



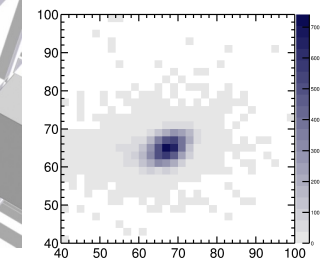
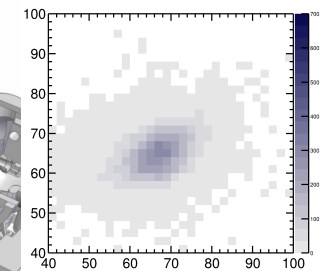
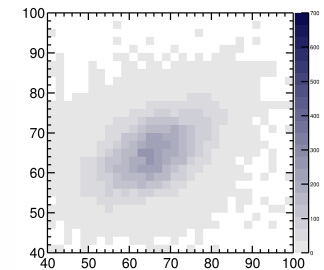
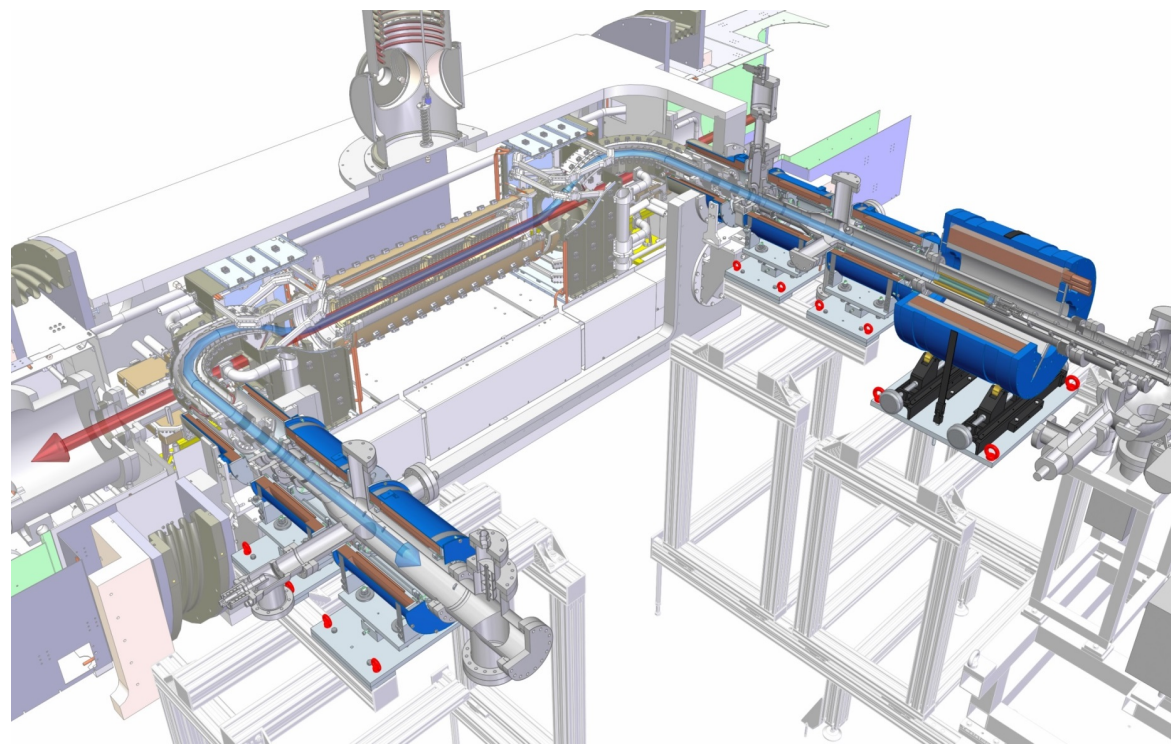
Low-energy Electron Cooling and Detection Methods at the Cryogenic Storage Ring

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AVA Topical Workshop:

Low energy facility design and optimization through diagnostics

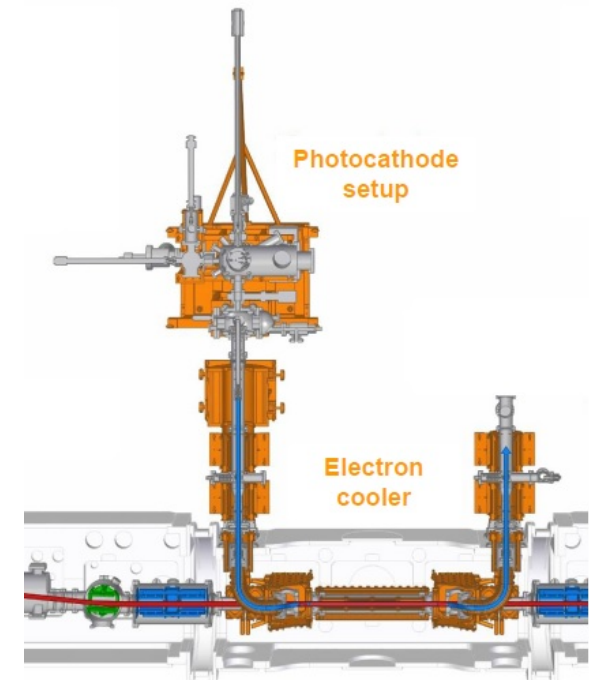
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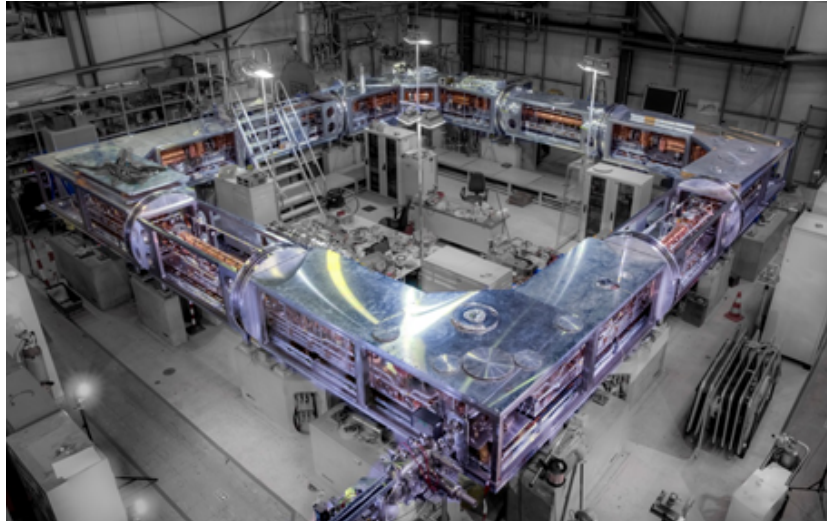
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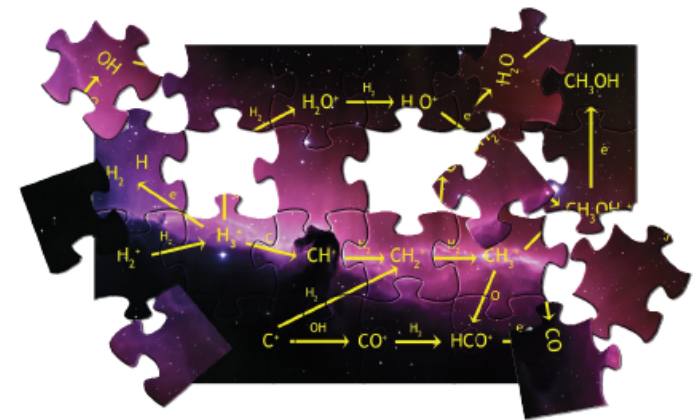
The CSR – Motivation



Cold molecular clouds
in the ISM:
Astrochemistry

	CSR	interstellar clouds
Temperature	< 10 K	~ 10 – 150 K

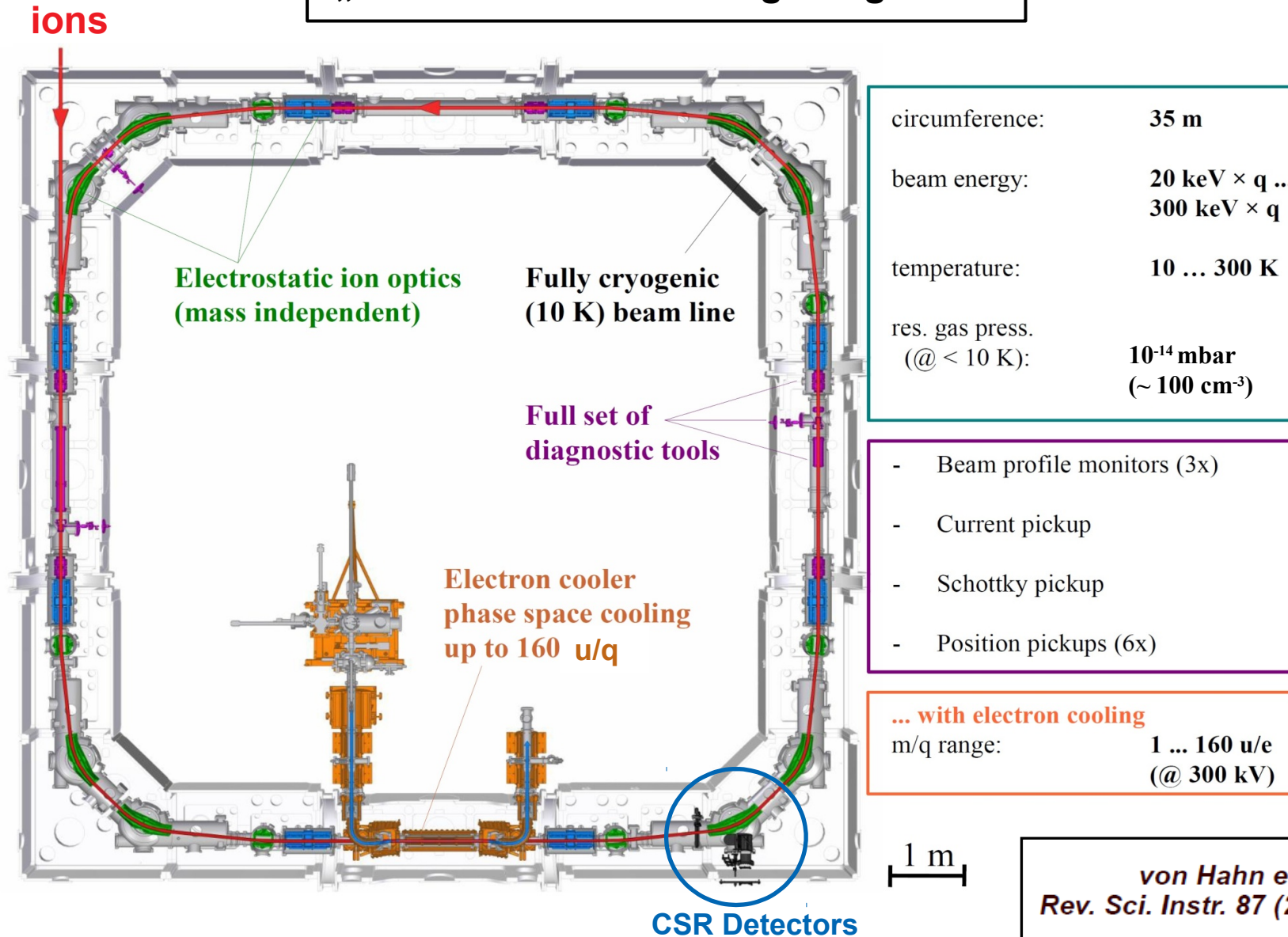
- storage times ~ **1000 s**
- **electrostatic**: mass-independent storage of ion beams
- molecular ions in well-defined quantum states
- velocity-matched merged-beam experiments:
low collision energies



Rotationally resolved
collision studies
are possible

The CSR - Overview

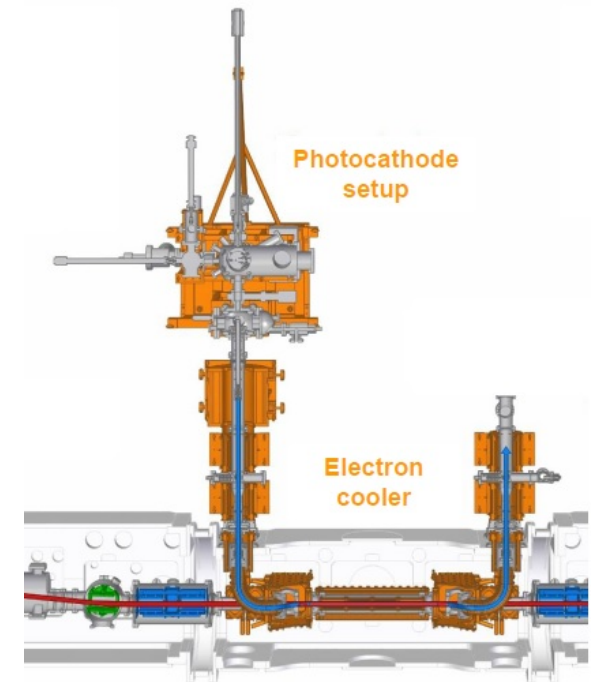
Manfred Grieser:
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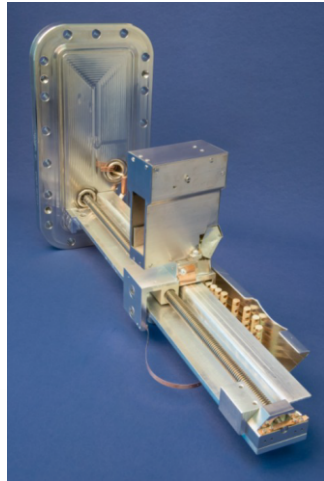


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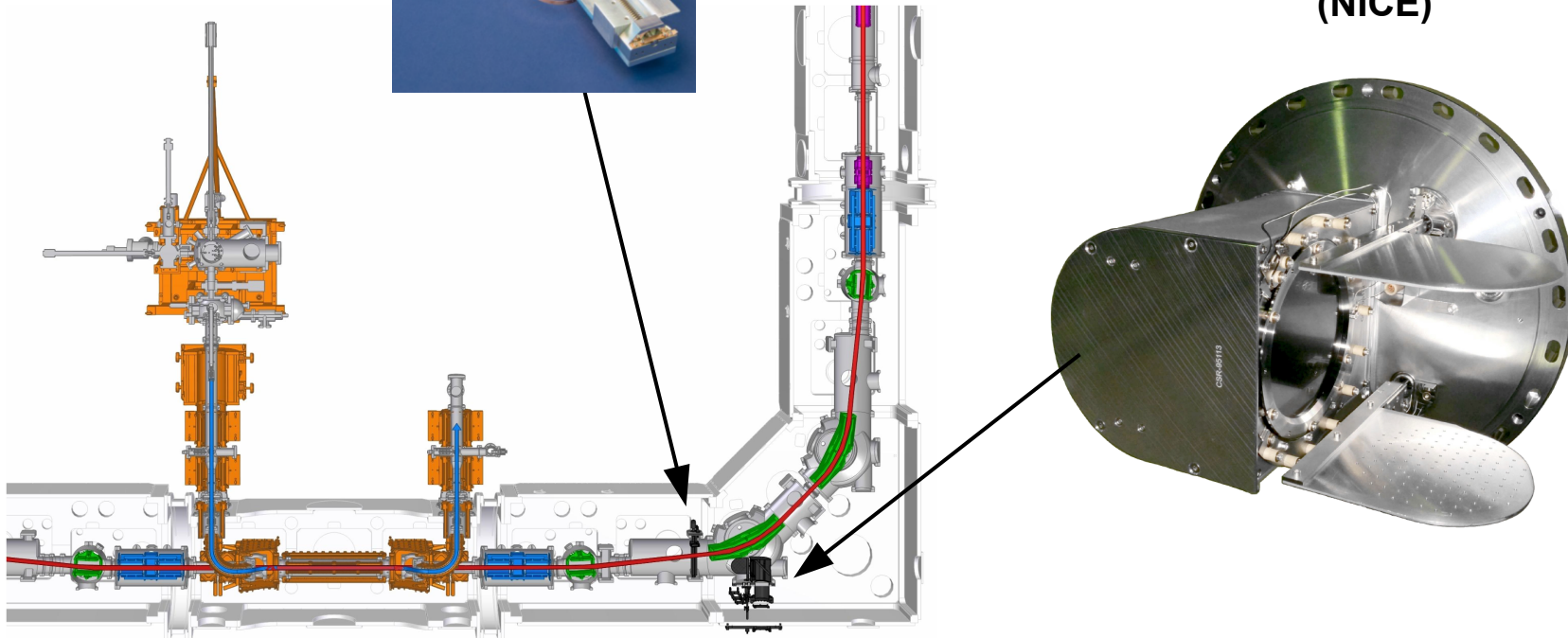
Cold Movable Particle Counter (COMPACT)

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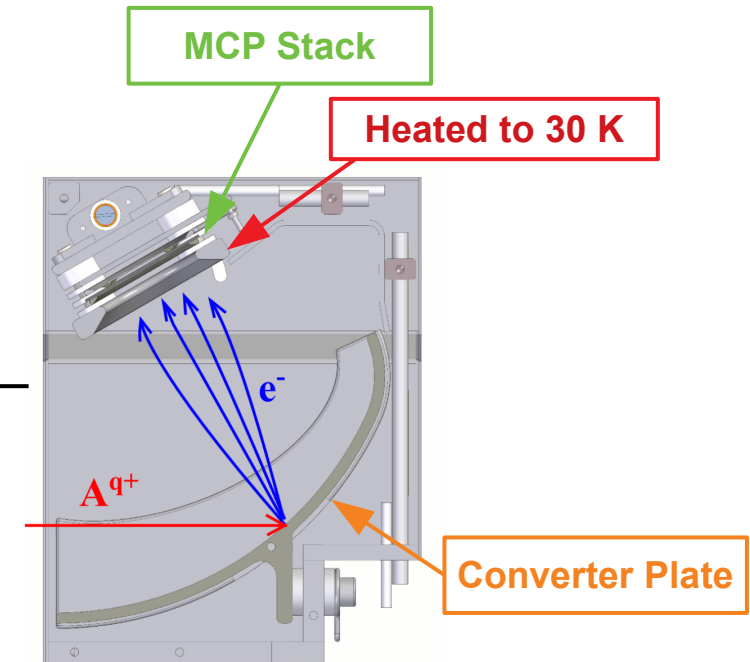
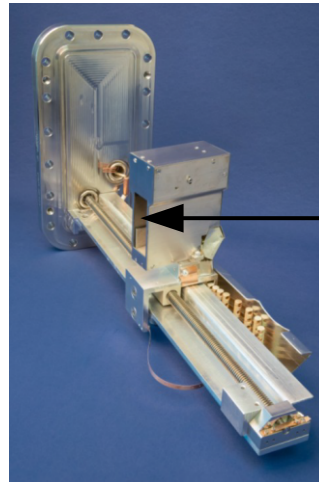
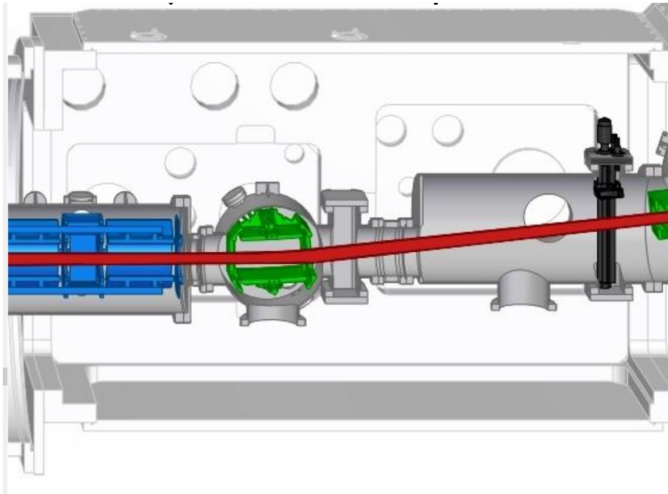


Neutral Imaging in Cryogenic Environment (NICE)



CSR Detectors - COMPACT

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Fragmentation Parameter

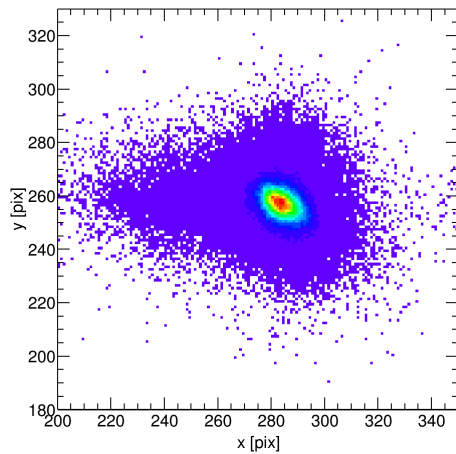
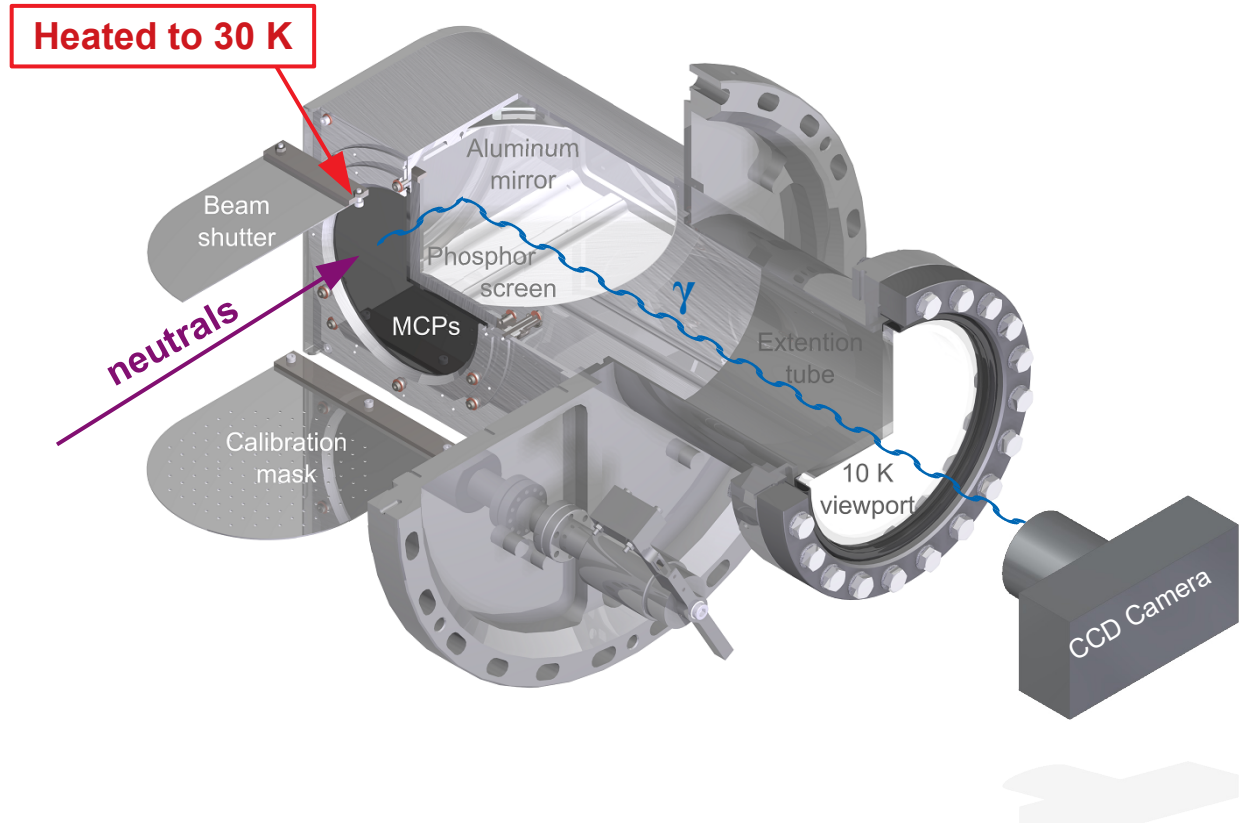
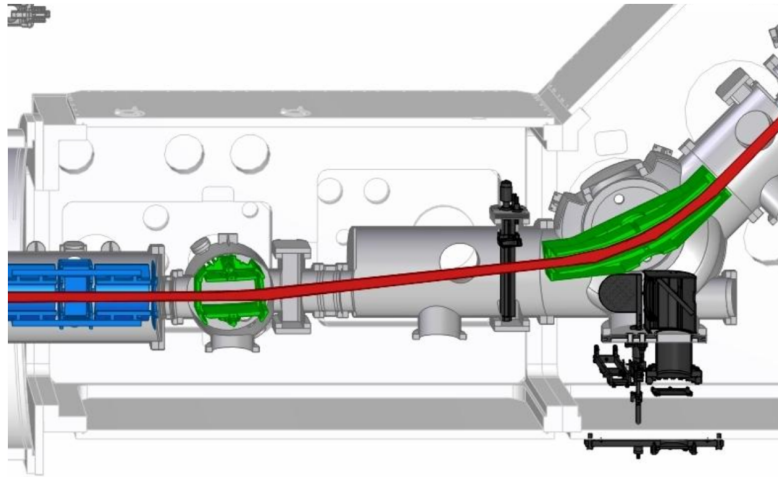
$$\eta = \frac{q_d/m_d}{q_p/m_p} - 1$$

Detection Range

$$-1.4 \leq \eta \leq +1.1$$

- Manually movable to desired fragment position
- Movement in cryogenic and UHV environment

CSR Detectors - NICE



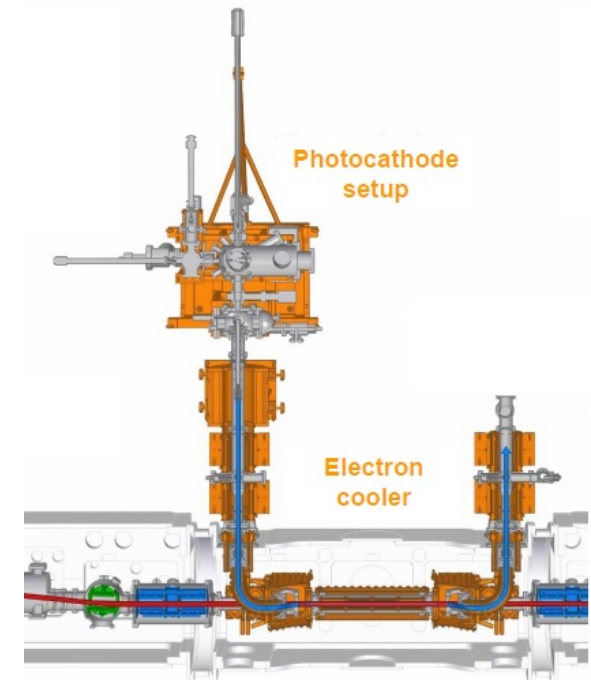
- Multi-coincidence imaging detector
- 3D fragment imaging under development



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The CSR – Electron Cooling

Liouville's theorem:

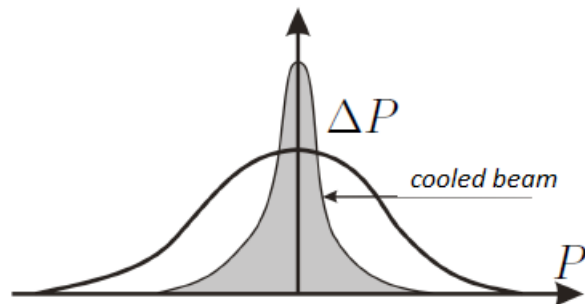
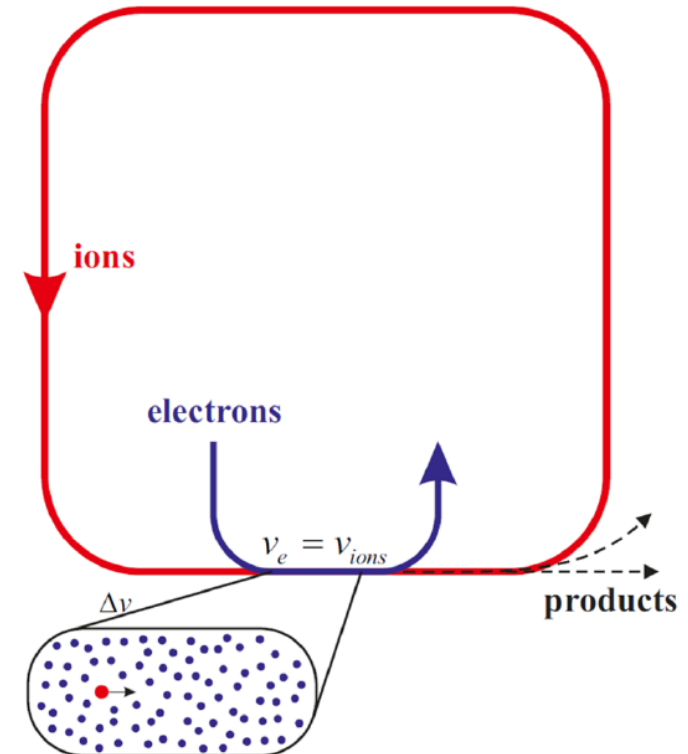
Ion beam emittance is constant in absence of external forces

BUT :

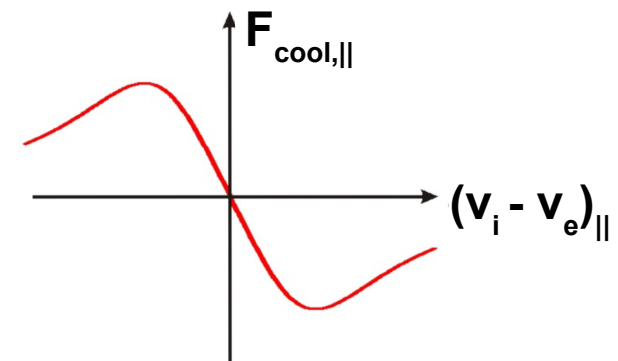
- Low beam emittance desired
- Diffusion processes increase emittance

Benefits of electron cooling at CSR :

- Narrow beam profile \rightarrow defined collision geometry
- Low energy spread \rightarrow defined collision energies
- Increased beam lifetimes



Friction force



The CSR – Electron Cooling

$$E_e = \frac{m_e}{m_i} \cdot E_i$$

E_e [eV]	ion
163	for 300 keV p ⁺ /p ⁻
1	for $M_{\text{ion}} = 160$ u

$$\vec{u} := \vec{v}_i - \vec{v}_e$$

$$\frac{du}{dt} = \frac{F}{M_i} \xrightarrow{\frac{1}{e}}$$

$$\tau_{cool} \sim \frac{M \cdot T_e^{3/2}}{Z^2 \cdot n_e}$$

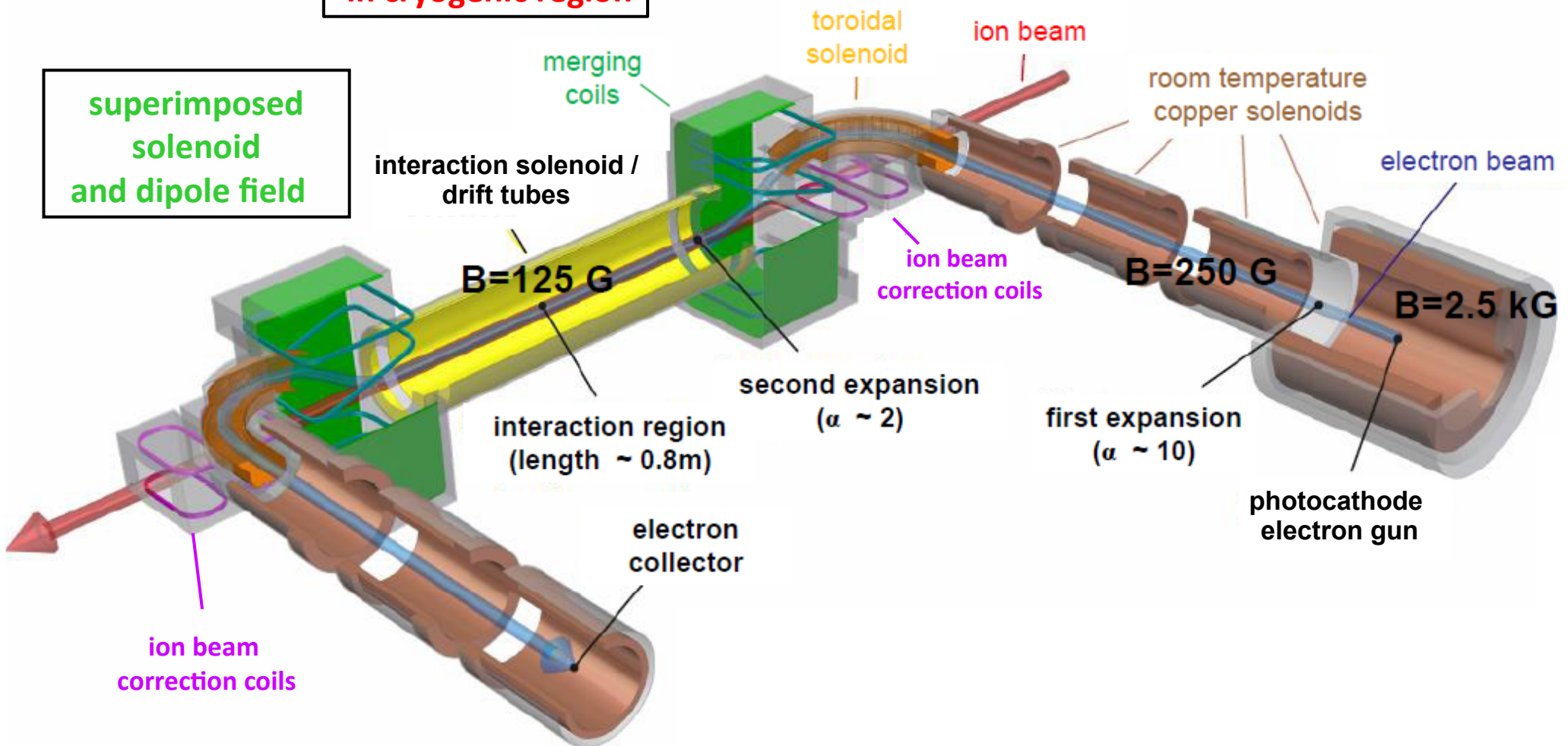
Challenge:

- assure $\tau_{cool} \ll \tau_{store}$
 - electron beam with
high density & low temperature
(@ low kinetic energy)

The CSR electron cooler

**High Temp.
Superconductors
in cryogenic region**

**superimposed
solenoid
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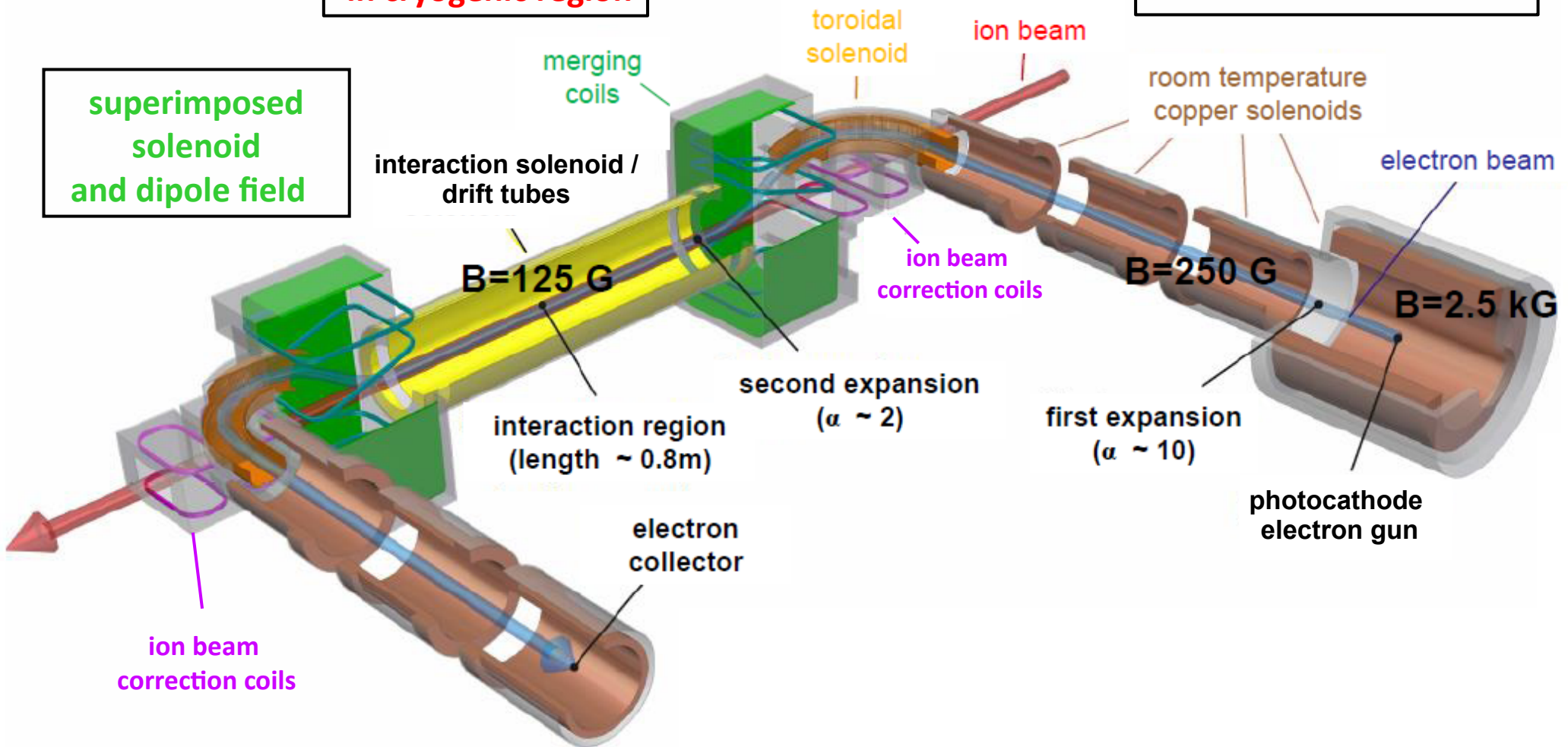
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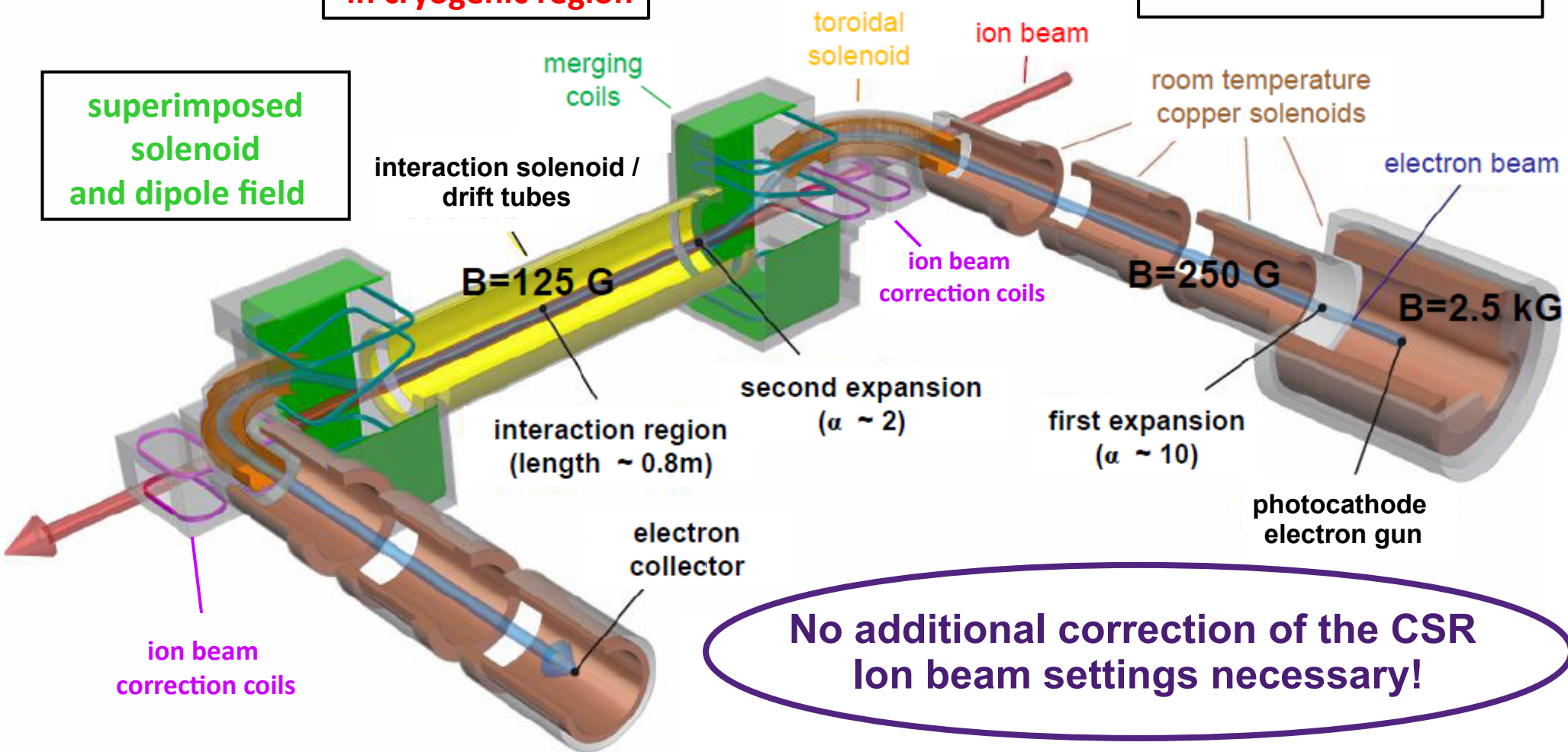
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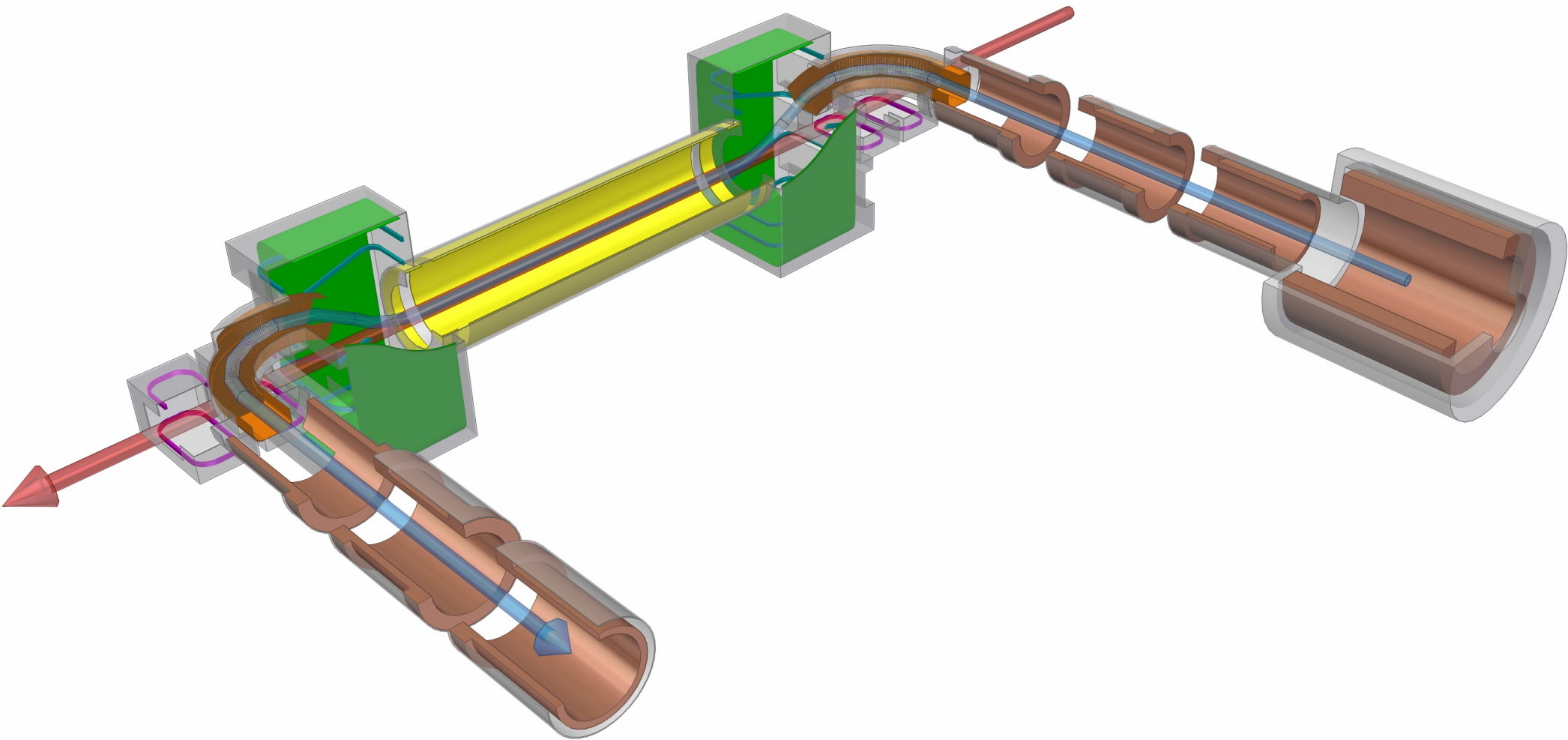
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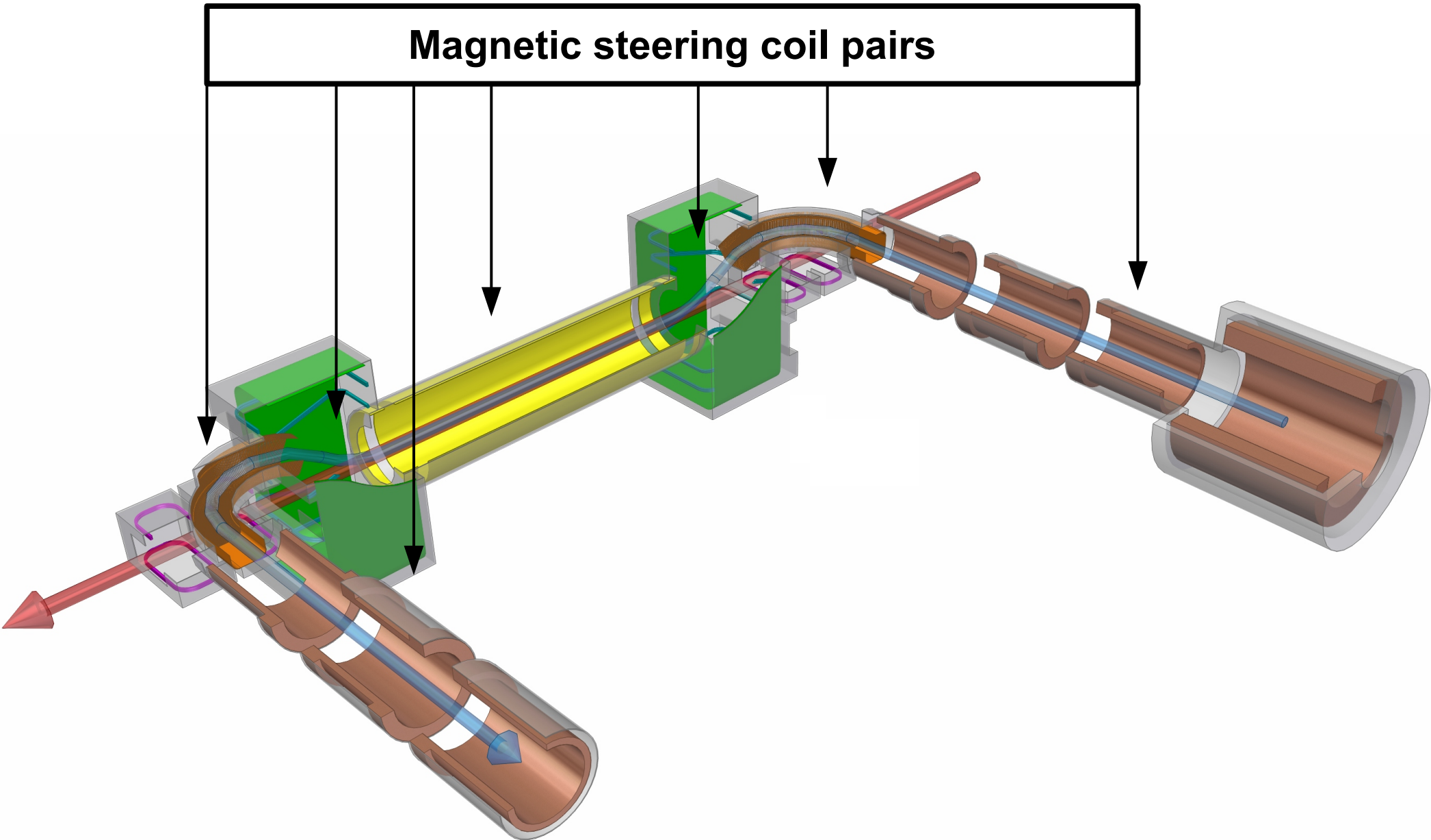


**No additional correction of the CSR
Ion beam settings necessary!**

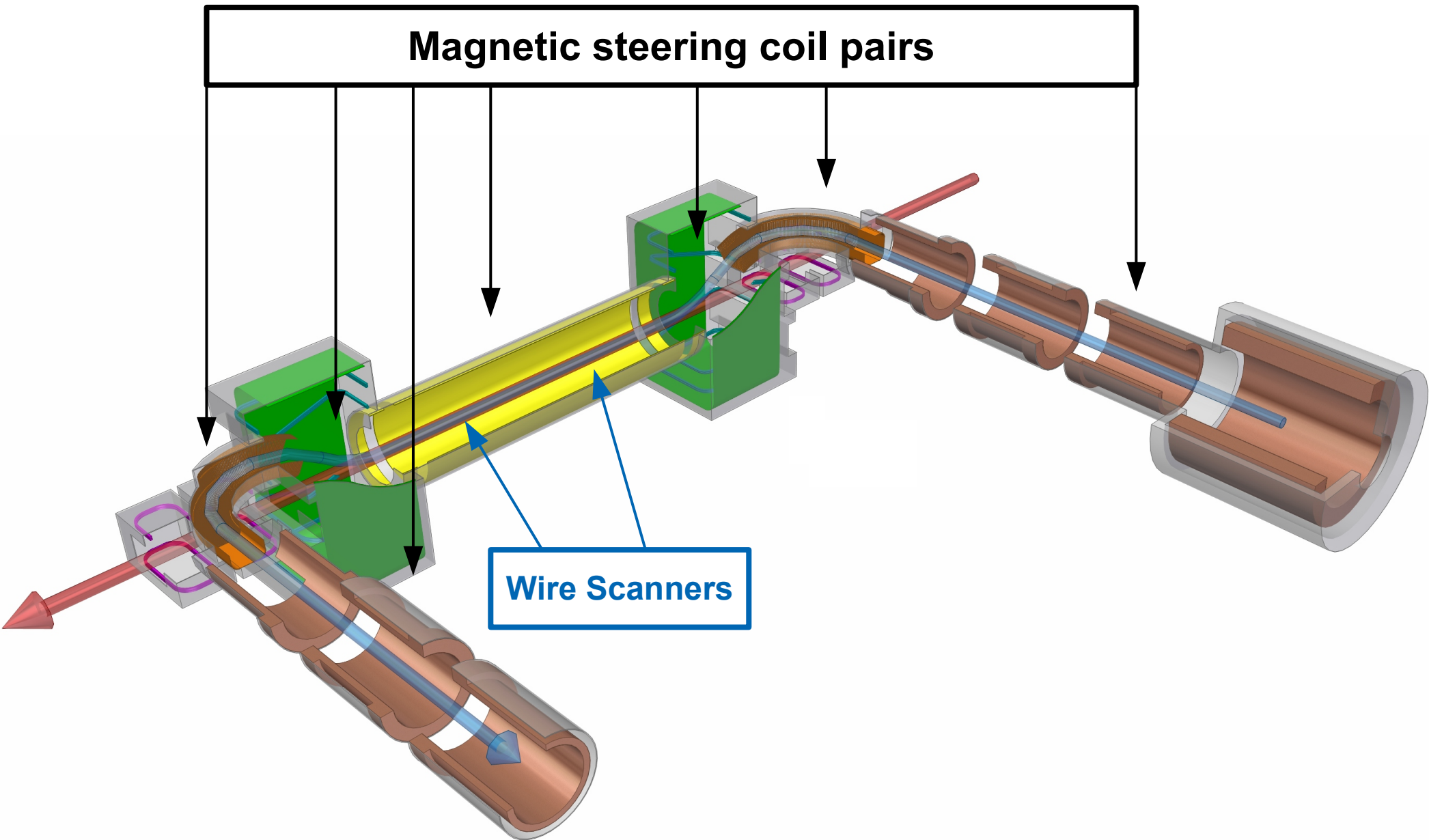
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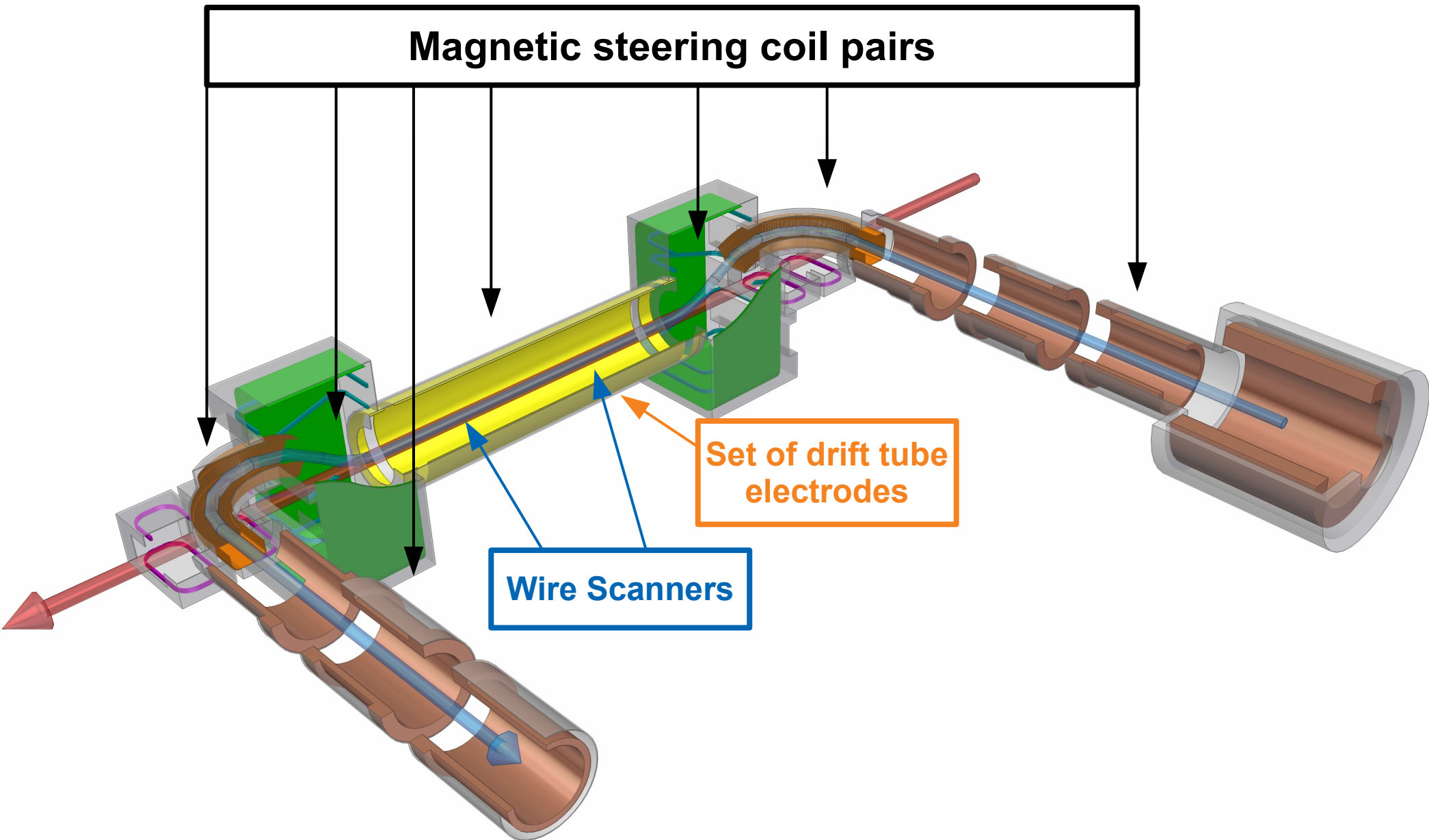
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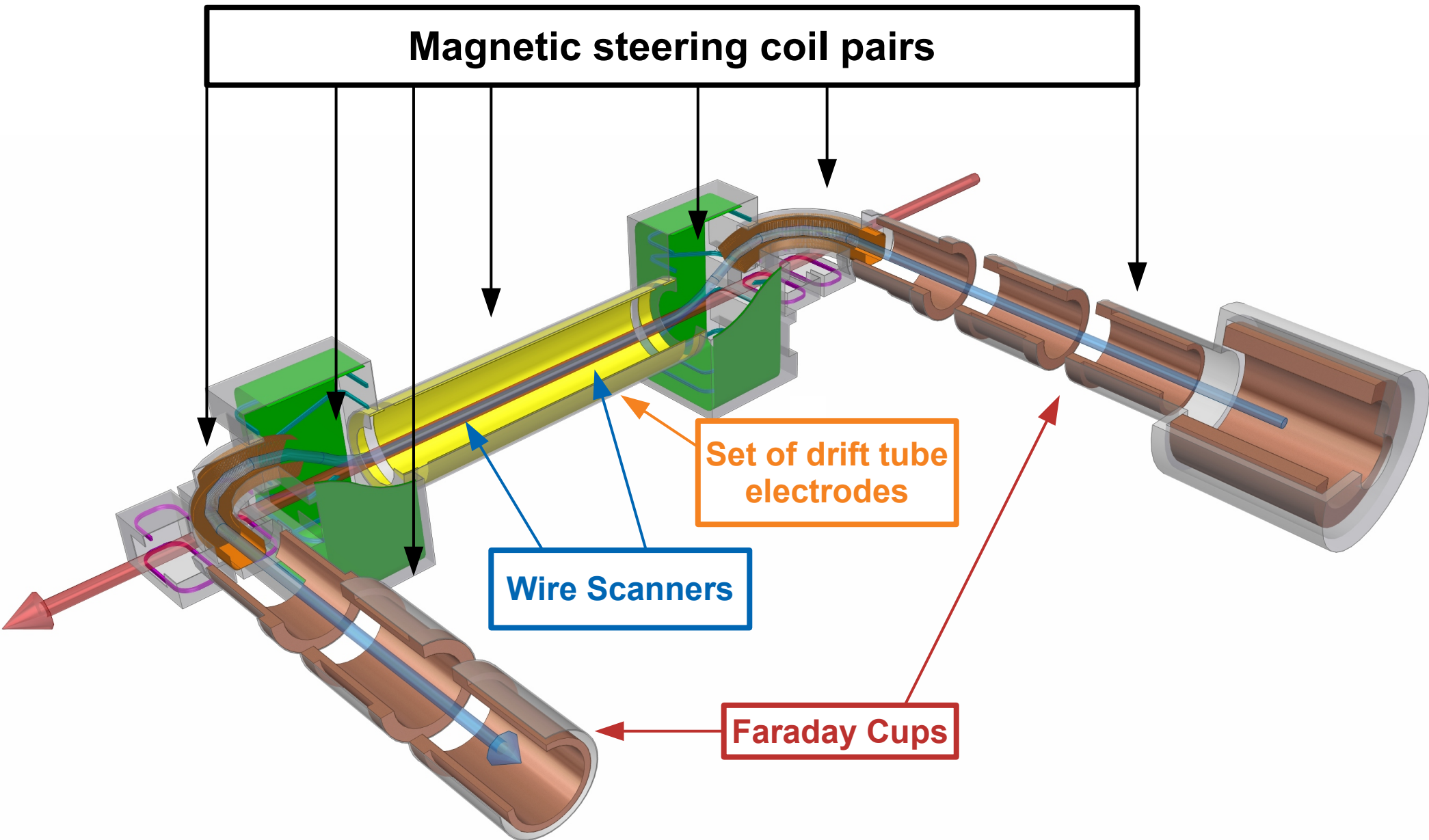
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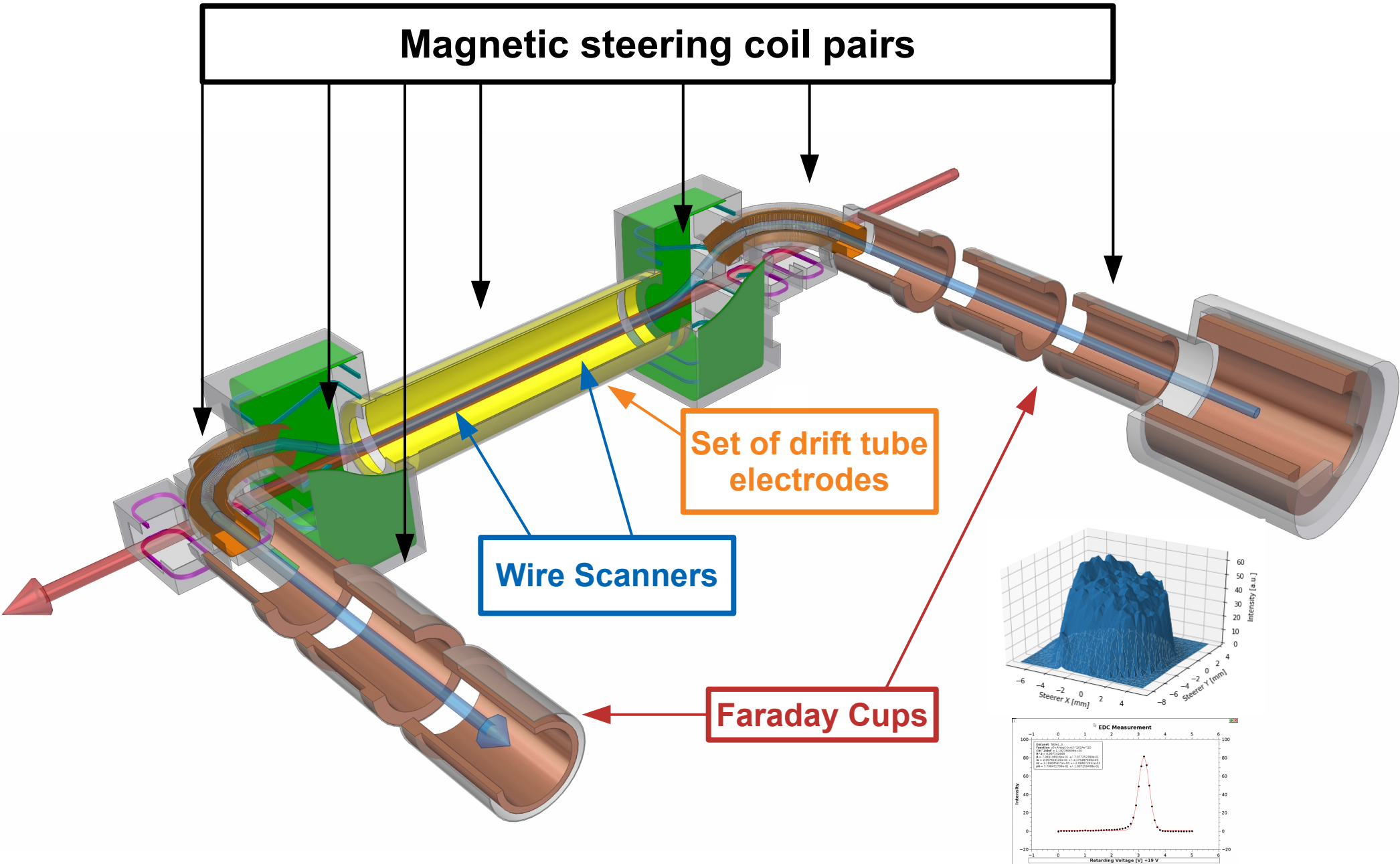
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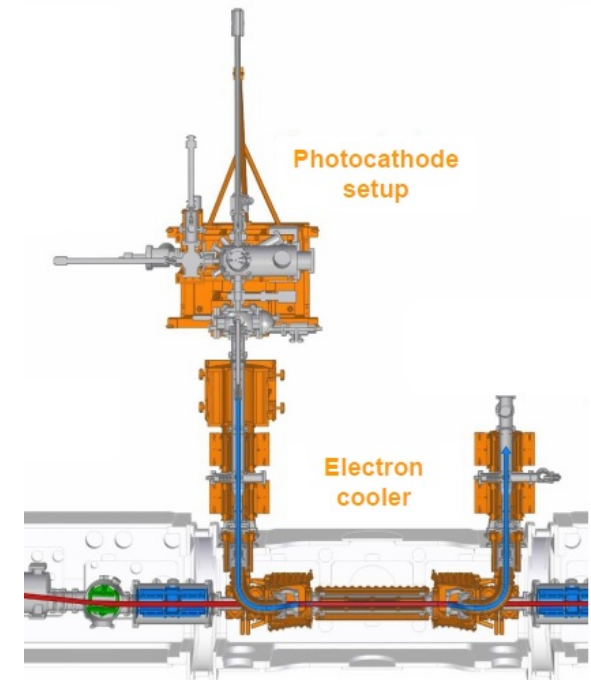
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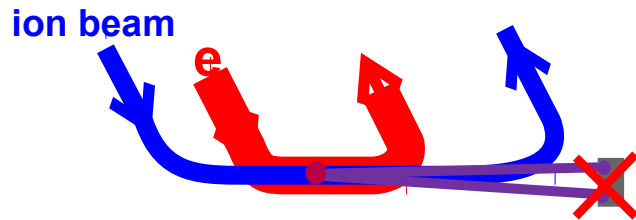
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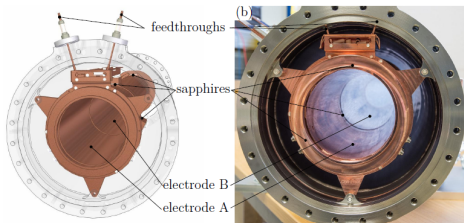
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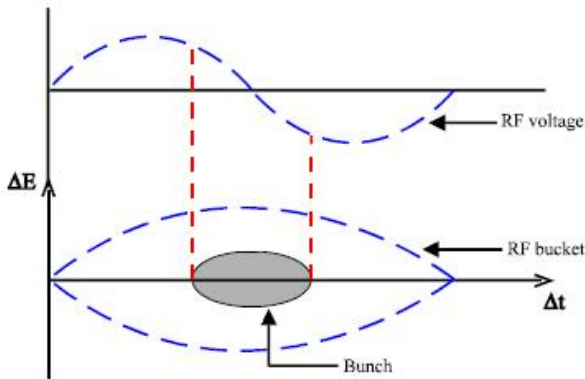
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CSR beamline

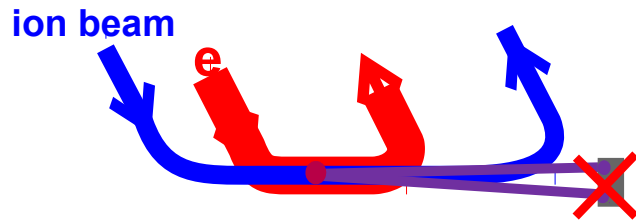
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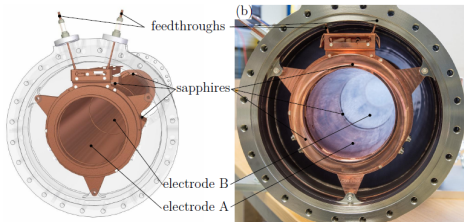
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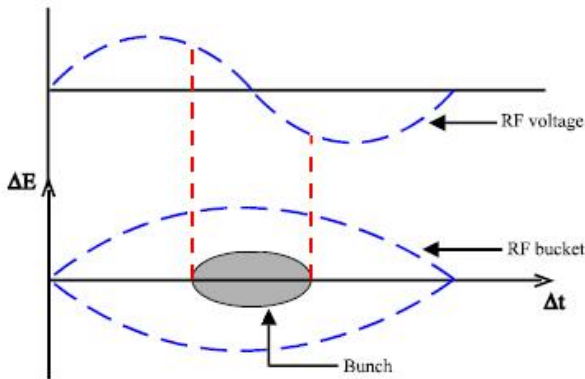
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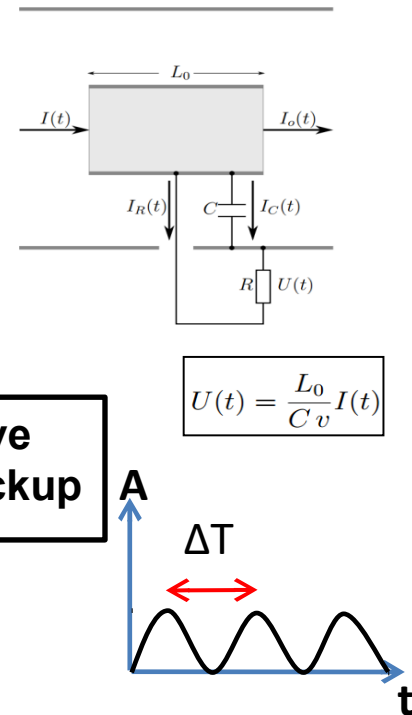
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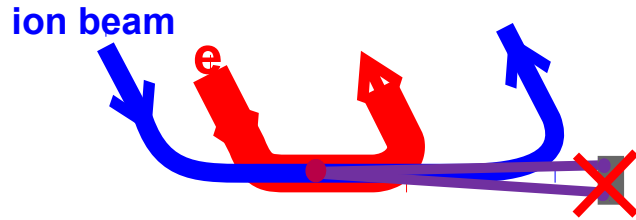
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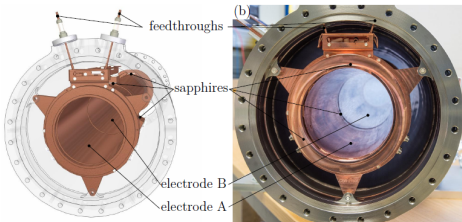
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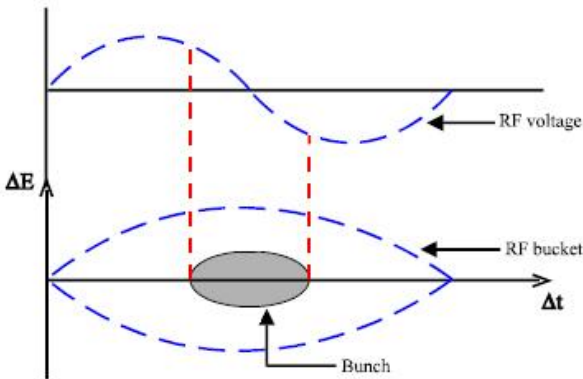
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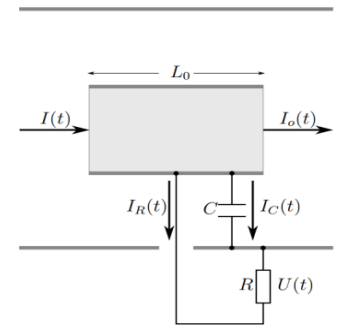
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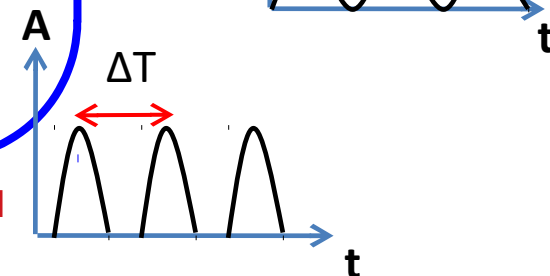
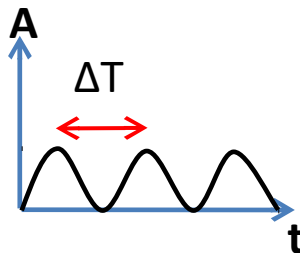
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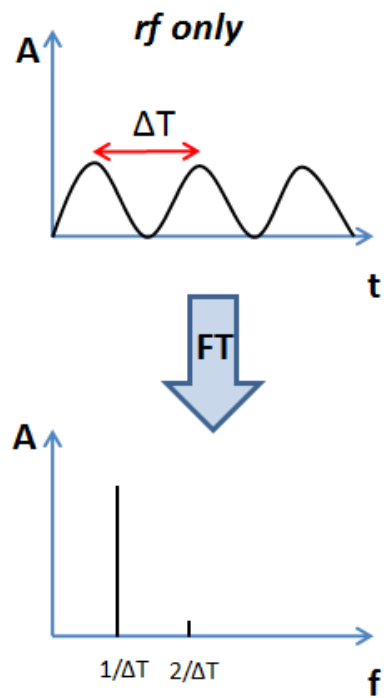
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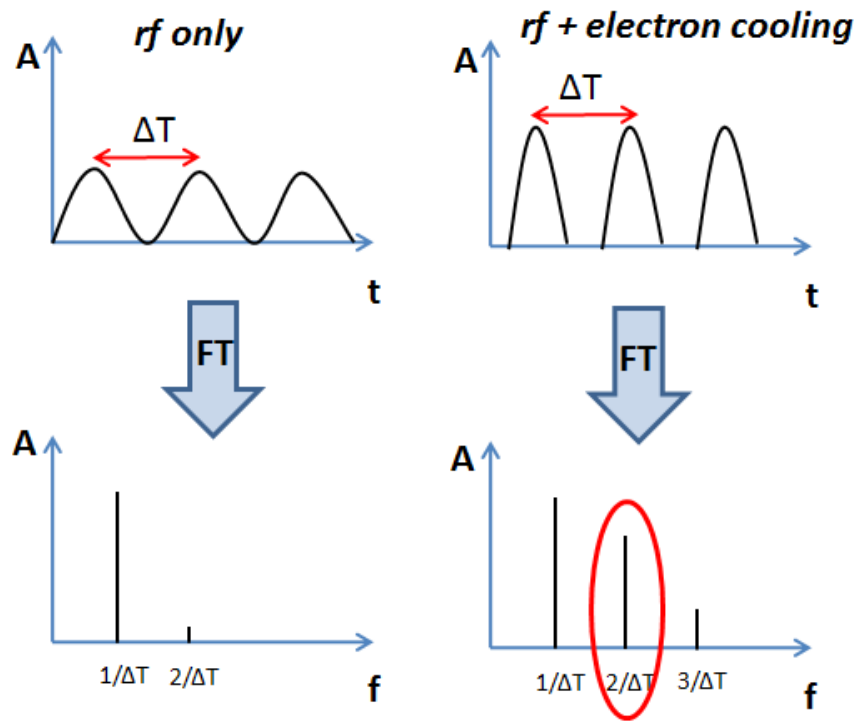
Electron Cooling → compressed longitudinal density profile of ions



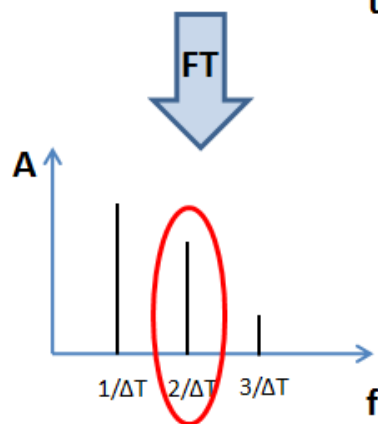
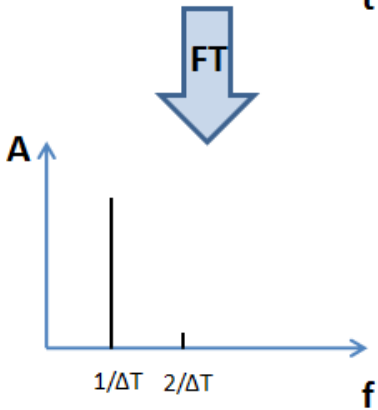
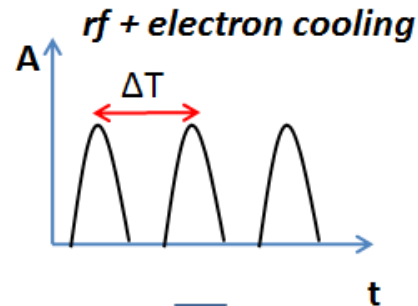
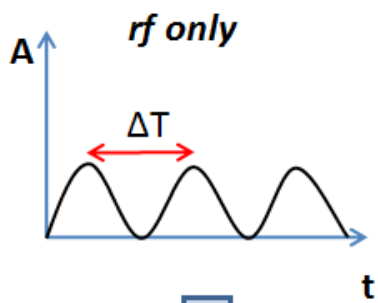
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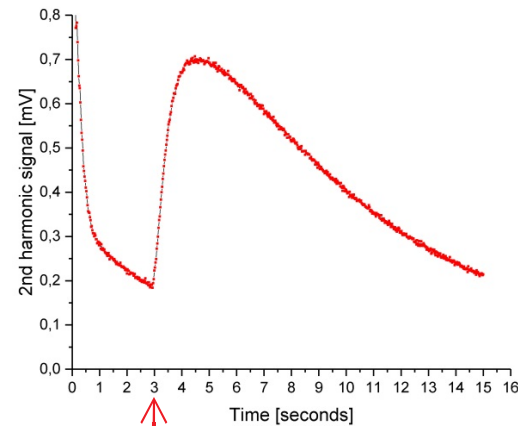
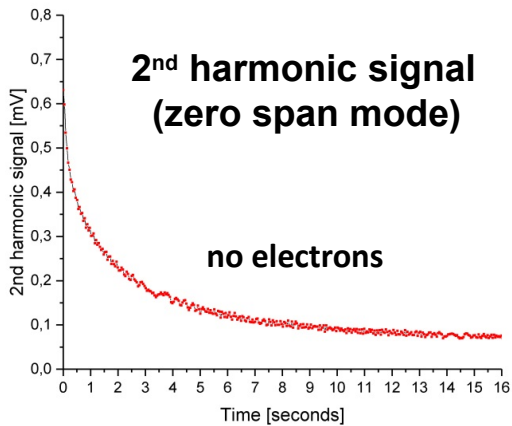
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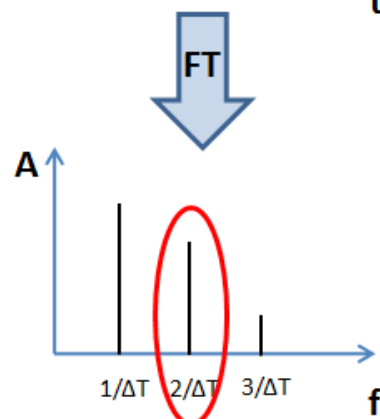
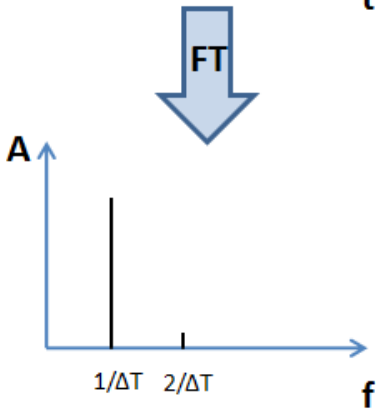
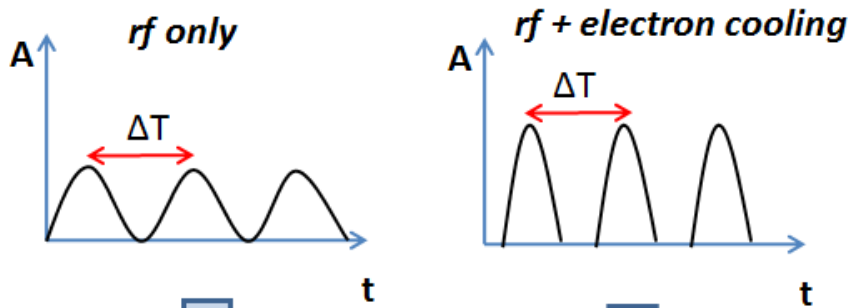
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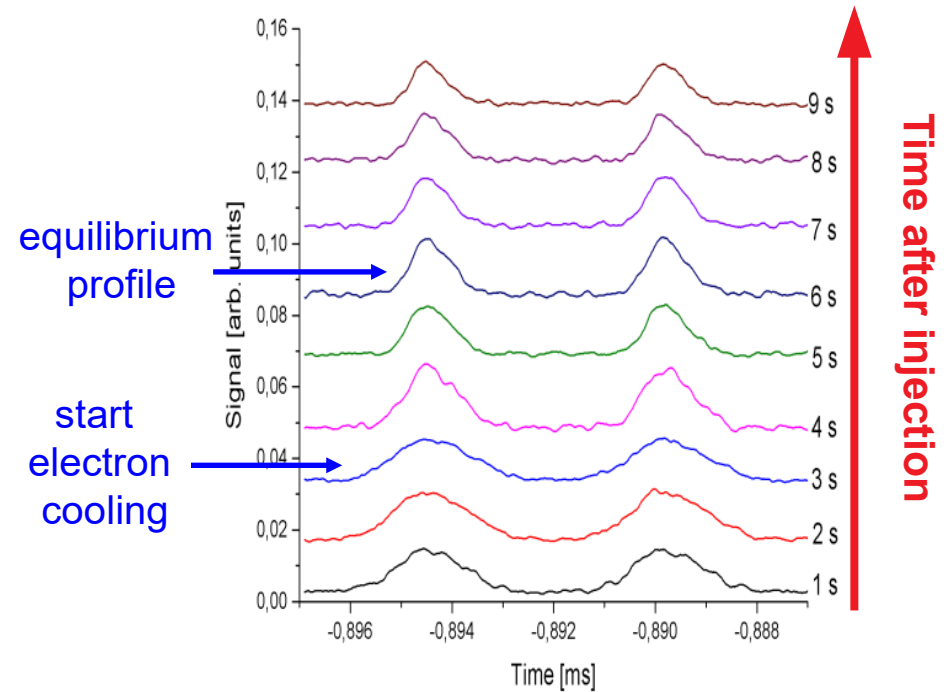
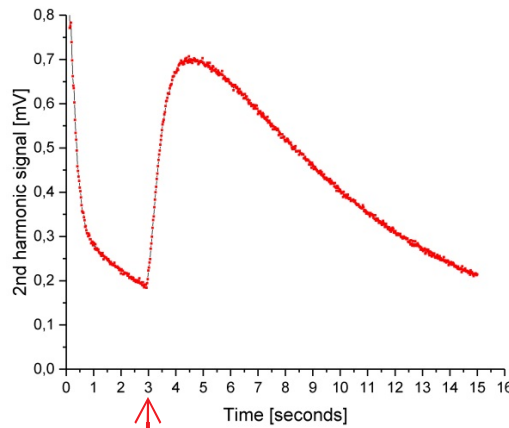
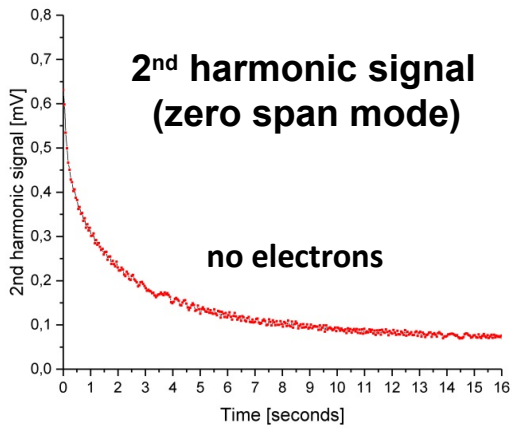
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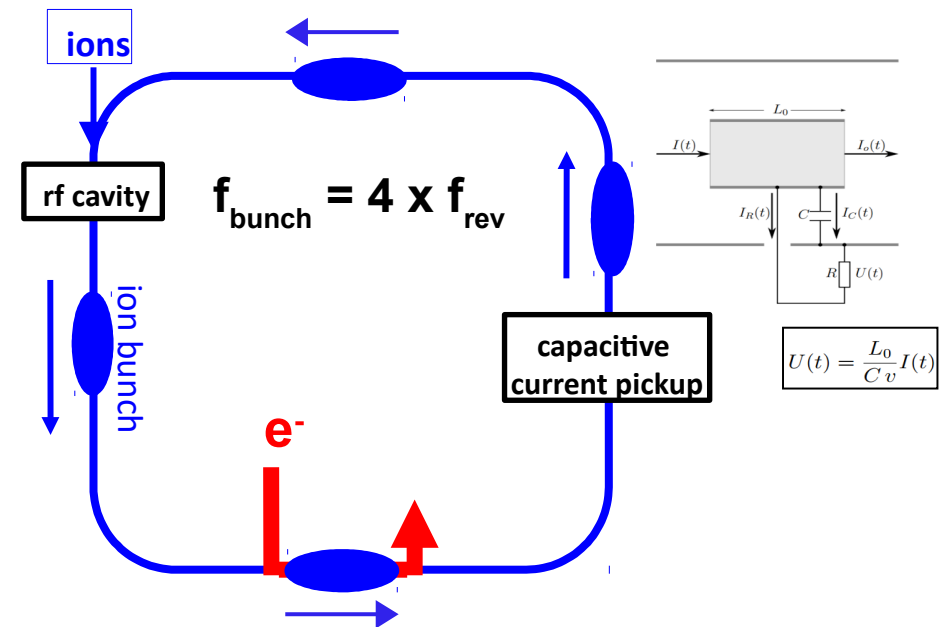


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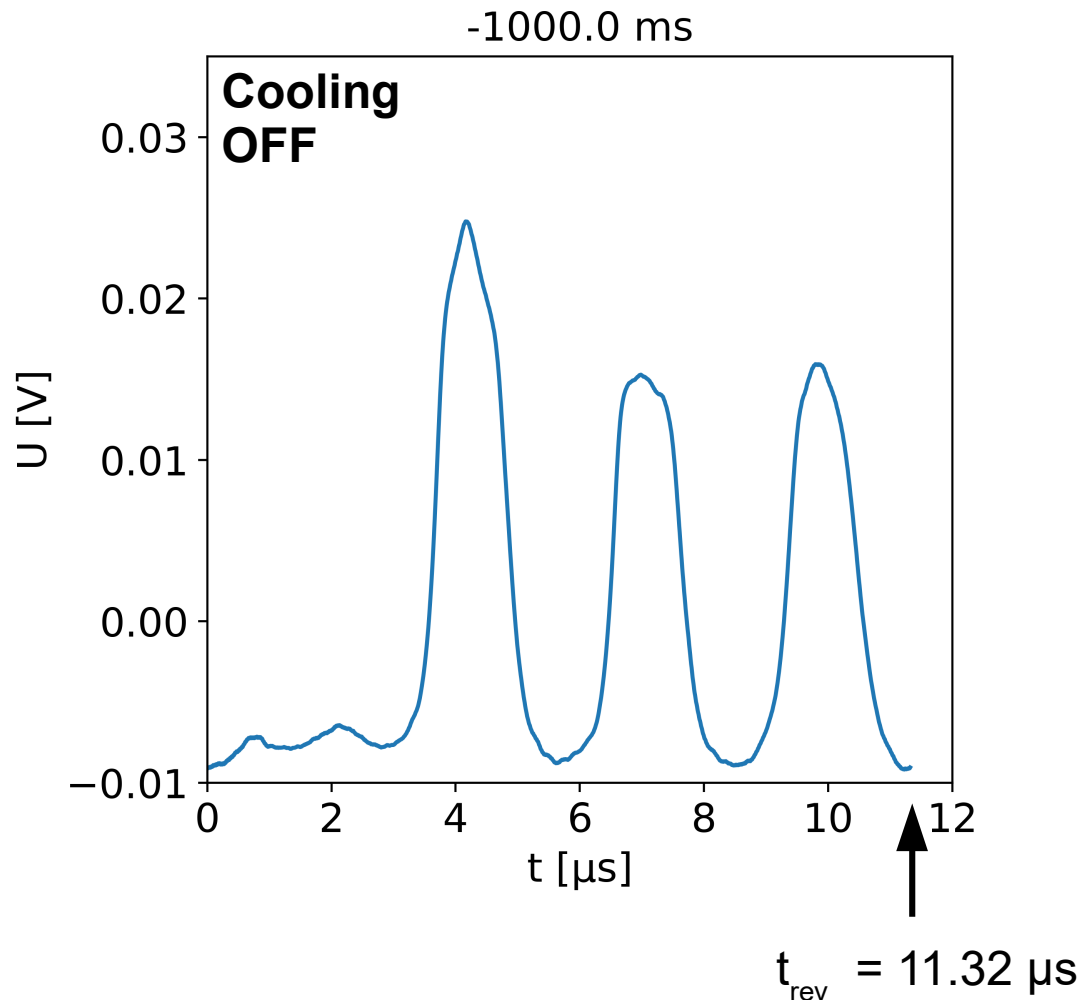
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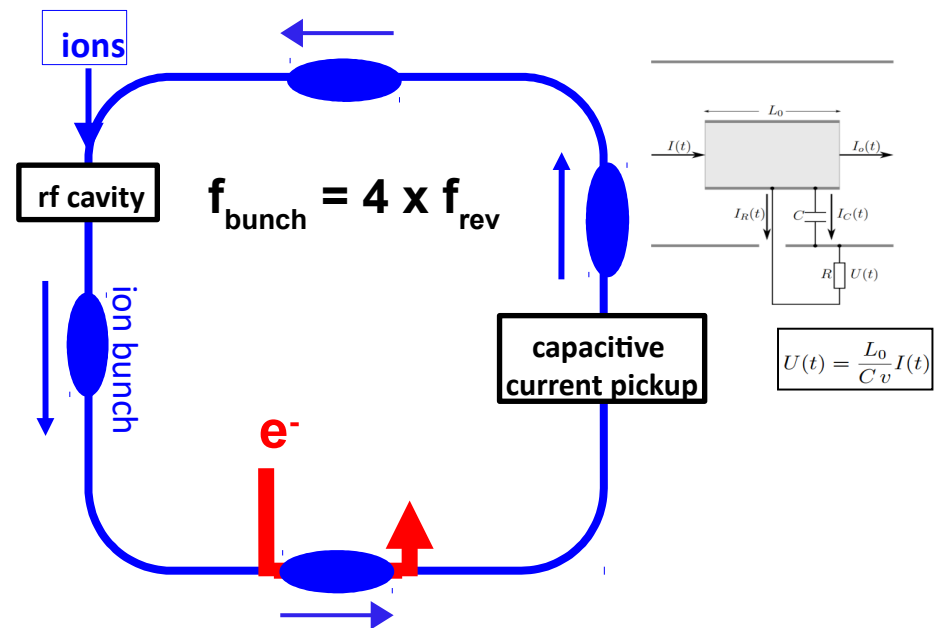
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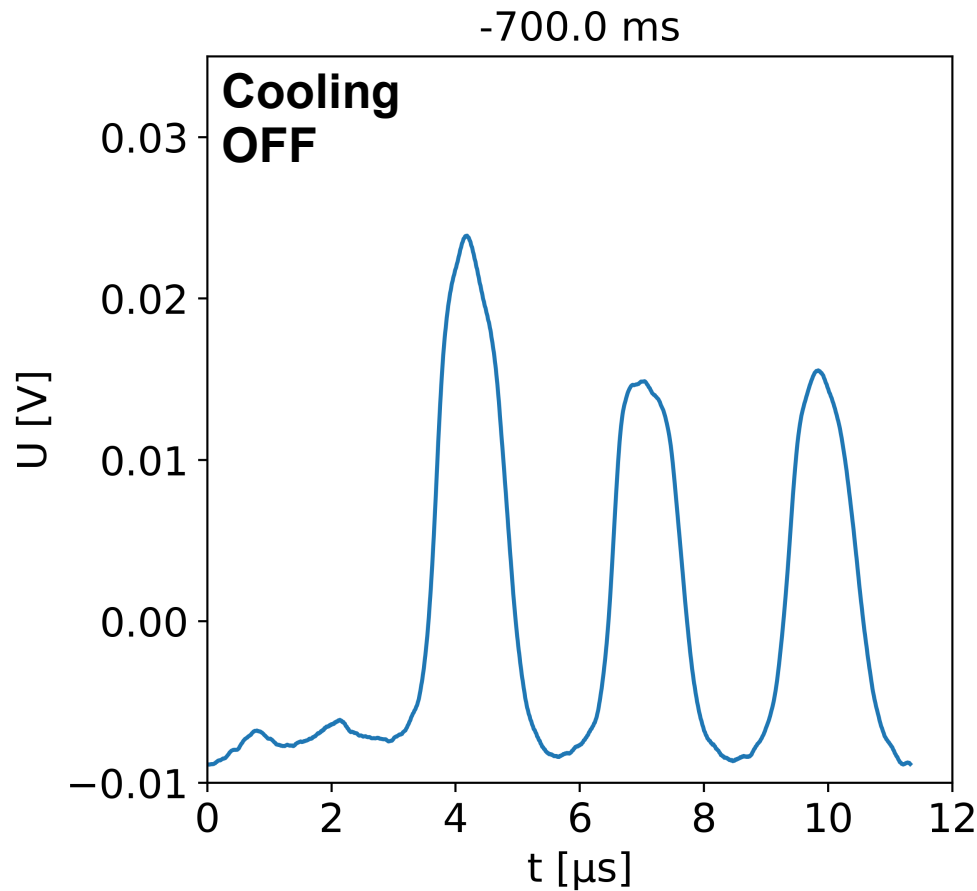
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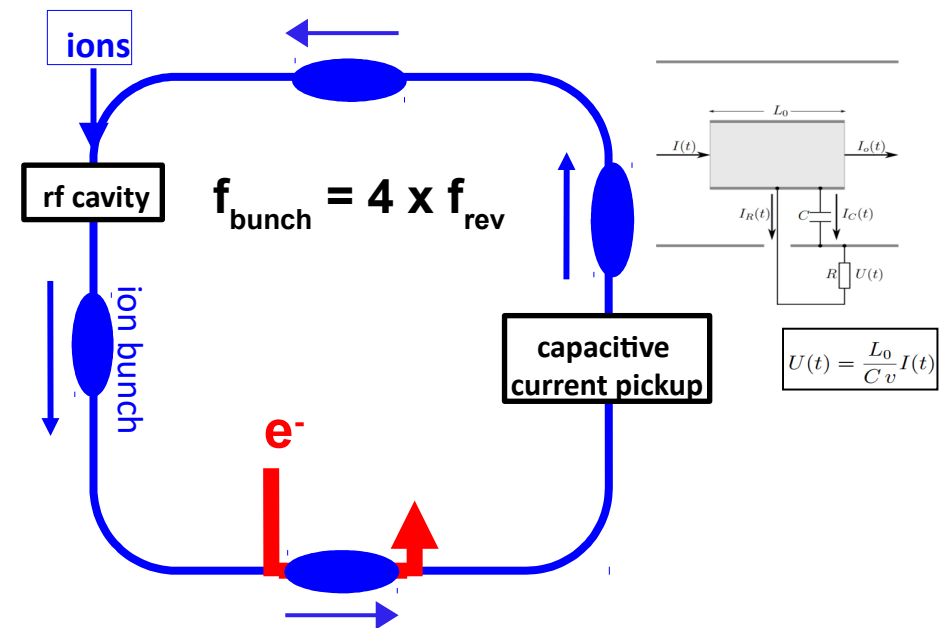
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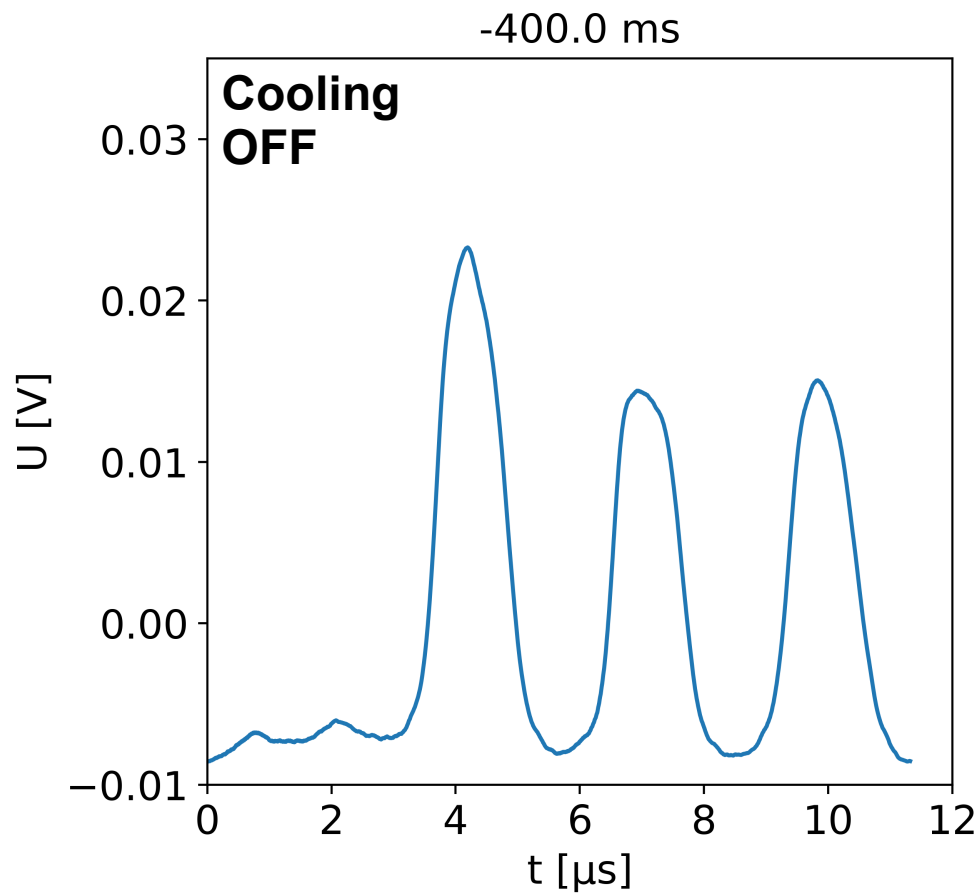
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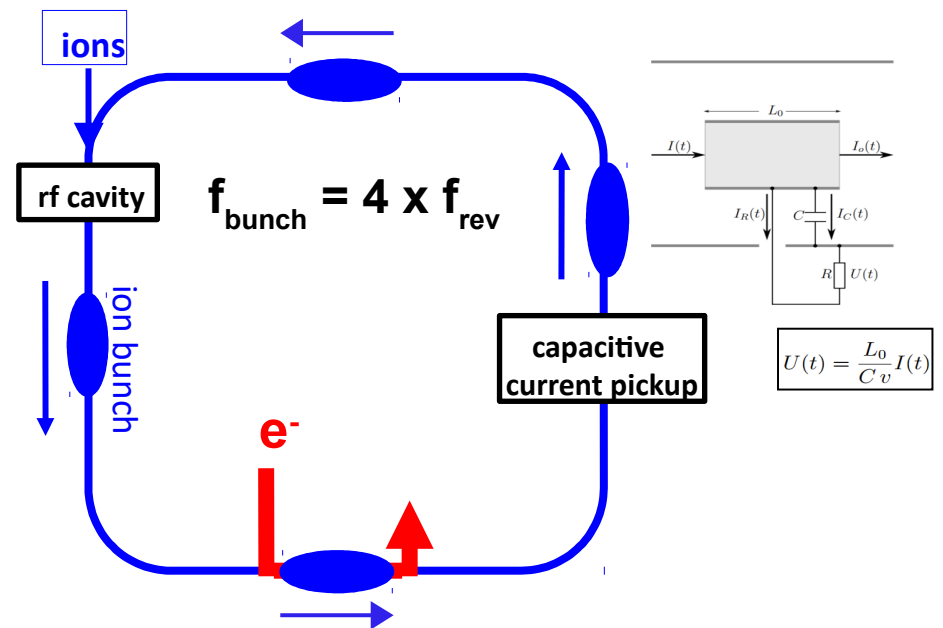
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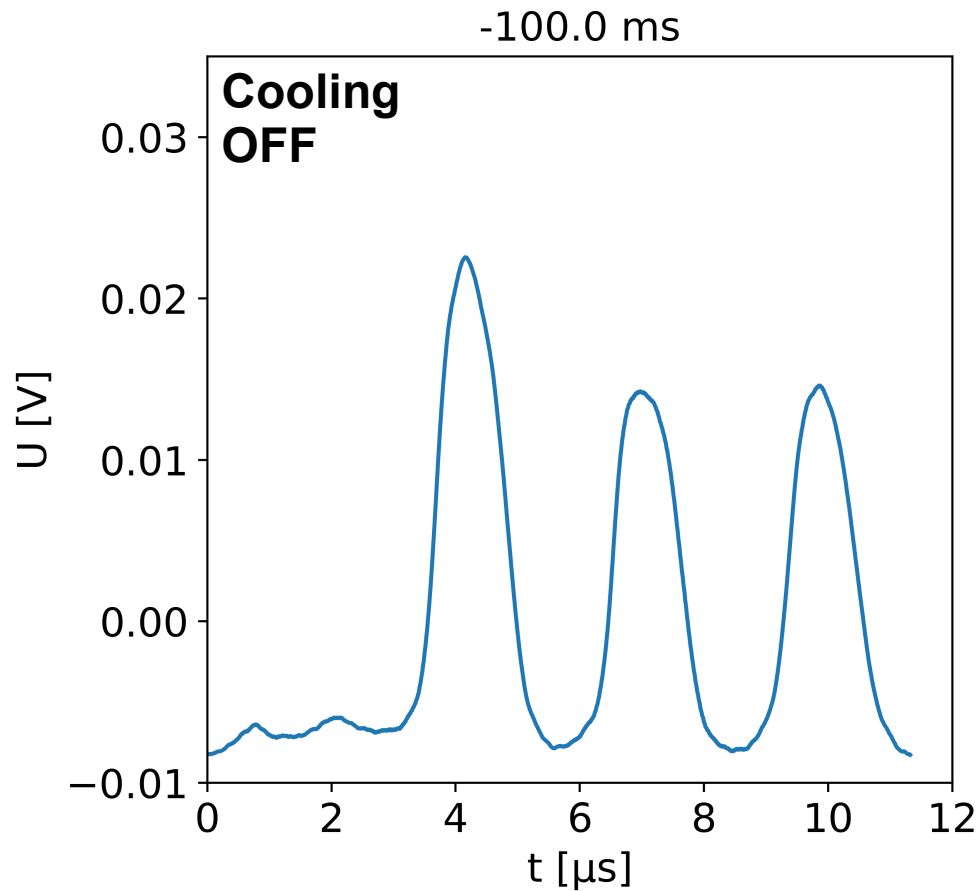
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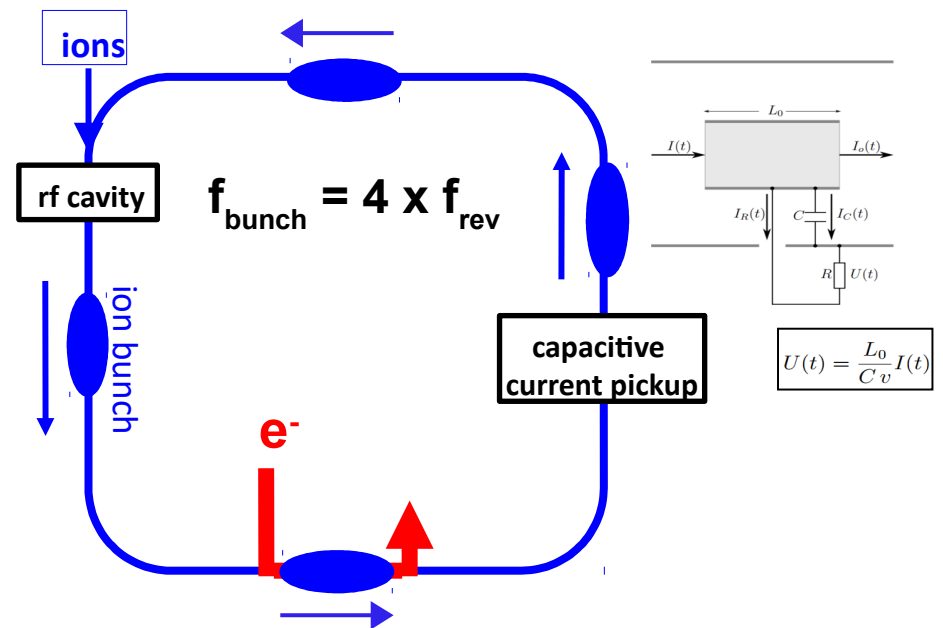
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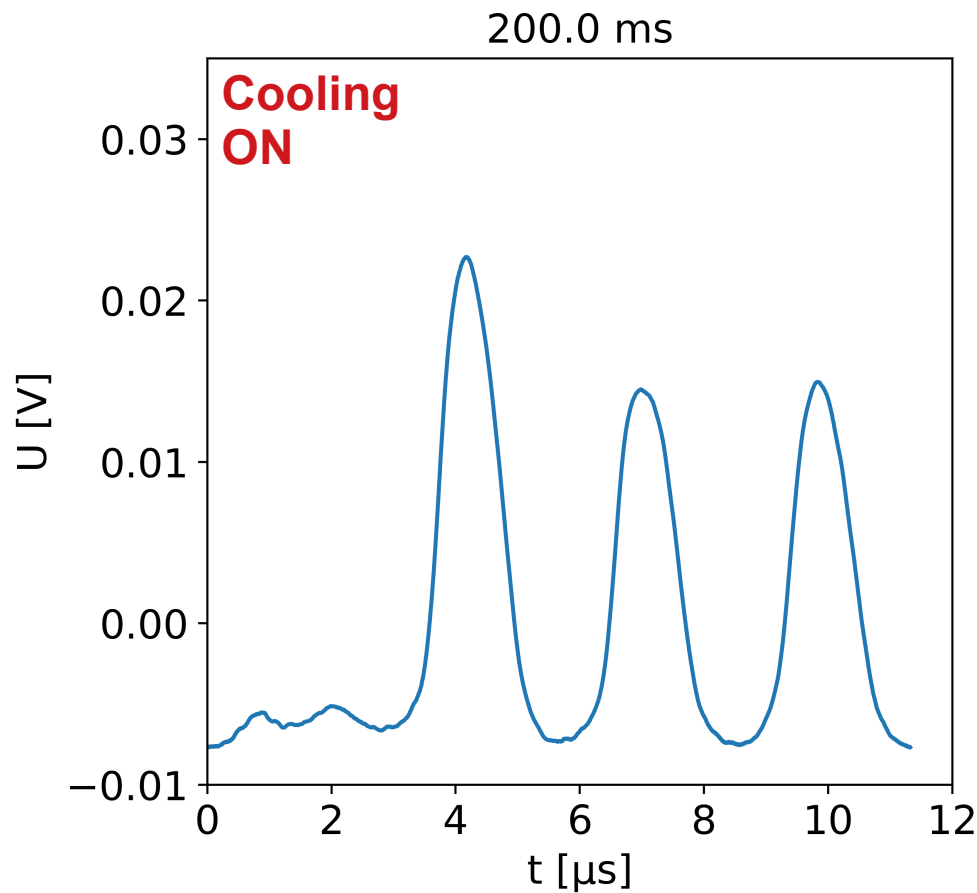
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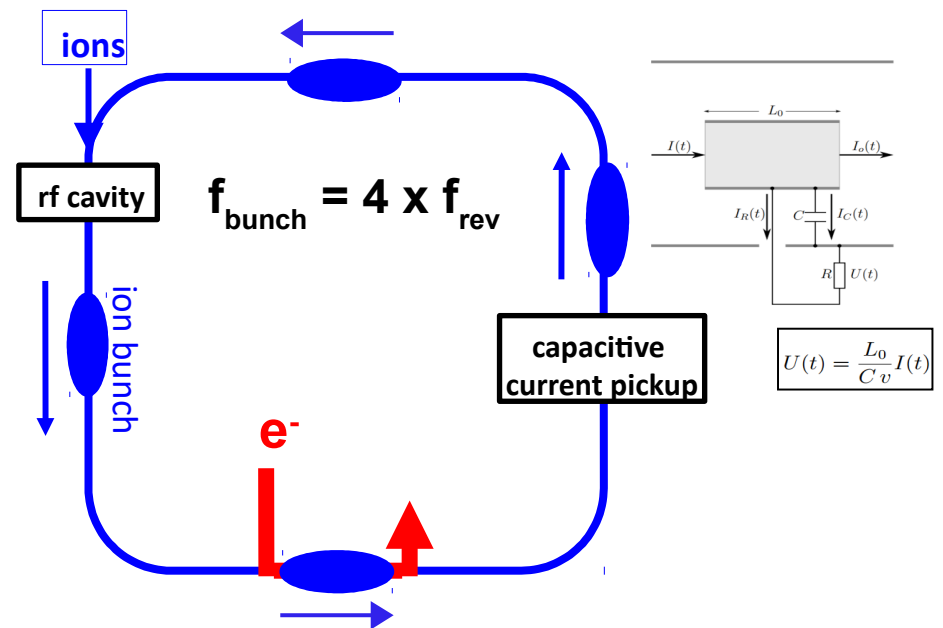
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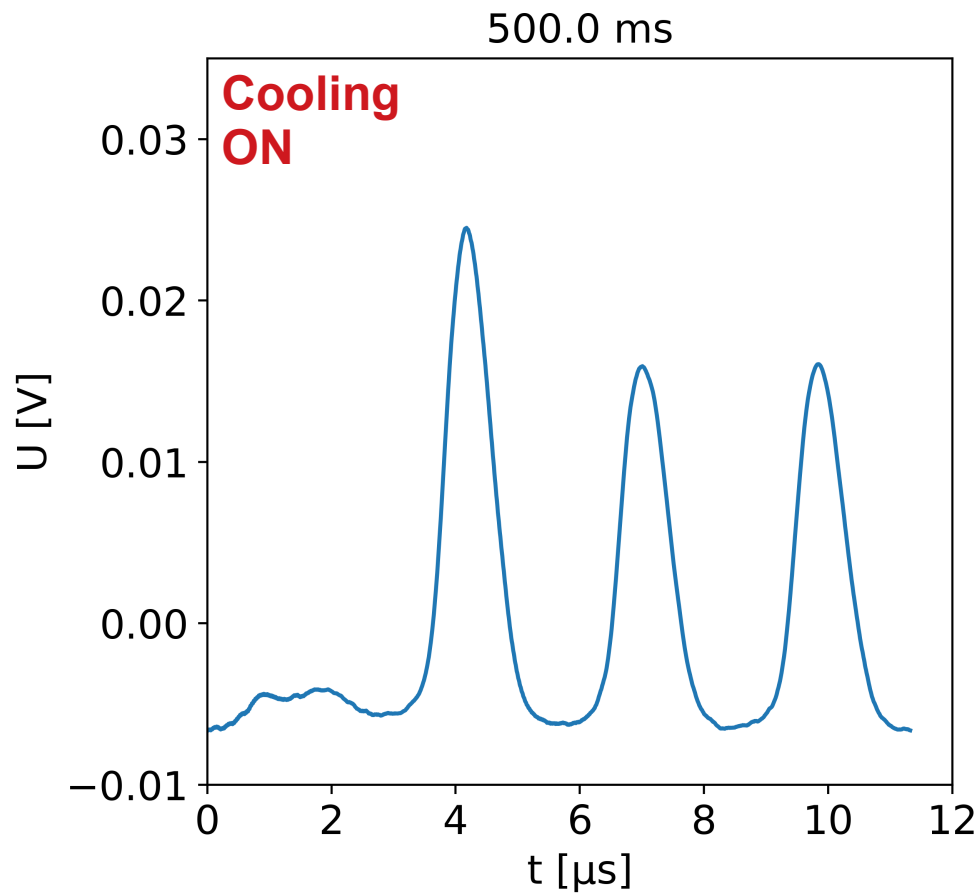
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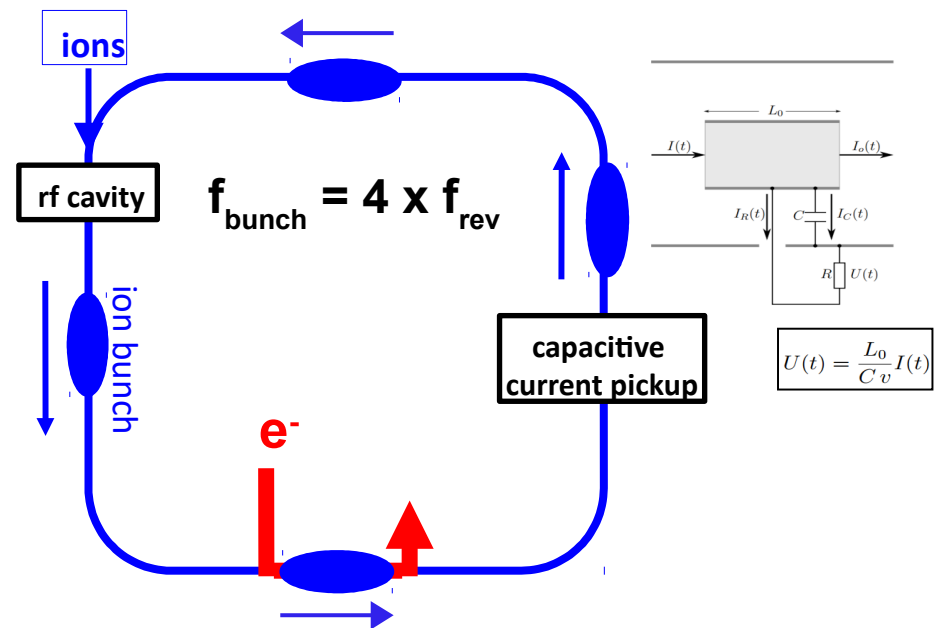
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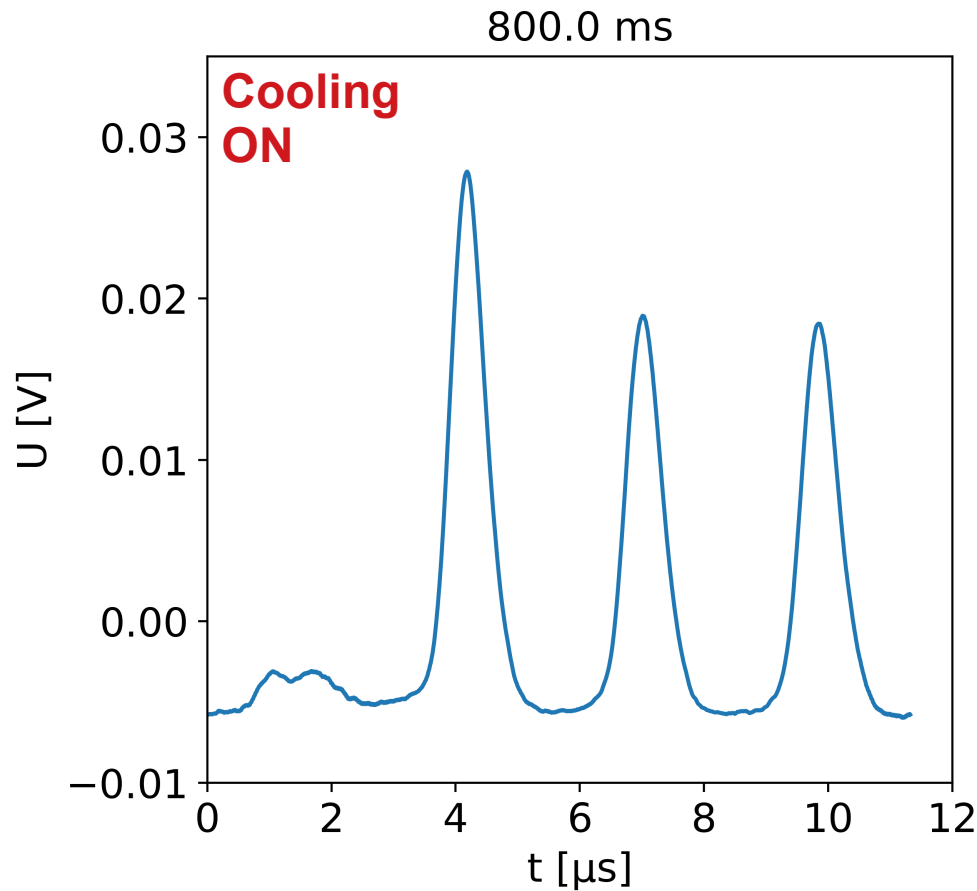
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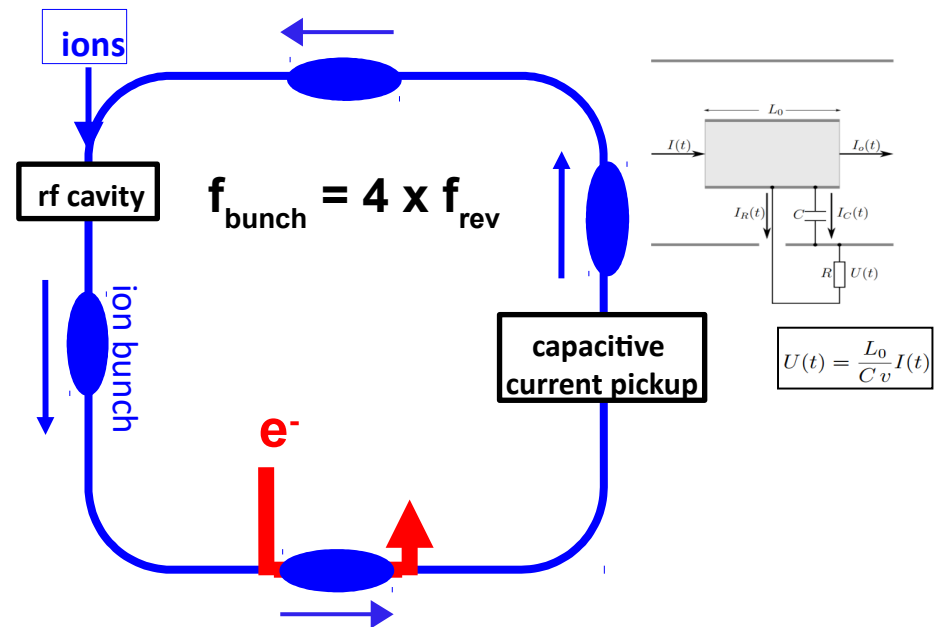
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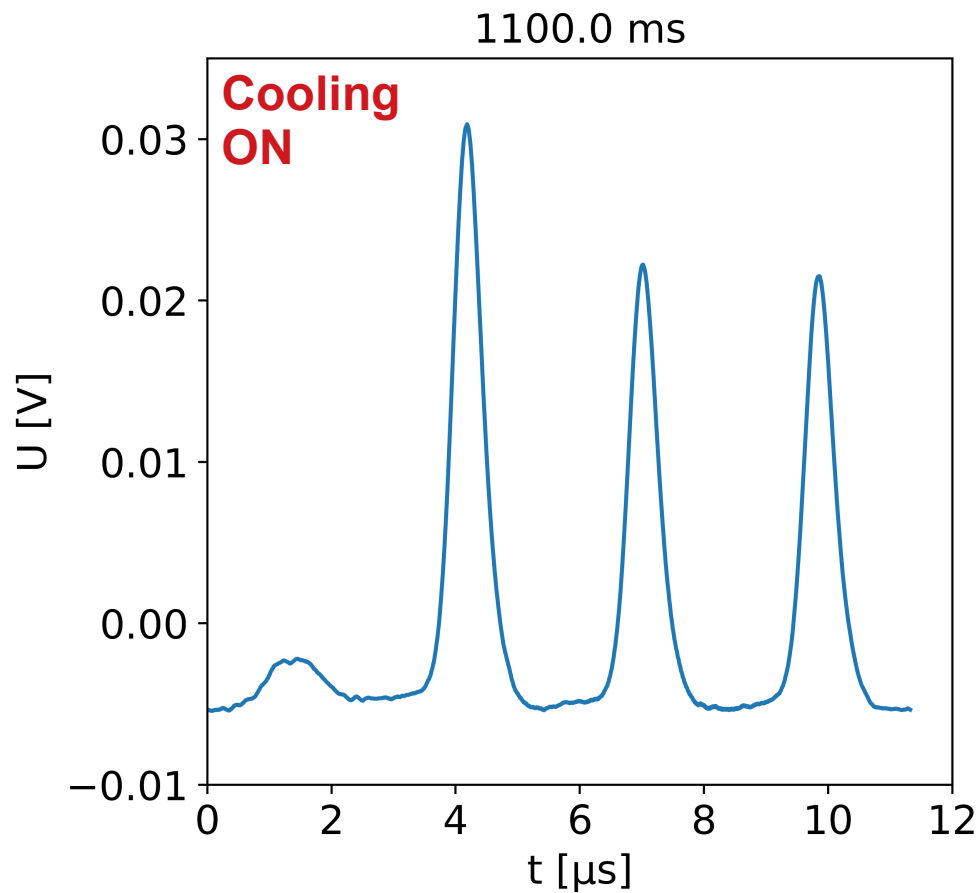
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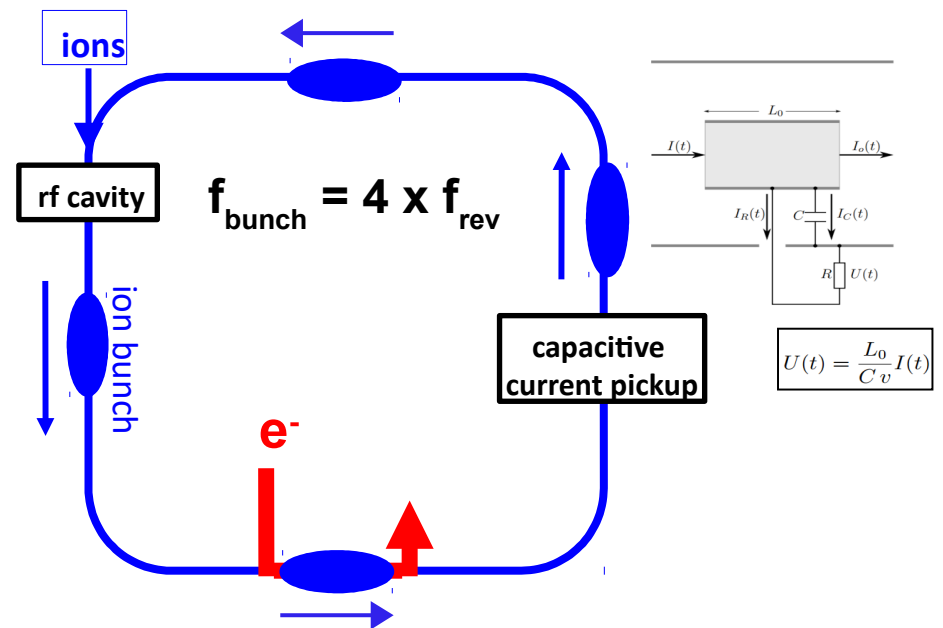
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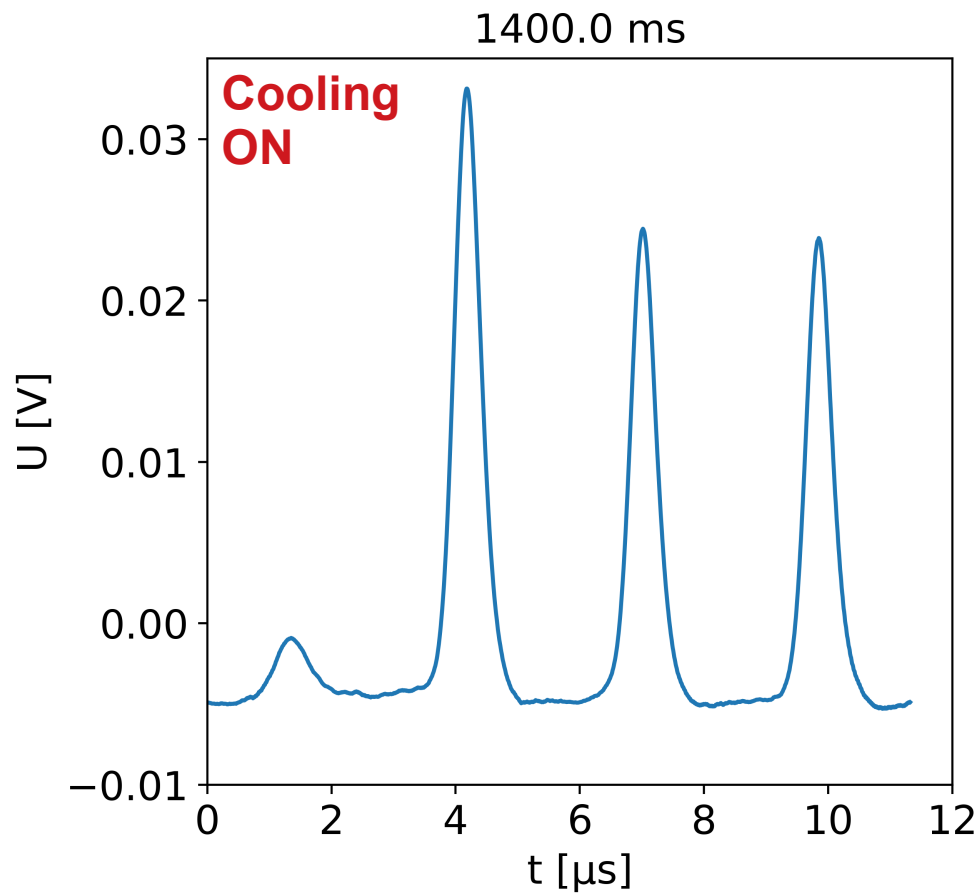
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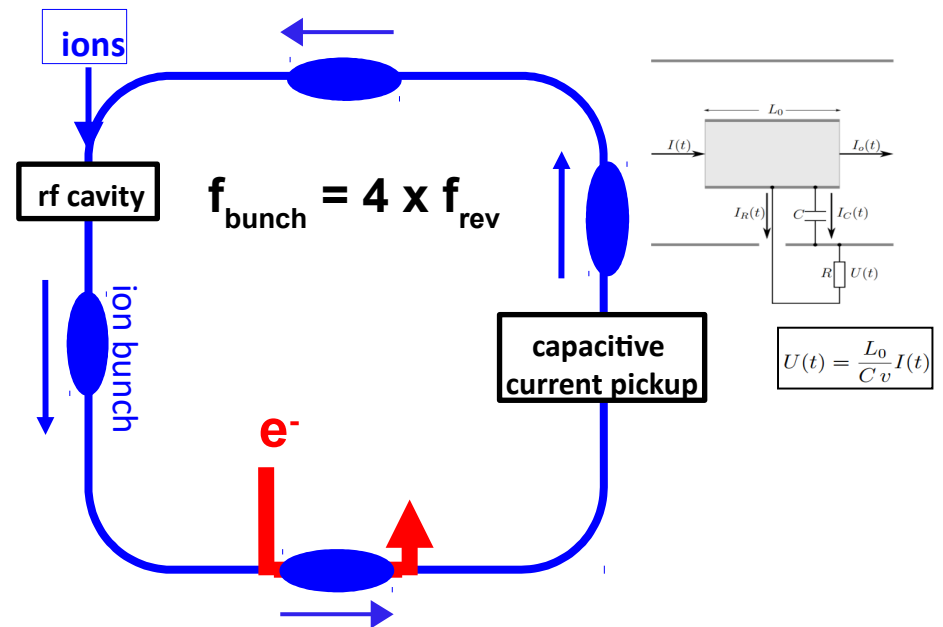
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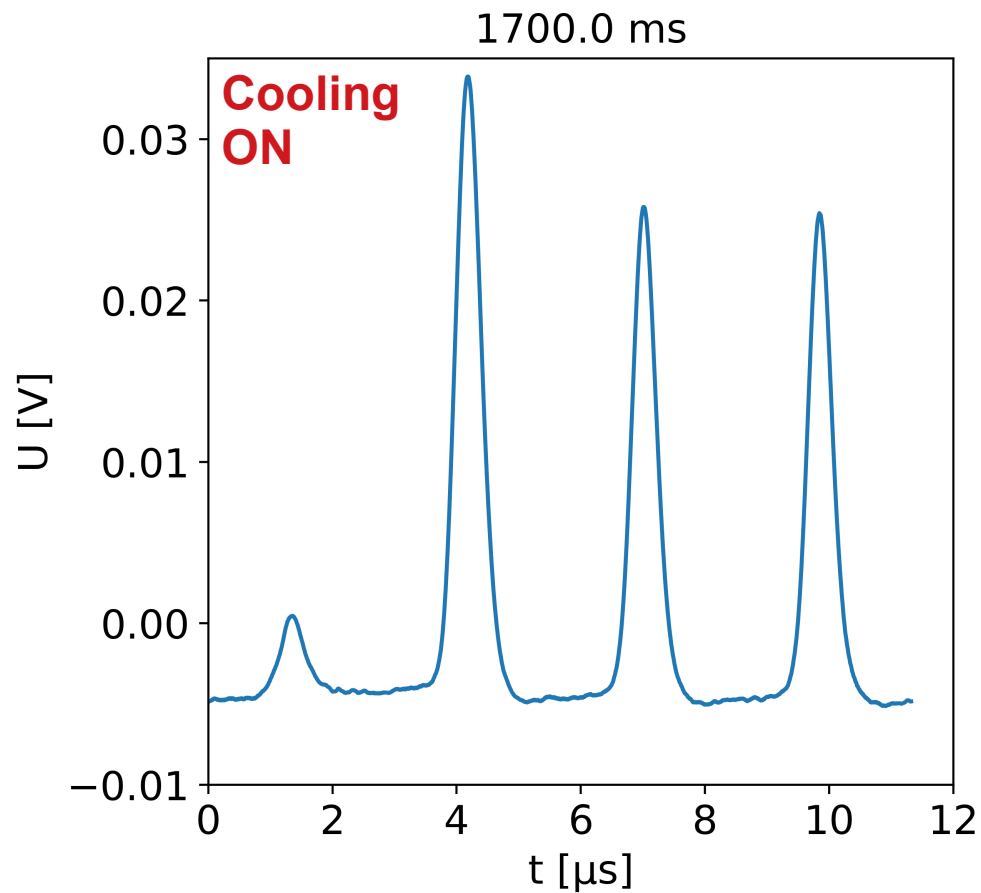
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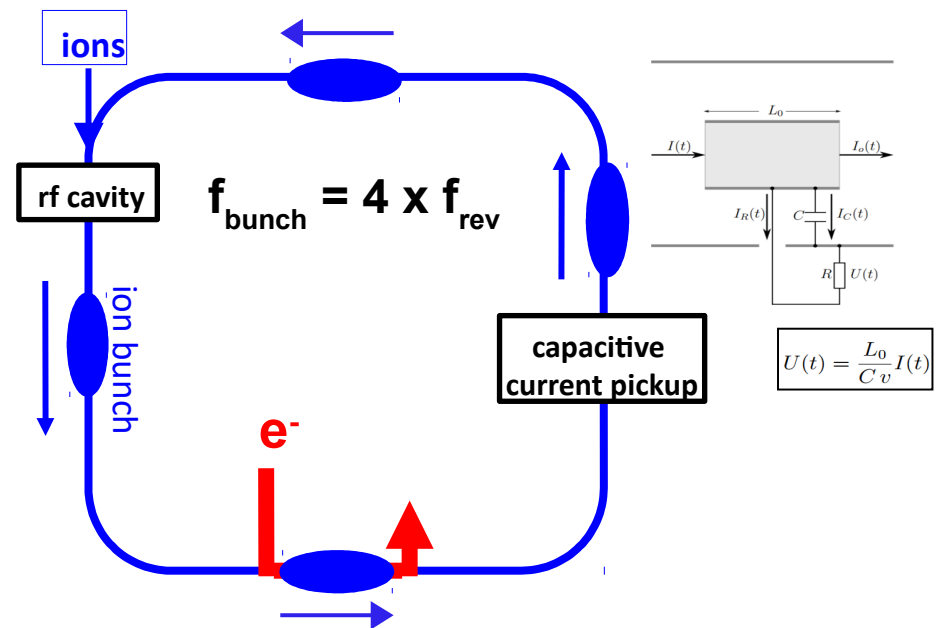
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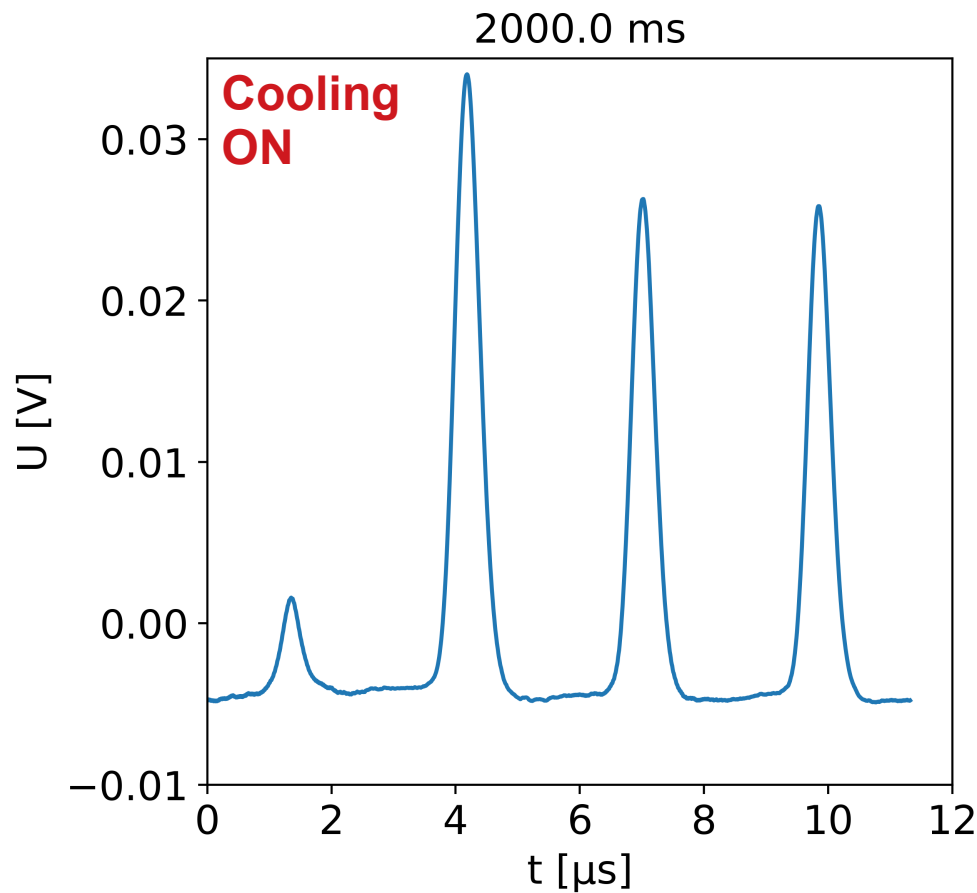
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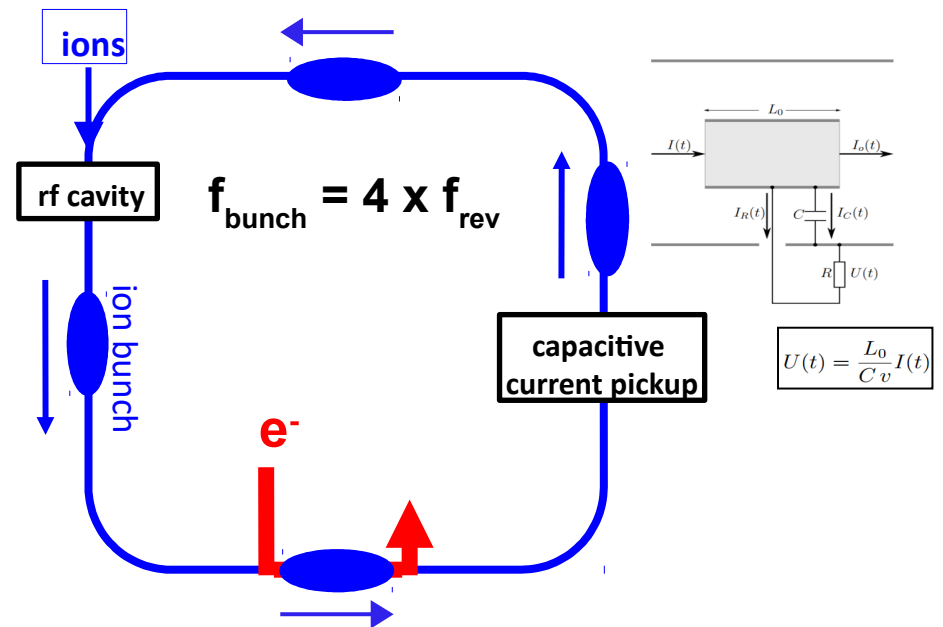
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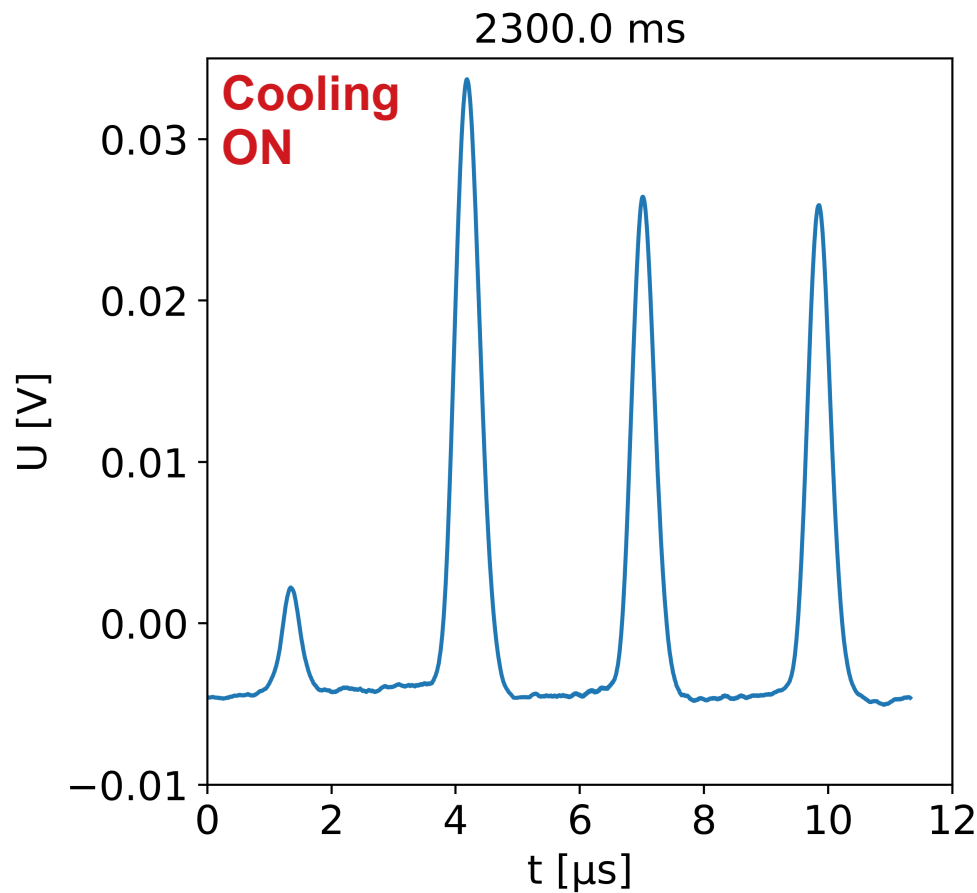
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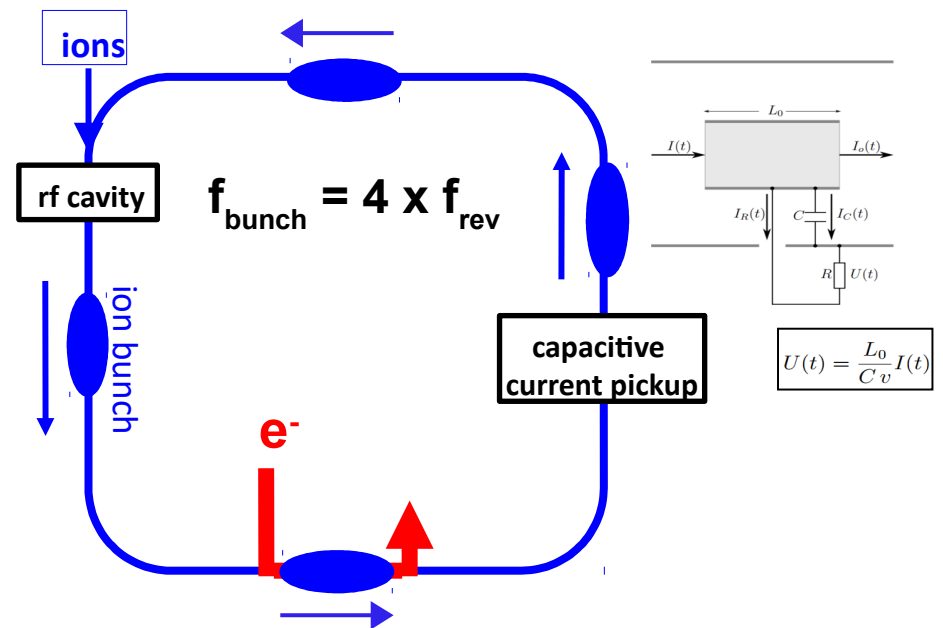
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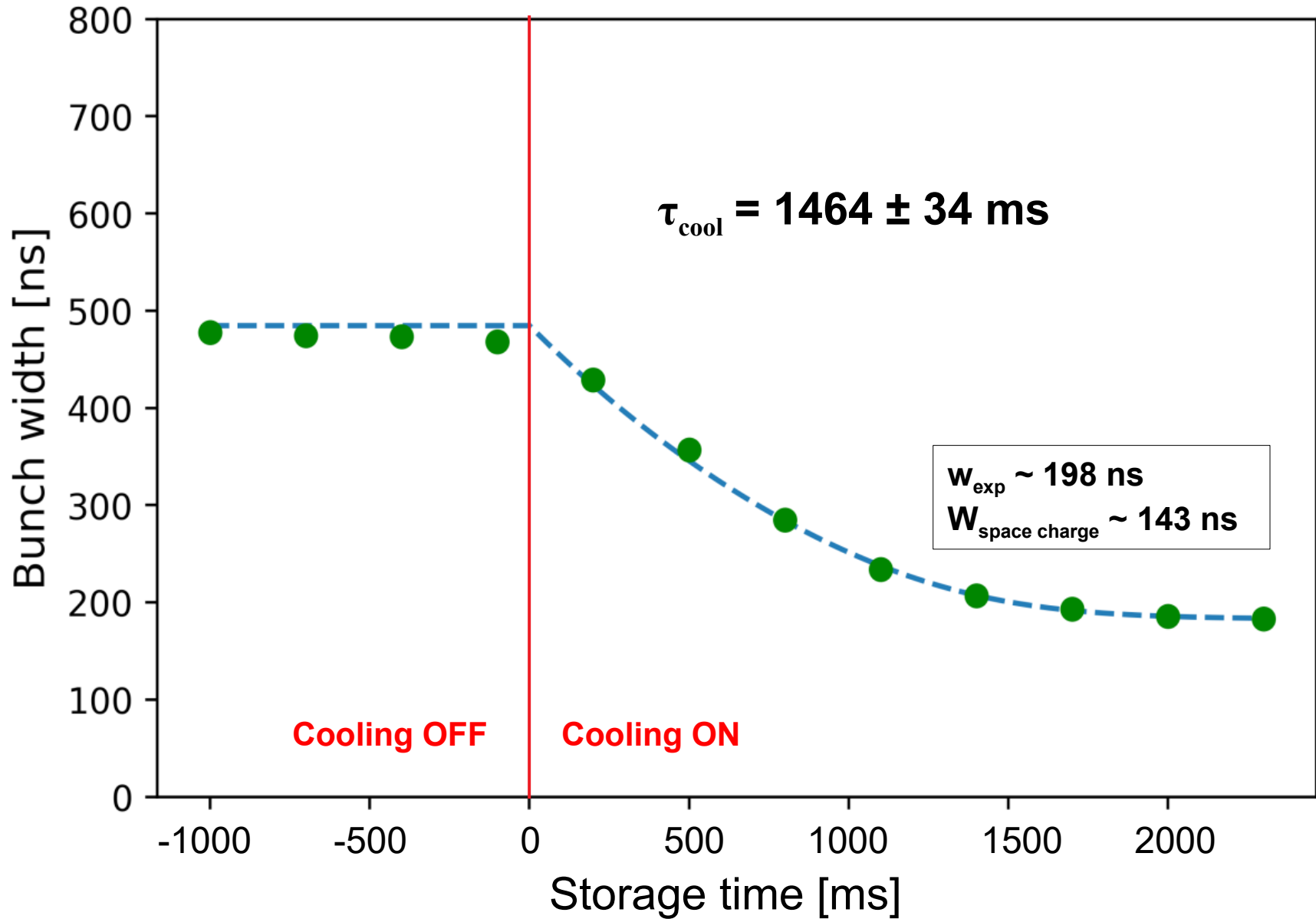
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Bunch Widths over Time



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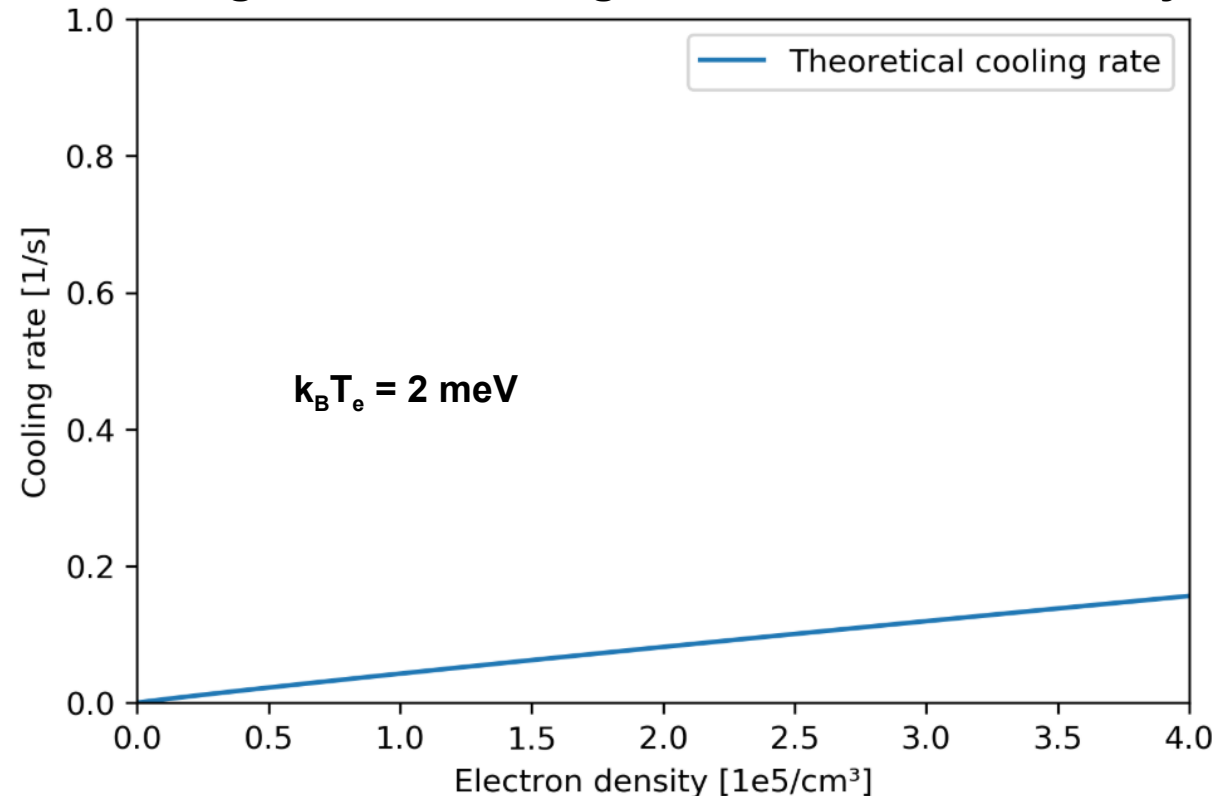
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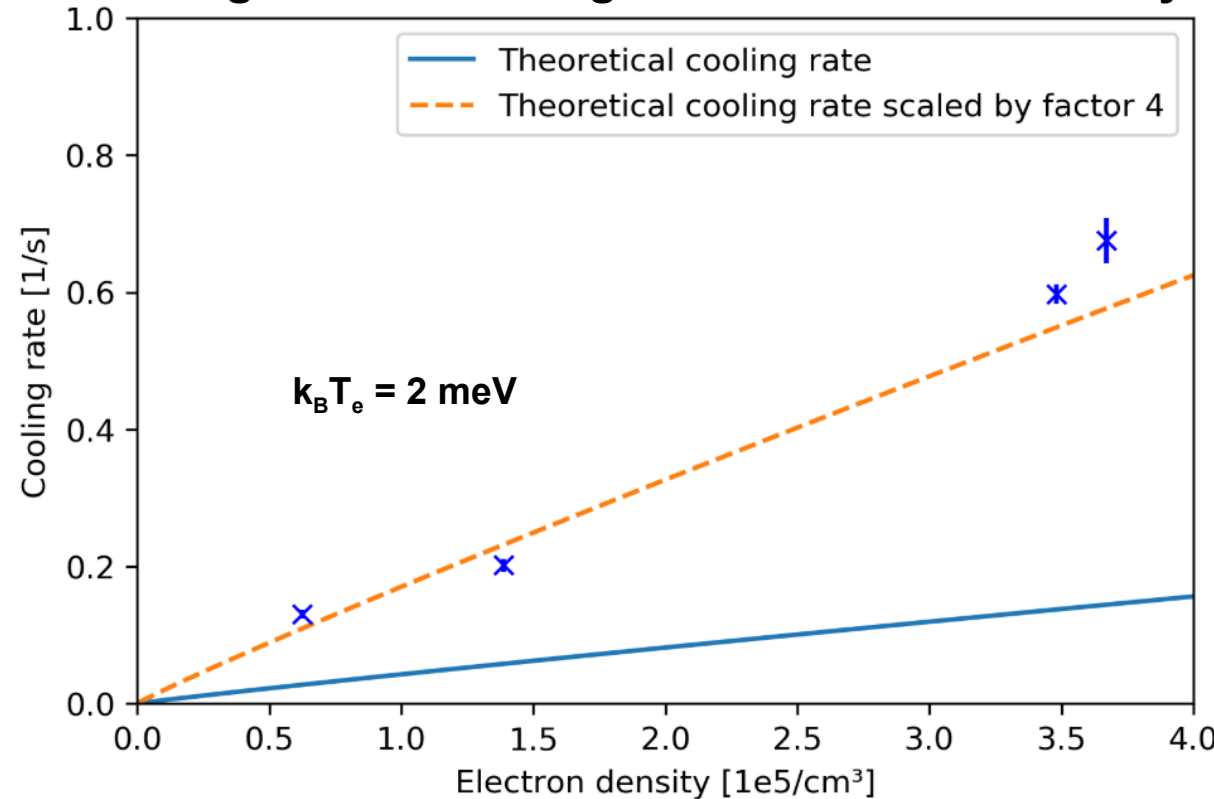
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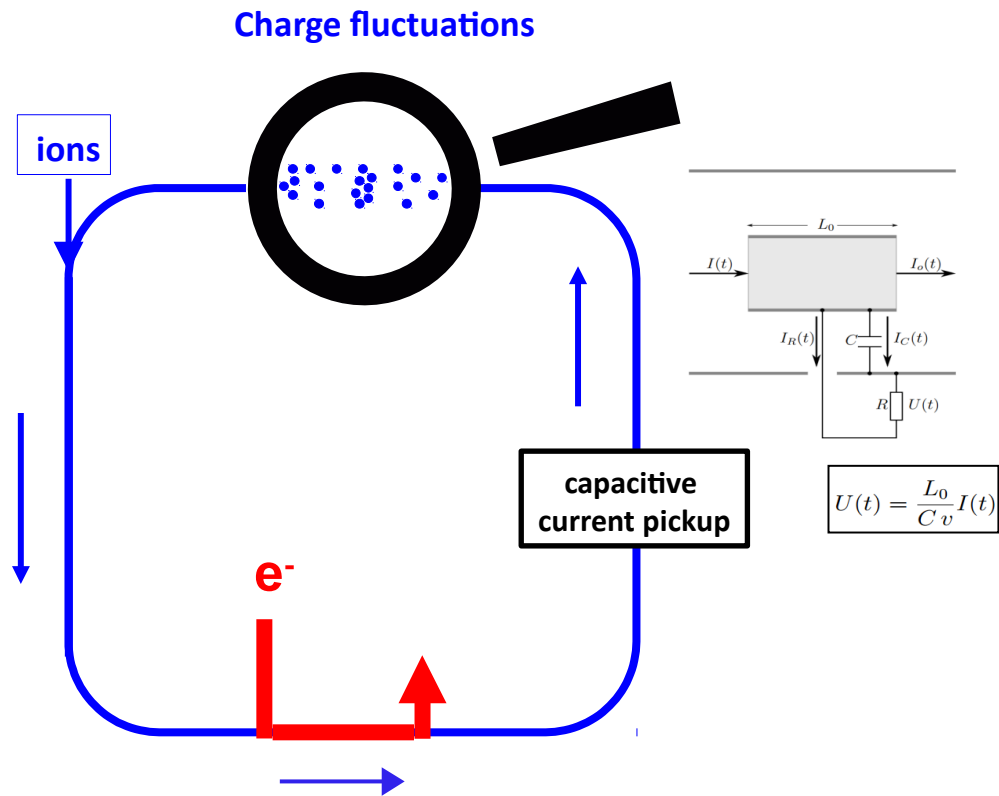
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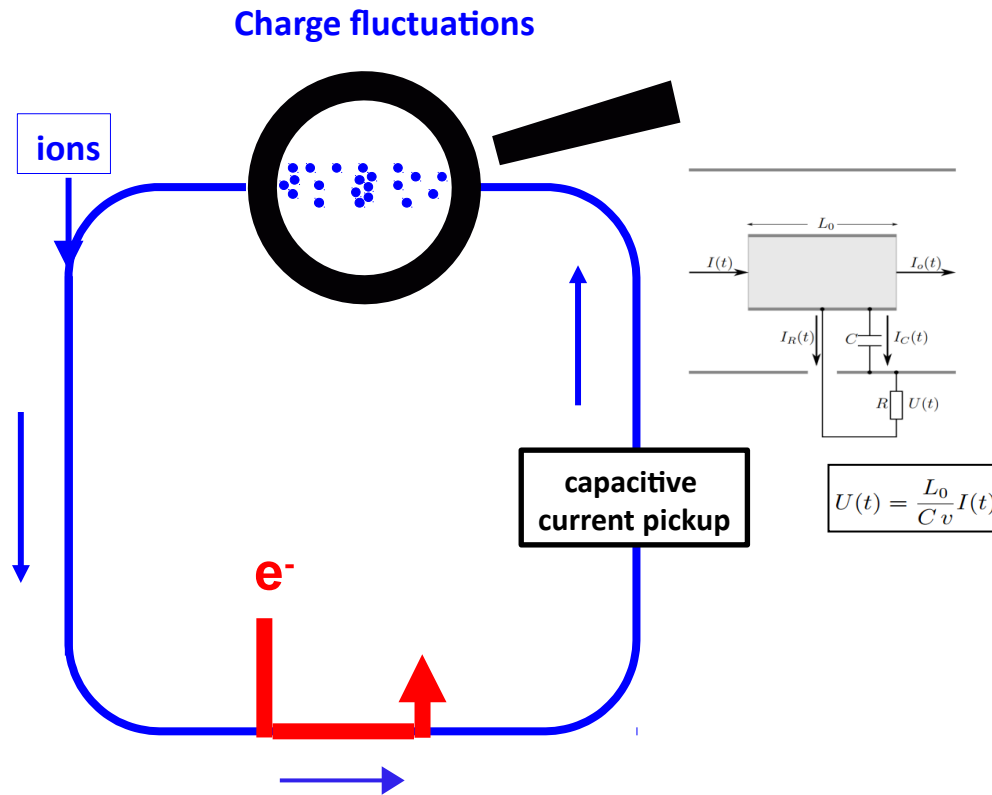
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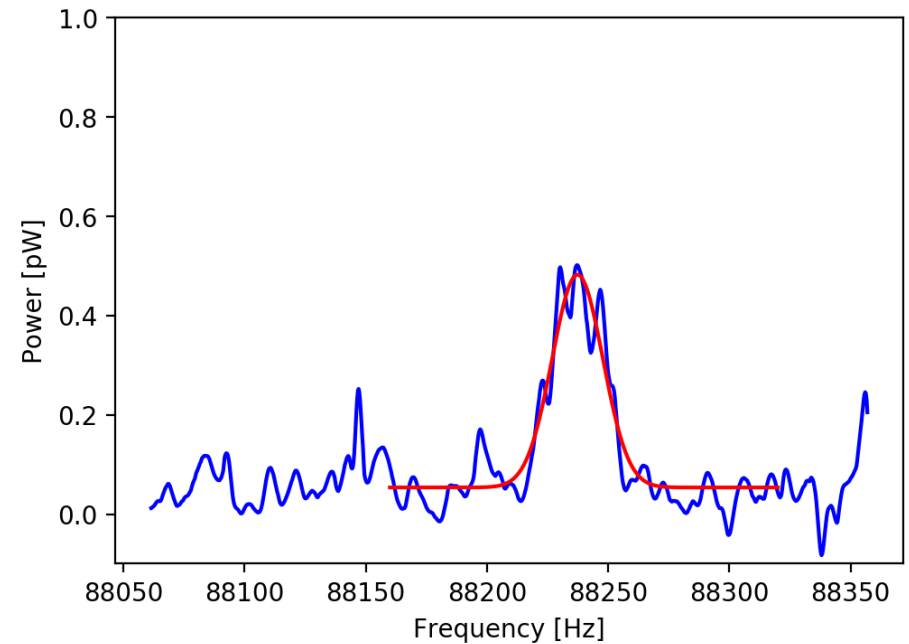
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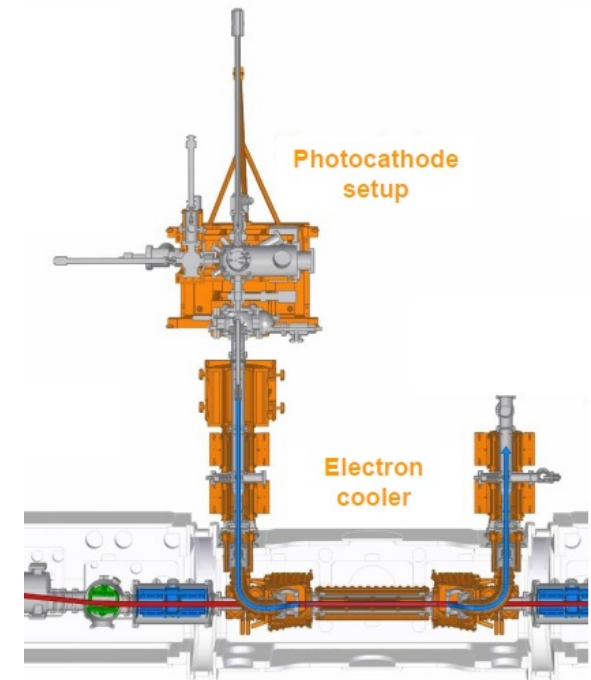
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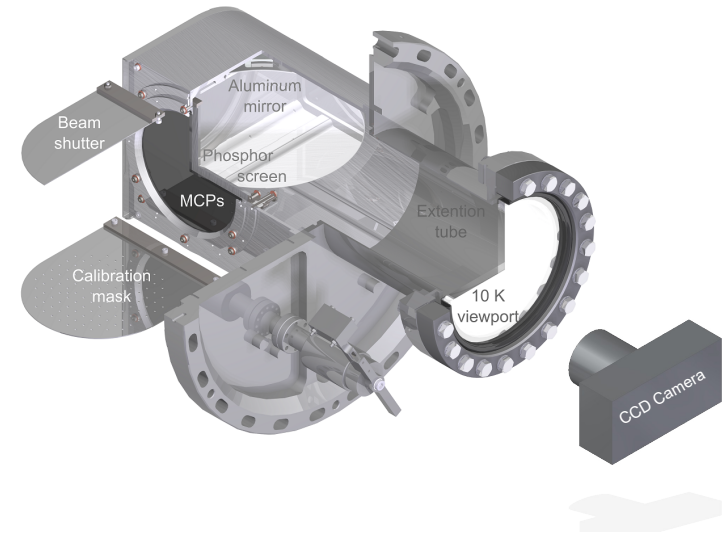
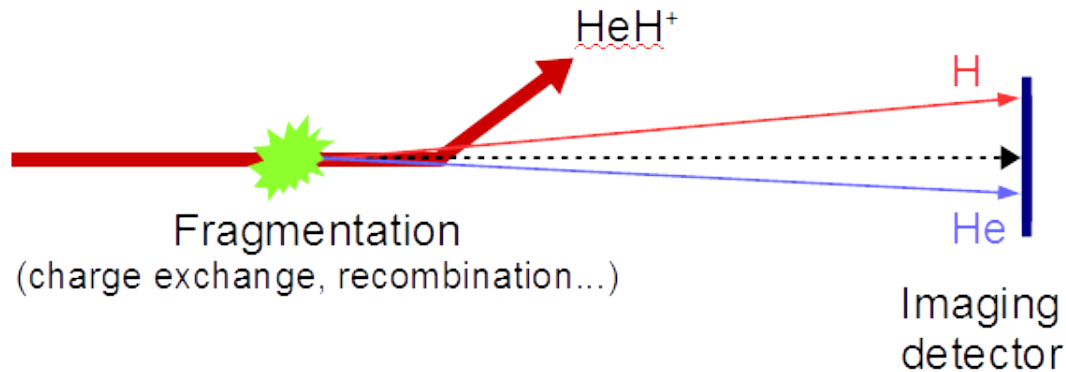
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Transverse Cooling – Detection Principle



- **Center-of-mass** distribution of two-body events
→ **transverse emittance** of stored ions

Fragmentation processes

Dissociative Recombination:

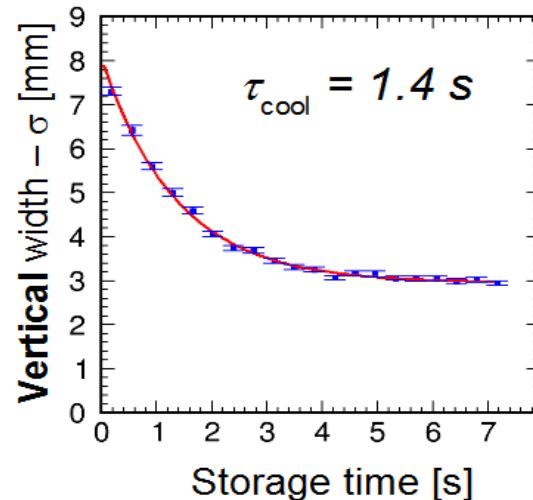
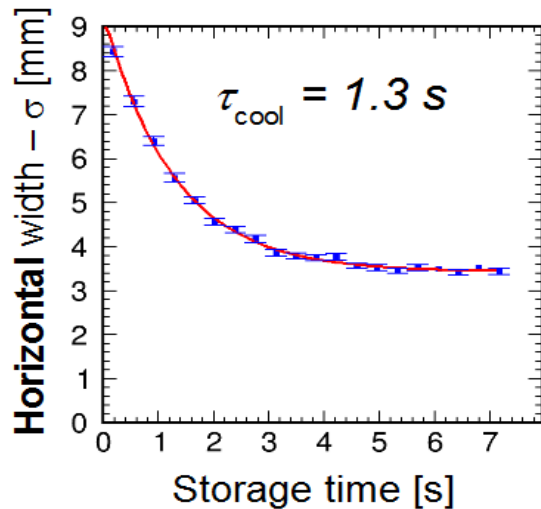
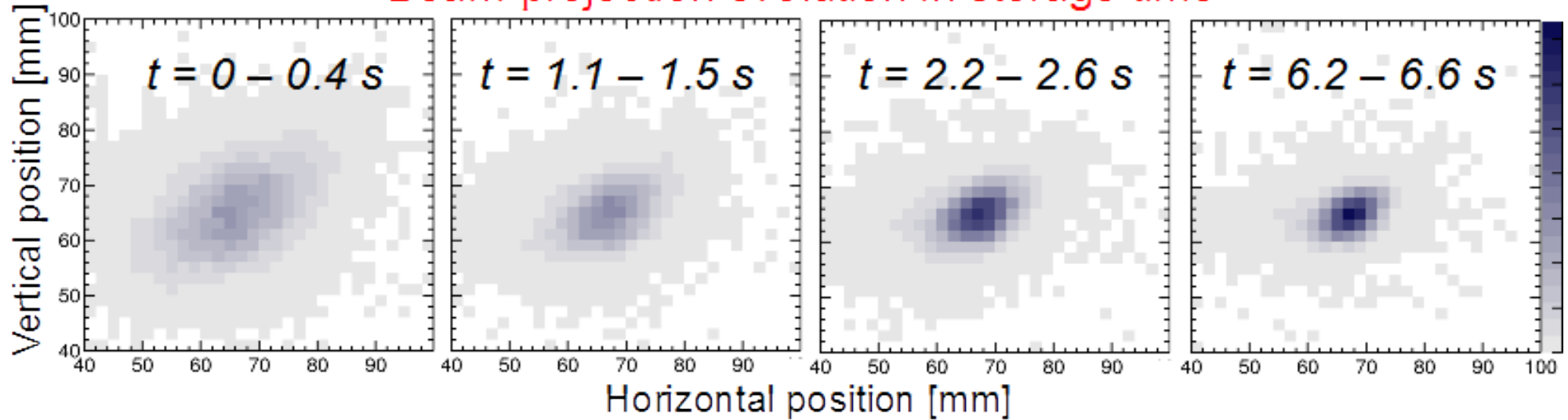


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Transverse Cooling – Coasting Ion Beam

Beam-projection evolution in storage time



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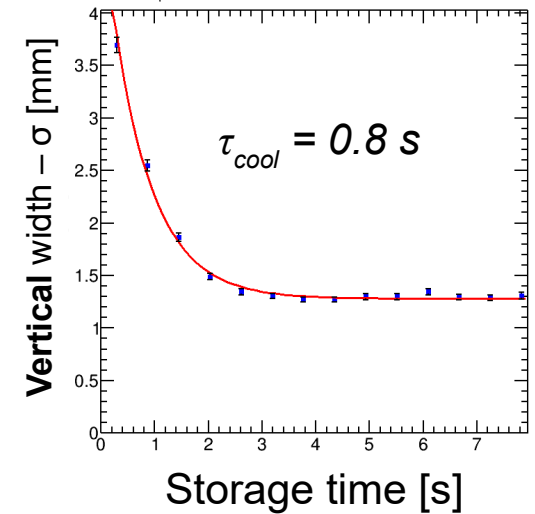
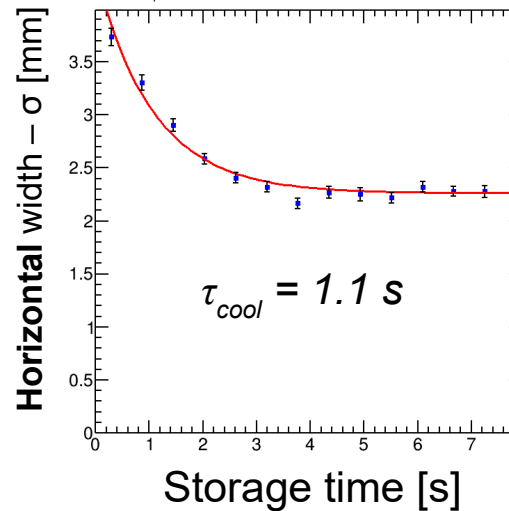
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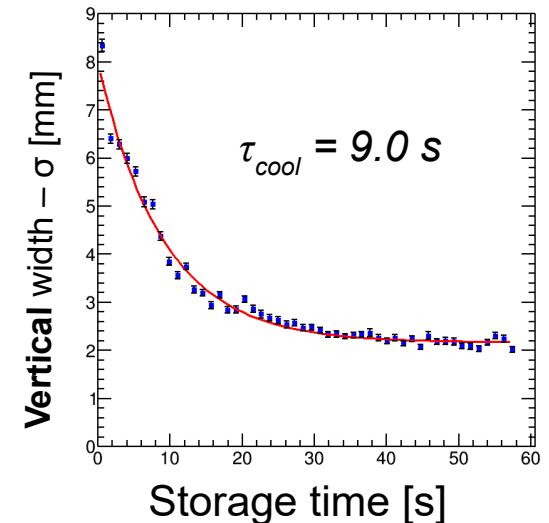
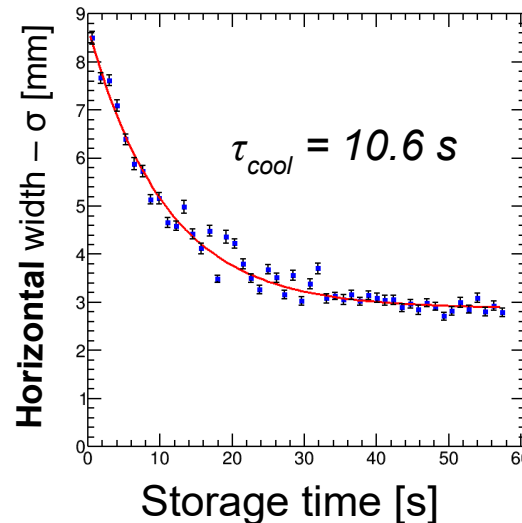
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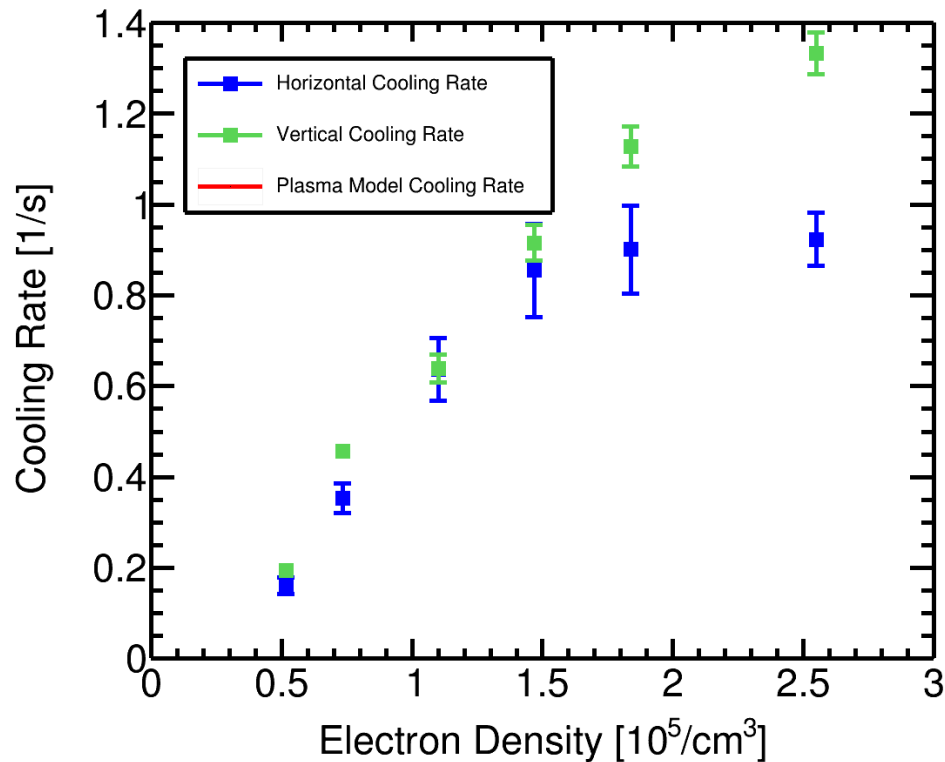
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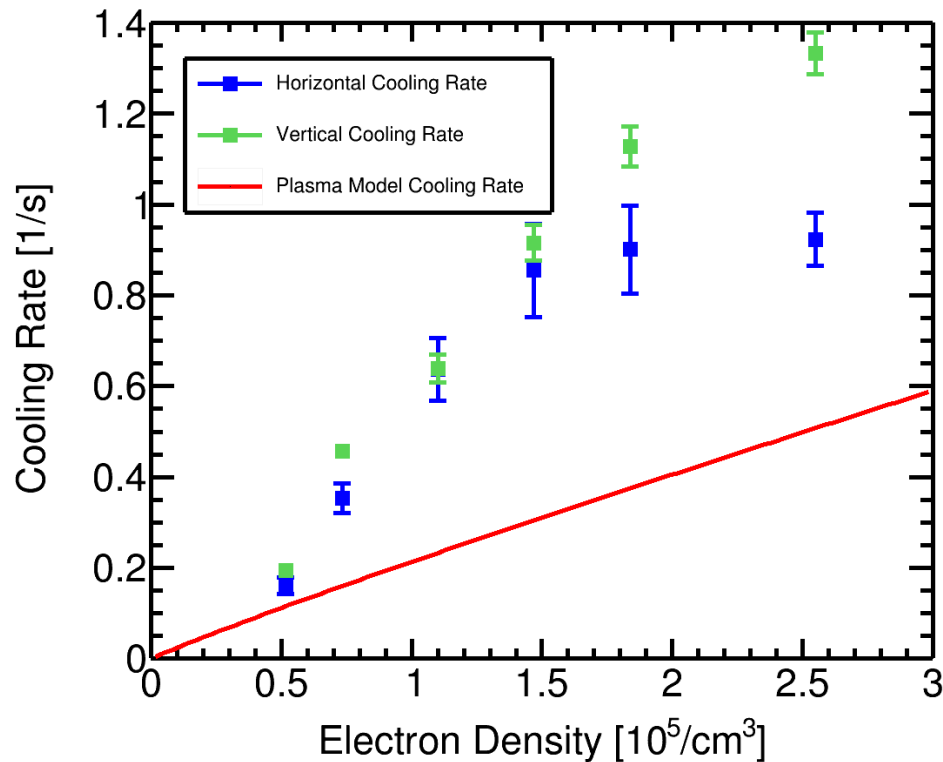
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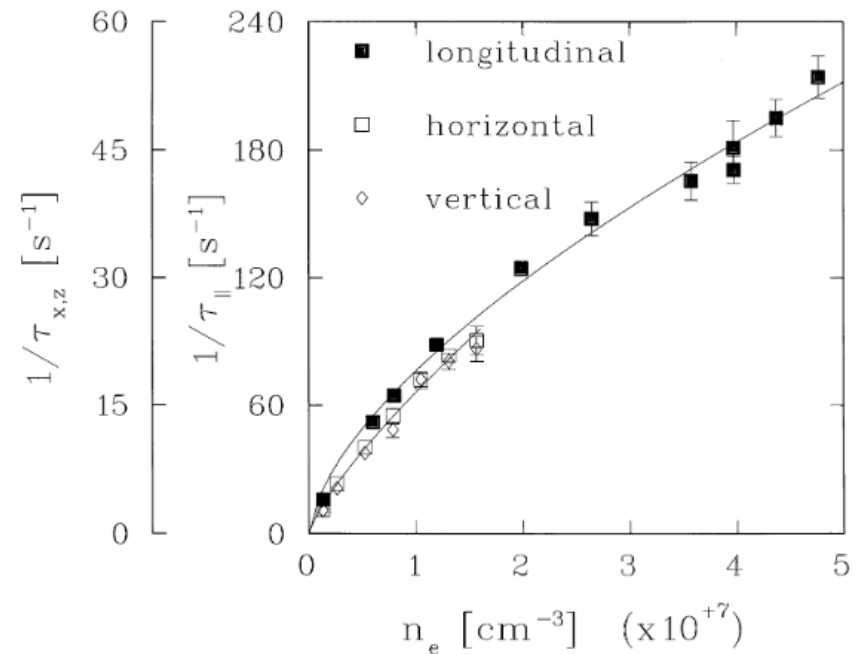
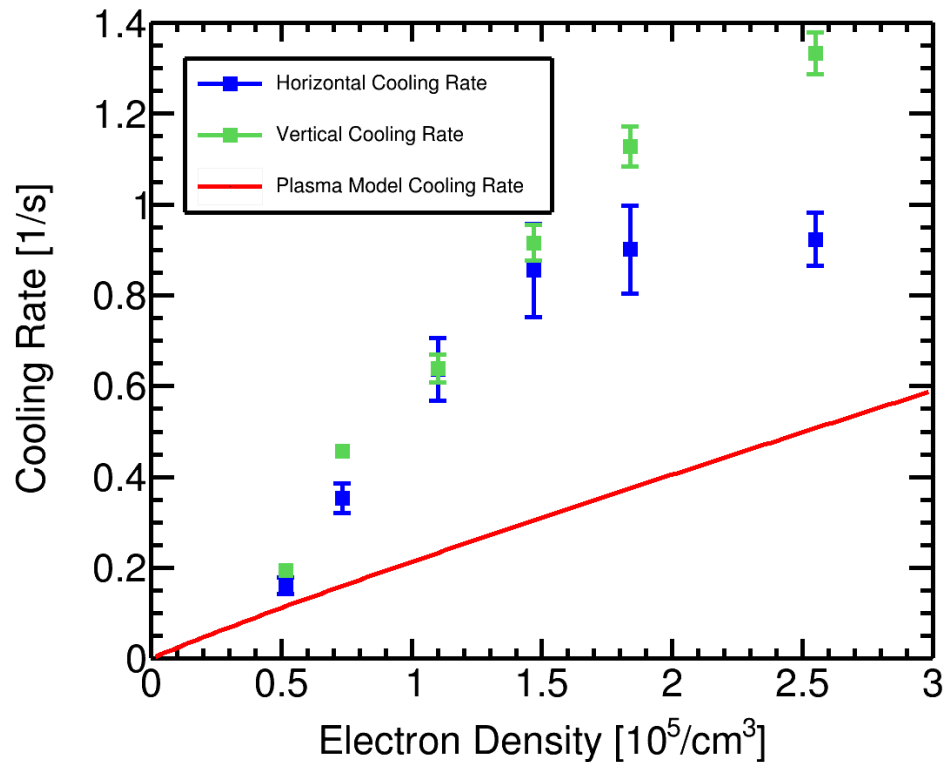
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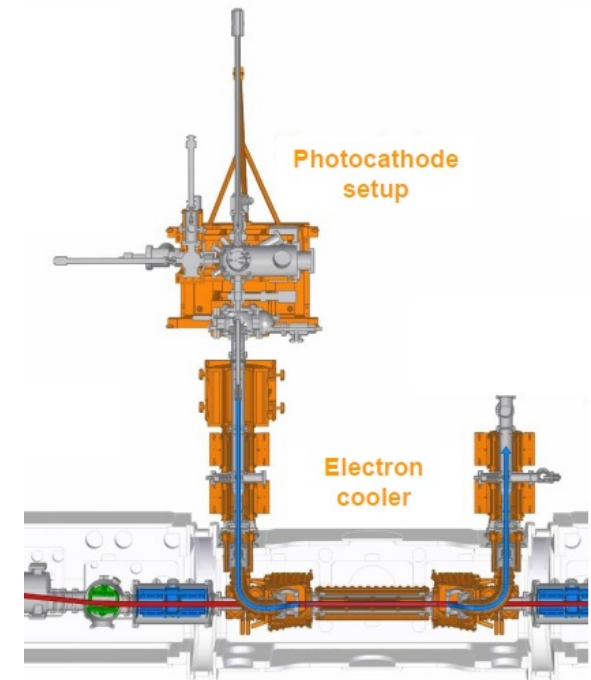


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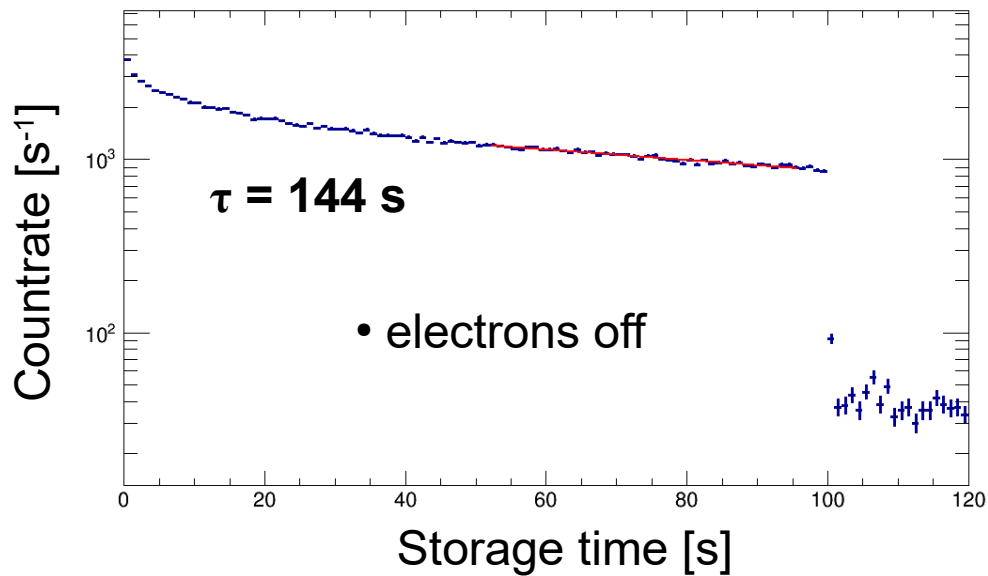
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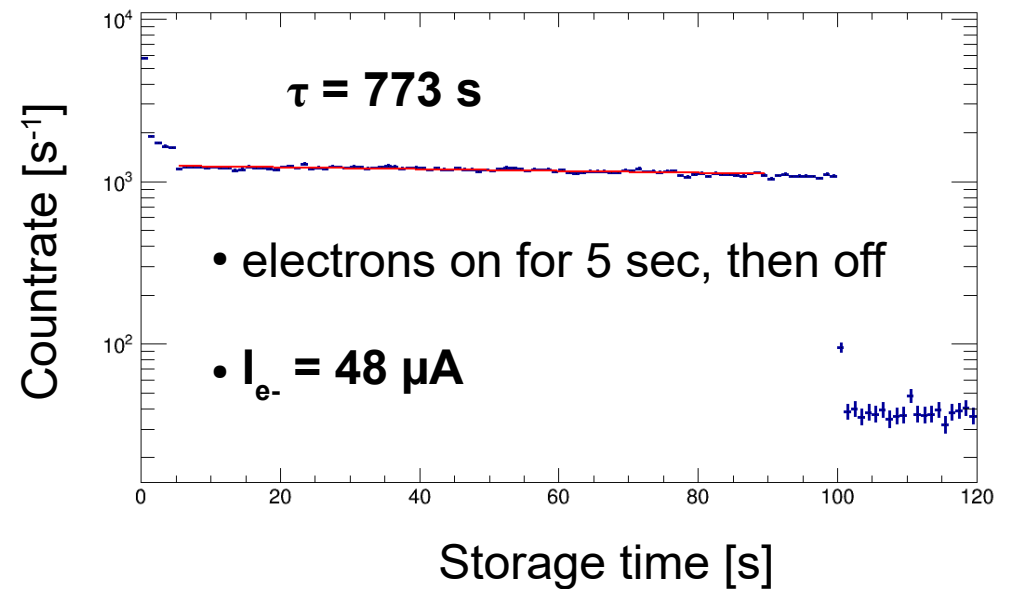
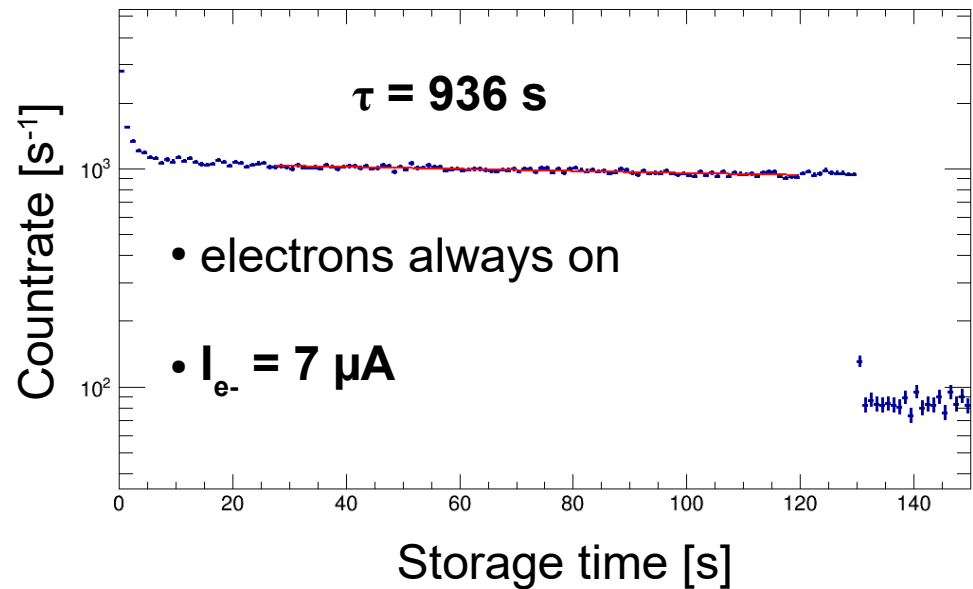
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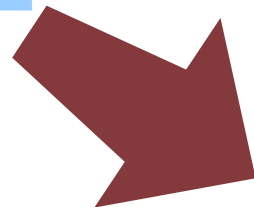
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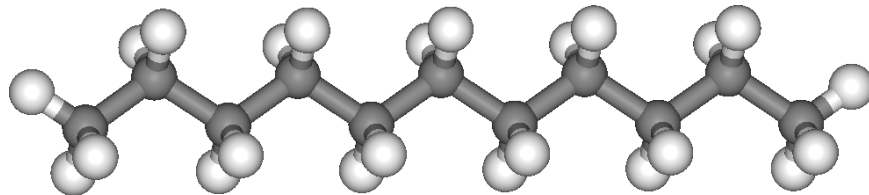
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p ⁺ /p̄	1	10.9	0.6 ?

Cooling times to be proven...



250 keV, n_e halved compared to O⁺

Ion	m [u]	E_{cool} [eV]	τ_{cool} [s]
TiO ⁺	64	2.1	78.4 ?
Xe ⁺	132	1.0	161.8 ?
C ₁₀ H ₂₂ ⁺	142	1.0	174.0 ?



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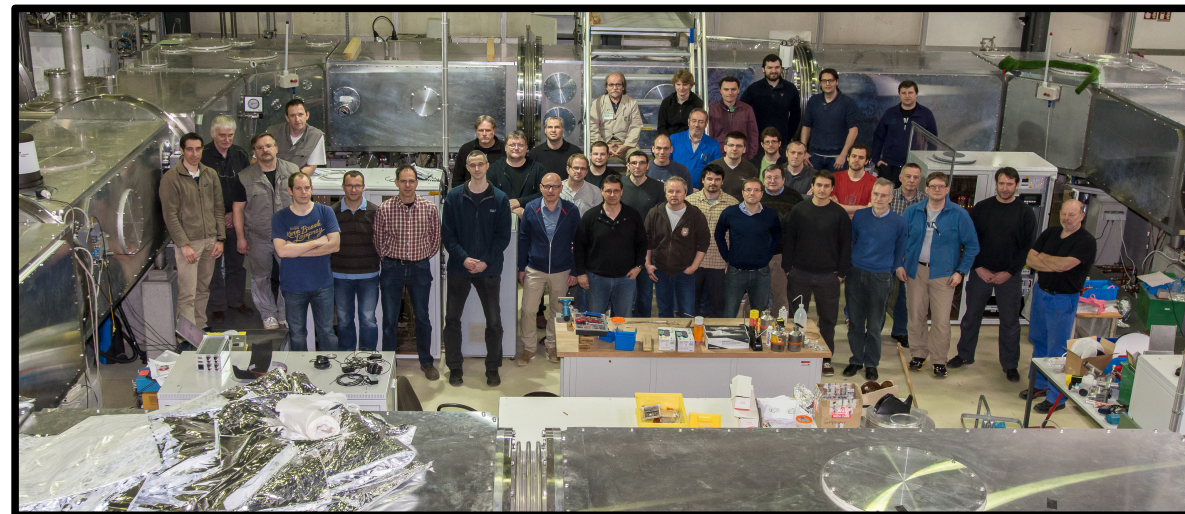
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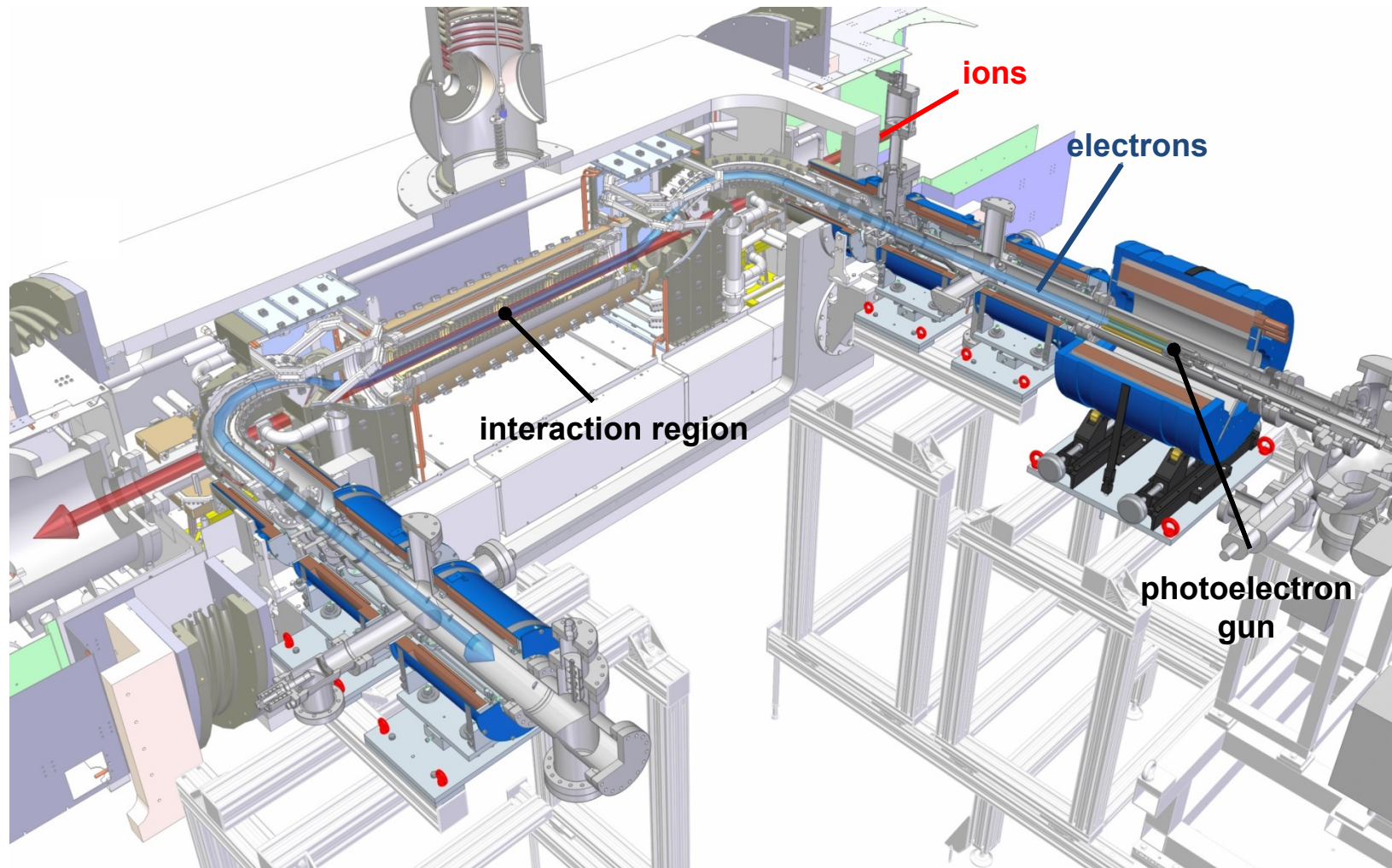
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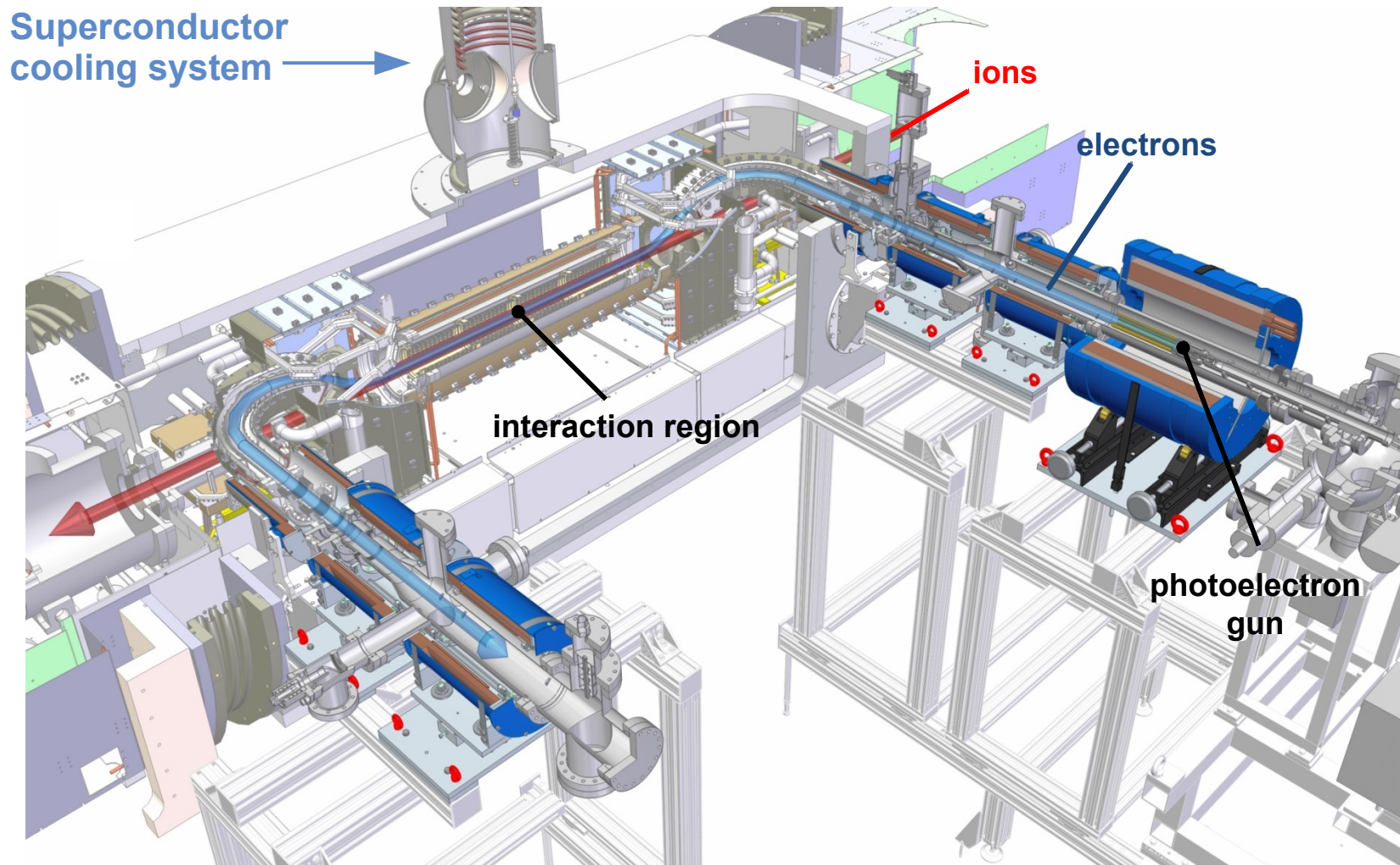
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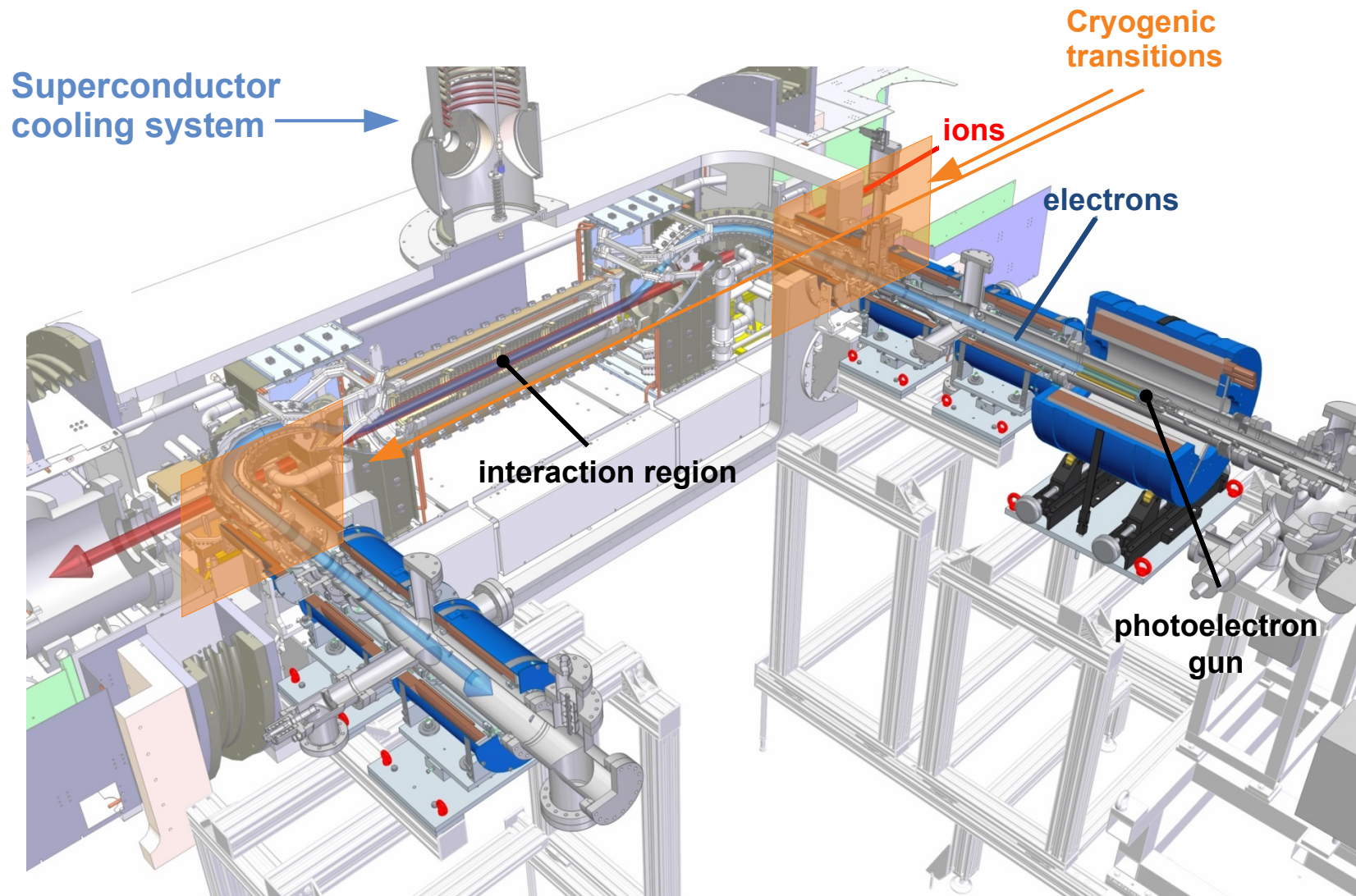
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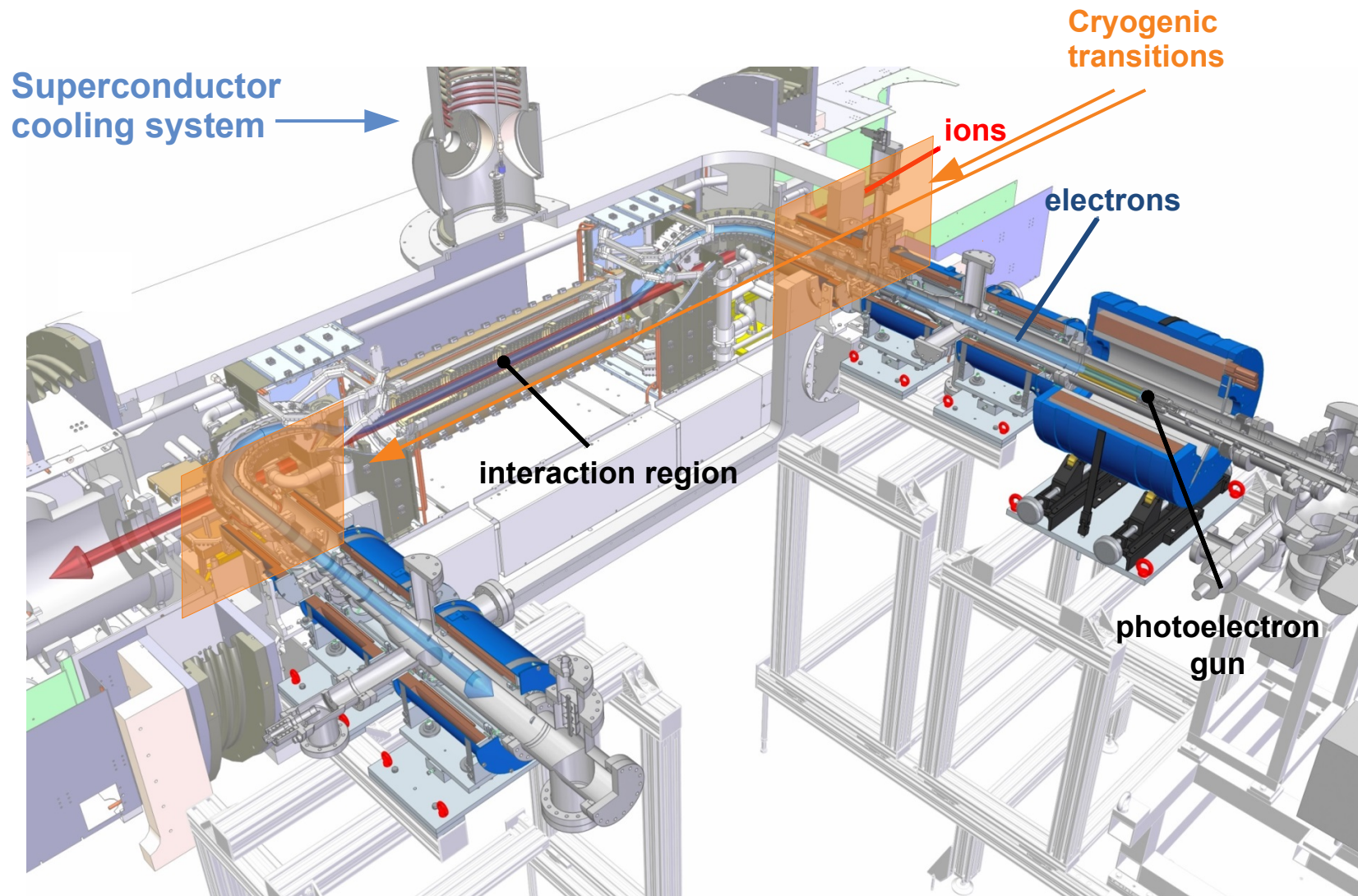
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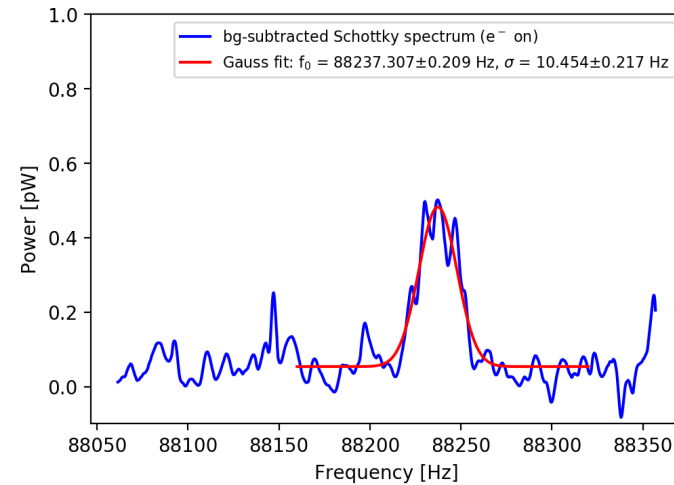
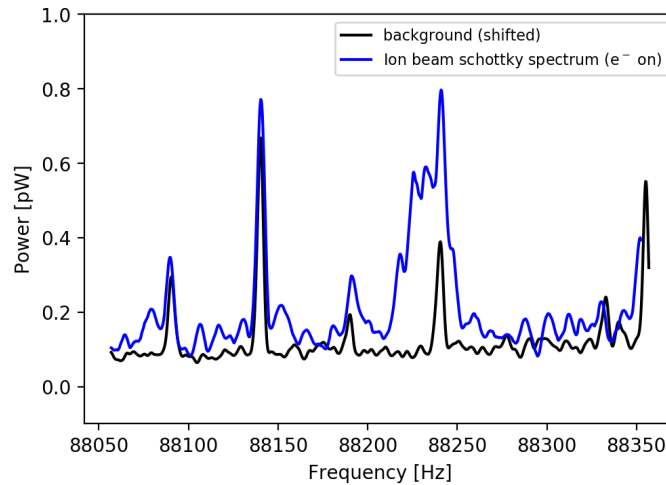
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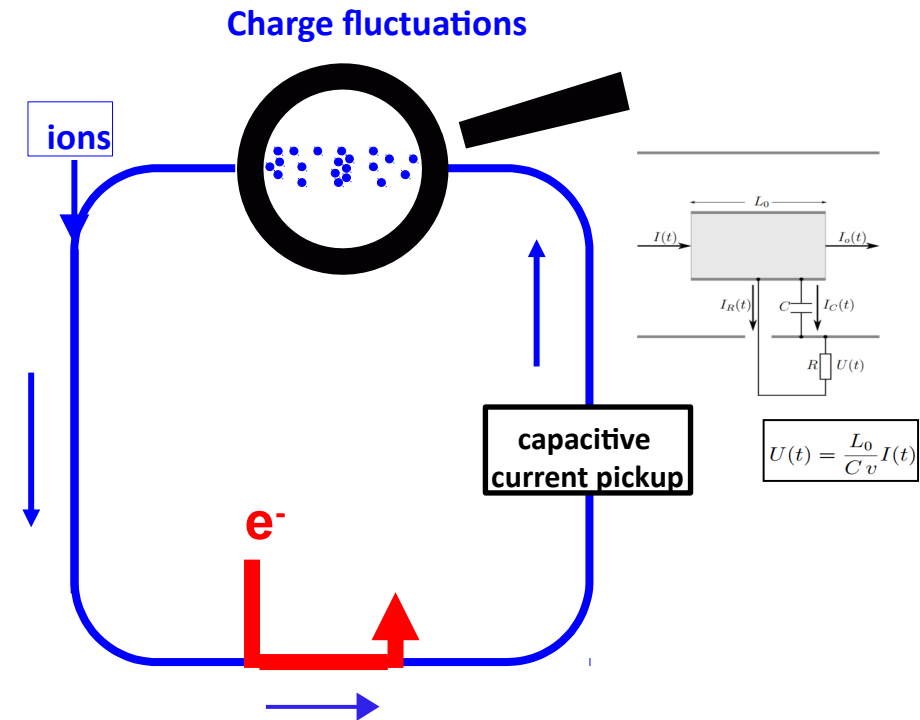
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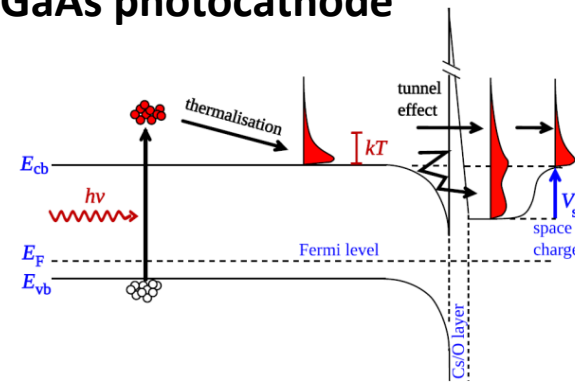


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- **Thermocathode:** $J \propto T^2 \exp \frac{-W}{kT}$
 → higher I_e needs higher T_{cathode} ($\sim 1300\text{-}1800\text{ K}$)

- **Photocathode:** $I = p \cdot U^{3/2}$
 - GaAs(Cs,O): effective negative electron affinity (NEA= $E_c - E_{\text{vac}}$)

GaAs photocathode



Photocathodes as electron sources for high resolution merged beam experiments

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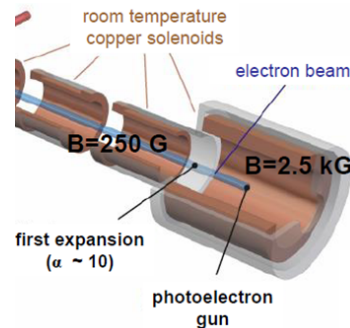
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$$T_{\perp} \sim 10 \text{ meV}$$

adiabatic magnetic expansion

$$T_{f,\perp} = T_{i,\perp} / \alpha$$

$$T_{\perp} \sim 0.5 \text{ meV}$$



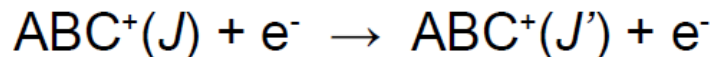
kinematic compression

- acceleration of electron cloud by potential difference U

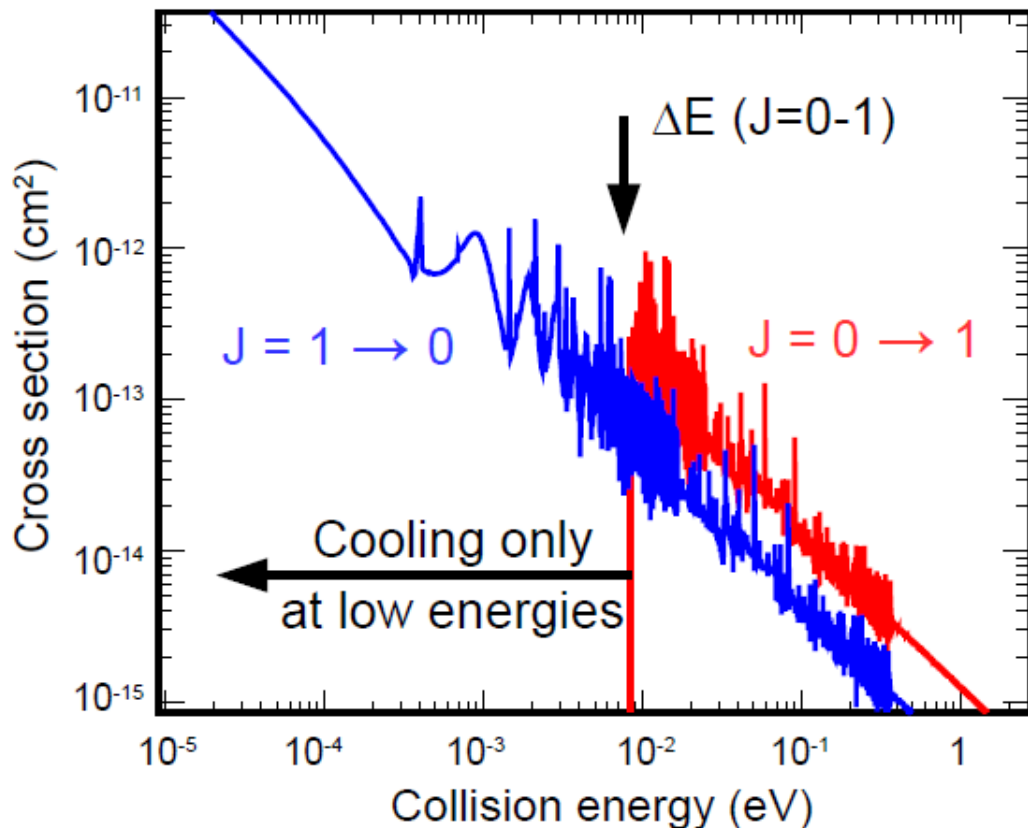
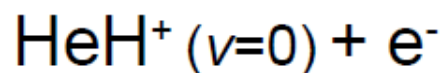
$$k_B T_{\parallel} = \frac{(k_B T_c)^2}{2eU}$$

$$T_{\parallel} \sim (10\text{-}100) \mu\text{eV}$$

Outlook – Electron induced (de-)excitation



internal cooling/heating by inelastic electron collisions



Collaboration:

C. Greene, S. Kokoouline, R. Curik,
arXiv:1705.10153

Absolute measurement of the electron energy distribution

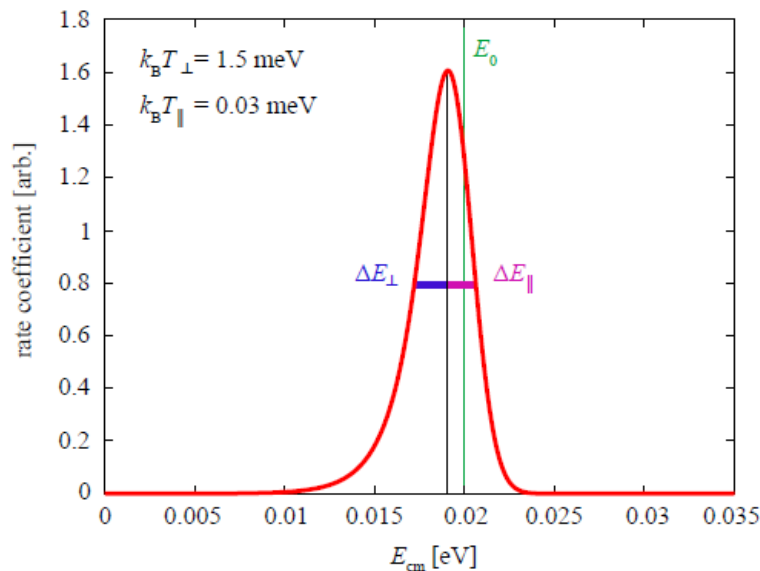
$$E_{e,0} = \frac{m_e}{m_{ion}} E_{ion} \quad \text{velocity matched beams}$$

$$E_{coll} = \left[\sqrt{E_e} - \sqrt{E_{e,0}} \right]^2 \quad \text{detuning of electron energy}$$

$$E_{coll} = \frac{1}{2} m_e (\mathbf{v}_e - \mathbf{v}_i)^2$$

can be scanned from $\sim 1 \text{ meV} \dots 50 \text{ eV}$

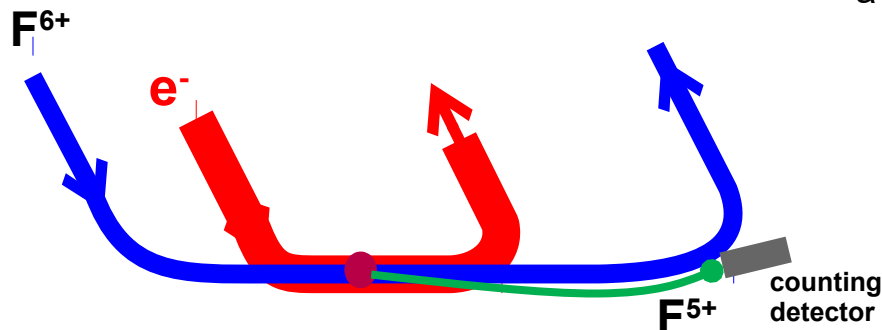
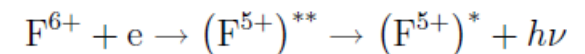
very low detuning velocities:
electron-ion collision energy resolution limited by **thermal energy spread** of the electrons



$$f(\vec{v}_e, u) = \sqrt{\frac{m^3}{(2\pi k_B)^3 T_{\parallel} T_{\perp}^2}} \exp\left(-\frac{m(v_{\parallel} - u)^2}{2k_B T_{\parallel}} - \frac{mv_{\perp}^2}{2k_B T_{\perp}}\right)$$

anisotropic/flattened
Maxwellian velocity distribution due to $T_{\parallel} \ll T_{\perp}$

recombination process with a very sharp resonance:



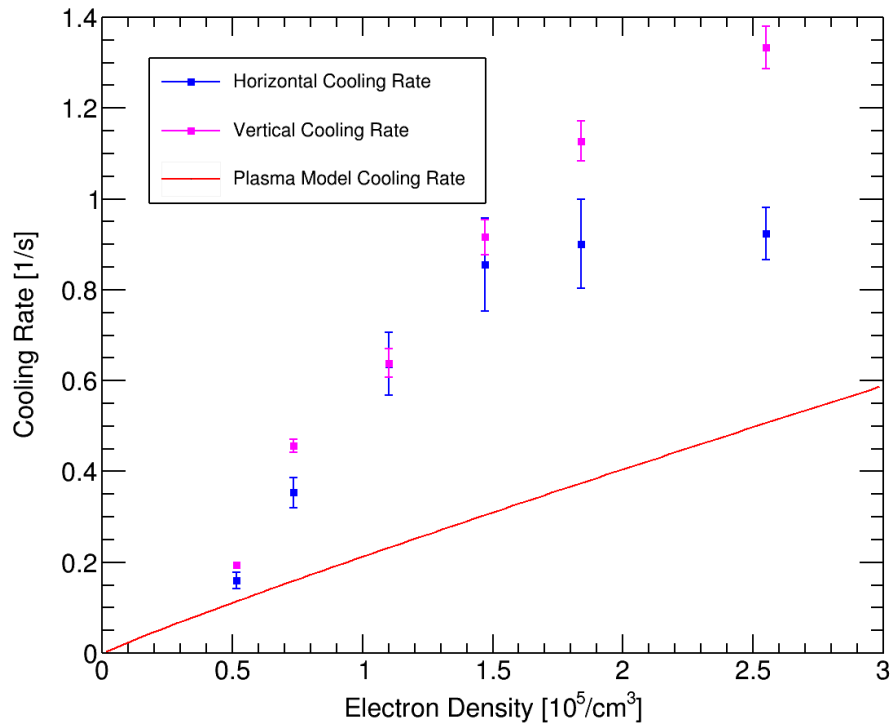
excited F^{5+} state	energy [meV]	width [meV]	strength [$10^{-20} \text{ cm}^2 \text{ eV}$]
$(2p_{3/2} 6p_{1/2})_1$	6.9	25.8	415.09
$(2p_{3/2} 6p_{1/2})_2$	10.31	0.1	388.9
$(2p_{1/2} 6d_{3/2})_2$	52.4	8.7	67.6

Transverse Cooling – Dispersive cooling effects

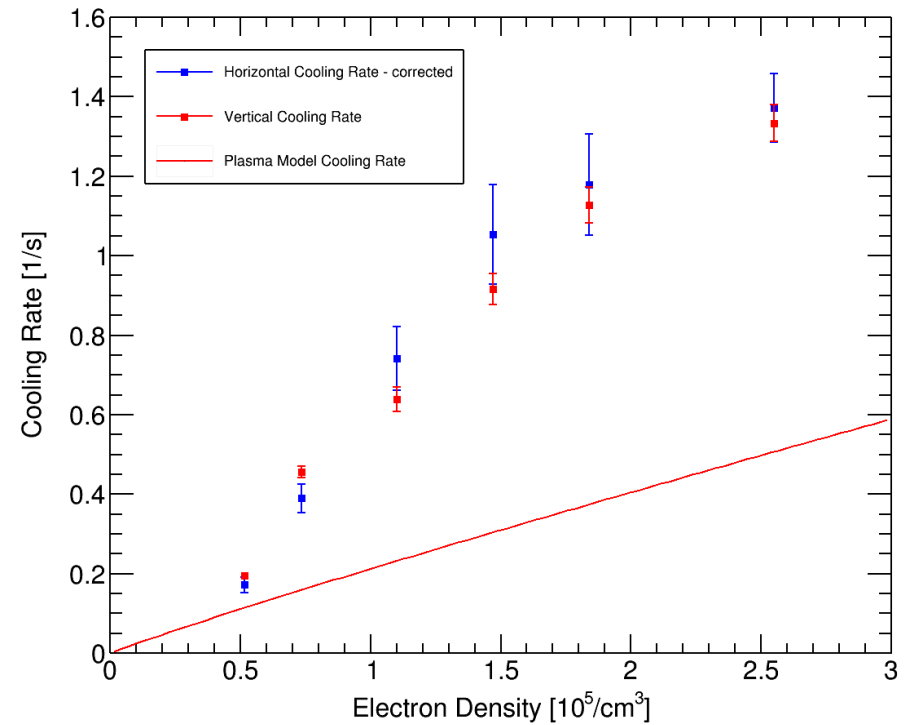
Measured Cooling Rates

Corrected Cooling Rates

Cooling Rate vs. Electron Density

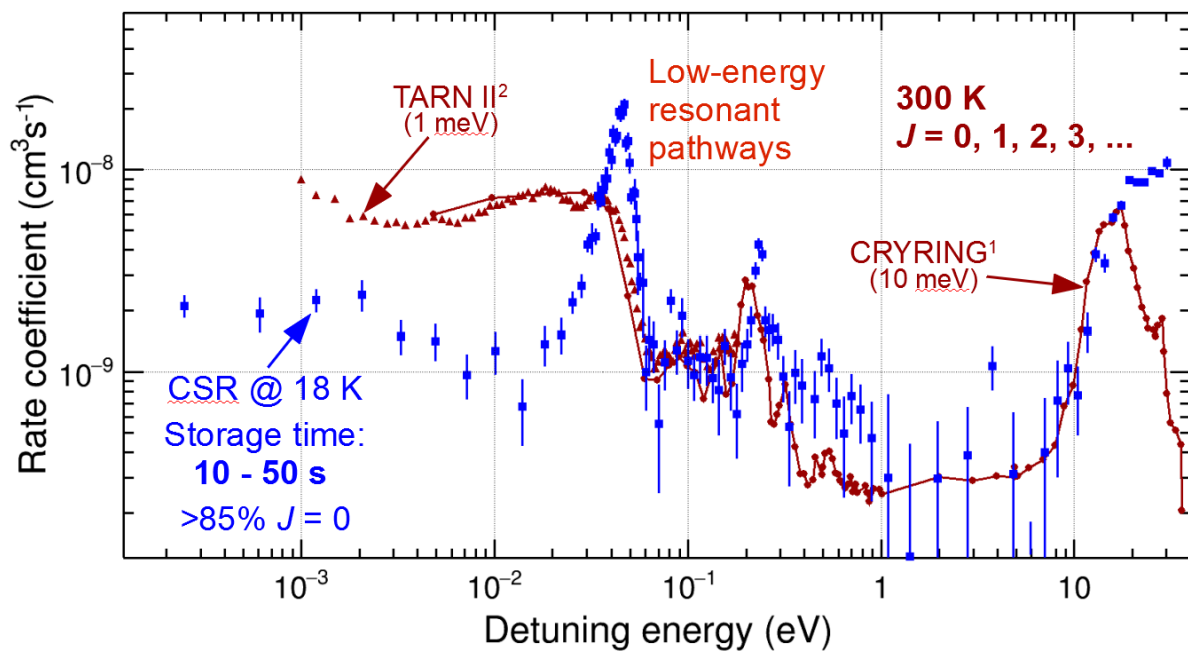


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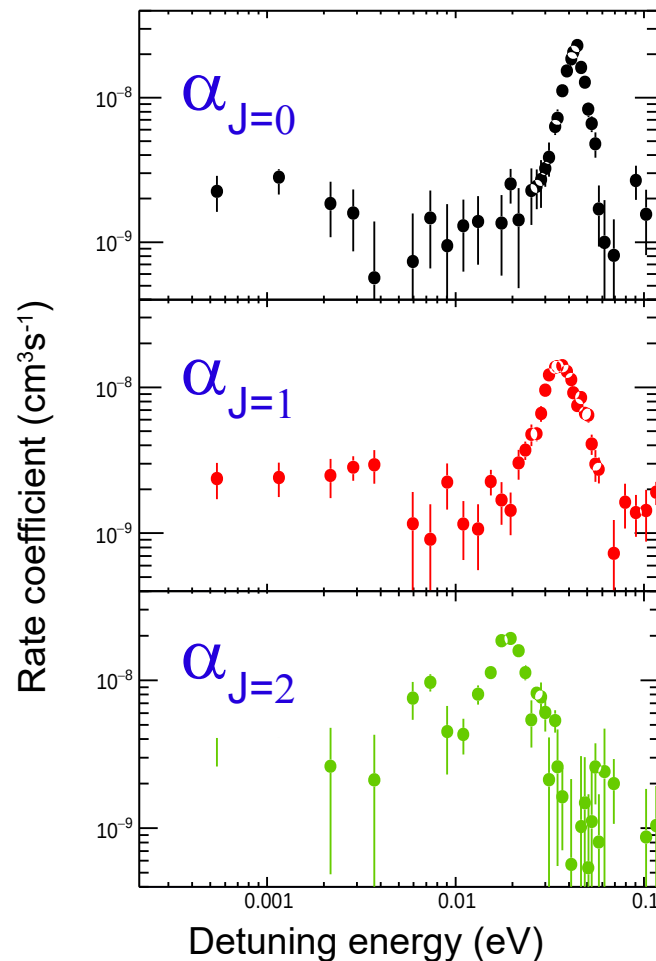


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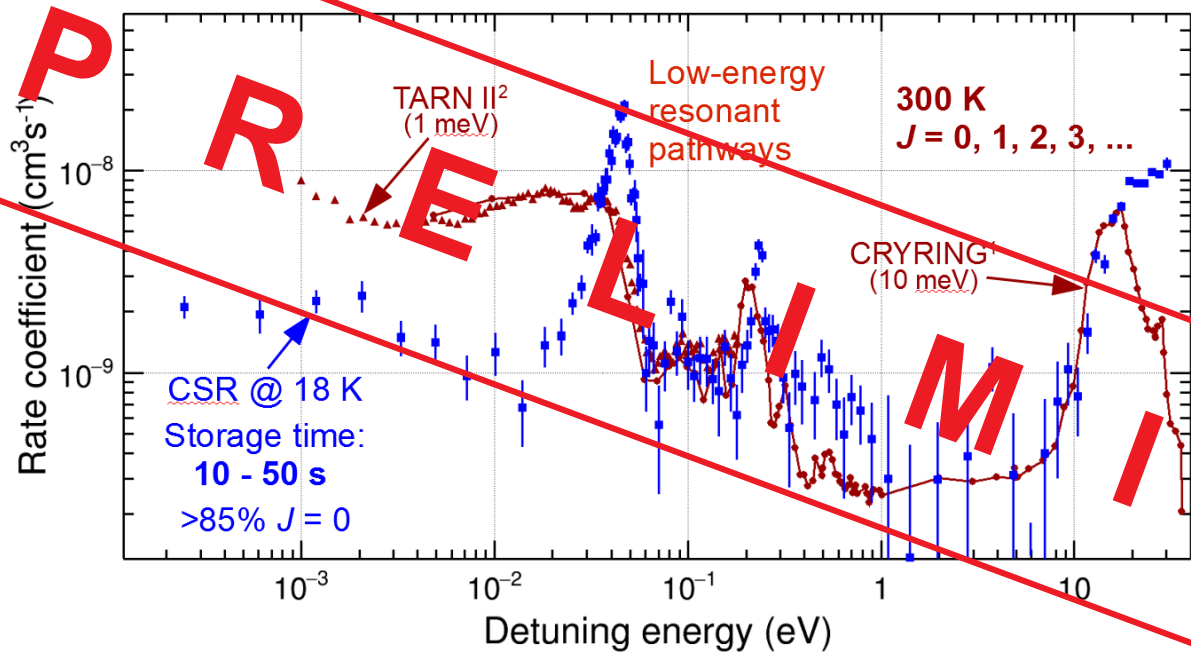


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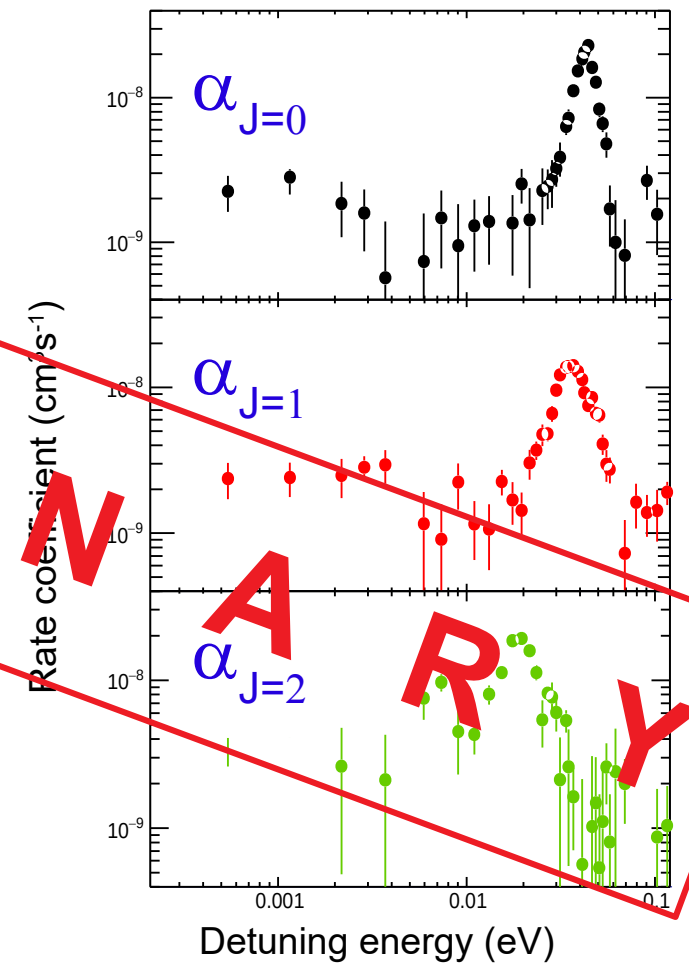


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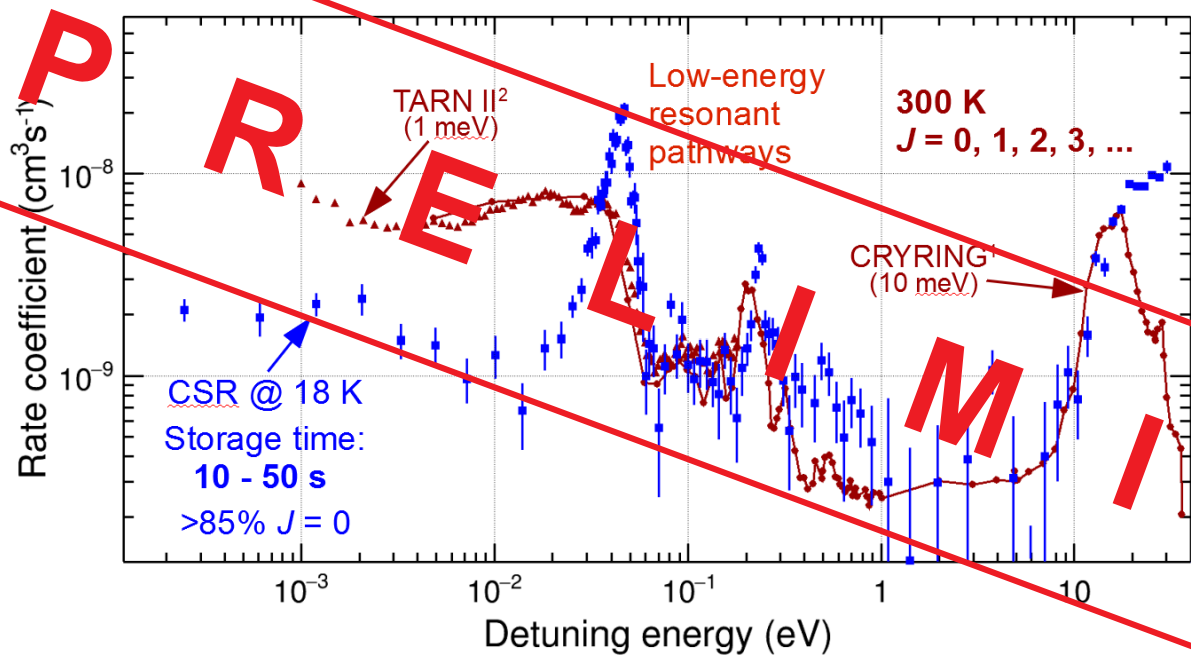


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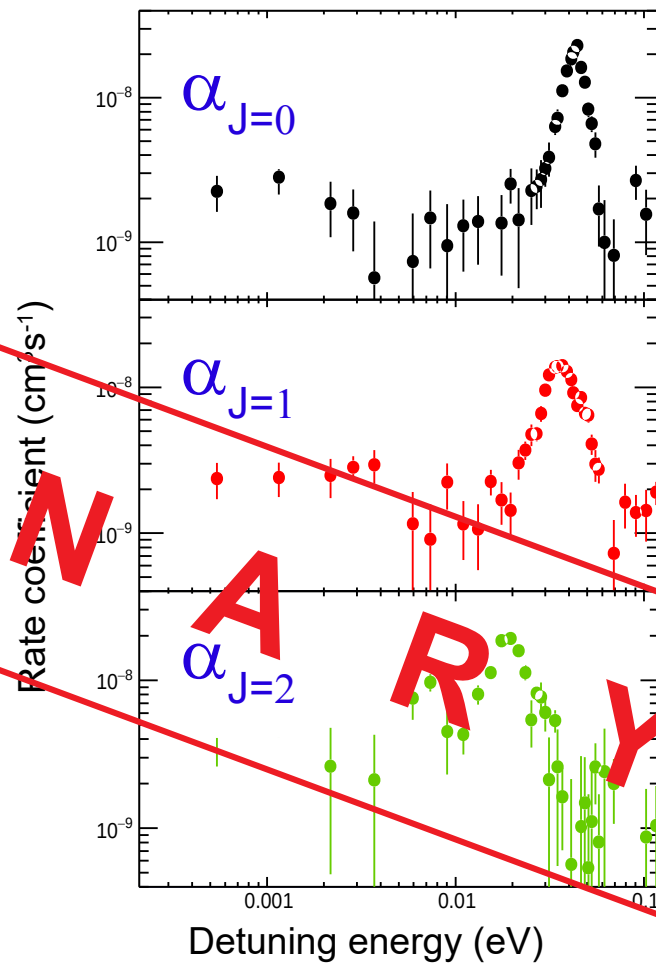


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Next beamtime:

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