

# Expression of Interests on the Future HiRadMat Experiments

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*Radiation Damage In Accelerator  
Target Environments*



# Overview



- J-PARC consists of a series of the world's most intense accelerators and experimental facilities producing and utilizing high-intensity proton beams
- Future experiments at HiRadMat facility will provide great opportunities to J-PARC for its undergoing researches and developments on accelerator, beamline & detector components

## 3 Letter-Of-Interests being submitted

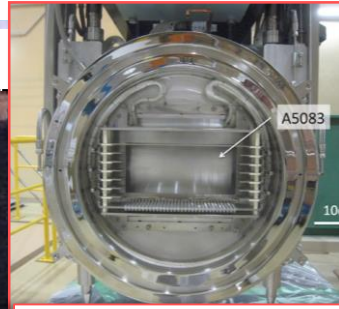
1. **Thermal shock experiments of advanced target / window / dump materials** with high energy proton beam at HiRadMat Facility [ S.Makimura/T.Nakadaira/TI/M.Futakawa et al]
2. **Displacement cross section** of target and beam window materials for 440 GeV/c protons [ S.Meigo et al]
3. Development of the Next Generation **High Radiation Tolerant Detector** with the High Intensity Proton Beam at HiRadMat Facility [ H.Nishiguchi, Y.Hashimoto et al]



# Targets & Windows at J-PARC



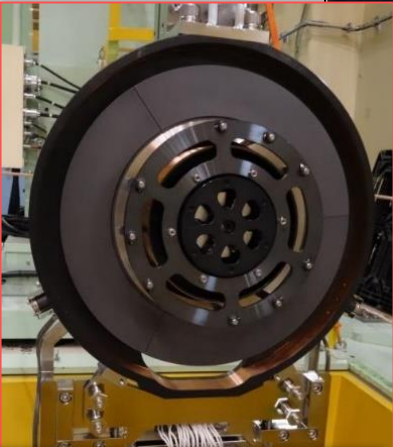
Neutrino [ $\nu$ ]  
He-cooled graphite



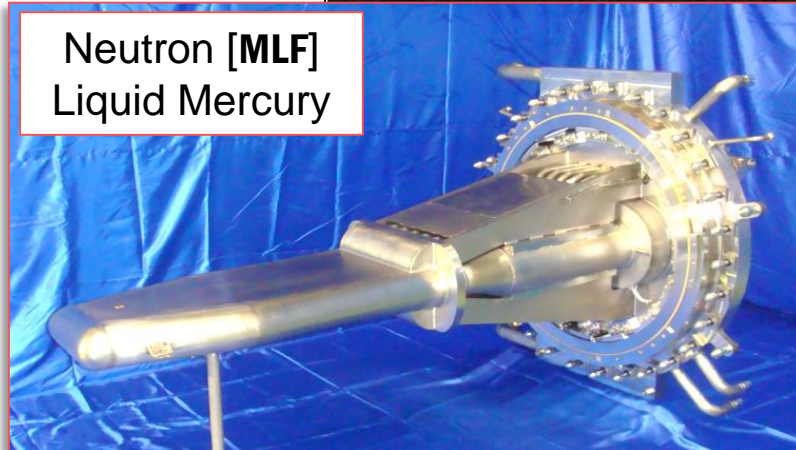
Al A5083 BW



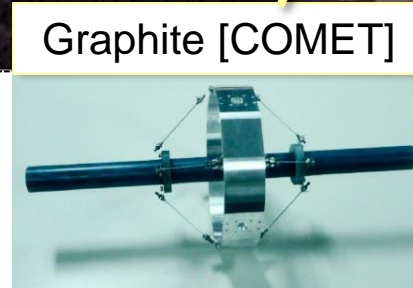
Ti-6Al-4V BW



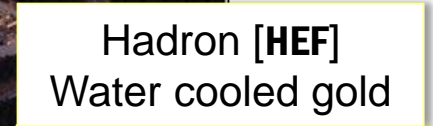
Muon [MLF-MUSE]  
Rotating Graphite



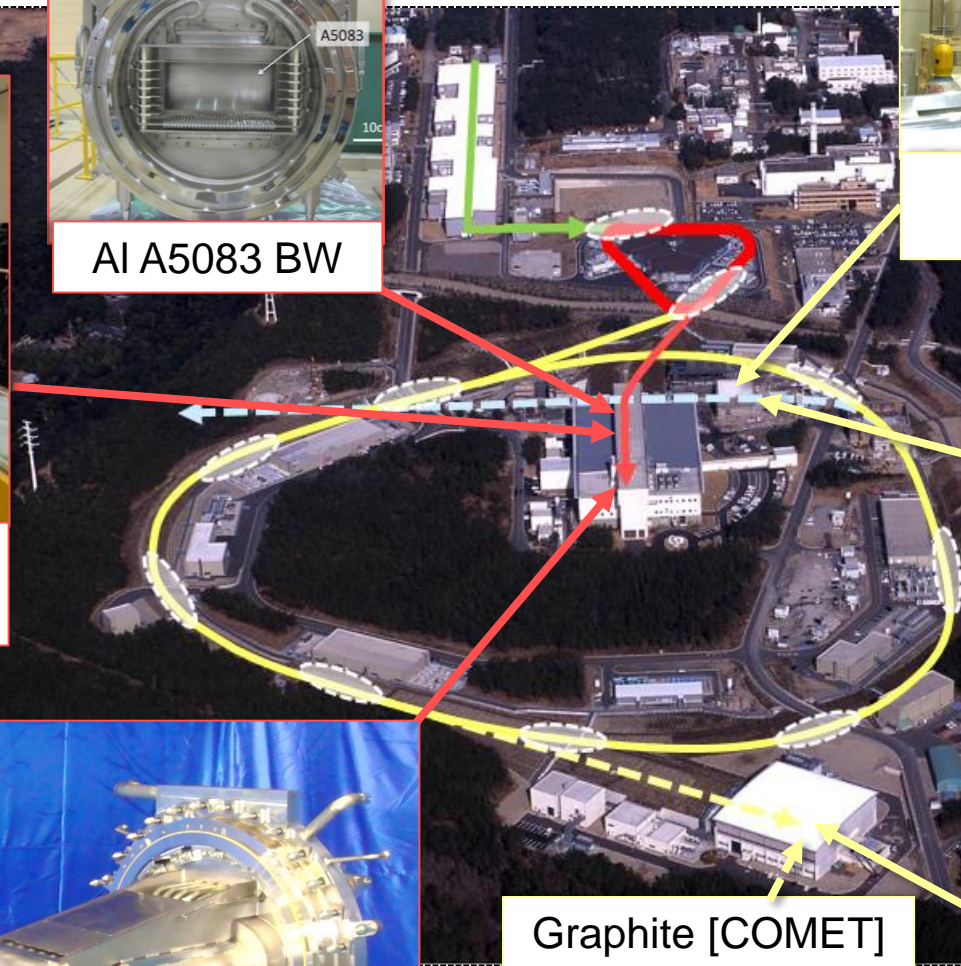
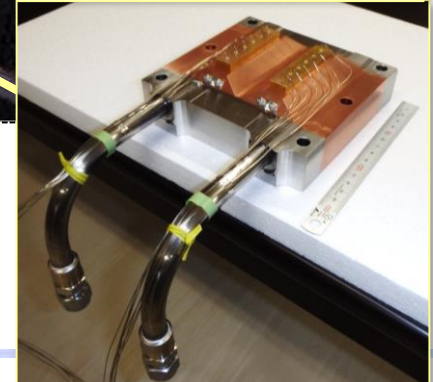
Neutron [MLF]  
Liquid Mercury



Graphite [COMET]



Hadron [HEF]  
Water cooled gold



# 1. Advanced Targetry Material Studies



- For power upgrade aiming several hundred kW to MW, upgrade of each target and beam window system should be completed in a timely manner:
  1. Nickel (or Platinum) rotating target at HEF
  2. Light material (**SiC composite, SiC-coated graphite**) in place of (or combined with) the graphite target for  $\nu$ , MLF muon, COMET at HEF
  3. **Highly-ductile Tungsten** target for COMET second phase, MLF second target station
  4. Syst. studies on **Ti-alloy grades** as beam window material
  5. Graphite, copper alloy, stainless steel for MR abort beam dump, with reference to CERN's beam dump design
  6. **Lead Bismuth Eutectic (LBE)** target at proposed Material Irradiation Facility for ADS

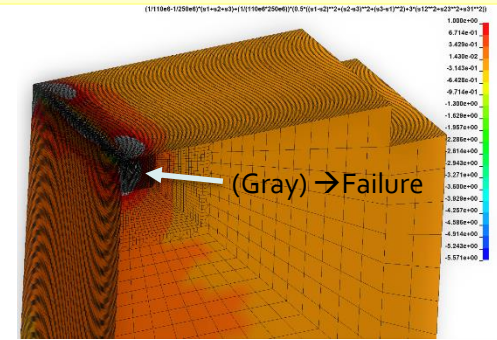
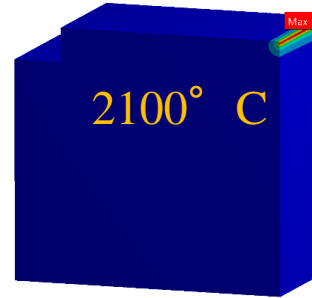
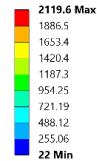
# Study of Solid Materials with Thermal Shock(1)

## NITE-SiC/SiC

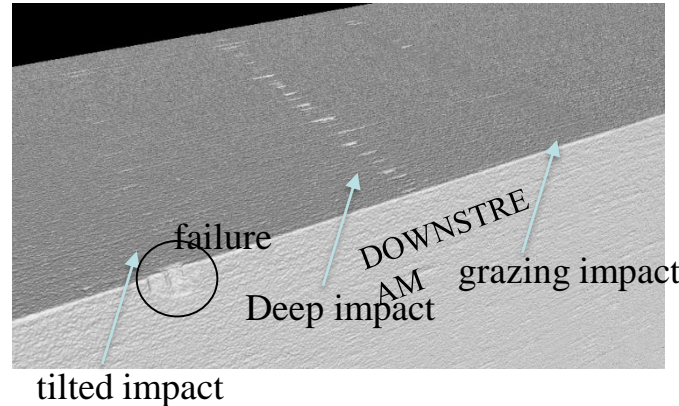
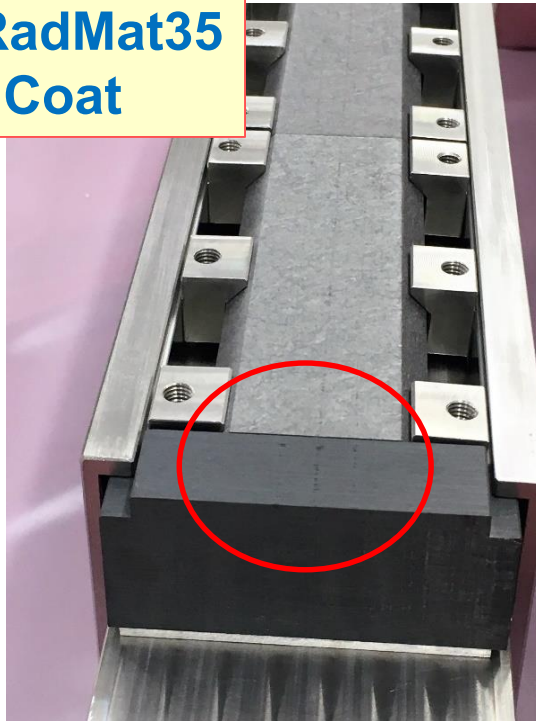
- ◆ Density 3.2 g/cc (SiC) → more secondary emission than graphite
- ◆ SiC fibers + matrix, control mechanical properties / to replicate ductility

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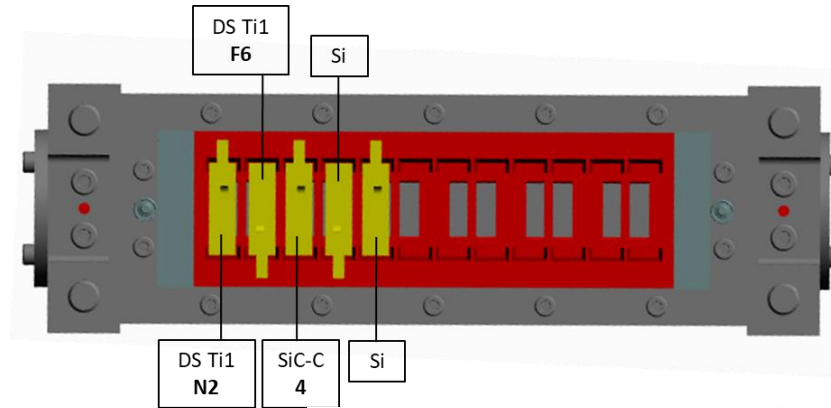
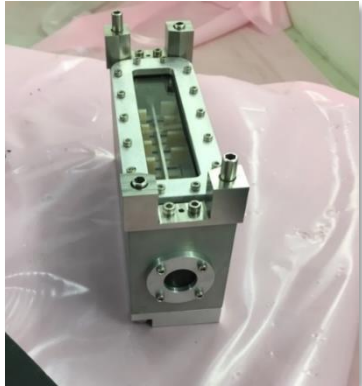
HiRadMat35  
 TDICoat



*To continue the studies with various impact parameters, especially to compare behavior between cold and irradiated specimen at next BLIP run*

# Study of Solid Materials with Thermal Shock(2)

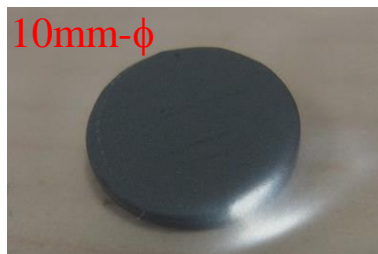
- SiC-coated graphite / Titanium Alloy (cold & irradiated at BLIP) exposed to thermal shock at HiRadMat in autumn JFY2018



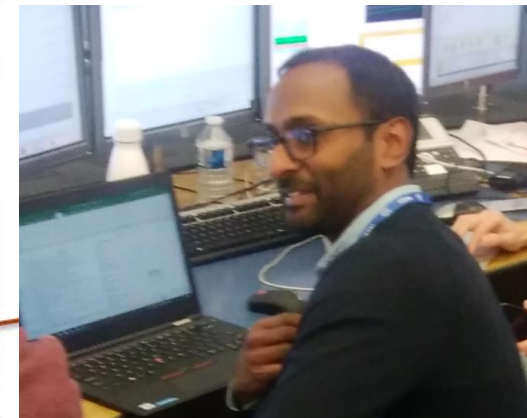
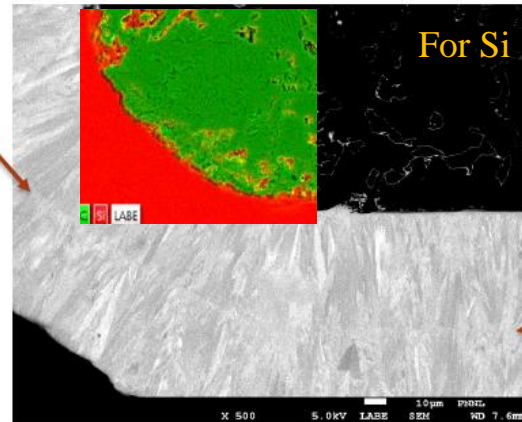
**HRMT43 BeGrid2**

**BOX-3**

- Ti-6Al-4V Gr5
- Ti-3Al-2.5V Gr9
- SiC-coated Graphite IG-630U



CVD-SiC  
0.1 mm  
1 mm  
Graphite



- How did the SiC-coating on graphite behave with beam impact?
- How different between Ti-6Al-4V( $\alpha+\beta$ ) and Ti-3Al-2.5V(nearly  $\alpha$ ) ?
- **How different between irradiated at BLIP / un-irradiated ?**

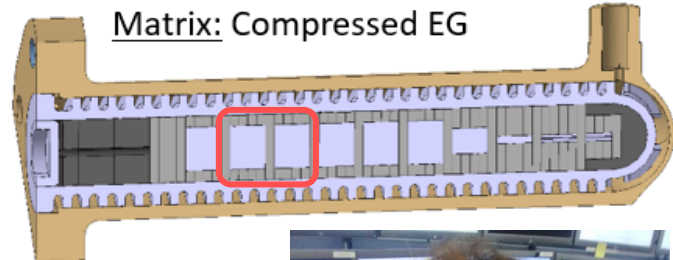
# Study of Solid Materials with Thermal Shock(3)

## Highly-Ductile W (TFGR W-1.1TiC)

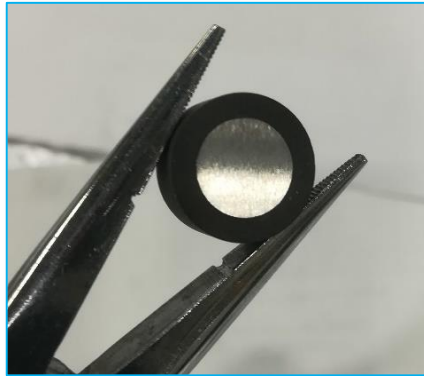
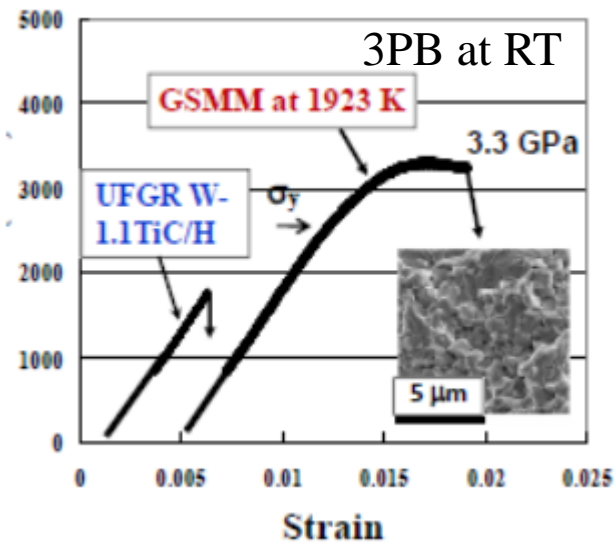
HRMT48  
PROTAD

### Target 5:

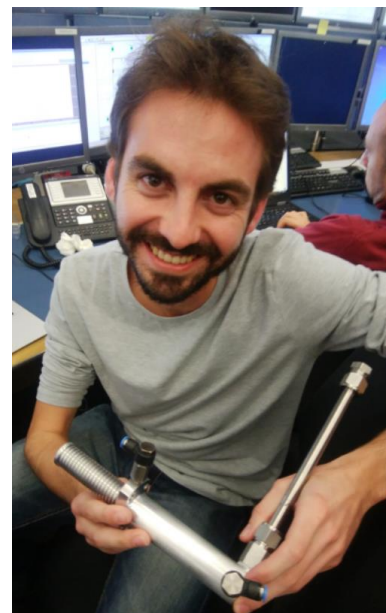
Core:  $\varnothing$  10 mm Ta +  
 $\varnothing$  10 mm W + W-1.1TiC +  $\varnothing$  10 mm Ir  
 +  $\varnothing$  2 mm Ta tube  
 Matrix: Compressed EG



- ◆ Tungsten: high density/melting point, but become brittle by recrystallization at 1200°C
- ◆ 3D MA (FineGrain) → HIP → recrystallization under grain boundary sliding (GSMM): segregation / precipitation of TiC at grain boundary 13 :



Colour Legend		
W-(1.2%) TiC	S1	HQ-GSMM
	S2	LQ-GSMM
	S3	HQ-w/o GSMM
	S4	HQ-w/o GSMM
	S5	Hot rolled
W	S6	Hot rolled and recrystallized
	S7	Hot rolled



*The fabrication process is improving. Need to continue studies, especially irradiation run at BLIP, and thermal shock studies (w-w/o irradiation?)*



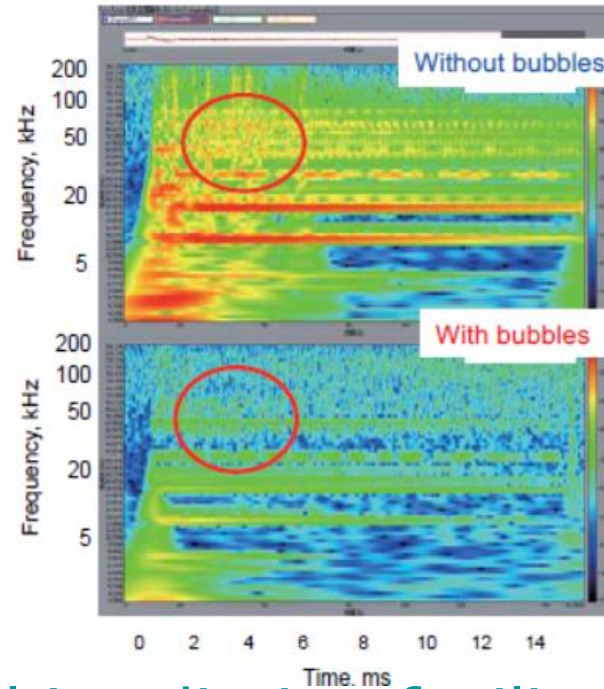
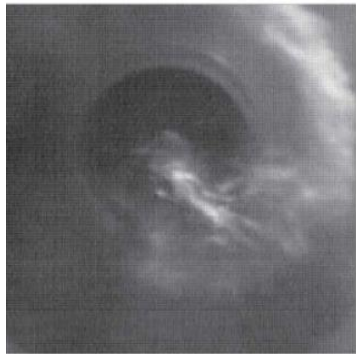
# Study of Shock Wave on Liquid Metal Target



## ■ Liq-Mercury target



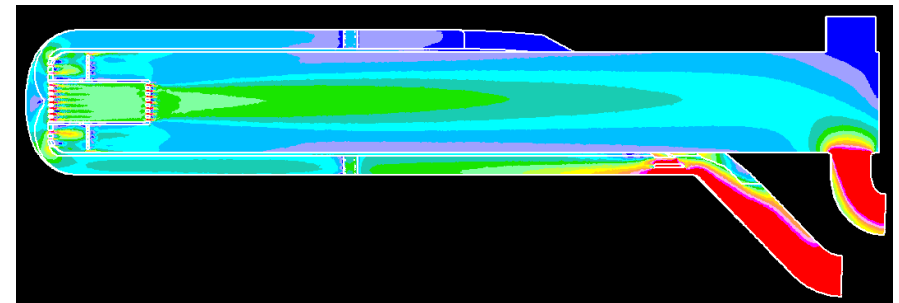
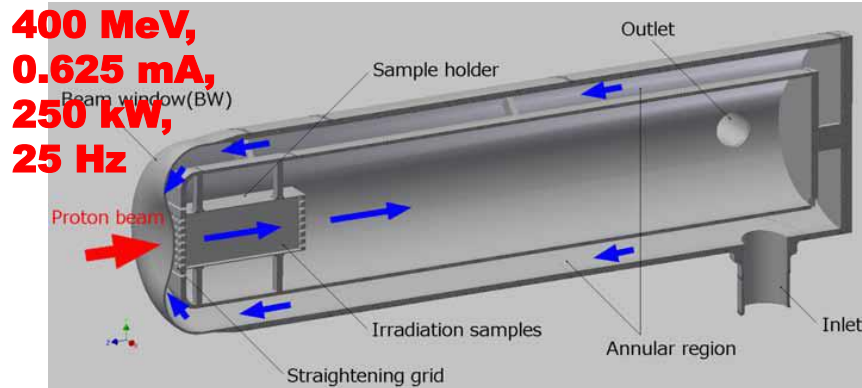
Swirl-type bubbler



Liquid metal, or substituting liquid, are contained in a confined vessel w-w/o flow and gas bubbling.

Effects of various flow paths and flow rates are to be investigated.

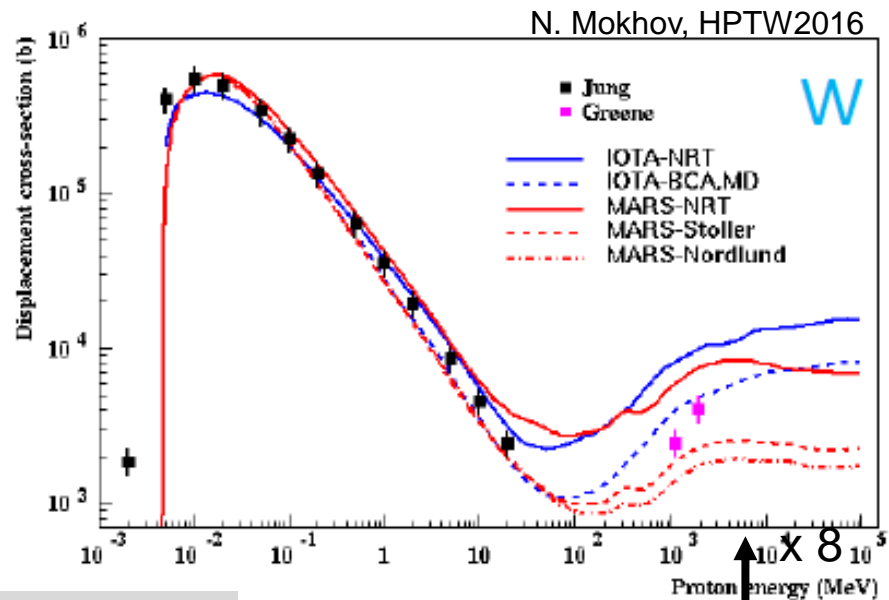
## ■ LBE target for material irradiation facility



Stainless Steel-T91

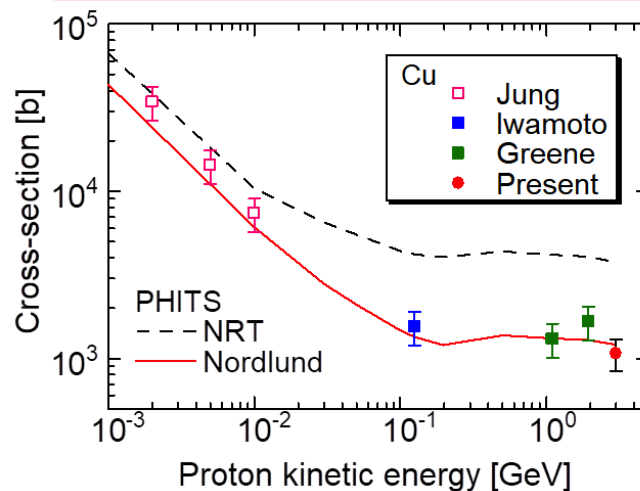
LBE inlet : 400 °C outlet 500 °C

# 2. Displacement Cross-section Measurement

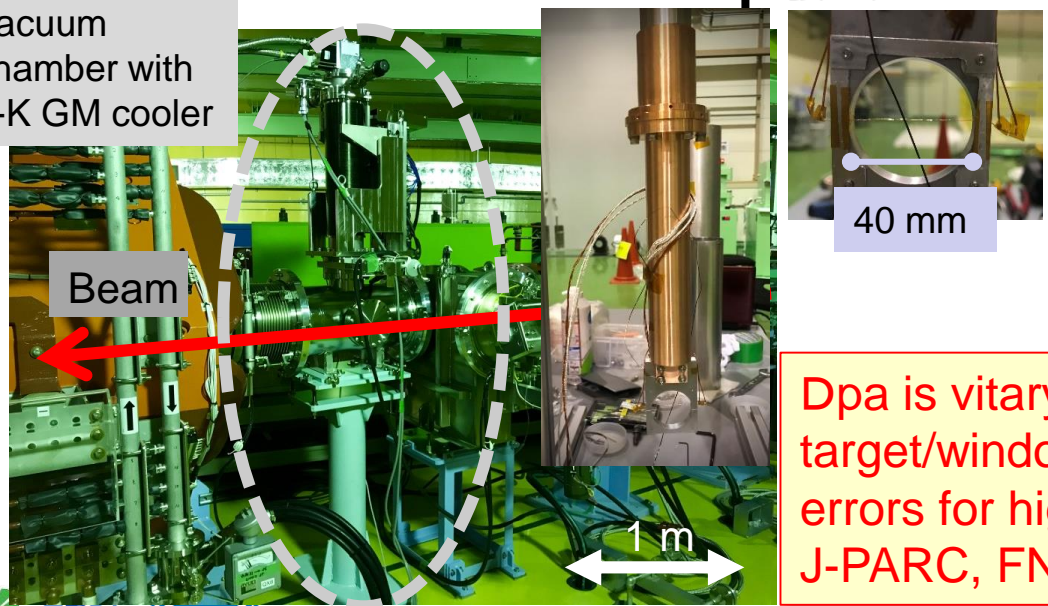


- Experiment at 3-GeV Rapid Cycling Synchrotron (RCS)
- Under cryotemperature ( $\sim 20$  K), displacement cross section ( $\sigma$ ) was obtained by increase of resistivity ( $\Delta\rho_{Cu}$ ) due to proton irradiation with average flux ( $\overline{\phi(E)}$ )

$$\sigma_{exp}(E) = \Delta\rho_{Cu} / (\overline{\phi(E)} \rho_{FP}),$$



Vacuum chamber with 4-K GM cooler



Dpa is vitary important parameter to represent target/window lifetime evaluation. To improve errors for high energy proton, measurements at J-PARC, FNAL and CERN are to be envisaged.

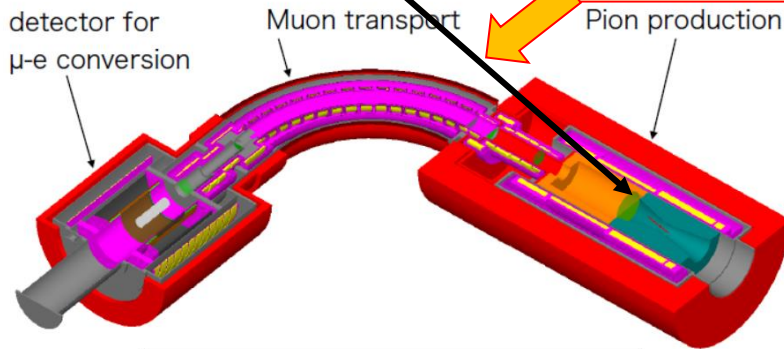
# 3. High Radiation Tolerant Detector



## COMET: Coherent Muon-to-Electron Transition

8GeV, 3kW  
(56kW for phase-II)

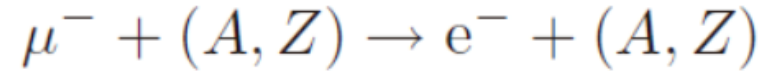
**In-beam  
Extinction  
Monitor**



COMET Phase-I Layout

$$B(\mu \rightarrow e + \gamma) = 10^{-11} \sim 10^{-14} (\text{SUSY-GUT})$$

$$< 4.2 \times 10^{-13} (\text{MEG 2016})$$

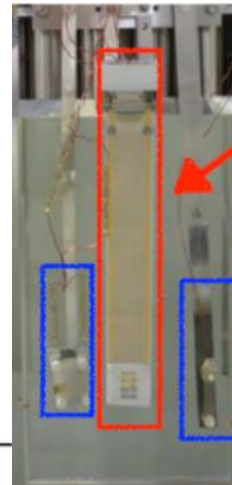
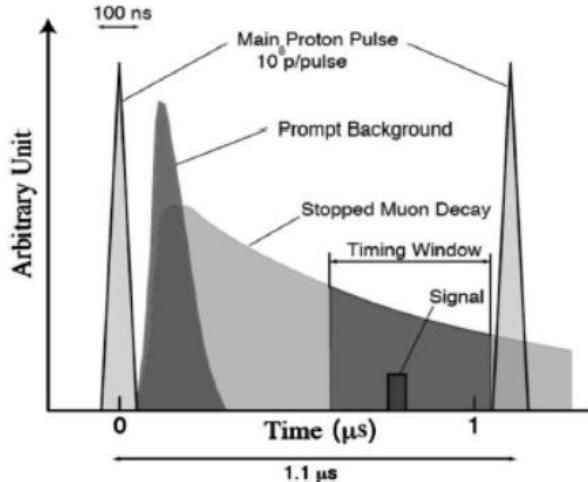
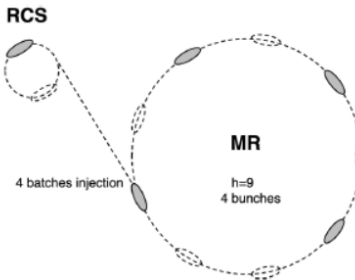


$$E_{\mu e} \approx m_{\mu} - B_{\mu}$$

$$\sim 105.1 \text{ MeV for Al}$$

Extinction Factor =

$$\frac{\text{\#of residual protons btw. 2 bunches}}{\text{\#of protons in a bunch}} < 10^{-10}$$



**Single crystal CVD  
Diamond**  
(4mmx4mm, 0.5mmt)

- Charge collection ~10ns
- down to single MIP level
- Vias Voltage to be off during main bunches

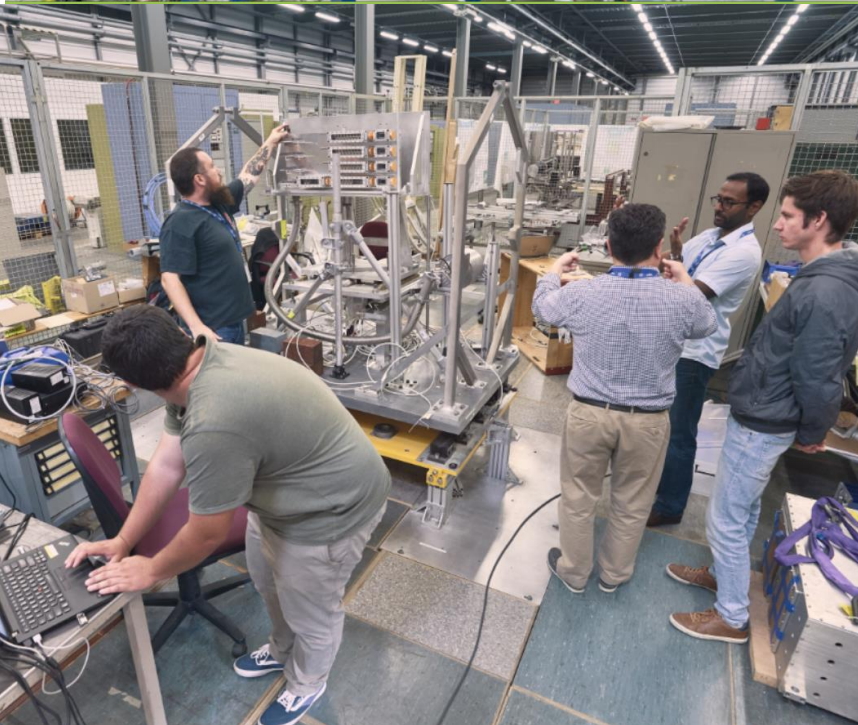
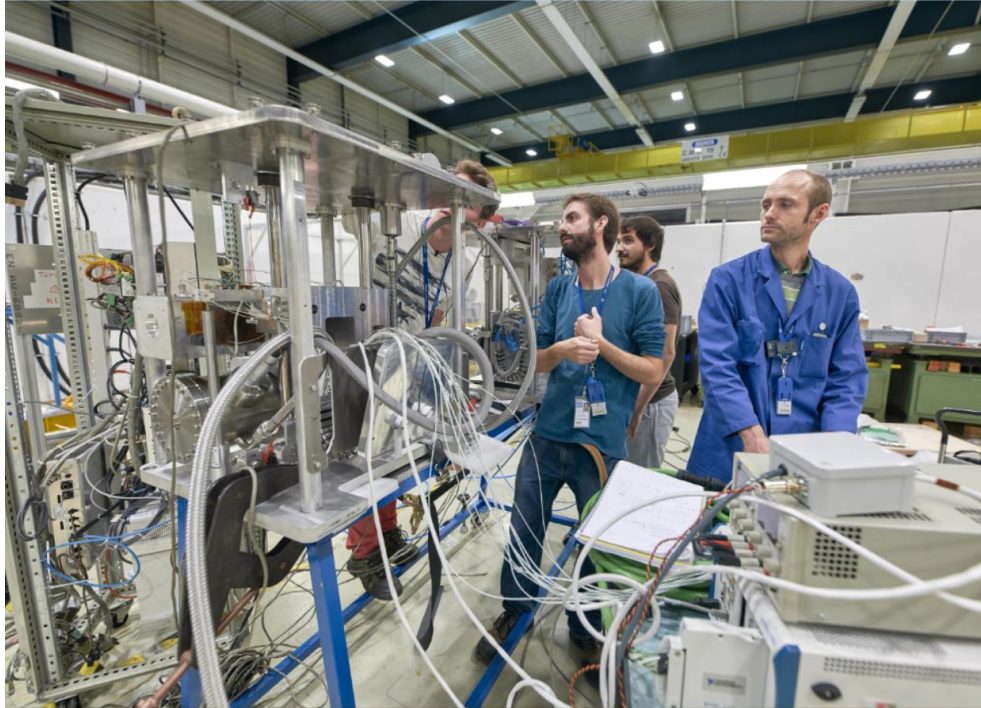


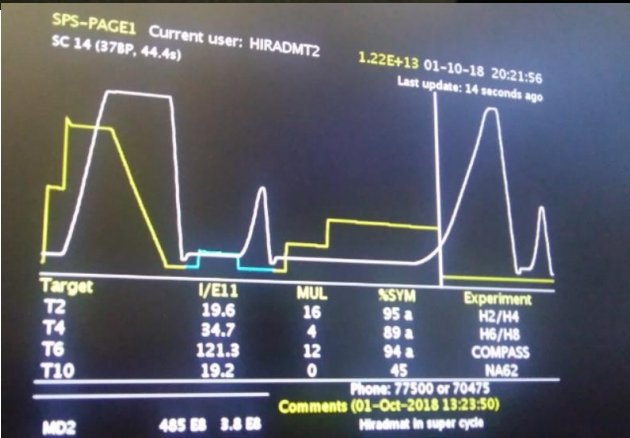
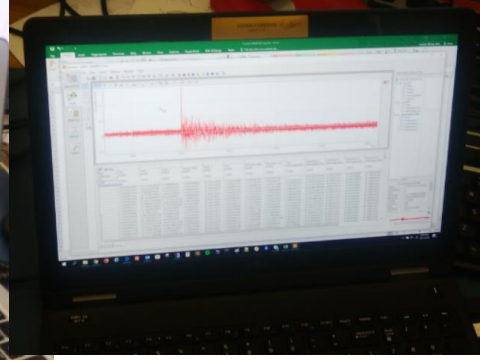
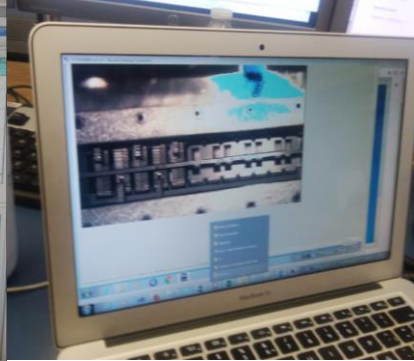
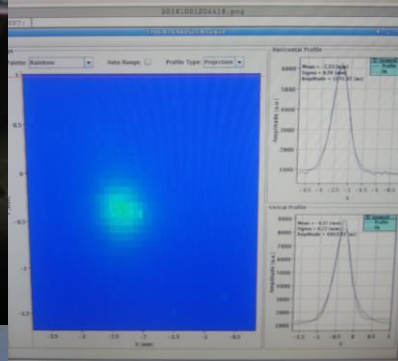
**Beam Profile  
Monitors**

**BeGrid2  
(HRMT43)**

**Multipurpose  
Assembly**

**nTOF(46)  
PROTARD(48)  
SiBlock(49)**

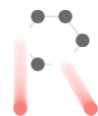




- Sep.28: PROTARD, SiBlock Completed 😊
- Sep.29: PROTARD Completed 😊
- Oct.1~2: BeGrid2 Completed on 4am 😊

*Sturm und Drang !*

# Summary



- HiRadMat is the only facility dedicated to thermal shock studies
  - Remarkable achievements to research and developments on high power targets, beam windows, collimators, beam dumps and other accelerator assemblies.
  - The facility has no equivalent and is indispensable for the world-wide high power accelerator communities.
  - The facility provides indispensable opportunities for young enthusiastic and talented engineers to design forefront accelerator materials and hardware
- J-PARC express strong interest on the future experiments to be managed at HiRadMat facility
  1. Advanced target/window/dump material developments
  2. Displacement Cross-Section Measurement
  3. In-beam rad.-tolerant detector to count intra-bunch MIPs





- COOPERATION IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF PROTON LINEAR ACCELERATORS (2011~)
- Amendment No.1: COOPERATION IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF PROTON ACCELERATORS (2016~)
- No.2: Expand the co-operation to the fields of **high-intensity accelerator target facilities** and relevant technologies, to fully realize and accomplish the benefits of the high intensity proton accelerators:
- The Parties intend to co-operate in the following areas of activities:
  4. **Research and development of beam intercepting devices**, such as targets, beam windows, collimators and beam dumps, including mechanical engineering and material expertise utilized in such devices;
  5. Research and development of technologies and engineering techniques applied to the **design, operation, and maintenance of high intensity accelerator target facilities**, including target containment vessels and supporting infrastructure systems

**To be in effect soon, + 5years (until 8 April, 2026)**



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