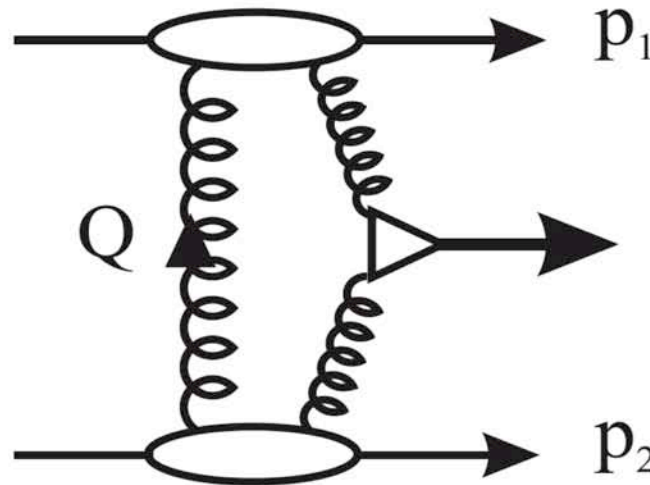




The FP420 R&D Project



1. Can we detect outgoing protons in interesting x_{IP} range ?
2. Can we use these protons to enhance the discovery potential of the LHC ?

"The panel believed that this offers a unique opportunity to extend the potential of the LHC and has the potential to give a high scientific return." - UK PPRP (PPARC)

R&D now fully funded : £500k from UK (Silicon, detector stations, beam pipe + LHC optics and cryostat design, DAQ), \$100k from US (Fast Timing), €100k Belgium (+Italy / Finland) (mechanics, pocket design, detector stations, slow controls)

Physics case see for example [hep-ph/0409144](#)

FP420 R&D Collaboration

- **Spokes** : Brian Cox (Manchester, ATLAS) and Albert DeRoeck (CERN,CMS)
- **Technical Co-ordinator** : Cinzia DaVia (Manchester)
- **Management Committee** : Mike Albrow (FNAL), Michele Arneodo (Torino / INFN), Andrew Brandt (UTA), Krzysztof Piotrzkowski (Louvain), Risto Orava (Helsinki)
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Shrikant Pattalwar (ASTEC - cryogenics),

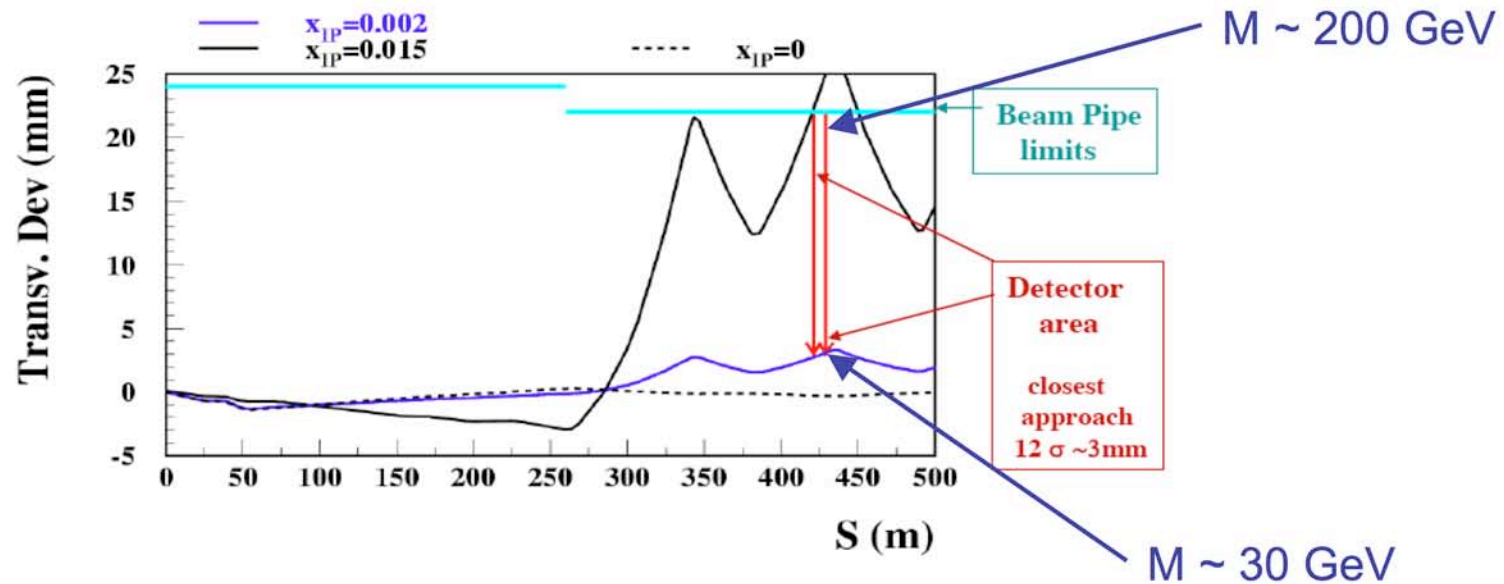
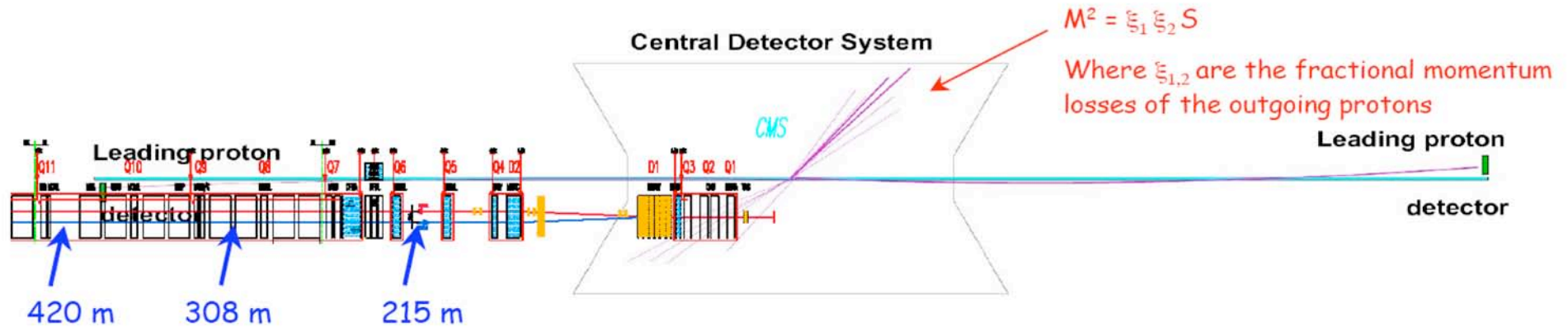
Federico Roncarolo (Manchester, RF / Optics / Accelerator)

Collaboration : FNAL, [The University of Manchester](#), University of Eastern Piedmont, Novara and INFN-Turin, [The Cockcroft Institute](#), University of Antwerpen, [University of Texas at Arlington](#), [The University of Glasgow](#), University of Calabria and INFN-Cosenza, CERN, Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory, University of Turin and INFN-Turin, University of Lund, [Rutherford Appleton Laboratory](#), Molecular Biology Consortium, Institute for Particle Physics Phenomenology, Durham University, [DESY](#), Helsinki Institute of Physics and University of Helsinki, UC Louvain, University of Hawaii, [LAL Orsay](#), [University of Alberta](#), [Stony Brook University](#), [Boston University](#), [University of Nebraska](#), [Institute of Physics](#), [Academy of Sciences of the Czech Republic](#), Brookhaven National Laboratory, [University College London](#), [Cambridge University](#)

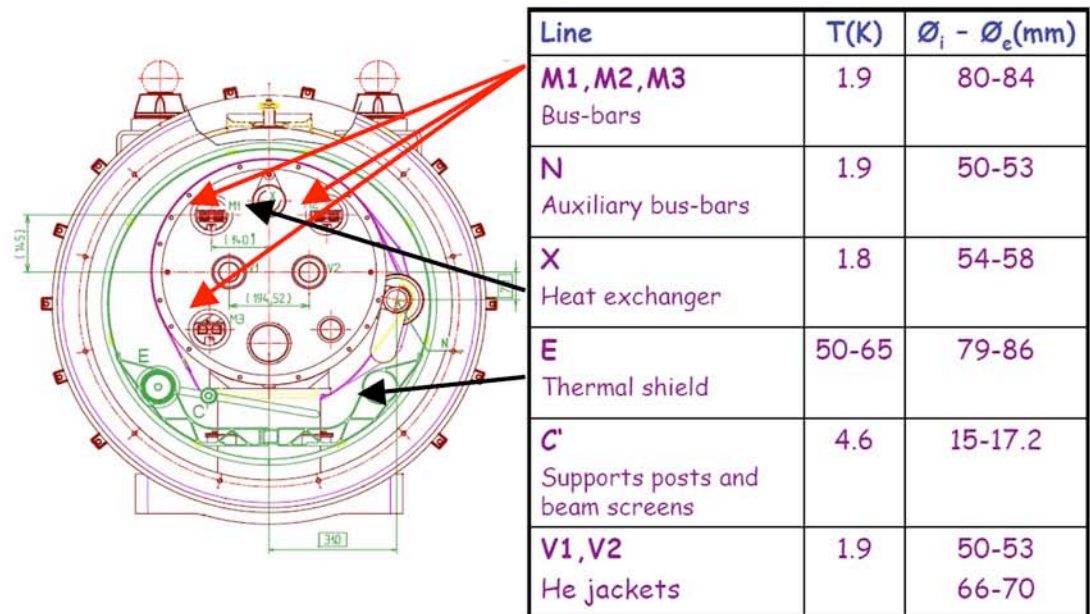
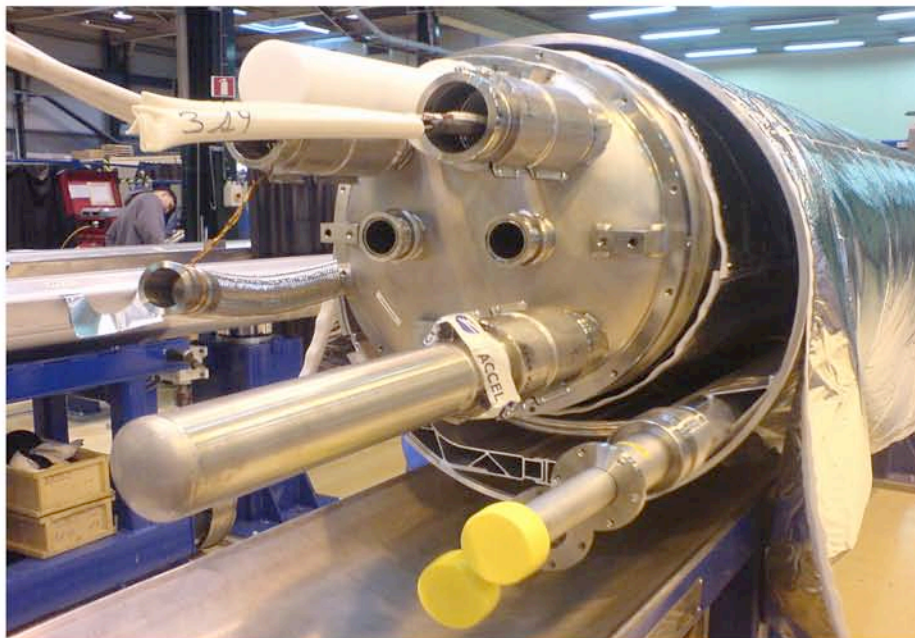
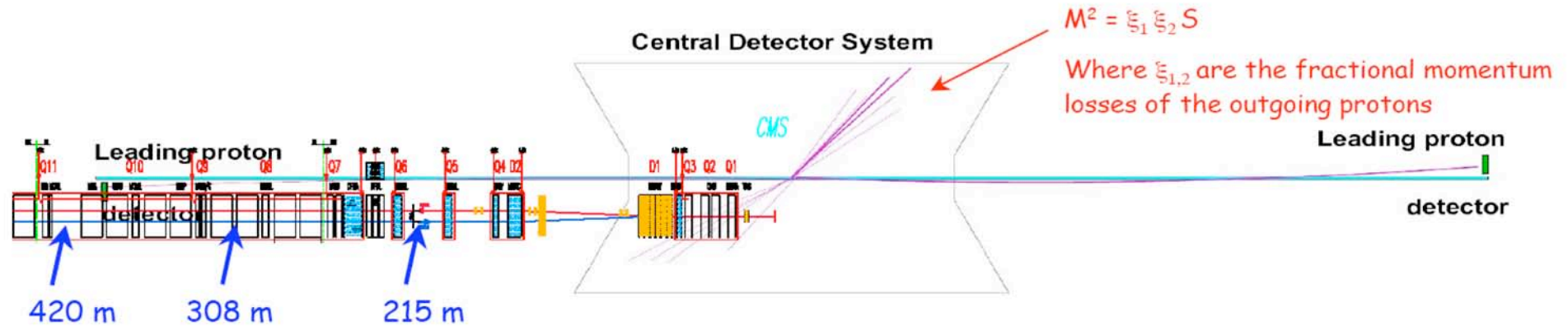


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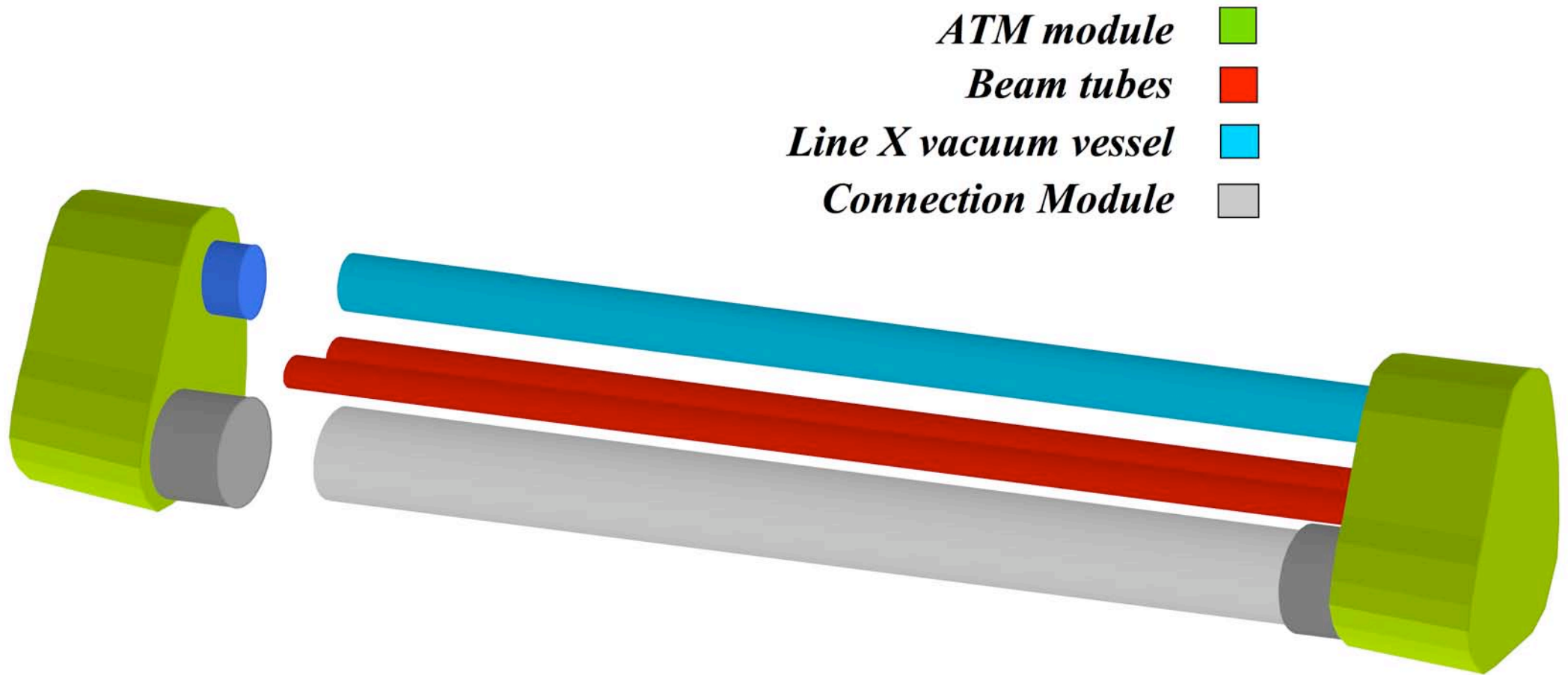
Spectrometer using LHC magnets to bend protons with small momentum loss out of the beam



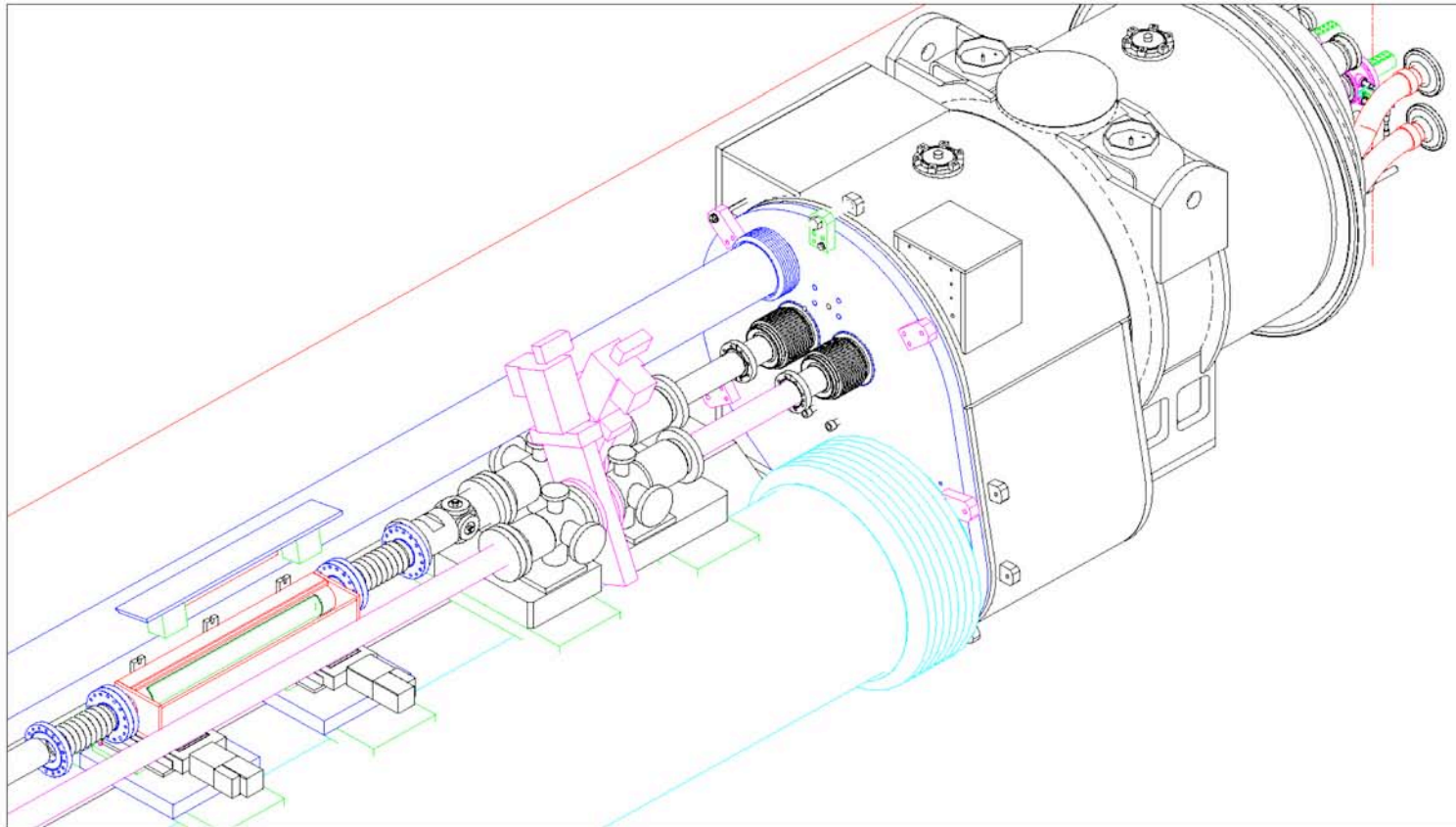
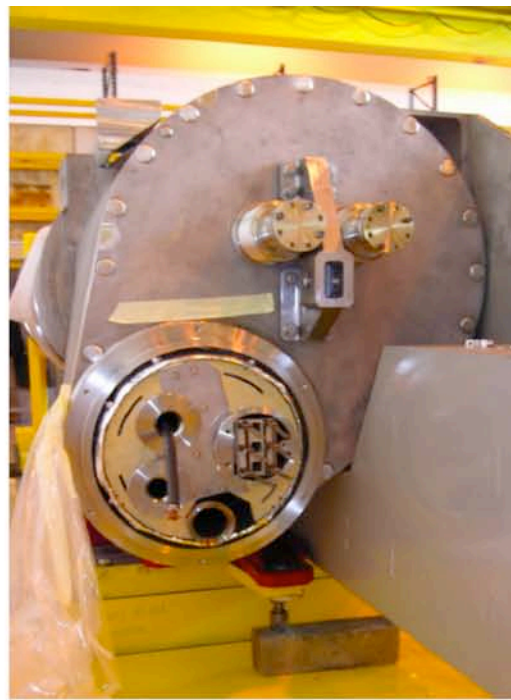
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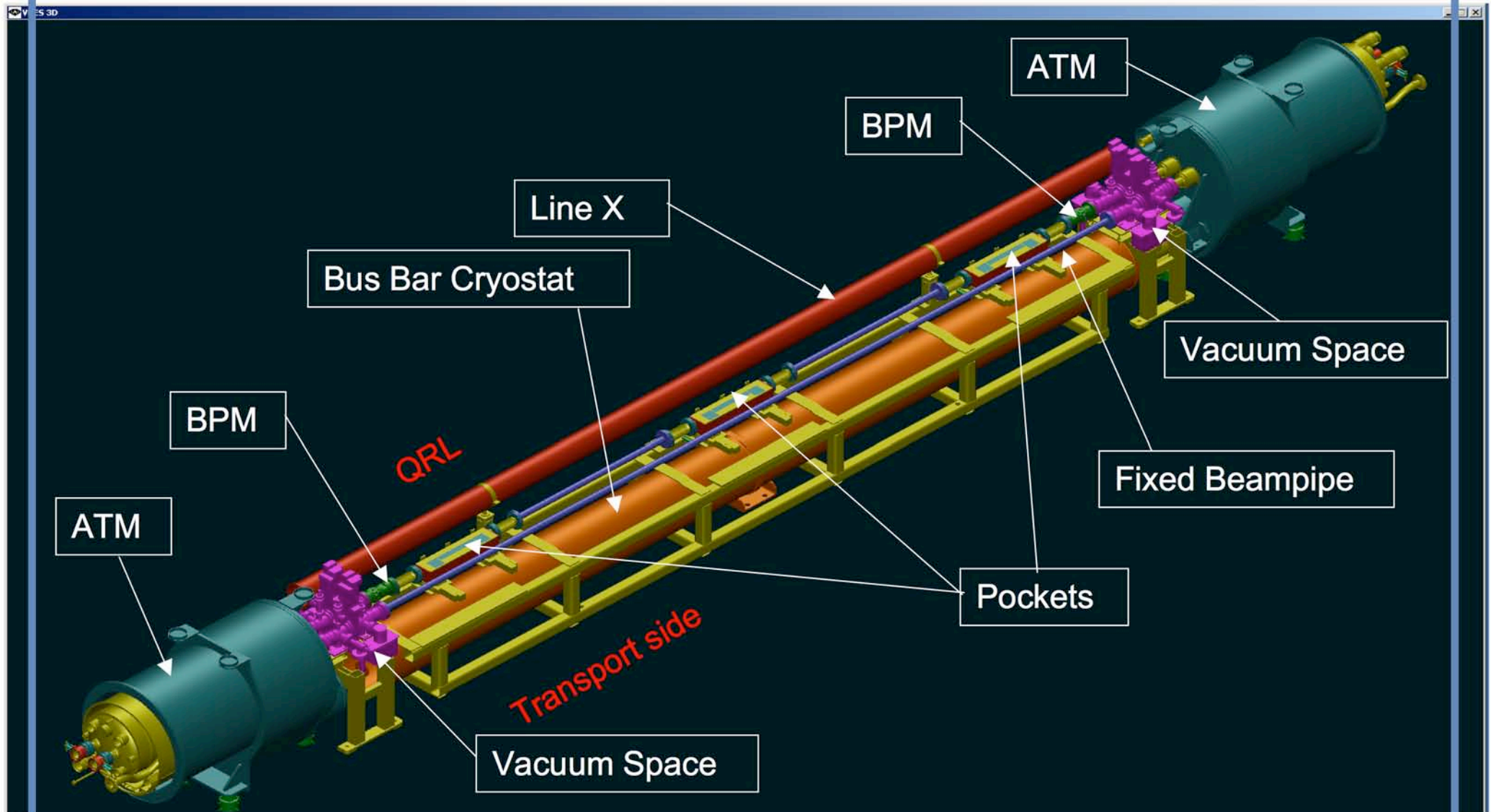


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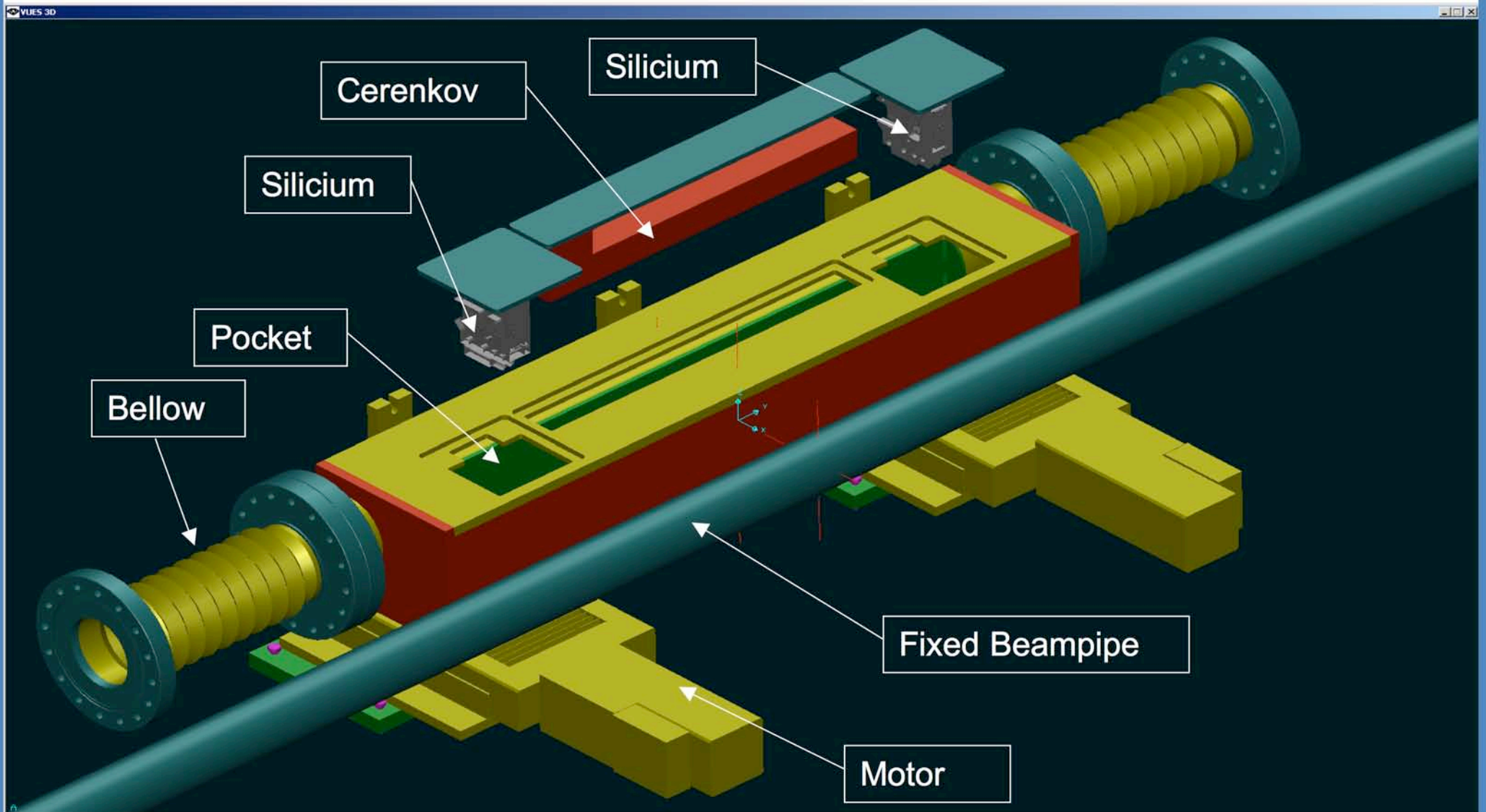


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Integration of the moving beampipe and detectors

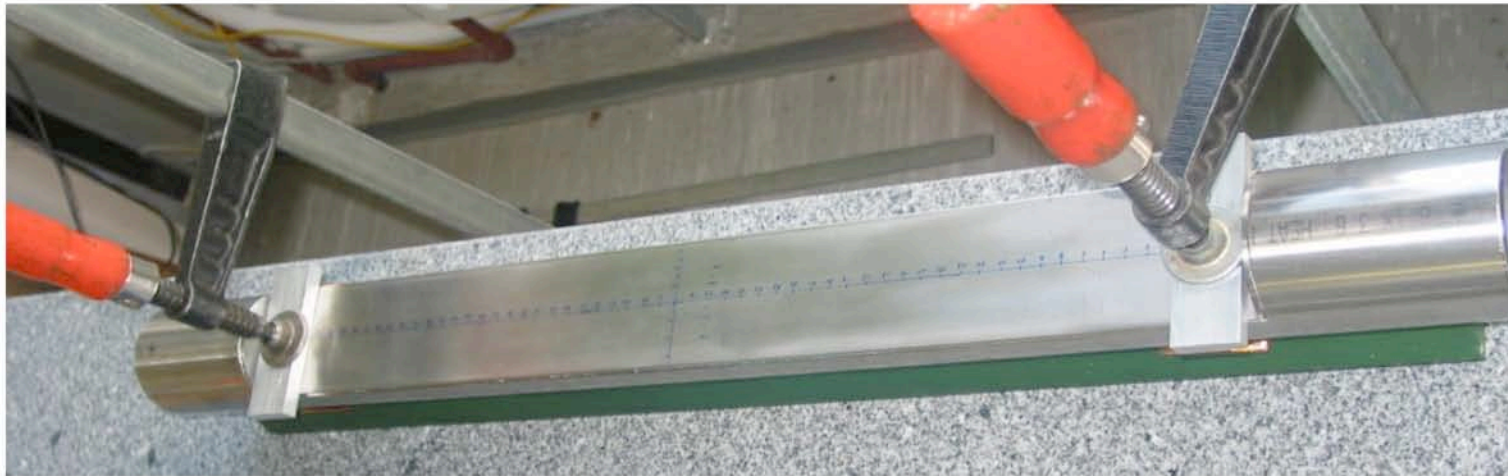
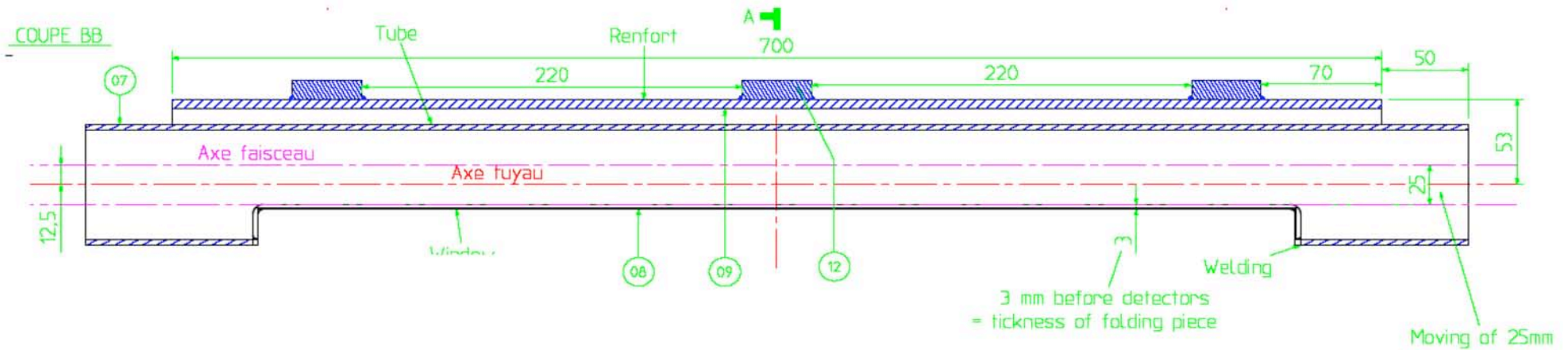


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Prototype FP420 Pocket

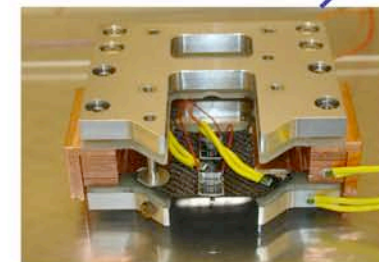
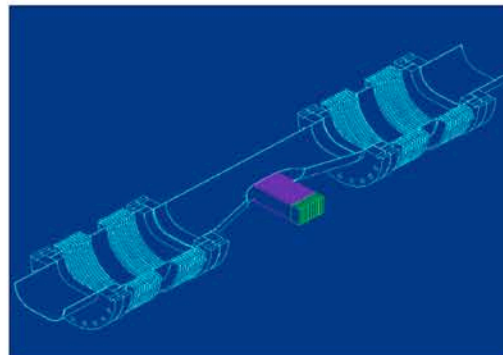
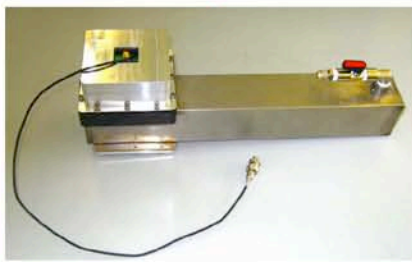
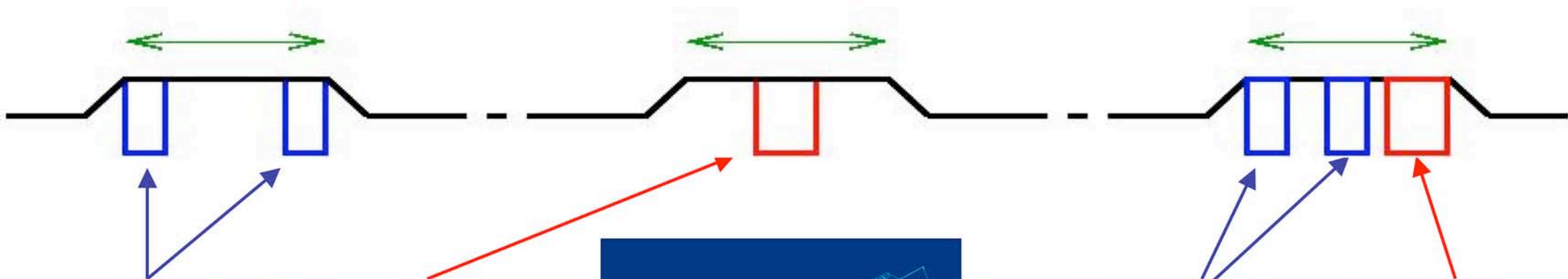
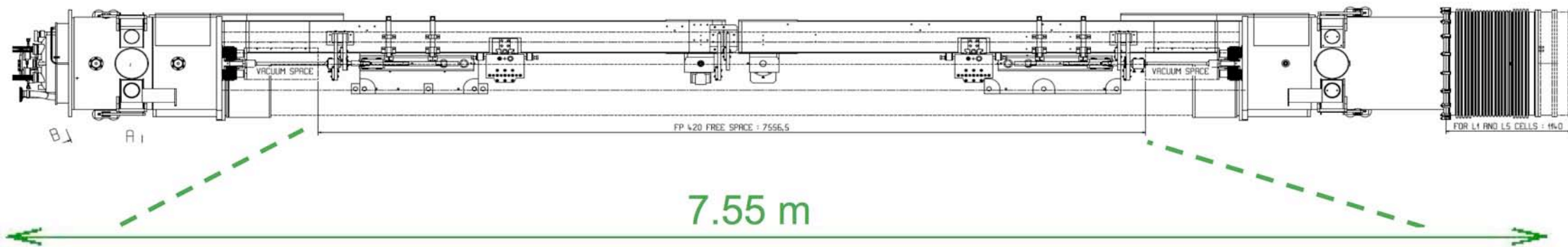


Pocket prototype constructed at Louvain and undergoing simulation and wire-testing at Cockcroft Institute for trapped modes, beam stability etc.

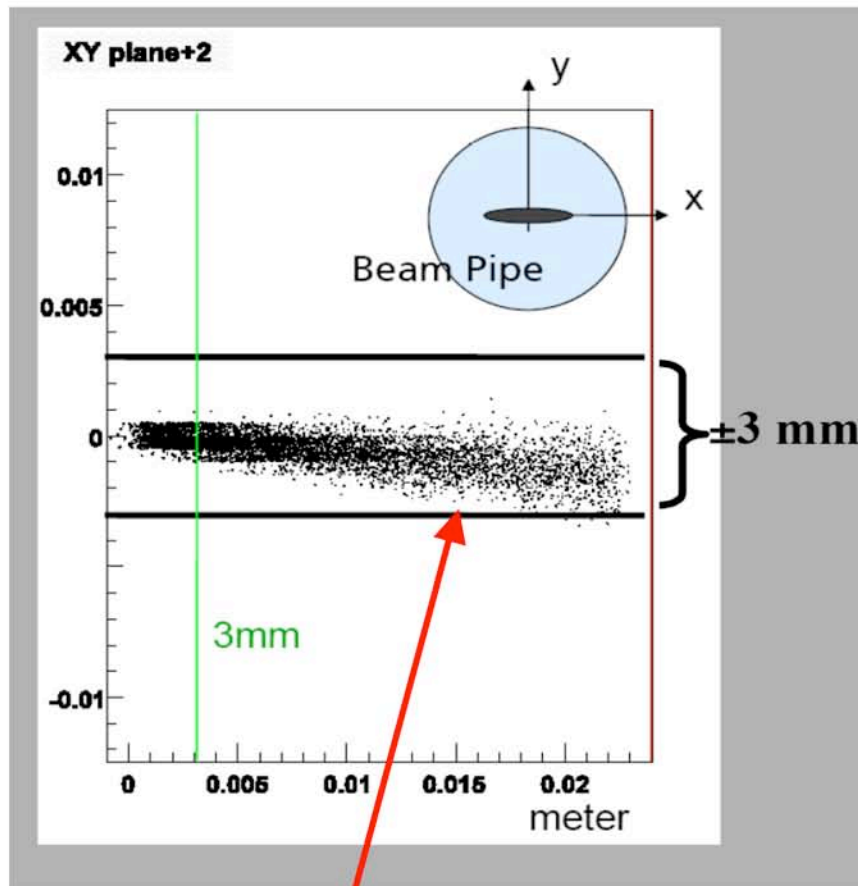
Schematic baseline design



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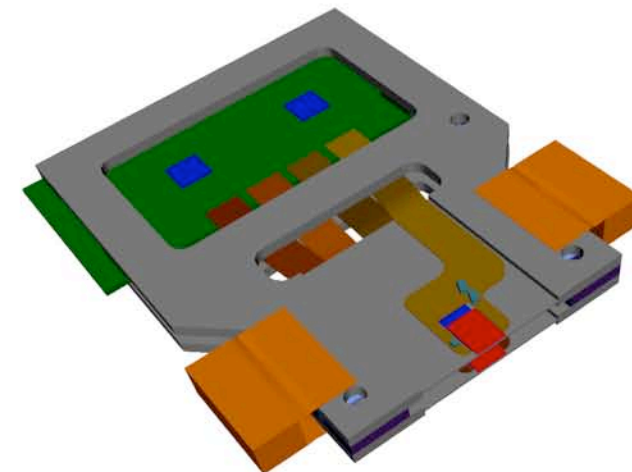
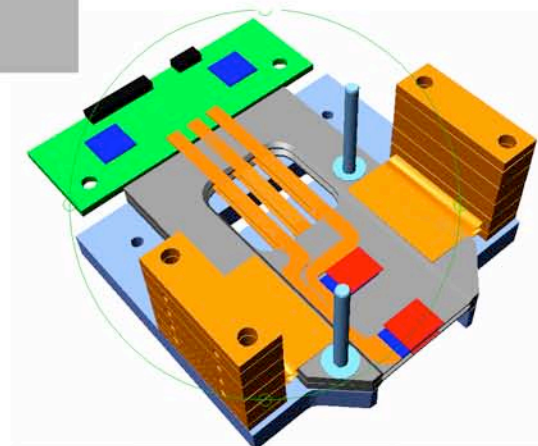
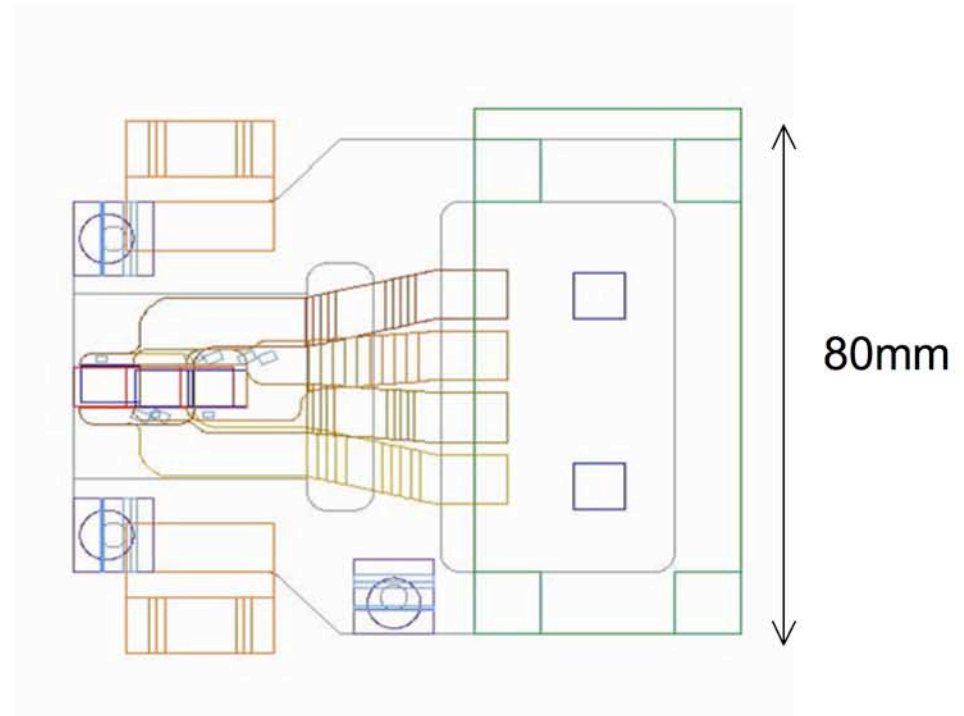
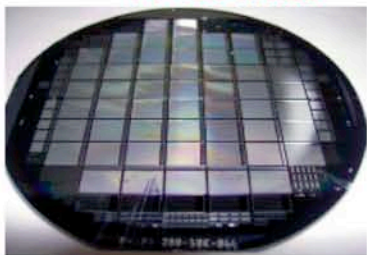


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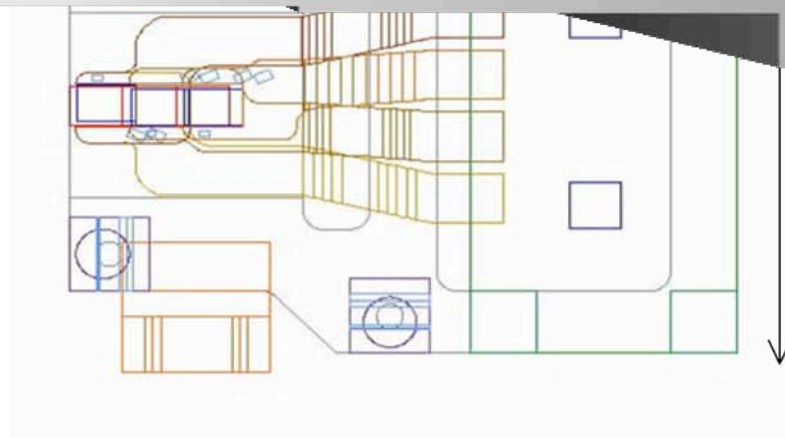
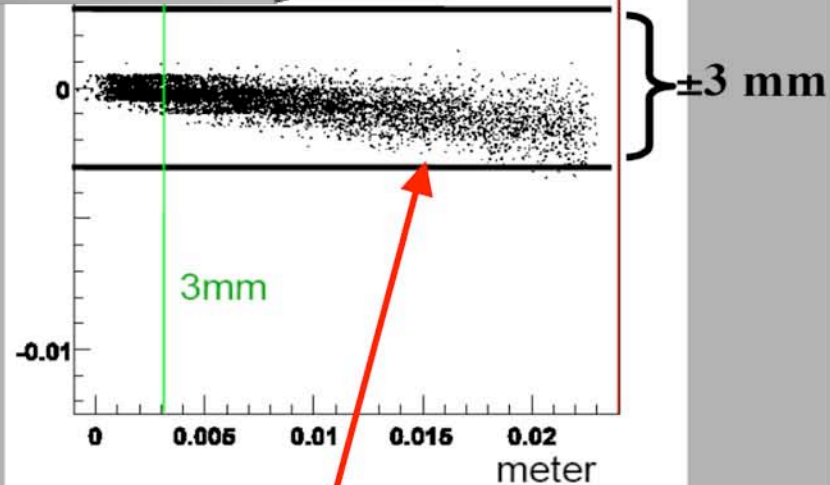
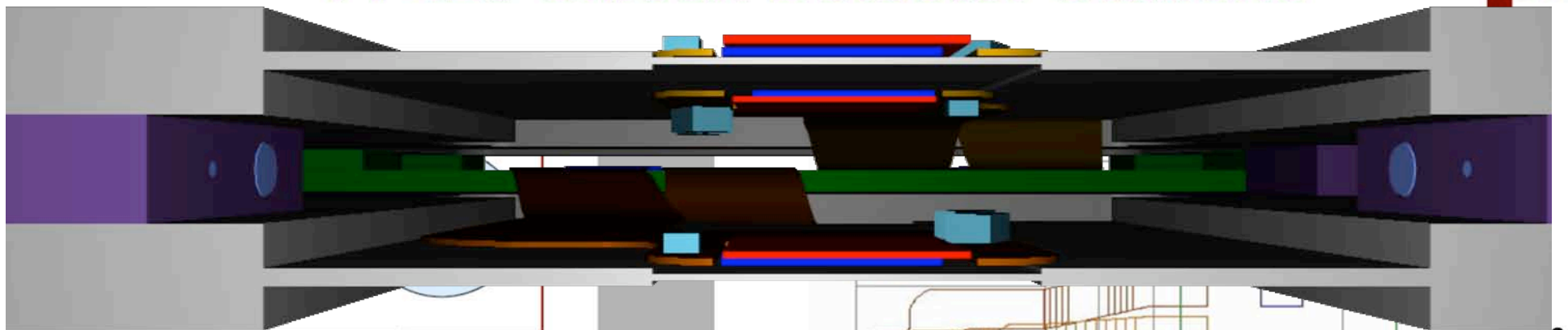


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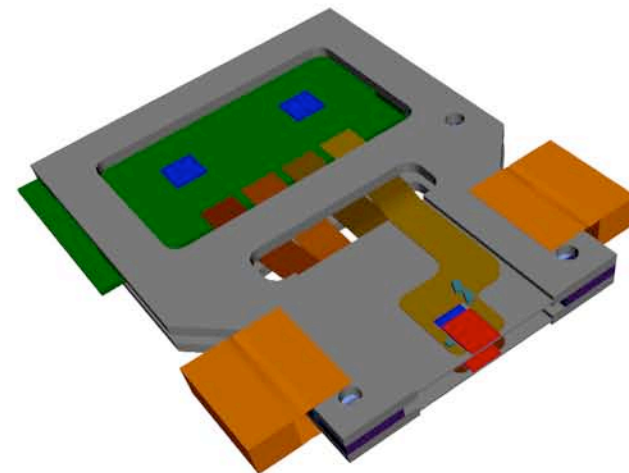
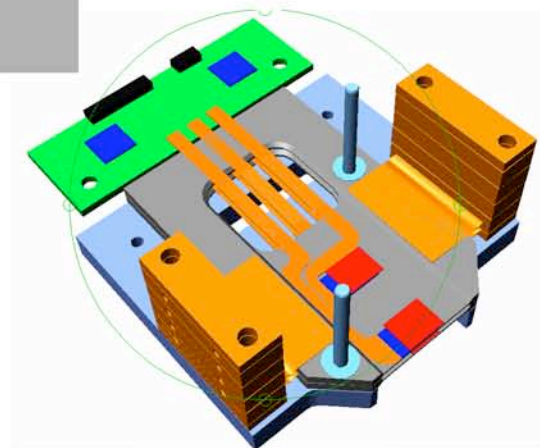
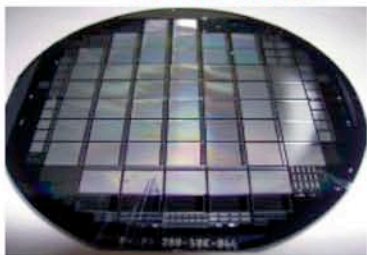


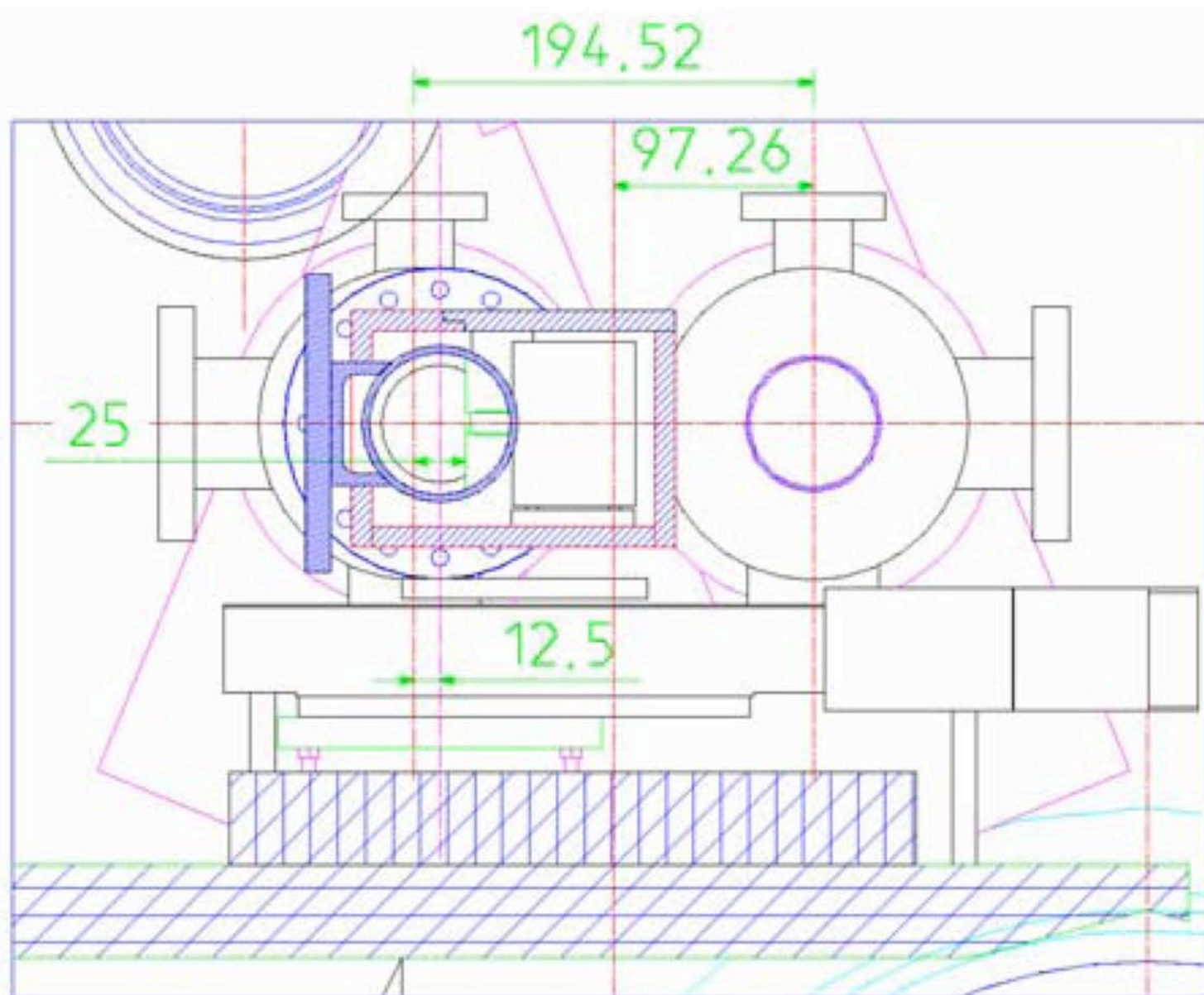
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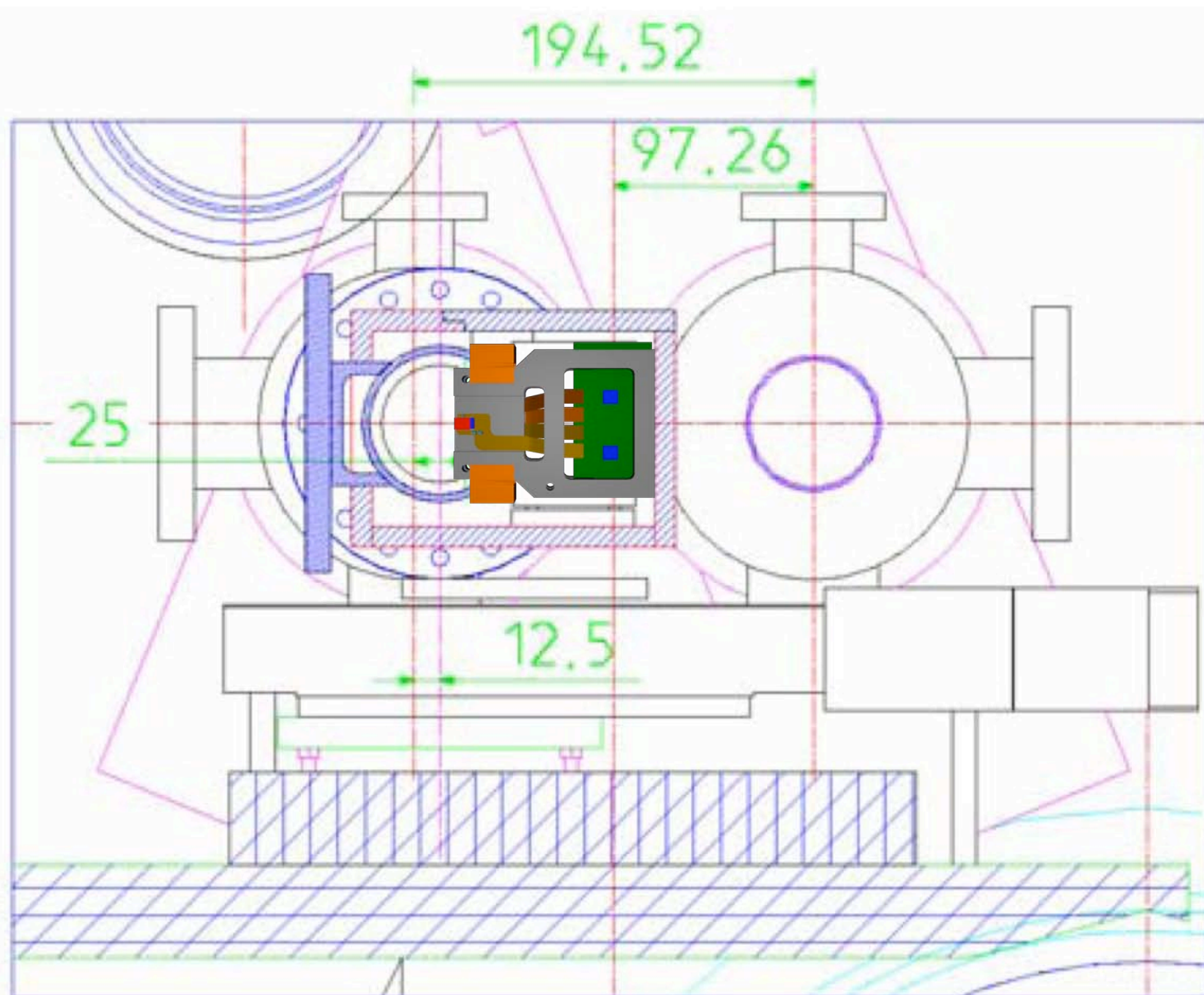


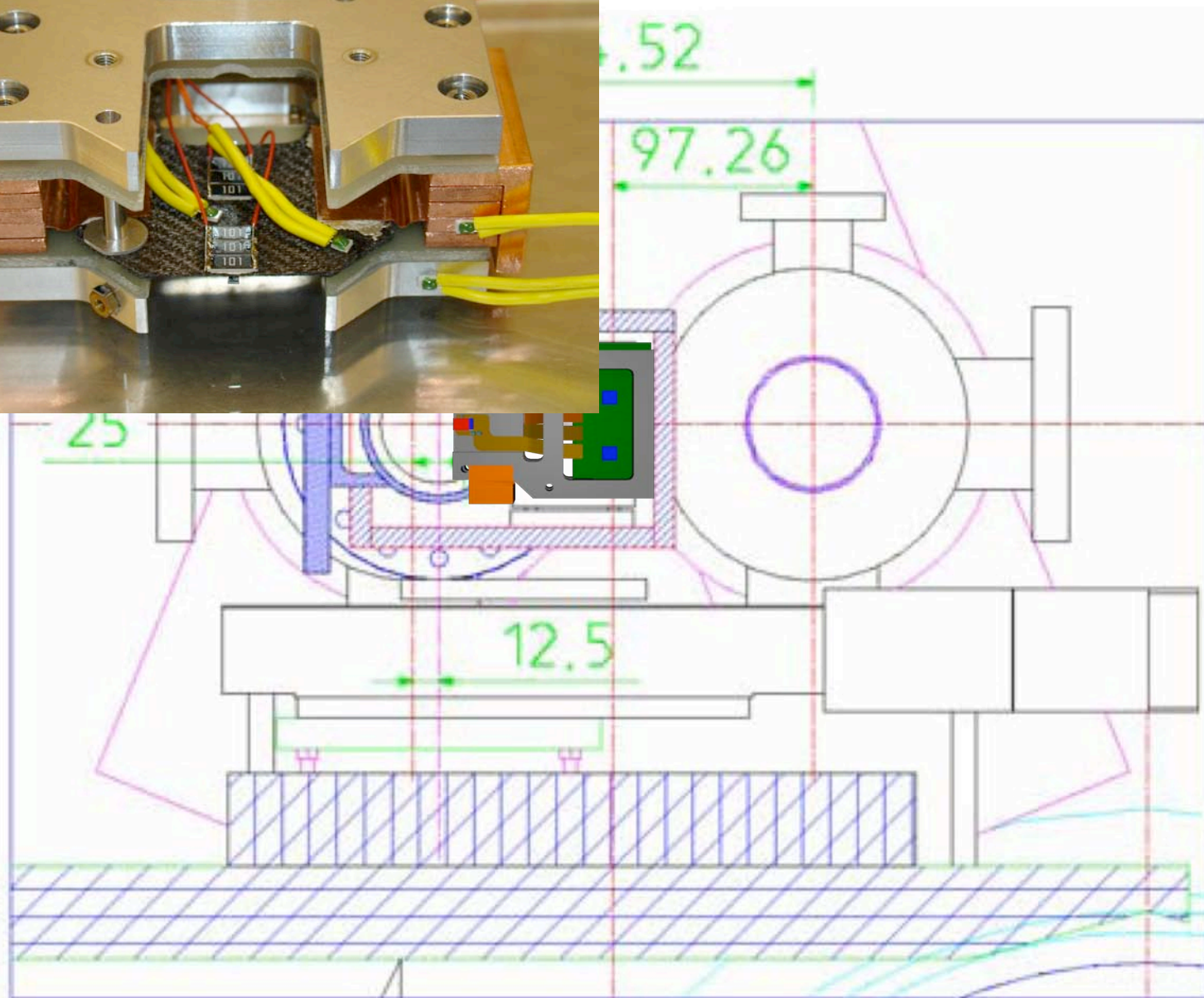
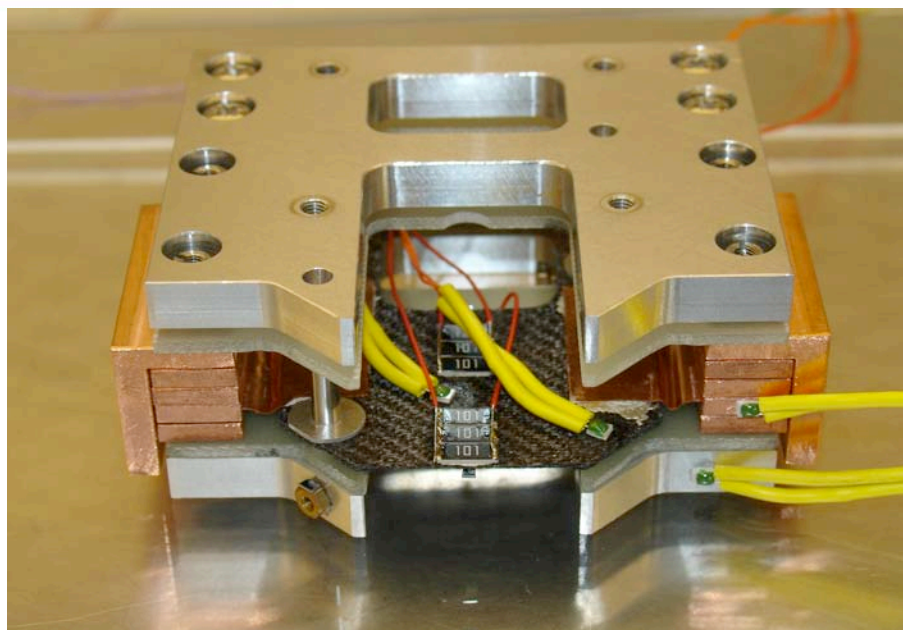
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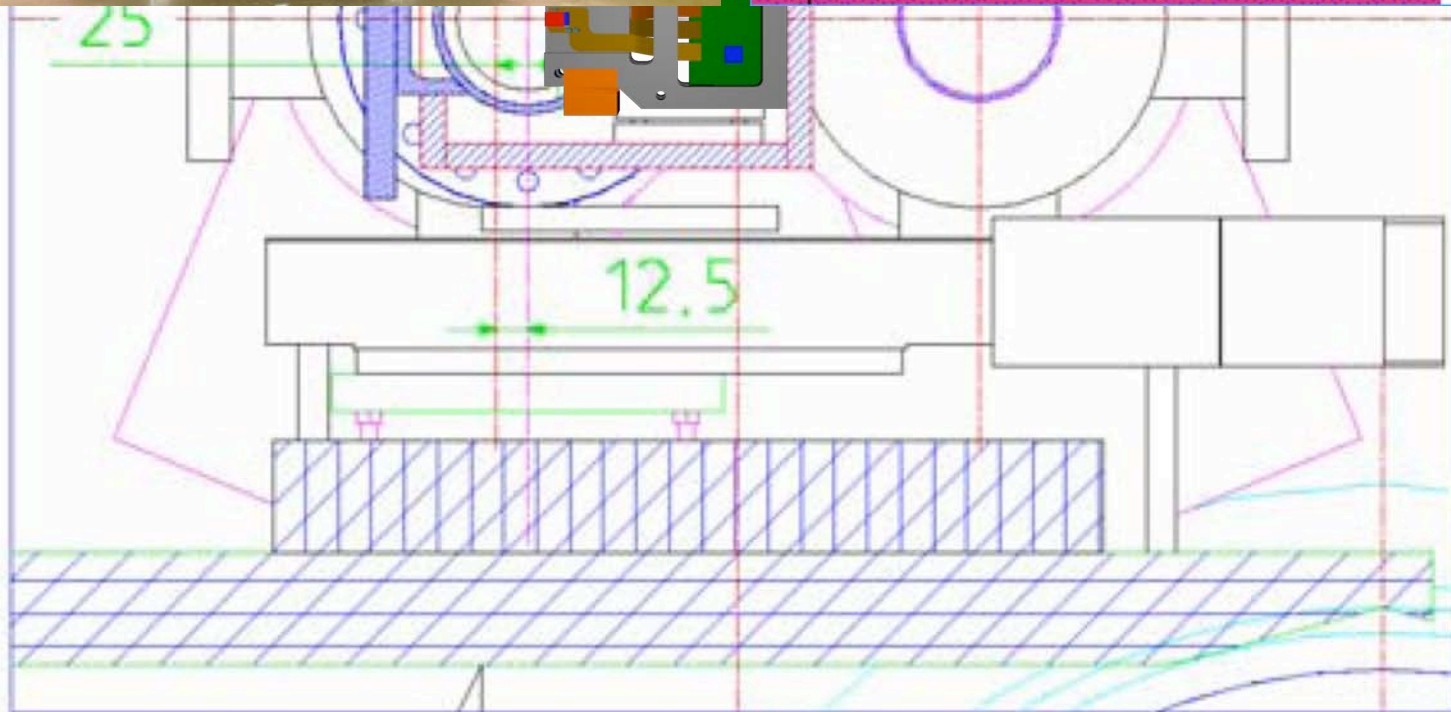
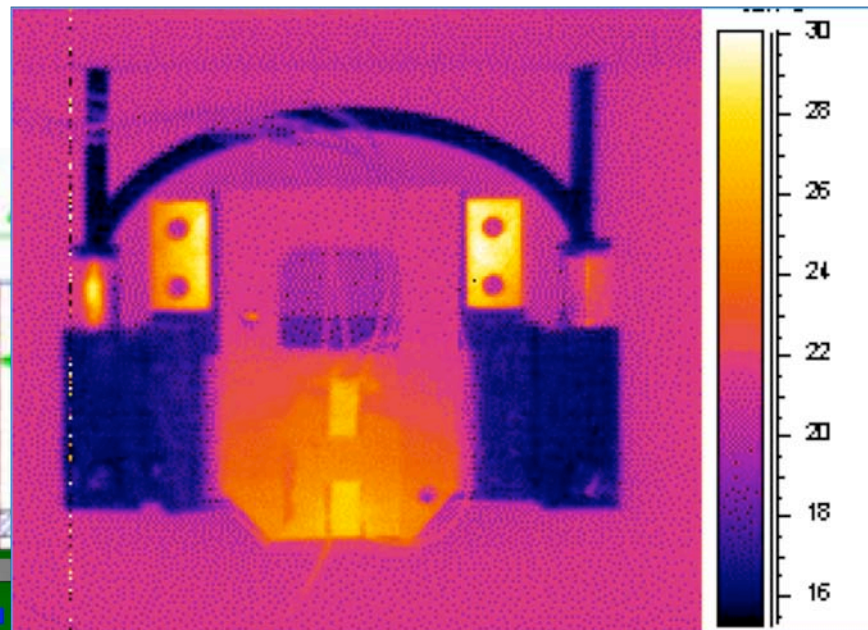
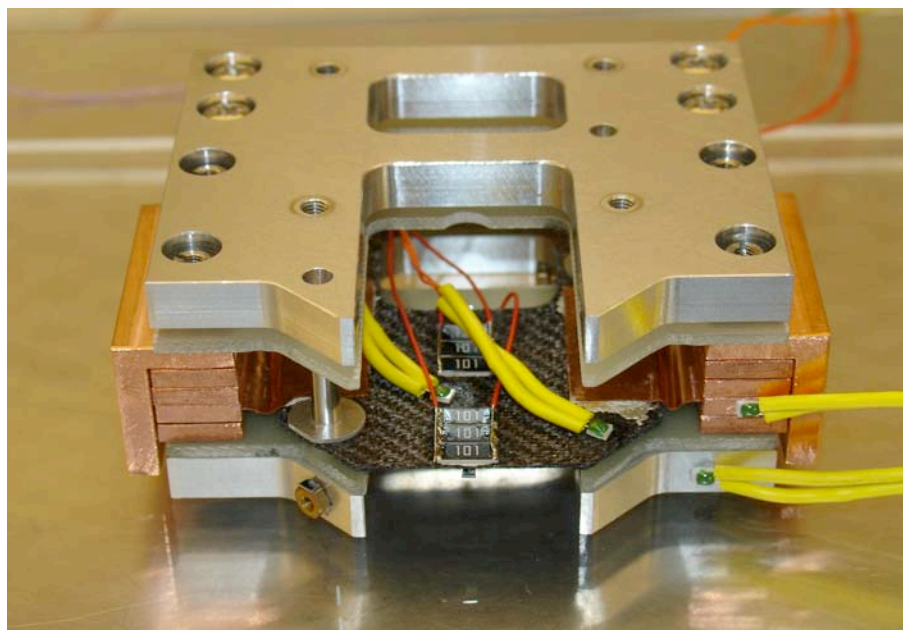
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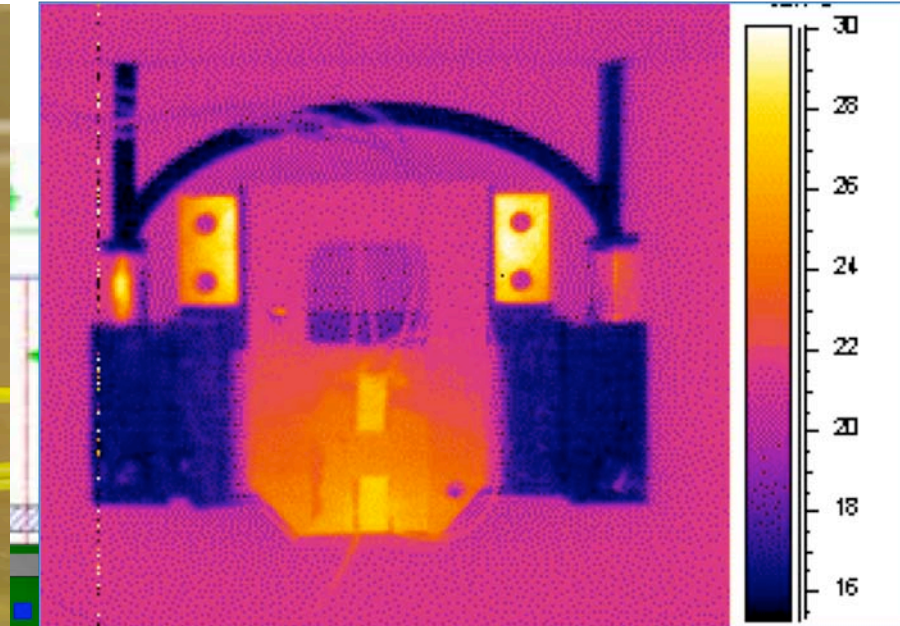
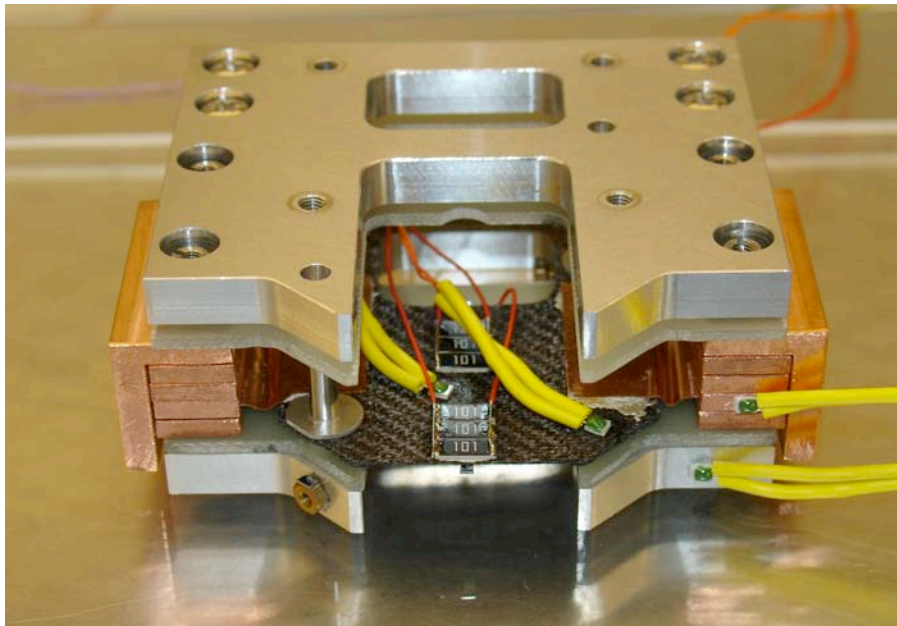








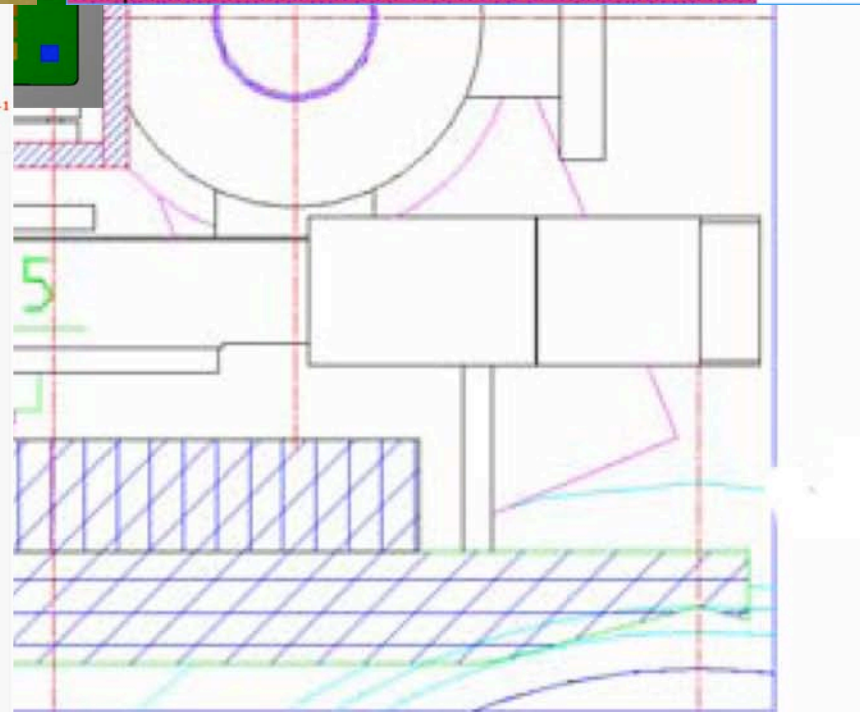
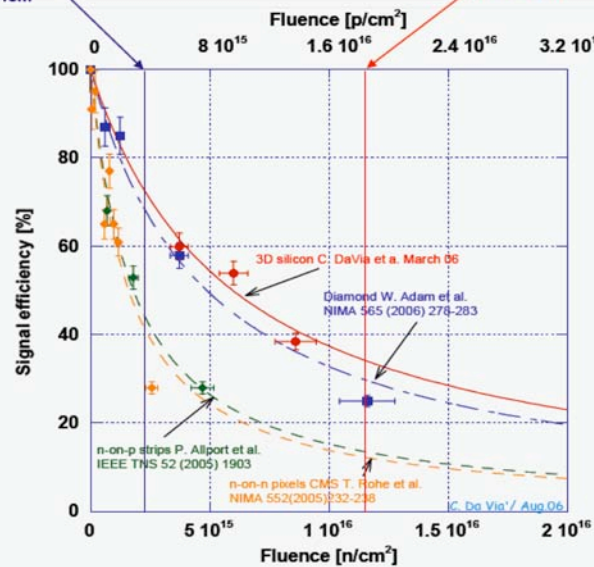


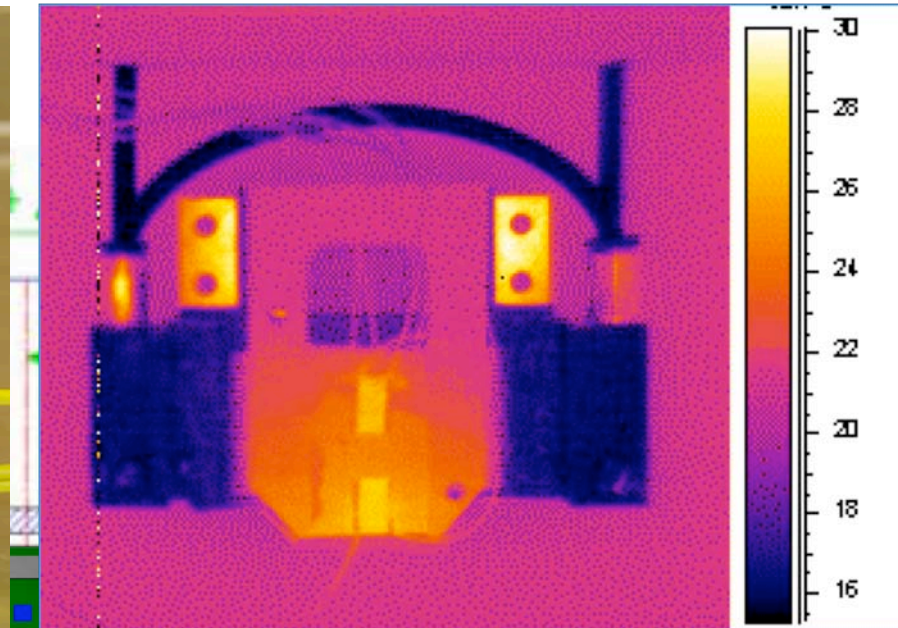
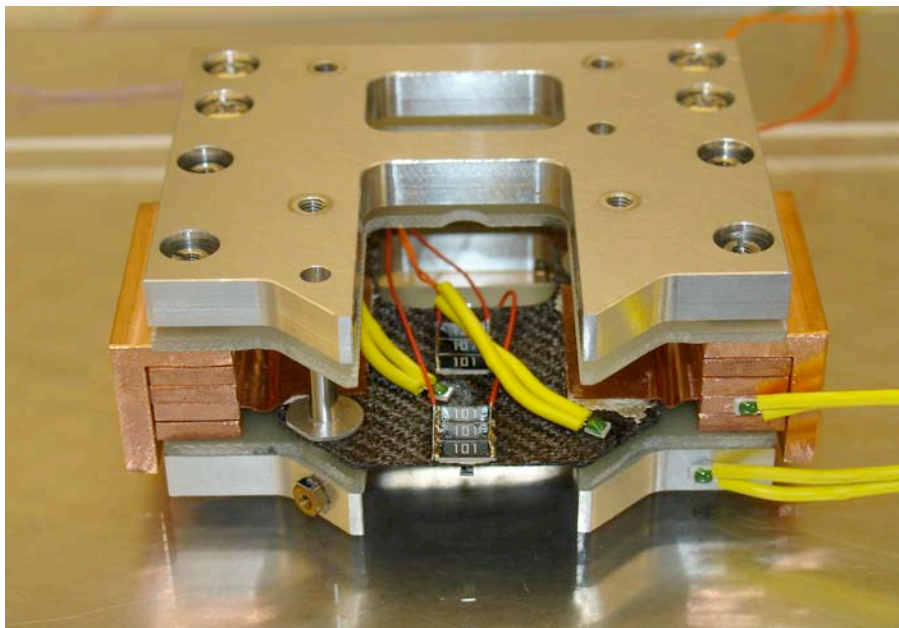


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$3 \times 10^{15} \text{ p/cm}^2 =$
10 years LHC at $10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$
At $r=4\text{cm}$

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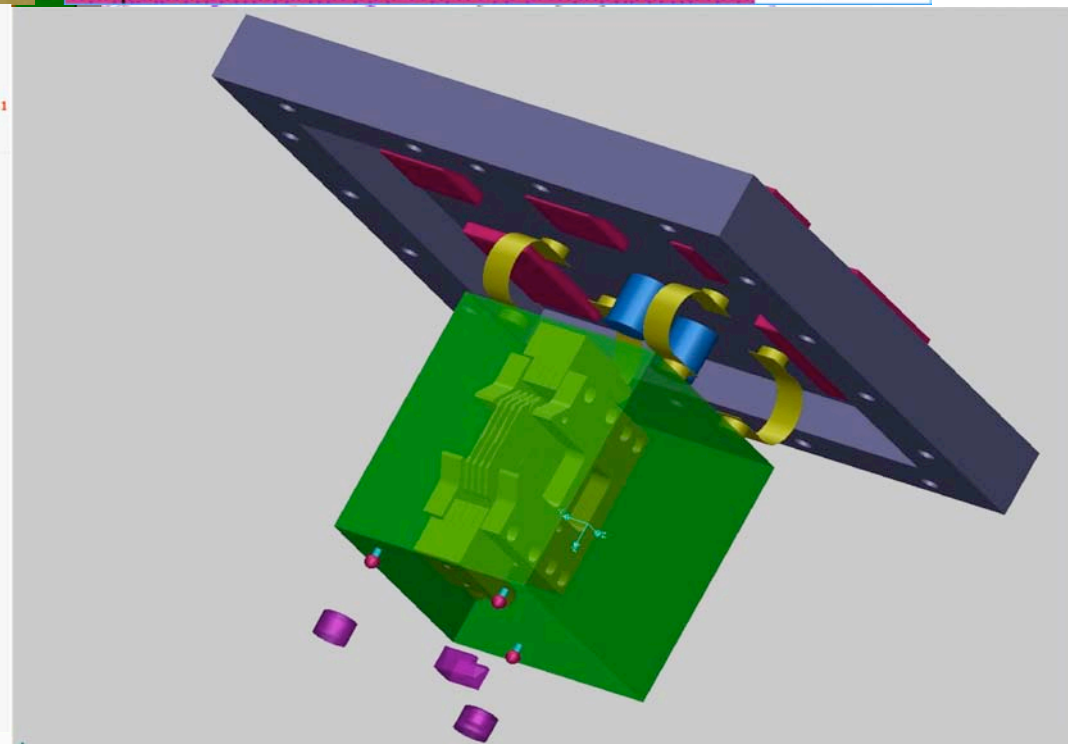
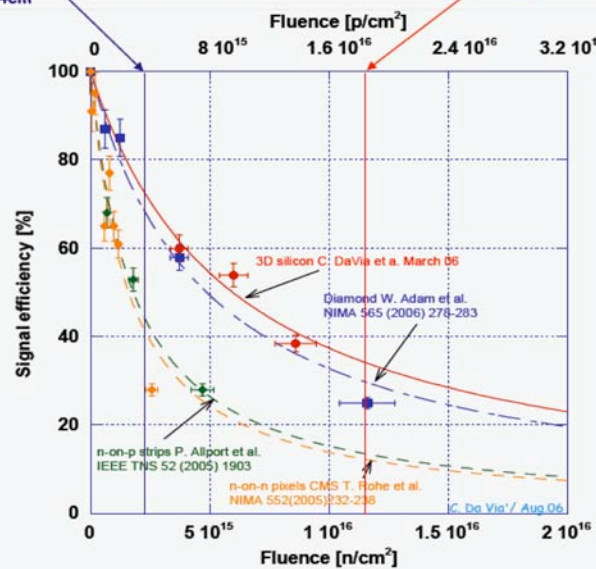




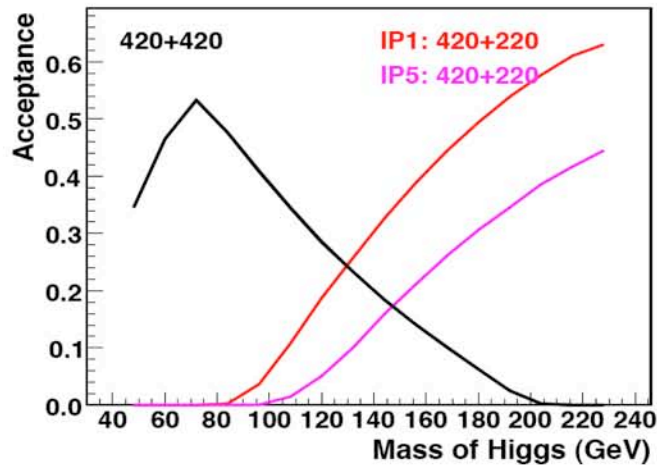
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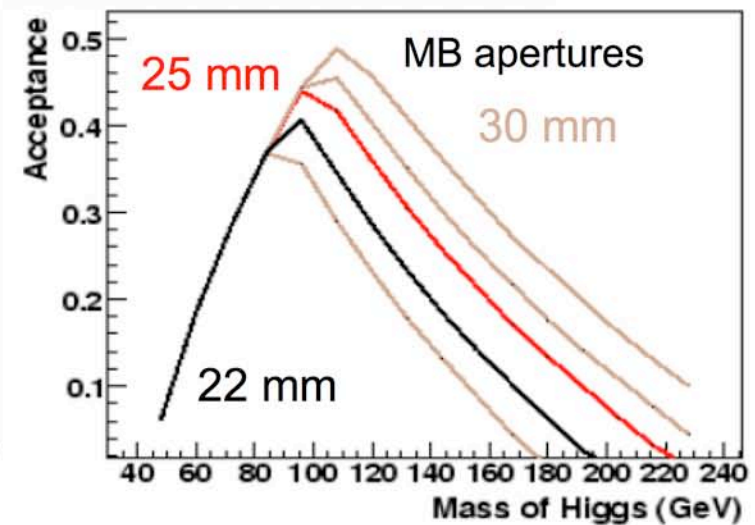
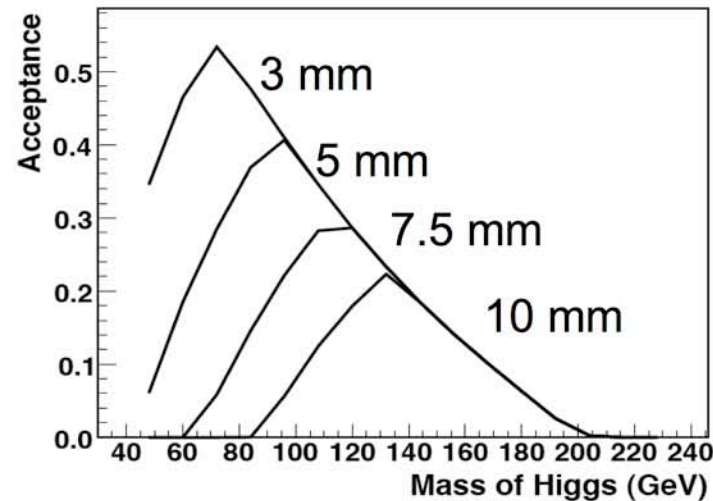
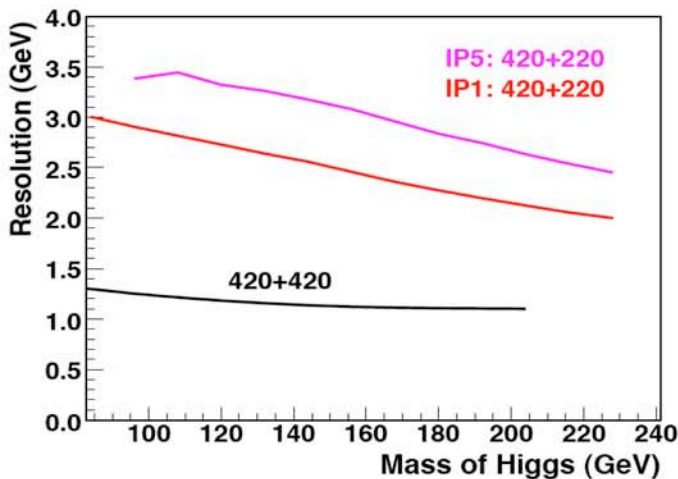
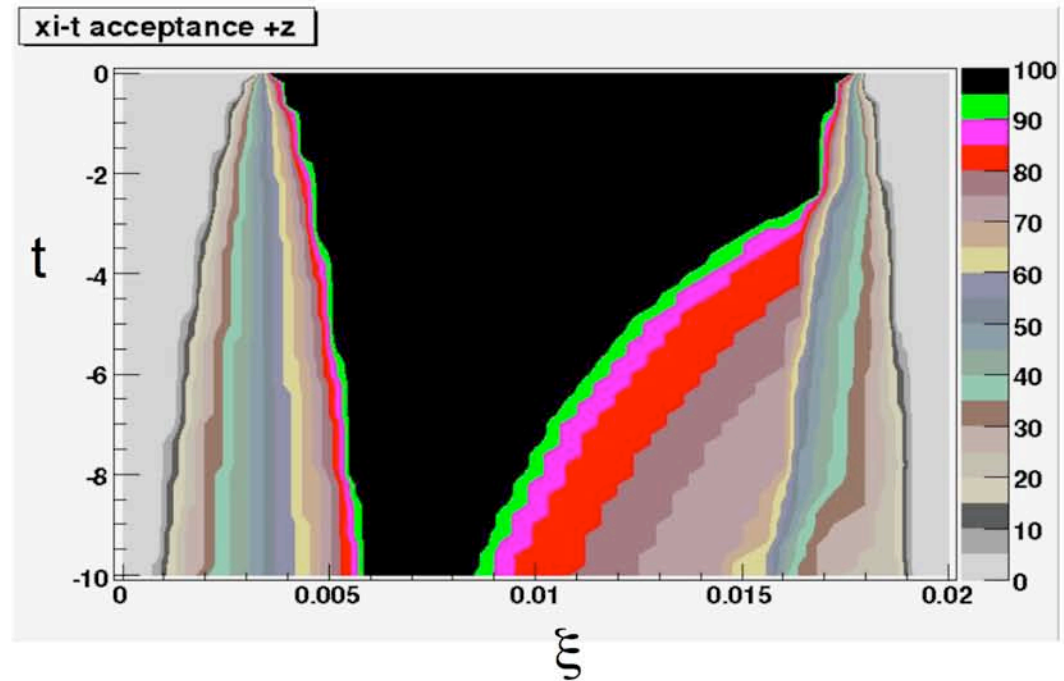
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FP420 Acceptance and Resolution

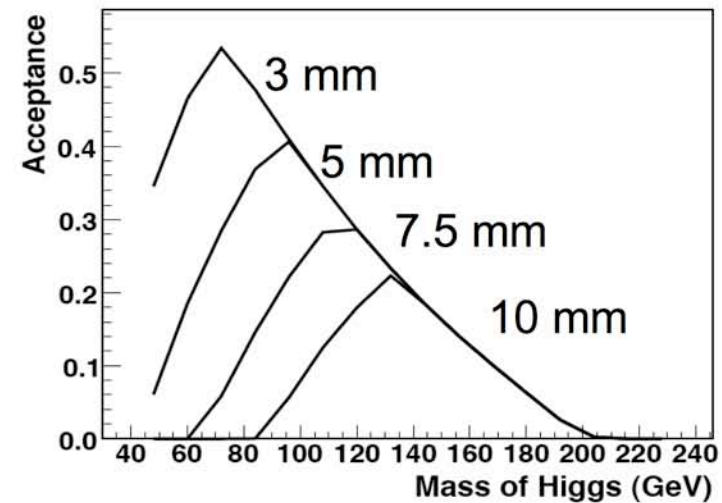
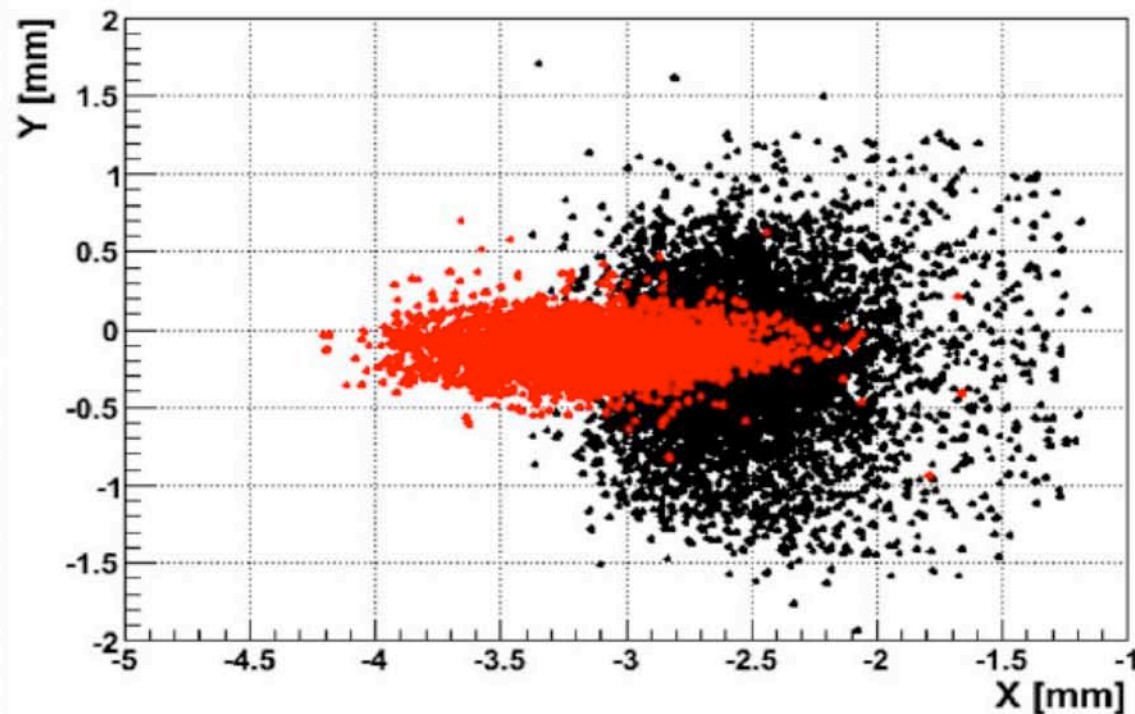


3 mm + 3 mm



Machine Induced Backgrounds

- 20000 momentum cleaning events at IR3 collimators
- Track emerging off-momentum halo protons
- Count hits at FP420 location in $x, x', y, y', dp/p$ until when all protons are absorbed at collimators or other aperture limits (NOT FP420)
- I'll show plots for FP420 IP5



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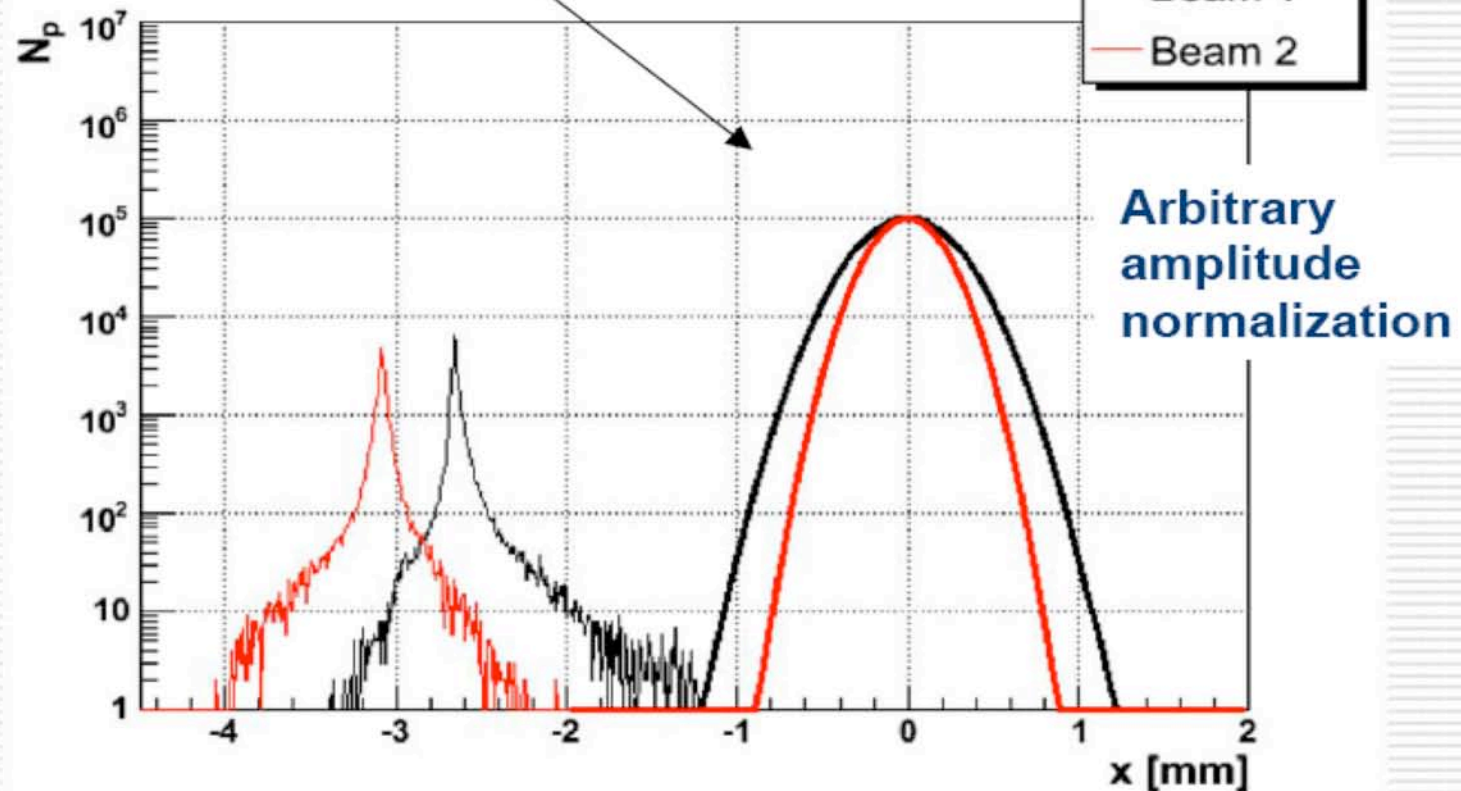
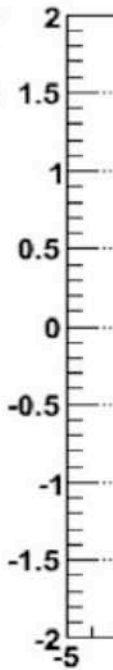
Hor beam profiles with **nominal optics** and **momentum spread**

Physical beam sizes:

Sigma1=250um

Sigma2=180

Y [mm]

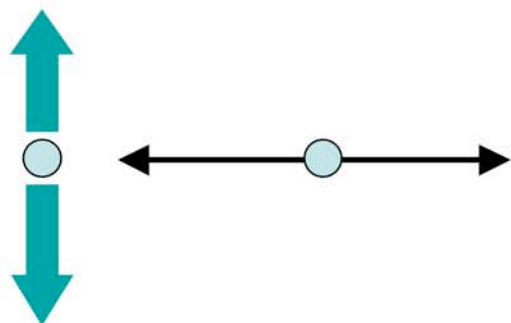


Fast Timing Detectors for FP420

UTA (**Brandt**), Alberta (Pinfold), Louvain (K.P.), FNAL (Albrow)

WHY? **Pileup Background Rejection**

E.g., Two protons from SD interactions, and two b-jets from another



How?

**Compare z-vertex
for SVX with TOF**

$$z = c(TR - TL)/2$$

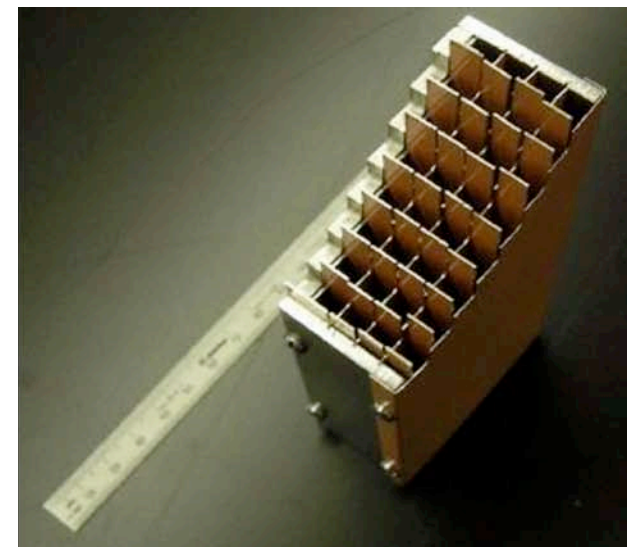
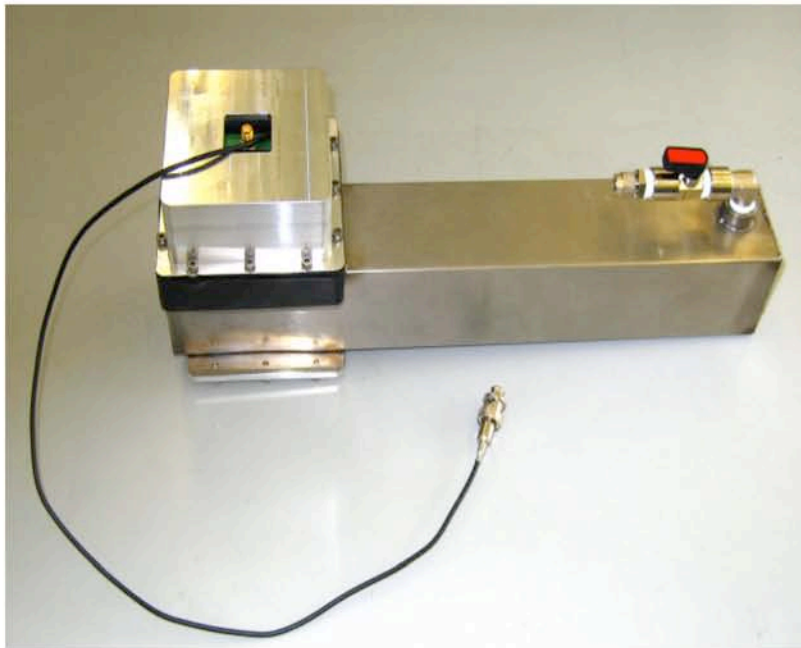
How Fast?

$$\delta z \text{ (mm)} = 0.21 \delta t \text{ (psec)}$$

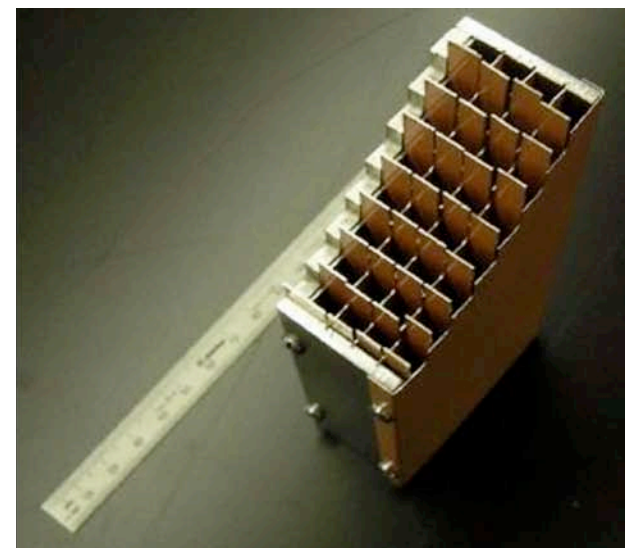
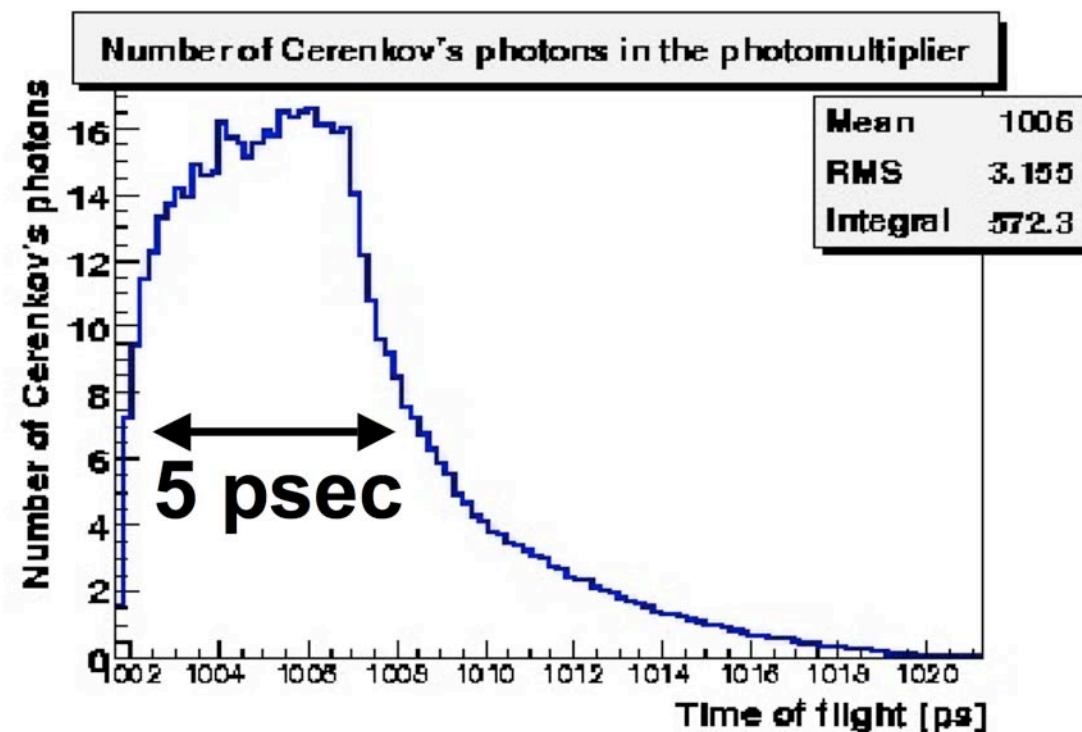
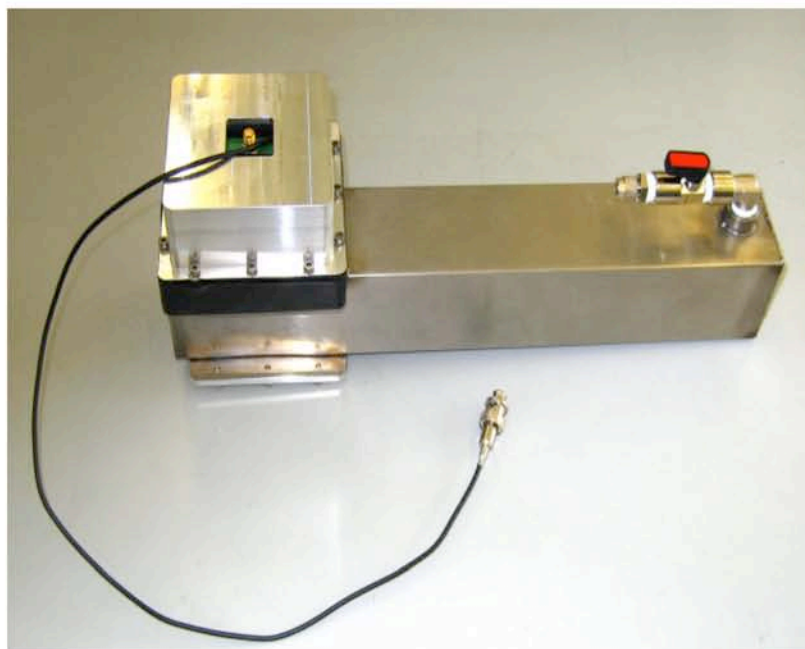
(2.1 mm for $\delta t = 10$ psec)

**10 psec $\rightarrow$ x40
to x30 rejection**

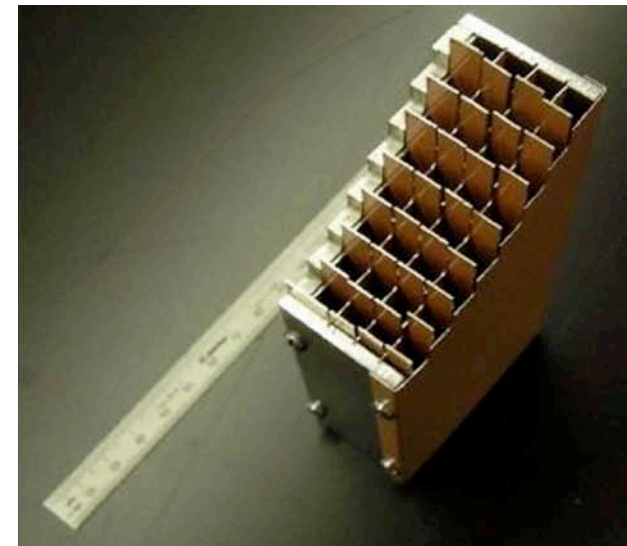
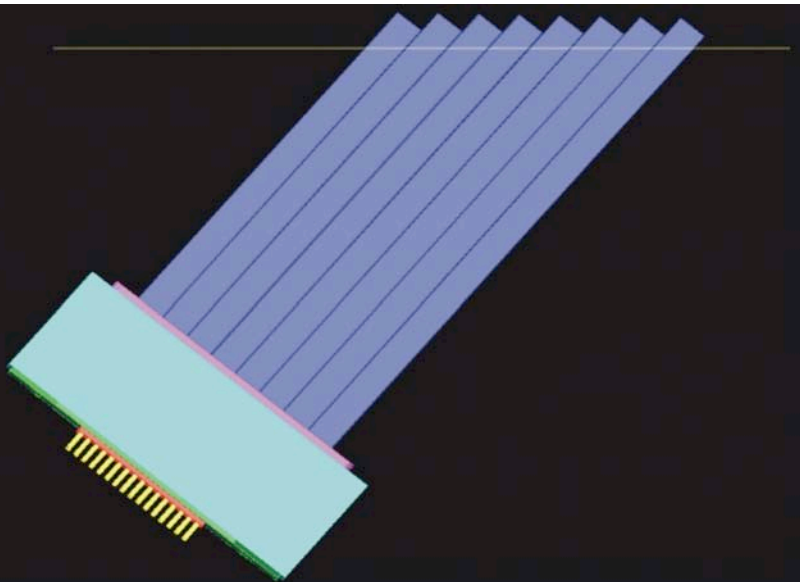
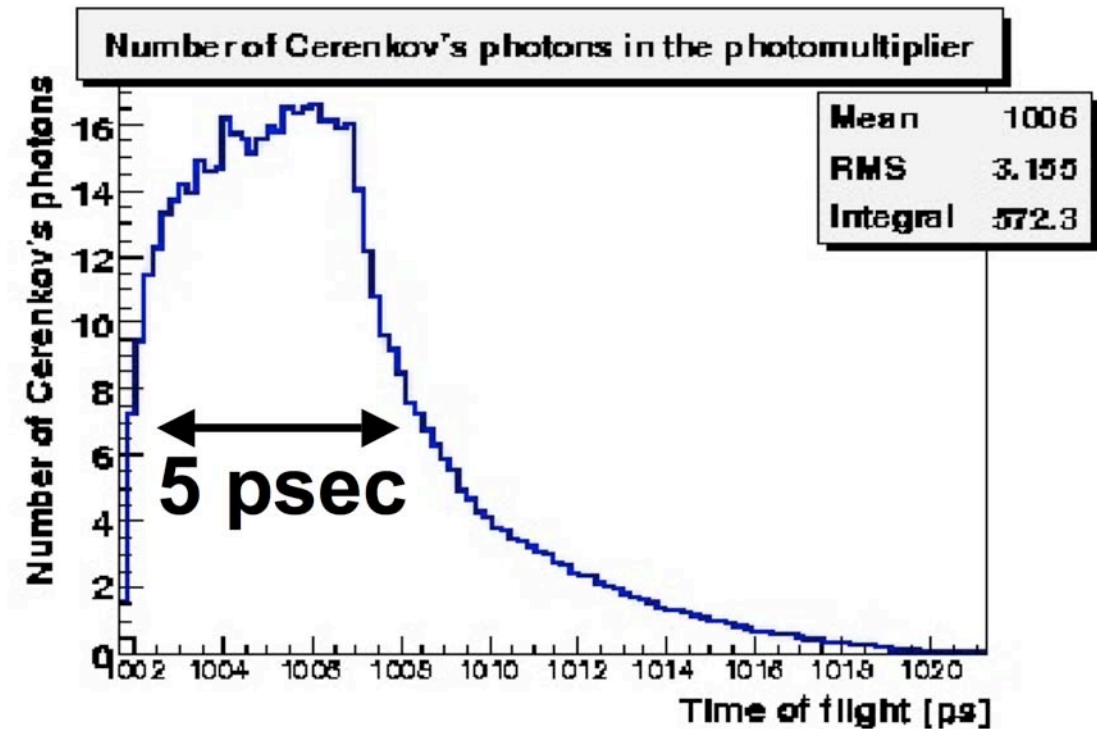
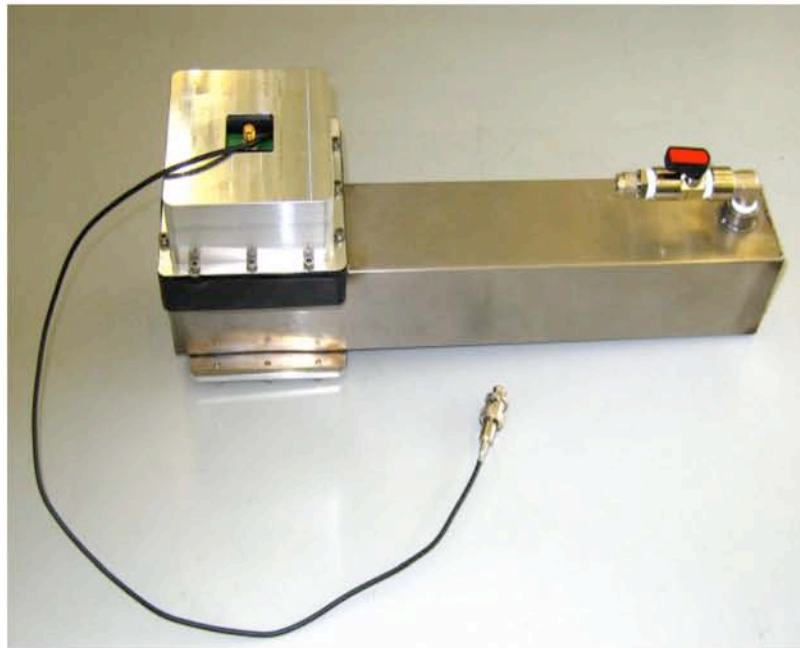
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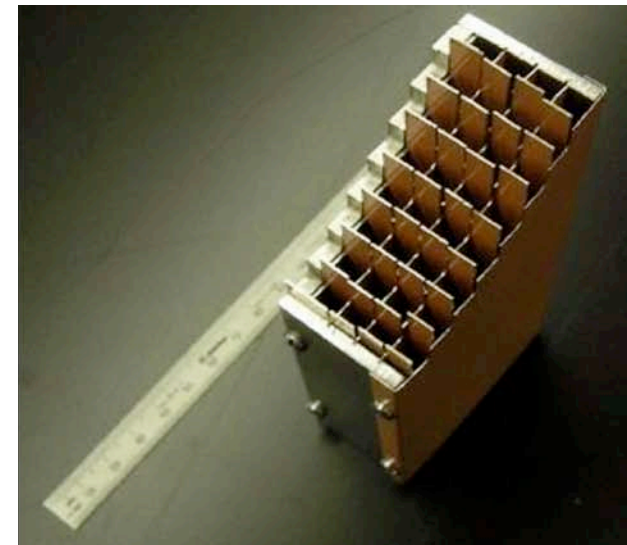
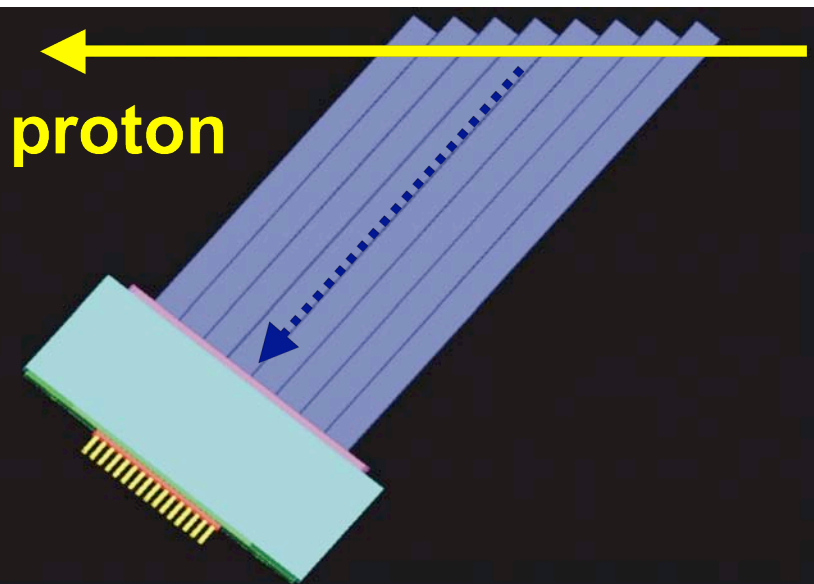
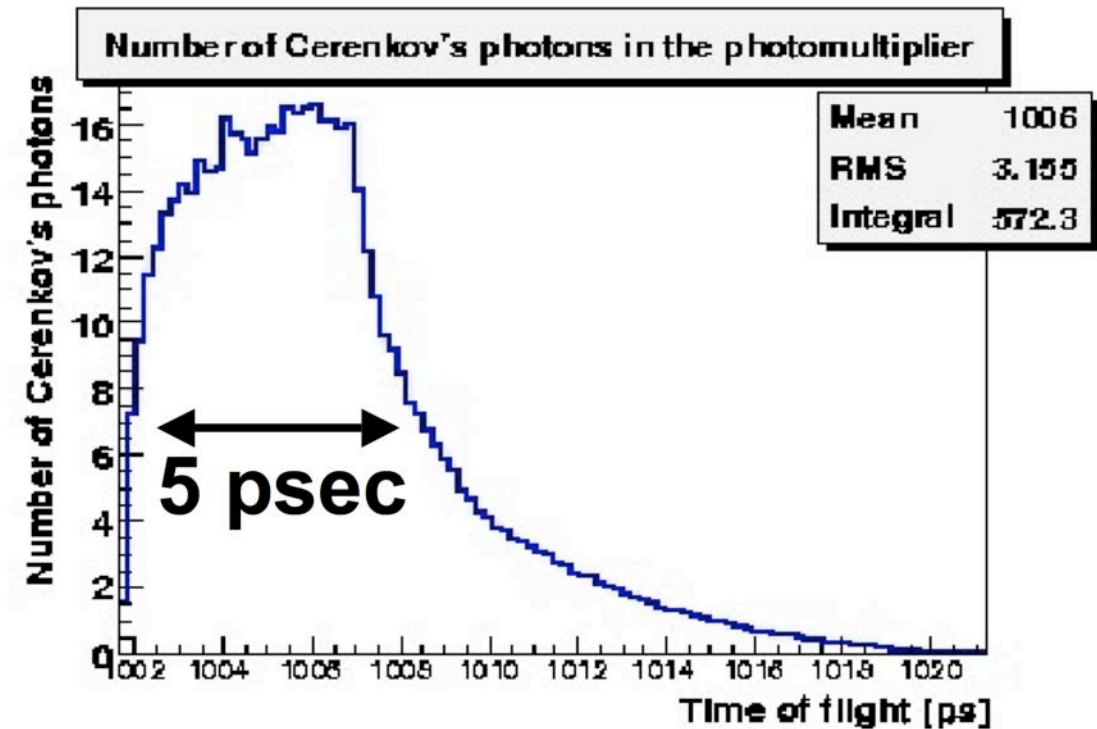
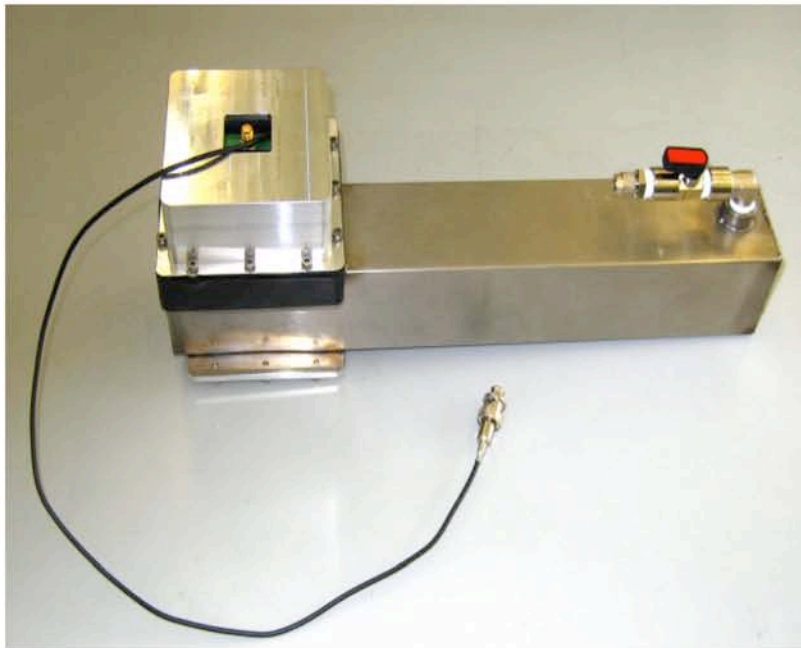
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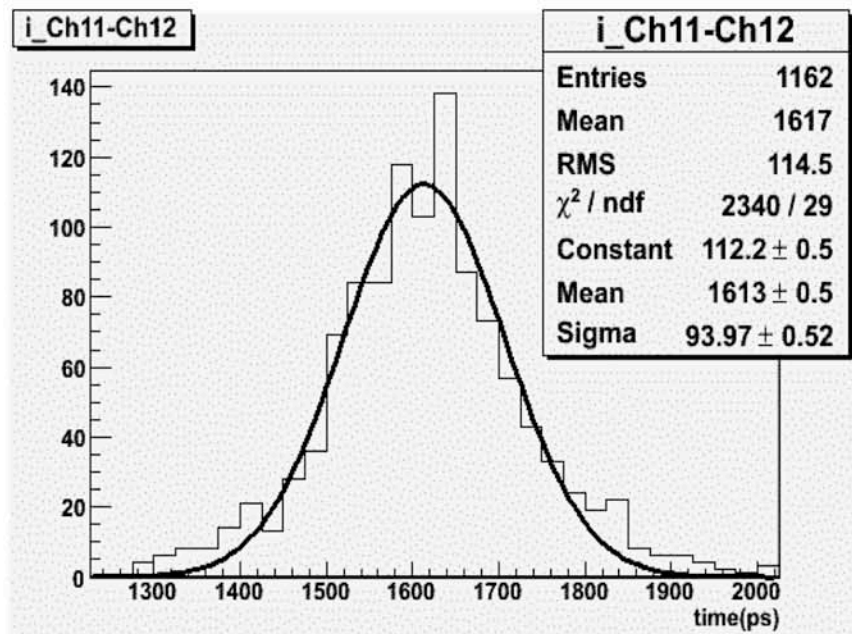


FP420 Fast timing Detectors



T958

- Fermilab Test beam experiment to study fast timing counters for FP420 (Brandt spokesman)
- Used prototype/preprototype detector with expensive or Louvain-made amplifiers and NIM/CAMAC discriminator/TDC to test concept
- Sporadic mostly parasitic running Aug 12- Sep 14 (primary user Sep 7-10, 14)



For events with a few bars on see anticipated $\sqrt{N}$ dependence

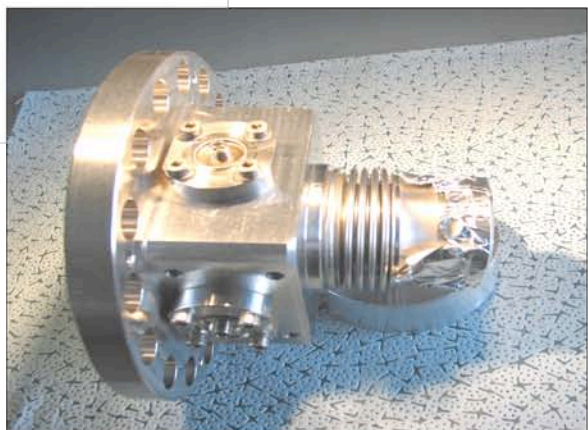
Upgrade for T958 Phase II

Planned for March 7-20

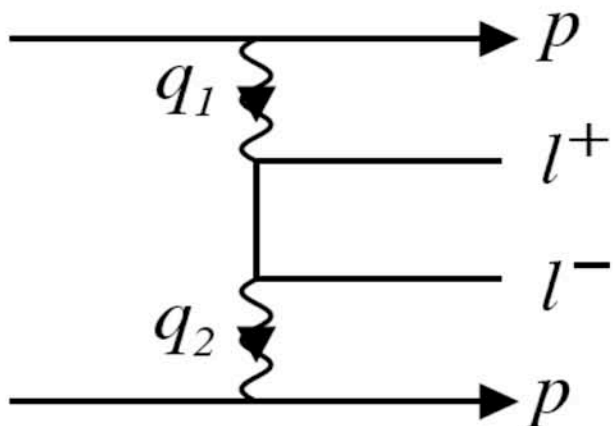
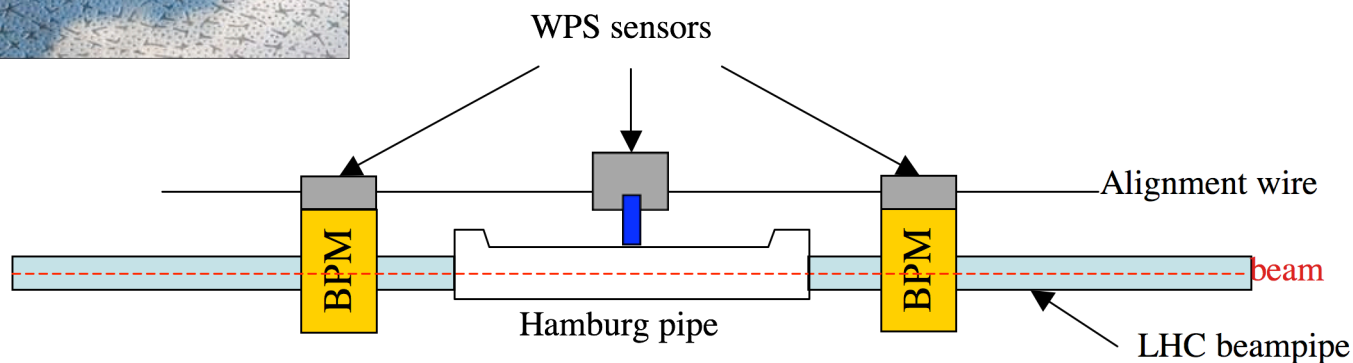
- New detector prototypes
- New electronics
- Improved DAQ
- Improved alignment
- Automated analysis and database routines, to allow instant and easier analysis
- Improved tracking
- At present, full QUARTIC + GASTOF would give 40ps. Upgrade expected to give ~ 20ps. Ultimately, with phase 3 improvements expect 11ps. Increase to 2 x QUARTICS would give < 10ps.



FP420 Alignment



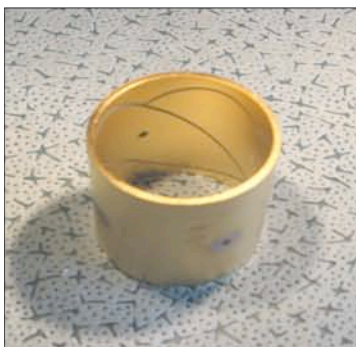
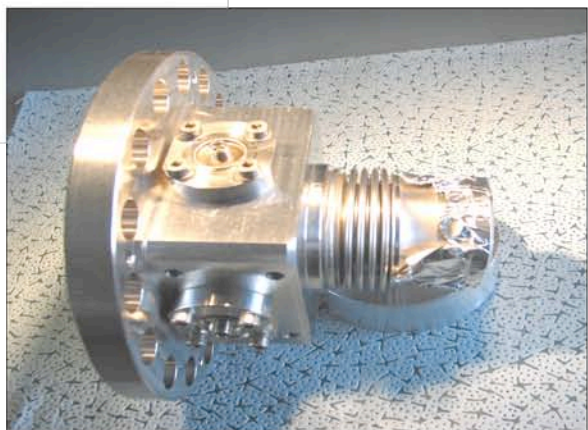
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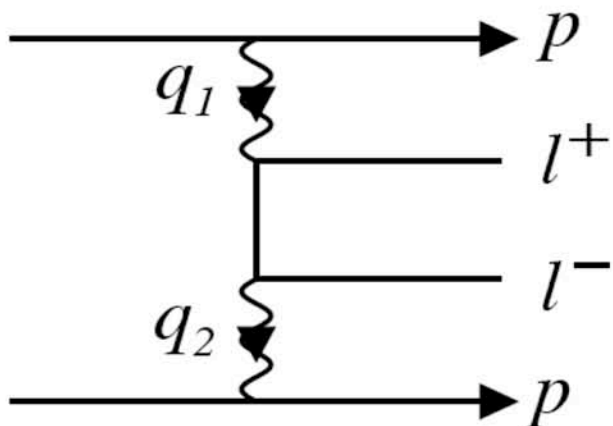
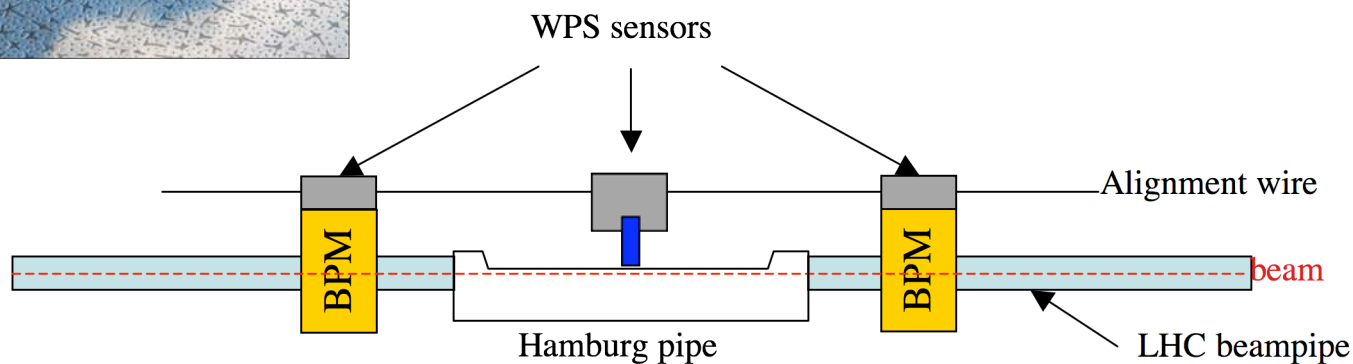
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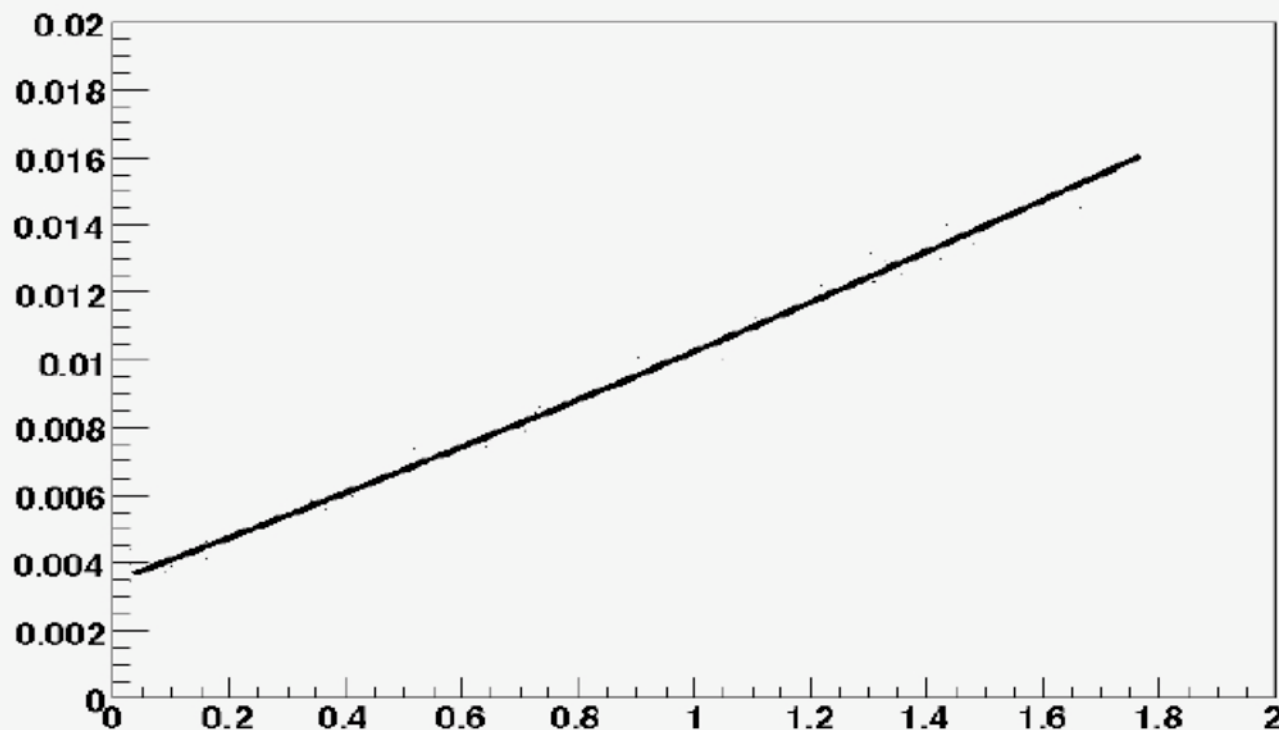


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Smeared Muon x1 Vs. Smeared Pot Pos x1

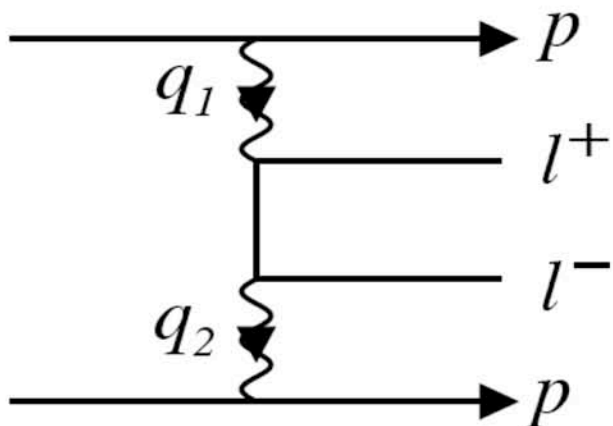


s + wire positioning
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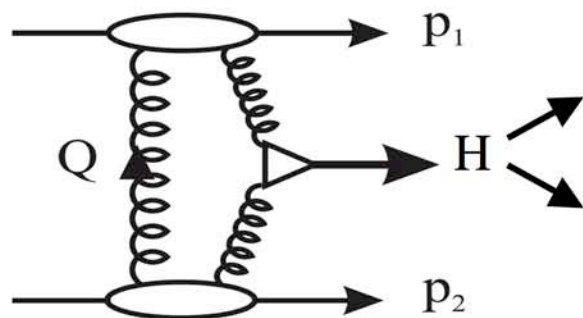
— beam

— LHC beampipe



@ $10^{33} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$ with standard ATLAS
triggers, have ~ 30 di-muon events / fill in
FP420 acceptance

The benchmark : Standard Model Higgs Production



WW^* : $M_H = 120 \text{ GeV } \sigma = 0.4 \text{ fb}$

$M_H = 140 \text{ GeV } \sigma = 1 \text{ fb}$

$M_H = 200 \text{ GeV } \sigma = 0.5 \text{ fb}$

$M_H = 140 \text{ GeV}$: 5 (10) signal (1 (2) “gold plated” dl), very small backgrounds in 30 fb^{-1}

$b \text{ jets}$: $M_H = 120 \text{ GeV } \sigma = 2 \text{ fb}$

$M_H = 140 \text{ GeV } \sigma = 0.7 \text{ fb}$

0^{++} Selection rule

QCD Background $\sim \frac{m_b^2}{E_T^2} \frac{\alpha_S^2}{M_{b\bar{b}}^2 E_T^2}$

Also, since resolution of taggers $>$ Higgs width:

$$S/B \propto \Gamma(H \rightarrow gg)/\Delta M \propto G_F M_H^3/\Delta M$$

• The WW^* channel is extremely promising : no trigger problems, better mass resolution at higher masses (even in leptonic / semi-leptonic channel)

• If we see Higgs + tags - the quantum numbers are 0^{++}

FP420 Discovery scenarios

The intense coupling regime is where the masses of the 3 neutral Higgs bosons are close to each other and $\tan \beta$ is large

$\gamma\gamma, WW^*, ZZ^*$ suppressed

$gg \rightarrow \phi$ enhanced

0^{++} selection rule suppresses A production:

CEDP 'filters out' pseudoscalar production, leaving pure H sample for study

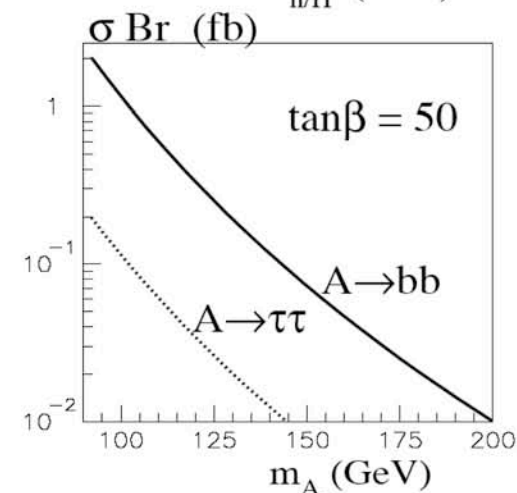
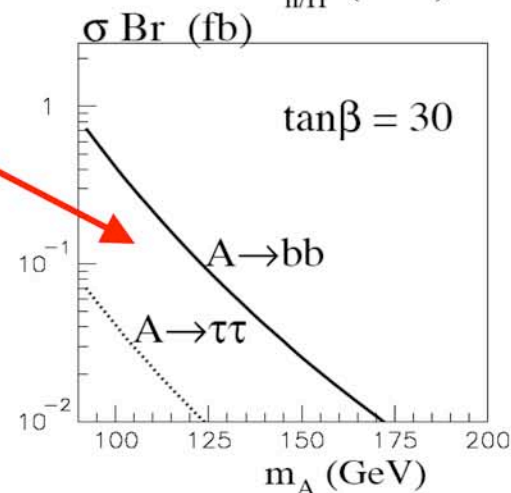
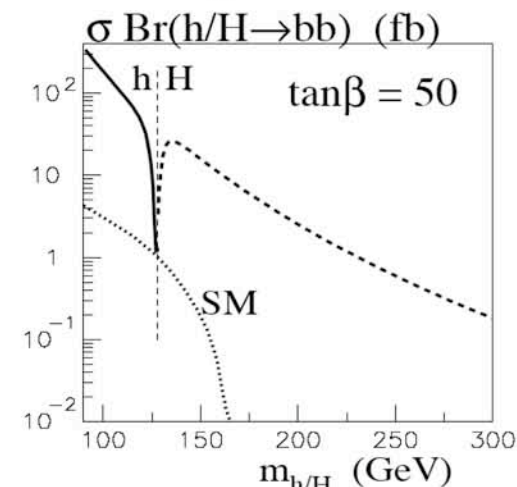
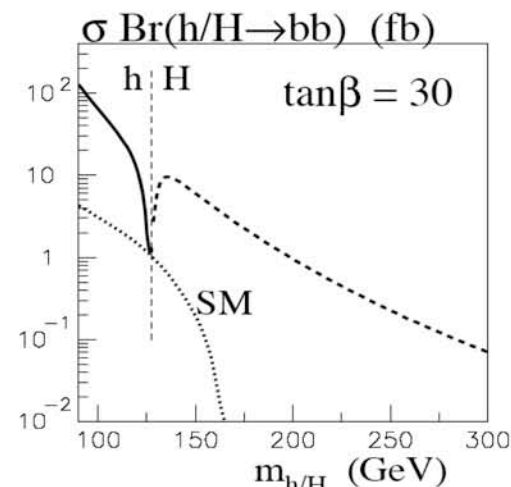
$M_A = 130 \text{ GeV}, \tan \beta = 50$

$M_h = 124 \text{ GeV} : 71 \text{ signal in } 30 \text{ fb}^{-1}$

$M_H = 135 \text{ GeV} : 124 \text{ signal in } 30 \text{ fb}^{-1}$

$M_A = 130 \text{ GeV} : 1 \text{ signal in } 30 \text{ fb}^{-1}$

Central exclusive diffractive production

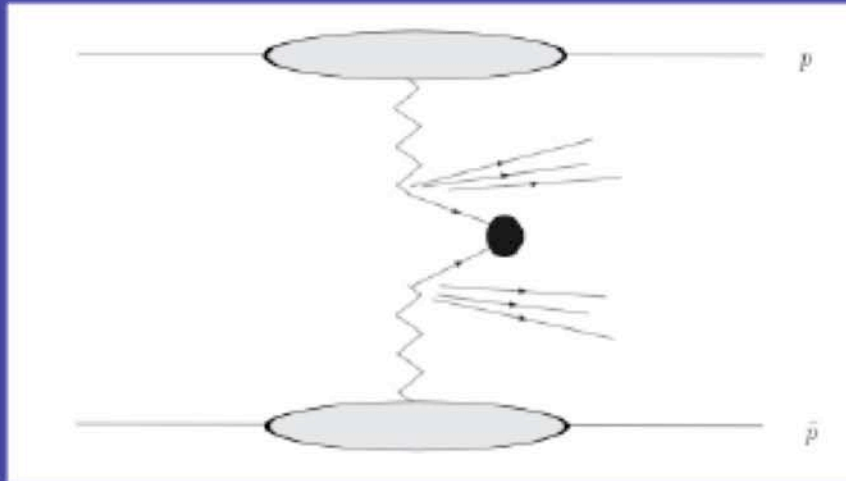


Well known difficult region for conventional channels, tagged channel may well be the discovery channel, and is certainly a powerful spin/parity filter

Backgrounds 1: CEP

- Backgrounds are:
 - $pp \rightarrow p + bb + p$ and
 - $pp \rightarrow p + gg + p$ (where both gluons are misidentified as b quarks).
- Quark production is suppressed by m_q^2 / M^2 .
This means that bb production is suppressed, but also that light quark backgrounds are negligible.
- These are also produced by ExHuME.

Backgrounds 2: DPE



This type of background is generated using the POMWIG MC.

$$pp \rightarrow p + A + bb + p$$

$$pp \rightarrow p + A + jj + p$$

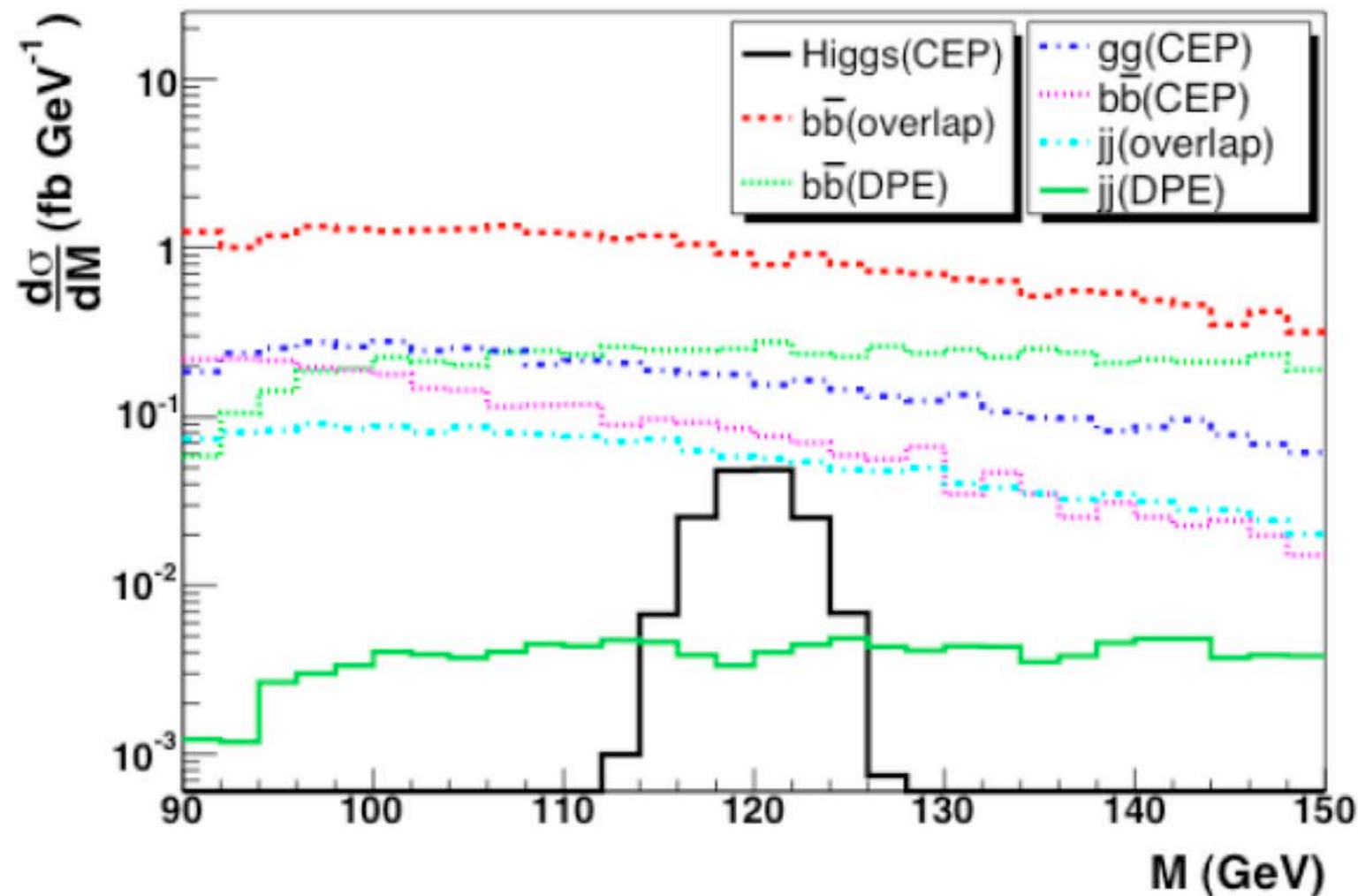
A = other activity in the central system. i.e. pomeron remnants.
j = light quark and gluon jets.

Note: $M \neq M_{bb}$

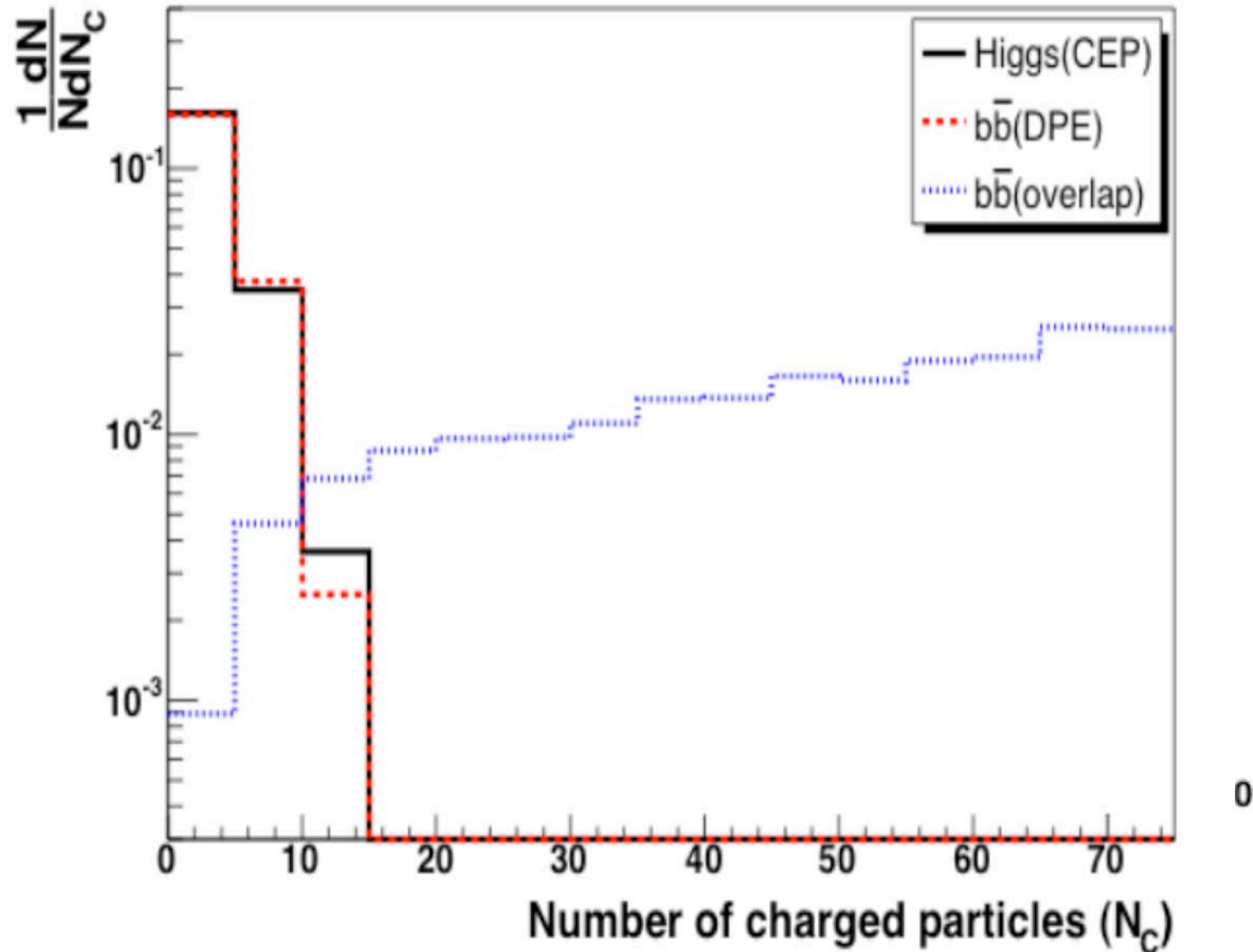
Backgrounds 3: Overlap

- The overlap background is a normal QCD (bb or jj) event + 2 single diffractive events in the same bunch crossing.
- $\sigma_{\text{new}} = (N-1)(N-2) P_i^2 Q \sigma$
 - σ_{new} = observed cross section (fb)
 - N = no. of pile up events (luminosity dependent).
 - Q = quartic rejection factor (Q=0.025)
 - P_i = probability of pile up event being single diffractive which produces a proton and causes a hit in FP420 .
 - σ = input cross section for the QCD event.

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Preliminary Results for full analysis (ATLFAST)

SM 120 GeV Higgs $\rightarrow$ bb after all cuts and acceptances, but excluding trigger

Final Cross Section

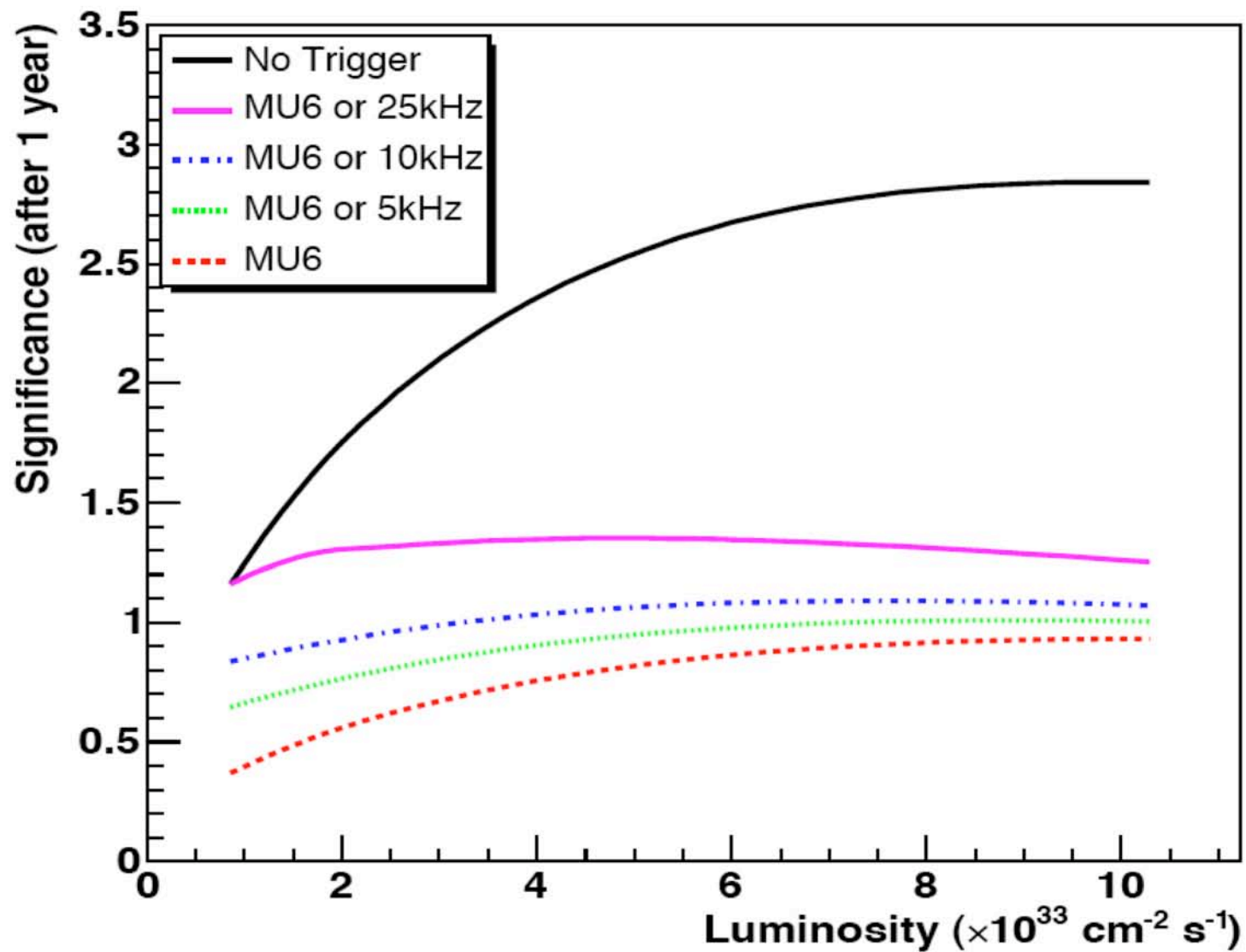
Process	σ_{K_T} (fb)	σ_{cone} (fb)
H $\rightarrow$ bb (CEP)	0.058	0.054
bb (CEP)	0.12	0.10
gg (CEP)	0.18	0.08
bb (DPE)	0.14	0.08
jj (DPE)	0.002	0.0005
bb (OLAP)	0.032	0.03
jj (OLAP_	0.001	<0.001

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FP420 Collaboration meeting,
CERN

How to keep those events

- Cannot use current jet triggers so.....
- Use low p_T muon triggers (as the b can decay to muon)
 - At ATLAS $p_T > 6\text{GeV}$
 - Retains 11% of events
- New Jet trigger?
 - Possible in principle to have large rate at level 1 and veto at level 2 using FP420. Level 2 rate of 20Hz (1%).
 - Veto on level 2 is 2 proton hits in FP420.
 - Additional veto on vertexing could be possible using QUARTIC TOF.
 - So choose $E_T > 40\text{GeV}$ and prescale to a fixed jet rate at level 1. i.e 1kHz, 5kHz or larger?



MSSM $\tan \beta = 50$, $M_A = 130 \text{ GeV}$, $\sigma \sim 7 \sigma_{\text{SM}} \sim 10$ (50?) signal in 30 fb^{-1} @ $2 \times 10^{33} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$

FP420 Timetable

- FP420 is an R&D collaboration between ATLAS, CMS and non-affiliated groups
- Aim is to build 420m proton taggers as upgrades to both experiments
- **FP420 will produce a design report in Spring 2007**
- If accepted by ATLAS and / or CMS, this will lead to TDR from experiments to LHCC in early summer 2007
- There will be no formal FP420 collaboration after this time, although we envisage creating some framework for continued co-operation in construction and installation phase
- The proton taggers will be operated and maintained like any other sub-detector component of ATLAS and CMS