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MADMAX

Towards a Dielectric Axion Haloscope

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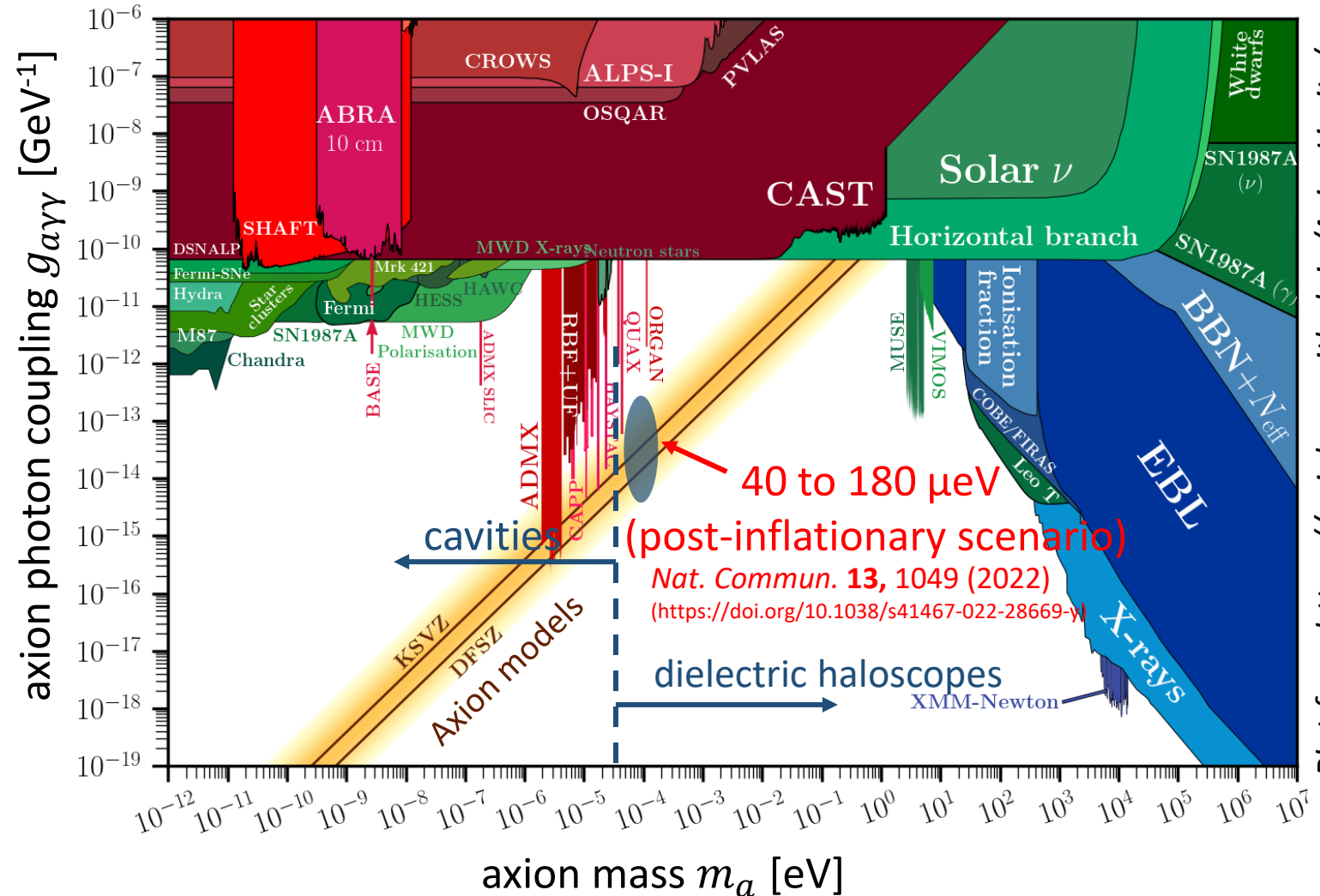
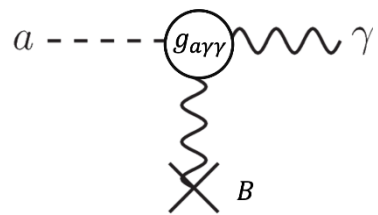
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Axion Parameter Space



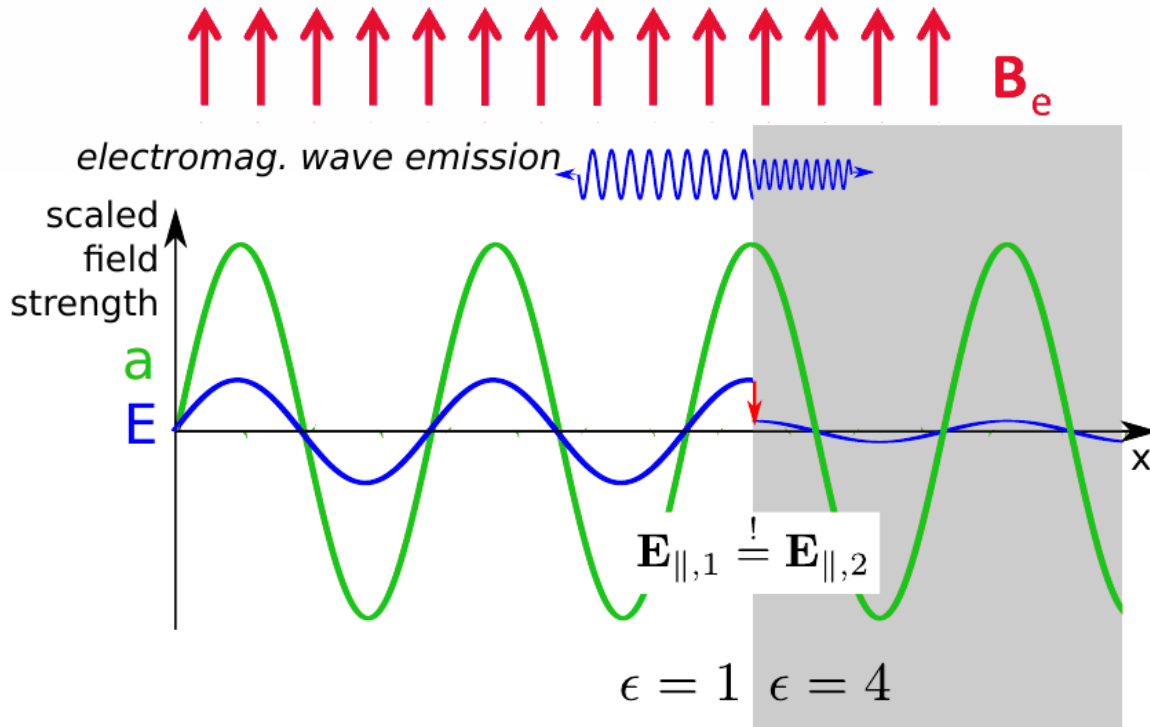
The Axion:

- Pseudo Nambu-Goldstone boson
- Small mass and small couplings
- Connected to solution of the strong CP problem
- Primakoff/Sikivie effect: Photon-Axion conversion in strong EM fields
- **Axion** can explain (part of) **Cold Dark Matter**



Plot from <https://cajohare.github.io/AxionLimits/>

Dielectric Haloscope



In an external magnetic field B_e the axion field $a(t)$ sources an oscillating electric field E_a

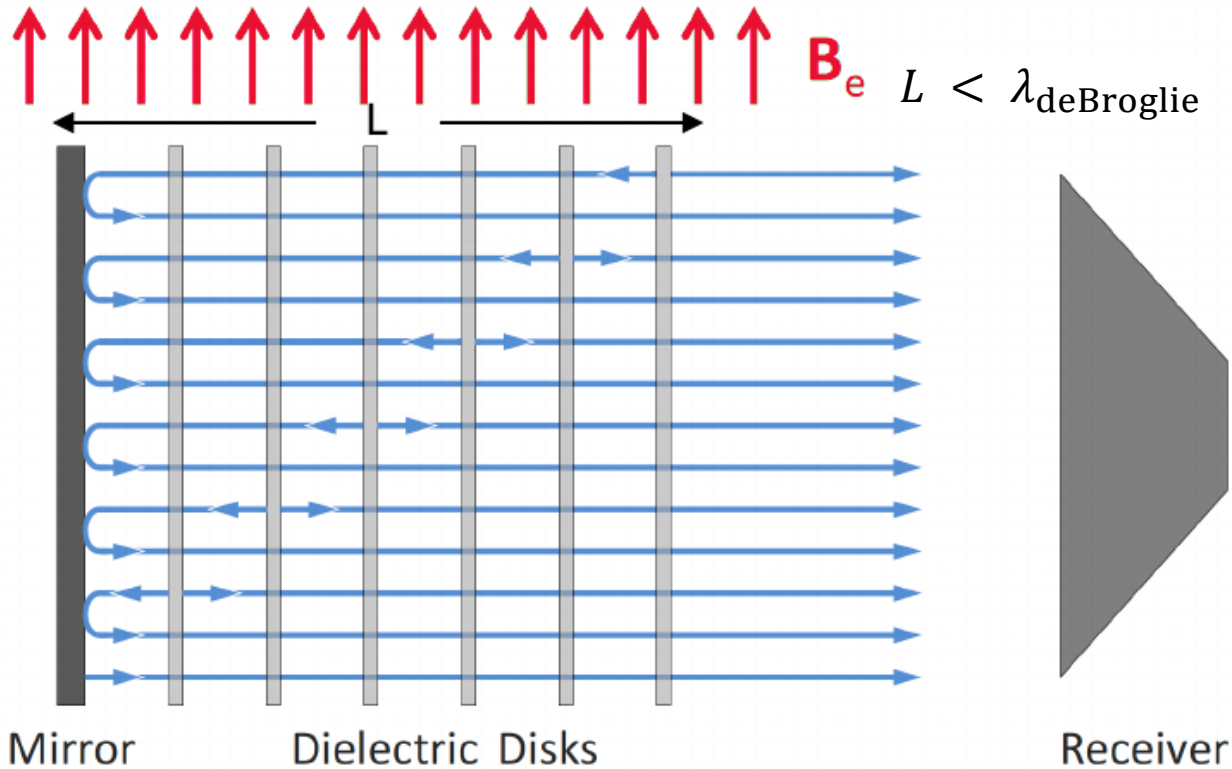
$$E_a \cdot \epsilon \sim 10^{-12} \text{ V/m for } B_e = 10 \text{ T}$$

E_a is different in materials with different ϵ

At the surface, E_{\parallel} must be continuous
 \rightarrow Emission of electromagnetic waves

Power emitted from a single surface: $P/A = 2.2 \cdot 10^{-27} \frac{\text{W}}{\text{m}^2} C_{a\gamma} \left(\frac{B}{10 \text{ T}} \right)^2 \mathcal{O}(C_{a\gamma}) = 1$

Dielectric Haloscope



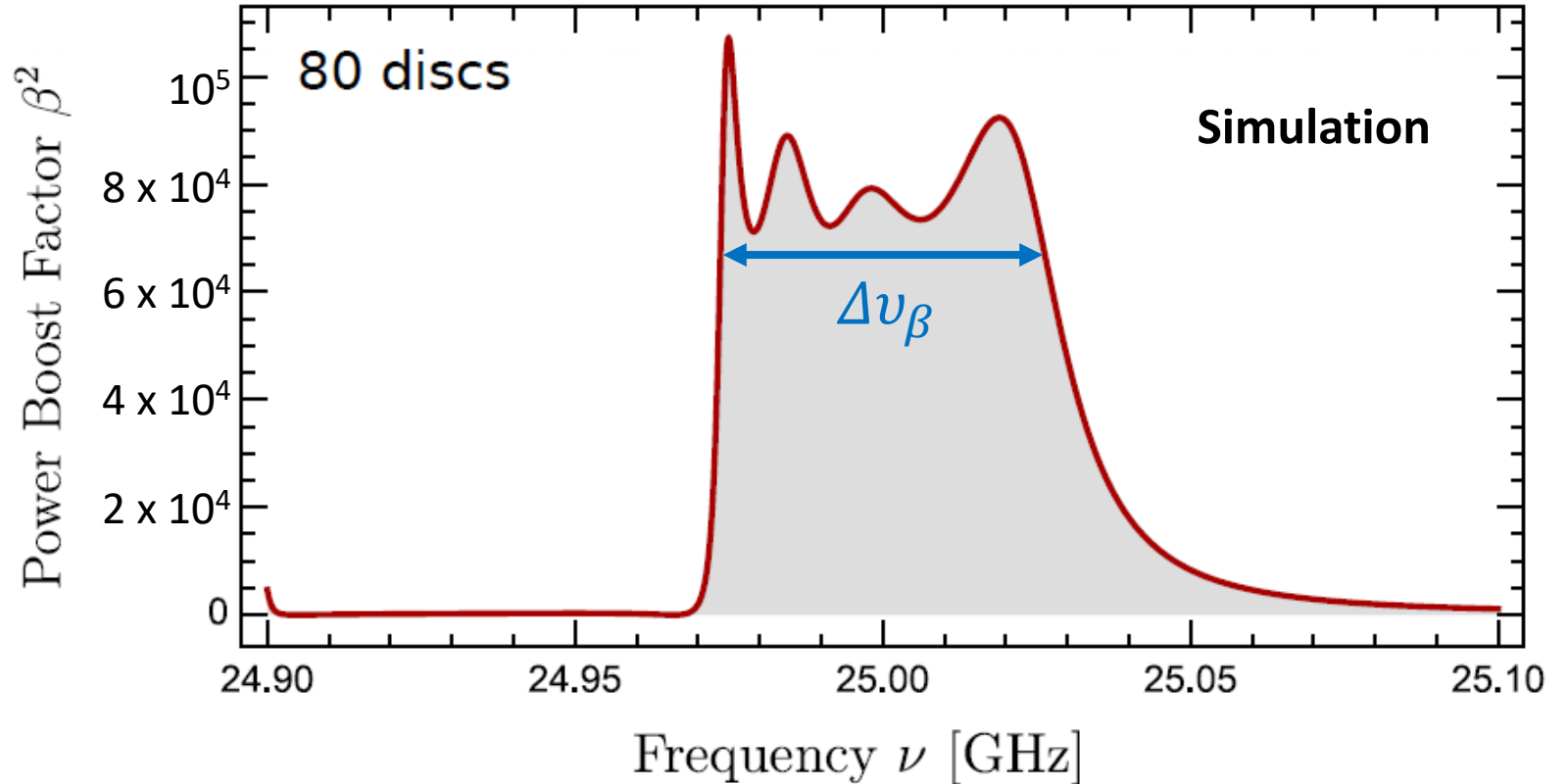
- Boost emitted power through:
- coherent emission from multiple interfaces
 - constructive interference effects

Power boost factor:

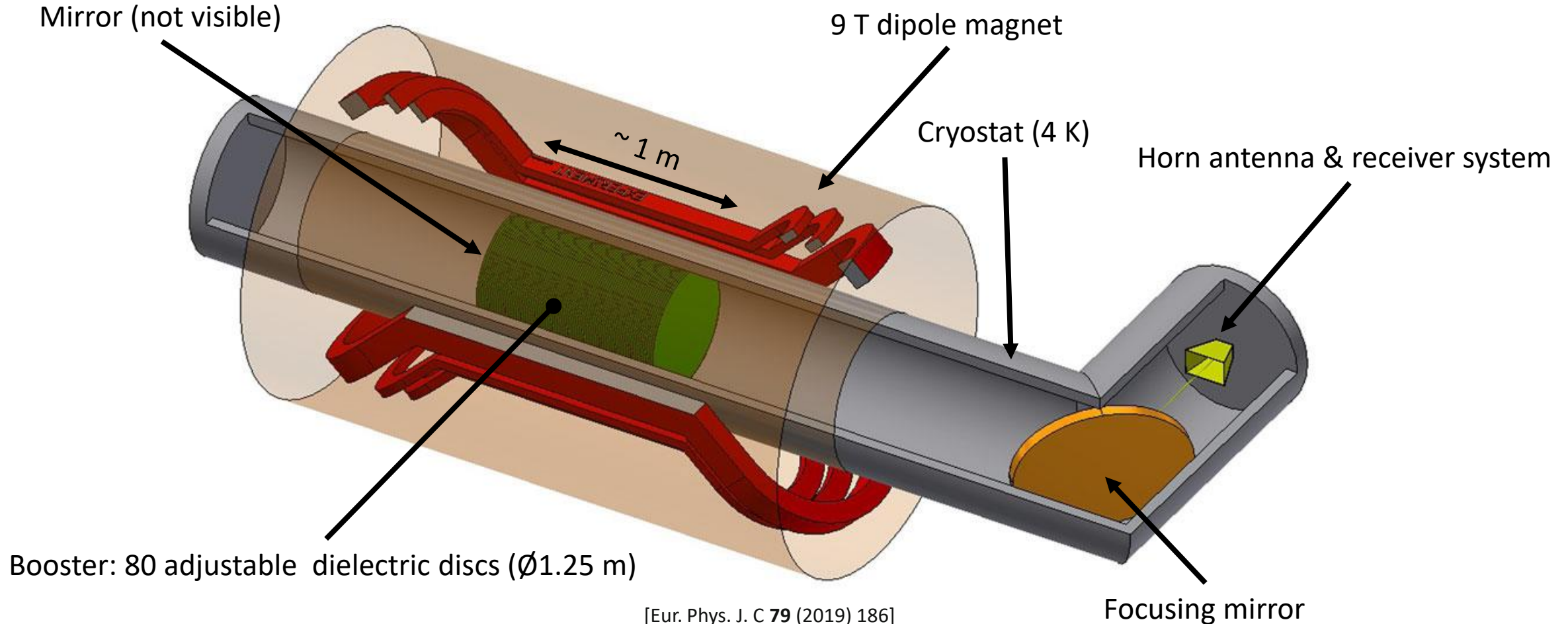
$$\beta^2 = P_{\text{total}} / P_{\text{mirror}}$$

Power emitted from all interfaces: $P/A = 2.2 \cdot 10^{-27} \frac{\text{W}}{\text{m}^2} C_{a\gamma} \left(\frac{B}{10 \text{ T}} \right)^2 |\beta^2|$

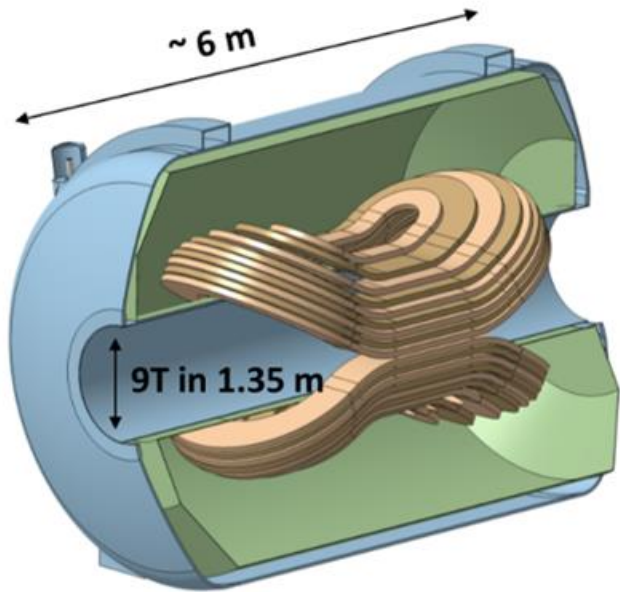
- In perfect world (1D simulation):
 $|\beta^2| > 10^4$ achievable
 with 80 discs and $\epsilon = 24$
- Non-uniform disk spacing
 of $\sim \lambda/2$ can achieve
 broadband response
- Tuning of sensitive
 frequency range by
 adjusting disc spacing
- Area law: $\beta^2 \Delta\nu_\beta \sim \text{const.}$



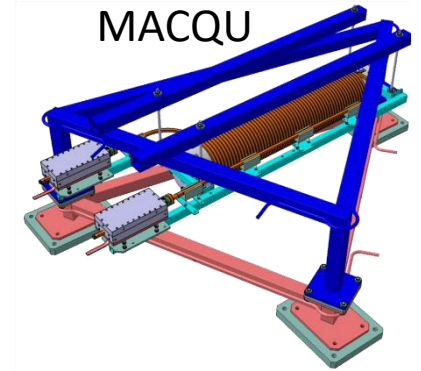
MAGnetized DISC and MIRROR AXION eXperiment



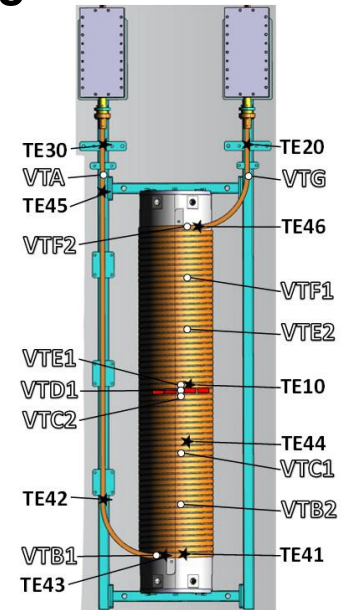
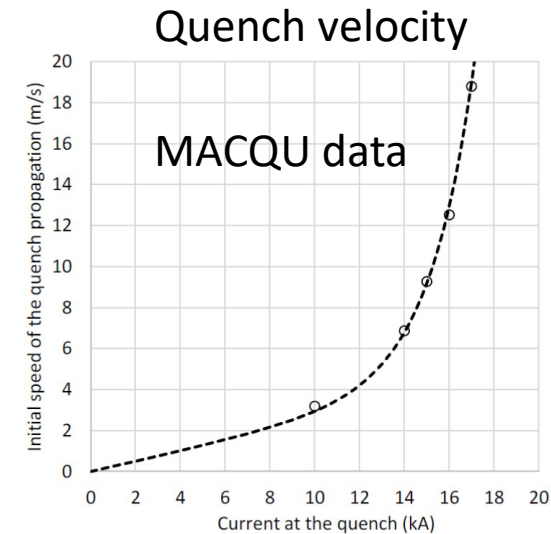
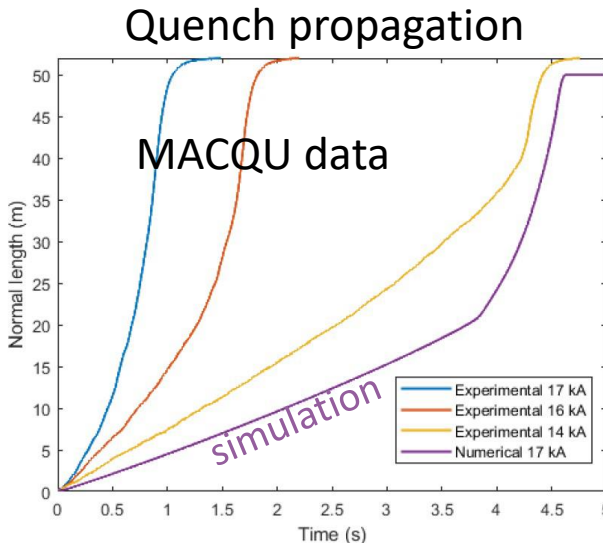
MADMAX Magnet Update

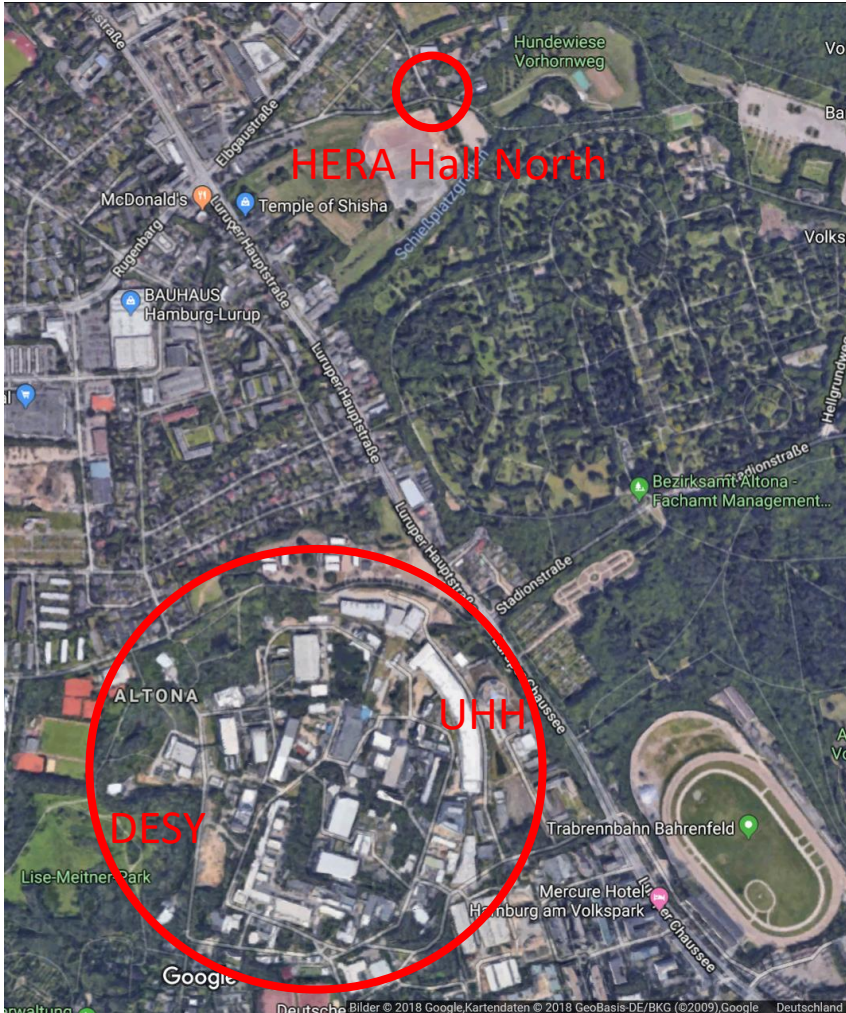


- Dipole Magnet most critical item for full-size MADMAX
- Design for 9 T large bore conceptually very well advanced
- **Novel conductor: cable in copper conduit**
→ **production is feasible**
- Quench propagation velocity was measured in dedicated setup: **MA**dmax **C**oil for **Q**uench **U**nderstanding
→ Main project risk mitigated: **Q**uench propagation according to requirements for safe operation



Development in innovation partnership

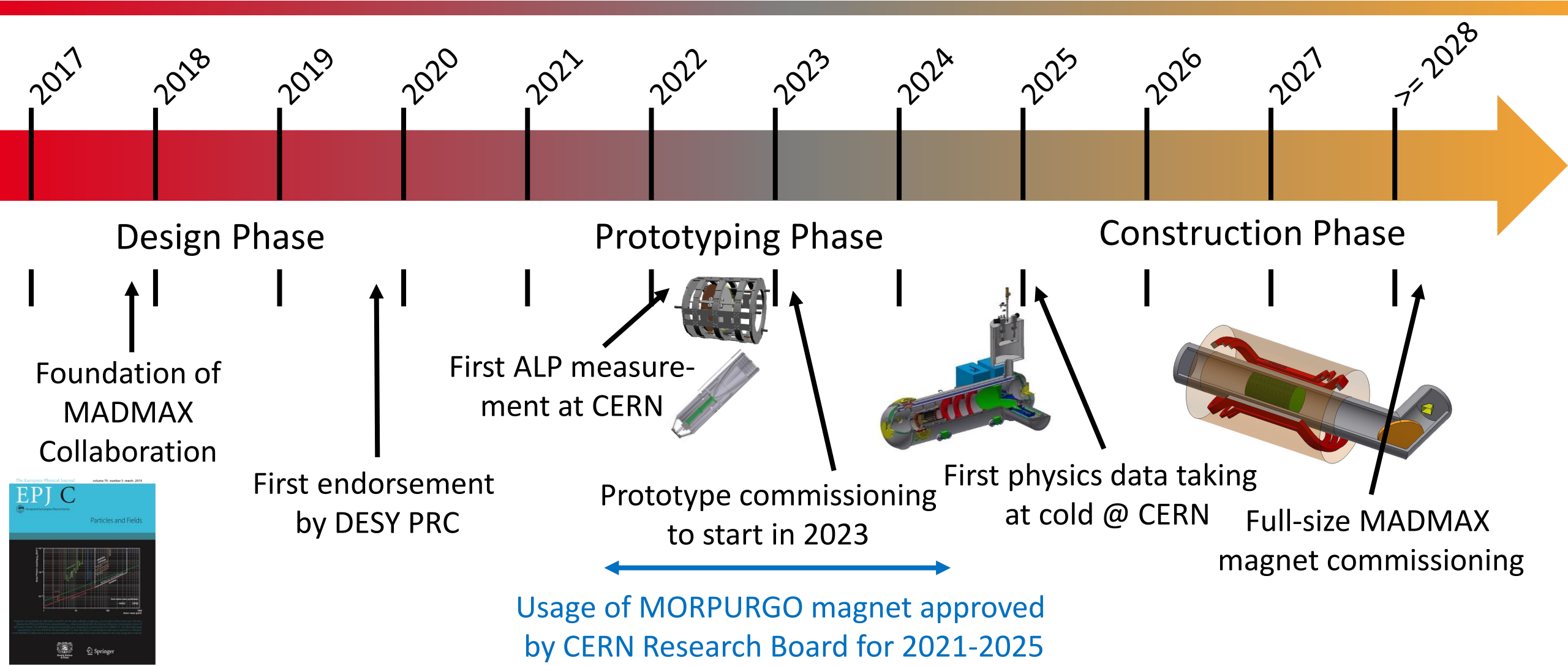




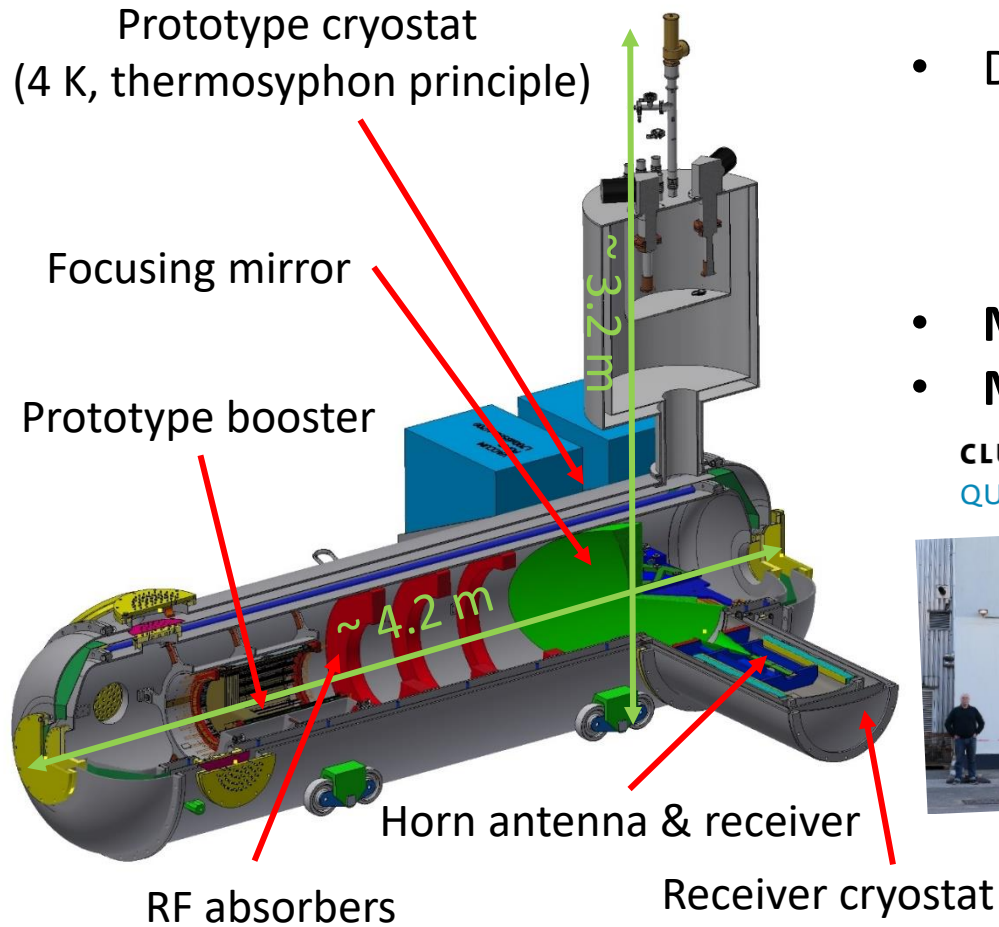
- MADMAX to be operated at HERA Hall North
- Make use of DESY infrastructure
- Benefit: re-use H1 yoke as magnetic shielding to reduce fringe field and increase B field



Time Scale



The MADMAX Prototype



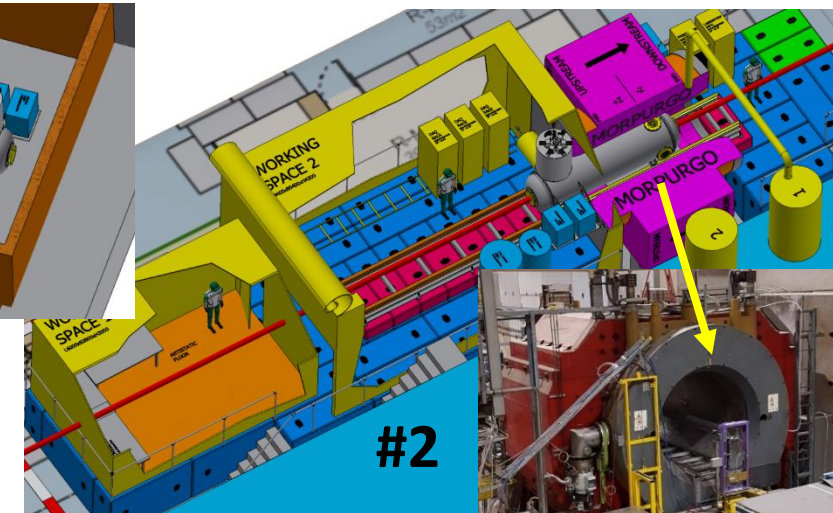
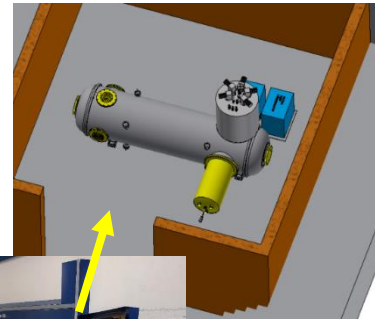
- Down-scaled down version of MADMAX:
 - Reduced number of disks
 - 1/16 disk area
 - 1/5 magnetic field
- **Main goal #1:** Demonstrating and prototyping key technologies
- **Main goal #2:** Competitive ALP search with a dielectric haloscope

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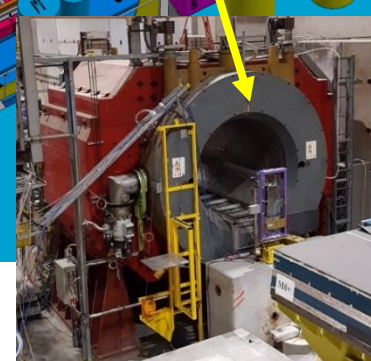
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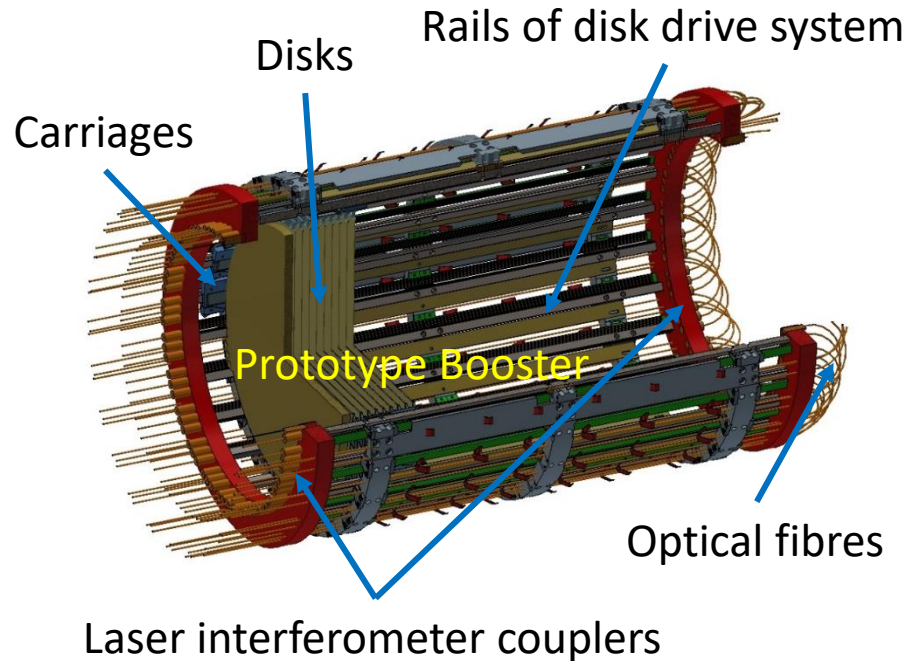
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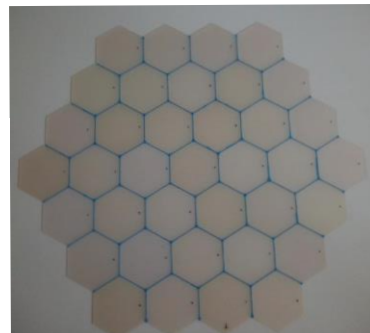
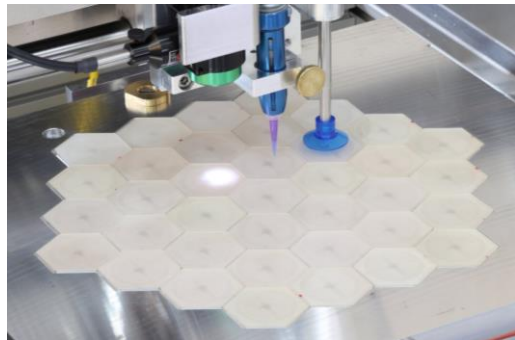
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MORPURGO @ CERN



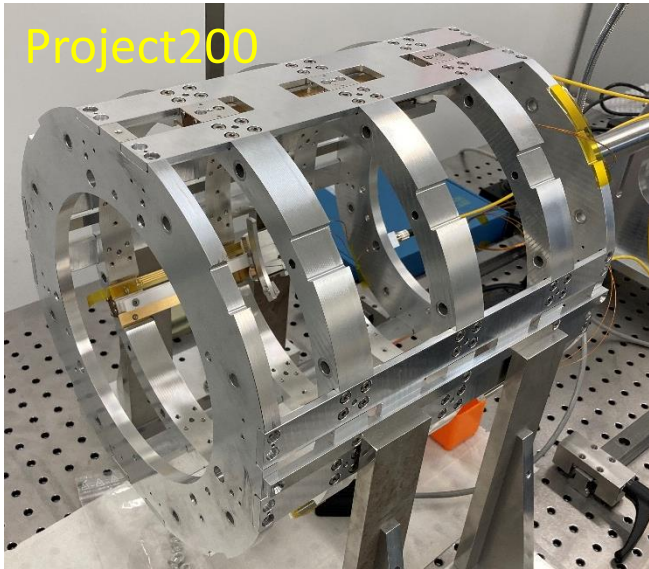


- Booster is the heart of MADMAX
- Need to manipulate many large area disks with precision $< 10 \mu\text{m}$
- Operating conditions:
 - Cryogenic temperatures: 4 K
 - High magnetic field: up to $\sim 10 \text{ T}$
 - Vacuum or cold gehe exchange gas
- Long travel range
- Disk weight: 600 g for $\varnothing 300 \text{ mm}$
- **Piezo-driven actuator system with feedback from laser interferometer with absolute precision**

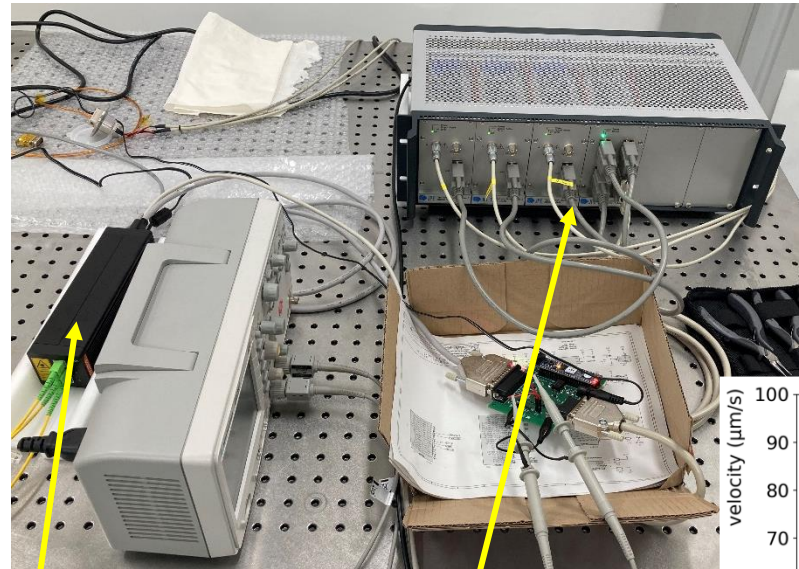


- Candidate disk materials:
 - **LaAlO_3** ($\epsilon \approx 24$, $\tan\delta \approx \text{a few } 10^{-5}$)
 - Sapphire ($\epsilon \approx 9$, $\tan\delta \approx 10^{-5}$)
- LaAlO_3 available as 3" wafers at maximum
- **Tiling necessary \rightarrow Semi-automatic gluing machine**

Testing the Disk Drive



Project200



Laser interferometer

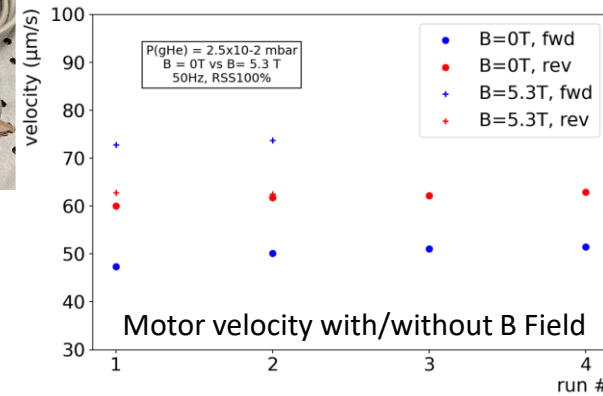
Piezo controllers

- Project200 build as **mechanical demonstrator**
- Three JPE piezo actuators on self-build carriages
- **Piezo controller system for driving a disk with three motors**
- Attocube laser interferometer for displacement measurement
- Single 200 mm sapphire disk in titanium disk ring can be mounted



Single motor tests

- Motor developed by company JPE
- Motor successfully tested at RT and 4 K
- Begin of 2022 test in ALPS II magnet
→ **Motor works in 5.3 T field and at 5 K**



Single motor test rig

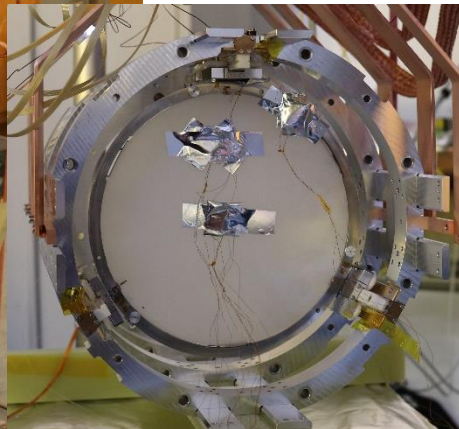
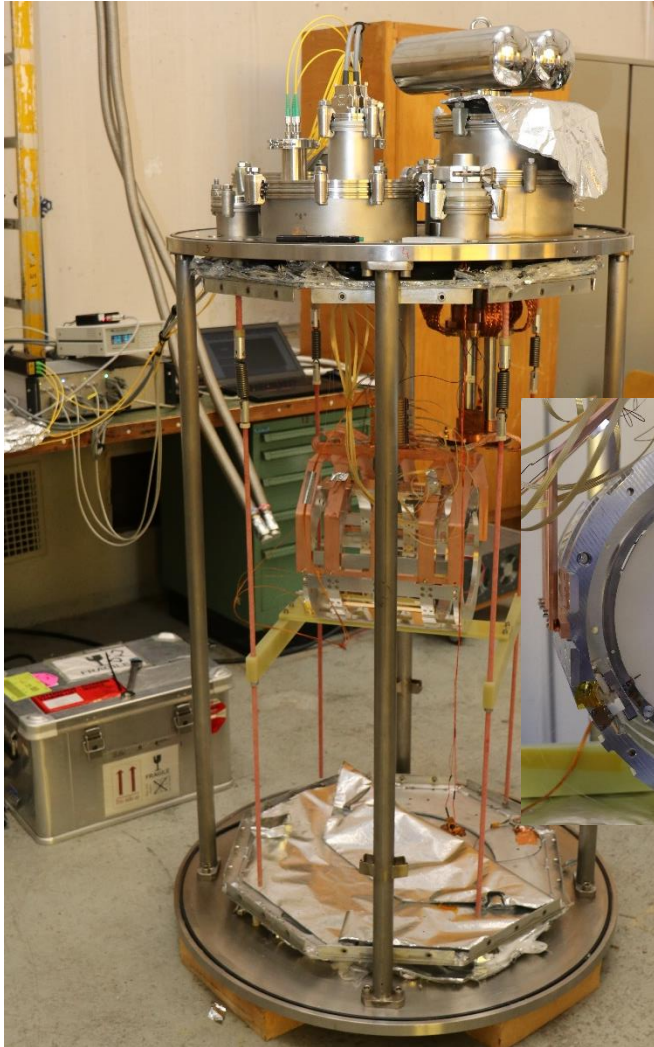


ALPS II magnet test stand



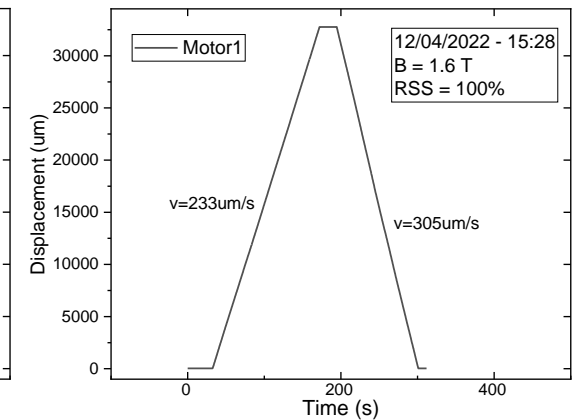
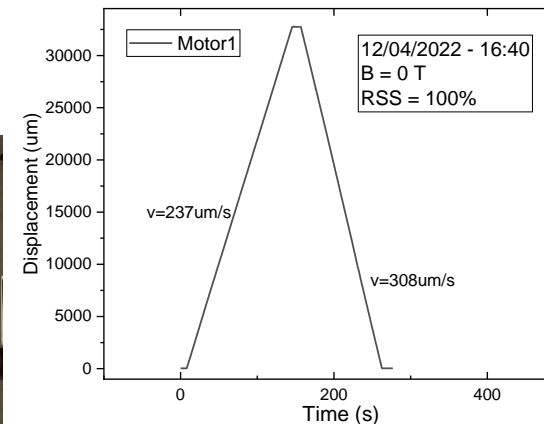
Testing the Disk Drive

- Opportunity to test Project200 at CERN in spring 2022
- Project200 **successfully tested at CERN Cryolab and in CERN's Morpurgo magnet**
- All three **piezo motors work at cryogenic temperatures and in 1.6 T field (at RT)**
- Attocube laser interferometer works at cryogenic temperatures
- Project200 backbone structure **keeps optics alignment during cool-down**
- A **disk can be moved with three motors using the laser interferometer feedback**

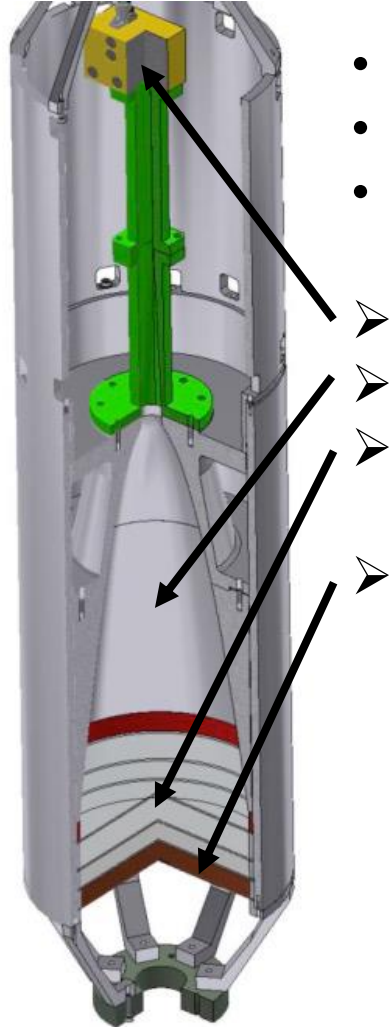


Project200 inside Morpurgo

No difference in disk velocity with/without B field

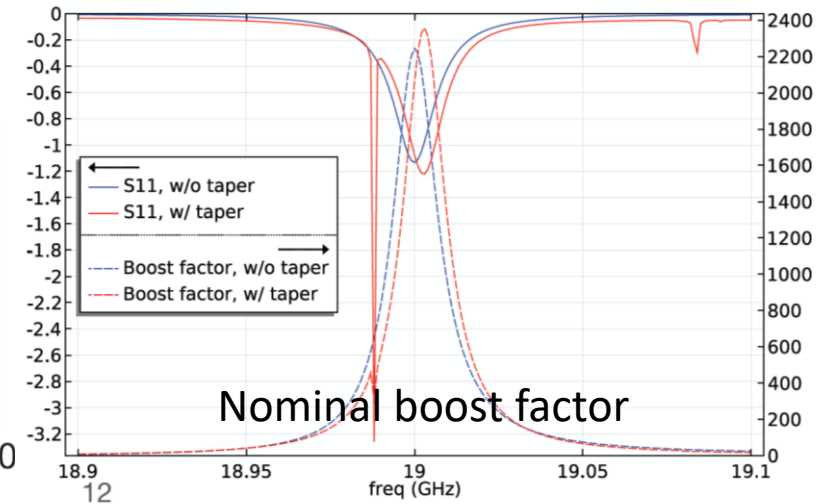
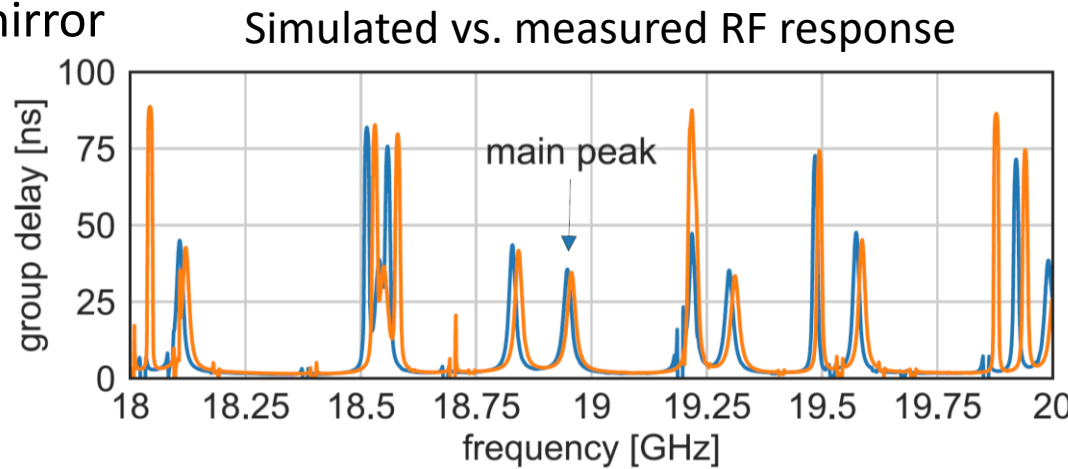


Closed Booster System



- Simple closed system to understand behaviour
- Can be operated at cryogenic temperatures
- Hidden Photon search and ALP search with Closed Booster 100

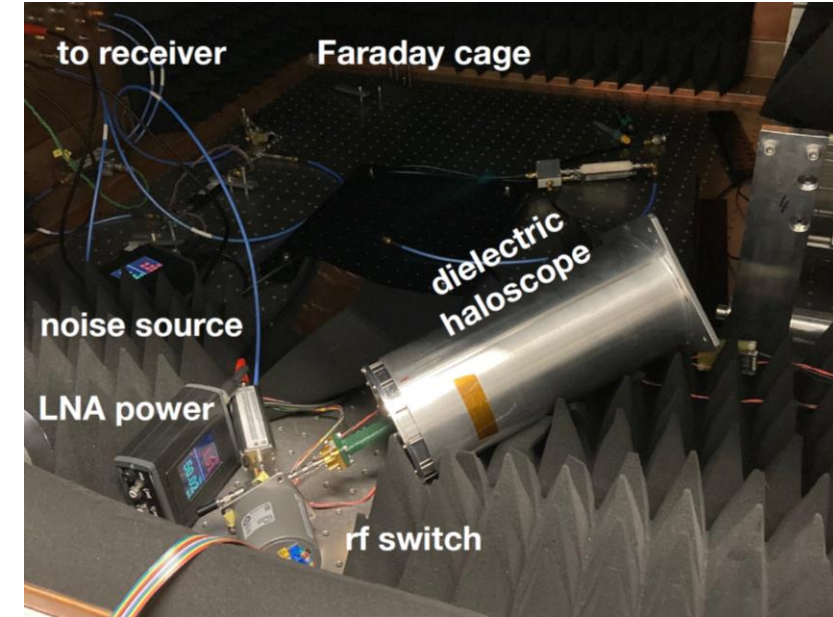
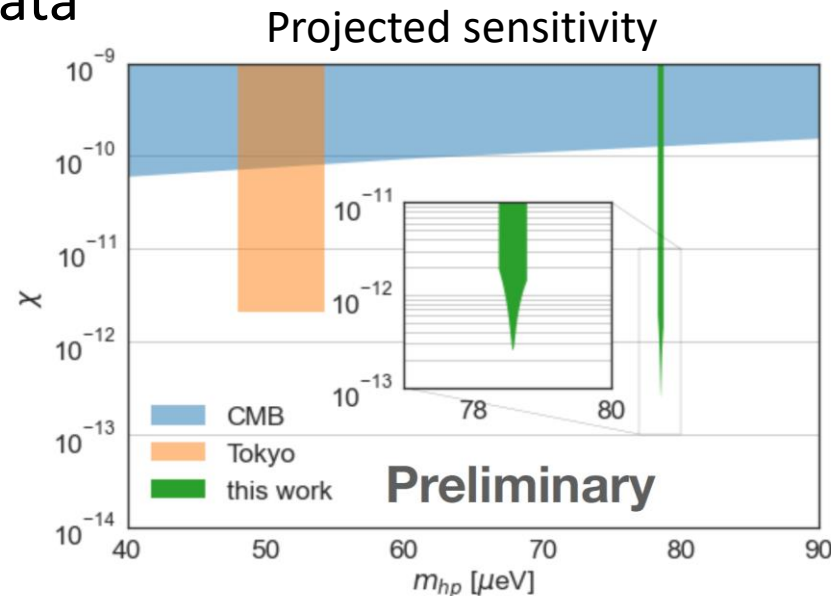
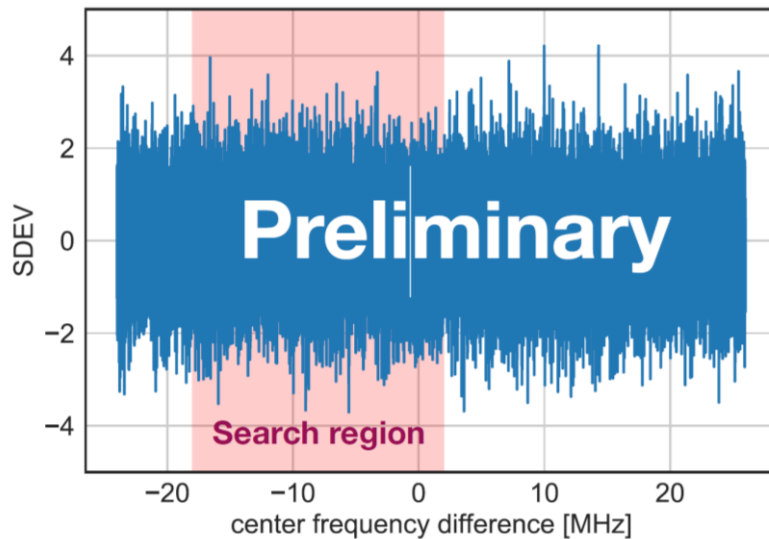
- Receiver
- Parabolic taper
- 3x Ø100 mm sapphire disks (fixed distances)
- Copper mirror



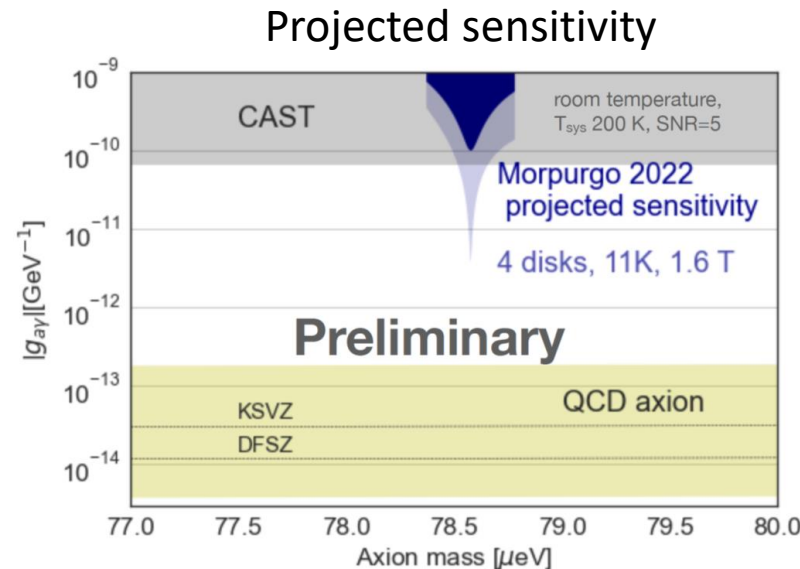
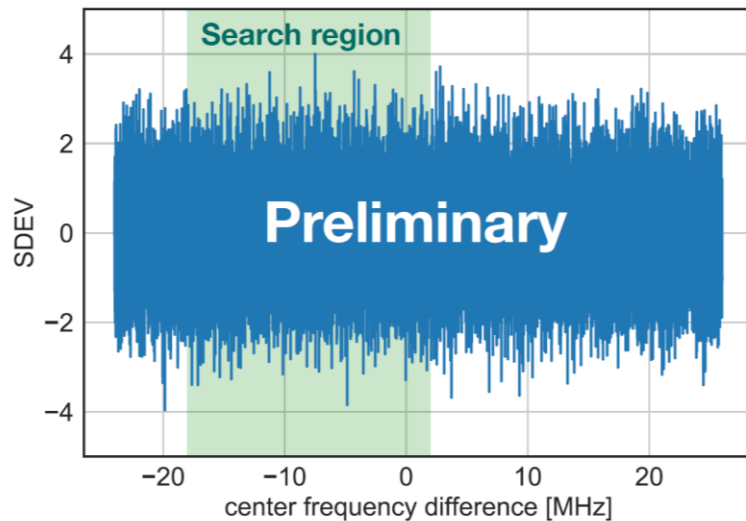
Hidden Photon Search



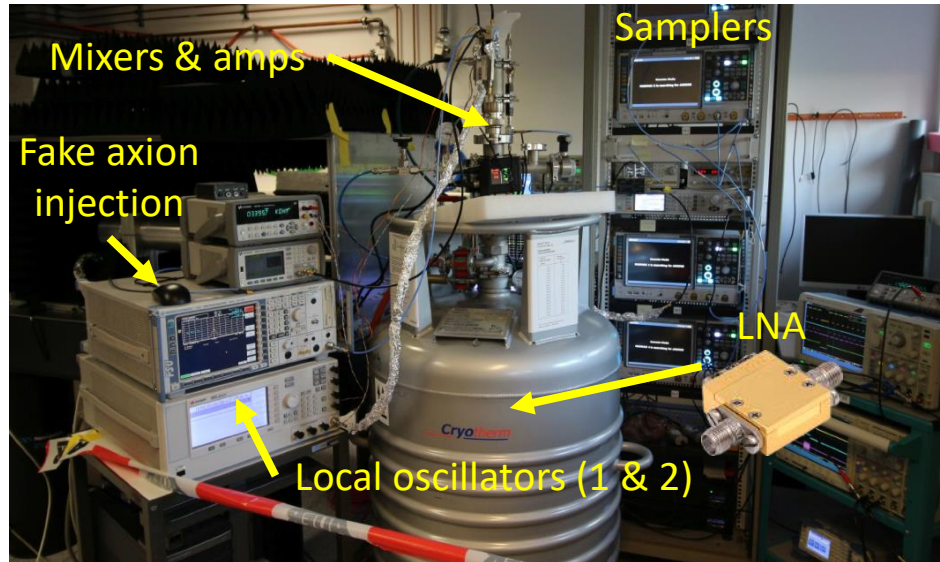
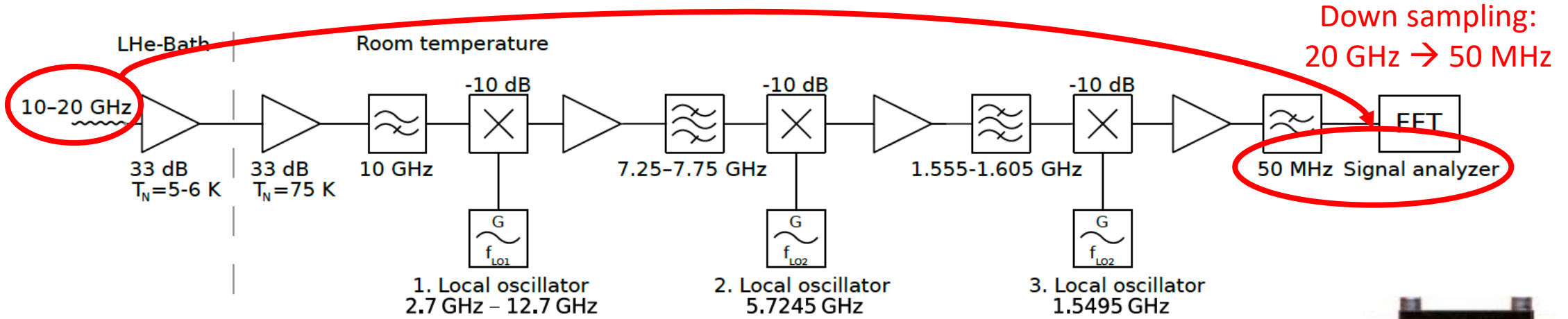
- Hidden Photon search performed at room temperature at MPP Munich
- Hidden Photon to microwave conversion without B field
- 32 days of data taking
- Noise temperature of ~ 200 K
- No excess observed in the data



- Opportunity to perform ALP search in CERN's Morpurgo magnet (1.6 T) was used in Mar/Apr 2022
- In total 10 h at 1.6 T with ~ 200 K noise temperature
- Possibilities for an upgrade allowing to cool the setup to < 10 K in Morpurgo currently under investigation



Receiver Chain



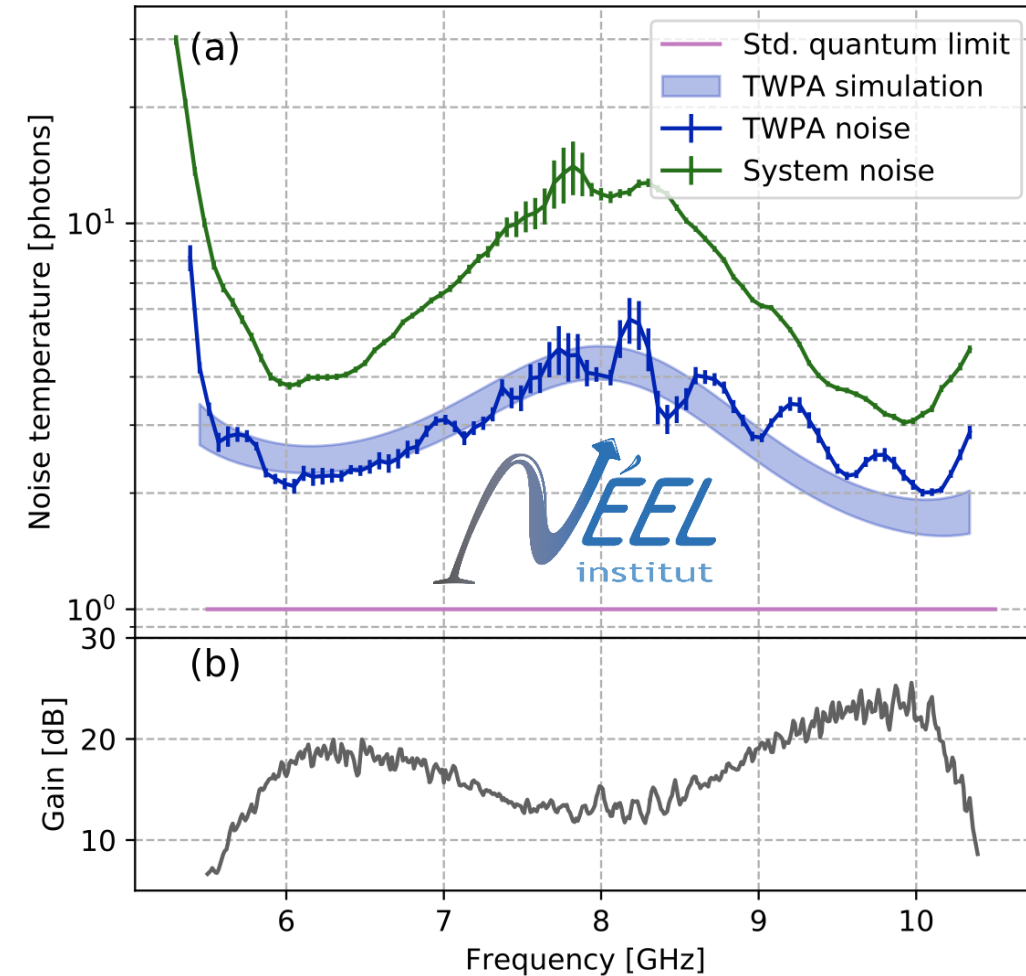
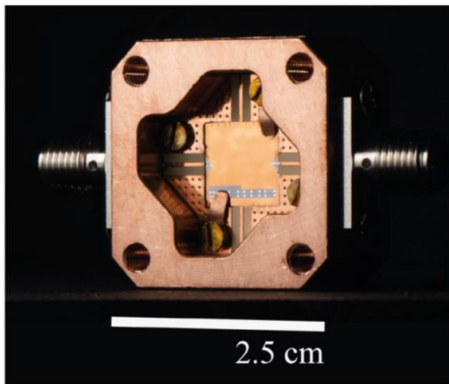
- Receiver chain with low-noise amplifier and three mixing stages
- Amplifiers for high frequencies still have to be developed, e.g. TWPAs for < 40 GHz



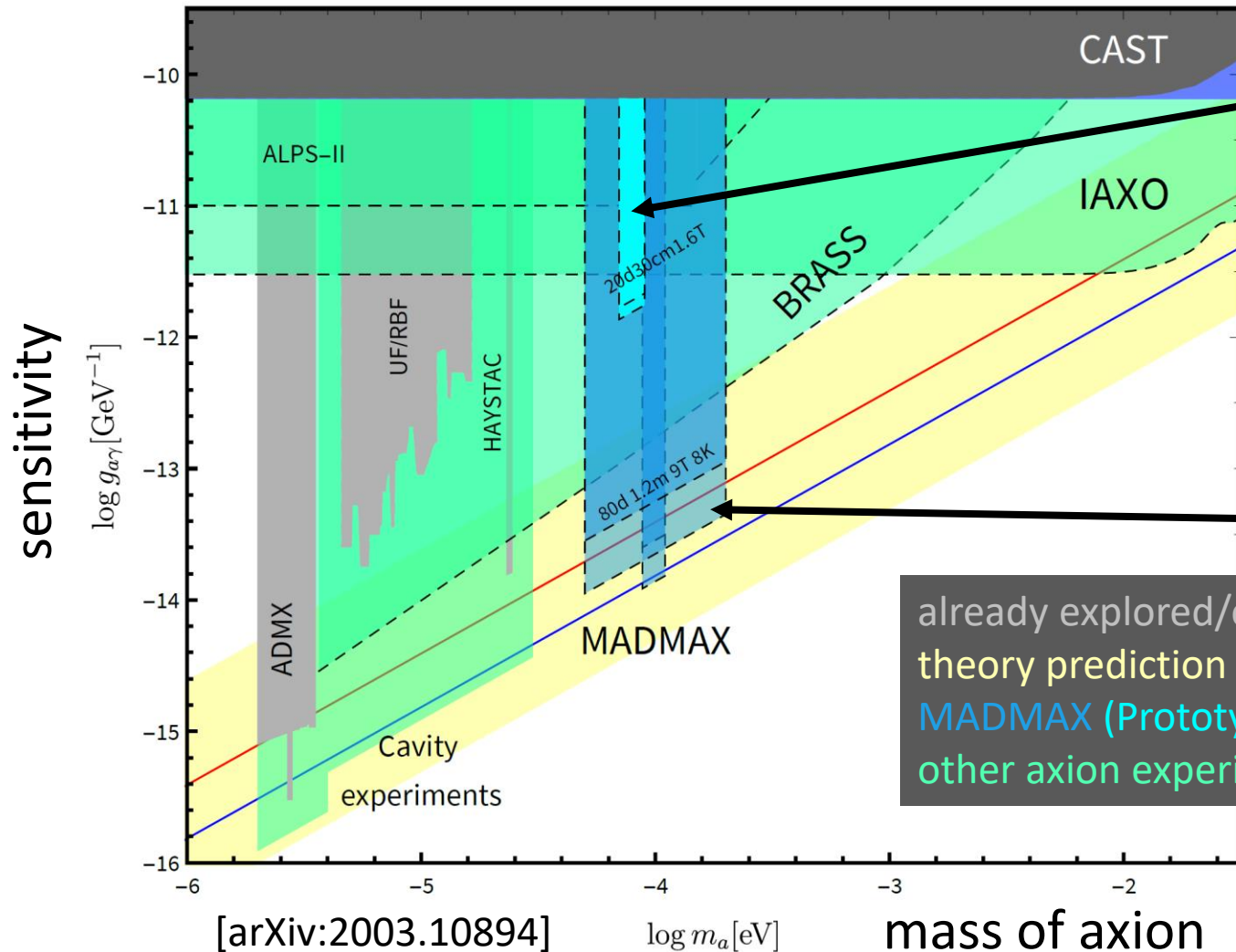
Low-noise cryogenic amplifier
(noise temperature 5 to 6 K)

Test setup at MPP with 4 samplers and fake axion injection:
Detection of 1.2×10^{-22} W signal within few days

- Traveling wave parametric amplifier (TWPA)
- **First 10 GHz TWPA** produced (PRX 10, 021021)
- Added noise: 1 K above quantum limit (20 dB gain @ 10 GHz)
- Future development to 30 GHz



[Reversed Kerr TWPA arXiv:2101.05815]



MADMAX Prototype:

$$N_{\text{disk}} = 20$$

$$A_{\text{disk}} = 0.07 \text{ m}^2$$

$$B_{\parallel} = 1.6 \text{ T}$$

$$T_{\text{sys}} = 8 \text{ K}$$

MADMAX:

$$N_{\text{disk}} = 80$$

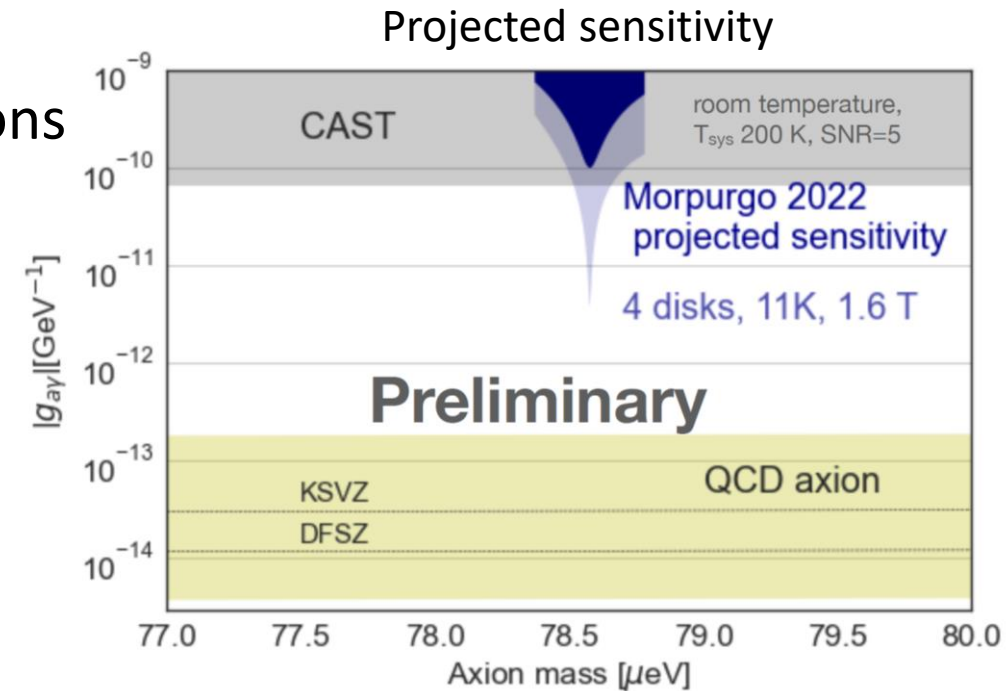
$$A_{\text{disk}} = 1.2 \text{ m}^2$$

$$B_{\parallel} = 9 \text{ T}$$

$$T_{\text{sys}} = 8 \text{ K}$$

already explored/excluded
theory prediction
MADMAX (Prototype)
other axion experiments

- **M**Agnitized **D**isk and **M**irror **A**xion **e**Xperiment: dielectric haloscope to detect post-inflationary DM axions
- Hidden Photon and ALP search performed with dielectric haloscope Closed Booster 100 (No excess observed)
- Derive observed limits on HPs and ALPs from Closed Booster 100 measurements
- Commissioning of MADMAX Prototype to start in 2023



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