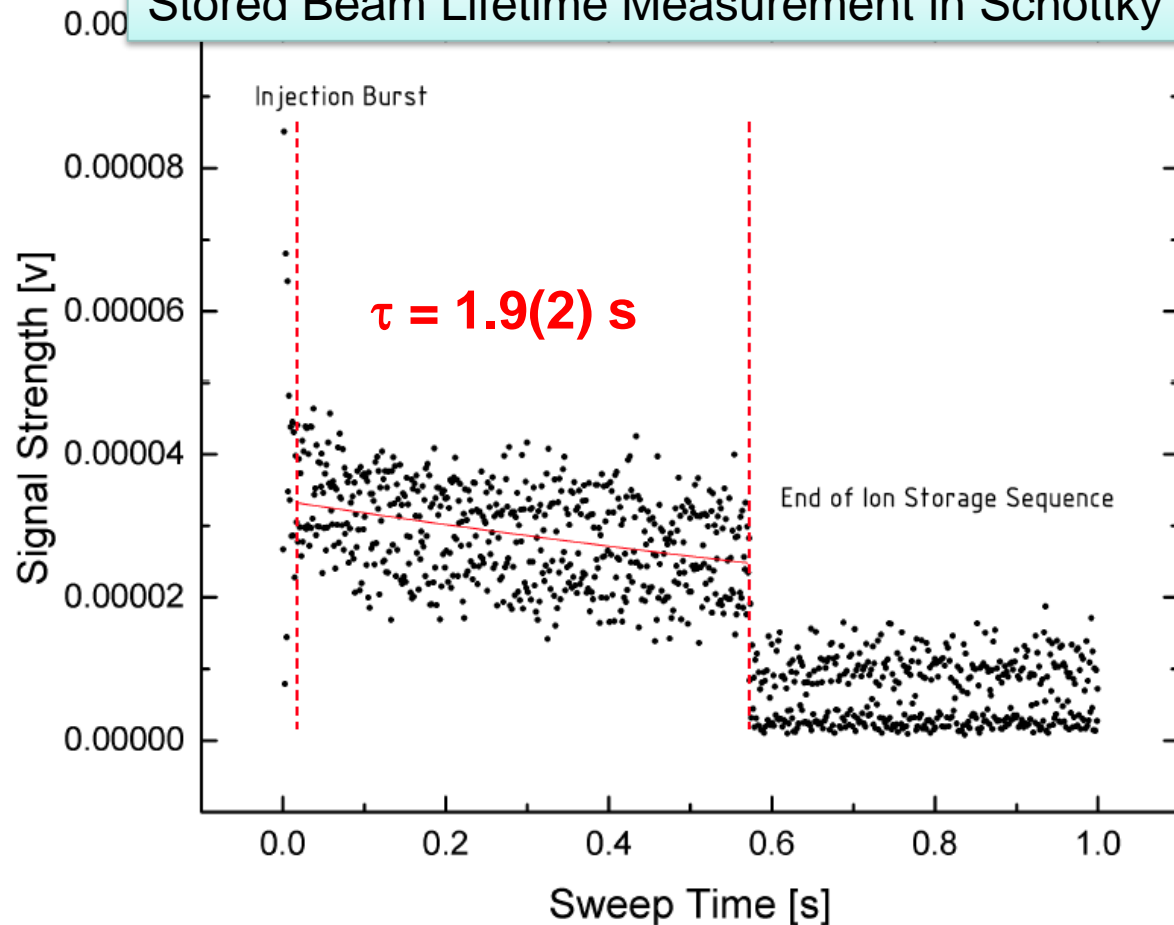
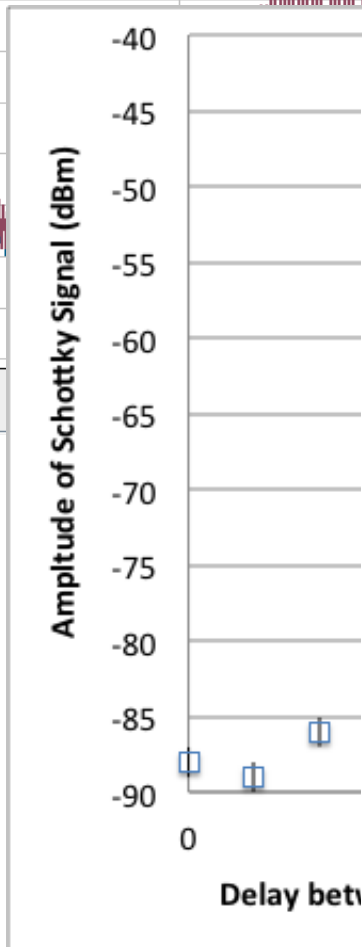
Some results of Commissioning



Many turns and RF bunching

Multi turn injection (still improving)

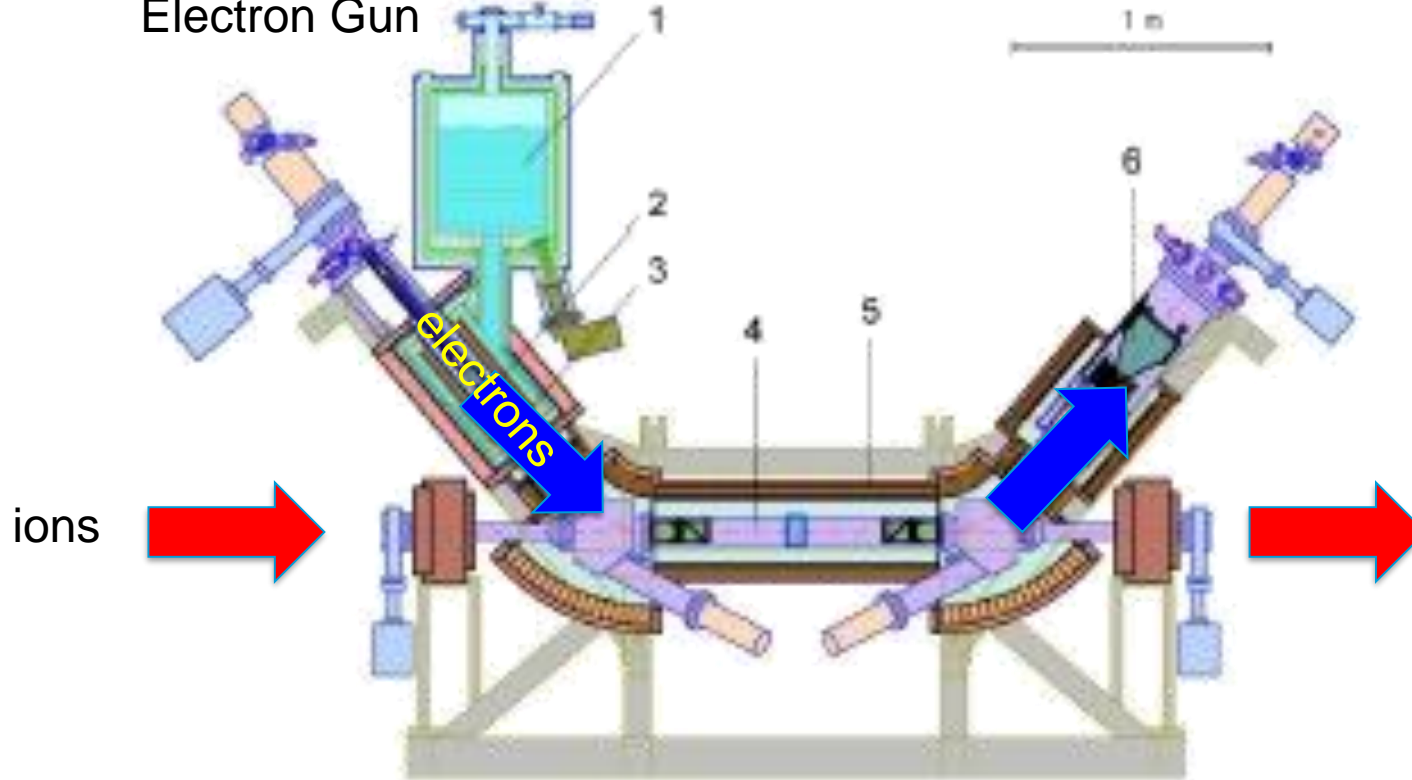
Stored Beam Lifetime Measurement in Schottky



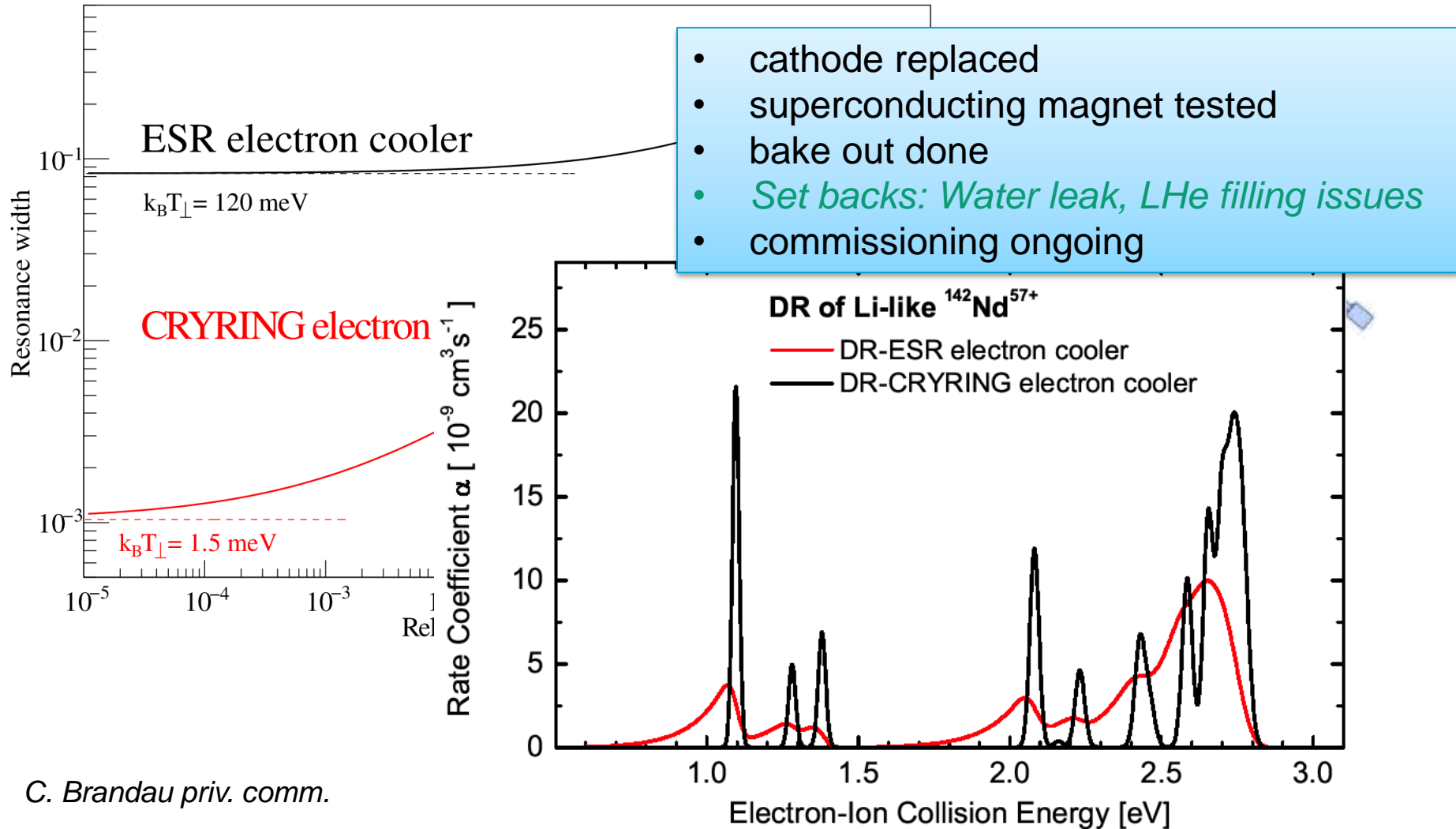
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Electron Cooler

Superconducting magnet for
Electron Gun



Electron Cooling ESR - CRYRING



C. Brandau priv. comm.

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UHV, bake out, e-Cooler

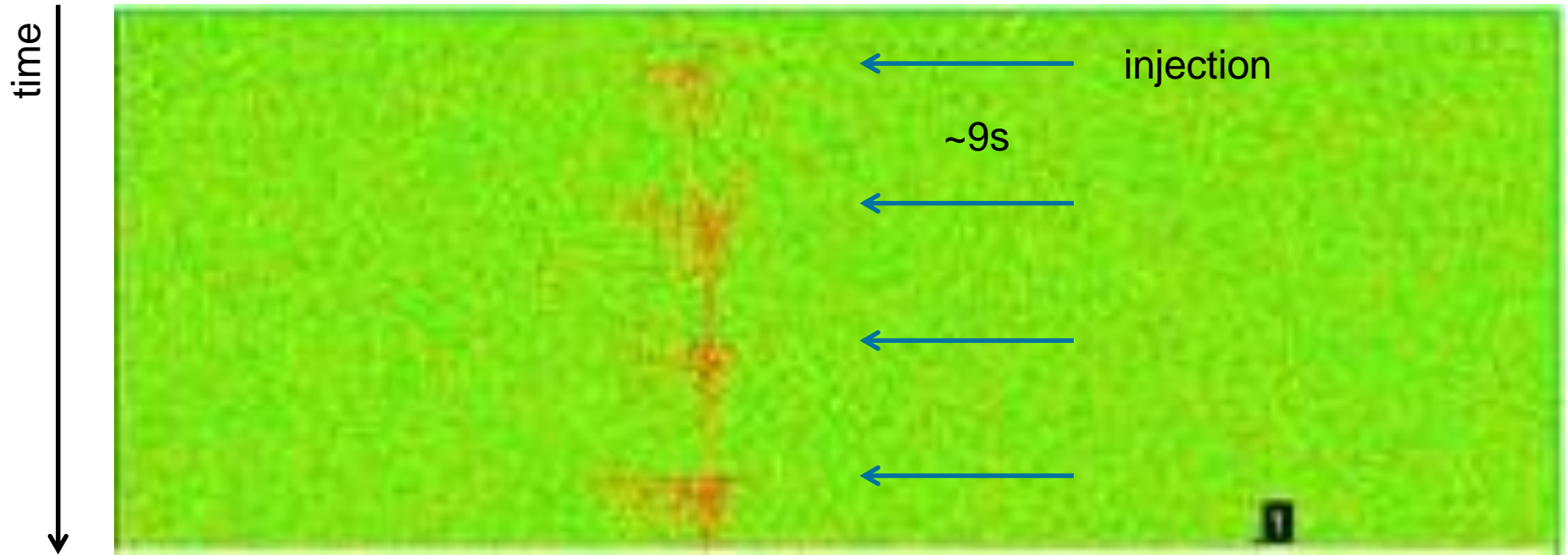
Stored beam, first electron cooler test

Installation and Test of 1st Experiments

commissioning

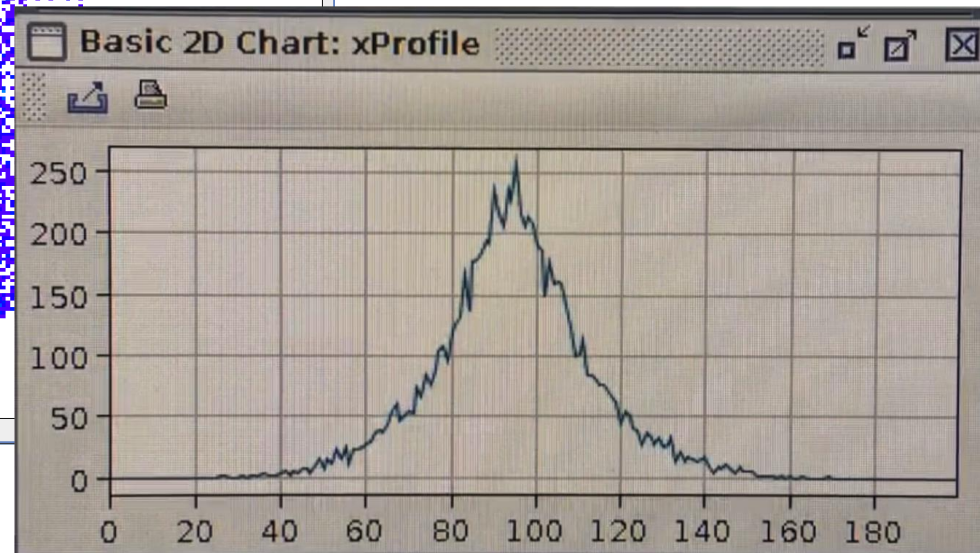
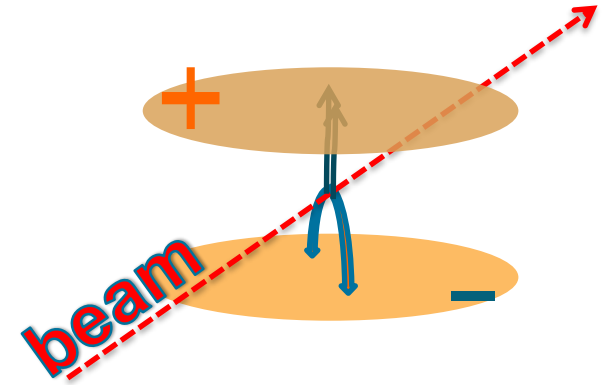
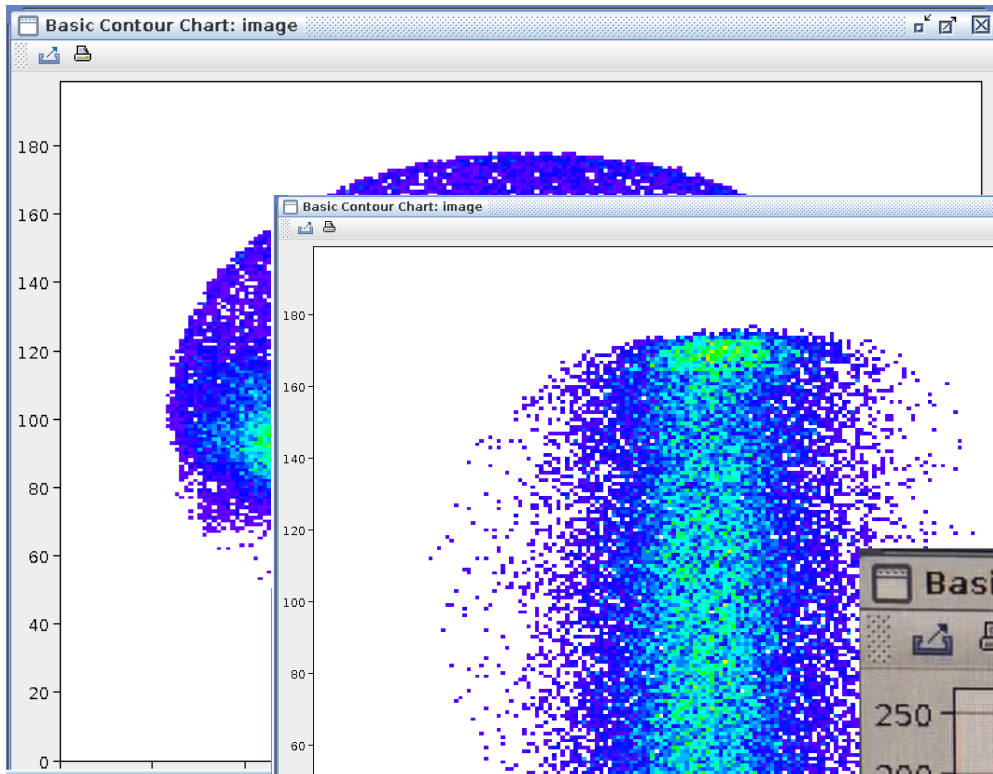
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Cooling in CRYRING@ESR



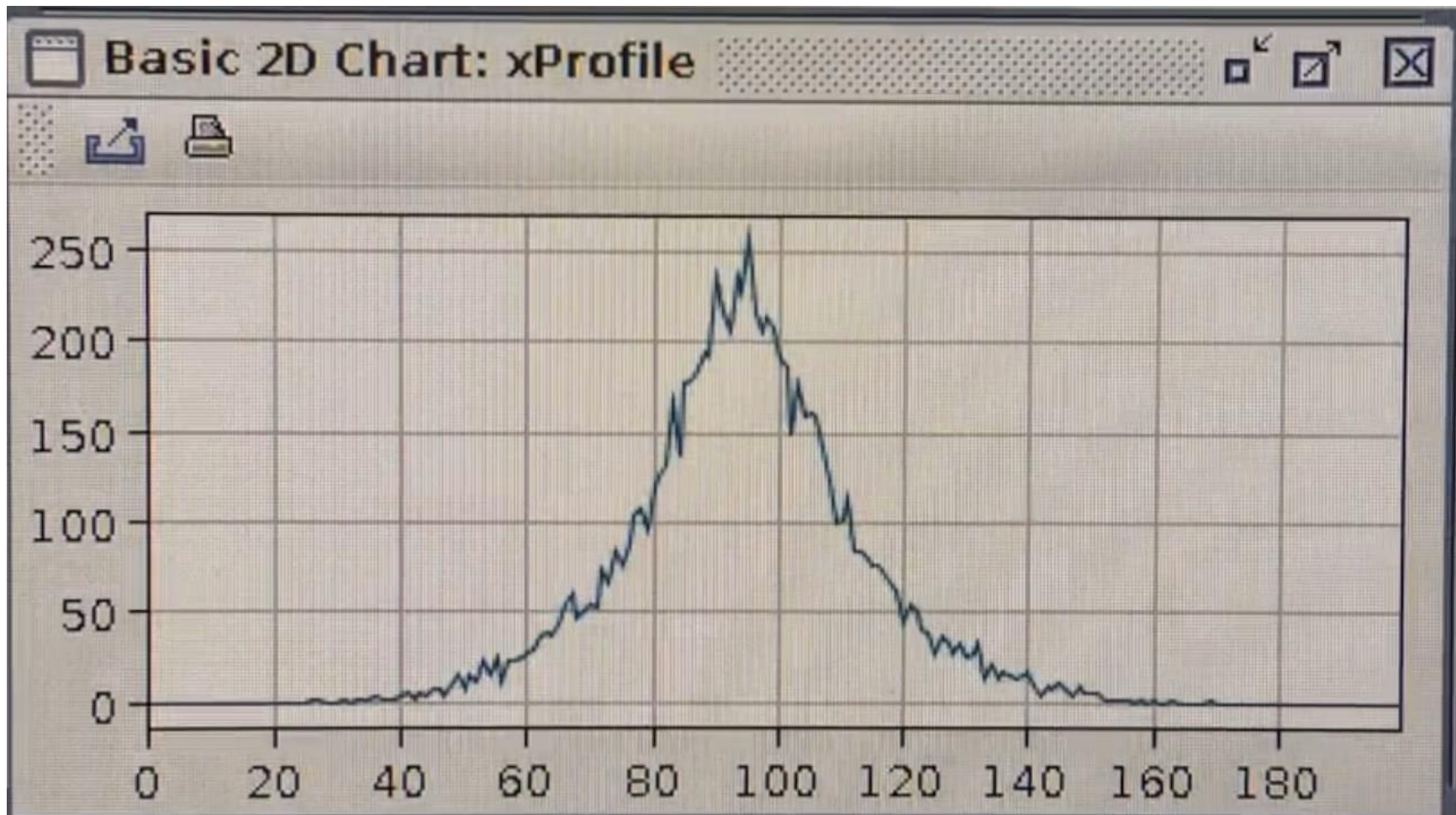
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Ionization Profile Monitor



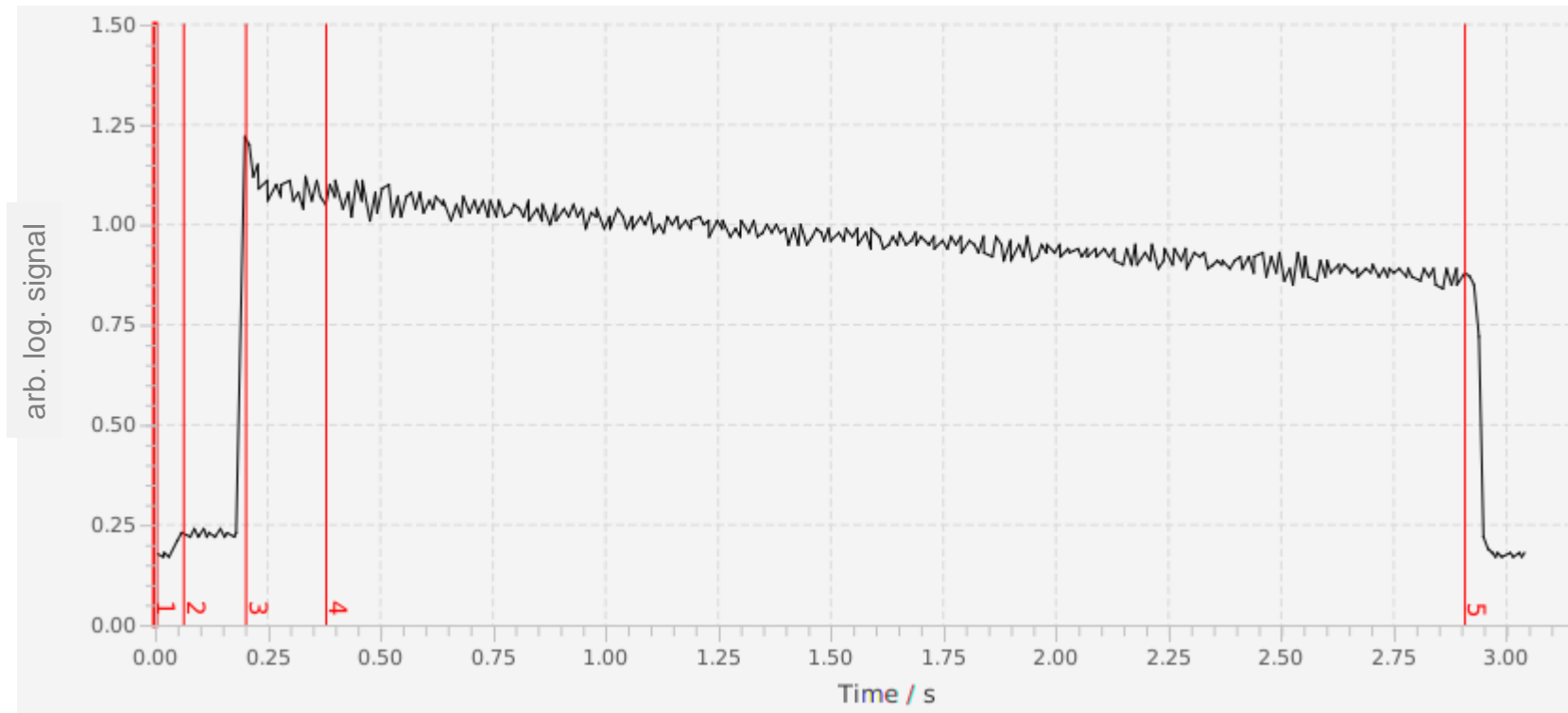
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Vertical beam profile recorded on the Ionization Profile Monitor



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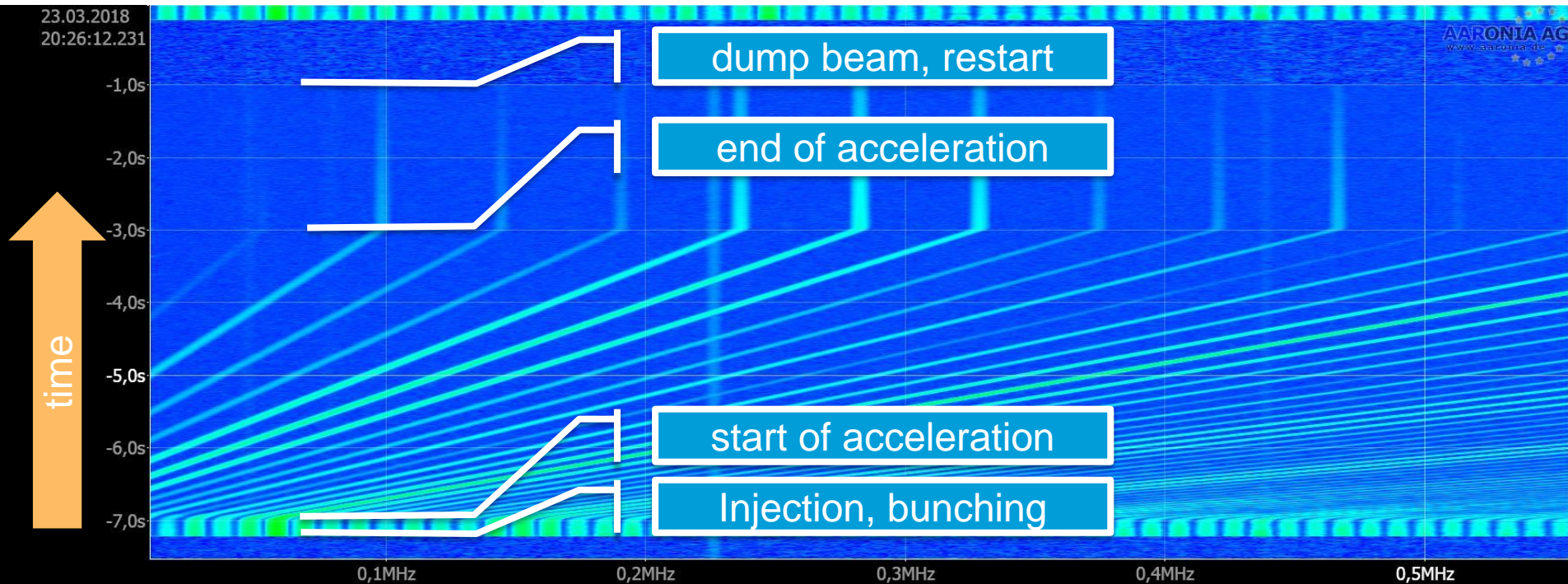
- Lifetime at injection energy (40 keV)



- $\tau \sim 10$ seconds = sufficient for laser experiments!

Acceleration of Mg⁺

- Mg⁺ from injection energy (2 keV/u - Bp 0.14) to (32 keV/u, Bp 0.62)



- Both ion paths towards CRYRING@ESR are operating, from ESR and from the local injector.
- Assembly and alignment of the ring is complete.
- System is fully baked ($p \leq 1e-10$ mbar ↓).
- Ion beam storage accomplished (H^{2+} at 300 keV/u, $\sim 10^8$ particles, ~ 5 s lifetime).
- ECOOL showed first signs of ion beam cooling.
- Installations for first experiments will be ready end of 2018
- Multiturn injection: $n = 3...4$.
- Beam acceleration achieved ($0.3 \rightarrow 24$ MeV for H_2^+)
- Beam from ESR $\sim 2018-19$ (depending on GSI/FAIR)

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