

The sc cw-LINAC Demonstrator - 1st test of an sc CH-cavity with heavy ions

What is the sc cw LINAC Demonstrator?

1. The sc CH-Cavity
2. The Demonstrator Project
3. The sc cw LINAC
4. Summary

Collaboration-Project



ARD-Program of the Helmholtz-Gemeinschaft



GSI 1x Postdoc

IAP 1x PhD

HIM 1x Postdoc
1x PhD
1x Engineer

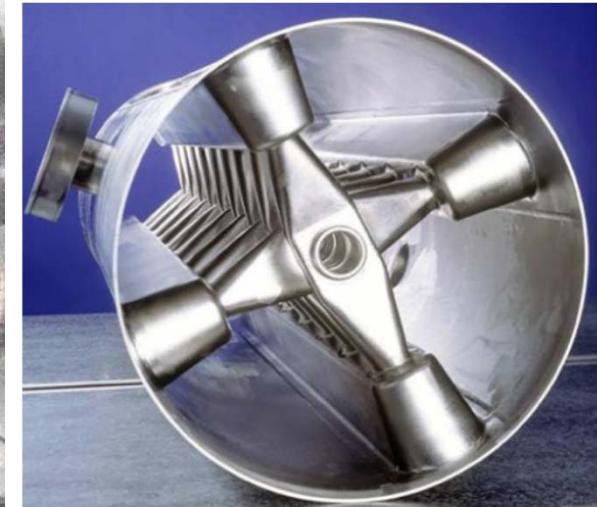
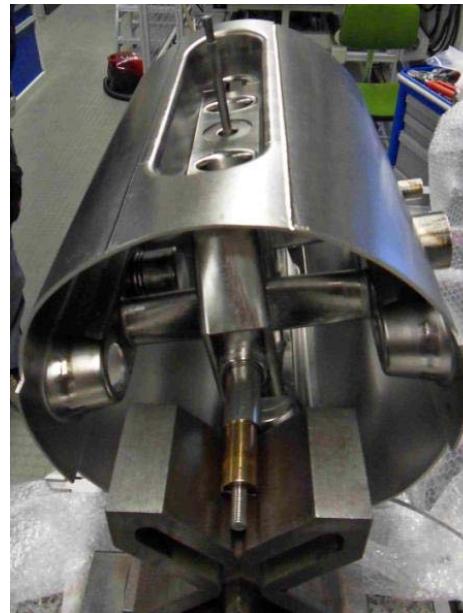
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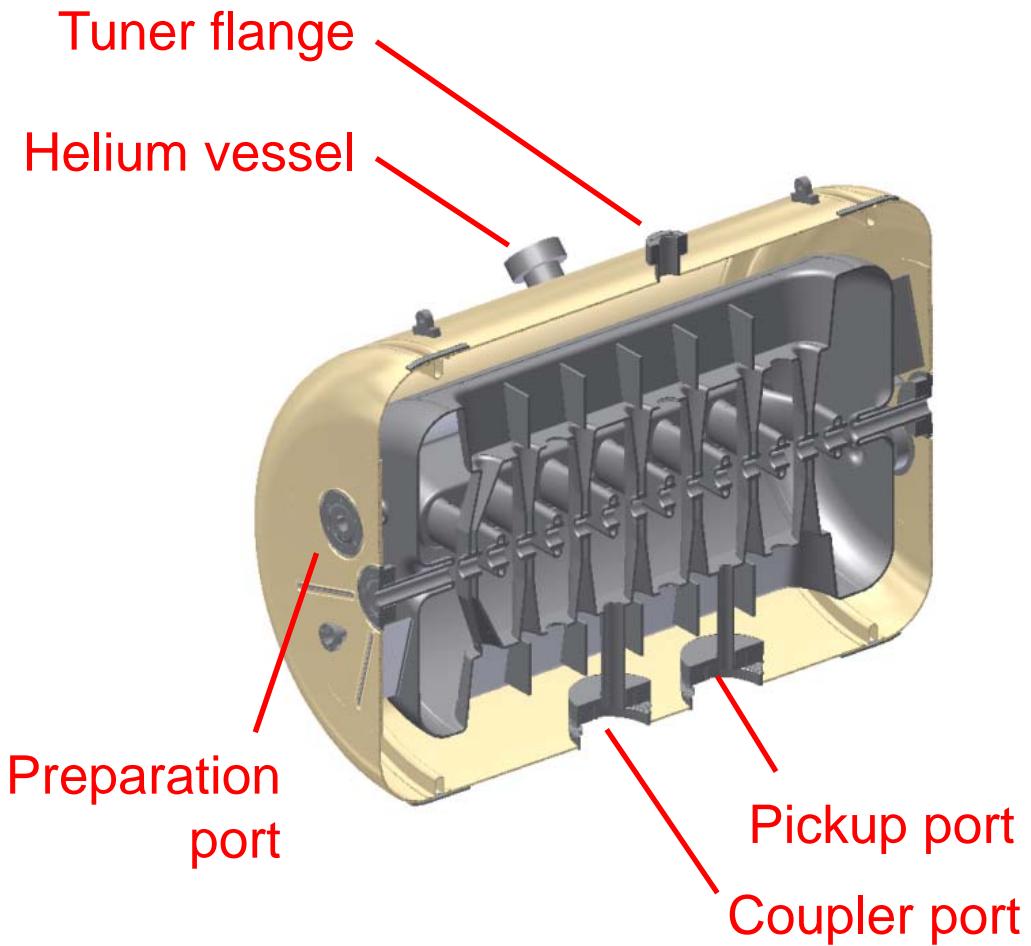
What is the aim?

Full performance test of an sc CH-Cavity with Heavy Ion Beam.

CH: Crossbar H-Mode



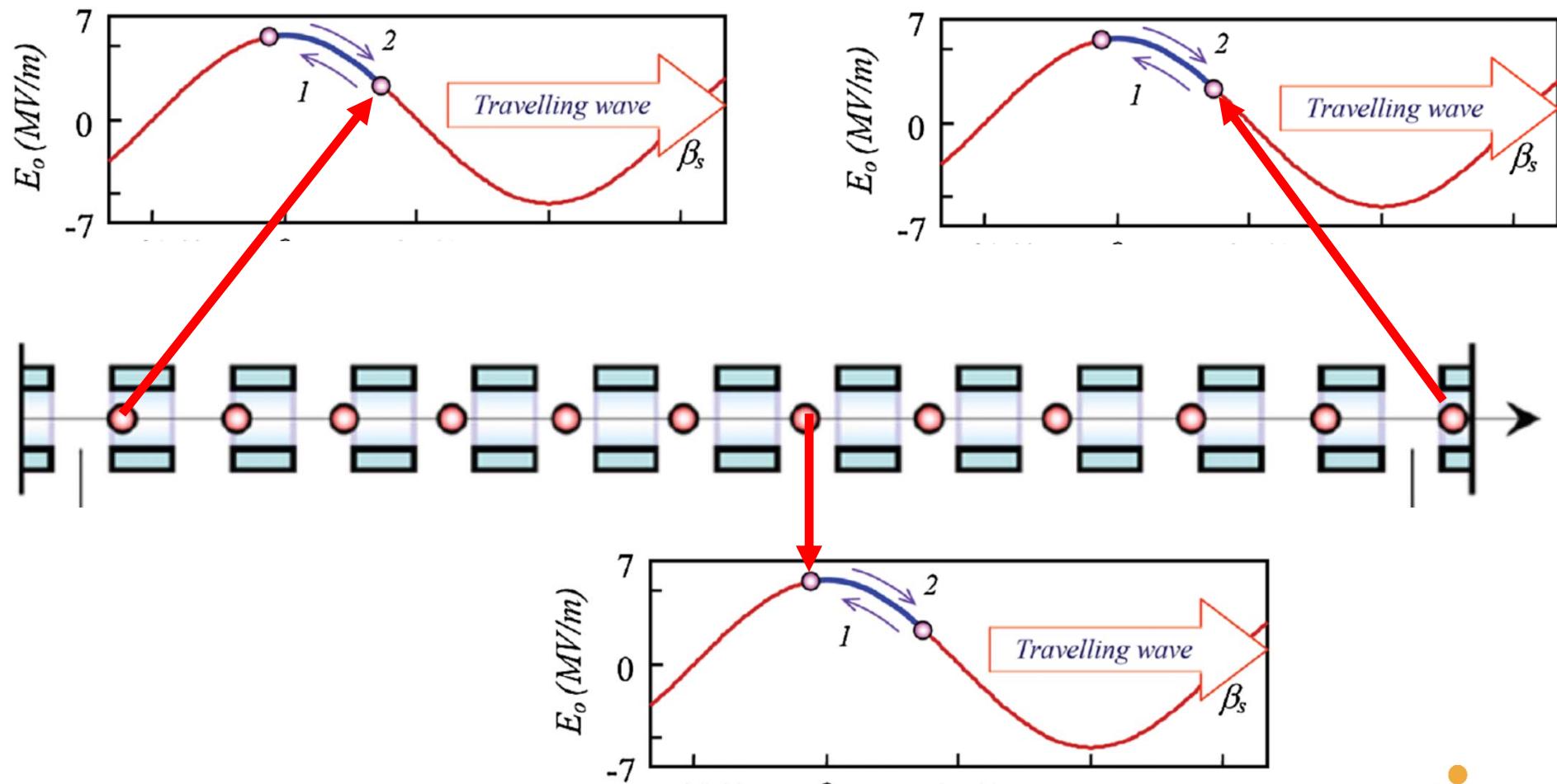
What a cavity is used?



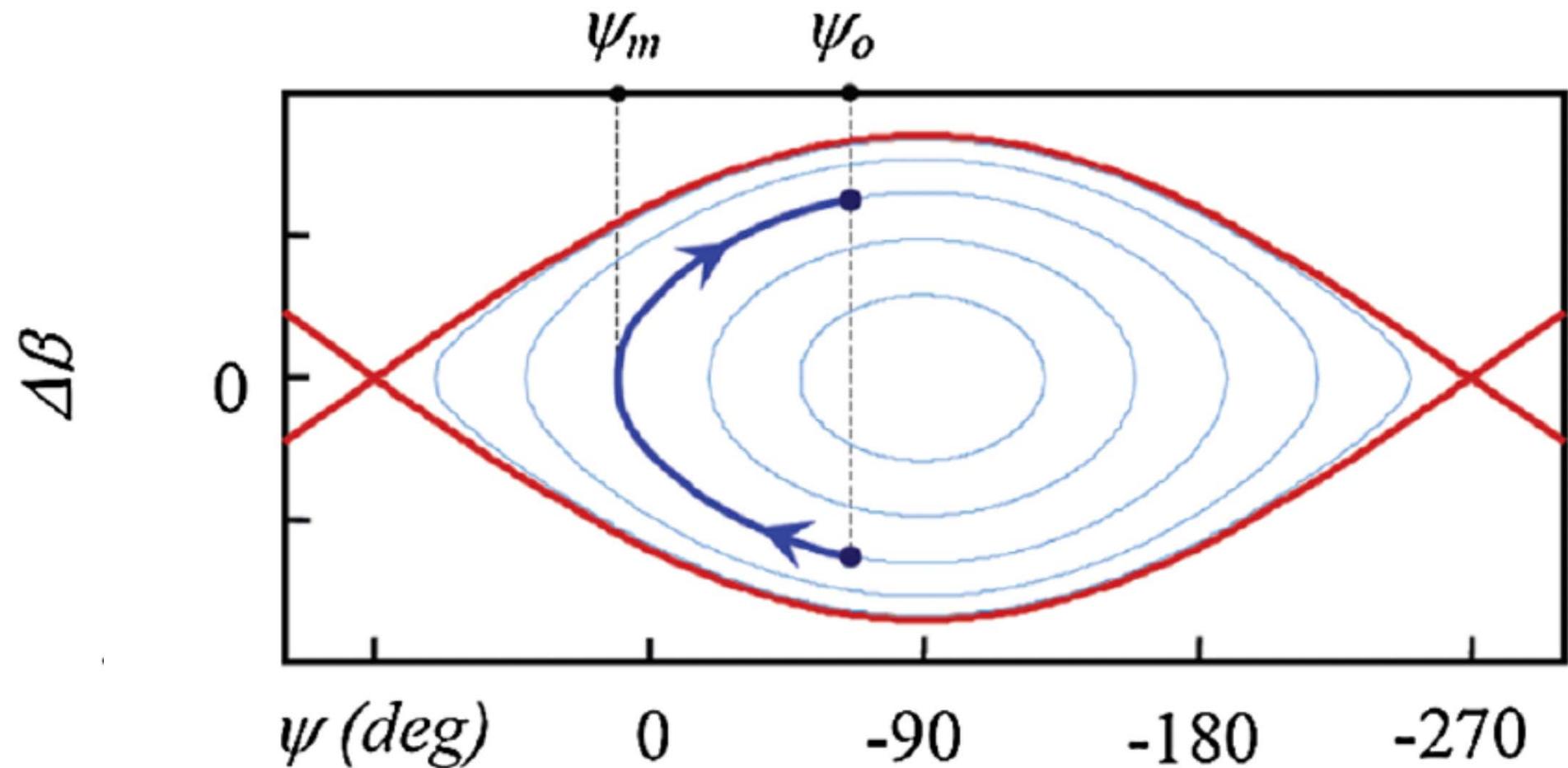
Parameter	Unit	
Beta		0.059
Frequency	MHz	216.816
Gap number		15
Total length	mm	687
Cavity diameter	mm	409
Cell length	mm	40.82
Aperture	mm	20
Energy gain	MeV	2.97
Accelerating gradient	MV/ m	5.1
Static tuner		9
Dynamic bellow tuner		3

What is EQUUS concept?

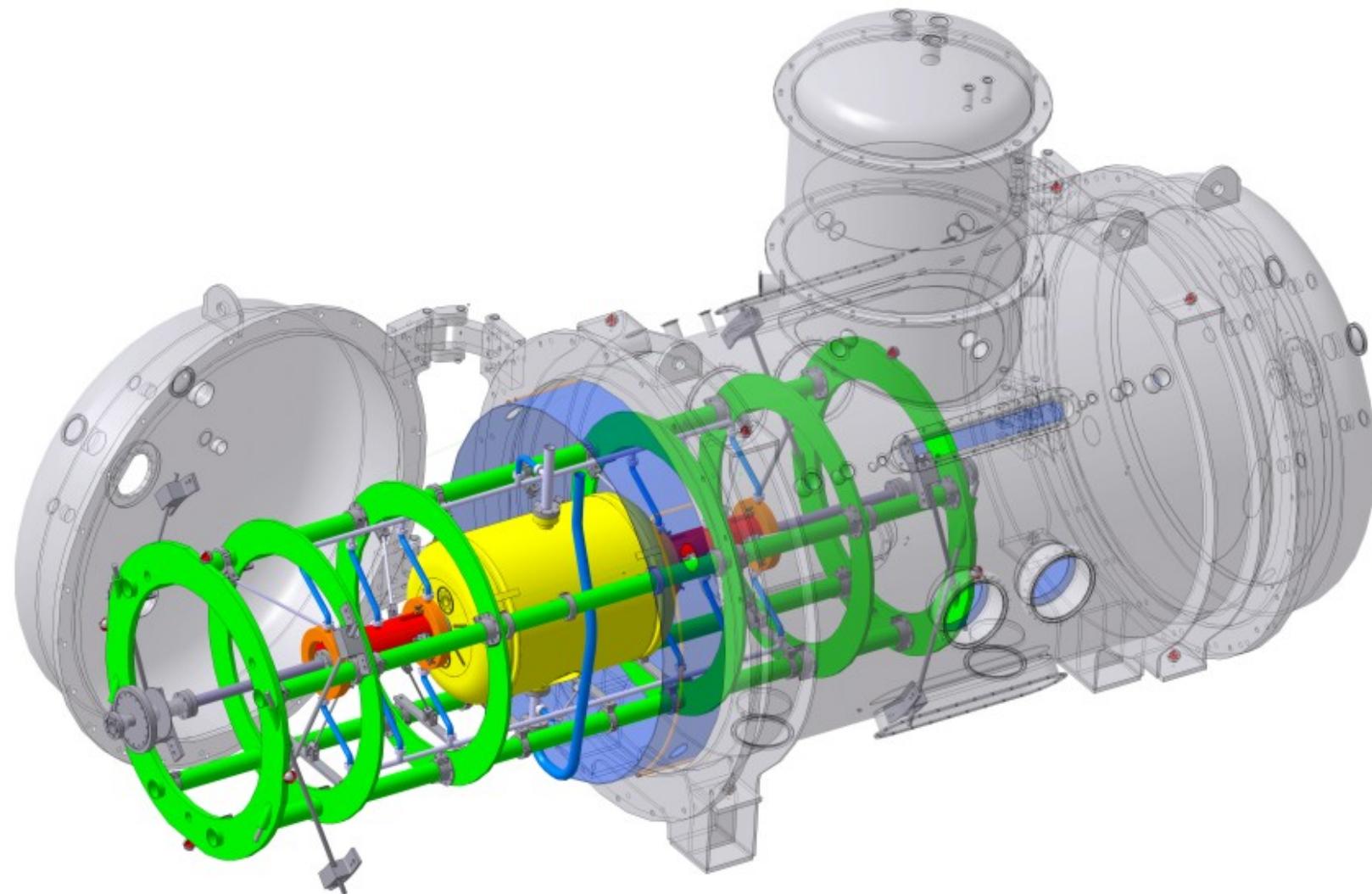
EQUidistant mUltigap Structure



Longitudinal Motion

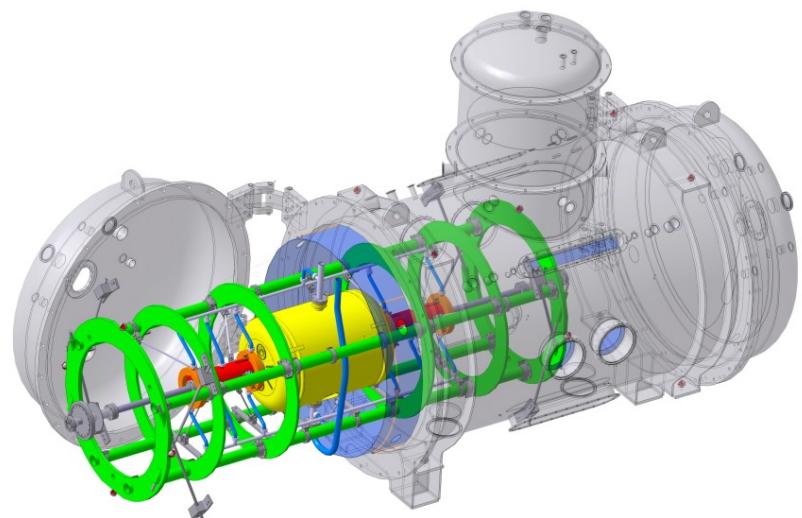


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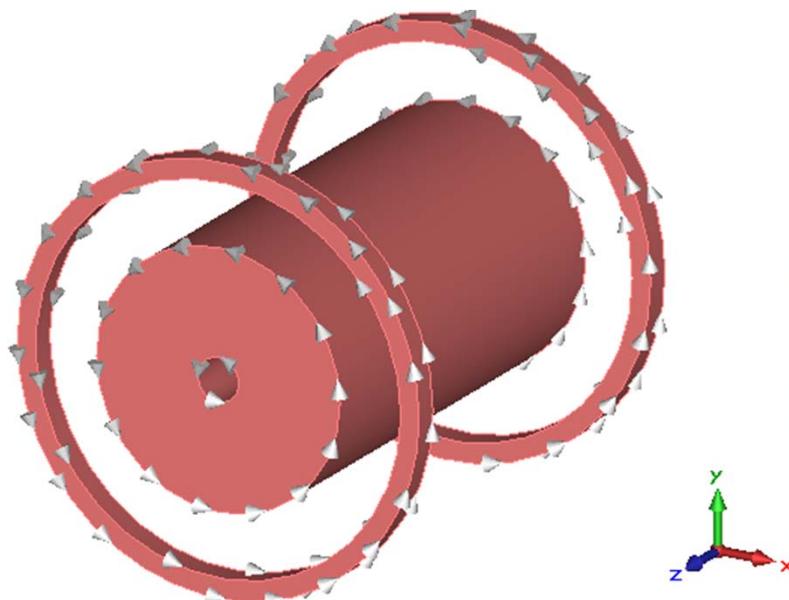
What are the parameters of the cryostat?

Inner length (mm)	2200
Inner diameter (mm)	1120
Material tank	Al
Isolation vacuum (mbar)	$<1 \cdot 10^{-5}$
Total leak rate (mbar*l/s)	10^{-9}
Max. operation pressure (bar)	$<0,5$
Operation temperature (K)	4,4
Temperature hydrogen shield (K)	77
Material magnetic shielding	μ -Metall (2 mm)
Max. static losses in stand-by operation (W)	<10
Cold-warm-transition (beam-pipe) - gradient (K/cm)	10

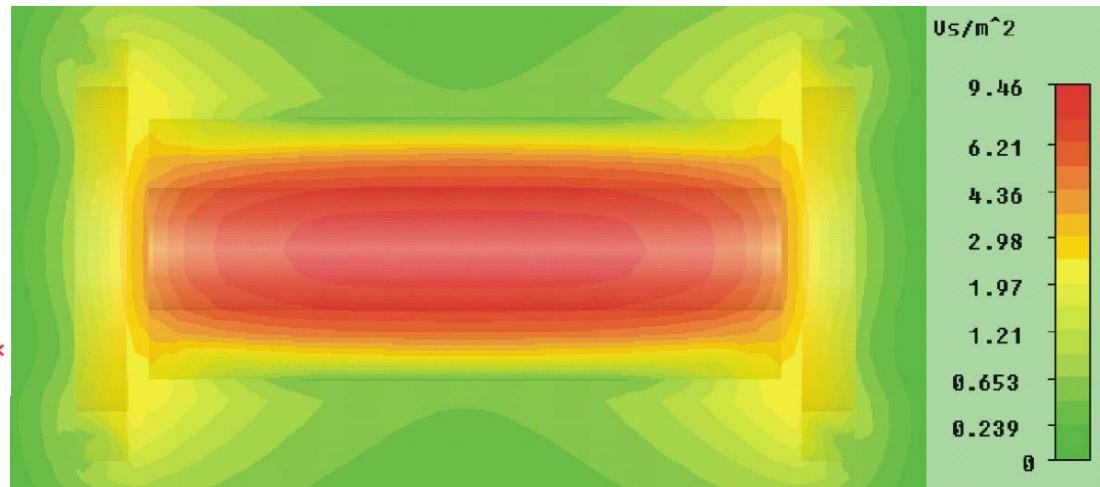


IAP/GSI - Design of the solenoids

R.E. Laxdal et al: *Magnetic field studies in the ISAC-II cryomodule*,
Physica C 441 (2006) 225–228

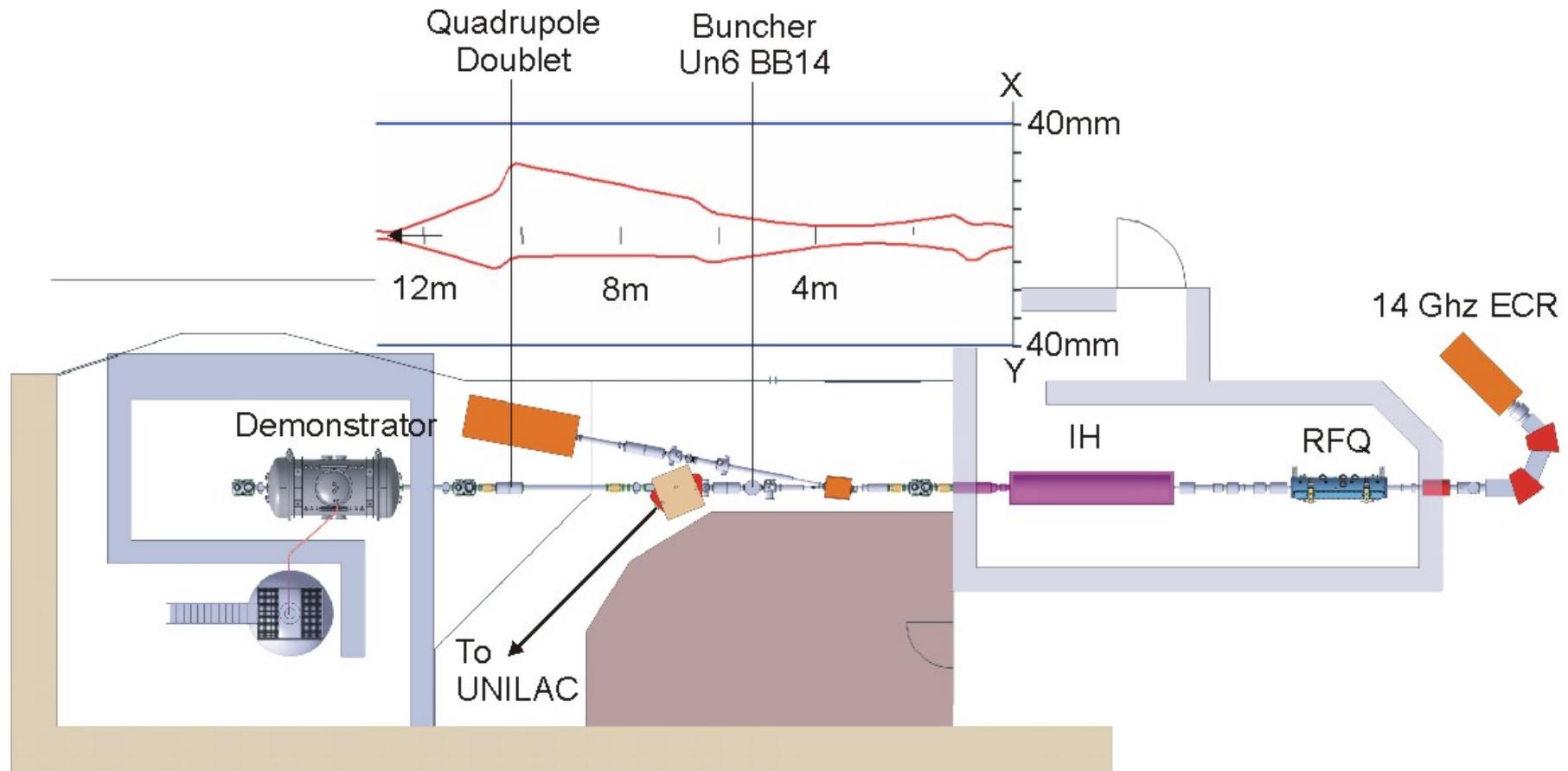


Bmax	9,323T
$B^2 \cdot L$	24 T ² m
L	0,28 m
Aperture	30 mm



Where is the Demonstrator mounted @ GSI?

High Charge Injector (HLI), 1.4 AMeV, 108 MHz





What is the timetable?

2010-12

Tendering & Ordering

order of CH-cavity is placed to RI, Germany

order of cryostat & solenoids is placed to Cryogenic, UK

2011

Delivery

5kW-Amplifier (DB Elettronica, Italy),

3000 ltr LHe-Tank (Cryoanlagenbau, Germany)

25m³ He-Recovery Balloon (Bieri-Zeltaplan, Germany)

2013

Test environment at GSI HLI is assembled

Delivery of the cavity

1st tests (warm & cold) @IAP

2014

Delivery of the cryostat and the solenoid

Starting full performance tests @GSI-HLI

What are the applications?

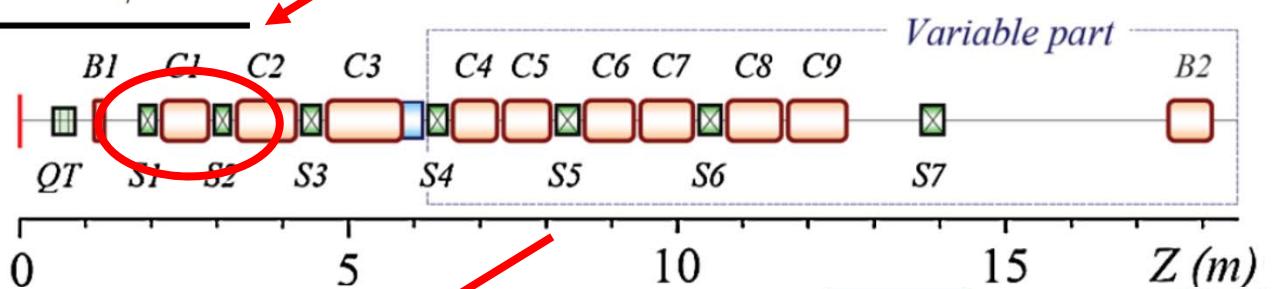
No	Frequency [MHz]	Beta	Status	Application
1	360	0.1	1st prototype Successful rf-tests (warm + cold) @IAP in 2007	Accelerator Driven System (ADS) „EUROTRANS“
2	325	0.16	1st SAT was successful in 2012	Energy Booster LINAC 2nd stage upgrade option for GSI-UNILAC
3	217	0.06	In fabrication Delivery in 2013	Sc cw LINAC @GSI
4	176	0.12- 0.18	Under development	MYRRHA , Mol/Belgium



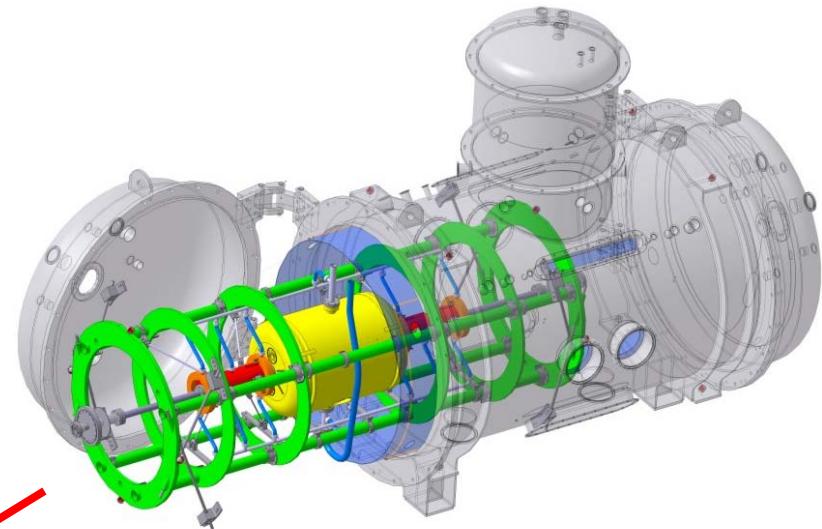
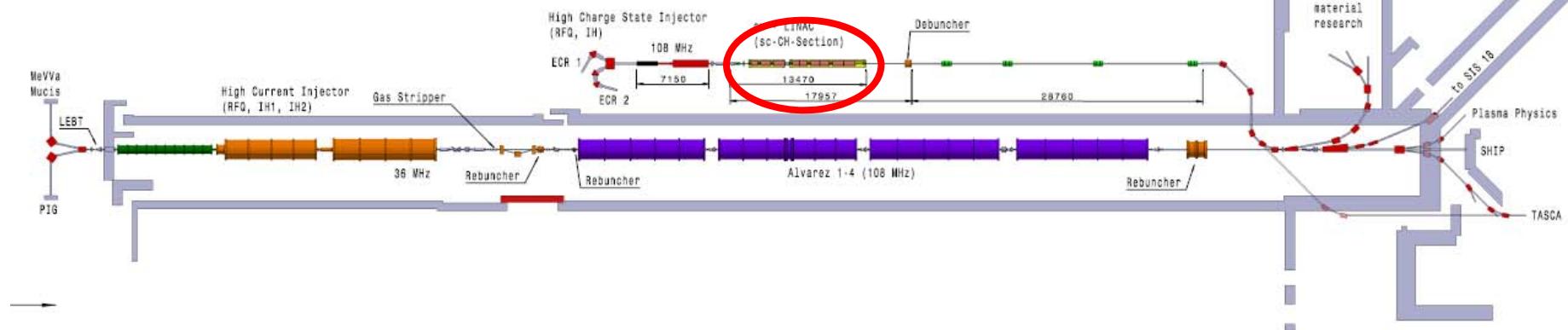
Table 1: General Parameters of the cw-LINAC

Mass/Charge		6
Frequency	MHz	217
max. beam current	mA	1
Injection Energy	MeV/u	1.4
Output energy	MeV/u	3.5 – 7.3
Output energy spread	keV/u	+/- 3
Length of acceleration	m	12.7
Sc CH-cavities		9
Sc solenoids		7

Minaev et al (IAP, 2009)



UNILAC + CW-LINAC



What is the benefit?

e.g. SHE@GSI:

@JNRL
(Dubna, RUS)



1981-1996 @GSI

observed @GSI
in 2010



Element 120, <0.1 pb (1pb <-> 1 event/week)

	UNILAC	cw-LINAC
Intensity (Particles per sec)	$3 * 10^{12}$	$6 * 10^{13}$
Beam on Target	10 weeks	4 days
Investment and (Operational) costs over 10 years (Million EUR)	0 (352)	20 (14)

S. Hofmann et al, EXON 2004, Peterhof, Russia



What is the perspective of a cw-LINAC @GSI?

- 1st proposal and follow-up proposal were evaluated "excellent" by HGF
- but NO funding at the moment
- proof of principle on the CH-cavity
-> successful Demonstrator-project
- strong user community has to be picked up, not only SHE, requesting energies in the Coulomb barrier range
- Check the existing design with respect to the requirements of a broad community: max. energy, A/Q, ...
- Is a standalone accelerator concept reasonable?

How does the cw LINAC match the future GSI?



Today: B. Schlitt - Design studies for a new heavy ion injector LINAC for FAIR
Thu: L Dahl – Development of the Intensity & Quality of the Heavy Ion Beams @GSI



What is the sc cw Demonstrator?

- The aim is a 1st test of an sc CH-cavity with beam
- The equidistant multigap-structure has advantage with respect to manufacturing
- High acc. gradients can be reached due to high density of acc. gaps
- The Demonstrator project is a proof-of-principle on the cavity
- Successful tests open a broad field of applications:
 - ADS for transmutation of nuclear waste
 - energy booster LINAC
 - sc cw-LINAC

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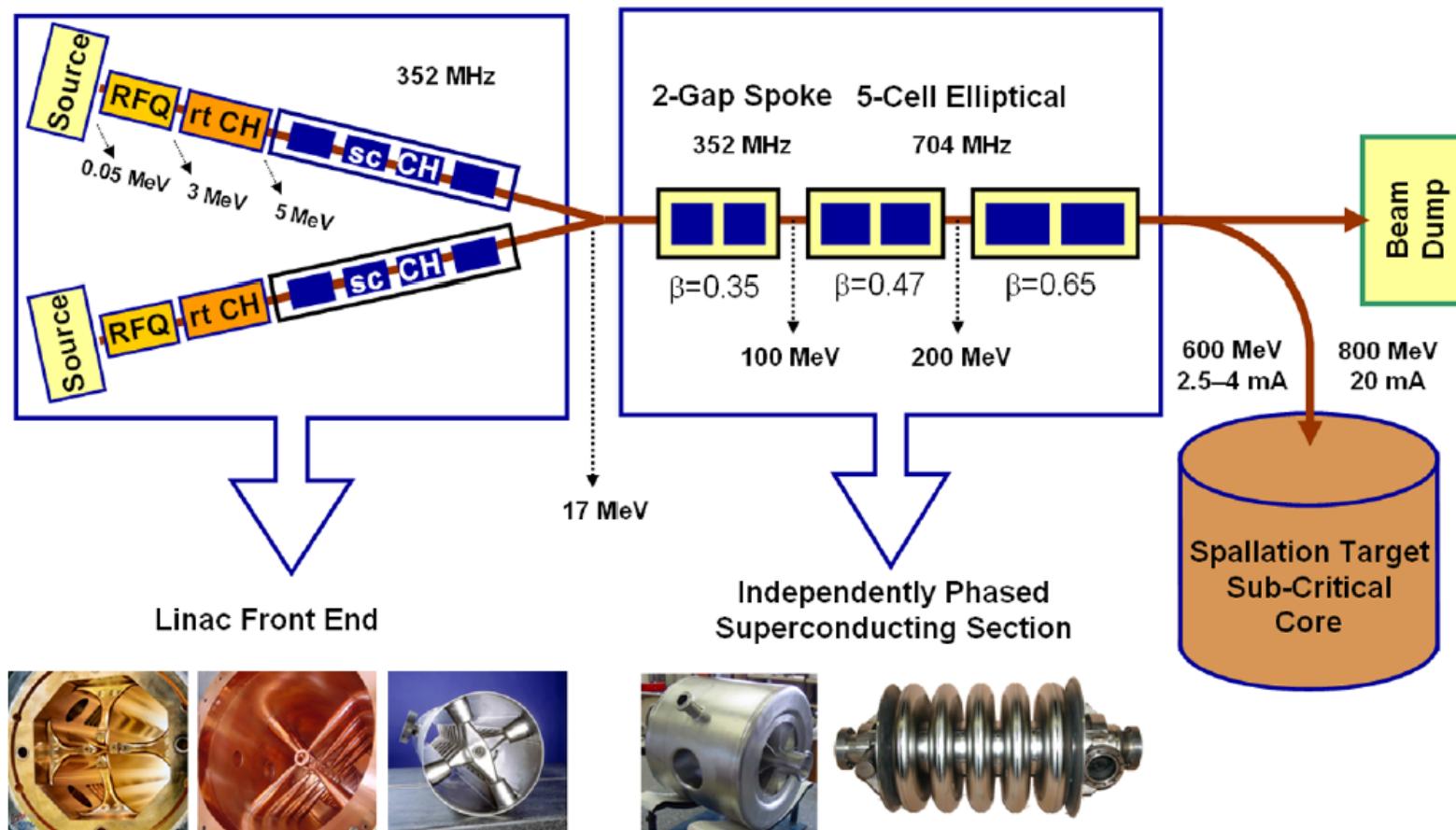
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Multi-purpose hybrid research reactor for high-tech applications (MYRRHA)



How the LHe is provided?

