

The FAIR project at GSI

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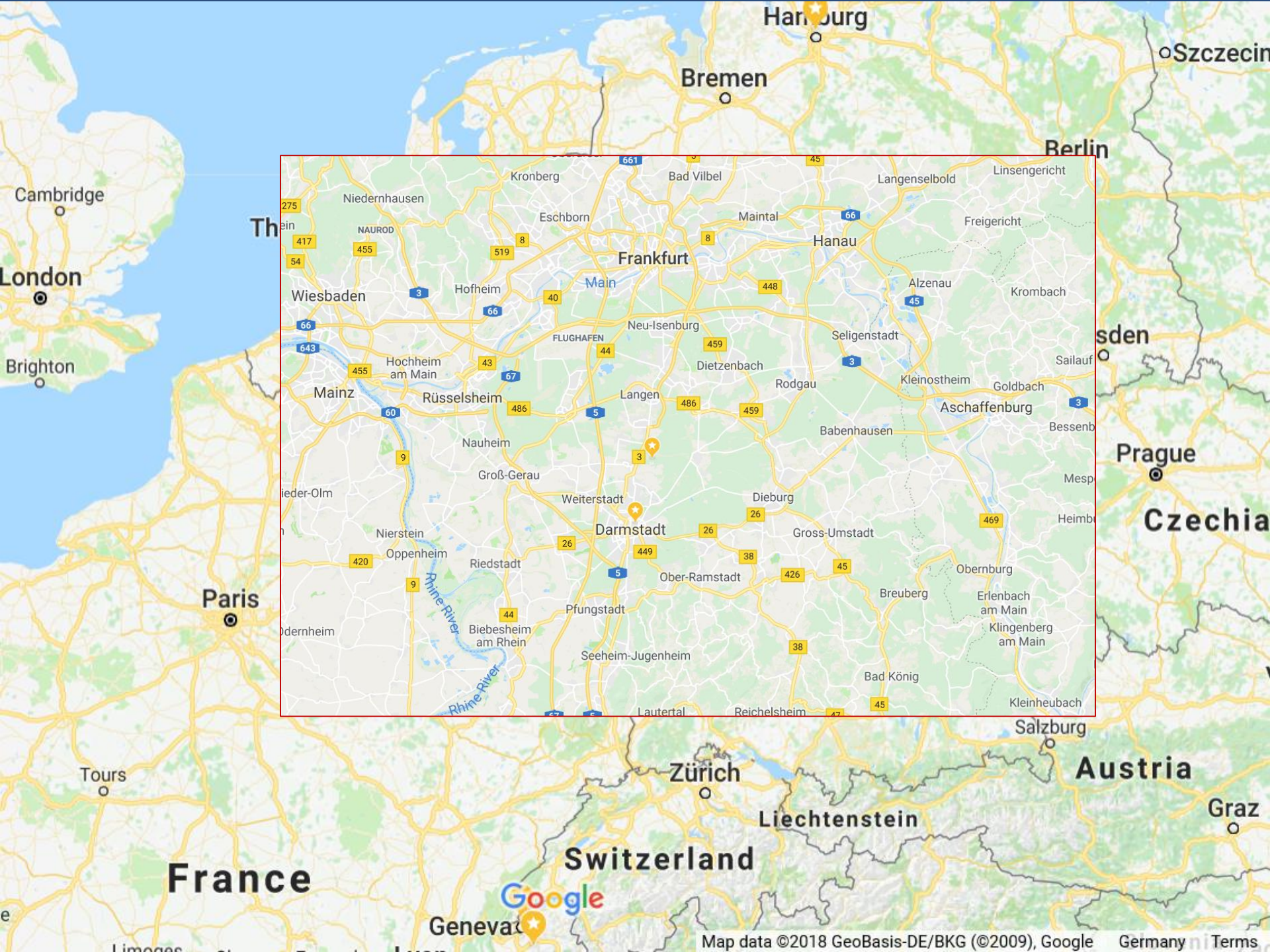
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Basic and applied research in physics and related natural science disciplines. Main fields of study include

- Plasma physics
- Atomic physics
- Nuclear structure and reactions research
- Biophysics and medical research

Main tools are heavy ion accelerator facilities:

- UNILAC, the Universal Linear Accelerator (energy of 2 - 11.4 MeV per nucleon), commissioned in 1975
- SIS 18, the heavy-ion synchrotron (0.010 - 2 GeV/u), 1990
- ESR, the experimental storage ring (0.005 - 0.5 GeV/u), 1990

Use of heavy ion beams for cancer treatment (from 1997)

- Instead of using X-ray radiation, carbon ions are used to irradiate the patient.
- The technique allows tumours which are close to vital organs to be treated, which is not possible with X-rays. This is due to the fact that the Bragg peak of carbon ions is much sharper than the peak of X-ray photons.
- A facility based on this technology, called Heidelberger Ionenstrahl-Therapiezentrum (HIT), built at the University of Heidelberg Medical Centre began treating patients in November 2009

- Two high-energy lasers, the nhelix (Nanosecond High Energy Laser for Heavy Ion Experiments) and the Phelix (Petawatt High Energy Laser for Heavy Ion Experiments)
- FRagment Separator (FRS) – (1990) produces and separates different beams of (usually) radioactive ions.
 - Beam accelerated by UNILAC and SIS18 impinging on a production target.
 - From the target, many fragments are produced. The secondary beam is produced by magnetic selection of the ions.
- Experimental Storage Ring (ESR) in which large numbers of highly charged radioactive ions can be stored for extended periods of time. This facility provides the means to make precise measurements of their decay modes. The discovery of a mysterious new phenomenon is known as the GSI anomaly.

- **1969** Foundation of Gesellschaft für Schwerionenforschung mbH
- **1975** First experiments with linear accelerator UNILAC
- **1981** until **2010** Discovery of six new chemical elements and their official recognition by IUPAC in the Periodic Table of the Elements: Bohrium, Hassium, Meitnerium, Darmstadtium, Röntgenium, Copernicium
- **1990** Commissioning of the ring accelerator SIS-18 and the storage ring ESR
- **1997** First patient treatment with carbon ions at GSI therapy facility
- **2003** Green light for the new accelerator facility FAIR
- **2007** FAIR Start Event – official start of the project
- **2008** Commissioning of the PHELIX laser system
- **2009** Opening of the Heidelberg Ion-Beam Therapy Center (HIT)
- **2010** Foundation of FAIR GmbH, GSI holds a share of 75 percent

- Employees of GSI and FAIR: 1,400 employees
- Scientific users of the FAIR facility: 3000 researchers from 50 countries
- Total cost of FAIR: 1,262 million Euro plus 95 million Euro site-related costs, thus overall cost frame 1,357 million Euro (price level of 2005 respectively)
- FAIR is in principle a company



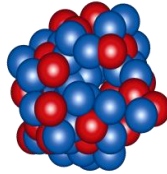
Partners

Partner States

	DE - Germany
	FI - Finland
	FR - France
	IN - India
	PL - Poland
	RO - Romania
	RU - Russia
	SE - Sweden
	SI - Slovenia
	UK - United Kingdom

Nuclear Physics & Physics with Hadrons

- Nuclear Reaction from lowest to highest Energies
- Super-heavy Elements
- Compressed Baryonic Matter
- Anti-matter Research
- new: PANDA (QCD)



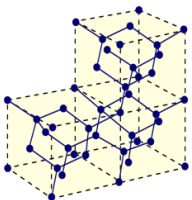
Bio-Physics and Bio-Medical Applications

- Radiobiological effects of ions
- Cancer therapy with ion-beams



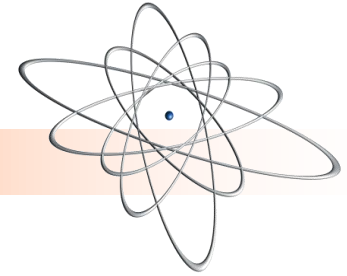
Material Science

- Ion-Condensed-Matter Interactions
- Nano-structures using ion-beams



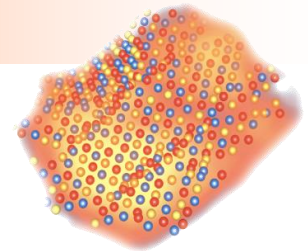
Atomic Physics

- Atomic Interactions
- Precision Spectroscopy of highly charged ions



Plasma Physics

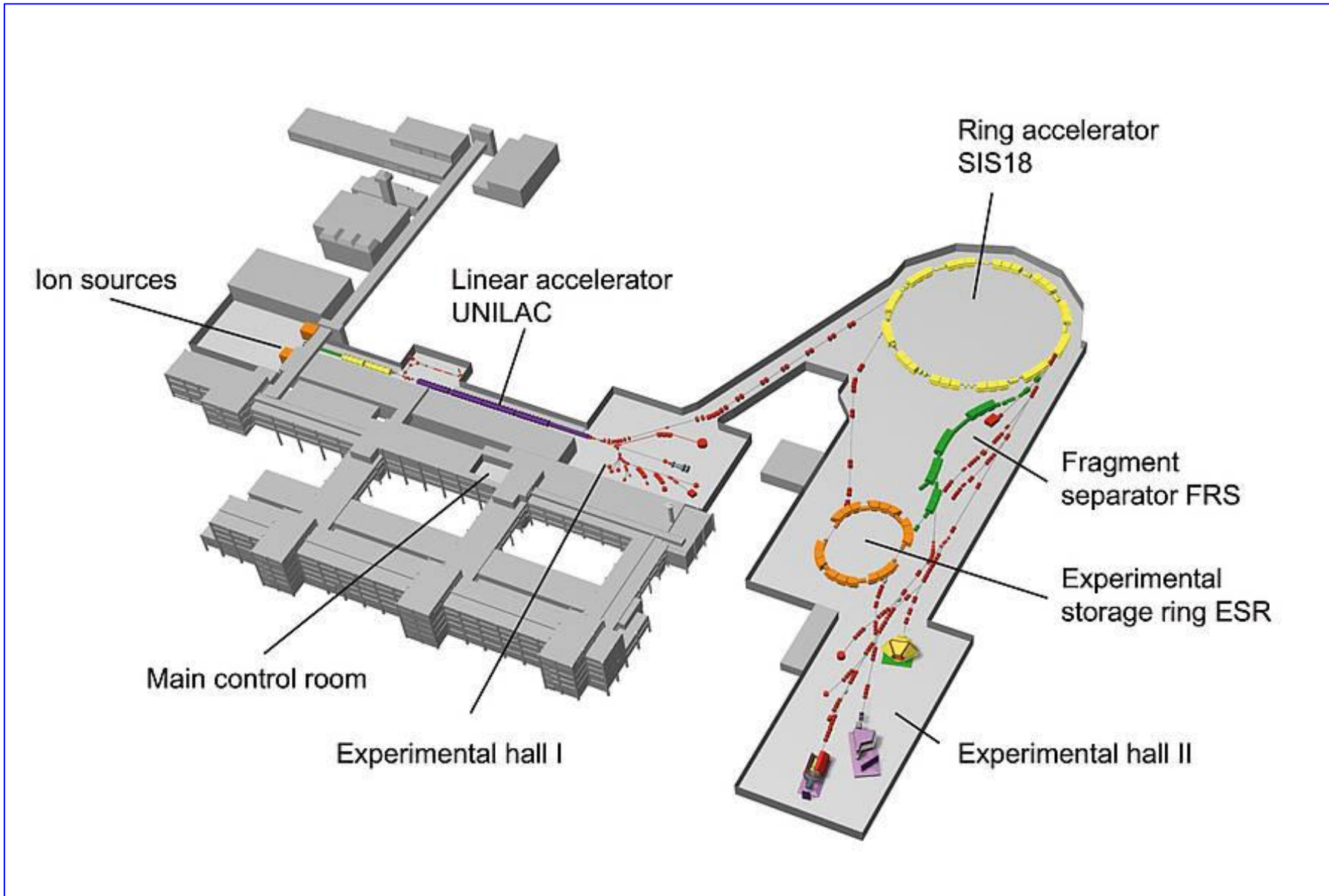
- Hot dense Plasmas
- Ion-Plasma Interactions



Accelerator Technology

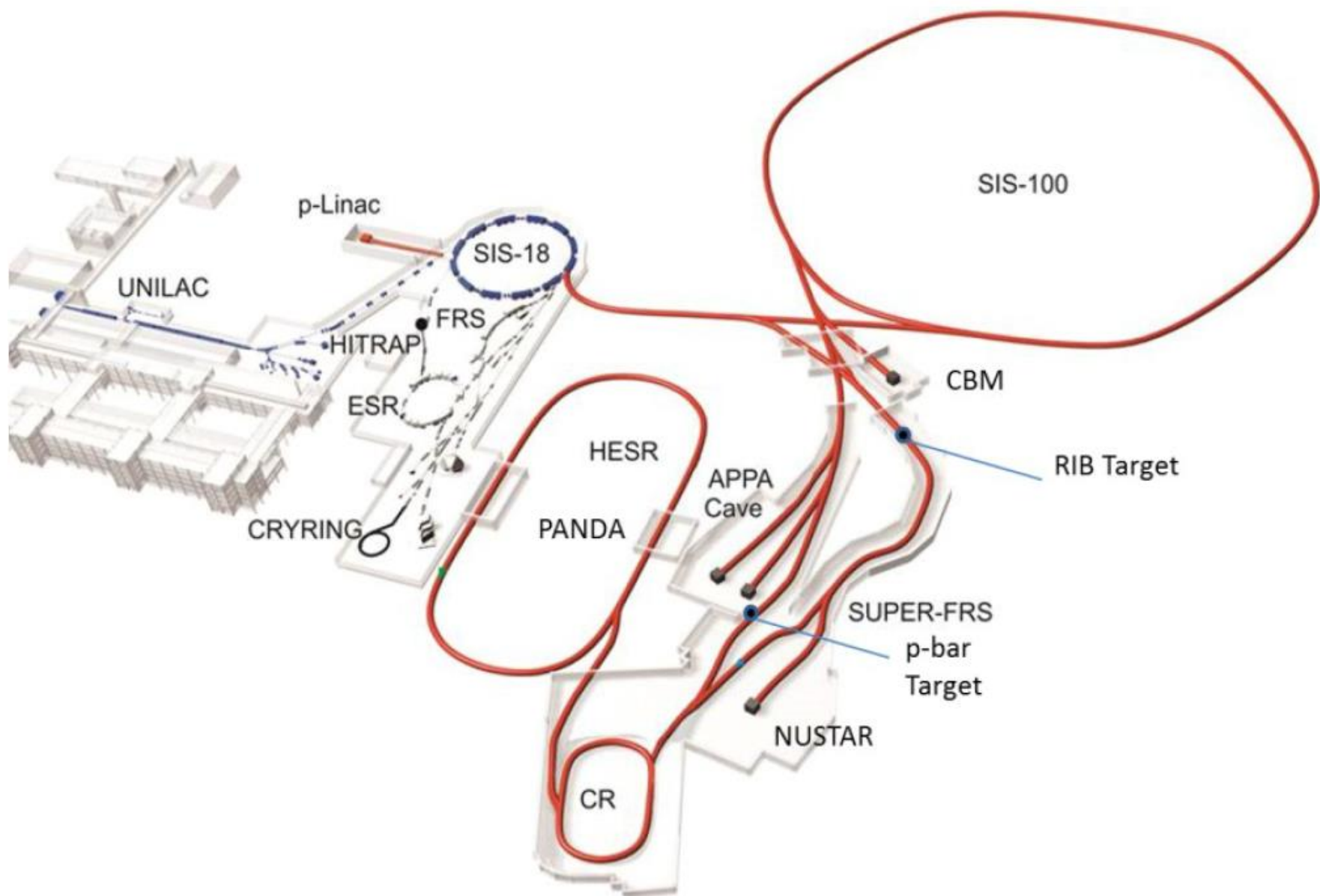
- Linear accelerators
- Synchrotrons and Storage Rings





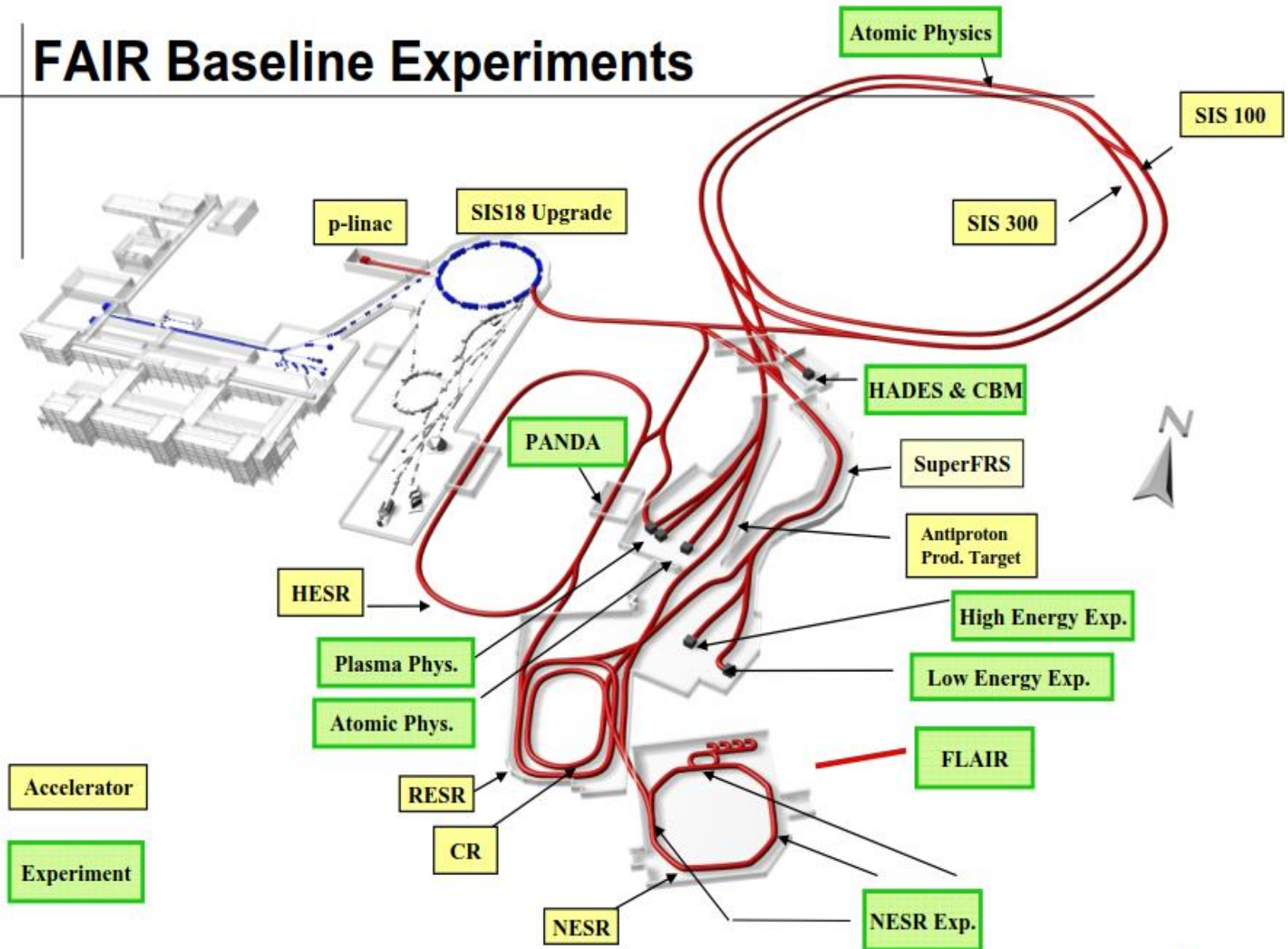
- UNILAC – Linear accelerator for ions and protons
- P-LINAC - Linear accelerator for protons
- SIS 18 - Synchrotron accelerating protons and ions
- SIS 100 – Synchrotron accelerating protons and ions
- SuperFRS – Super Fragment Separator
- CR – cooler ring
- HESR – High Energy Storage Ring
- HEBT - High Energy Beam Transport

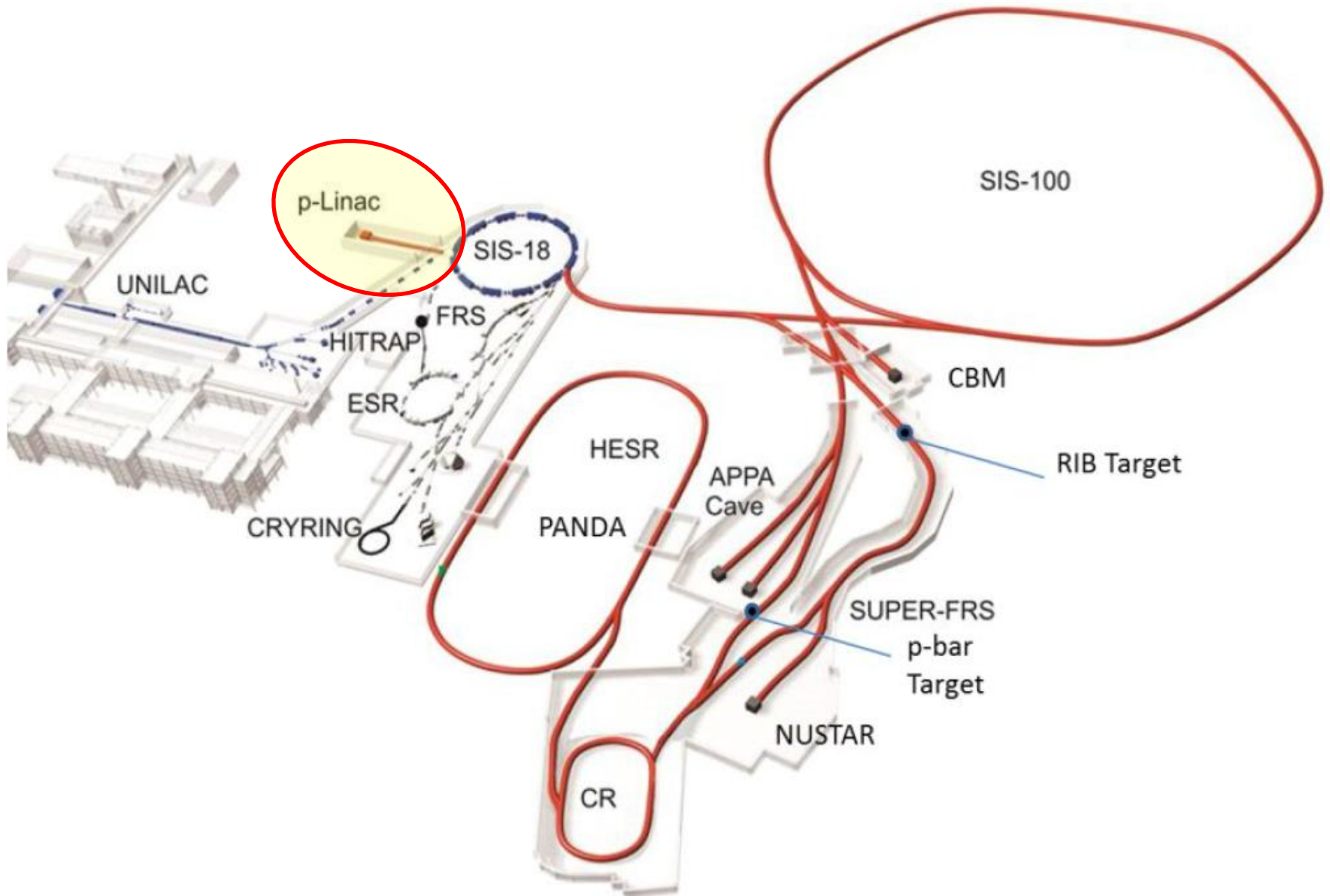
- Antiproton production target at SIS 100
- Ion production target at SIS 100

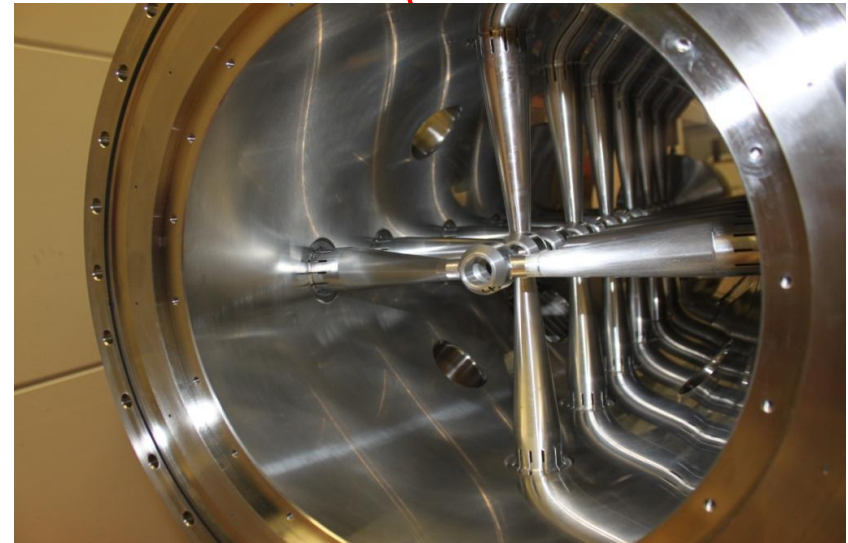
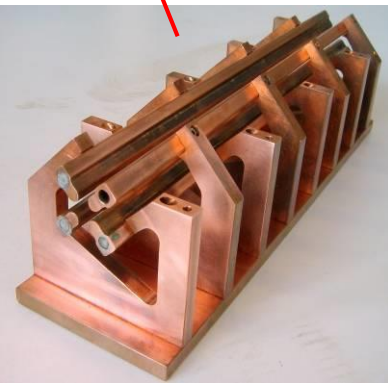
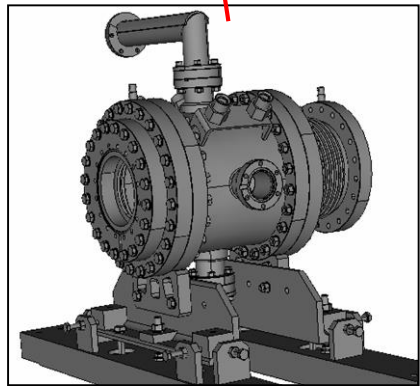
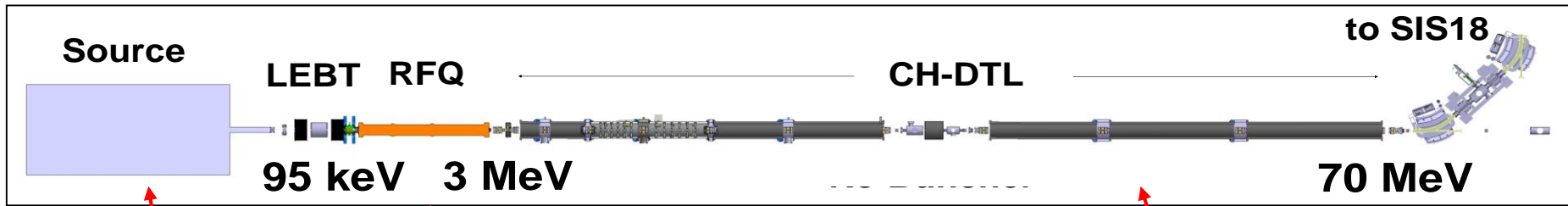


- **NUSTAR:** 2×10^{11} /pulse U^{28+} @ 400-1500 MeV/u
bunch compression to 70 ns
highest gain factors for exotic nuclear beams
- **CBM:** Heavy-ion beam intensities of 10^{10} particles/s
@ 11 (34@SIS300) GeV/u for U^{92+}
- **PANDA:** pbar in wide momentum range (1.5 - 15 GeV/c)
High luminosity and high momentum resolution
- **FLAIR:** Cooled antiprotons in the 20 keV range
- **SPARC:** Cooled and high brilliance beams of rare isotopes
- **Plasma Physics:** High intensity beams, bunch compression to 70 ns

FAIR Baseline Experiments





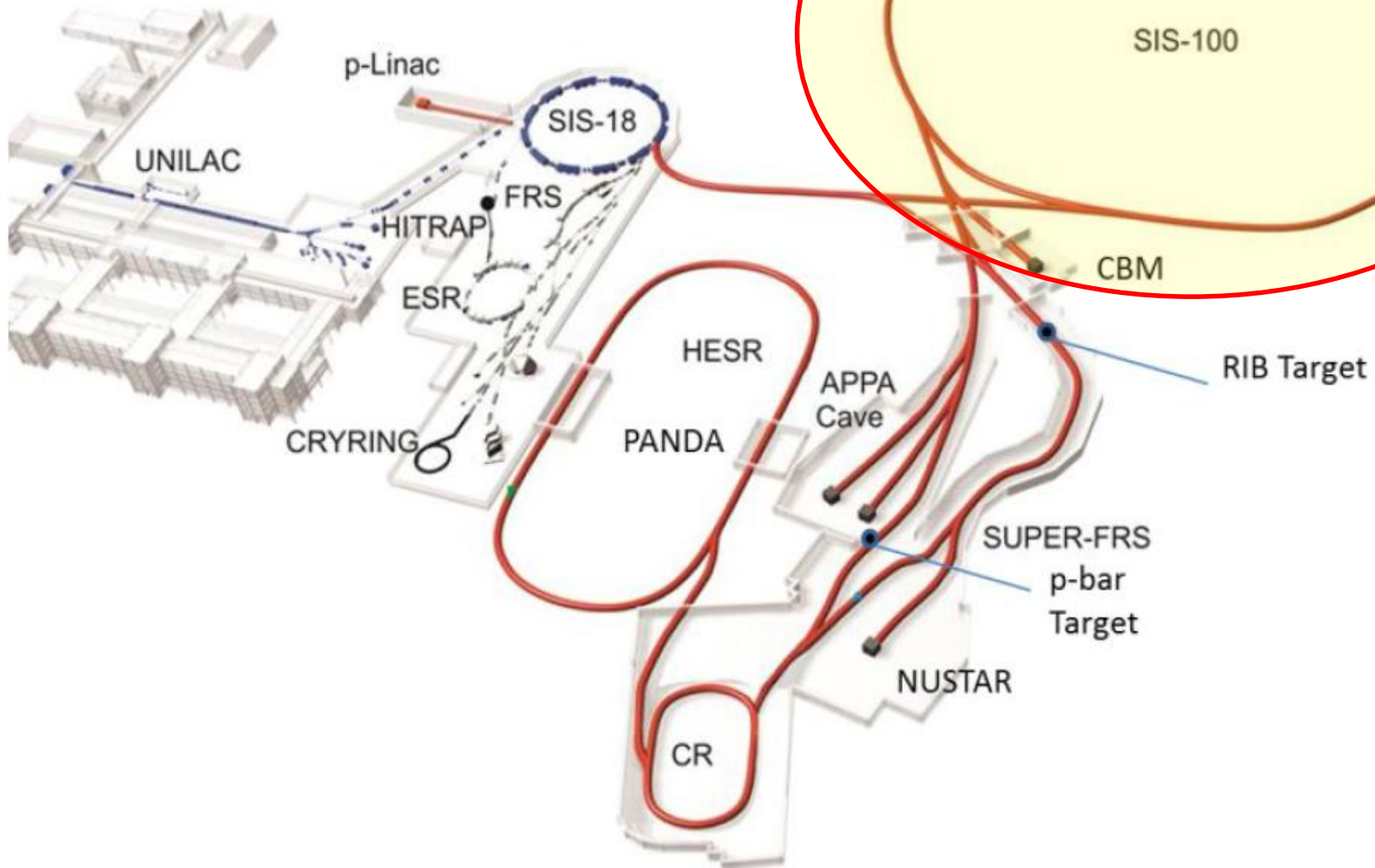


- ECR proton source & LEBT
- 4-rod RFQ, 325.224 MHz
- 6 accelerating cavities, 35 mA beam current
- 5 MW of beam loading (peak), 710 W (average)
- 11 MW of total rf-power (peak), 1600 W (average)

	SIS18	SIS100	CR	HESR
Circumference [m]	216	1083	215	575
Max. beam magnetic rigidity [Tm]	18	100	LHC = ~24000	50
Injection energy of protons or anti protons [GeV]	0.07	4	3	3
Final energy of protons or antiprotons [GeV]	4	29	3	14
Injection energy of heavy ions [GeV/u]	0.0114	0.2	0.74	0.74
Final energy of heavy ions U(28+) [GeV/u]	0.2	2.7		
Final energy of heavy ions U(/73+/92+) [GeV/u]	1	11	0.74 (92+)	0.2-4.9 (92+)
Max. beam intensity for protons or antiprotons /cycle	$5 \cdot 10^{12}$	$2 \cdot 10^{13}$	10^8	10^{10}
Max. beam intensity of ^{238}U -ions /cycle	$1.5 \cdot 10^{11}$	$5 \cdot 10^{11}$	10^8	10^8
Required static vacuum pressure [mbar]	$< 10^{-11}$	$< 5 \cdot 10^{-12}$	$< 10^{-9}$	$< 10^{-9}$

Main FAIR challenges:

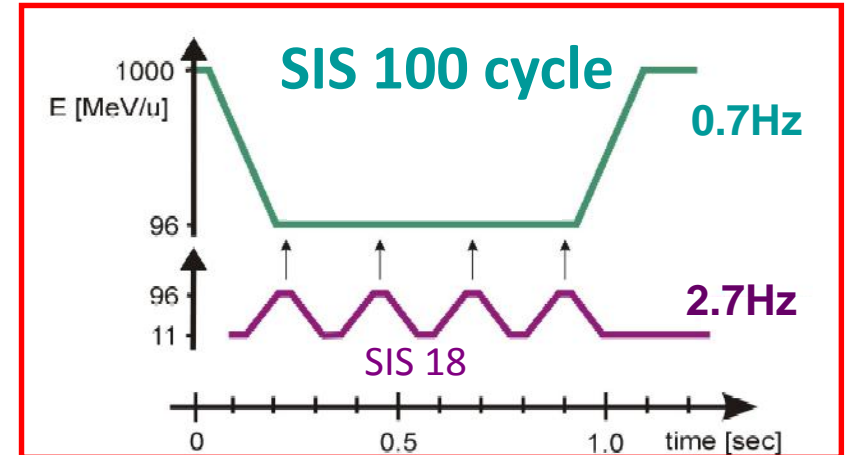
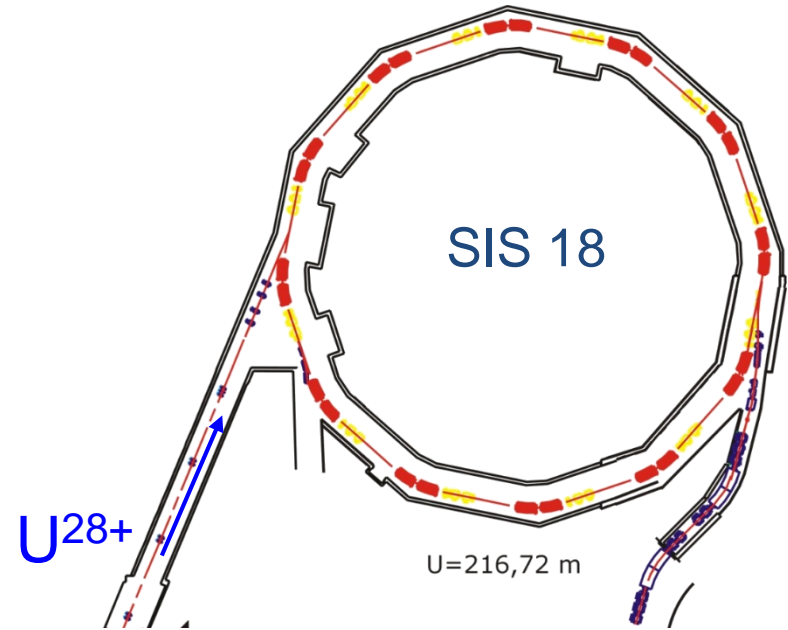
- Control of highest proton and (unprecedented) uranium ion intensities
- Excellent XHV vacuum conditions
- Very fast cycling in SIS100 (4 T/s)



- Accelerating high intensity ion beams
- Accelerating high intensity proton beams
- Slow extraction
- Fast extraction
- Bunch manipulations
- Very fast cycle

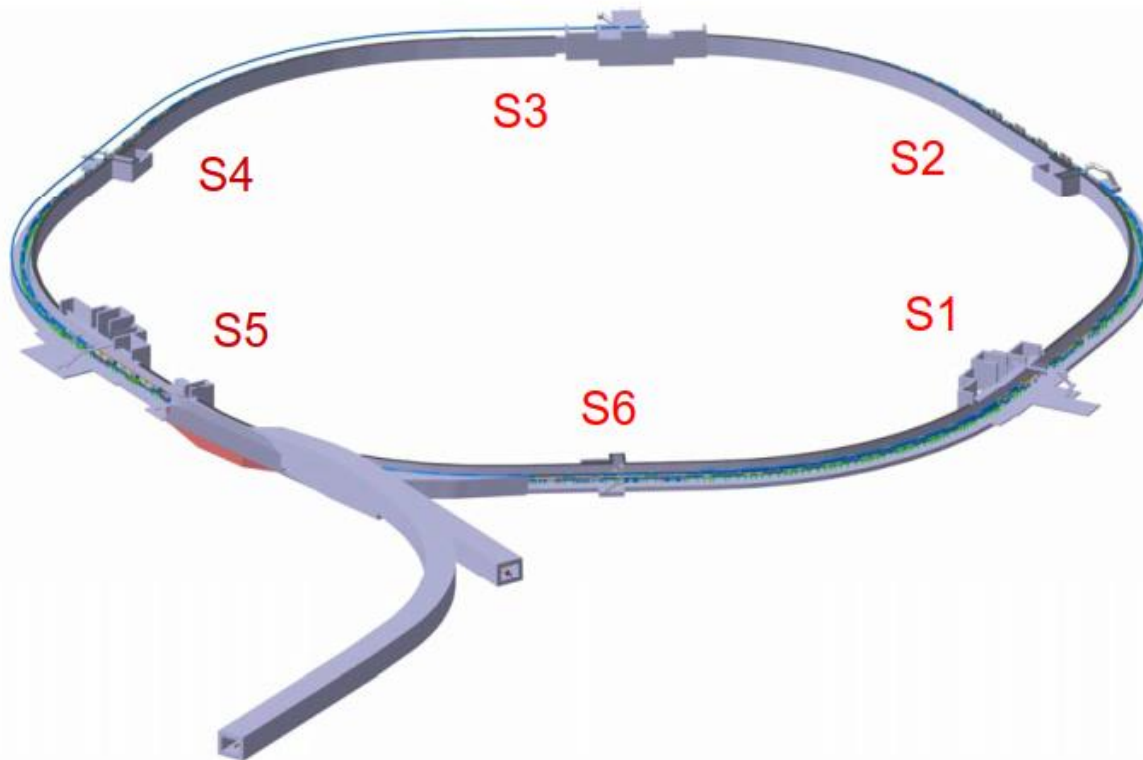
- Injection from SIS18
- Superconducting magnets
- Challenging vacuum

To exceed the existing space charge limits in SIS18 and to reach the desired intensities in SIS100, **the charge state of Uranium beams had to be lowered from the presently used charge state 73 down to charge state 28**



Sixfold Symmetry

- Sufficiently long and number of straight sections
- Reasonable line density in resonance diagram
- Good geometrical matching to the overall topology



~~S1: Transfer to SIS300~~

S2: Rf Acceleration
(Ferrite loaded)

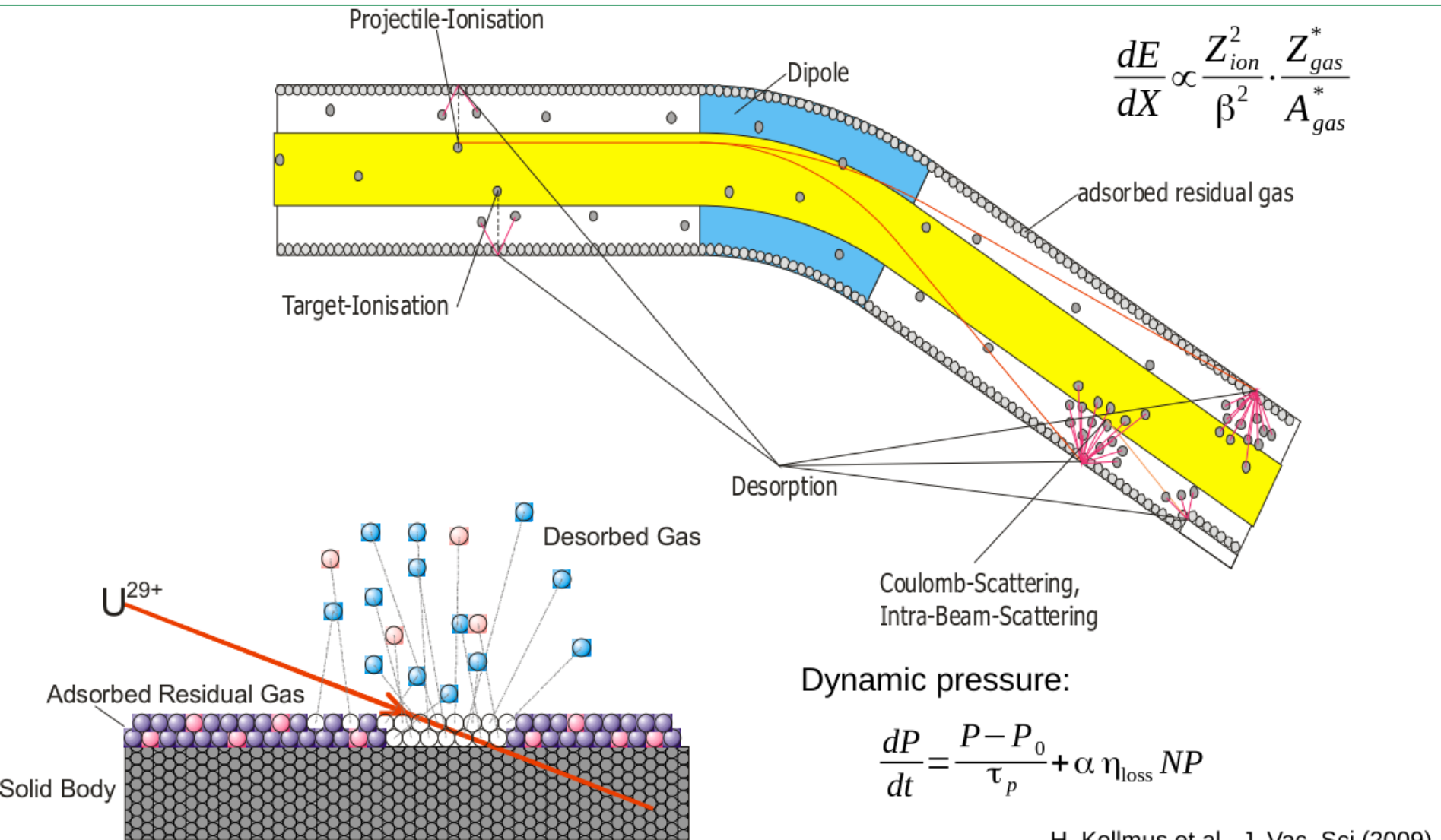
S3: Rf Acceleration
(Ferrite loaded)

S4: Rf Compression
(MA loaded)

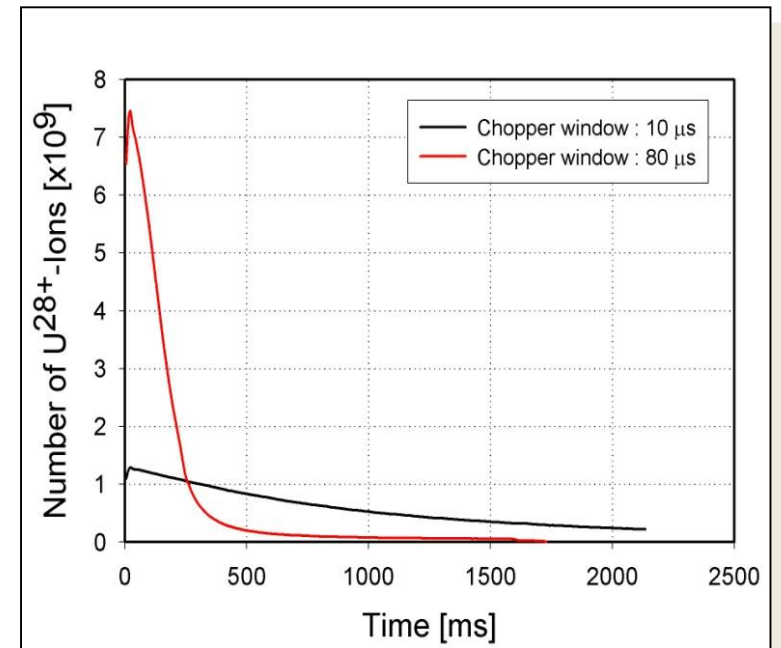
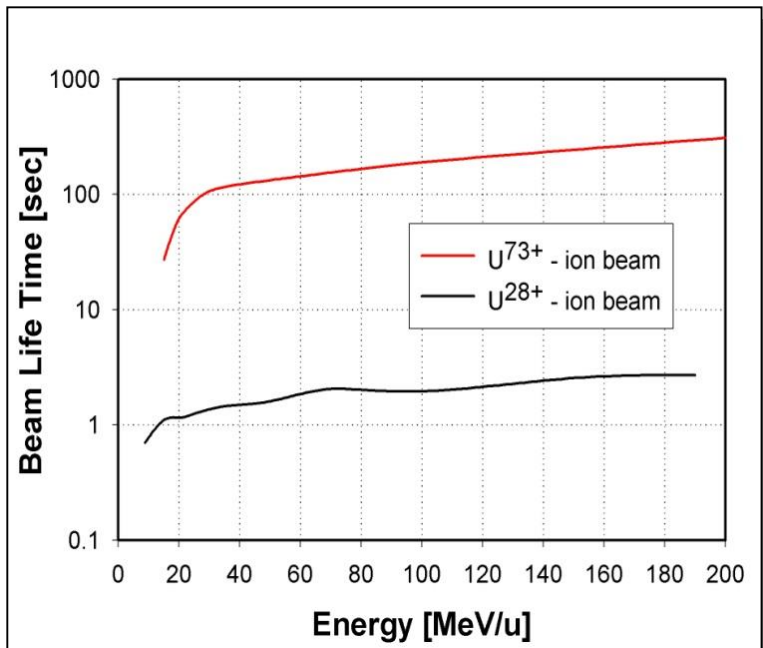
S5: Extraction Systems
(slow and fast)

S6: Injection System plus
RF Acceleration and
Barrier Bucket

The SIS100 technical subsystems define the length of the straight sections of both synchrotrons



H. Kollmus et al., J. Vac. Sci.(2009)



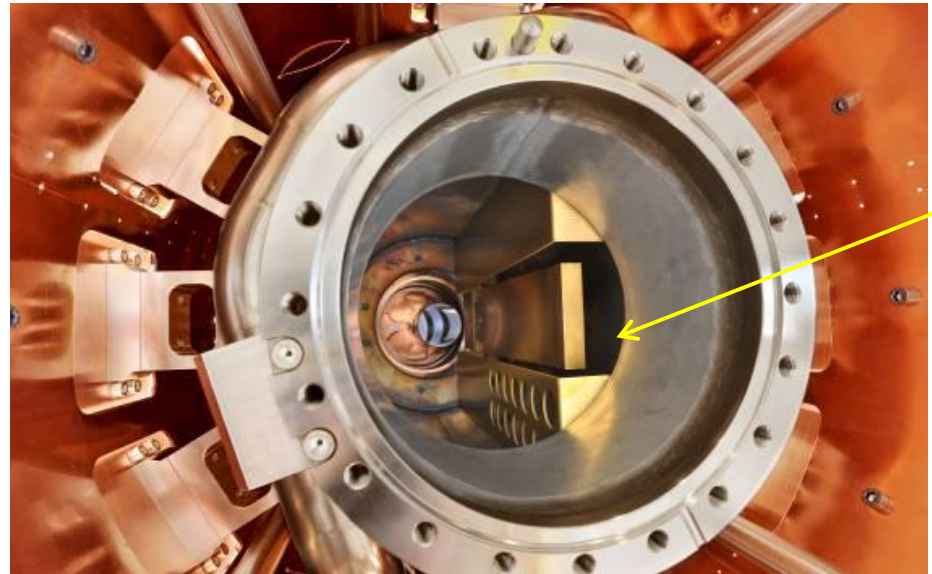
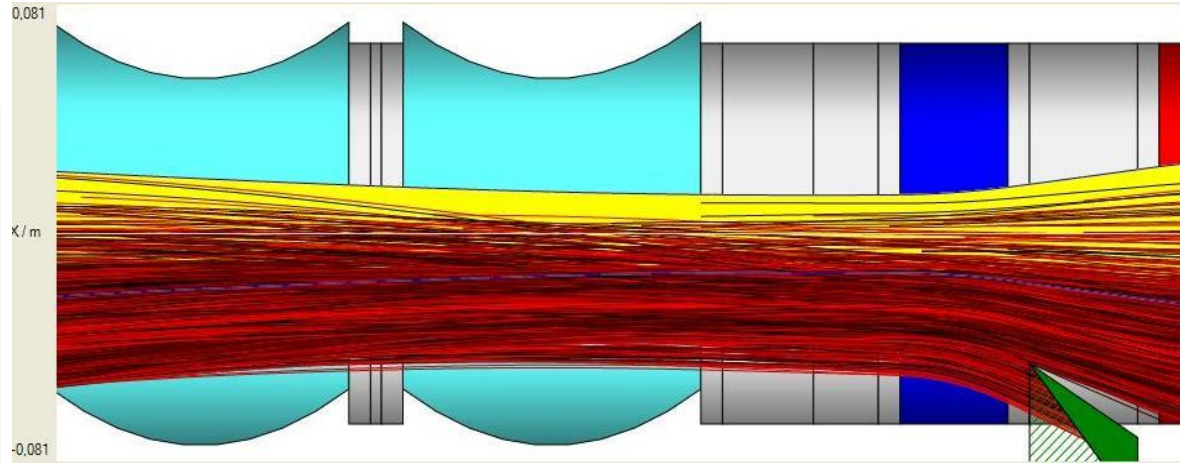
- Lifetime of U²⁸⁺ is significantly lower than of U⁷³⁺
- Lifetime of U²⁸⁺ depends strongly on residual gas pressure and composition

- Ion induced gas desorption (multiplication of 10000) increases the local pressure
- Beam loss increases with intensity (dynamics vacuum, vacuum instability)

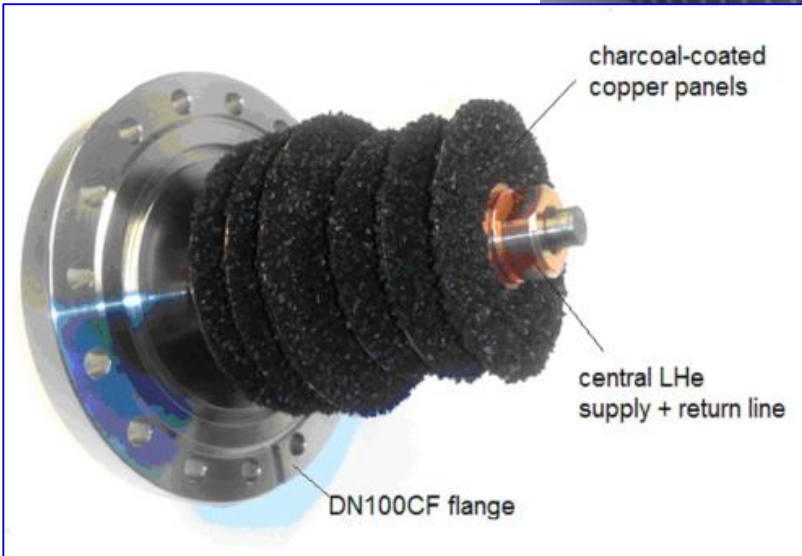
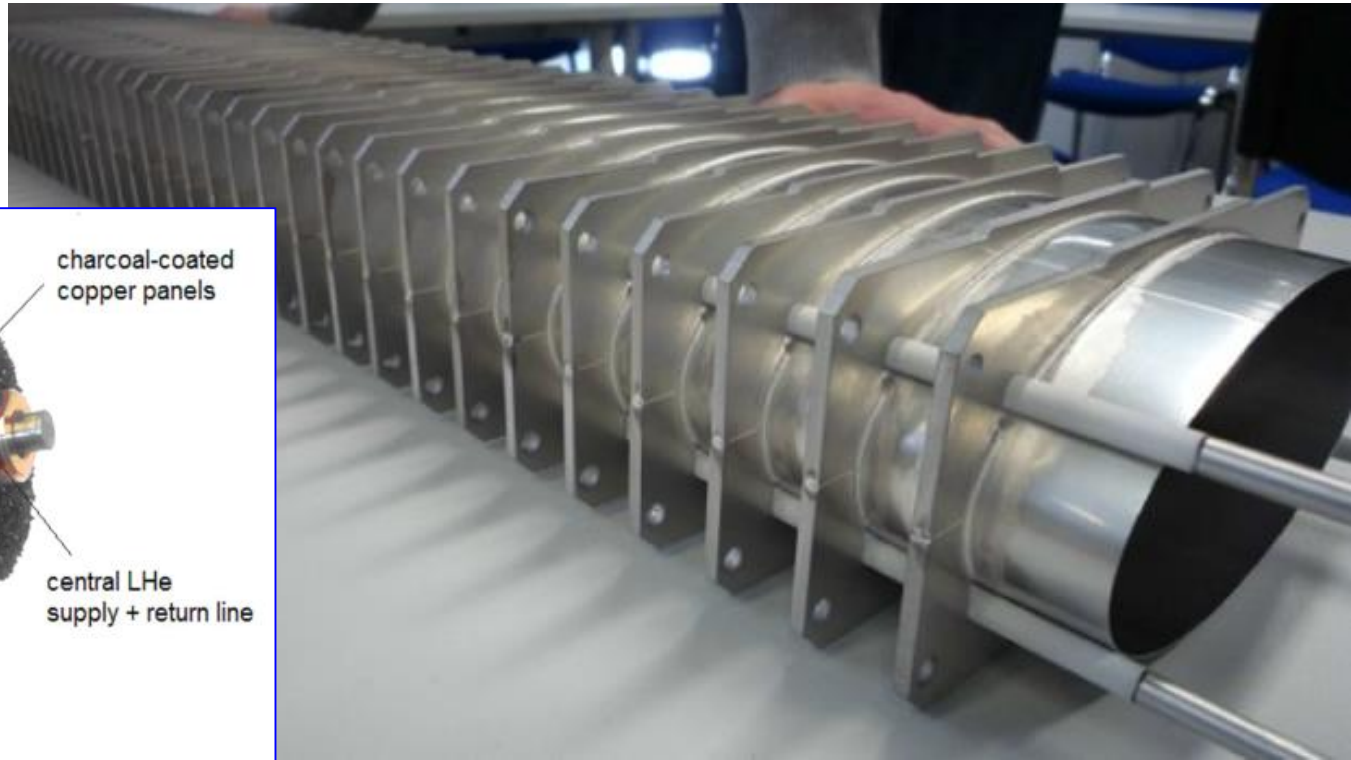
- U29+ loss positions are peaked by design at cryo - absorbers (collimators)
- Doublet focusing structure

Dynamic vacuum requires huge pumping speed:

- Cryogenic vacuum chambers, principal reason why SIS100 is cold
→ super-conducting magnets
- NEG-coating of most warm vacuum chambers



Ion catcher (at 50 K) in secondary chamber with enhanced pumping, confines most desorbed gases



- Thin wall to avoid heating and field distortions by Eddy currents
- Must be cooled to below 15 K, to capture all gases – done by helium cooling tubes
- Mechanical stability required (reinforcement)
- Design parameters not fully achieved

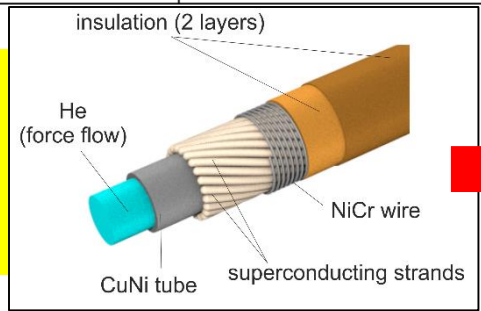
Parameters of superconducting dipole circuit of LHC and SIS100

Machine	LHC	SIS100
Number of magnets	154/circuit	108
Number of power converters	1/circuit	2
Nominal current (kA)	11.85	13.1
Nominal ramp rate (A/s)	10	28000
Total inductance of the circuit (mH)	$154 \times 2 \times 51 = 15.7 \times 10^3$	$108 \times 0.55 = 59.4$
Inductive voltage at cycling (V) per twin dipole / overall in the circuit	$1 / \approx 160$	$15.4 / \approx 1660$
Energy extraction system	$2 \times R_d$ per circuit	$6 \times R_d$
Cold by-pass	cold diode per twin dipole	none
Quench back heaters	on each coil	none

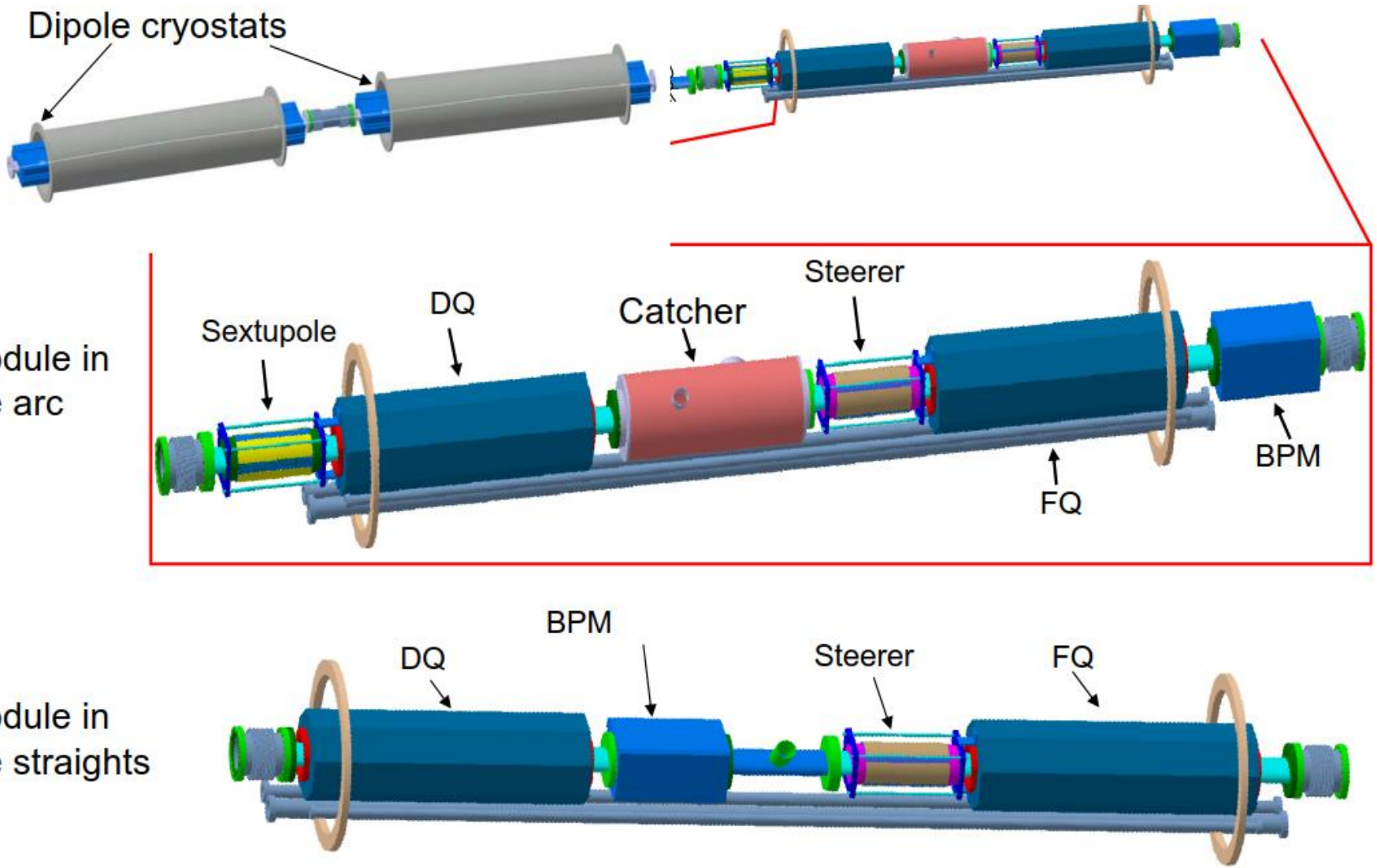
SIS100 is a fast cycling machine with extremely high ramp rate!

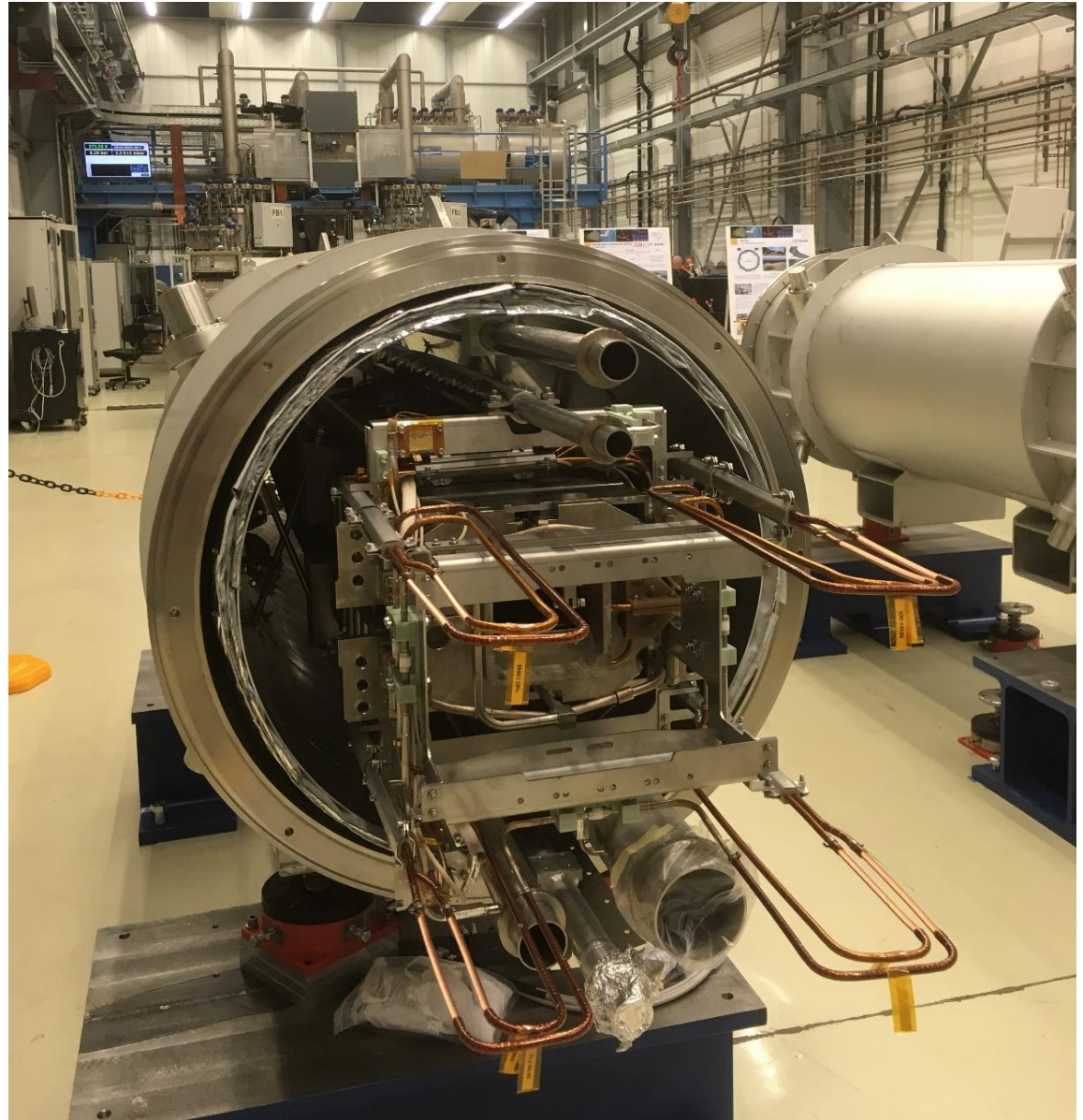
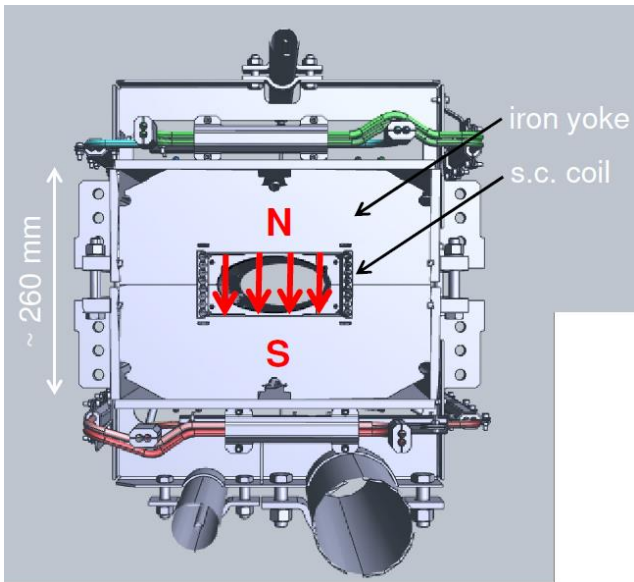
Protection system of SIS100 considers only extraction resistors (no heaters)

SIS100: low AC loss superconducting cable (Nuclotron type), NbTi/CuMn

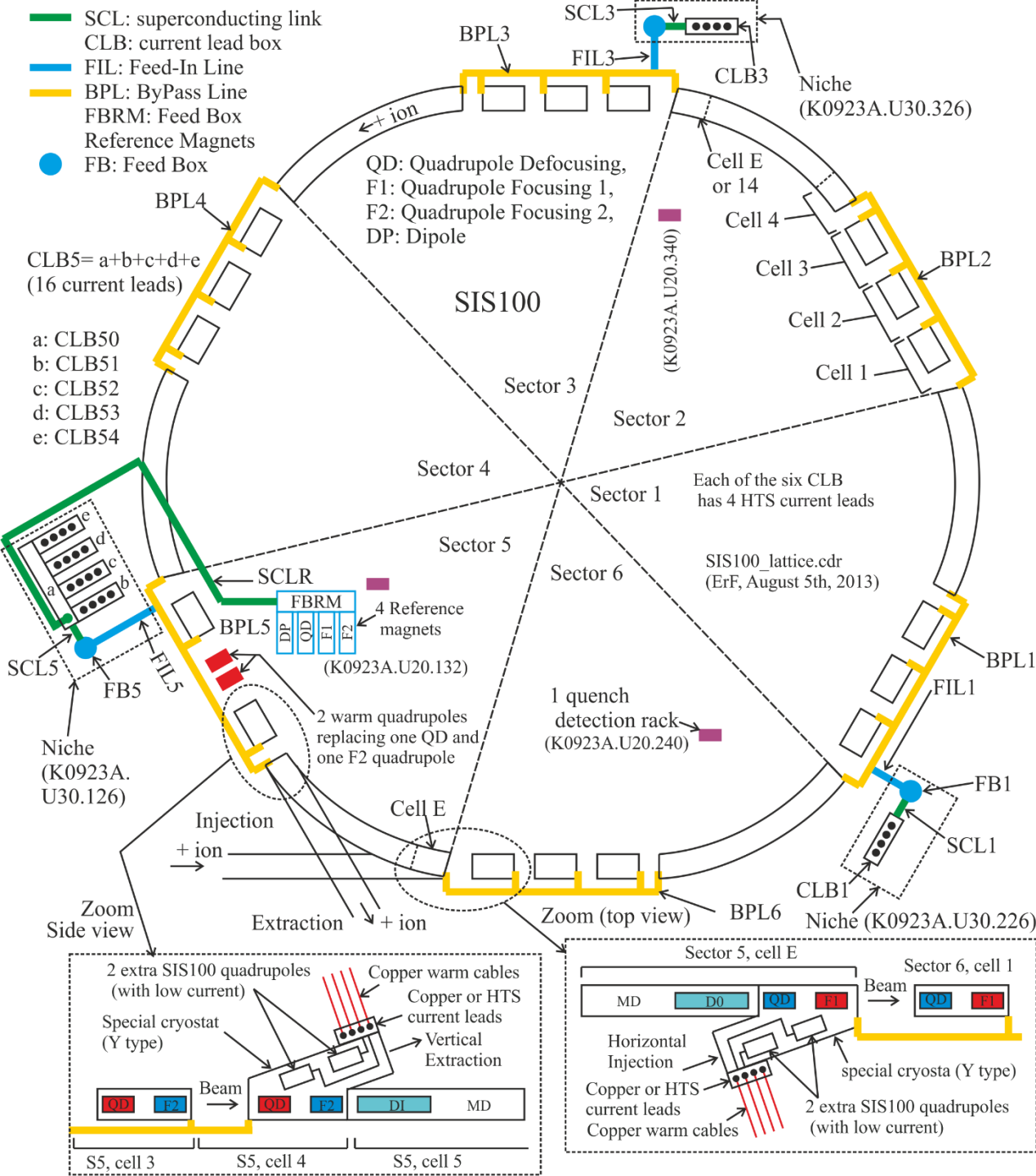


Quench back effect is not expected! If a single magnet quenches, other magnet will not quench due to high di/dt at current dumping (very low probability).

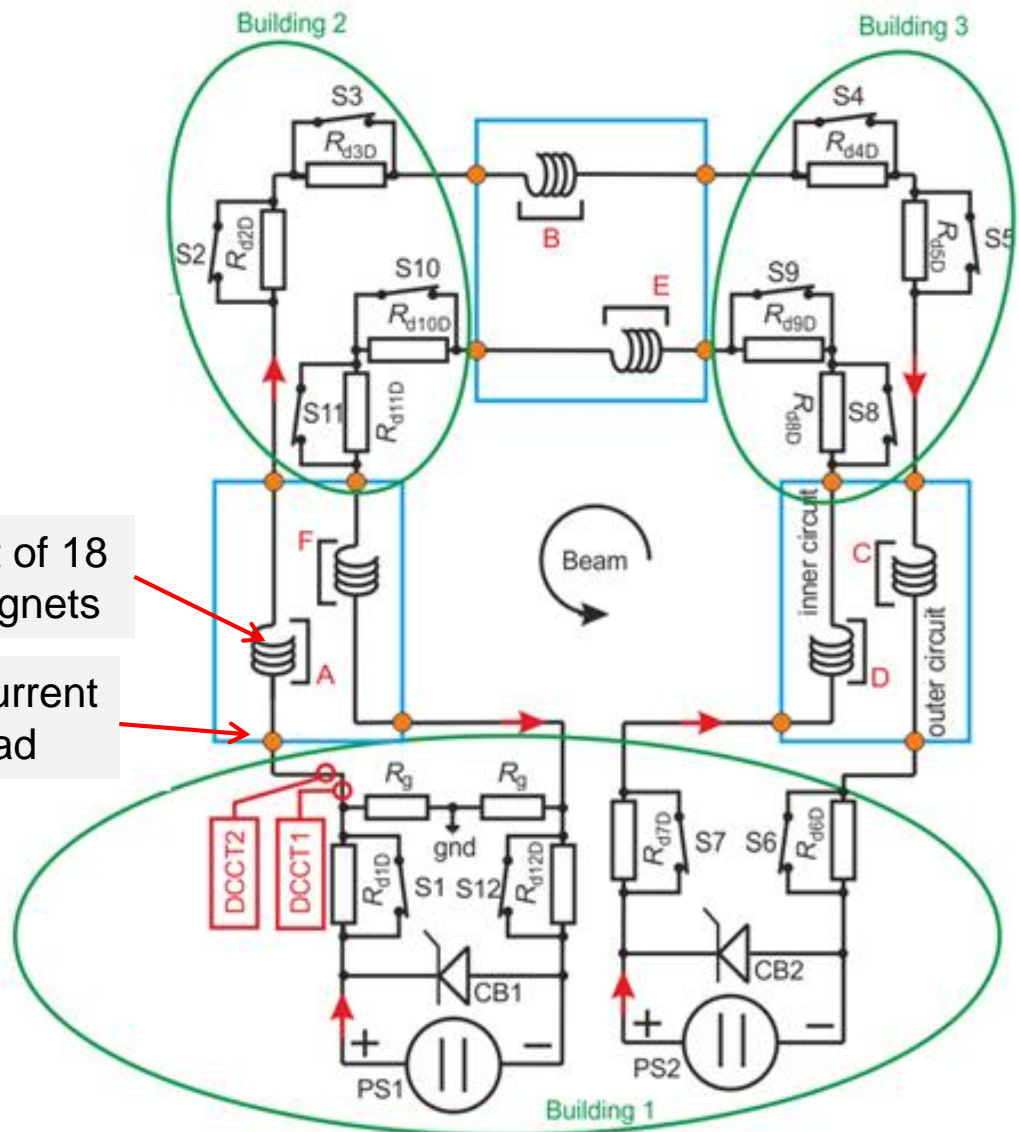




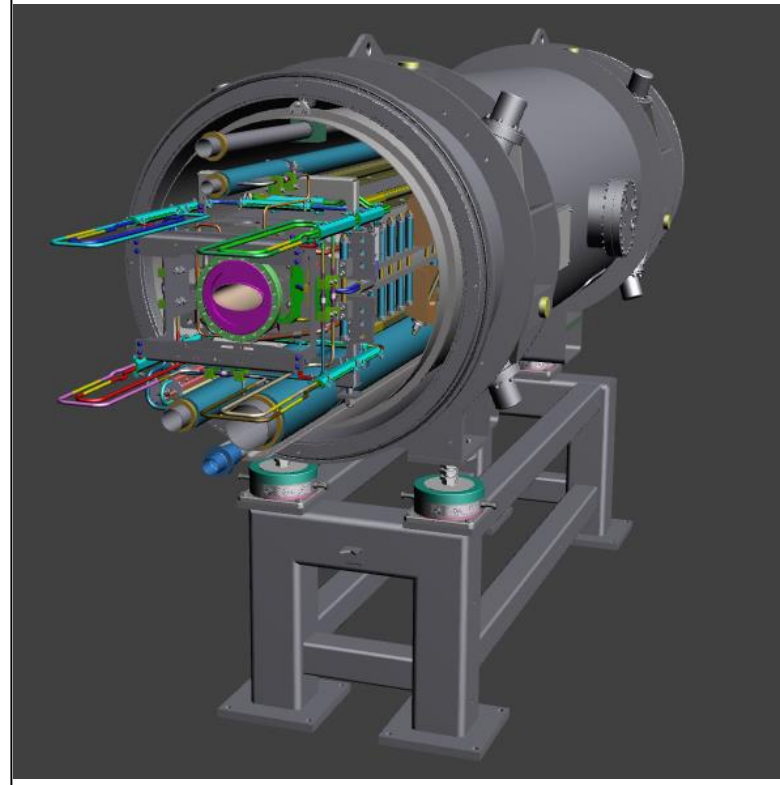
SIS 100 layout



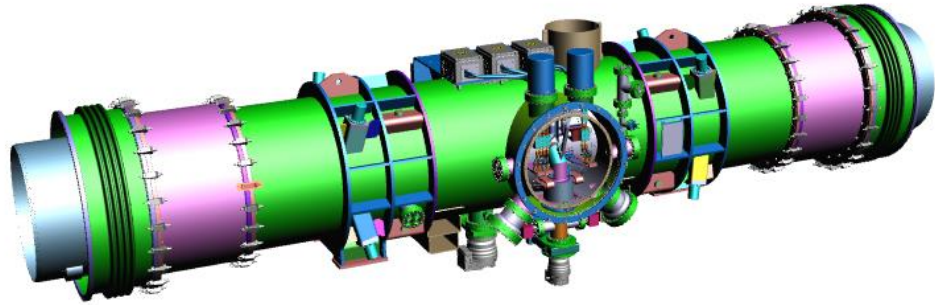
Set of 18 magnets
Current lead



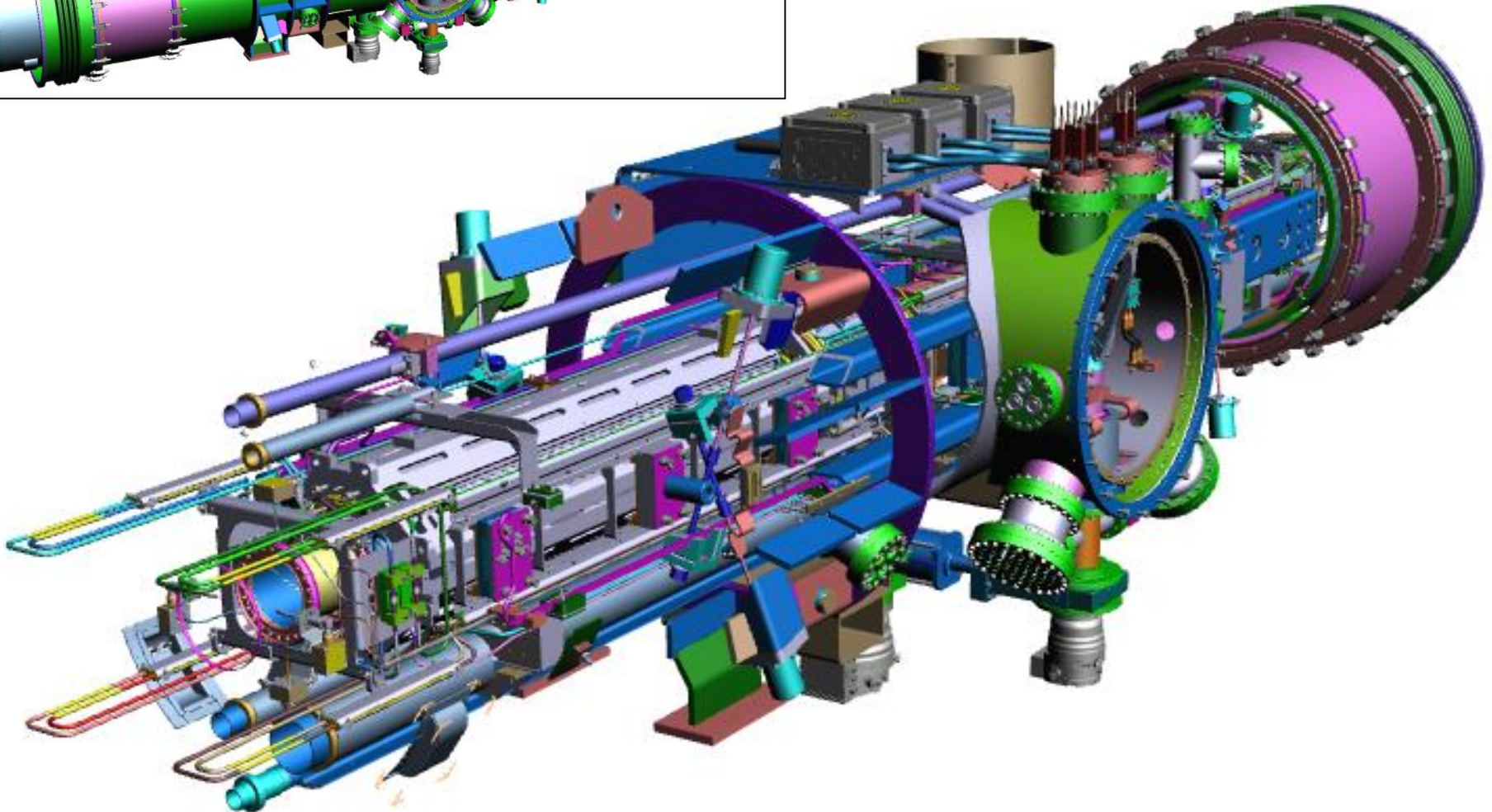
$I_n = 13.2 \text{ kA}$
108 magnet connected in series
12 energy extraction resistors
(67 mΩ, 5%)
IGBT DC circuit breakers

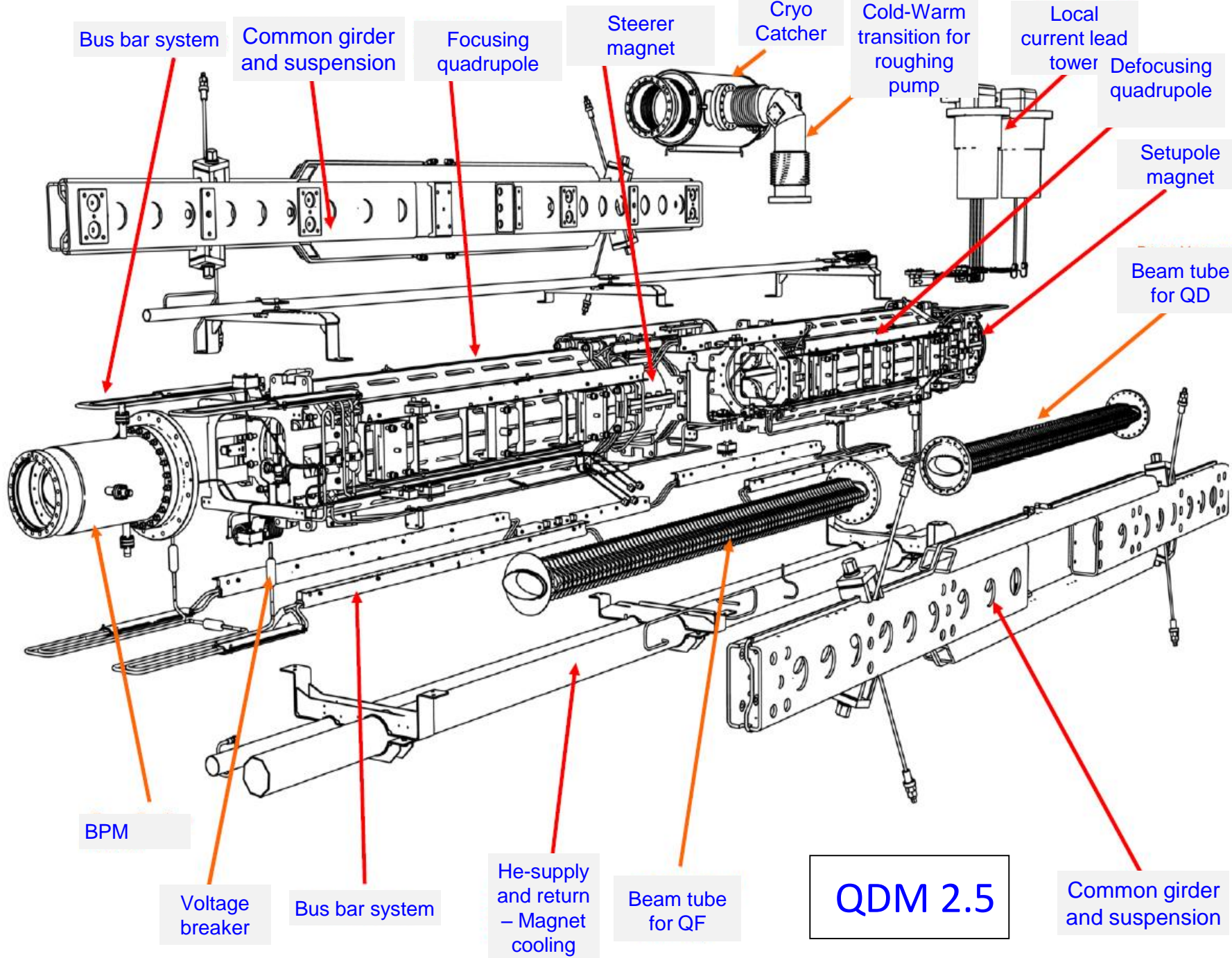


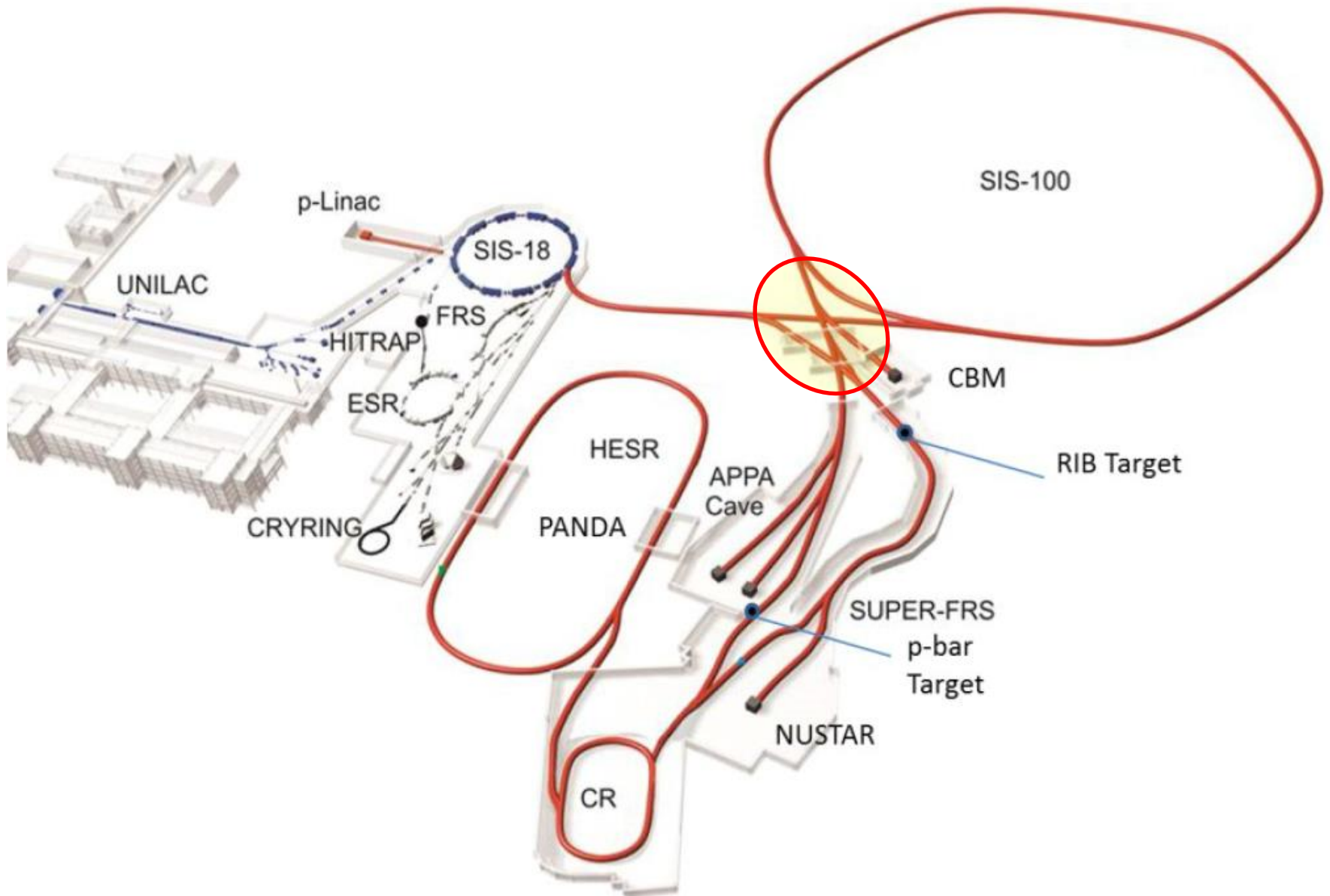
Quadrupole Doublet Module (QDM)



QDM: QD + F1 or F2 + corrector magnets
+ local current leads and other devices
(e.g. collimator, BPM, etc.)



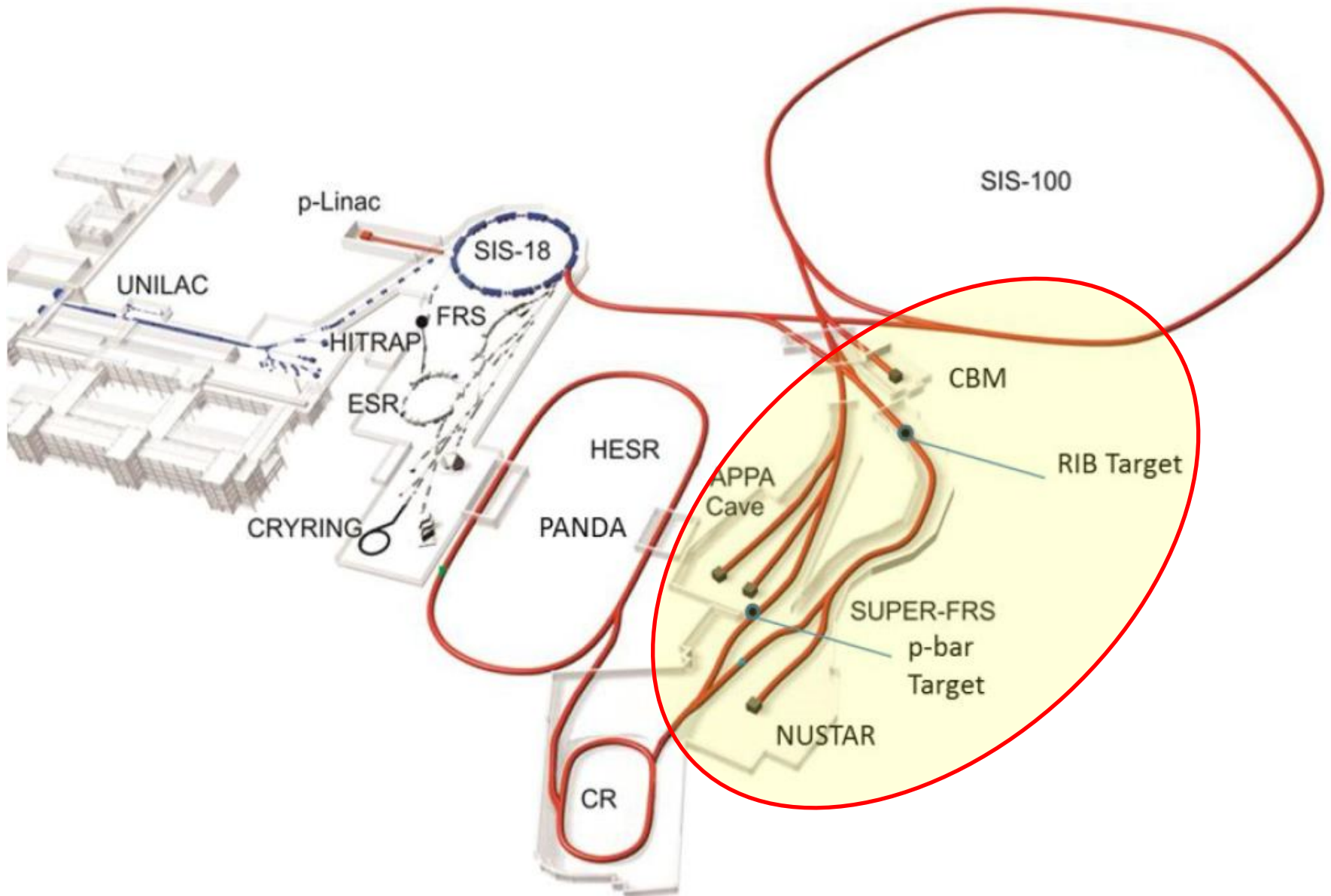




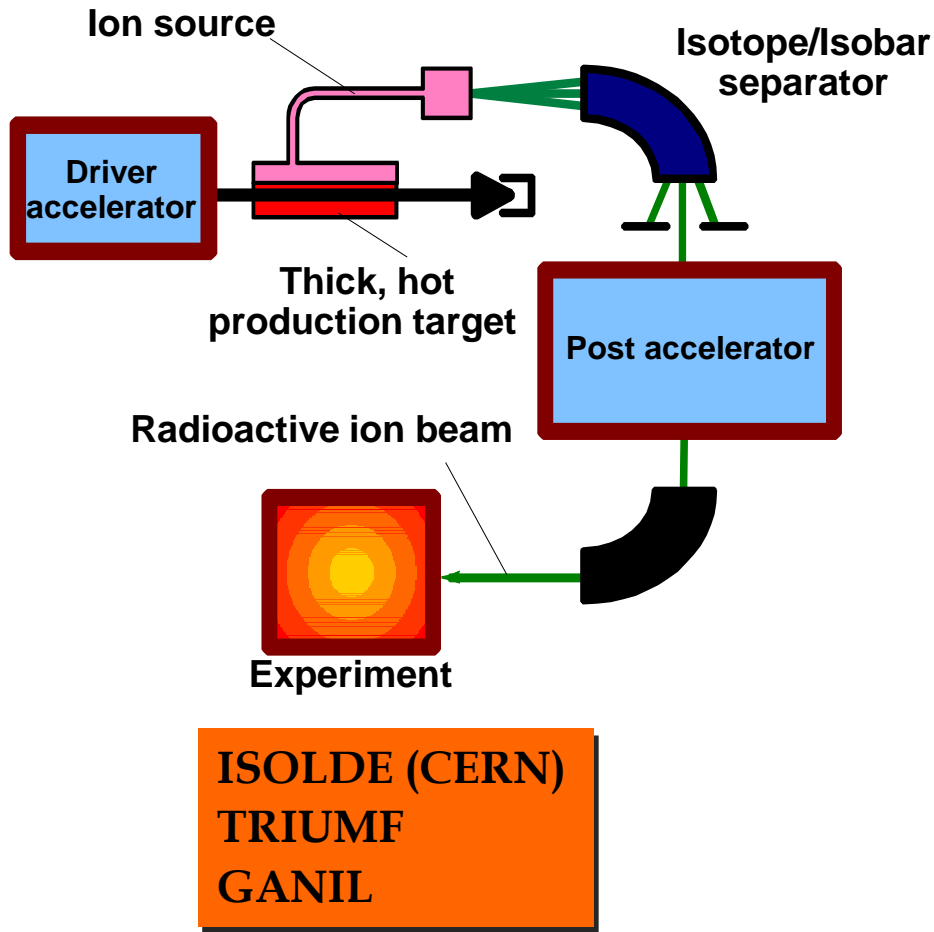
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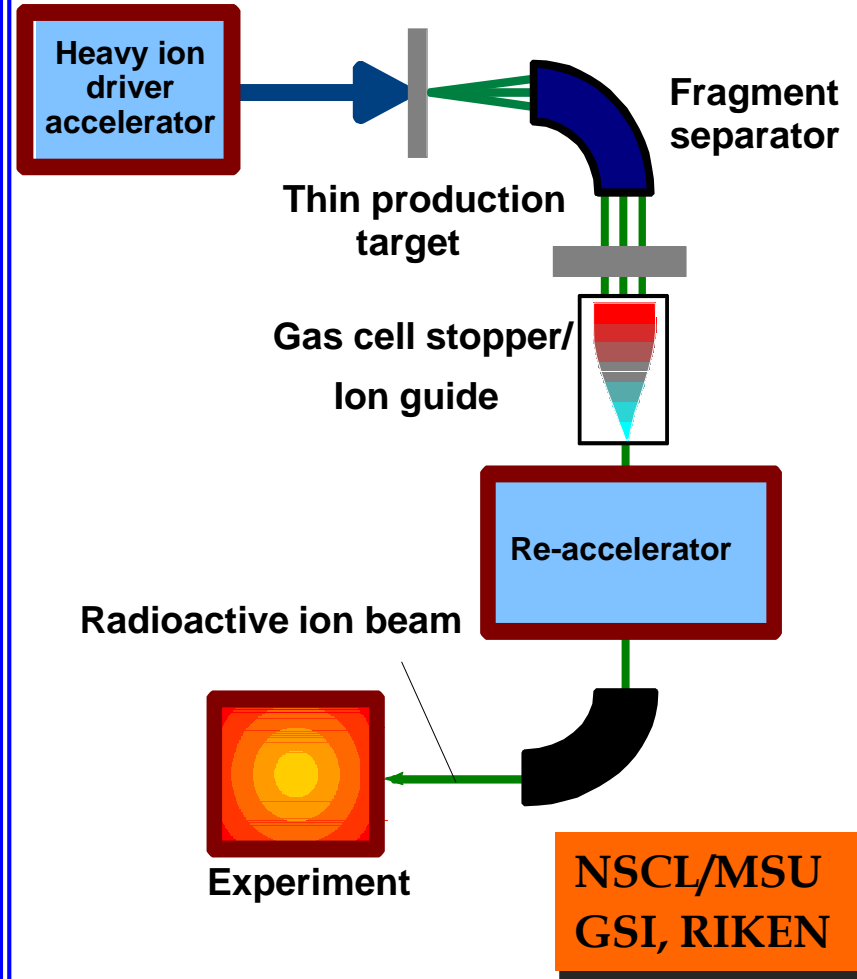
The 'High Five' (Dallas)
2002 → 2005

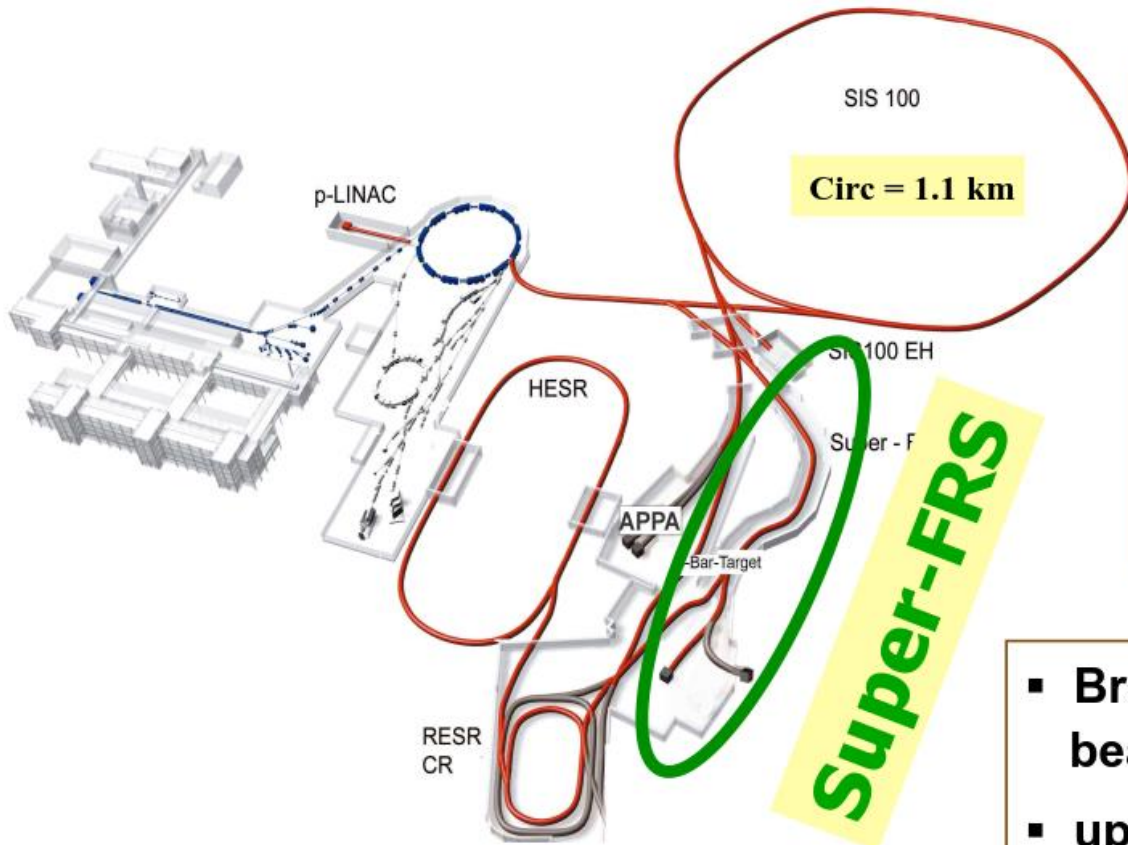


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Projectile Fragmentation (PF) and stopped beams



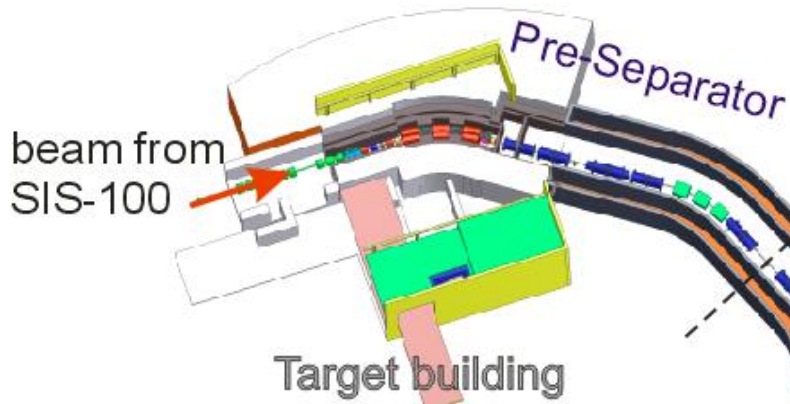


Primary Beams

- $3 \cdot 10^{11}$ $^{238}\text{U}^{28+}/\text{s}$ (Slow extr.)
@ 1.5 GeV/u
- $4 \cdot 10^{11}$ $^{238}\text{U}^{28+}$ (pulsed)
@ 1 GeV/u
- factor 100 in intensity
over present

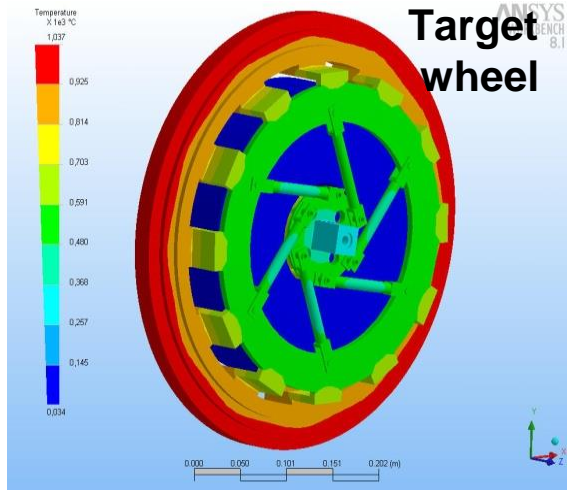
Secondary Beams

- Broad range of radioactive
beams up to 1.5 GeV/u
- up to factor 10 000 in
intensity over present

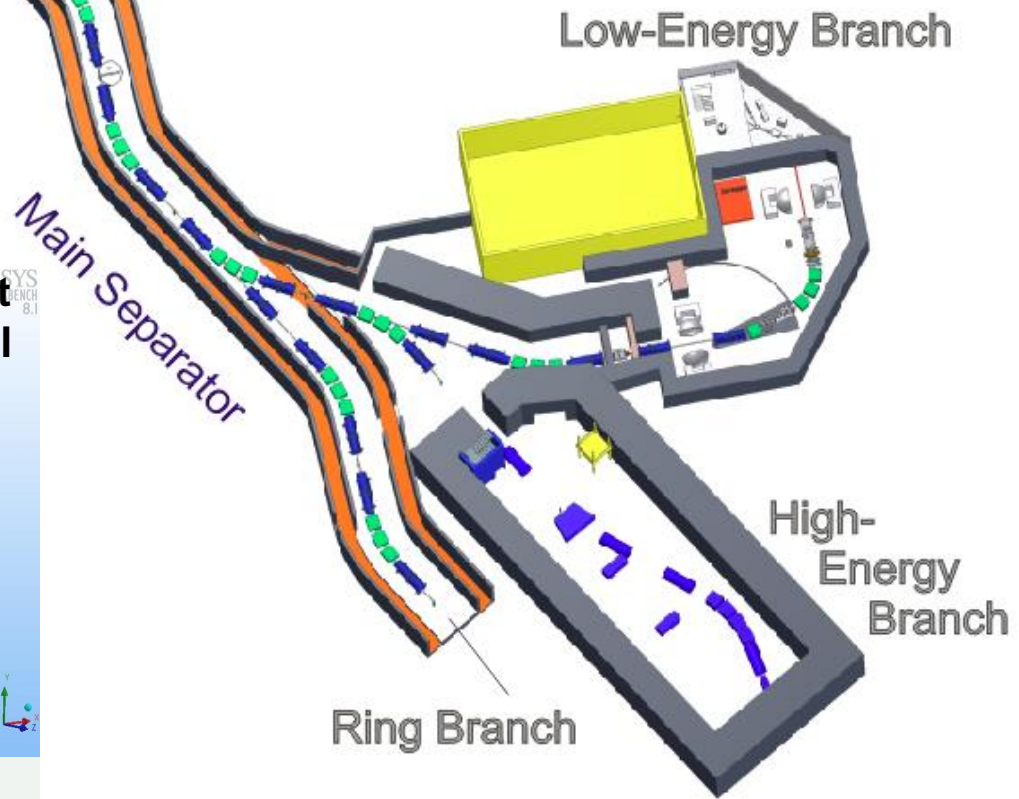


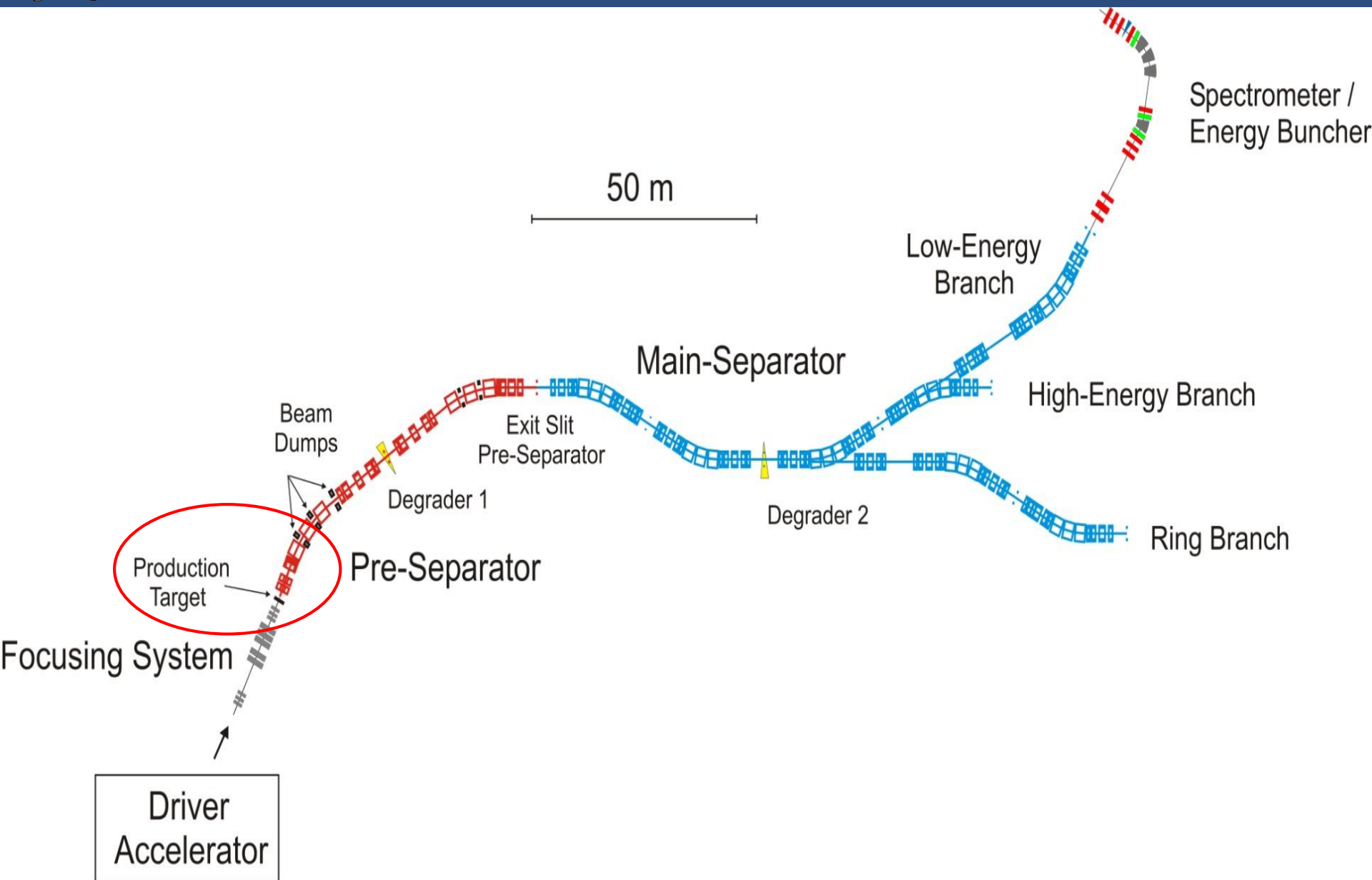
- Two-Stage Separator Multi-Branch
- Superconducting
- Large Acceptance
- $B\rho=20\text{ Tm}$

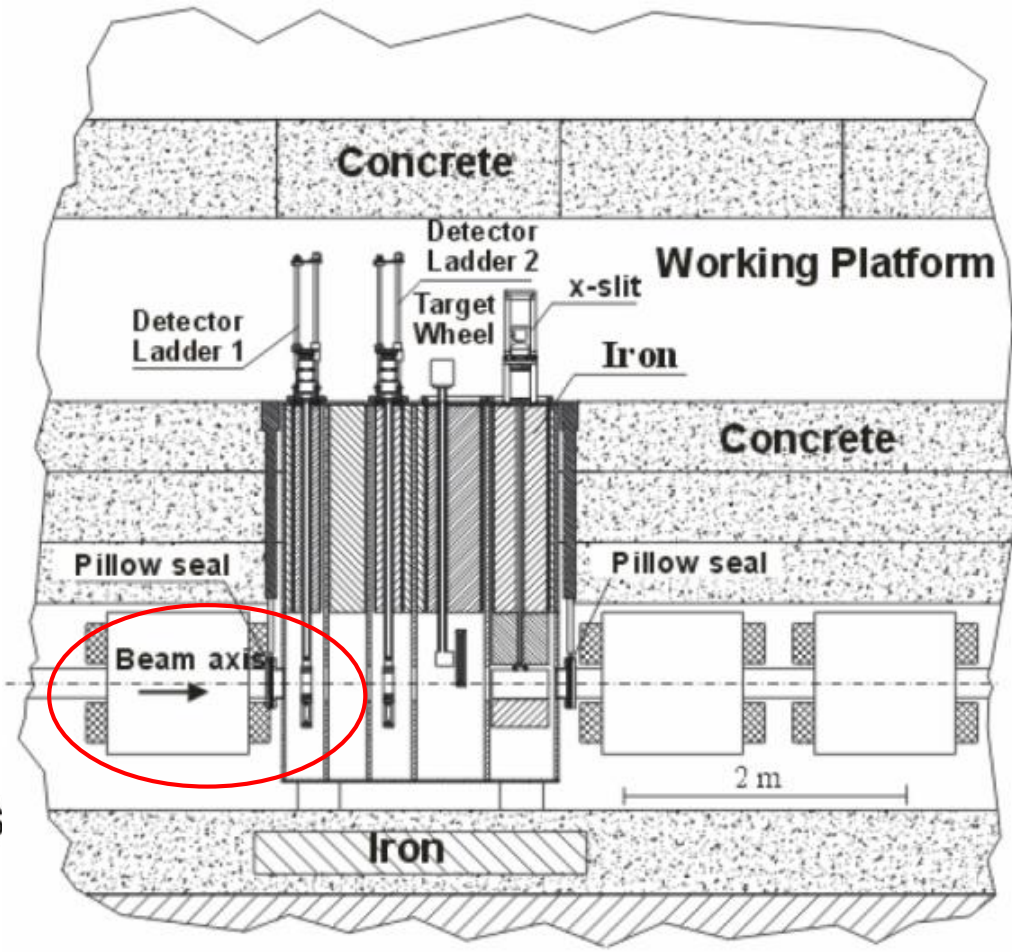
Primary p to U beams
with up to $5 \times 10^{11}/s$



Beam energy up to 38 kJ
i.e. 200 GW peak power

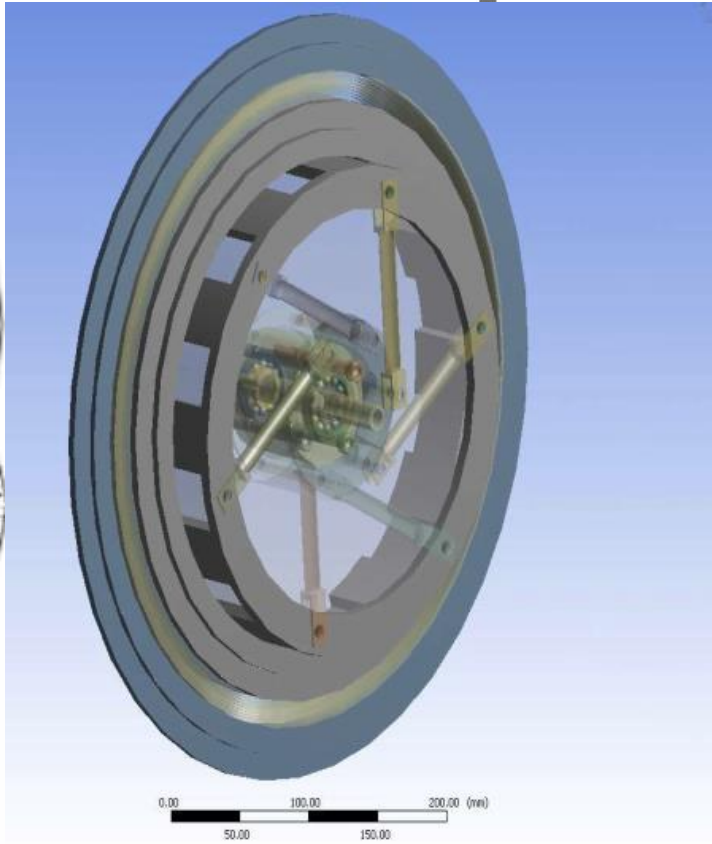




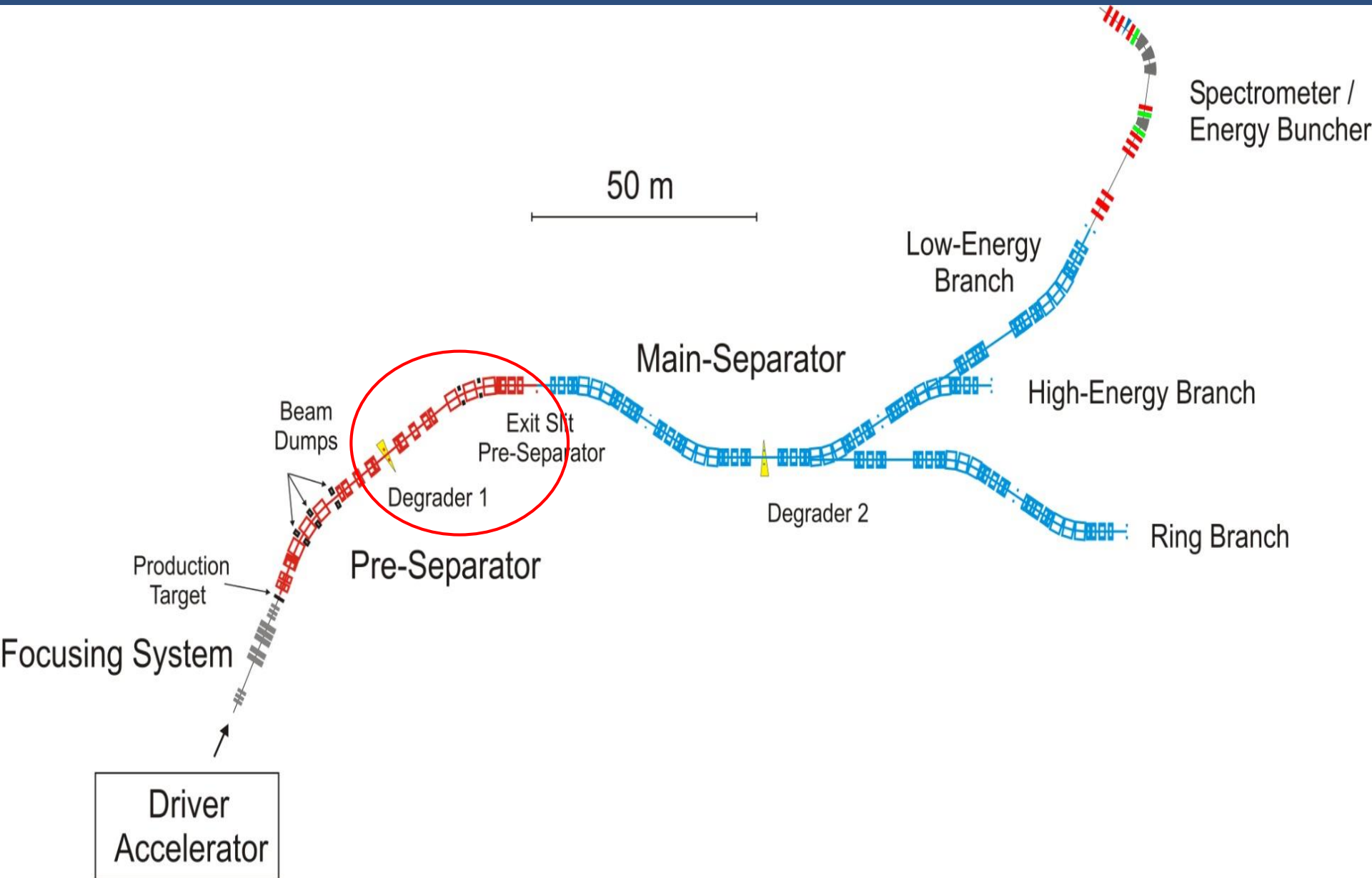


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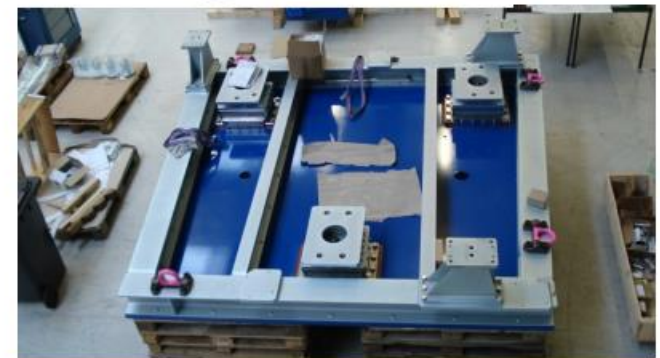
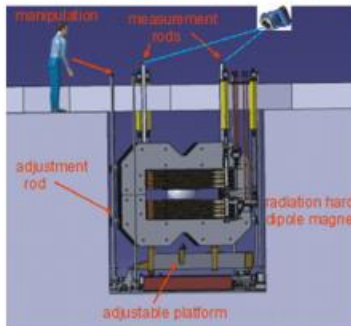
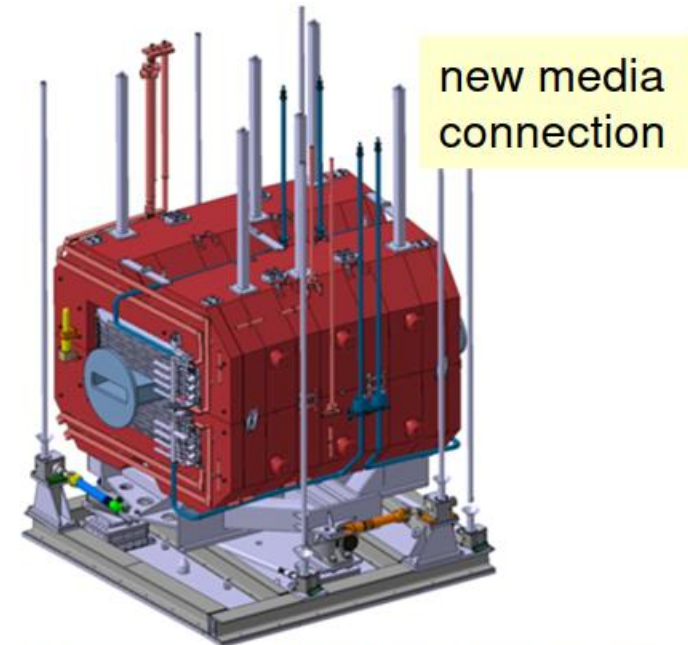
Driver
Accelerator

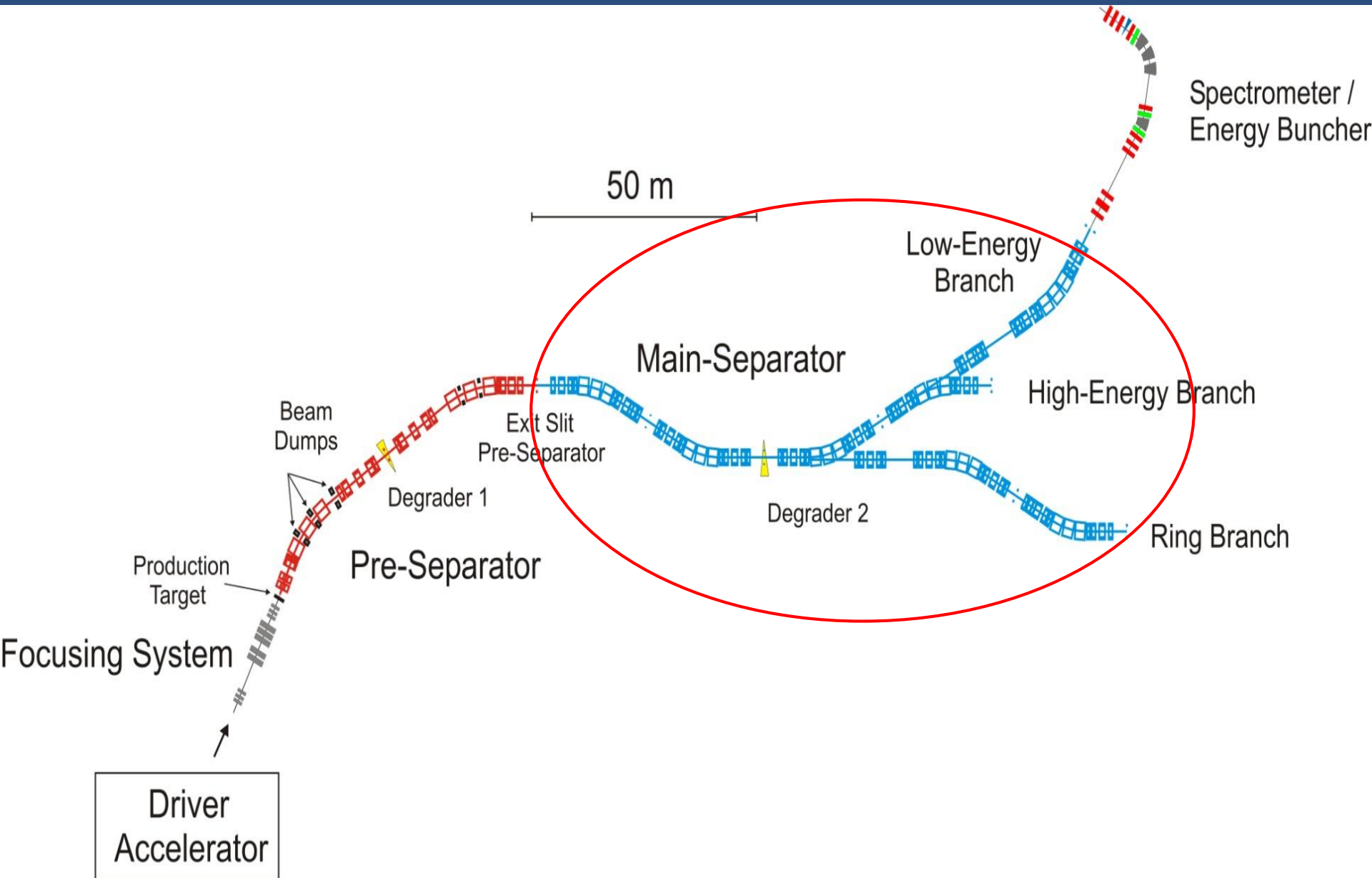


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- Magnets located in the target area
- Normal conducting magnets using MIC cable
- 3 dipole units, 3 quadrupoles, 2 sextupoles
- Test on existing prototype dipole:
 - ✓ Heating test done (>95% of Q into water)
 - ✓ New current and water connectors successfully tested
 - Construction of modified remote alignment is running.
 - Repetition of alignment test at present
 - Finalizing specification
- Tendering of magnets via FAIR (Q3/2016)

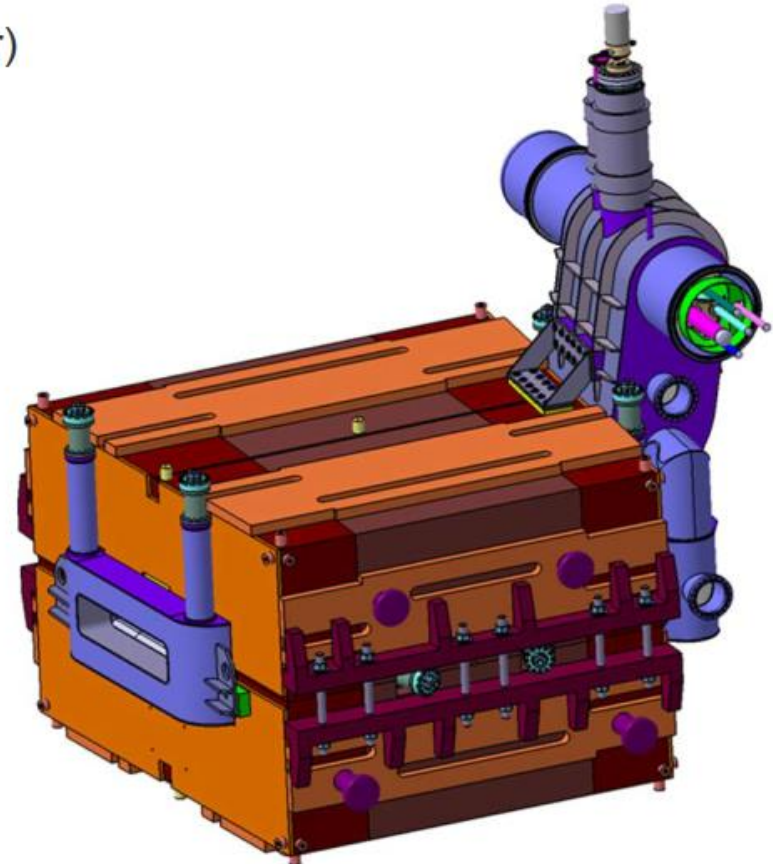




- Based on the successfully tested prototype by FAIR China Group (Lanzhou, Hefei, Beijing), a redesign is done by Irfu/CEA, Saclay concerning
 - bending angle
 - cryostat mechanics (design pressure 20 bar)
 - coil support system
 - branching dipoles



Prototype from FAIR China Group in 2014

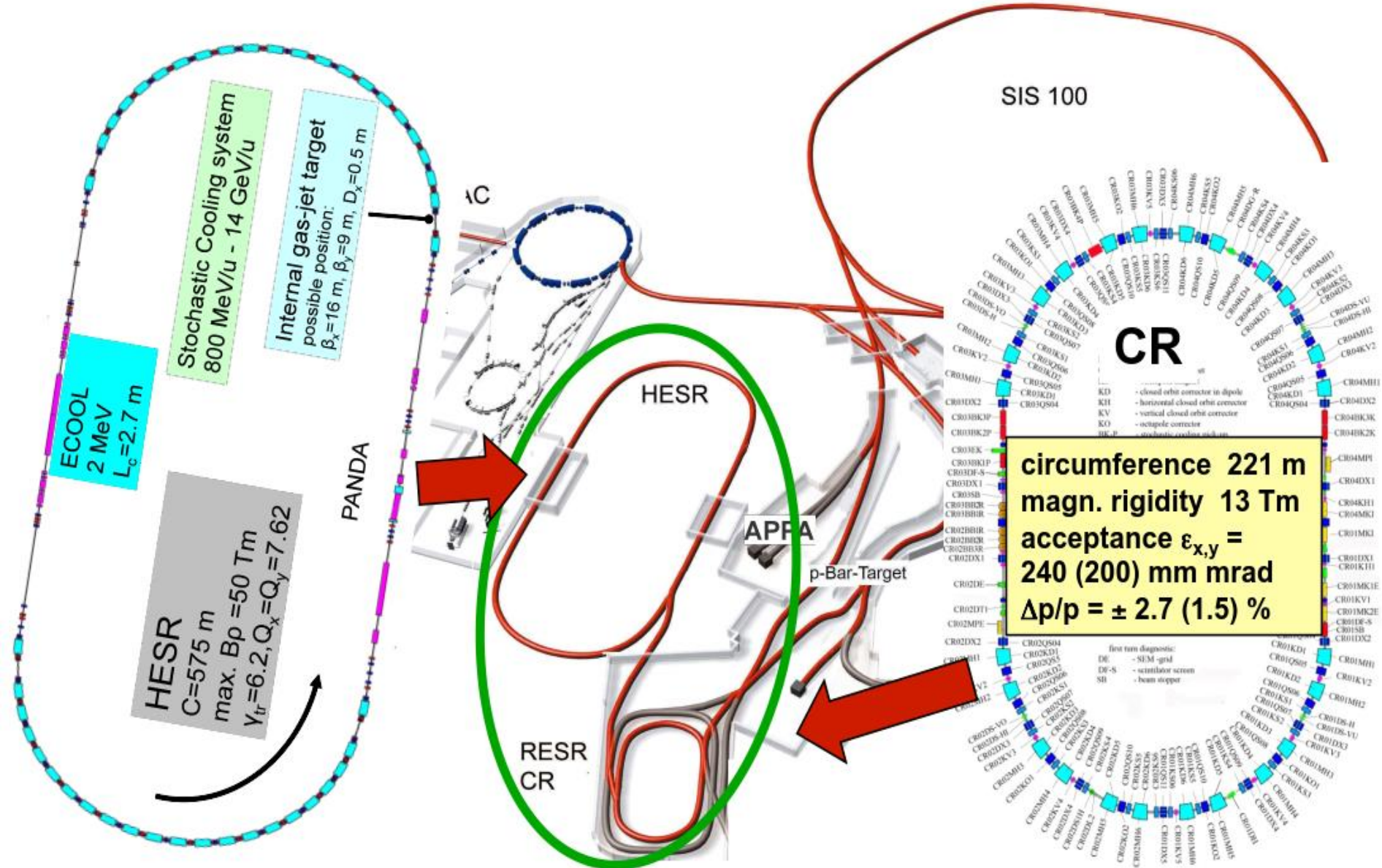


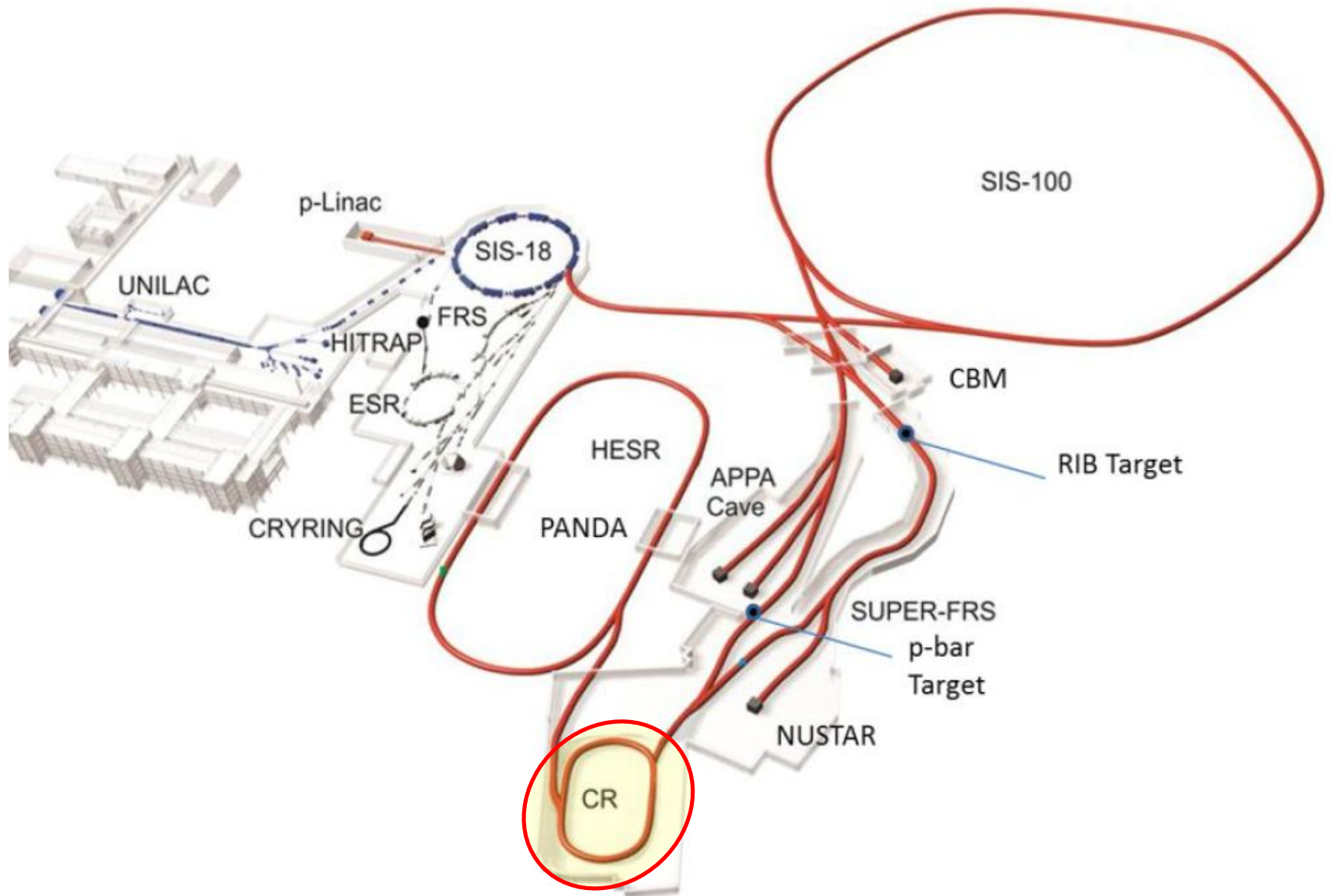
Design by Irfu/CEA, Saclay, 2017

- 25 long multiplets (mainly MS)
 - Quadrupol triplet
- 8 short multiplets (PS)
 - QS configuration
- include corrector elements & steerer
- iron dominated, cold iron (≈ 40 tons)
- common helium bath, LHe ≈ 1.300 l
- warm beam pipe
- per magnet 1 pair of current leads
- max. current < 300 A for all magnets
- ✓ Contract award July 1st, 2015
 - Winning company: ASG Genoa
 - Contract volume ≈ 50 M€
- ✓ Kick-off: July 15, 2015

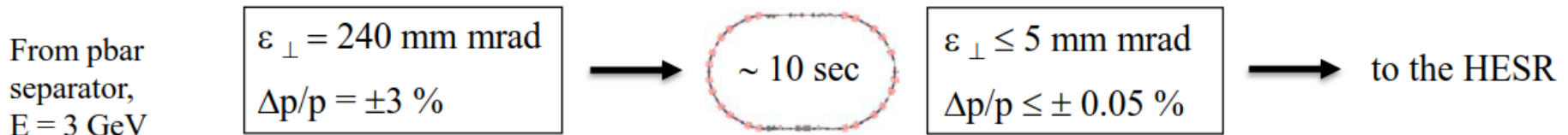


Preliminary ASG Modell,
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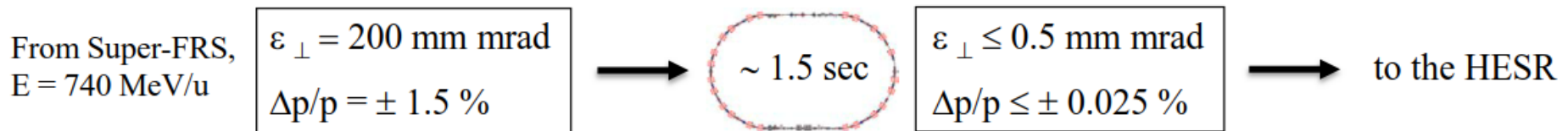




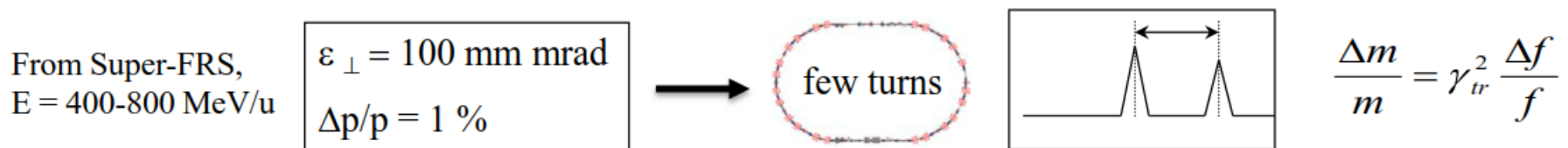
1. Cooling of antiproton beam, Pbar

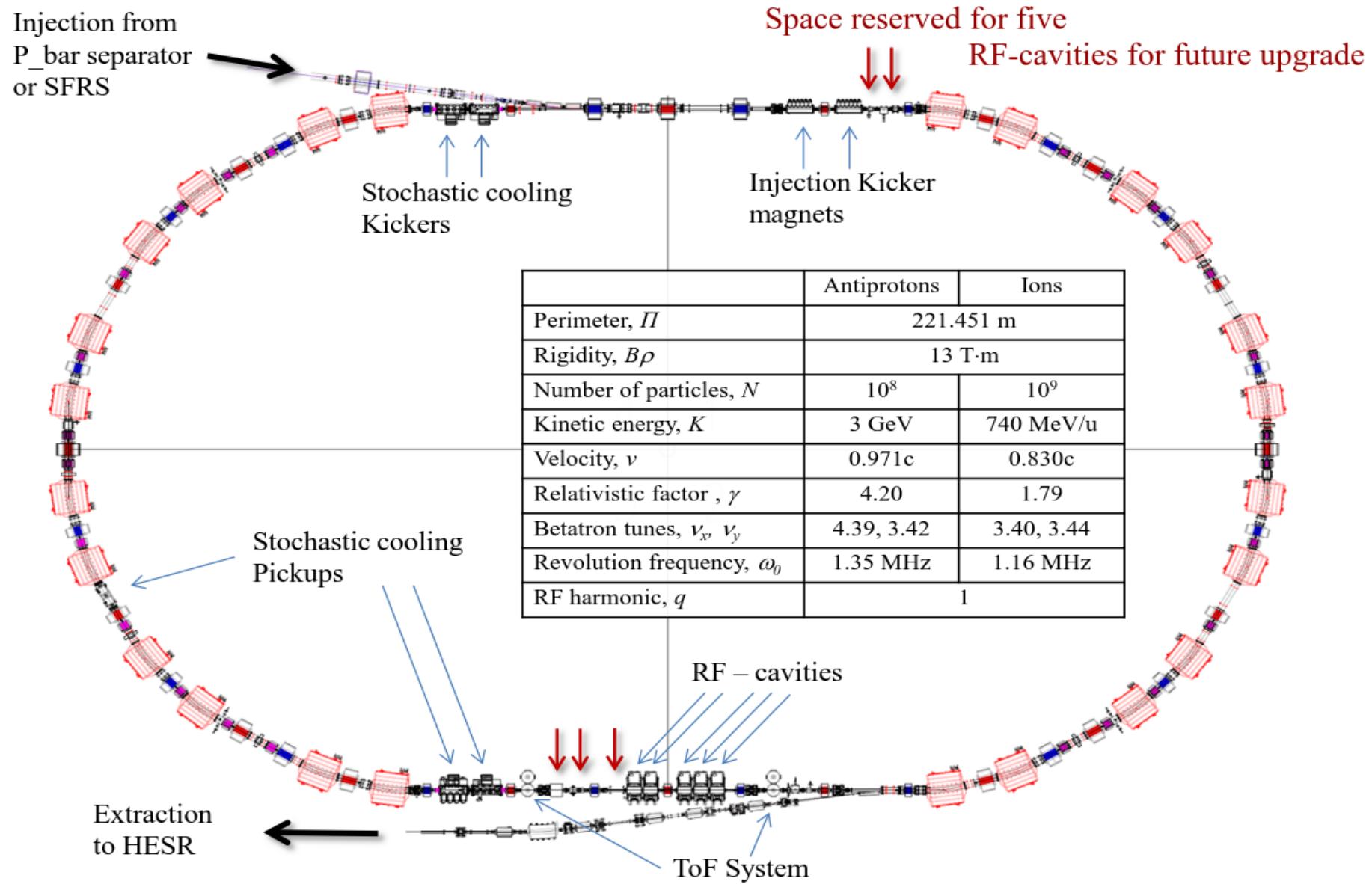


2. Cooling of secondary beams of radioactive ions, RIB



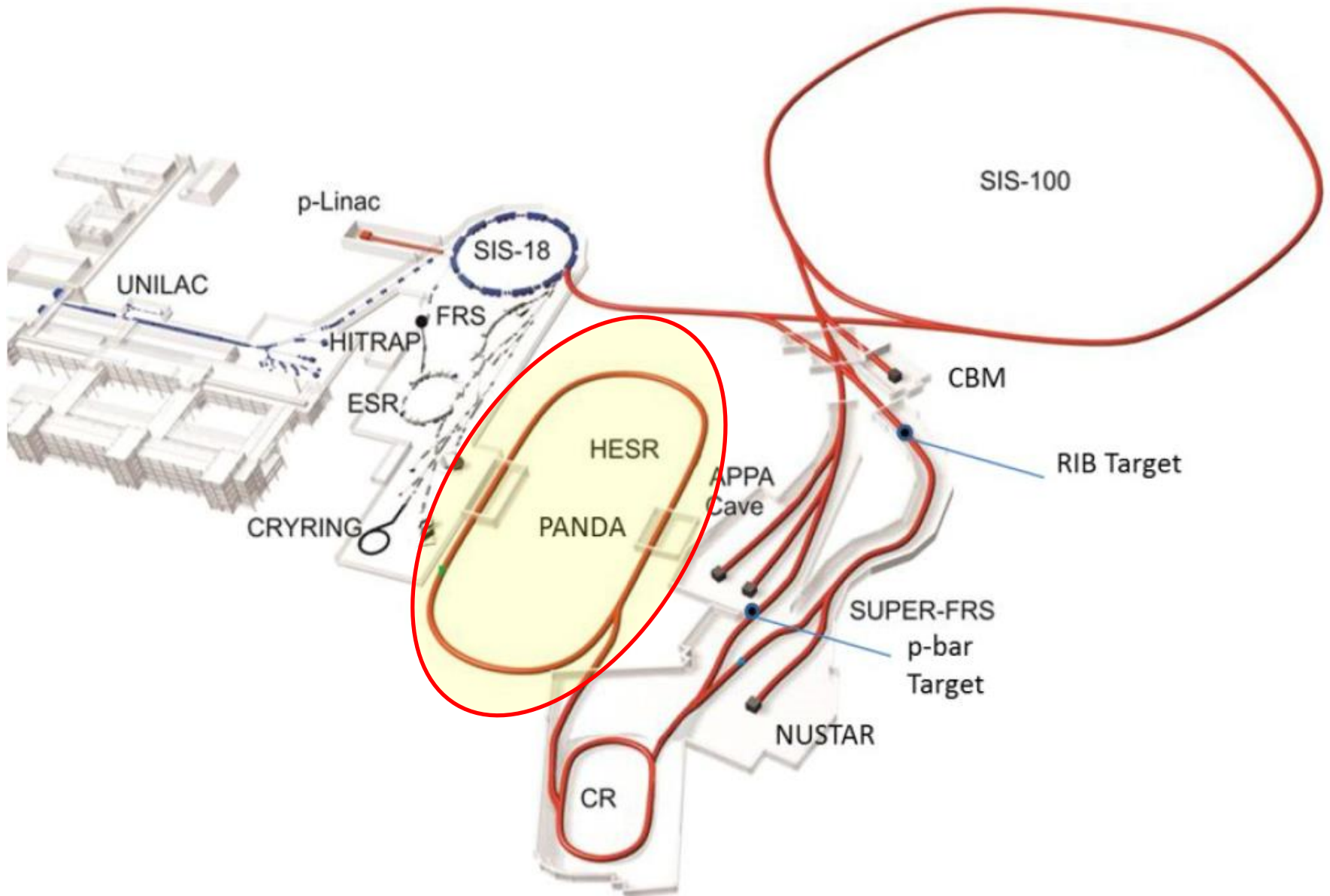
3. Mass spectrometer of radioactive ions (TOF), ISO



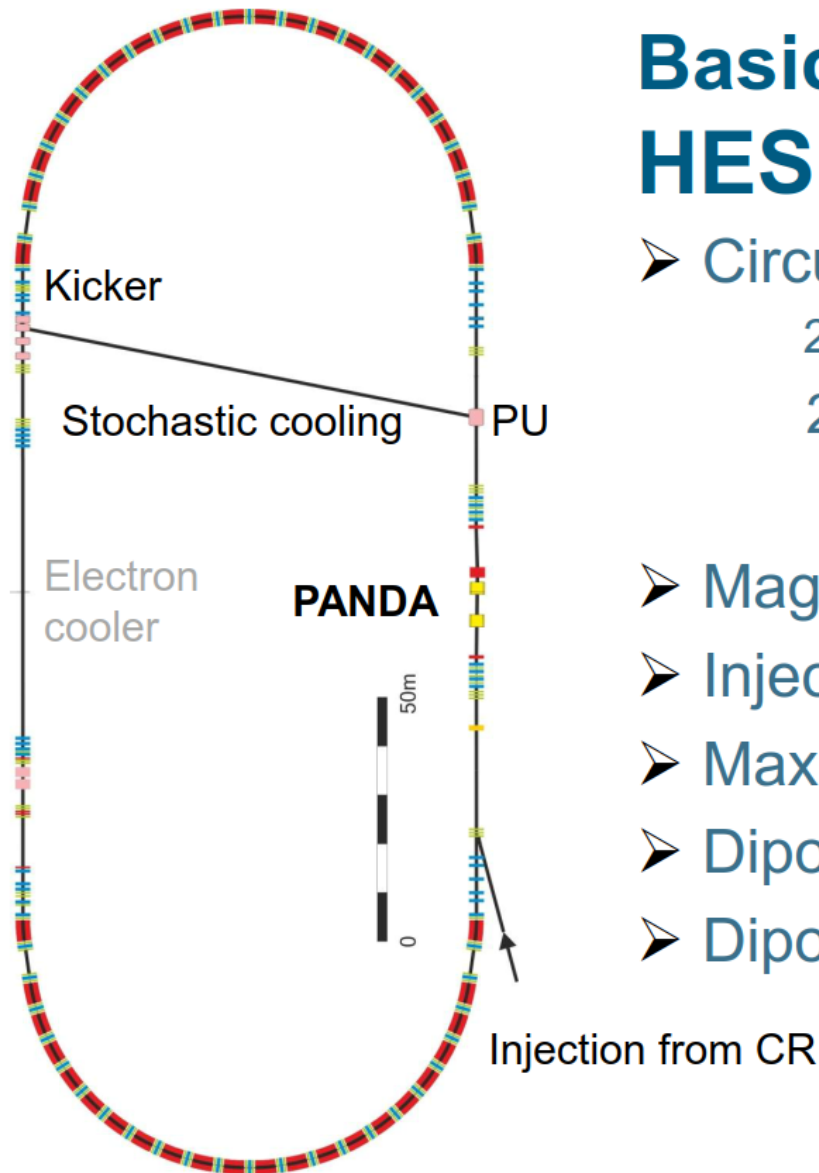


	Antiprotons	Ions
Perimeter, Π	221.451 m	
Rigidity, $B\rho$	13 T·m	
Number of particles, N	10^8	10^9
Kinetic energy, K	3 GeV	740 MeV/u
Velocity, v	0.971c	0.830c
Relativistic factor, γ	4.20	1.79
Betatron tunes, ν_x, ν_y	4.39, 3.42	3.40, 3.44
Revolution frequency, ω_0	1.35 MHz	1.16 MHz
RF harmonic, q	1	

High Energy Storage Ring HESR (Jülich)



Basic Data of HESR



- Circumference 574 m
 - 2 arcs of 155 m
 - 2 straight sections of 132 m

- Magnetic rigidity: 5 – 50 Tm
- Injection from CR at 13 Tm
- Maximum dipole field: 1.7 T
- Dipole field at injection: 0.4 T
- Dipole field ramp: 0.025 T/s

- Operating with antiprotons
- Operating with heavy ions

- FAIR is one of the largest research projects worldwide, an extremely interesting and challenging accelerator project
 - GSI faces rather tough challenges to build FAIR
 - Apart from FAIR construction, the existing accelerators need substantial upgrade / replacements
 - CERN contributes in several areas, controls, **magnet testing**, ...
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- **As it has been experiences with SSC in the US – the accelerator community has a large interest in the success of FAIR**



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 - FAIR: D.Krämer, MAC1
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