



Low-energy ion beam storage and eV electron cooling

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Low-energy ion beam storage

**Electron cooling and collision physics
with molecular ion beams**

**The Cryogenic Storage Ring project:
layout, electron cooling, planned experiments**

**Dedicated to Dieter Moehl
for his early support, his example, and his open mind**

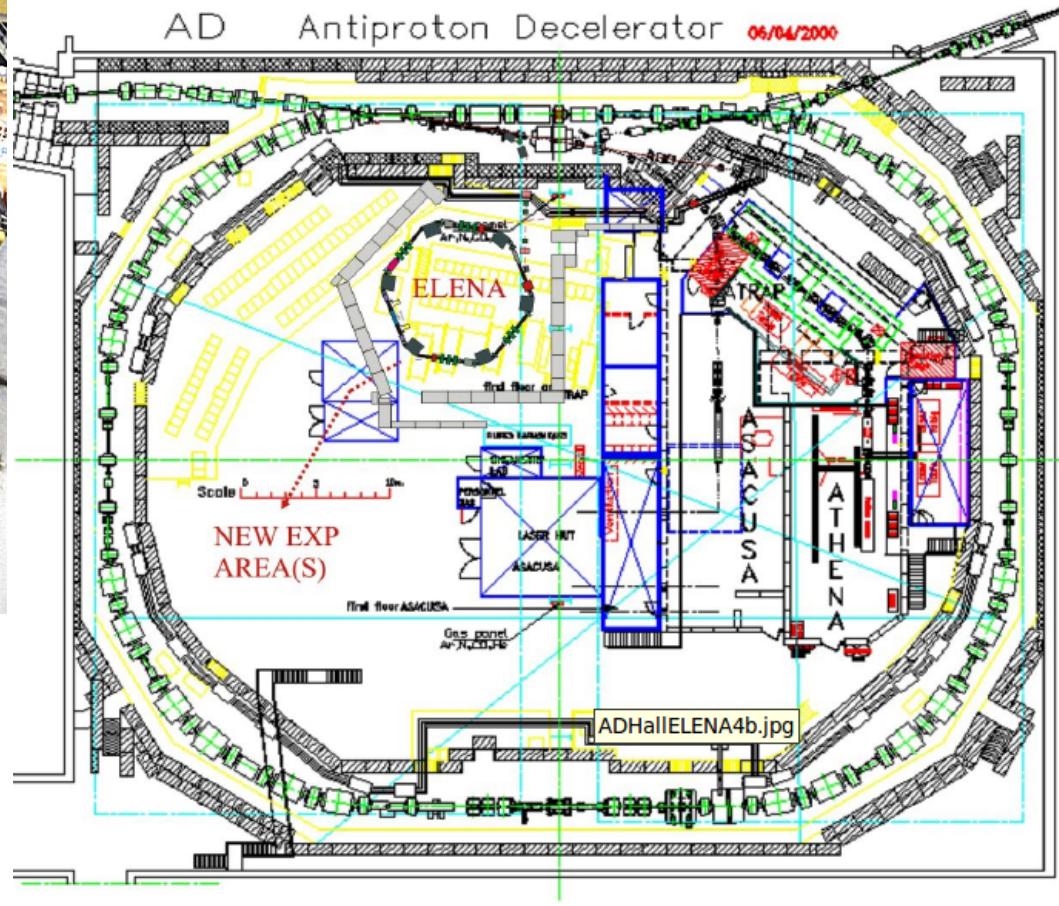
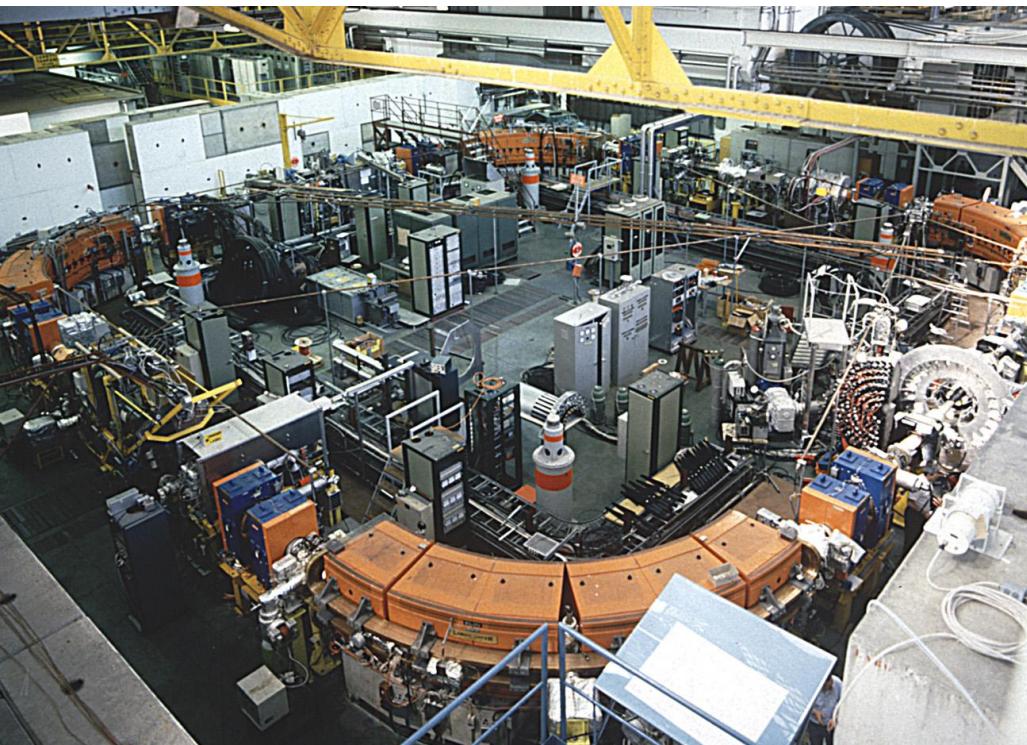


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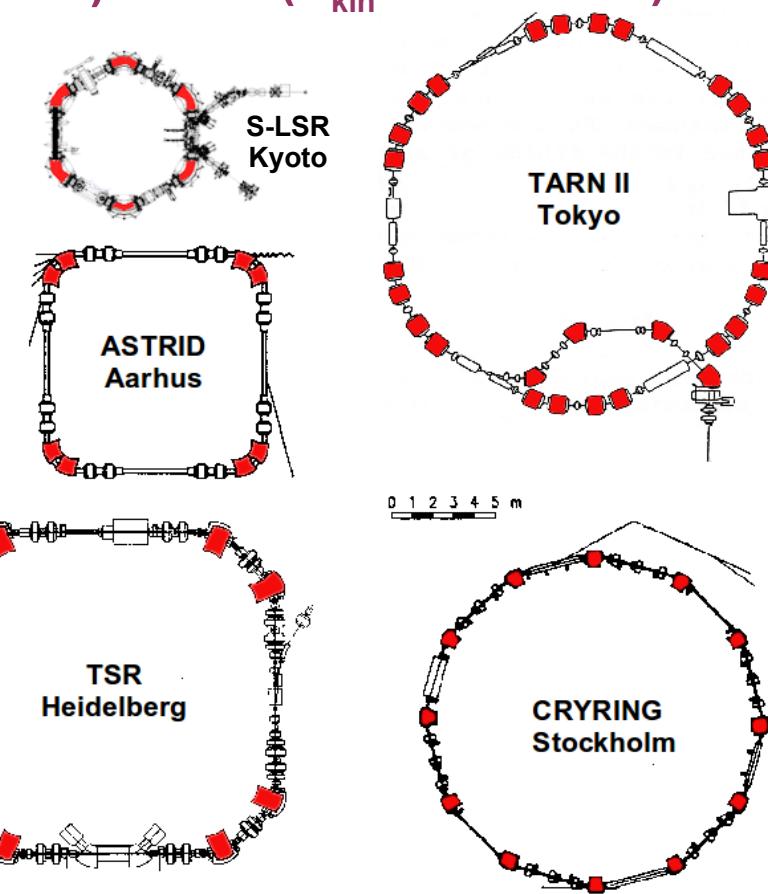
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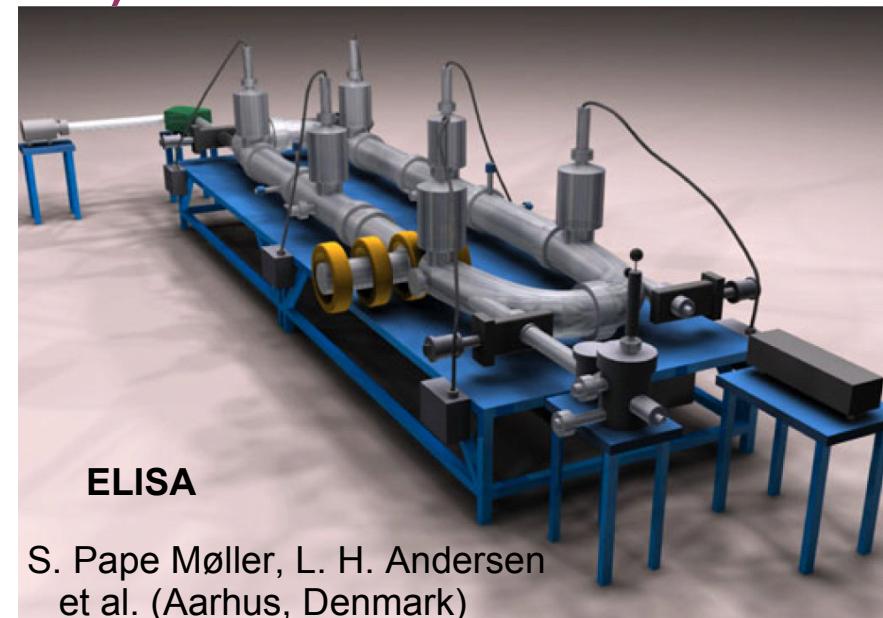
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Large ion rings (ESR,
COSY, CSR Lanzhou, ...)

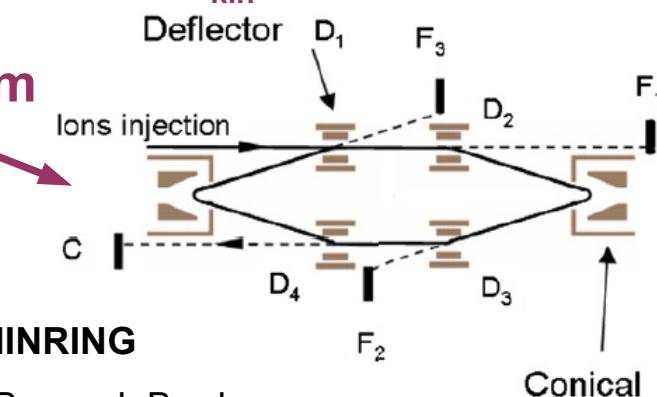


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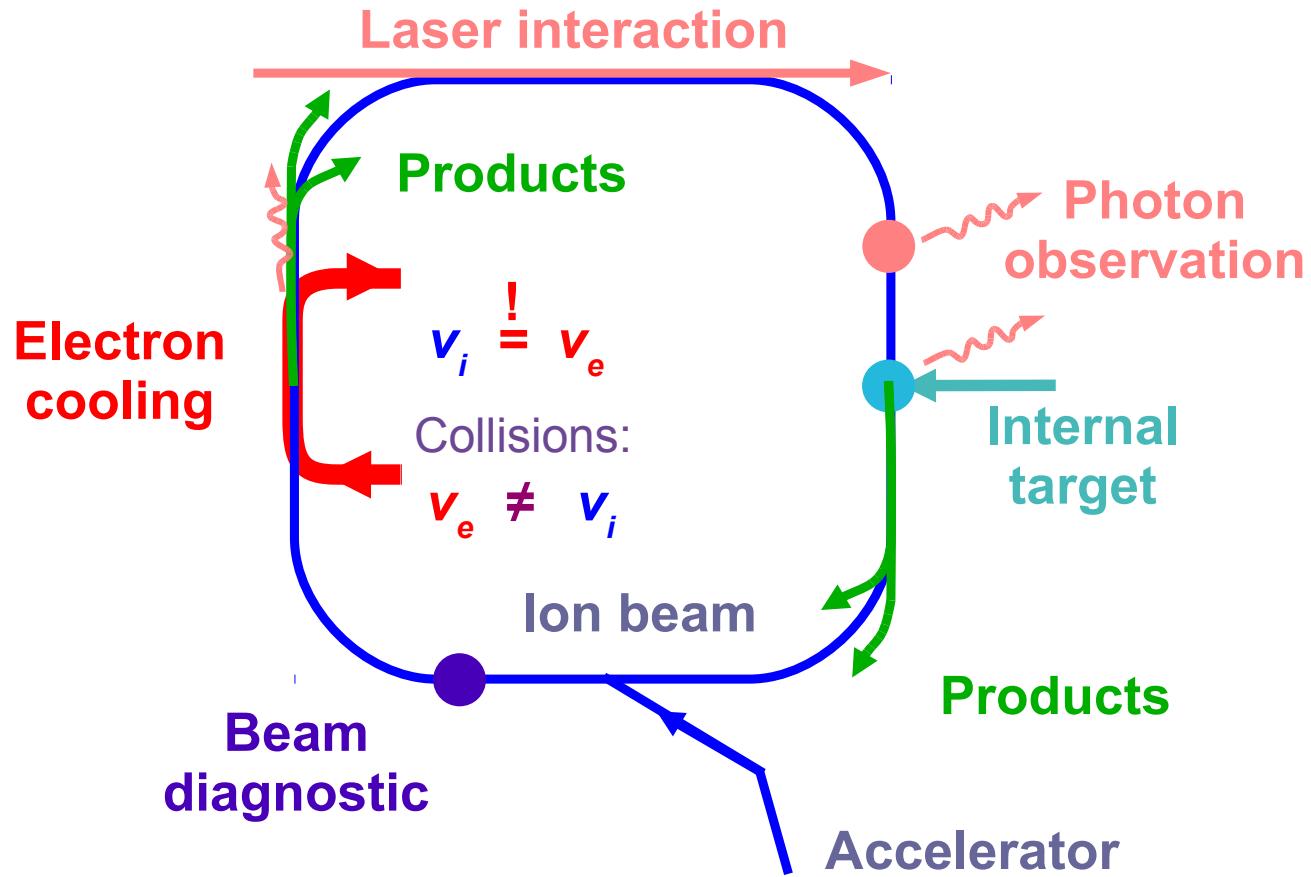
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Electrostatic ion beam traps and table-top storage rings	Weizmann Inst., Israel Stockholm (Cone trap) Lyon, France (0.4 × 0.1 m ring) + ... Ion beam trap (switched reflectron) D. Zajfman et al. (WIS) and meanwhile many other labs	$E_{\text{kin}} \sim 4 \text{ keV (typ.)}$  MINRING Bernard, Bredy, Martin et al. (LASIM, Lyon)

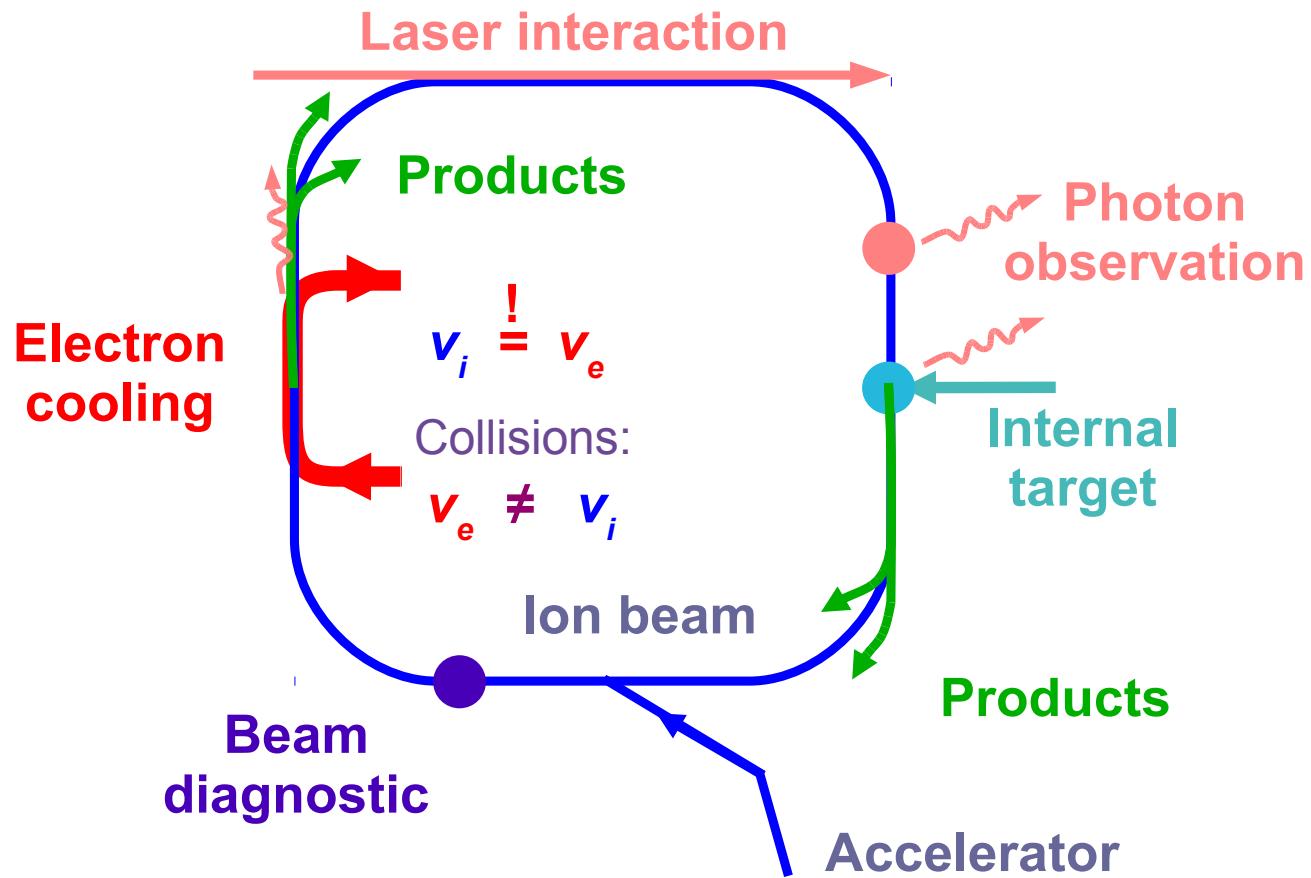
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Atomic (highly charged) ions



Molecular ions



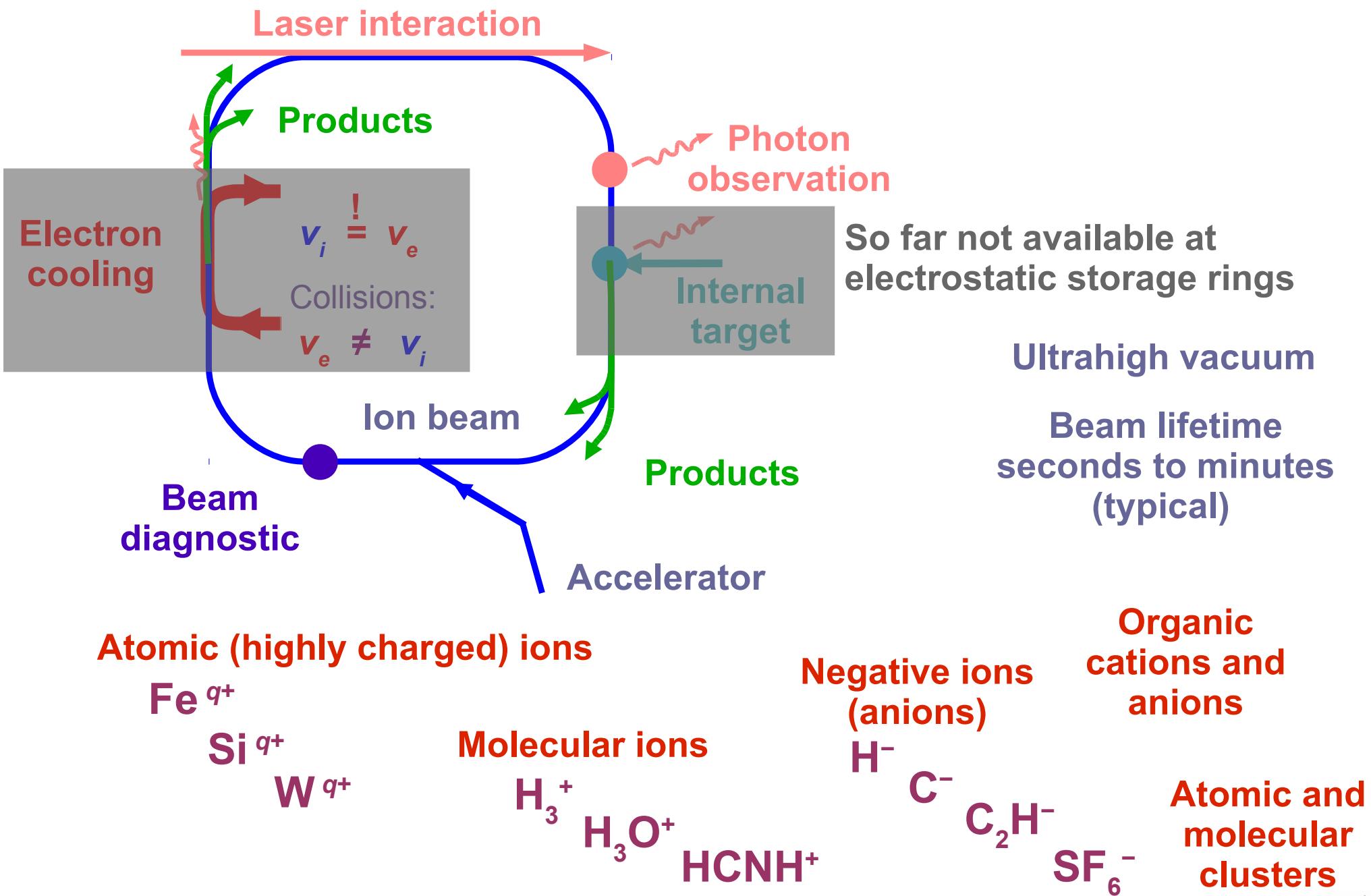
Negative ions (anions)



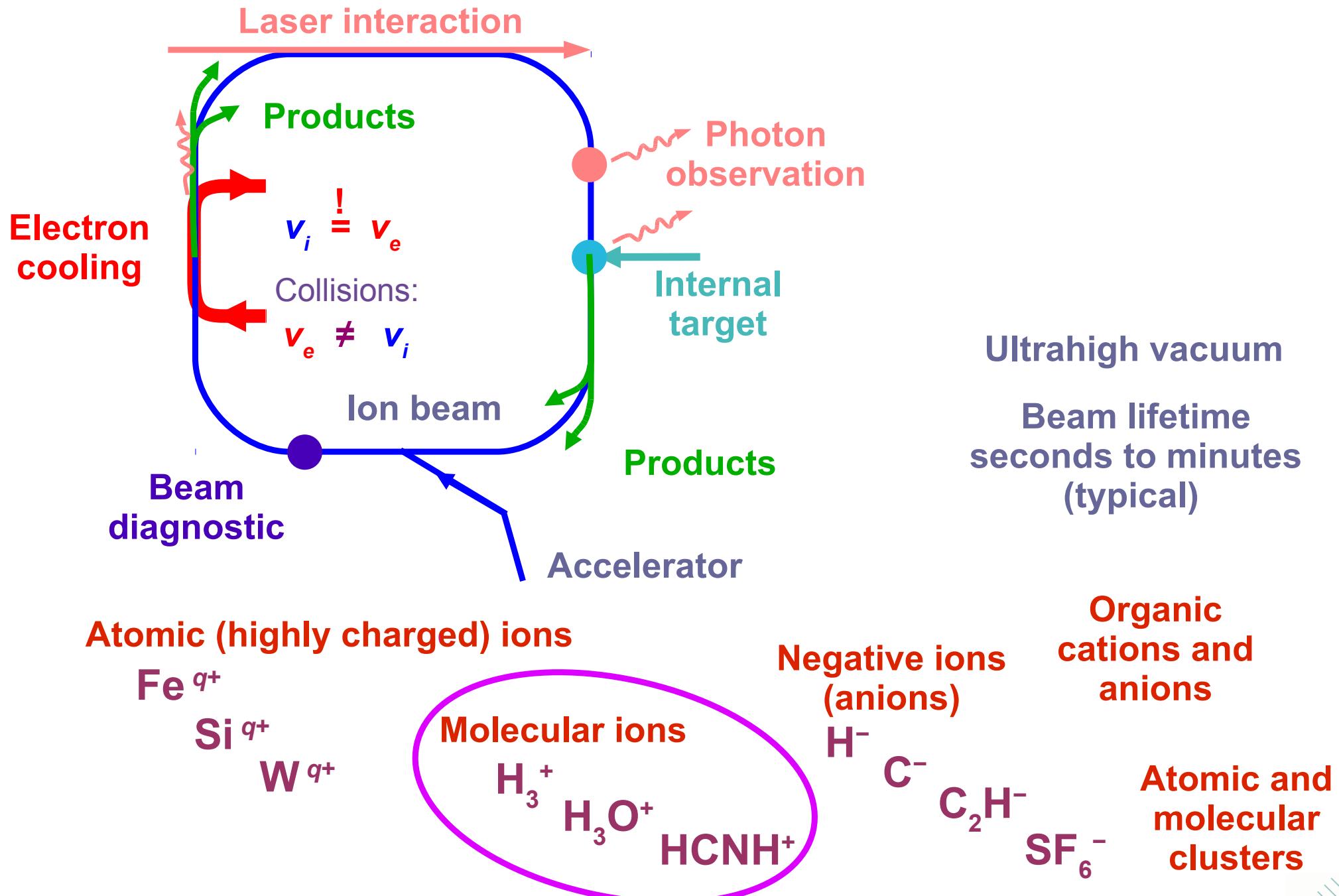
Organic cations and anions

Atomic and molecular clusters

Low-energy cooler storage rings



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Hot interstellar gas



Gas heated
by active galactic
nucleus
(supermassive
black hole)

X-ray view (blue)
of galaxy
M106

Palomar
observatory
A. S. Wilson
et al.

Interstellar molecular clouds



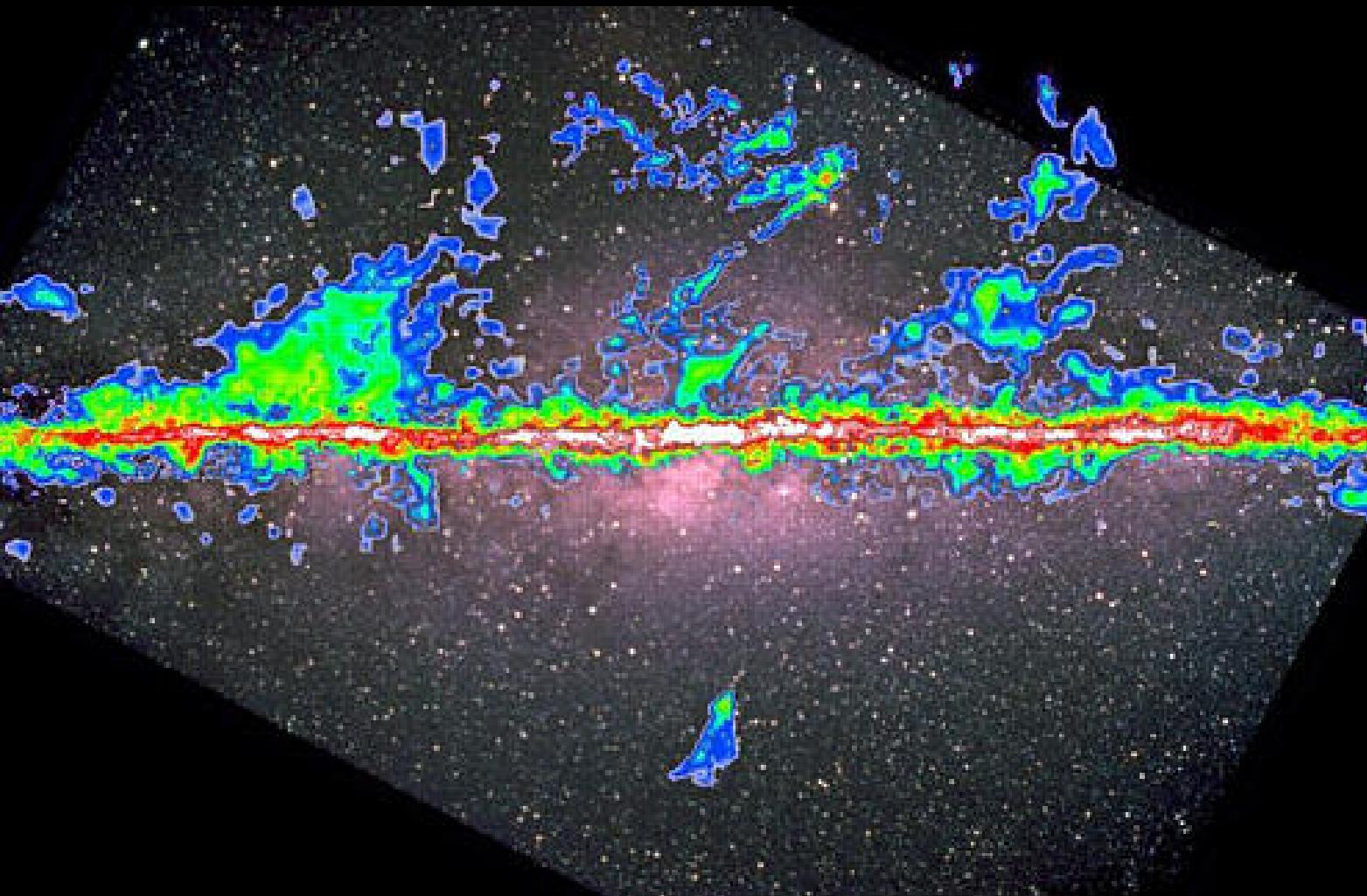
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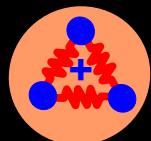
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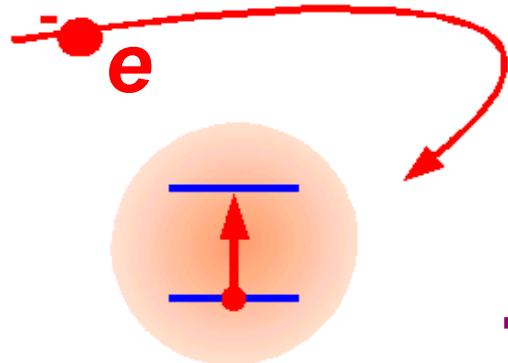
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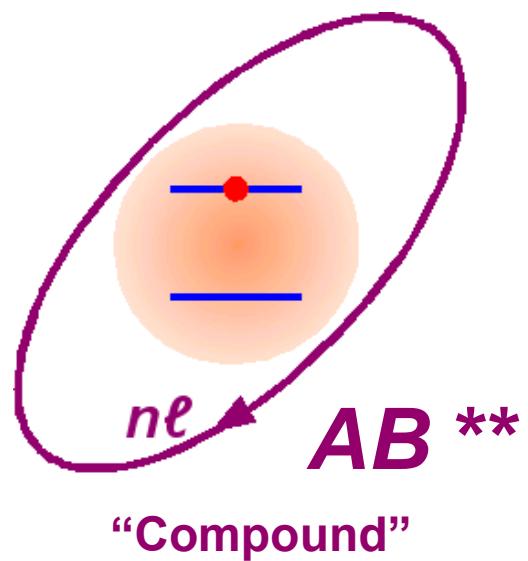
Interstellar clouds, star-forming regions, protoplanetary disks

Observed by infrared and radio spectroscopy

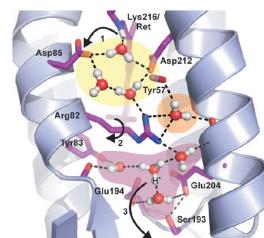
Molecular breakup by cold electrons



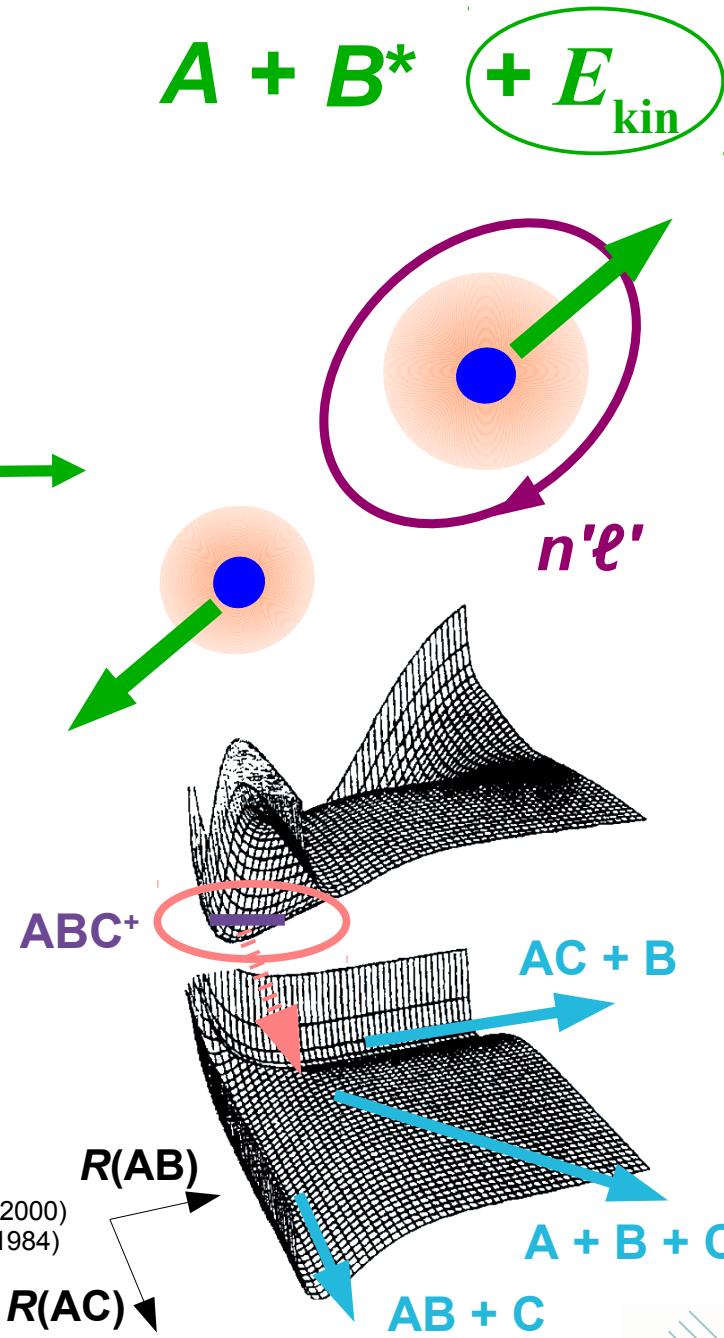
Dissociative
recombination



Dissociative electron attachment
on neutral molecules



Slow electron
→ negative ion
+ dissociation

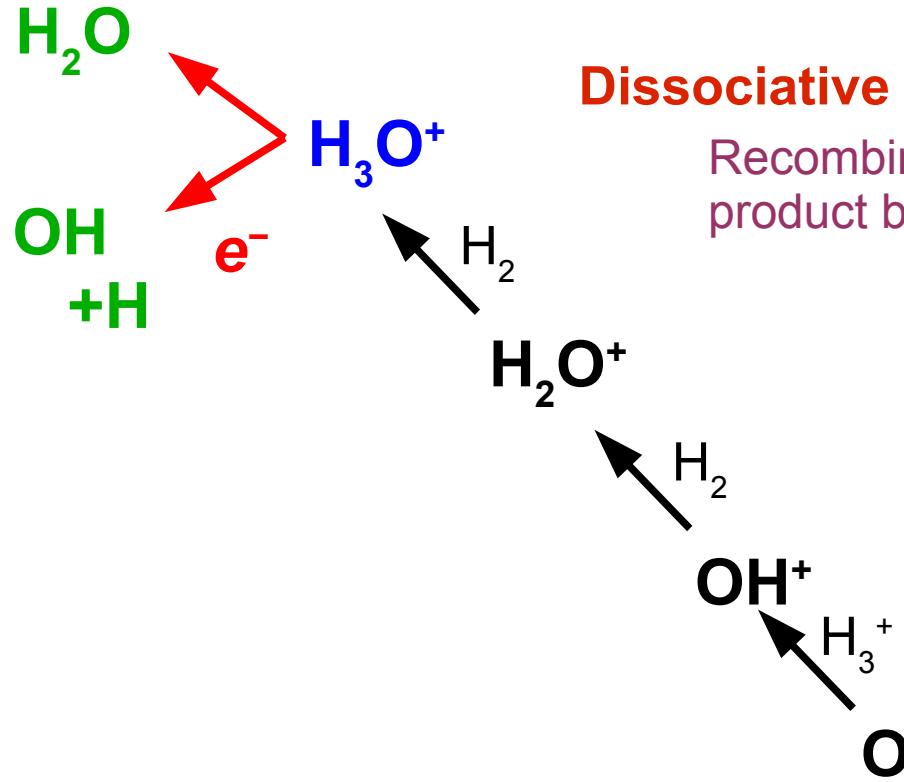


Suzor-Weiner, Nature (2000)
Murrell, ... Varandas (1984)

Ion chemistry building up interstellar molecules

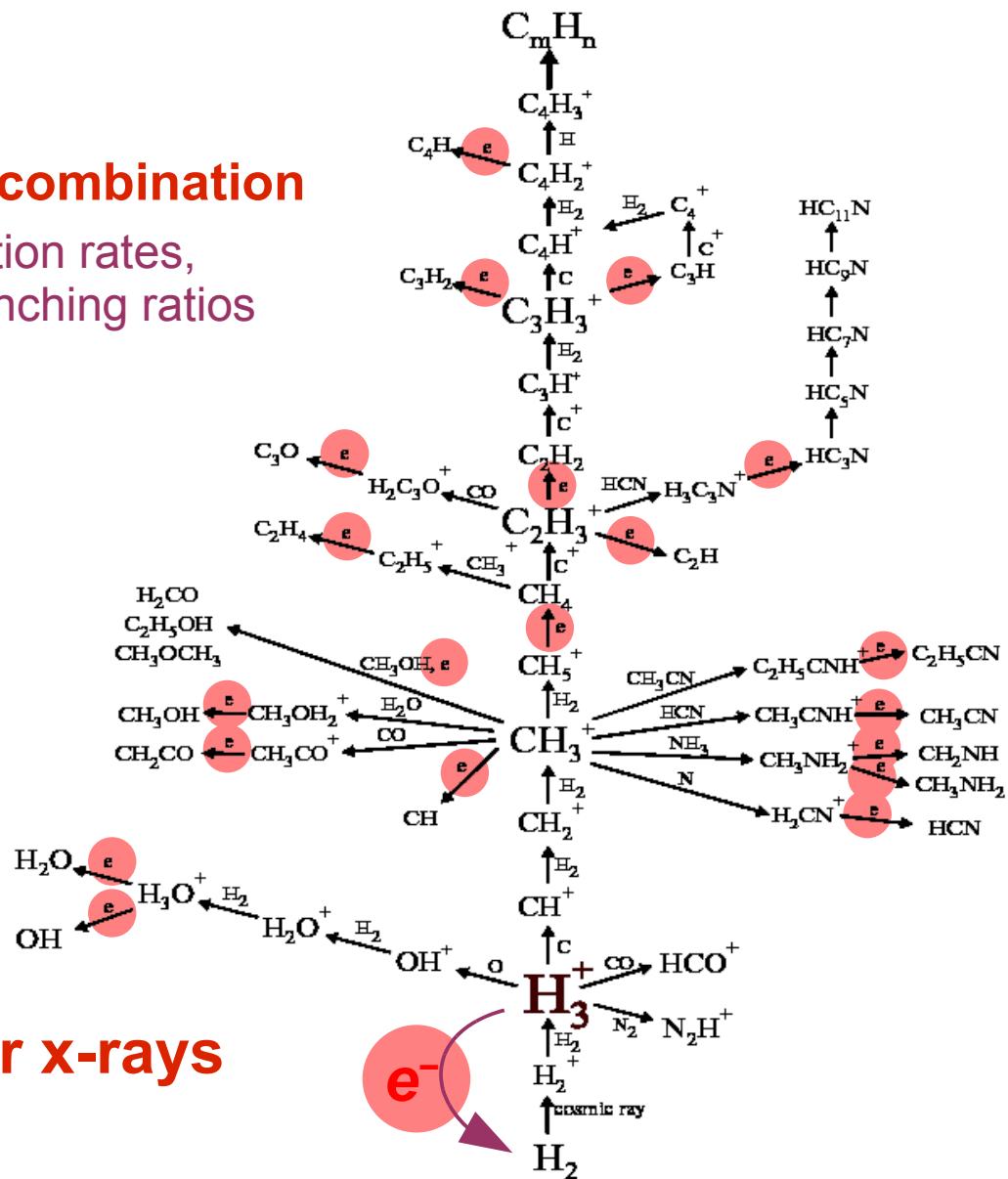
H_2 + atomic components: O, C, N, Si, S, Fe, ...

$T \sim 10$ K

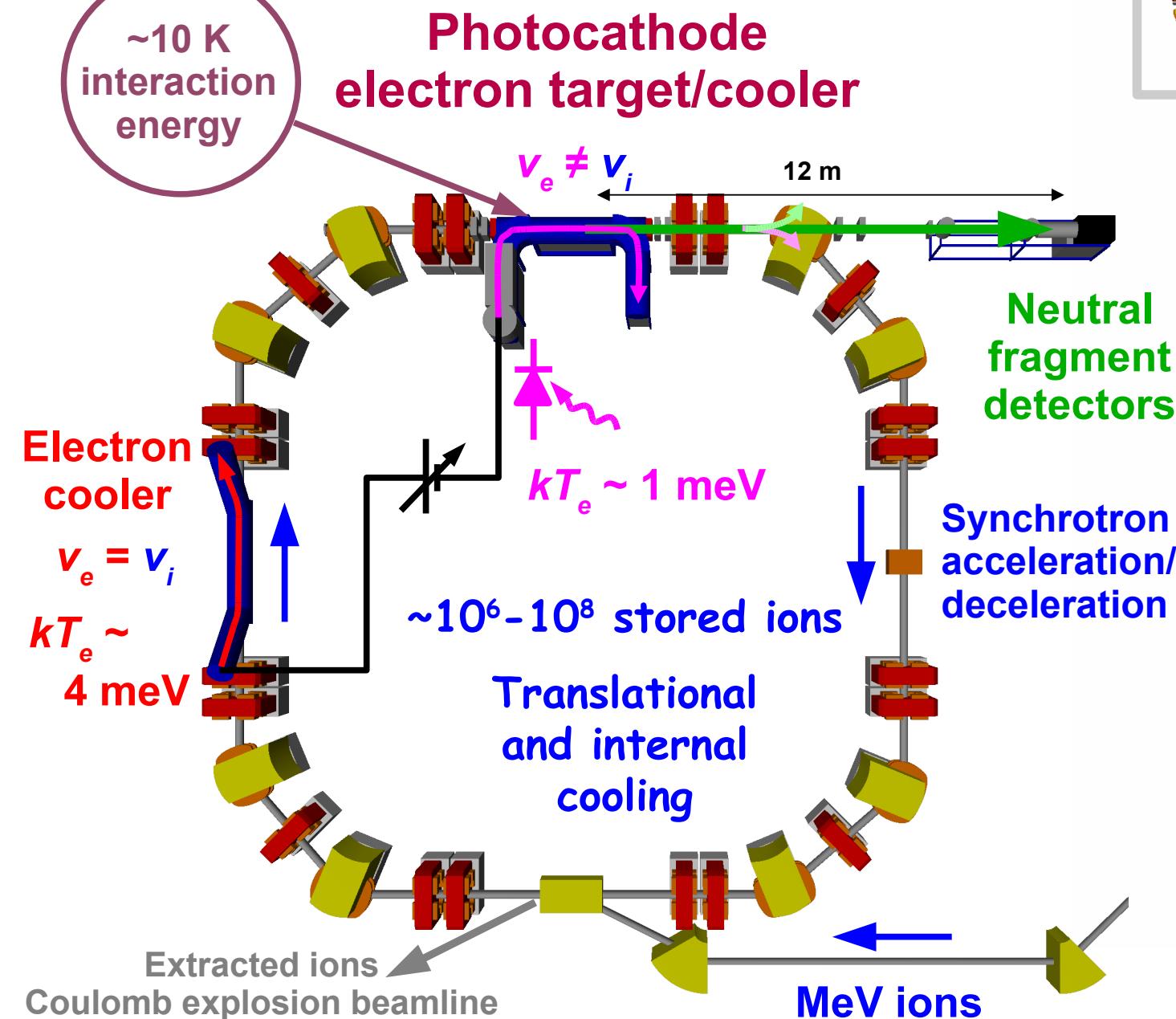
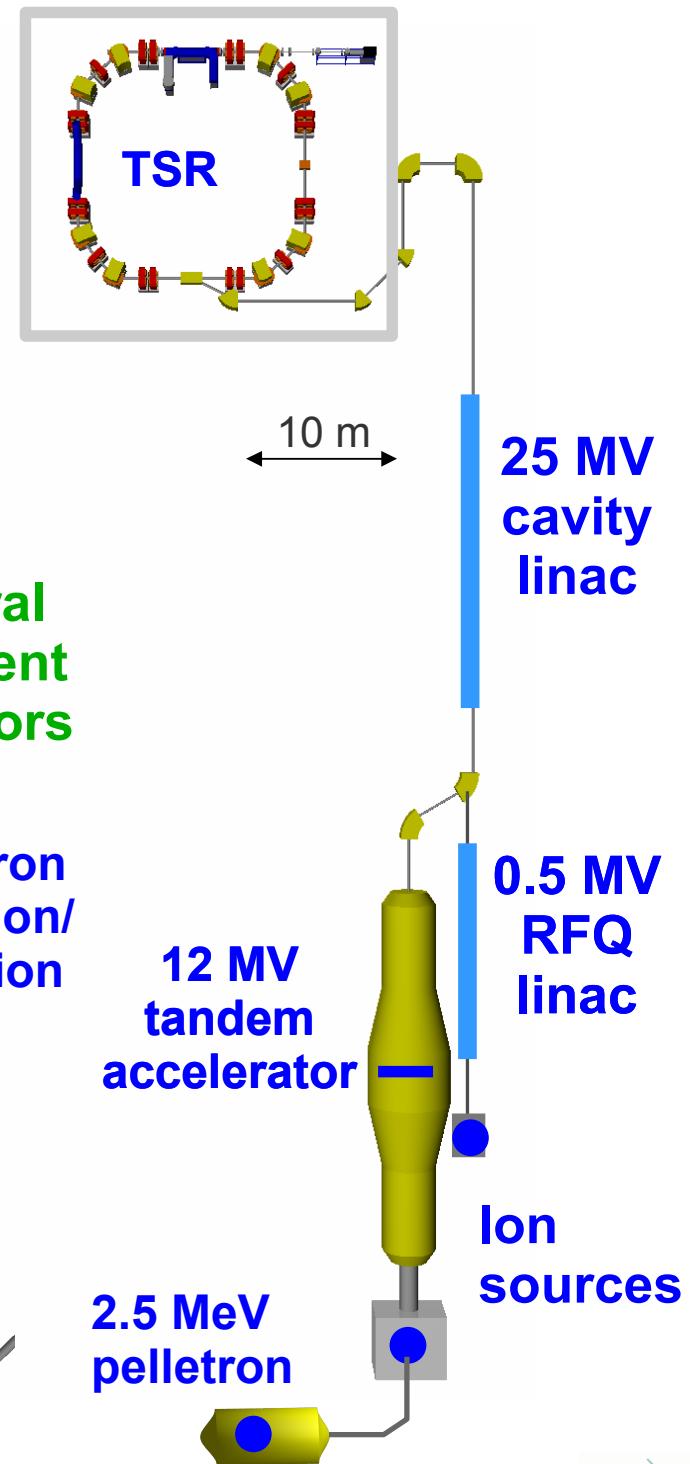


Ionization by cosmic radiation or x-rays

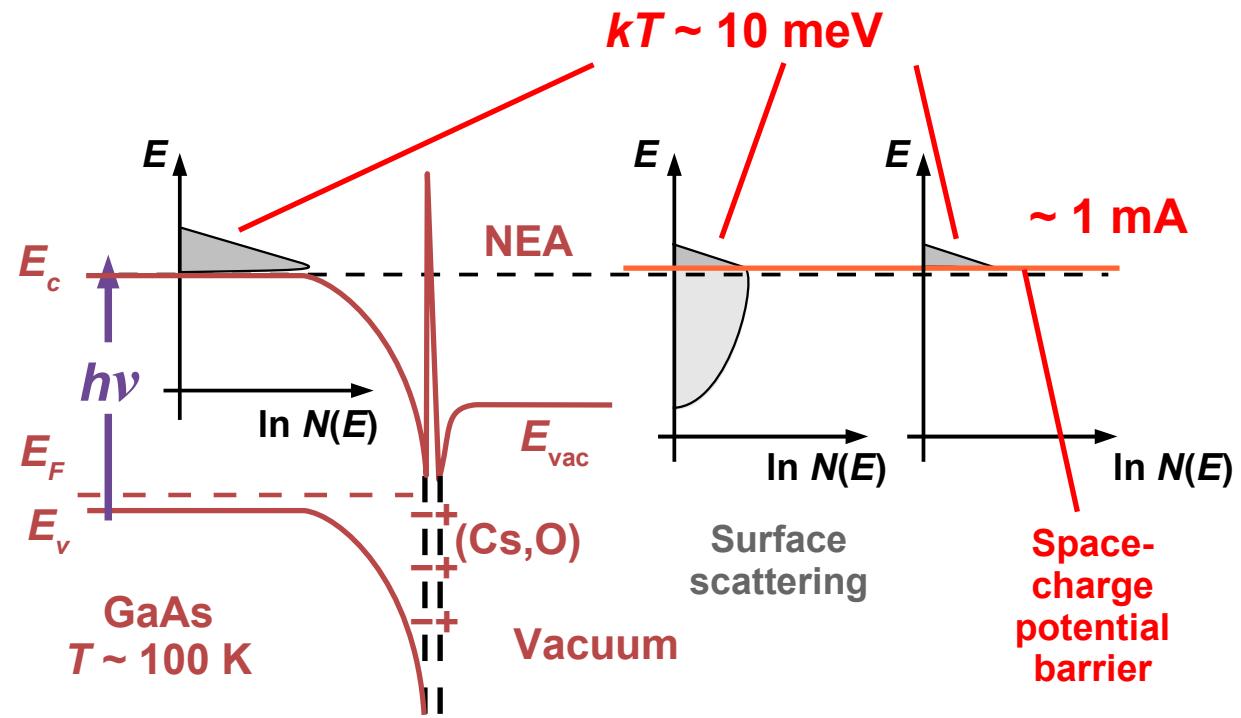
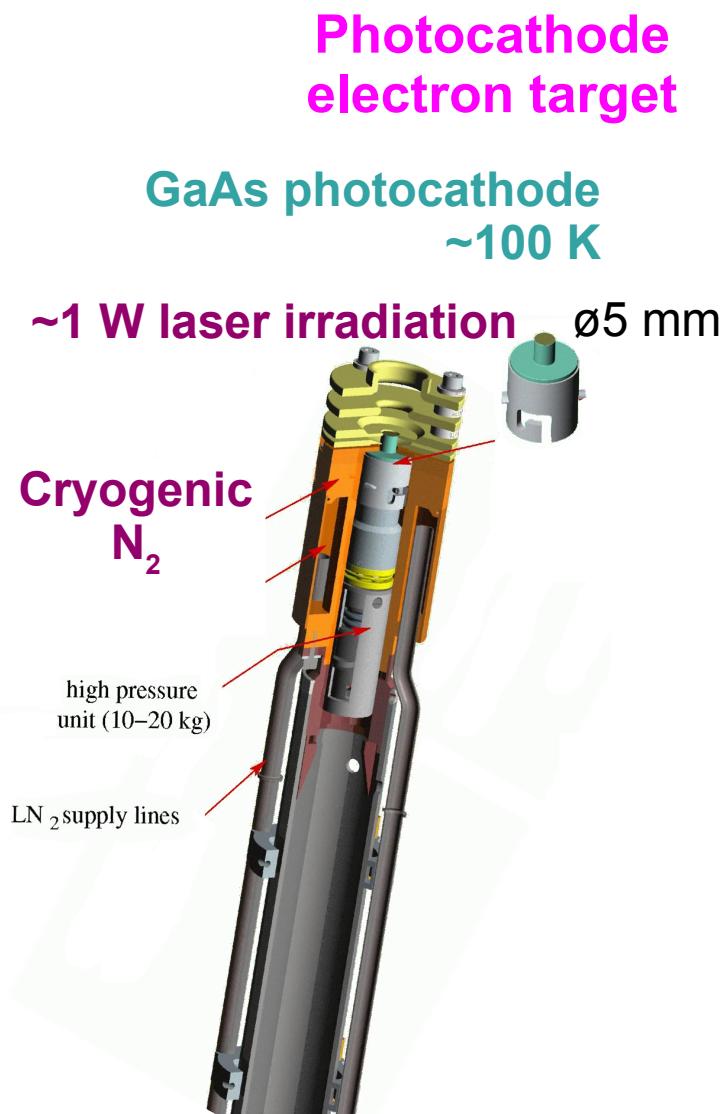
Start of ion chemistry by H_3^+



Electron–ion merged beams at the TSR Heidelberg



High-resolution electron target



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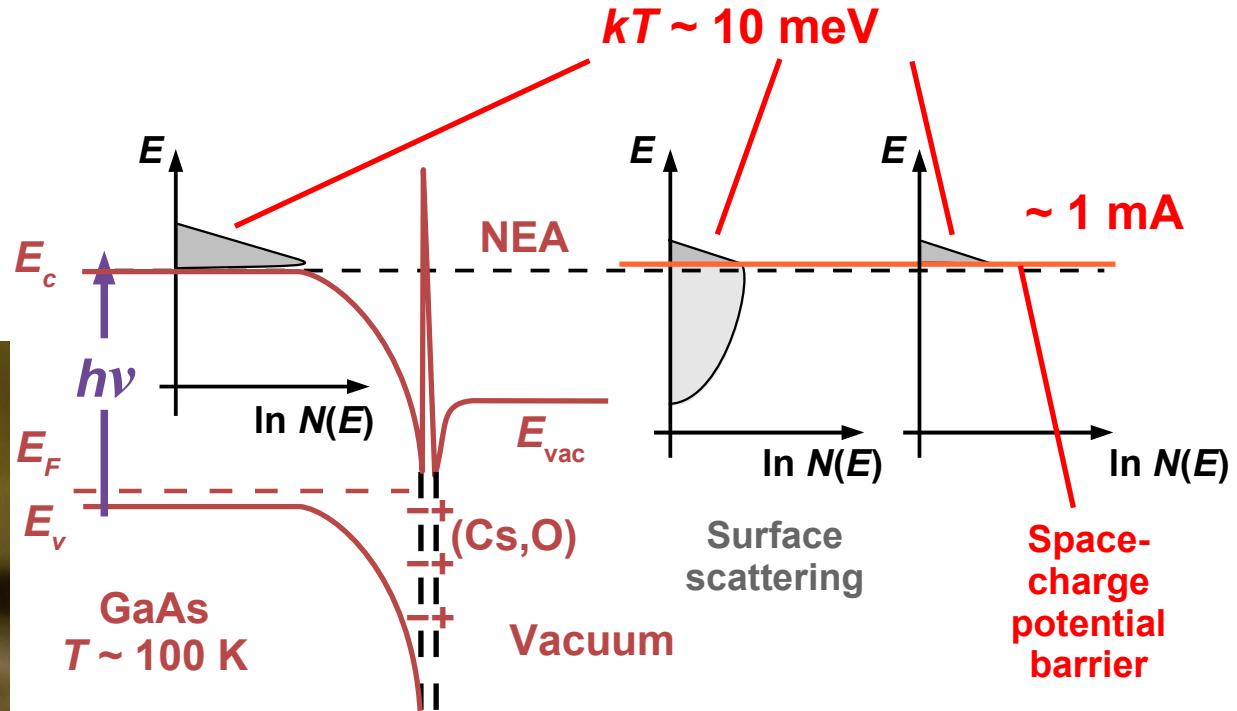
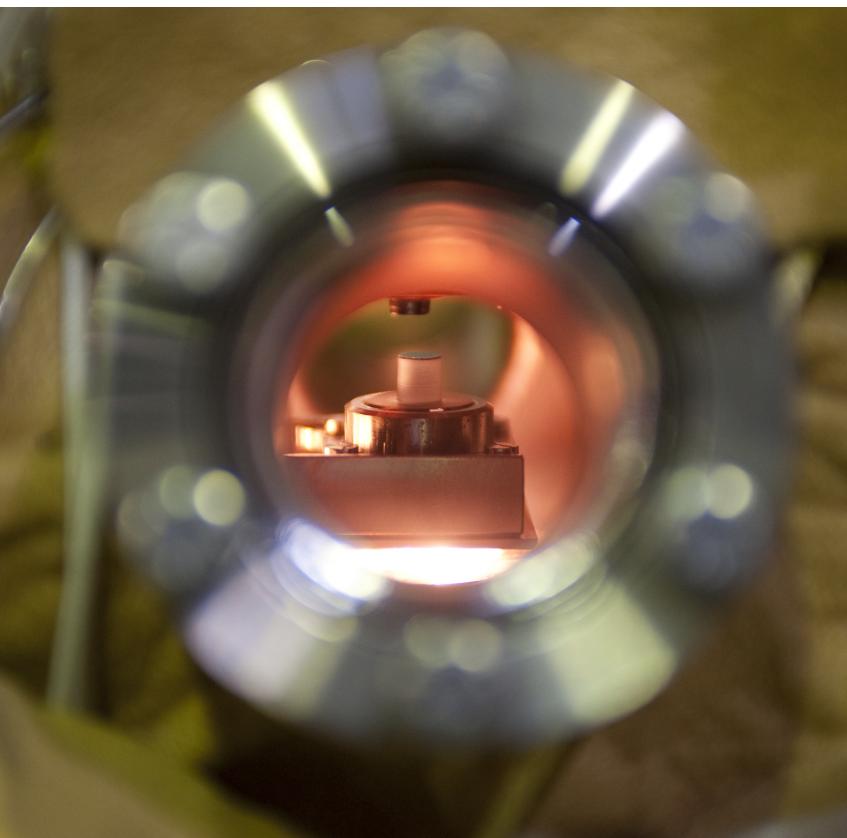
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Photocathode
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GaAs photocathode
 ~ 100 K



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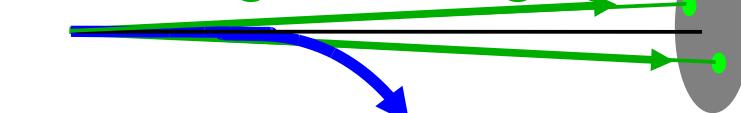
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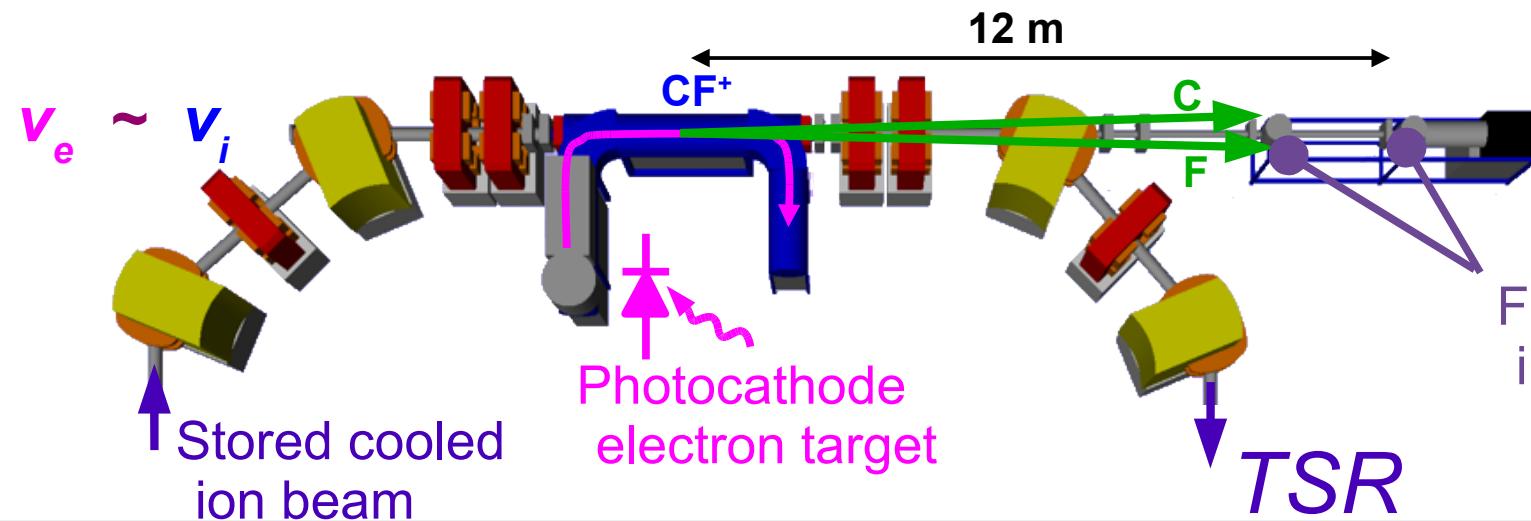
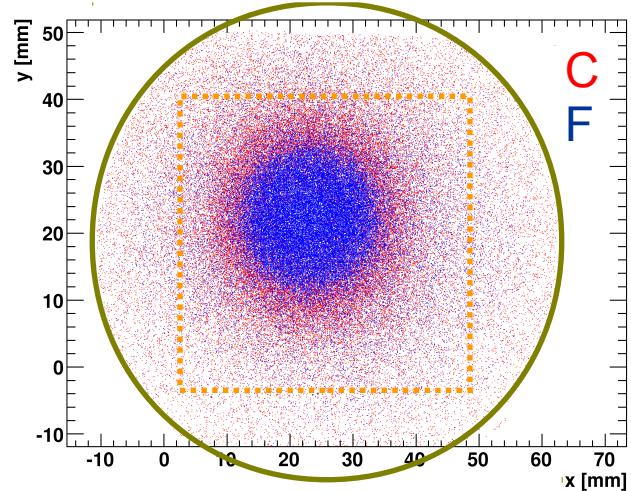
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C + F fragment imaging



Standard electron cooling (12-30 s after injection)



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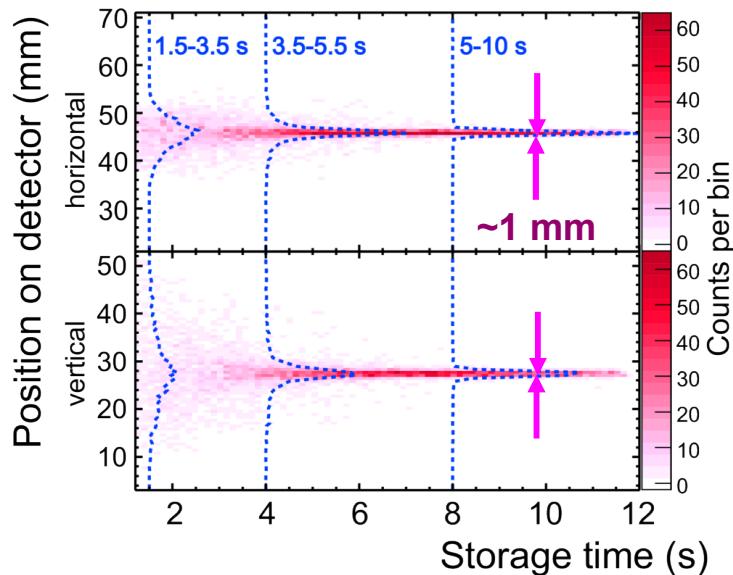
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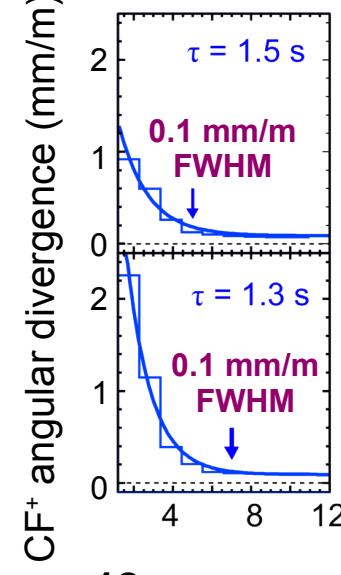
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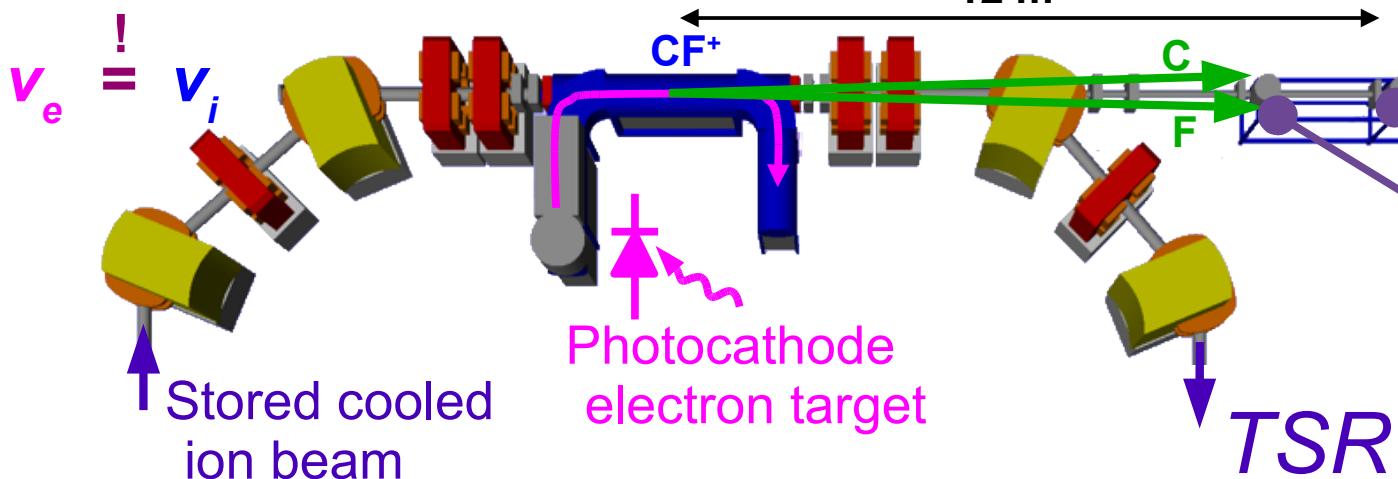
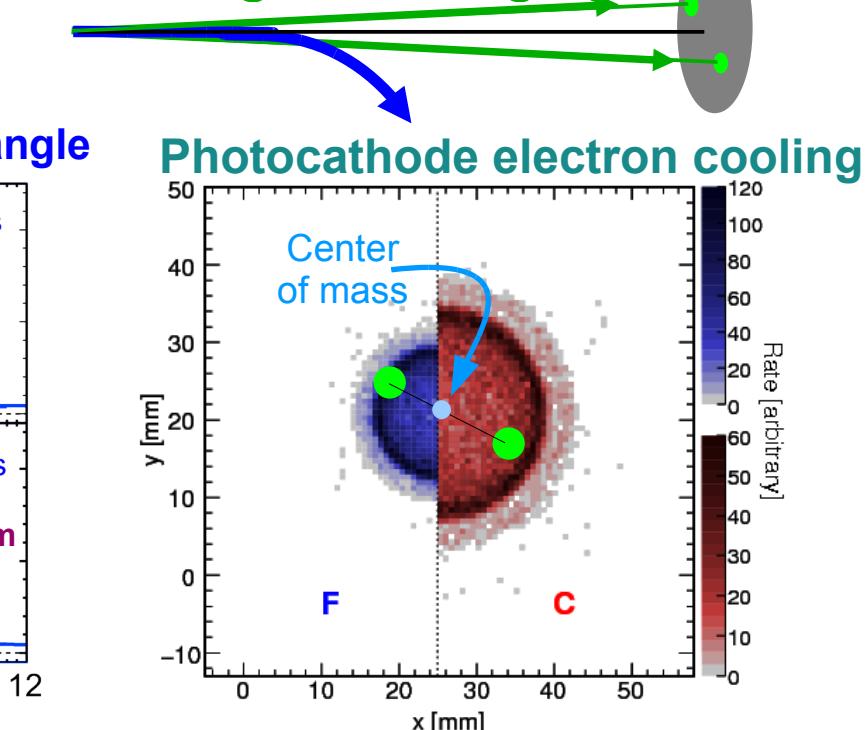
Molecular center of mass
on fragment imaging detector



Ion beam divergence angle



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Fragment counting/
imaging detectors

Molecular ion recombination

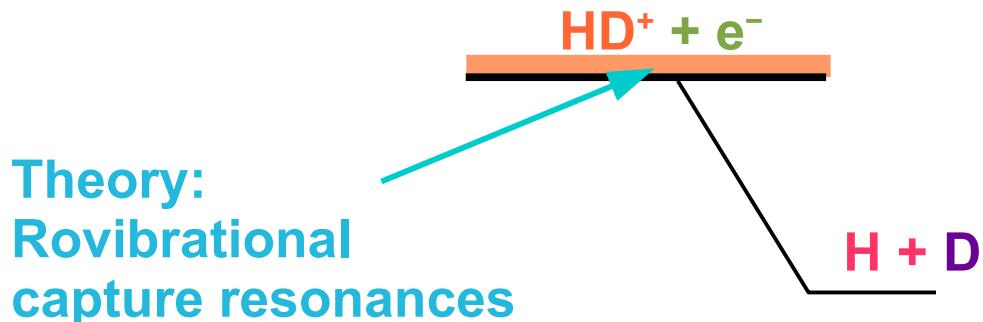
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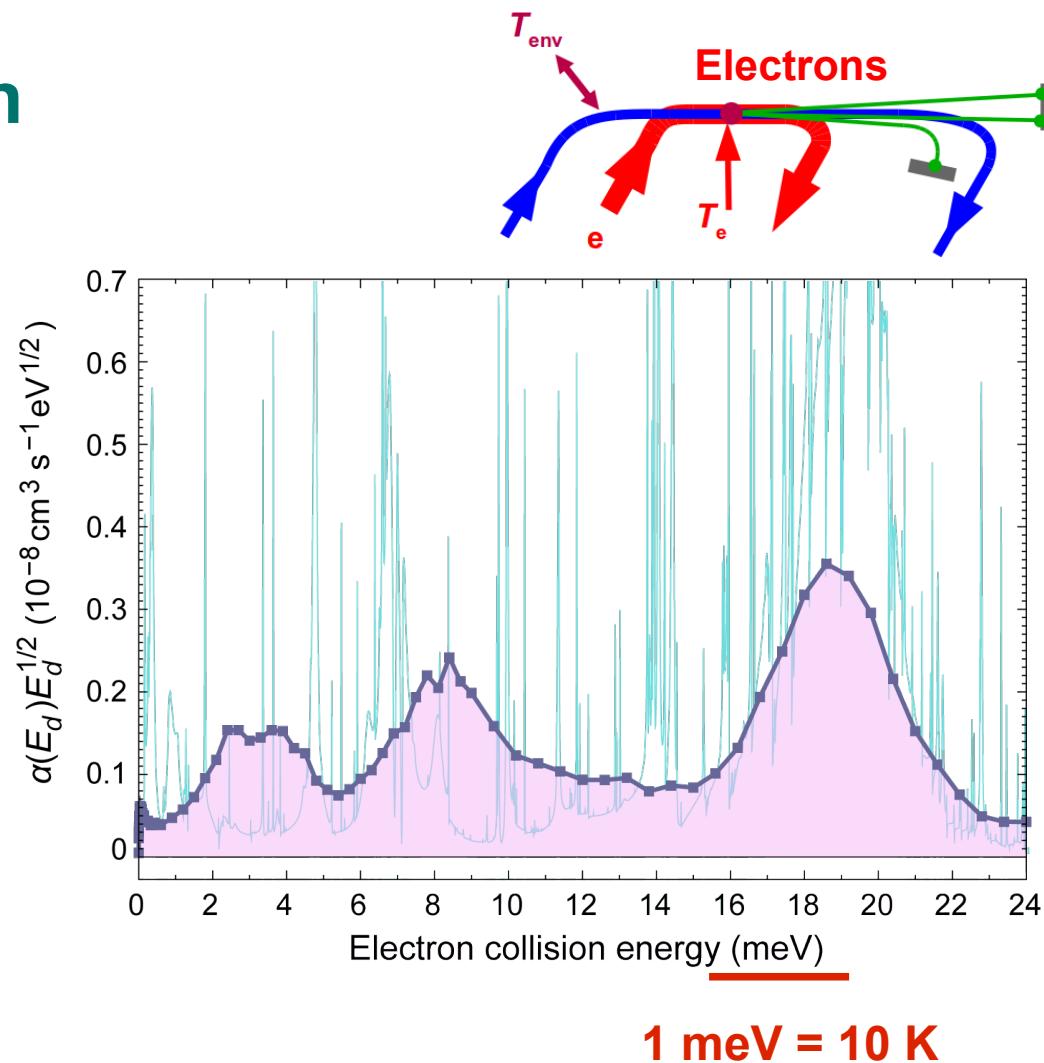
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Theory:
Rovibrational
capture resonances



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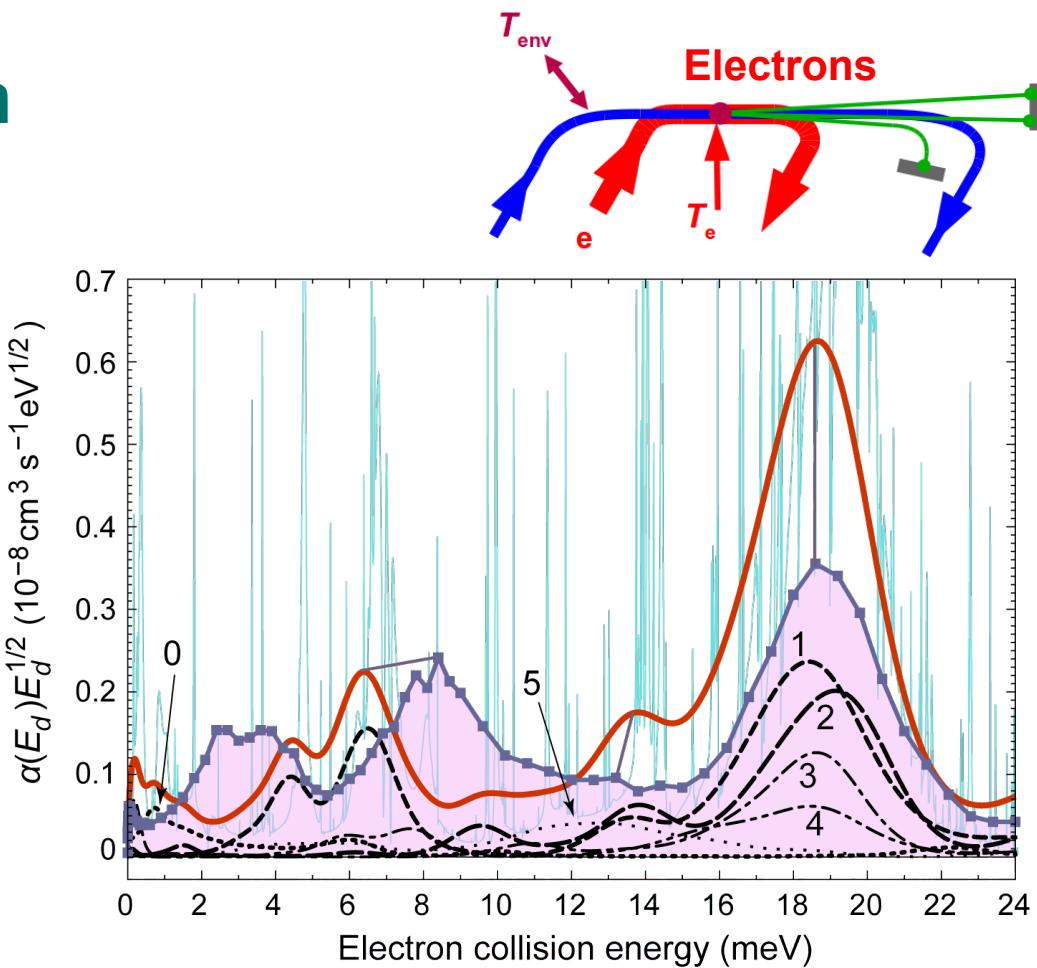
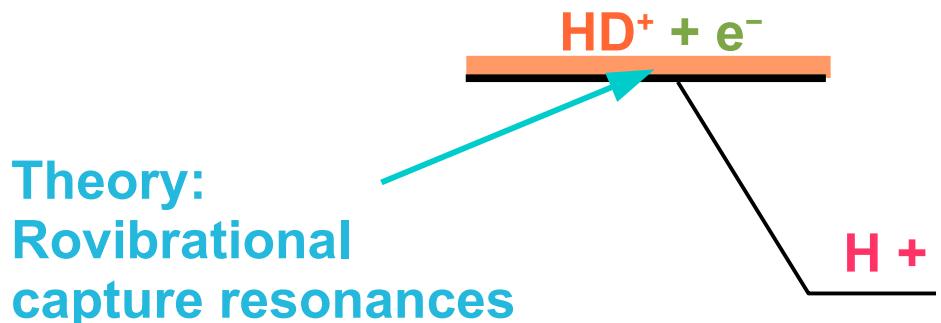
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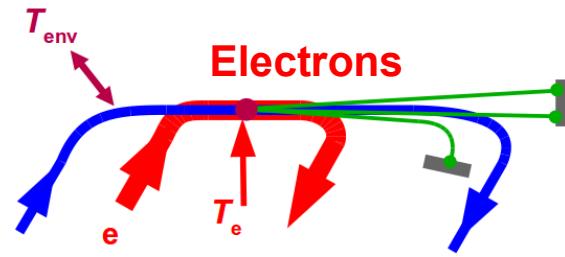
Measured recombination
dominated by rotating molecules
at 300 K: $J \geq 1$

J	T_{rot}	300 K
0	0.104	0.104
1	0.251	0.251
2	0.271	0.271
3	0.199	0.199
4	0.108	0.108

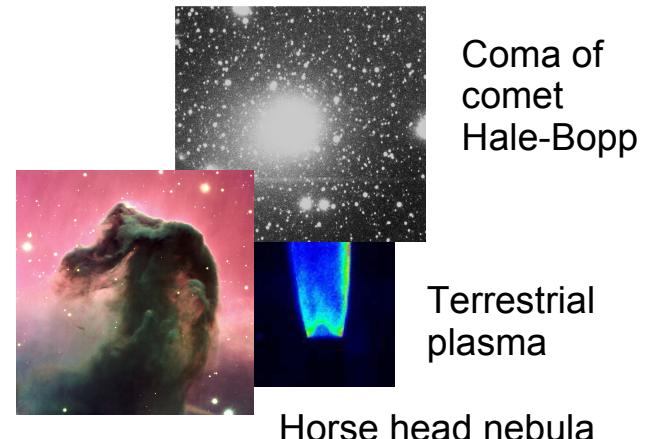
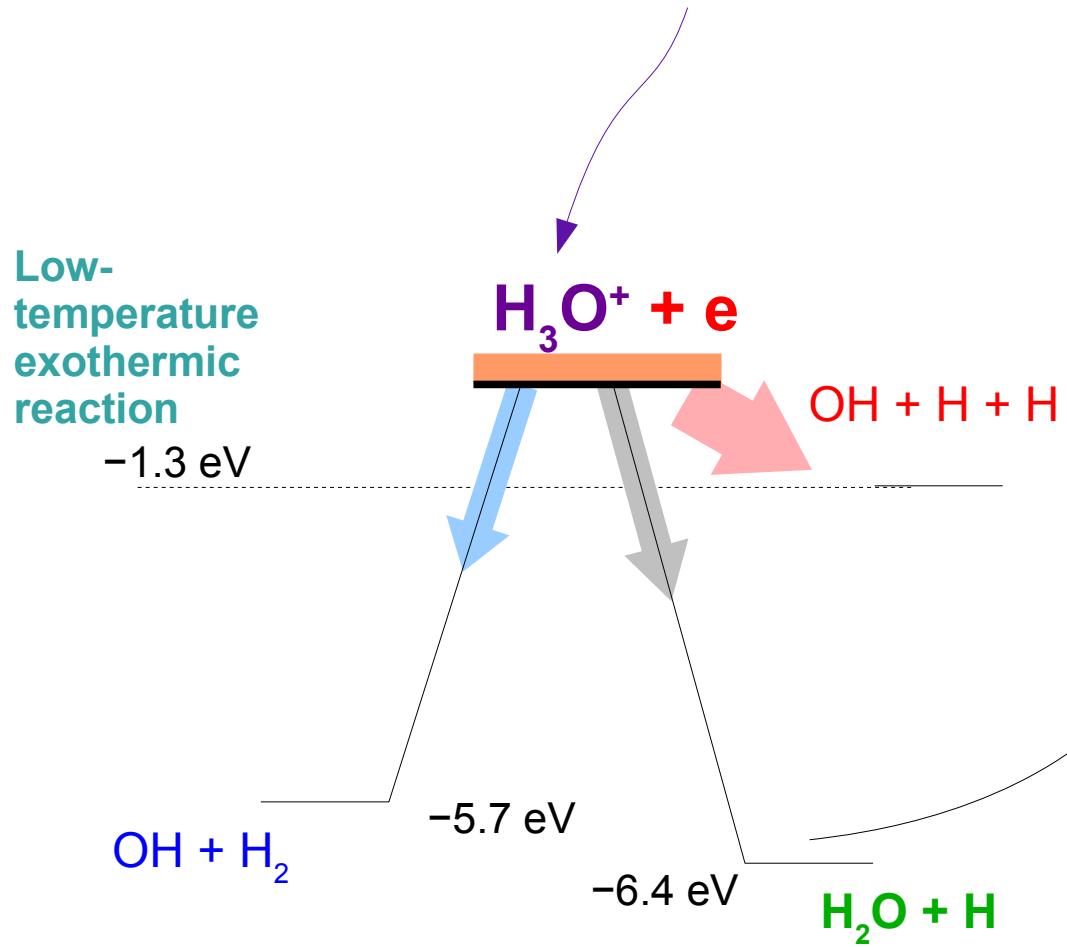
Relative
population of
rotational levels

Polyatomic ions at TSR

Fragmentation pathways of dissociative recombination



Molecules built up by ion chemistry



Source of water in cold molecular clouds, comets, ...

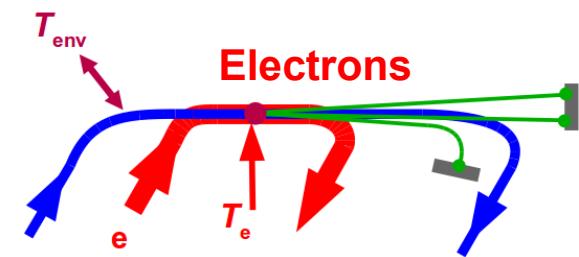
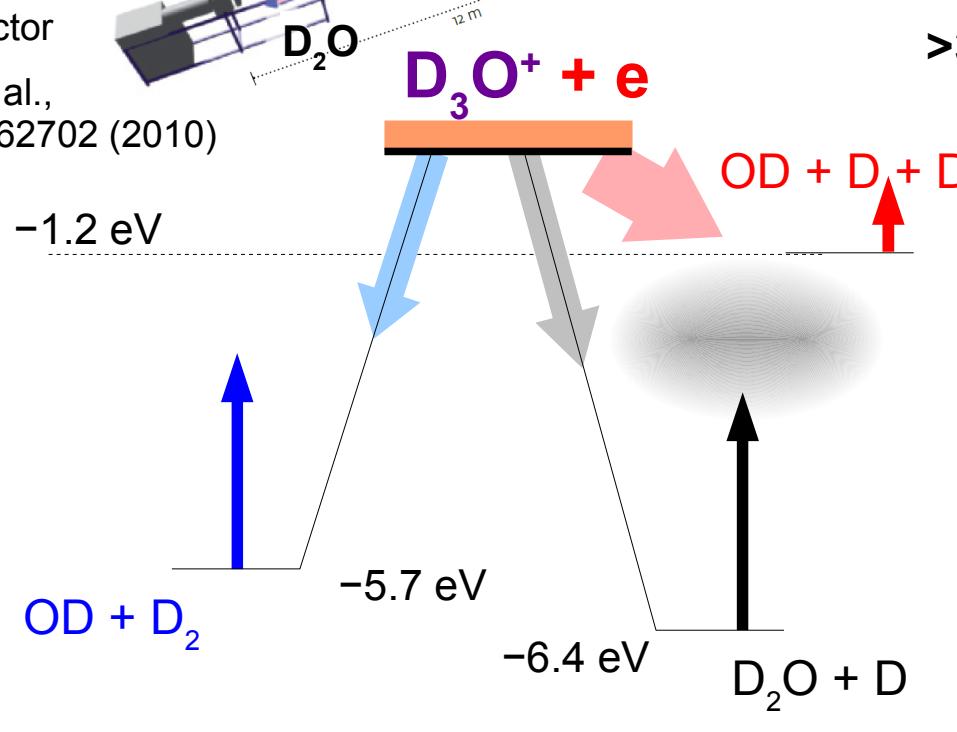
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EMU detector

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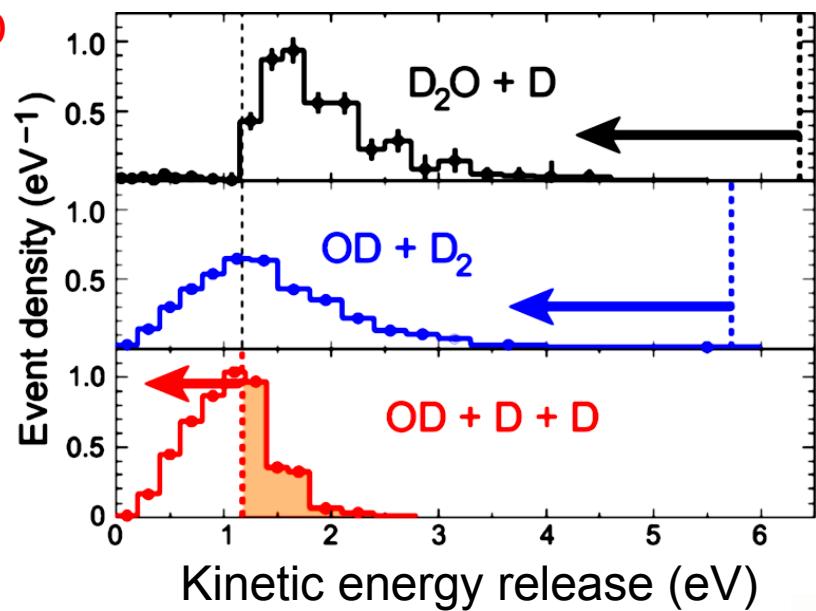
Method:

- 1 meV electron collision energy
- Imaging detector with fragment mass recognition (EMU)
- Deuterated molecules

Channel-specific energy release measurement

>3 eV vibrational excitation of water

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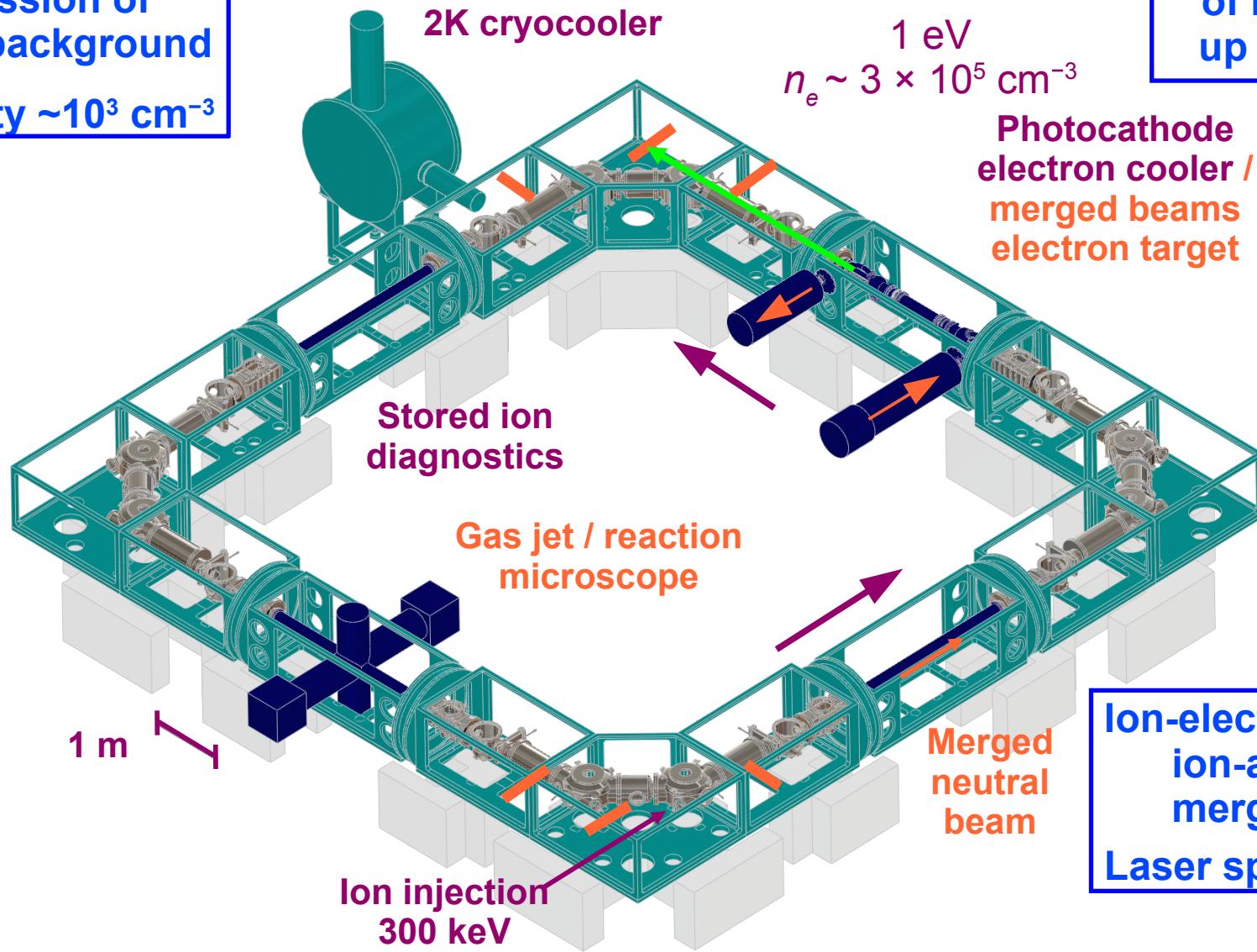
Cryogenic electrostatic storage ring CSR

Stored ion beams with keV energies
of large compounds, clusters (cations, anions),
heavy atomic beams, highly charged ions

2 K cryopumping and
suppression of
radiation background

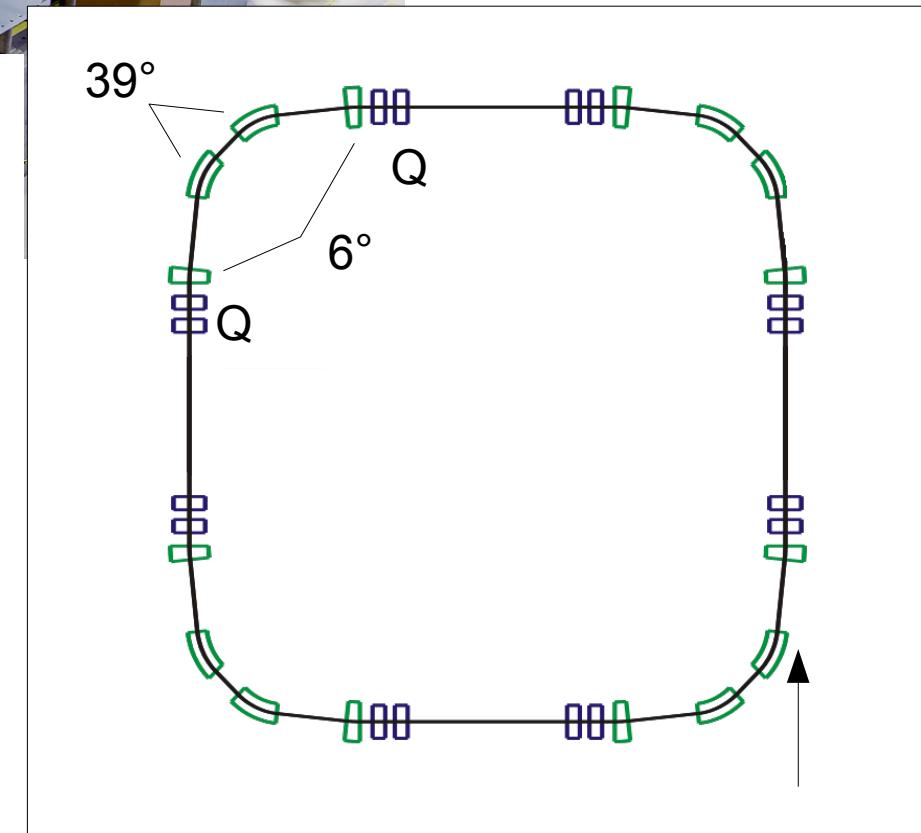
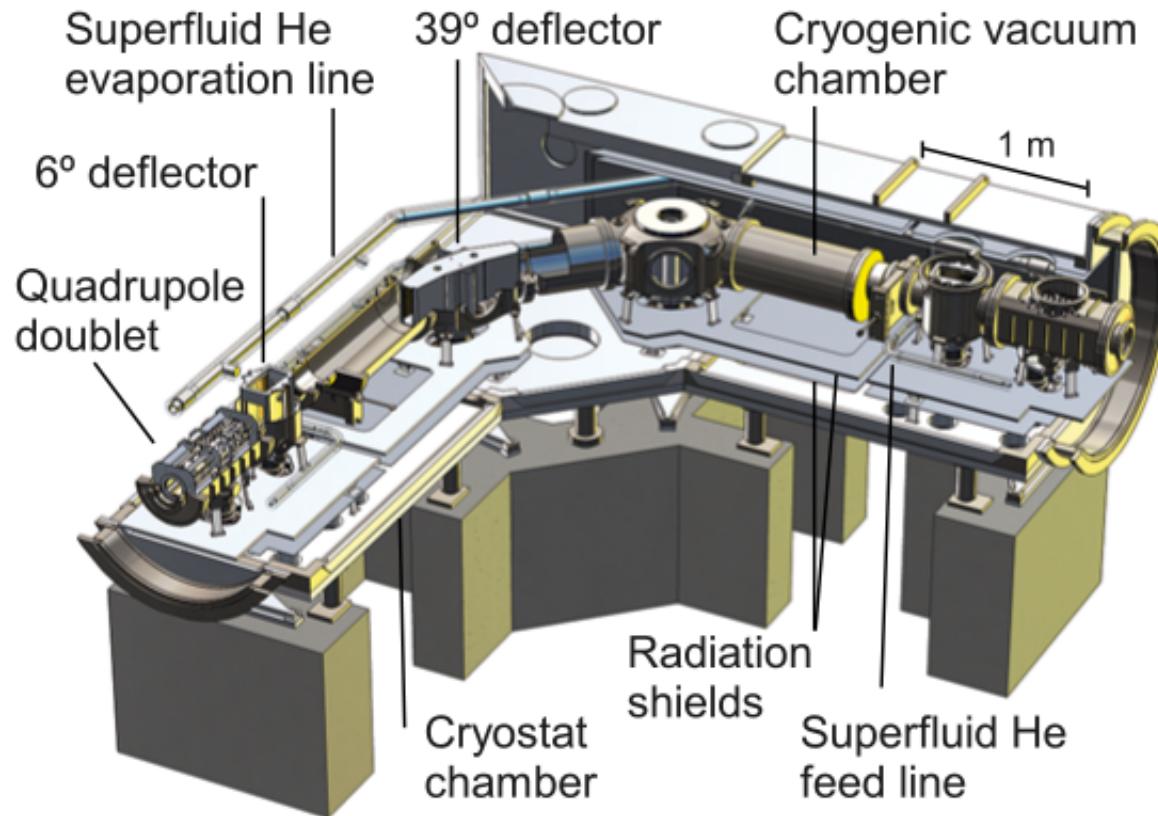
Gas density $\sim 10^3 \text{ cm}^{-3}$

Electron cooling
of molecules
up to $A \sim 160$

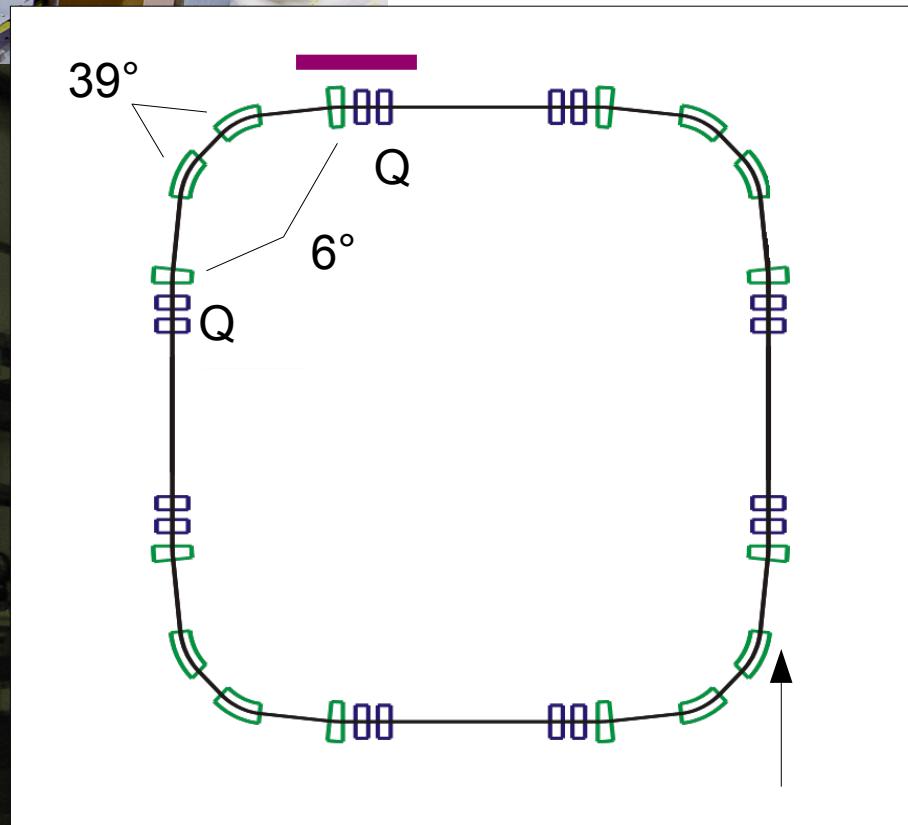
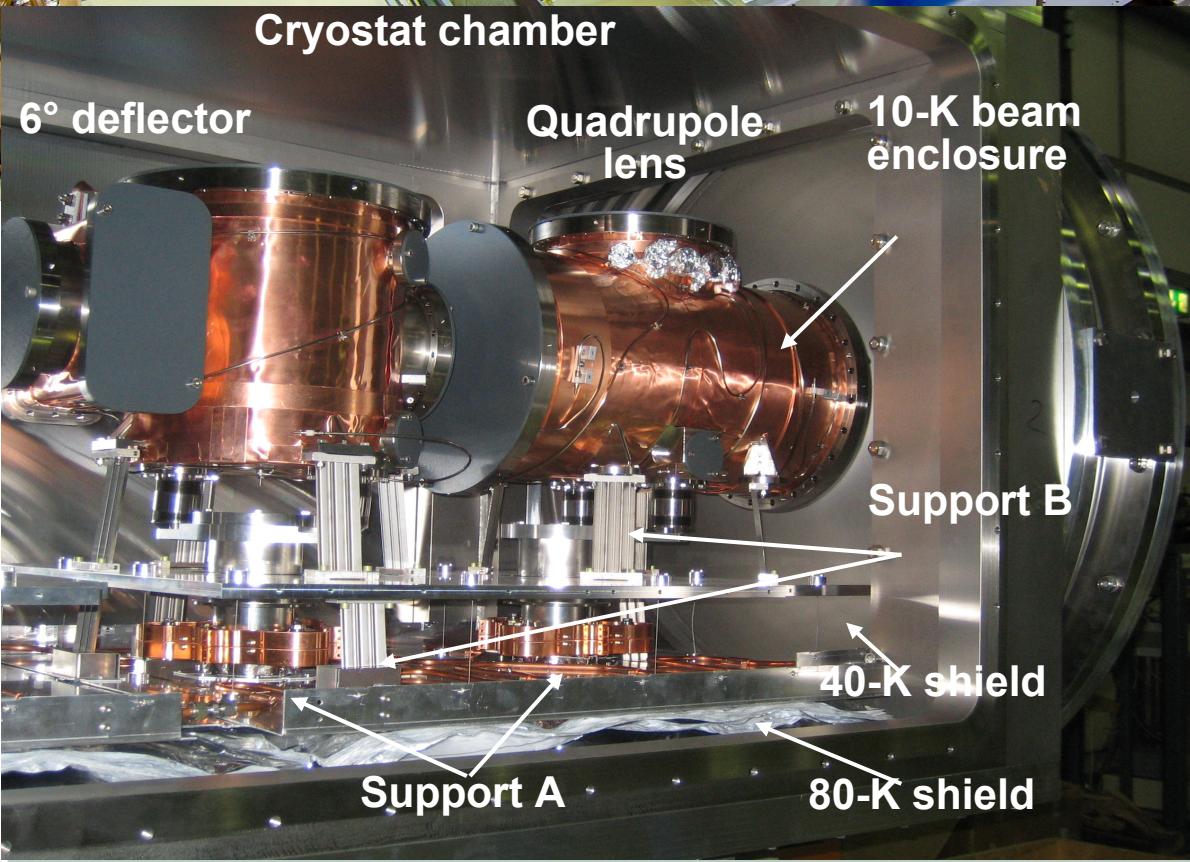


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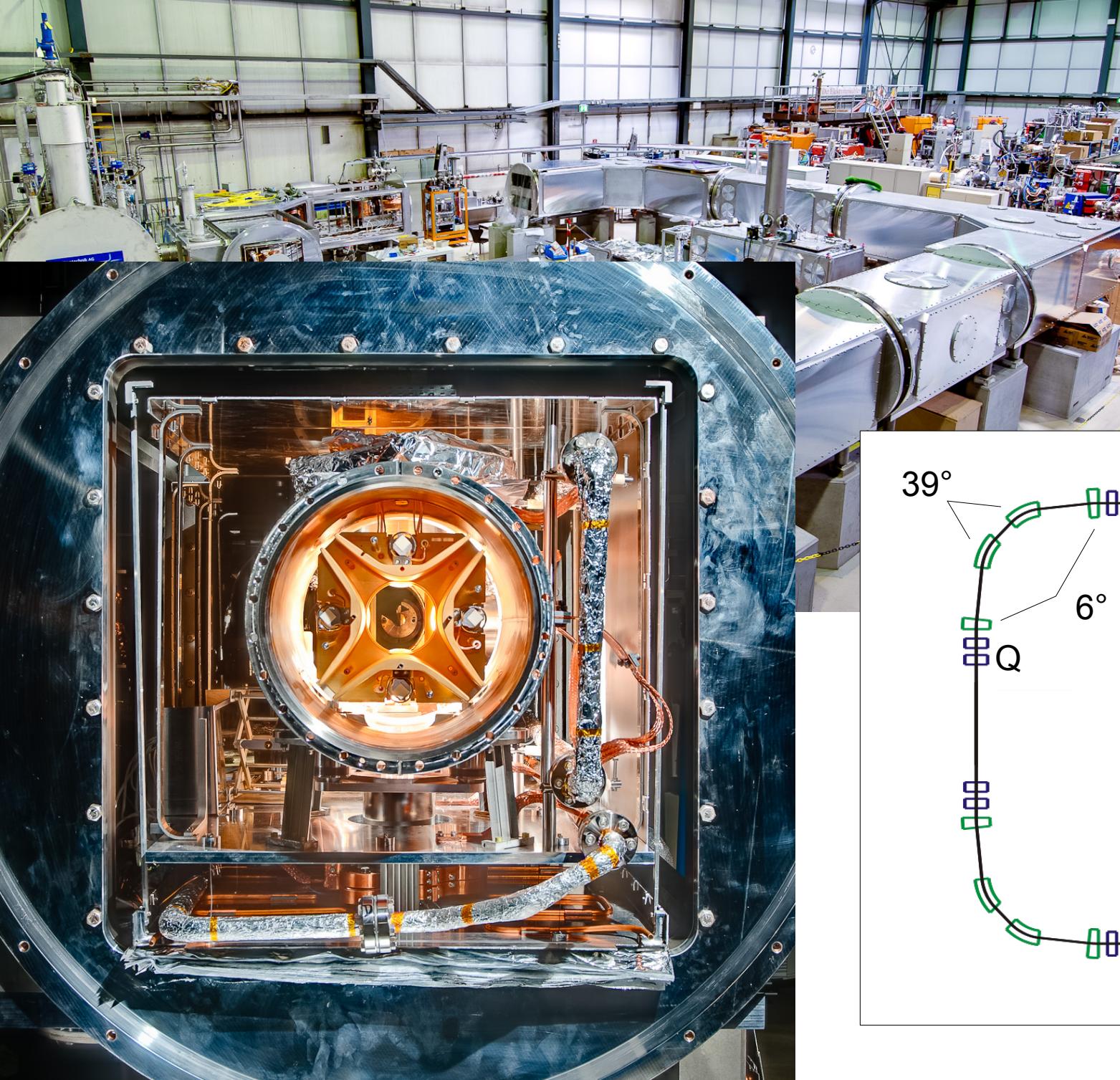
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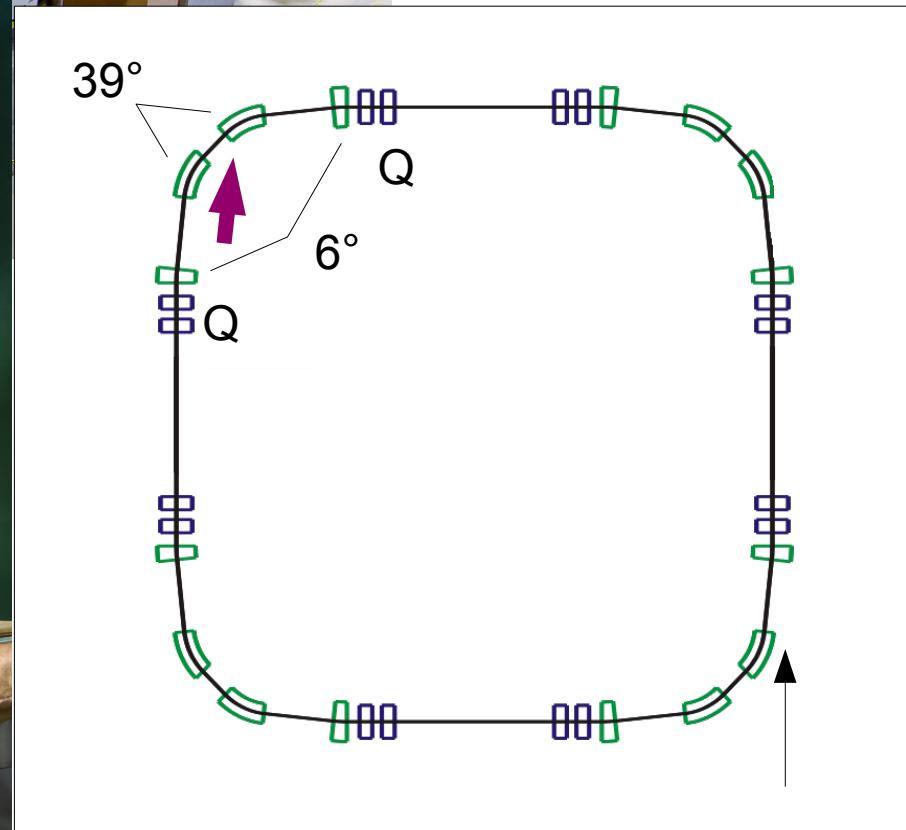
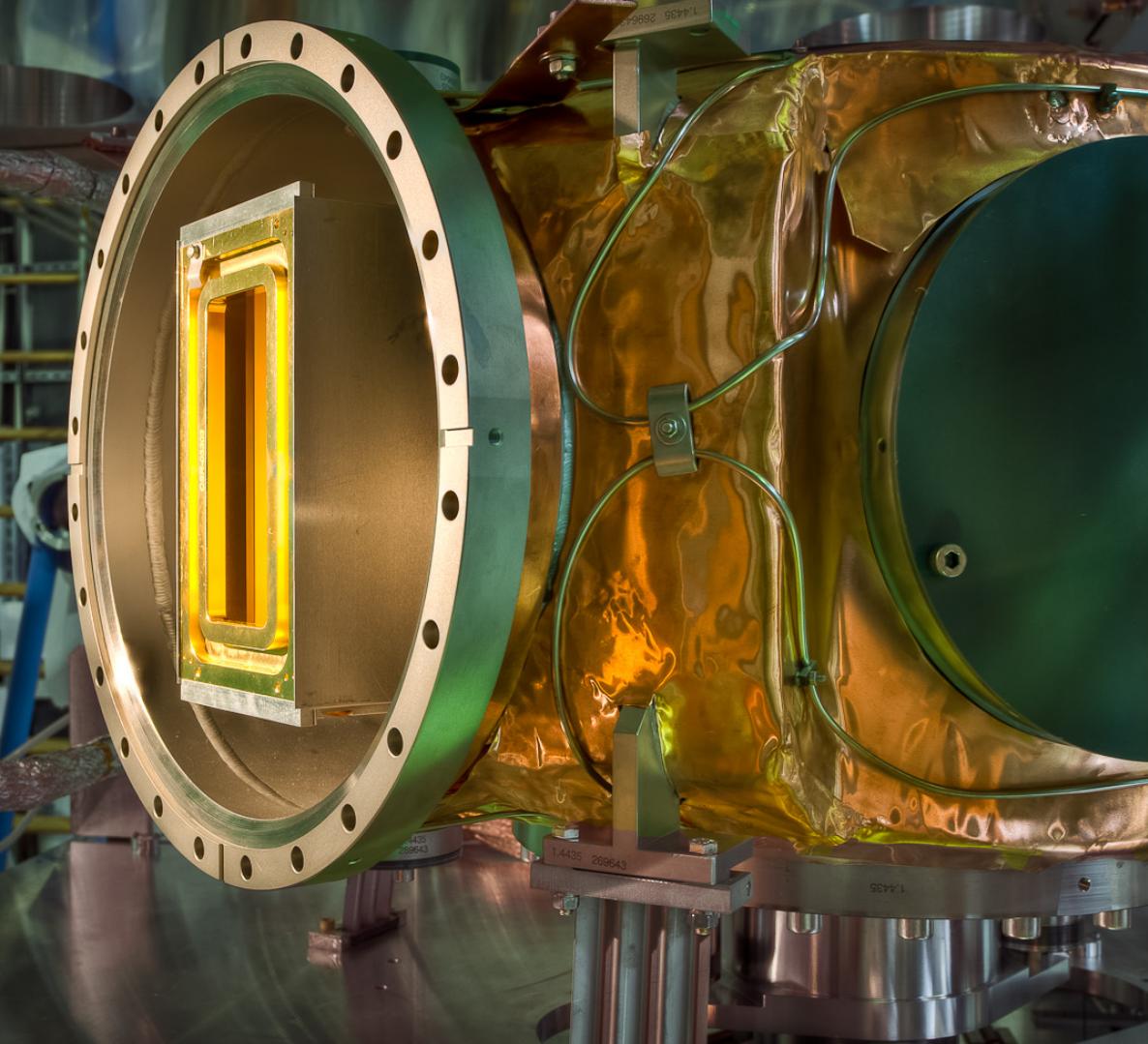
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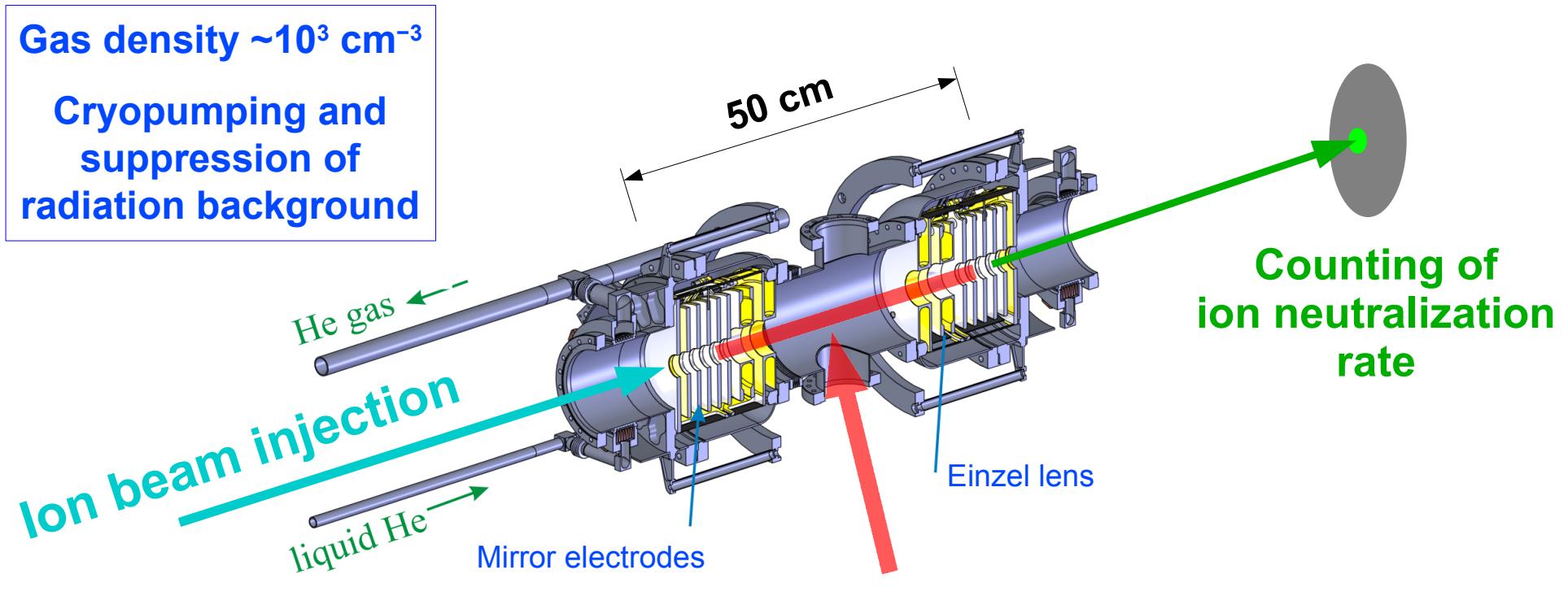


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CSR cryo and vacuum tests – the CTF

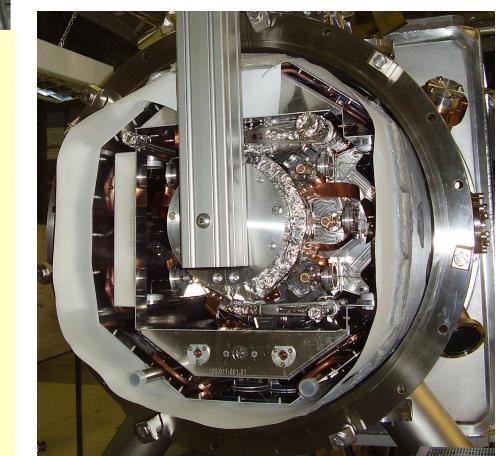
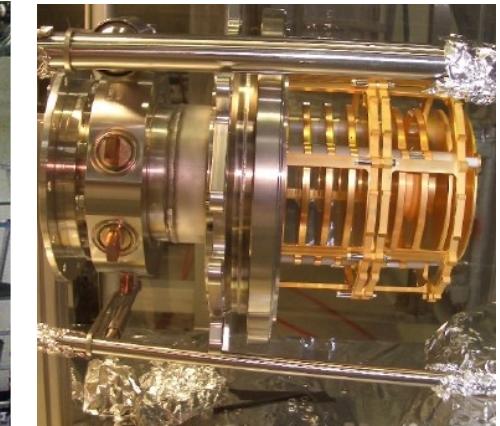
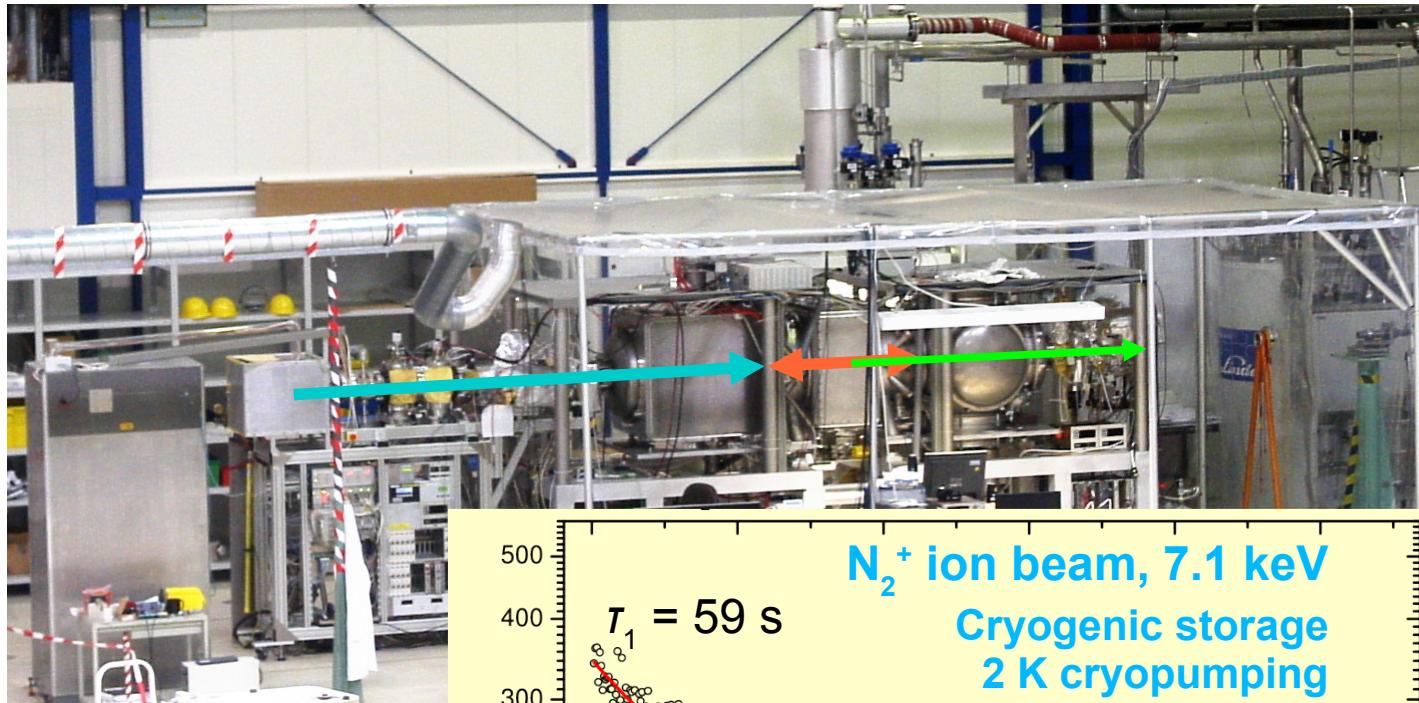
CTF : Ion beam trap with CSR cryogenic (2 K) and vacuum concept



Typical storage lifetime
in room-temperature devices:
 $\tau \sim 5 \text{ s}$ (gas density few 10⁵ cm⁻³)

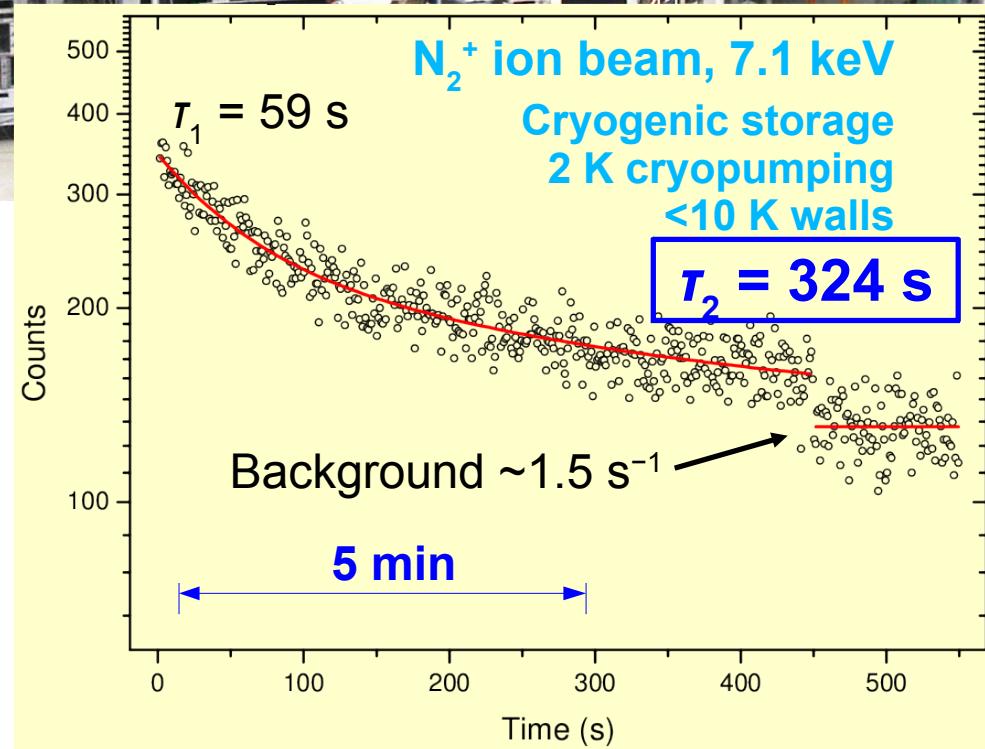
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Count rate
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>10⁸ reflections

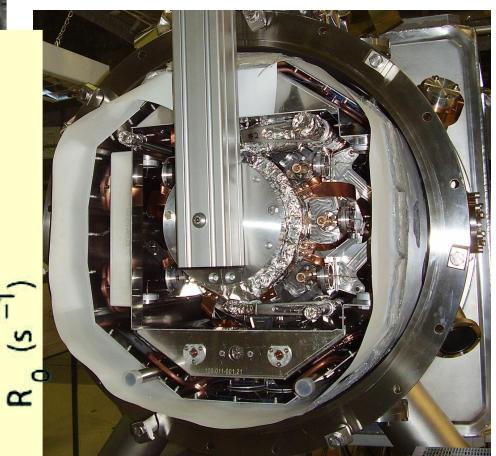
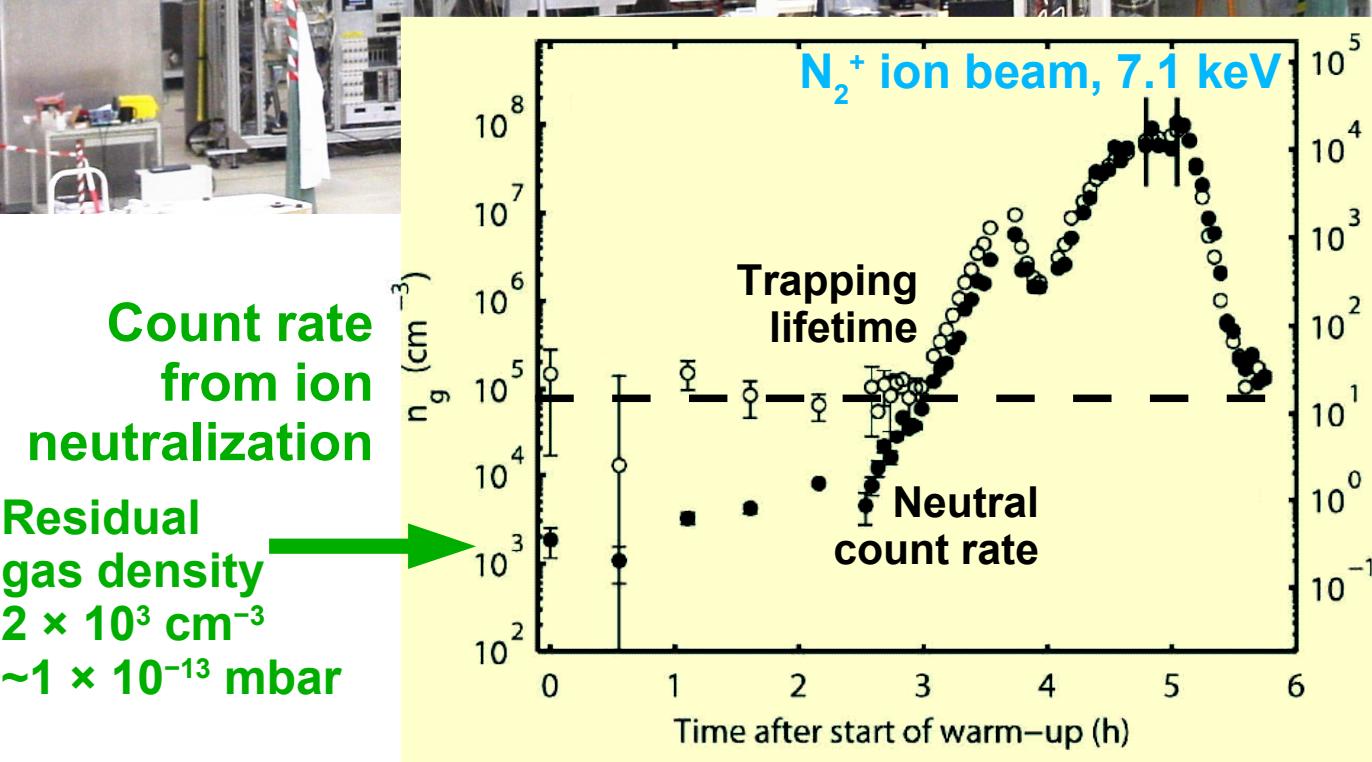
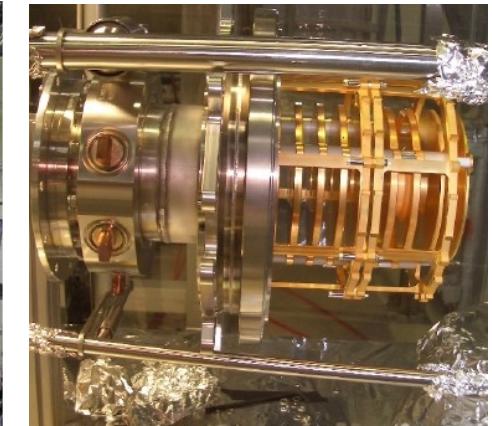
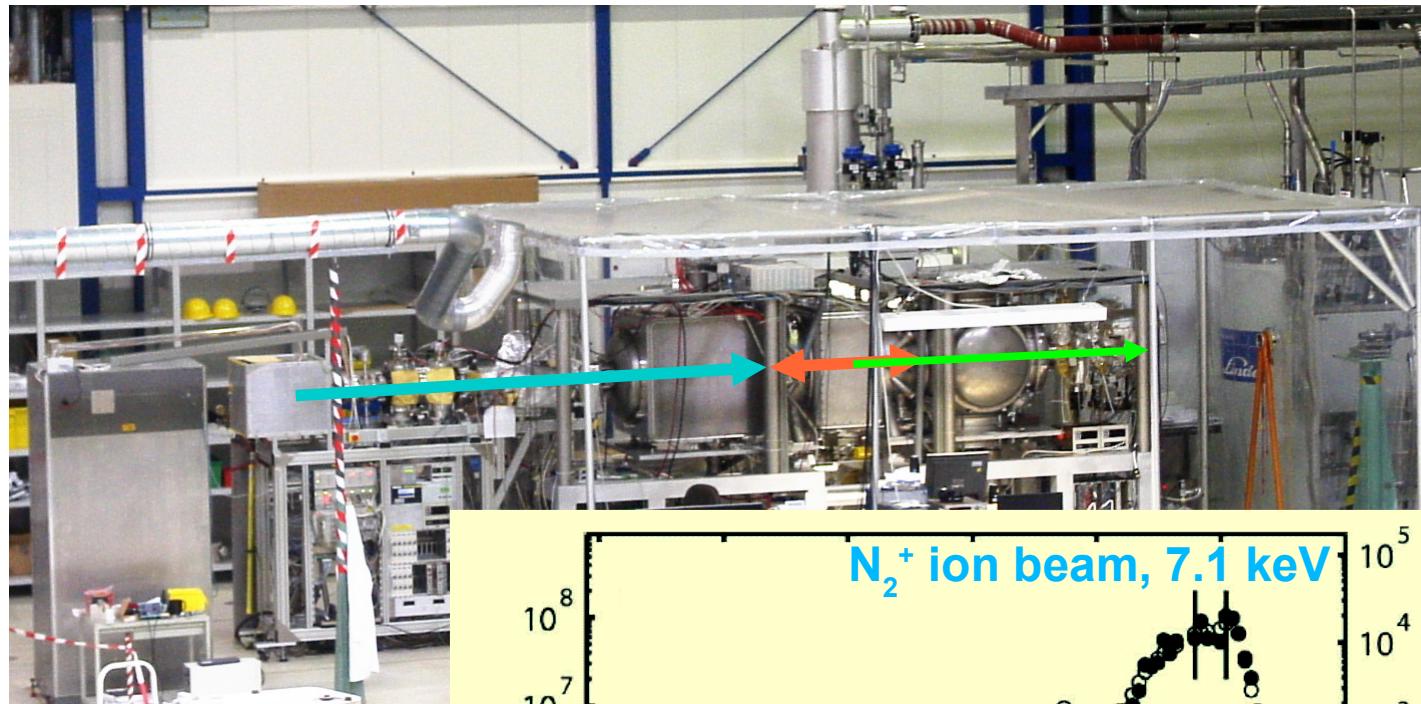


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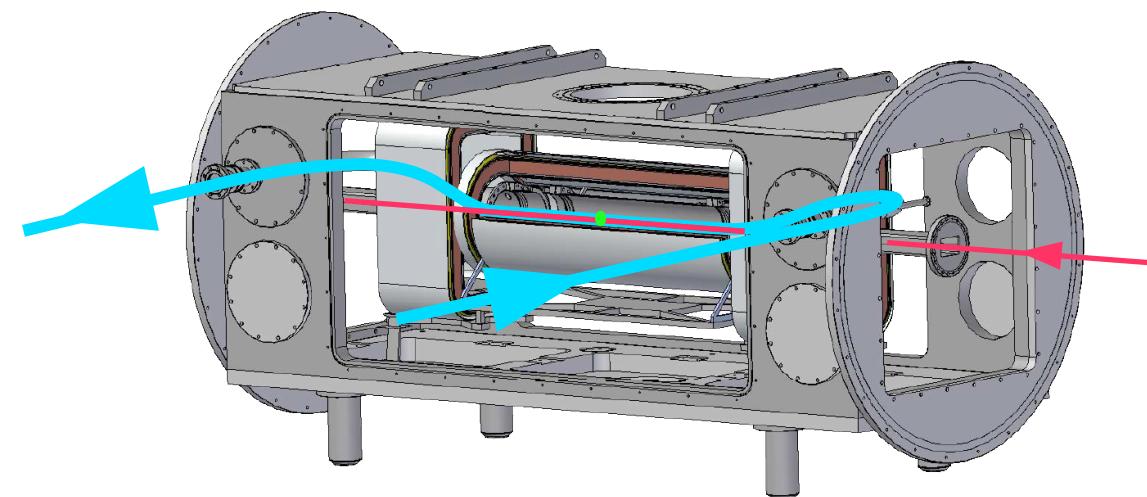
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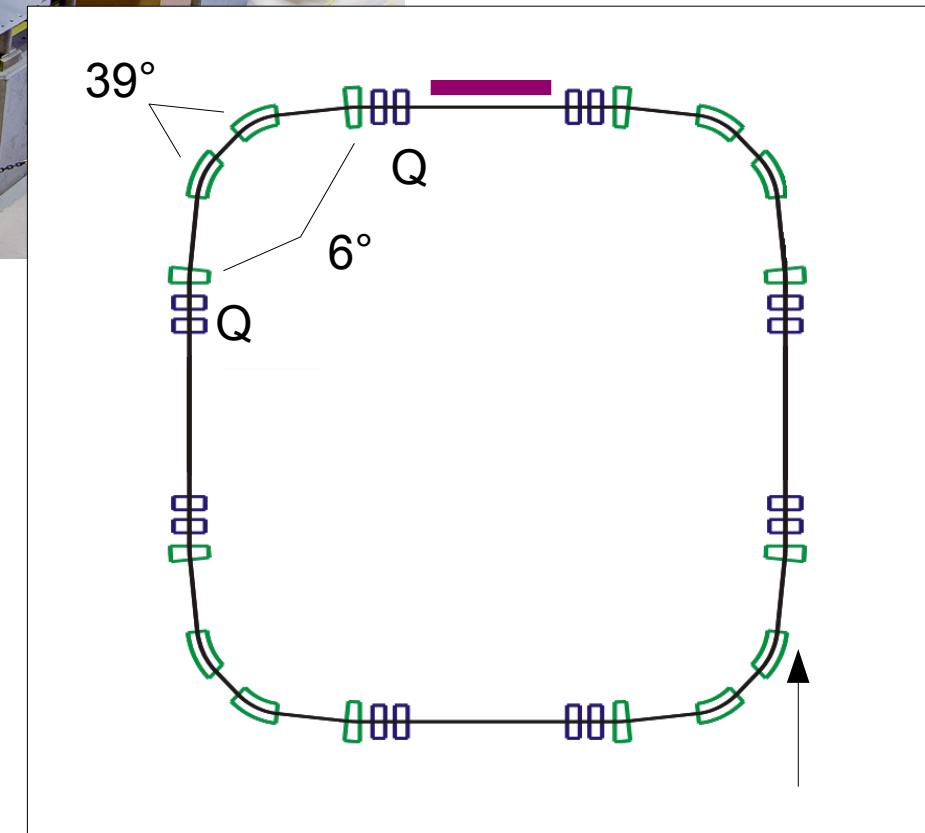
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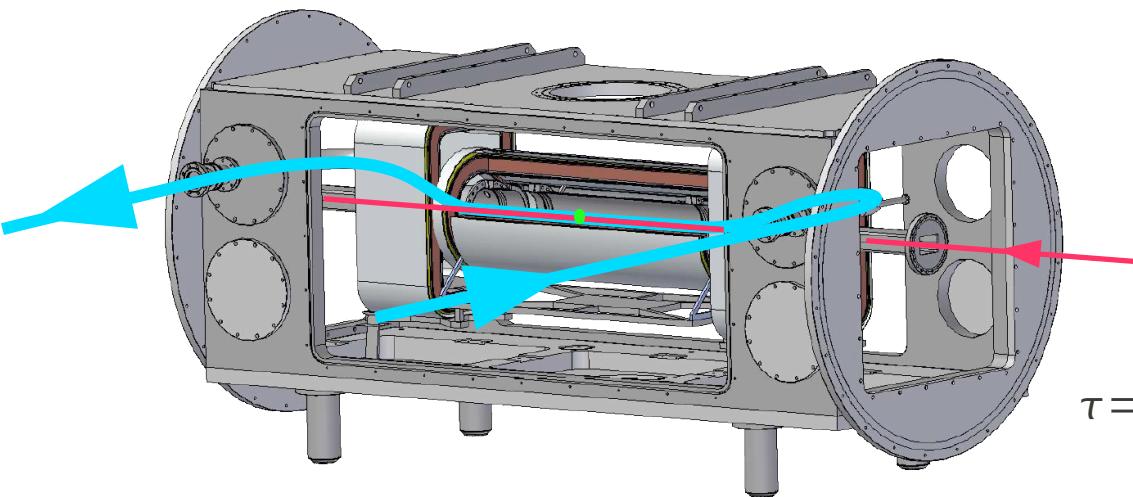


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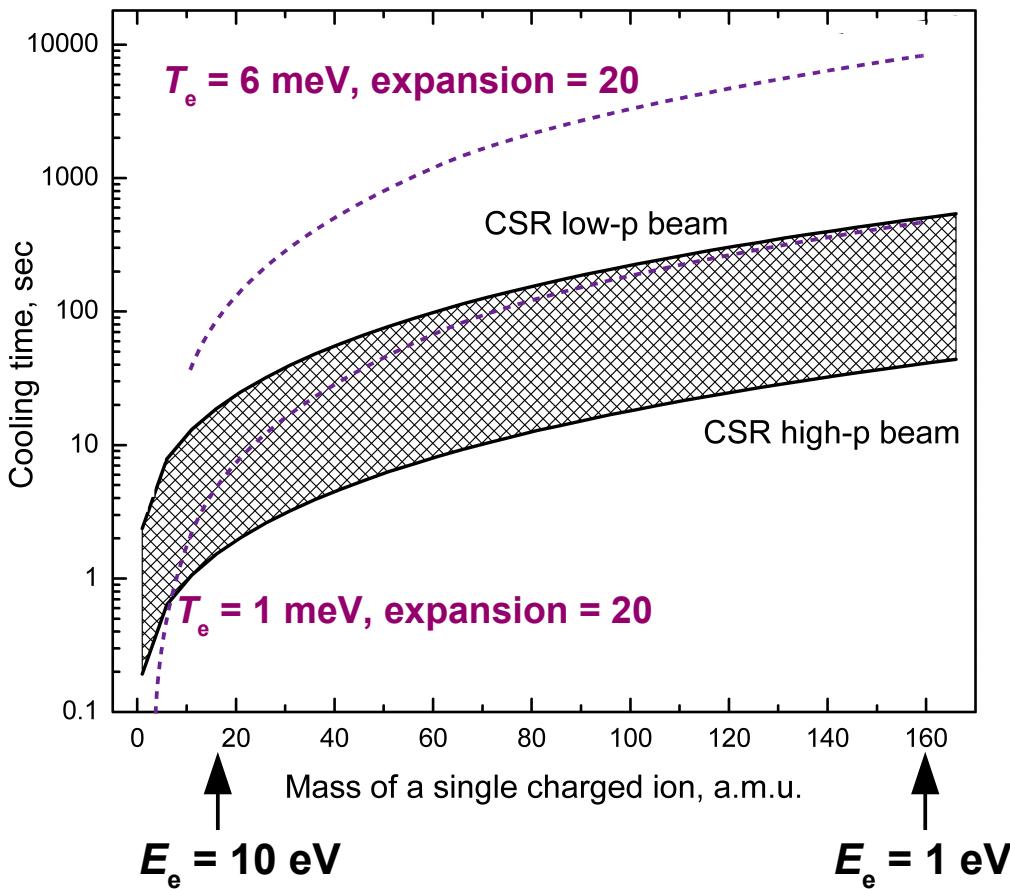
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Low-energy photocathode electron beam



Cooling time of high-mass singly charged ions



$$\tau = C \frac{A^2}{Z^2 E_i} \frac{(1-x)^{3/2} T_e^{3/2} \alpha}{p(x)} \lambda$$

α : magnetic expansion

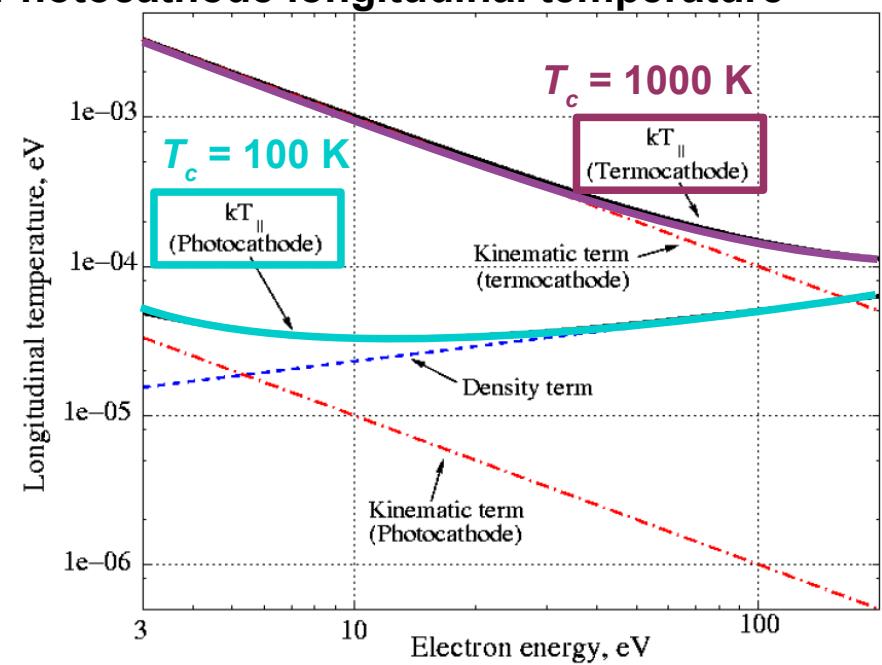
$$\lambda = \frac{L_{RING}}{L_{COOLER}} = 50$$

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$$p_{high} = 4.1(x = 0.33)$$

$$p_{low} = 0.6(x = 0.03)$$

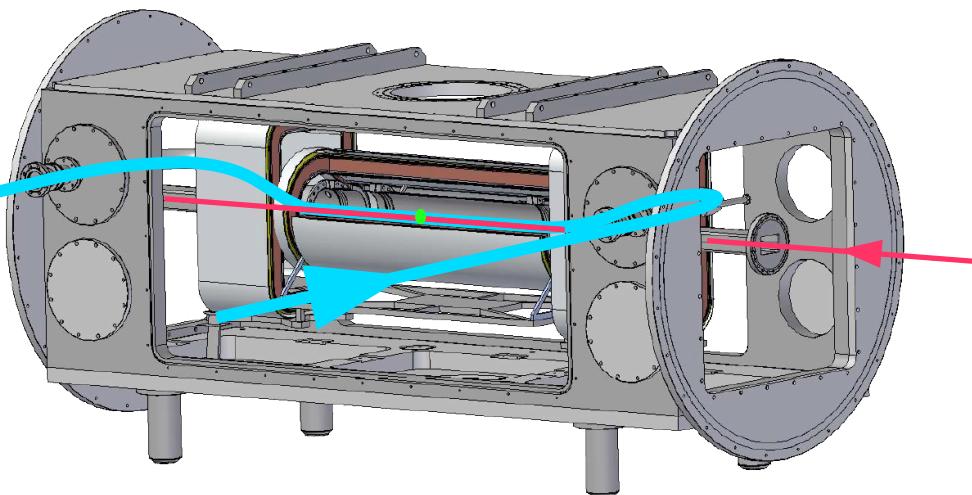
Photocathode longitudinal temperature



D. A. Orlov et al., COOL07, FRM1C03

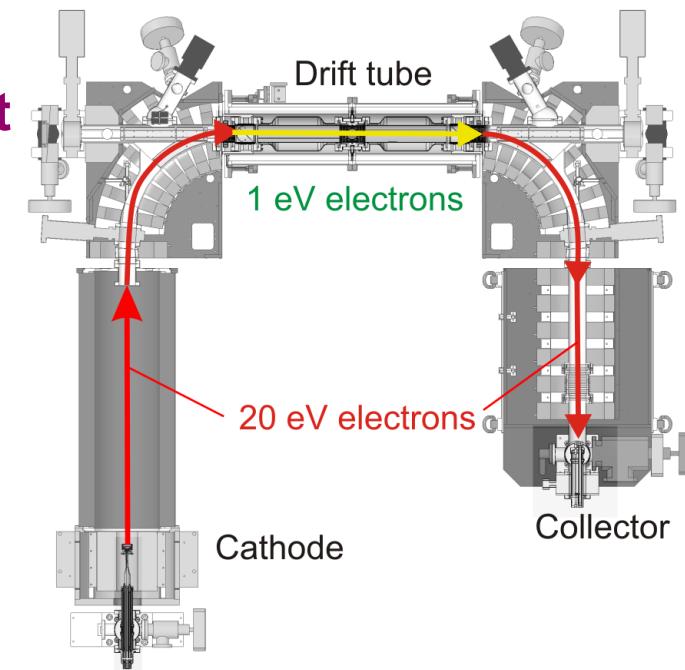
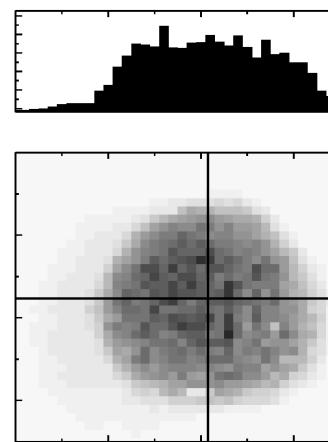
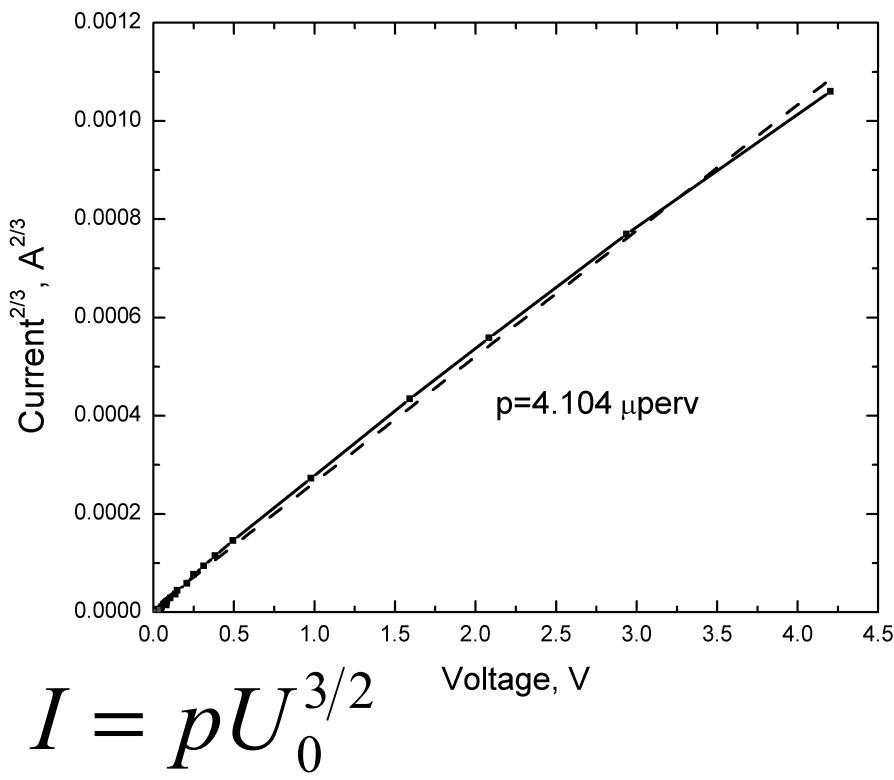
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Tests at TSR electron target

Deceleration of low-current photocathode beams

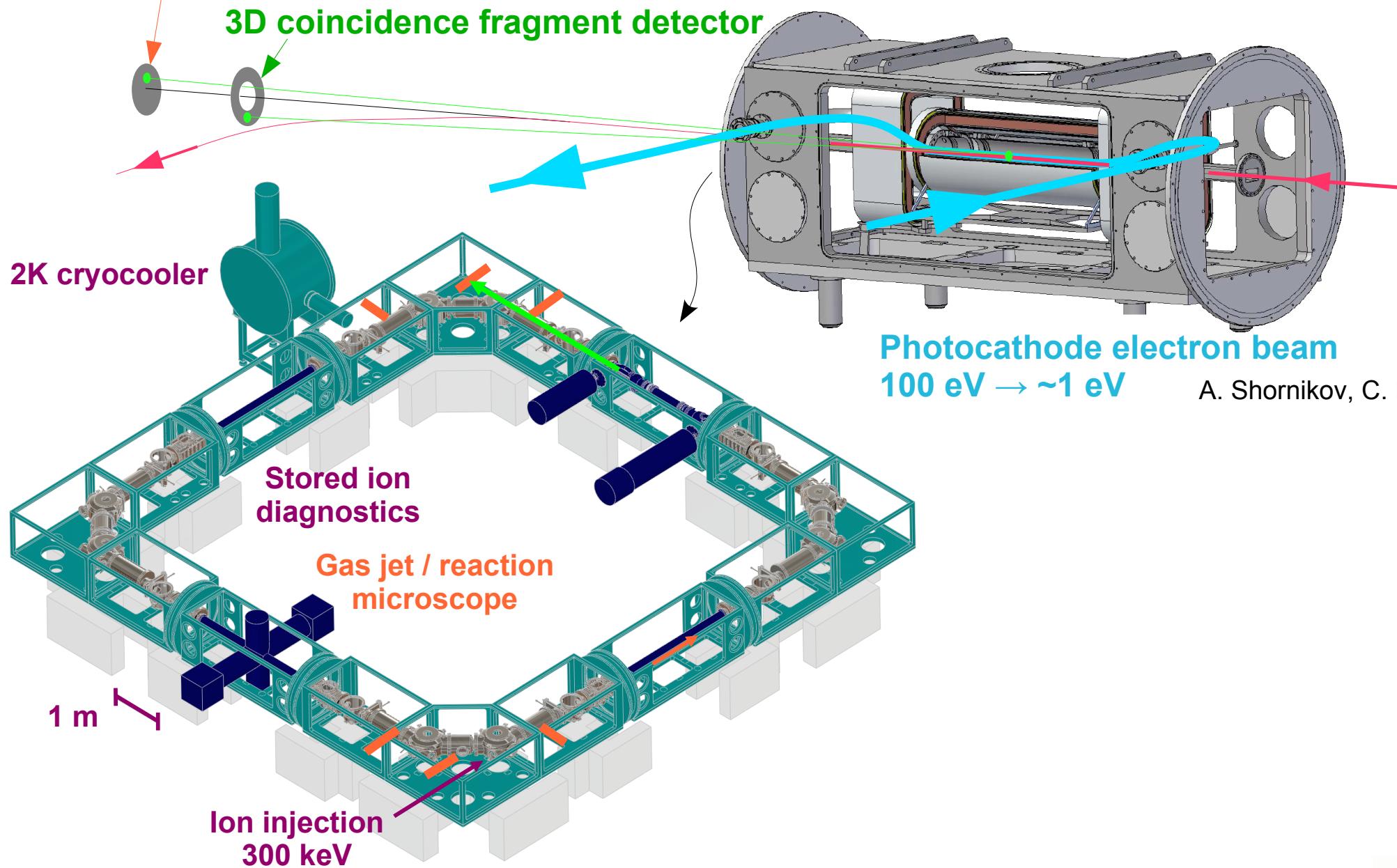


Beam profiles

Outlook to experiments at CSR

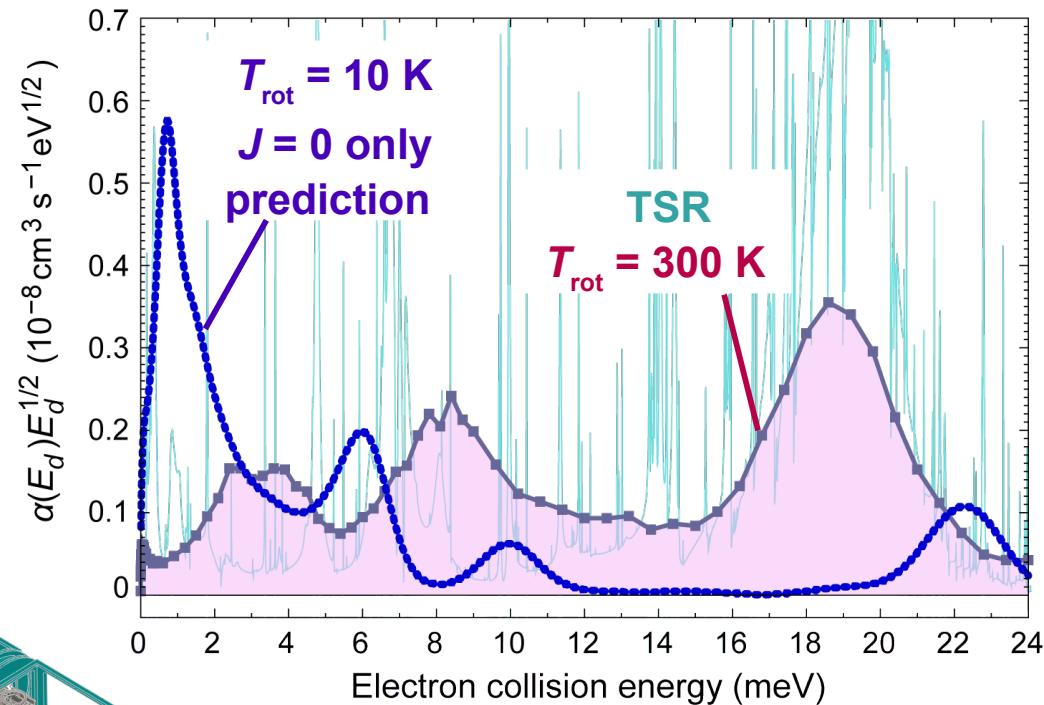
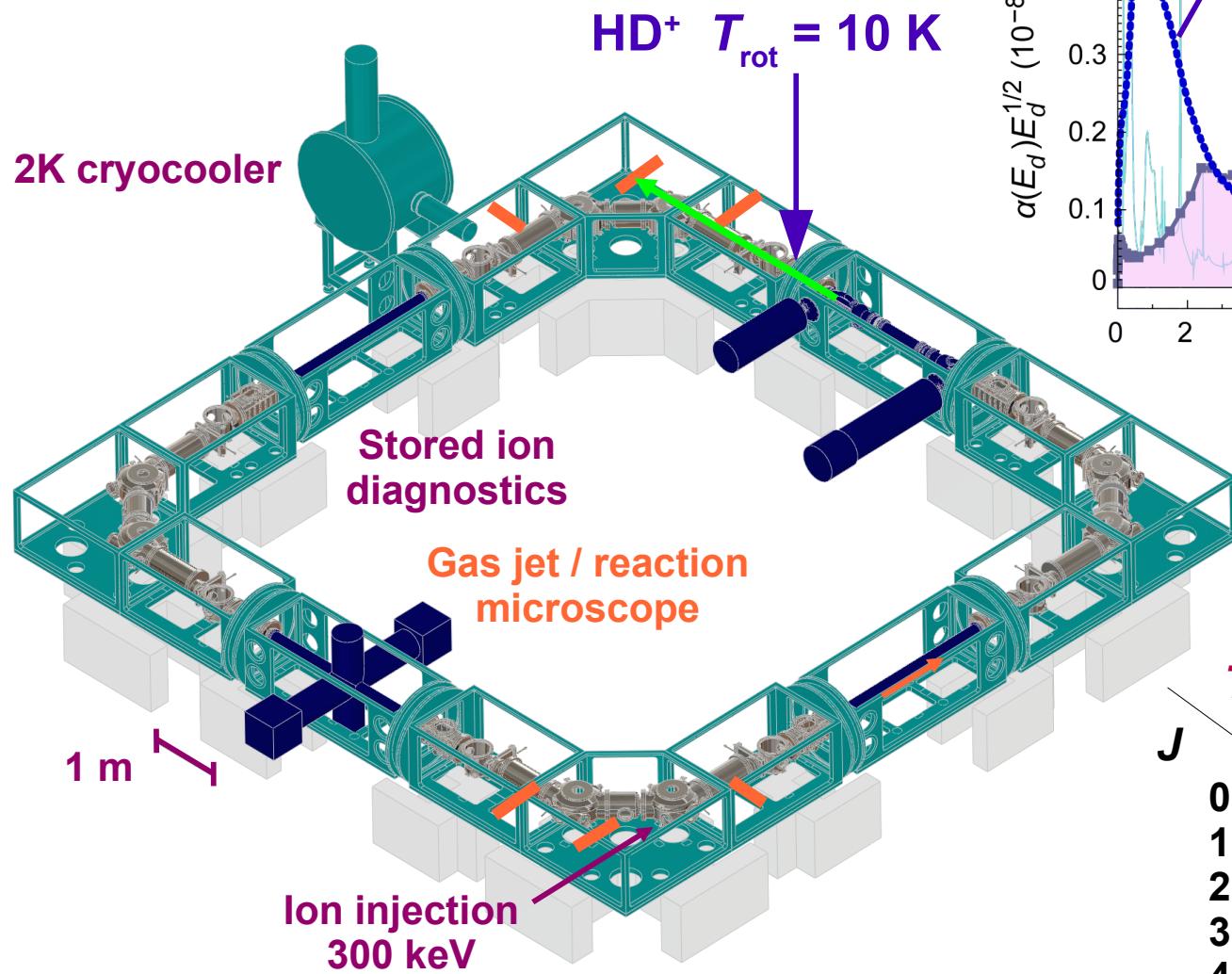
In development: segmented microcalorimeter detector

3D coincidence fragment detector



Outlook to experiments at CSR

Rotational dependence of cross section



Rydberg capture resonances at low rotation

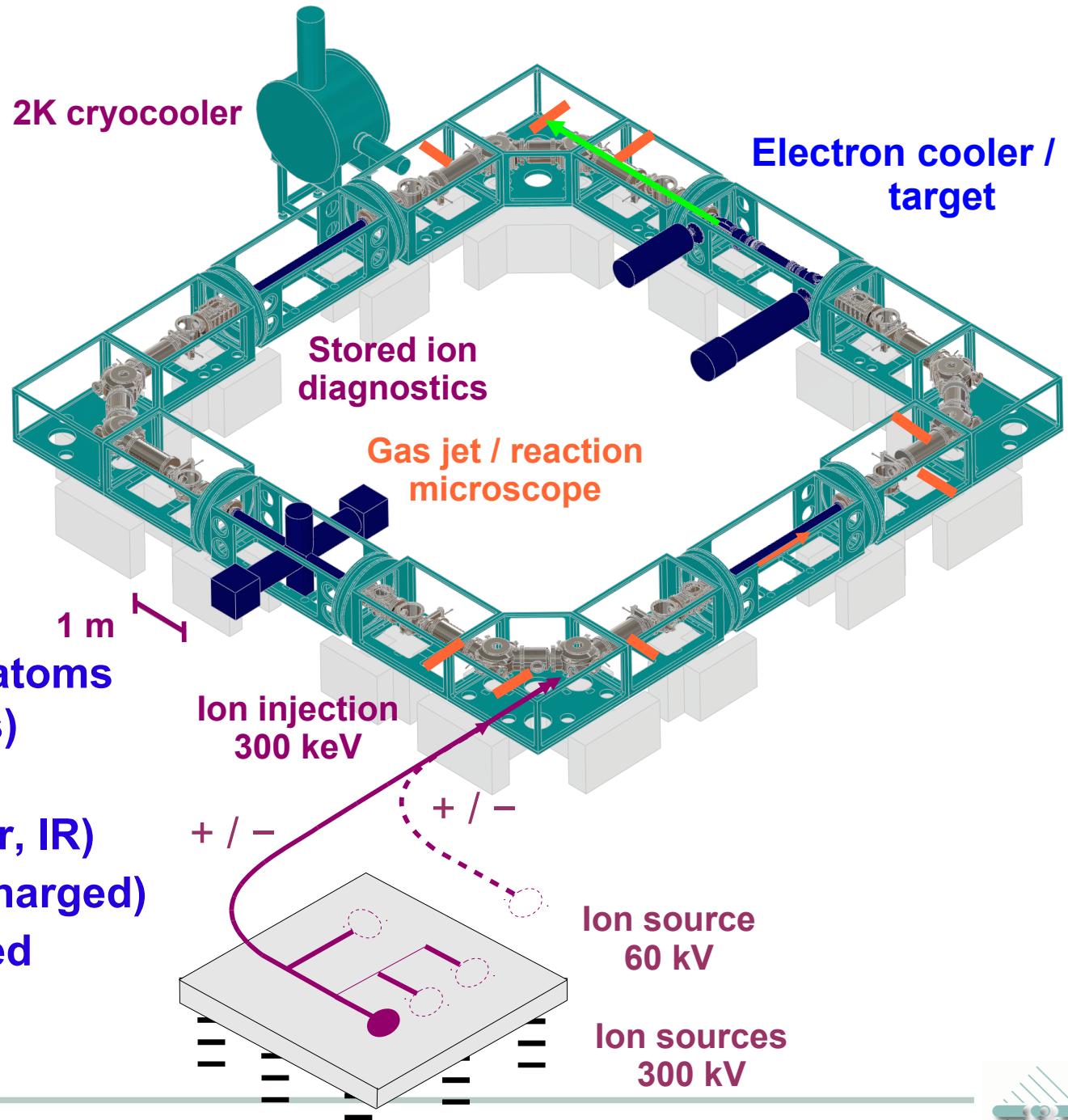
Waffeu-Tamo et al.,
Phys. Rev. A 84, 022710 (2011)

J	T_{rot}	300 K	10 K
0		0.104	0.995
1		0.251	0.005
2		0.271	0.0
3		0.199	0.0
4		0.108	0.0



Outlook to experiments at CSR

- Stored ion beams at 10 K internal temperature
- Organic molecules, heavy atoms (300 keV for all masses)
- Rotationally resolved ion spectroscopy (laser, IR)
- Negative ions (also multi-charged)
- Cluster systems, H₂O-loaded



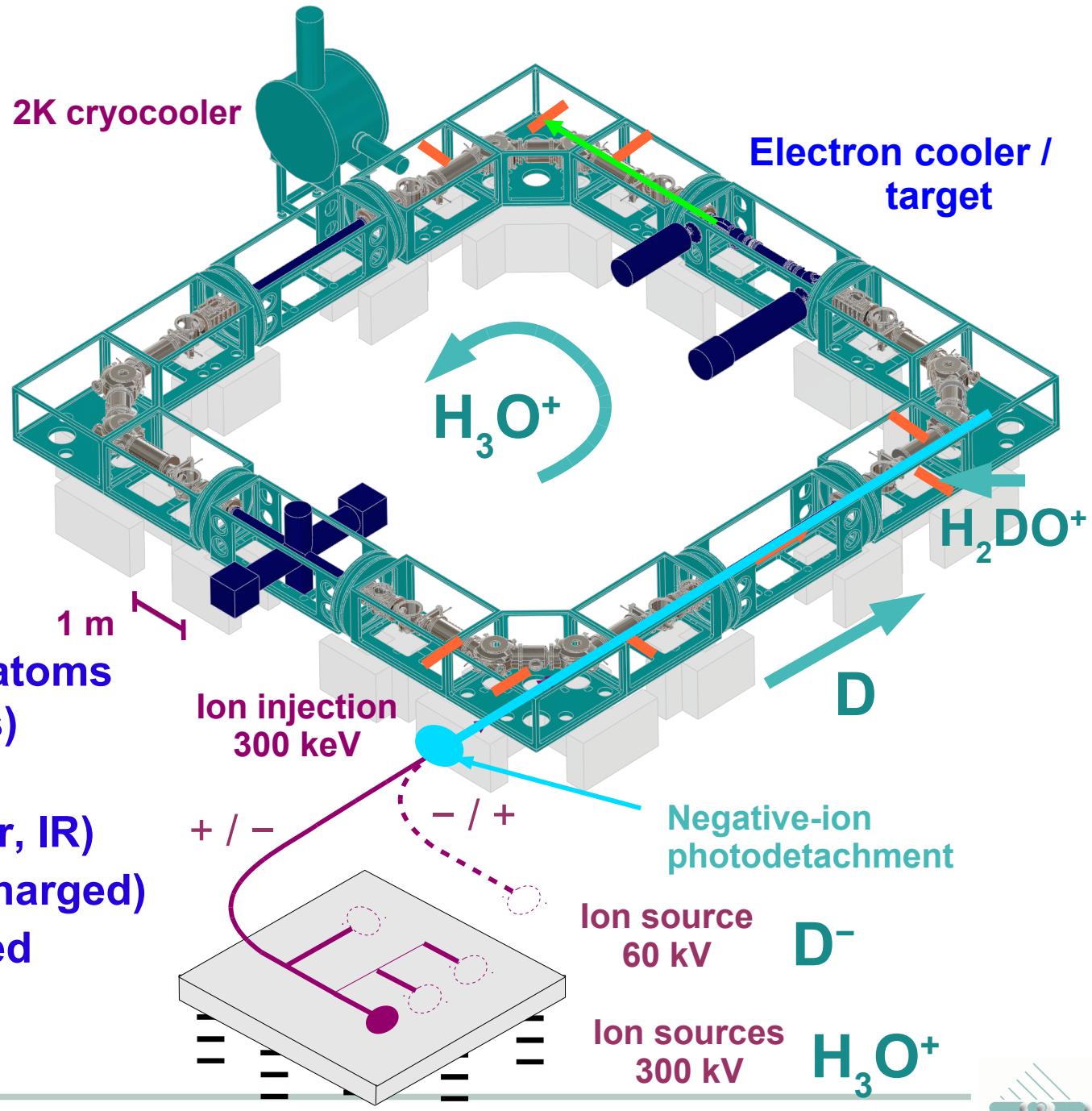
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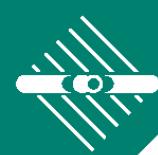
Ion–atom merged beams



Deuterium enrichment by ion chemistry

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Stored and Cooled Ions (K. Blaum)

Atomic and molecular quantum dynamics

**Atomic and
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Electron target

Photocathode



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Stored and cooled ion instrumentation

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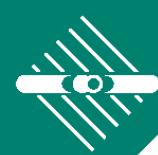
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Microcalorimeter ion detector

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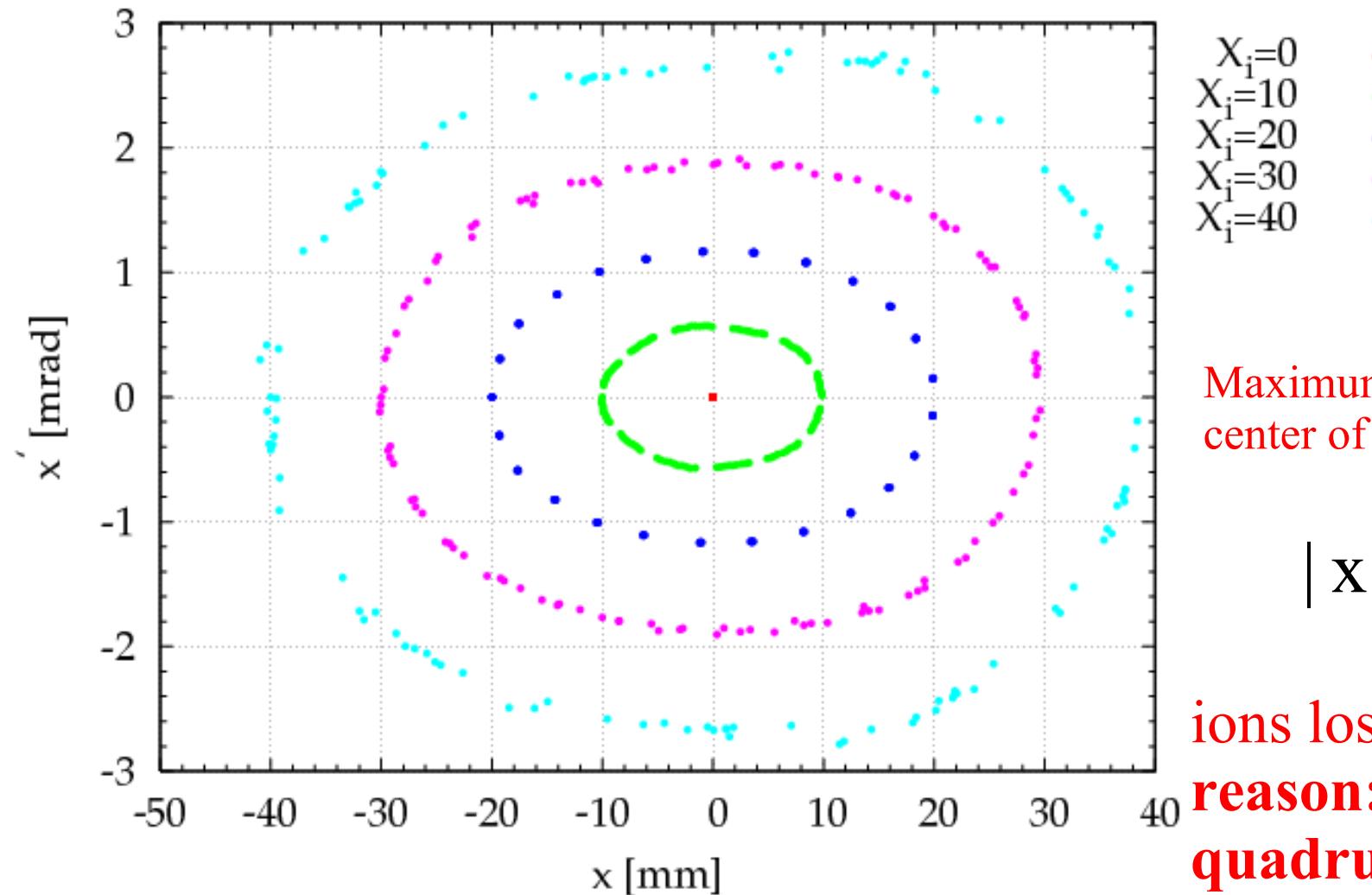
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Horizontal Acceptance of the CSR (p 300 keV)

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CSR Horizontal Phase Space Ellipse $E_i=300$ keV



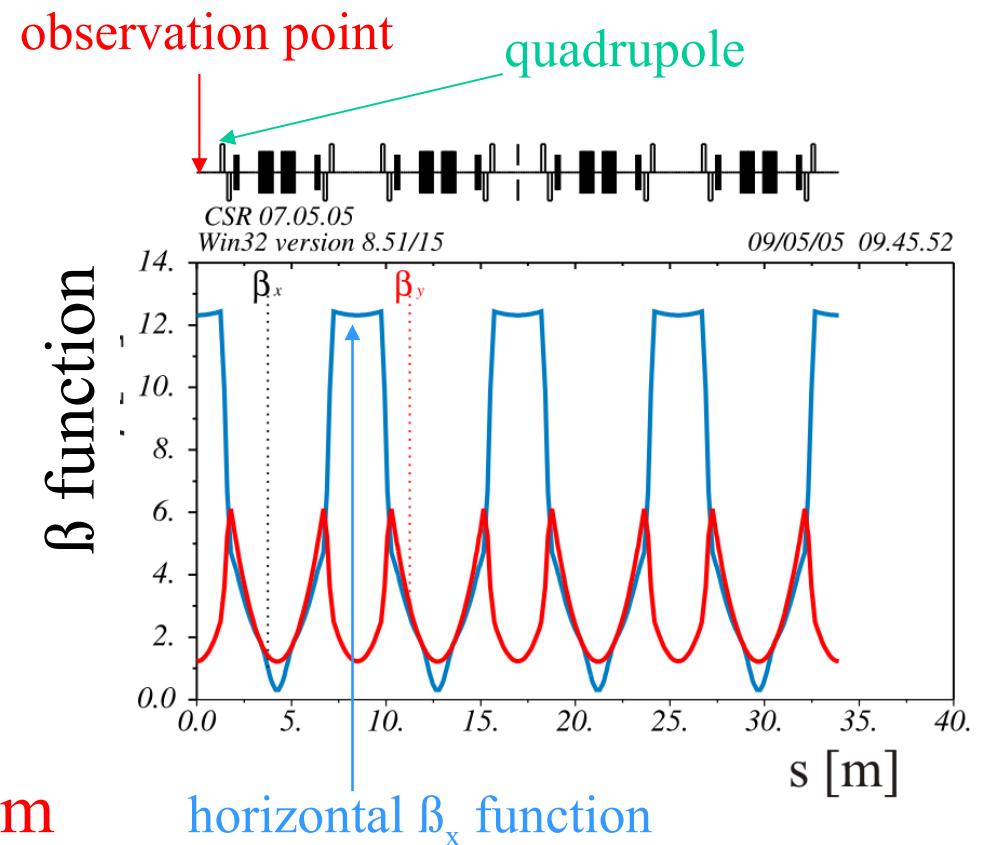
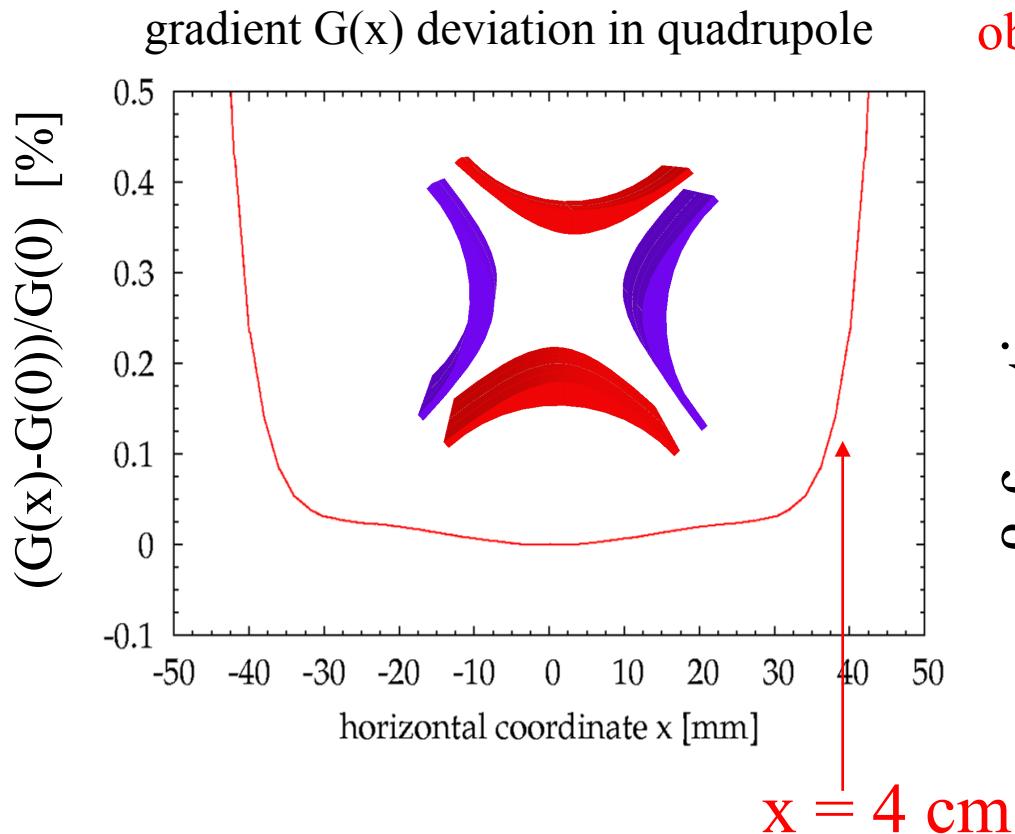
Maximum Beam Size in the center of the straight section

$$|x|_{\max} \approx 4\text{cm}$$

ions lost for $x > 4$ cm
reason: property of the quadrupole

Horizontal acceptance and quadrupole gradient

Orbit calculations with real fields: ion lost for $x > 4\text{cm}$

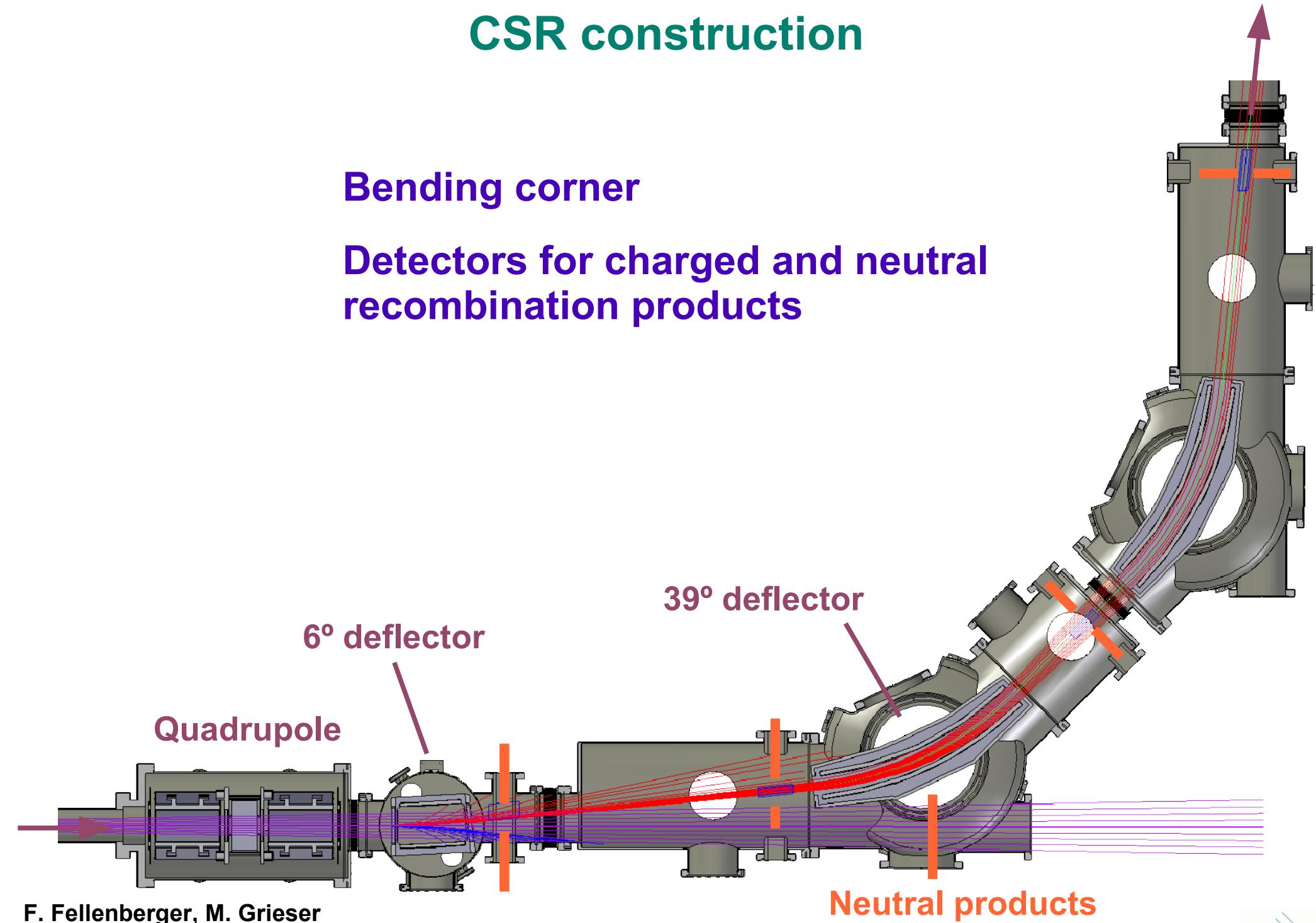


if x reaches 4 cm ions see a dramatically change of the quadrupole gradient
⇒ tune change ⇒ ions lost due to resonances

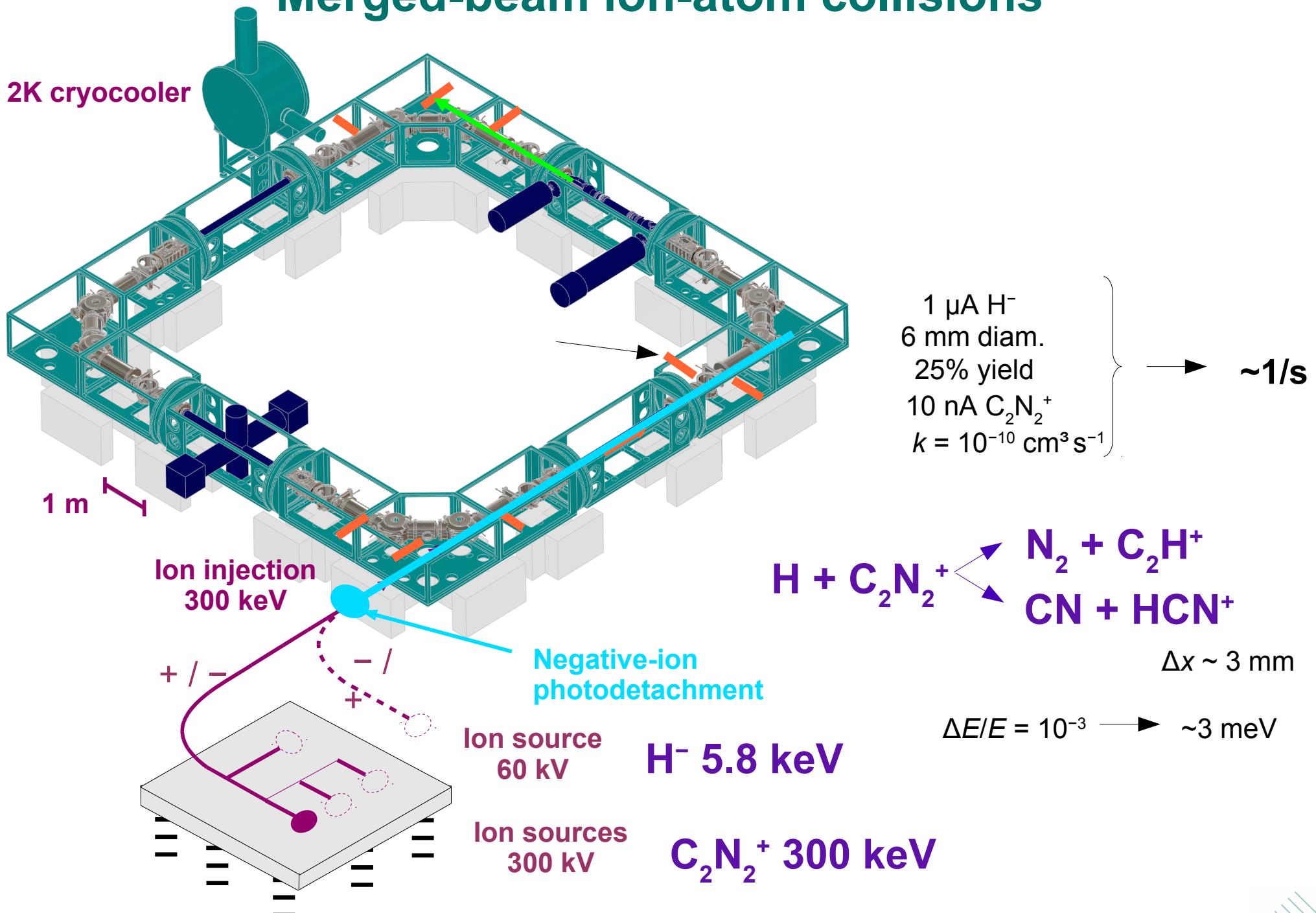
CSR construction

Bending corner

Detectors for charged and neutral recombination products

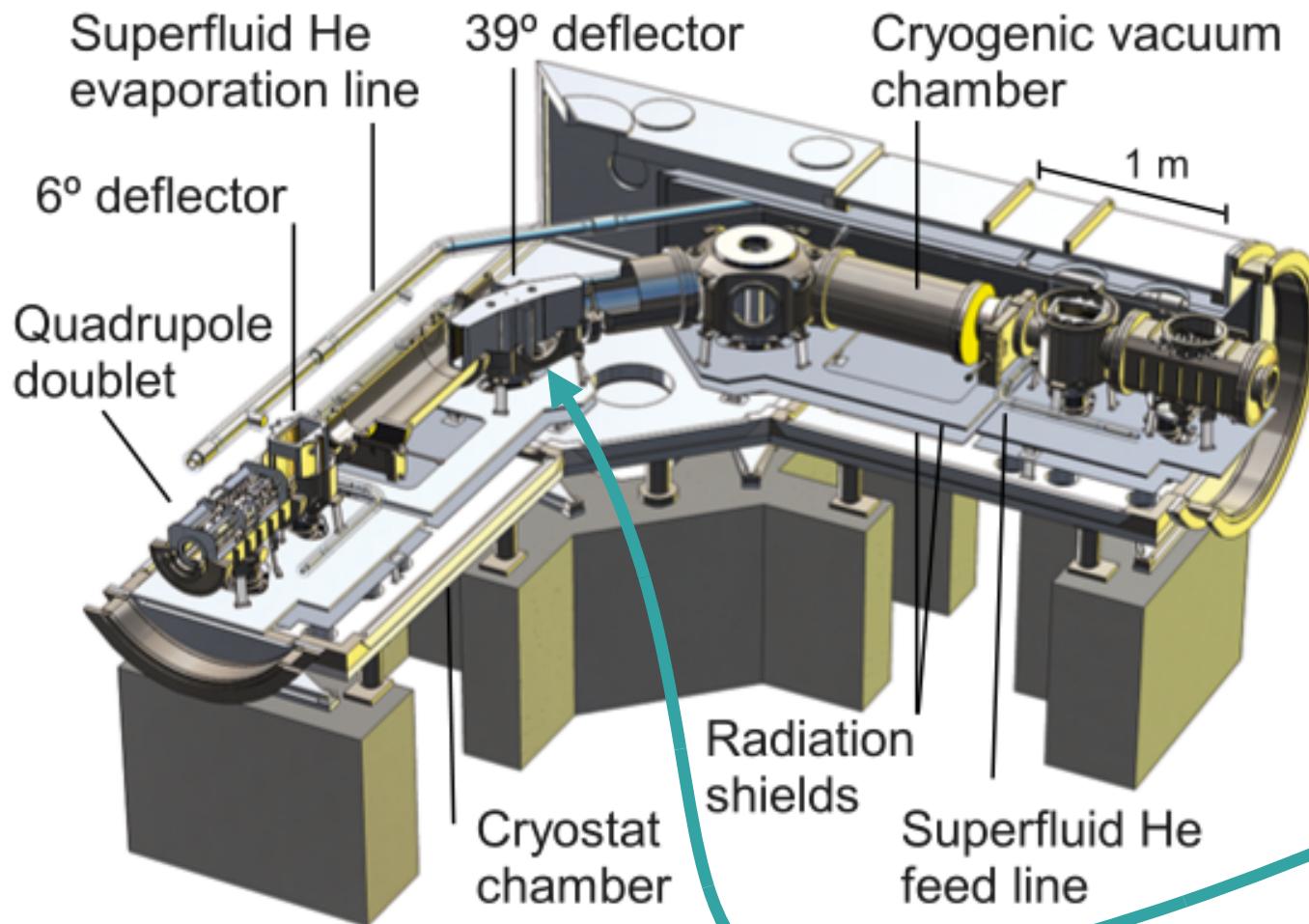


Merged-beam ion-atom collisions

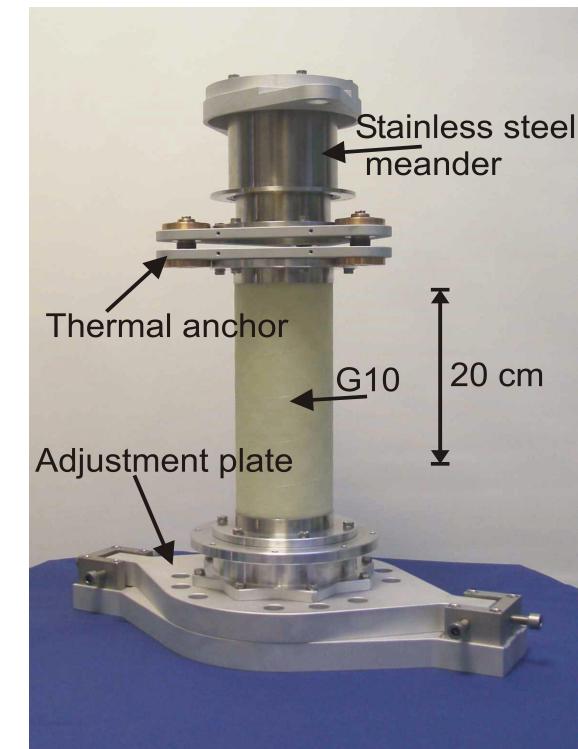


CSR construction

CSR ion optics and deflection cell



Ion optics support



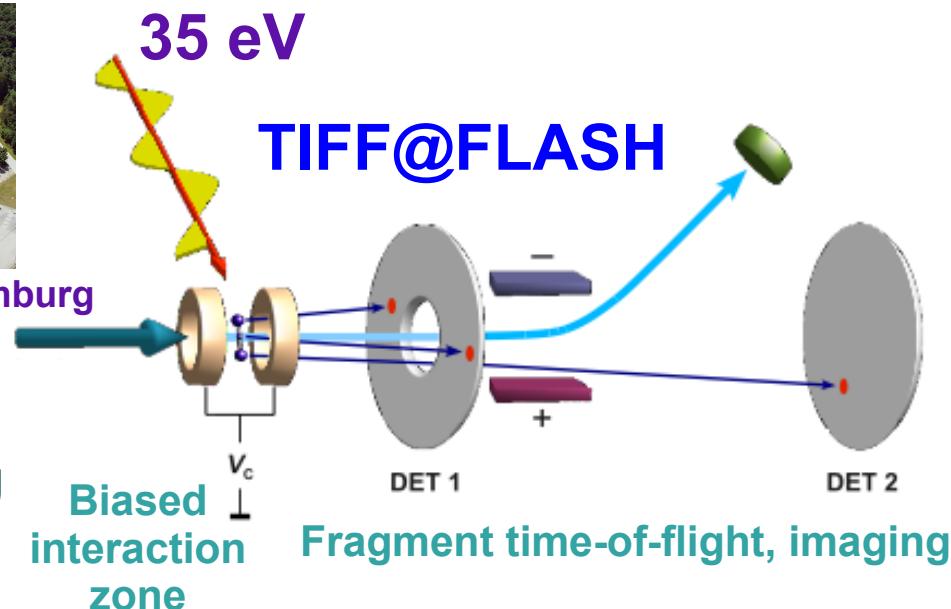
Water cluster photofragmentation

Fragmentation following valence ionization



FLASH FEL, DESY, Hamburg

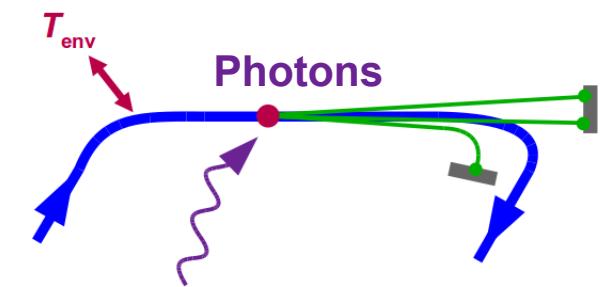
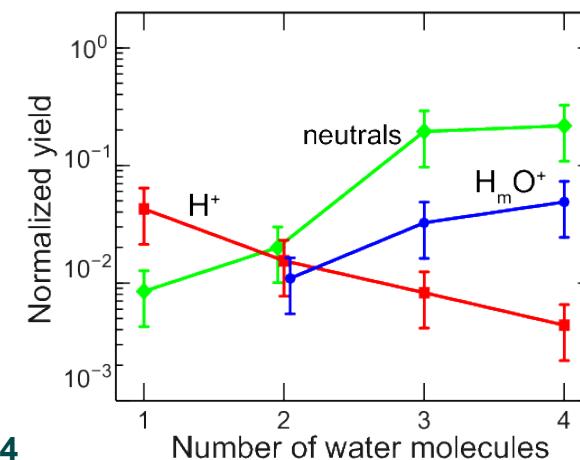
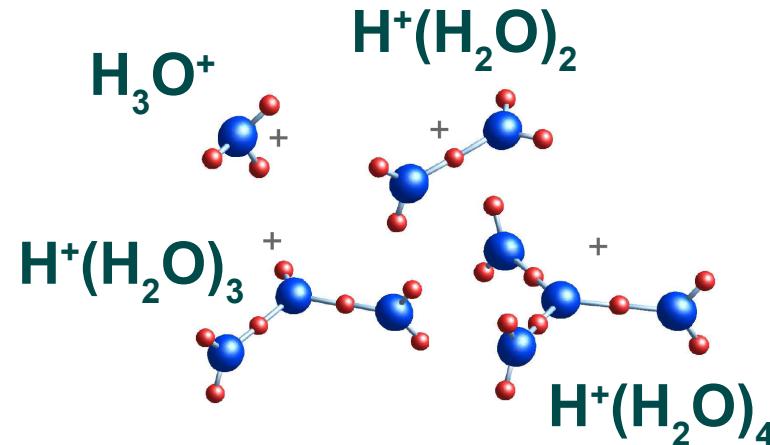
TIFF ion beam
(~4 keV)
pulsing, trapping



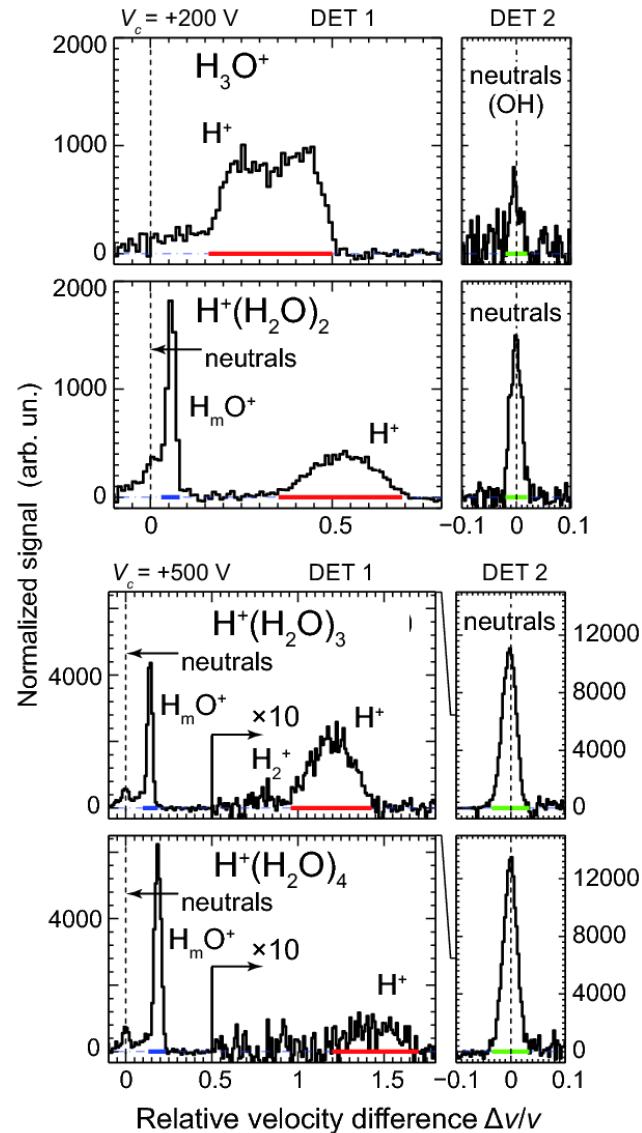
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L. Lammich et al., PRL 105, 253003 (2010)

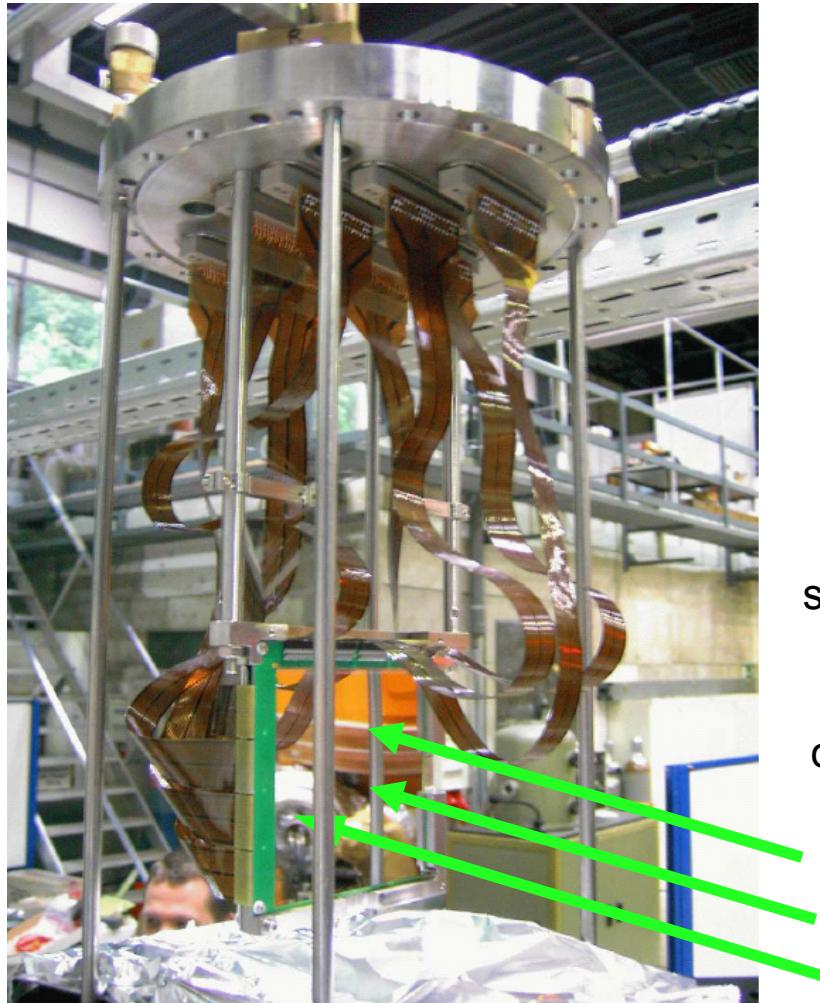
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Fragment time-of-flight spectra



Multistrip silicon detector for fast-beam imaging



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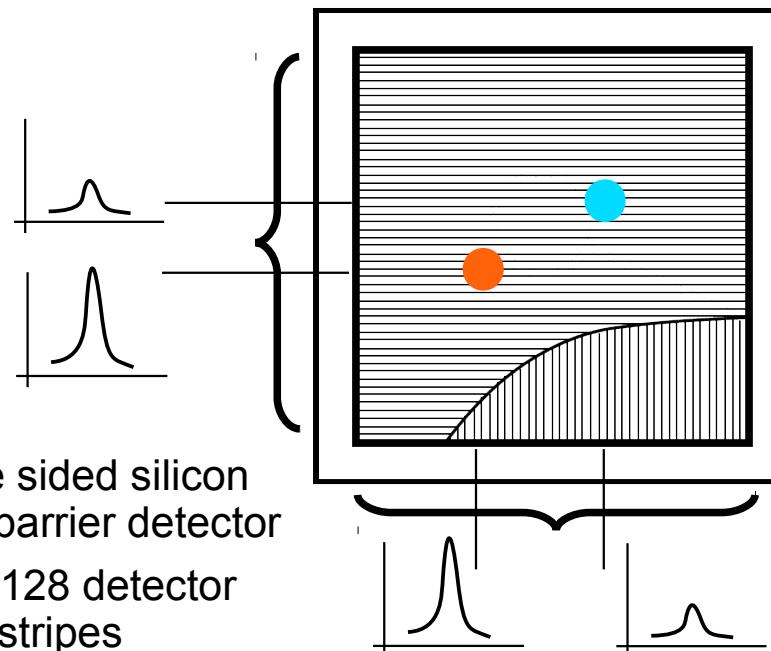


Polyatomic fragmentation
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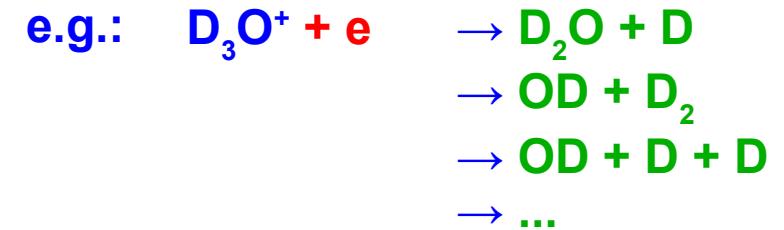
TSR

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Energy-sensitive MUlti-strip detector



Energy readout →
fragment channel identification



EMU imaging system @ TSR

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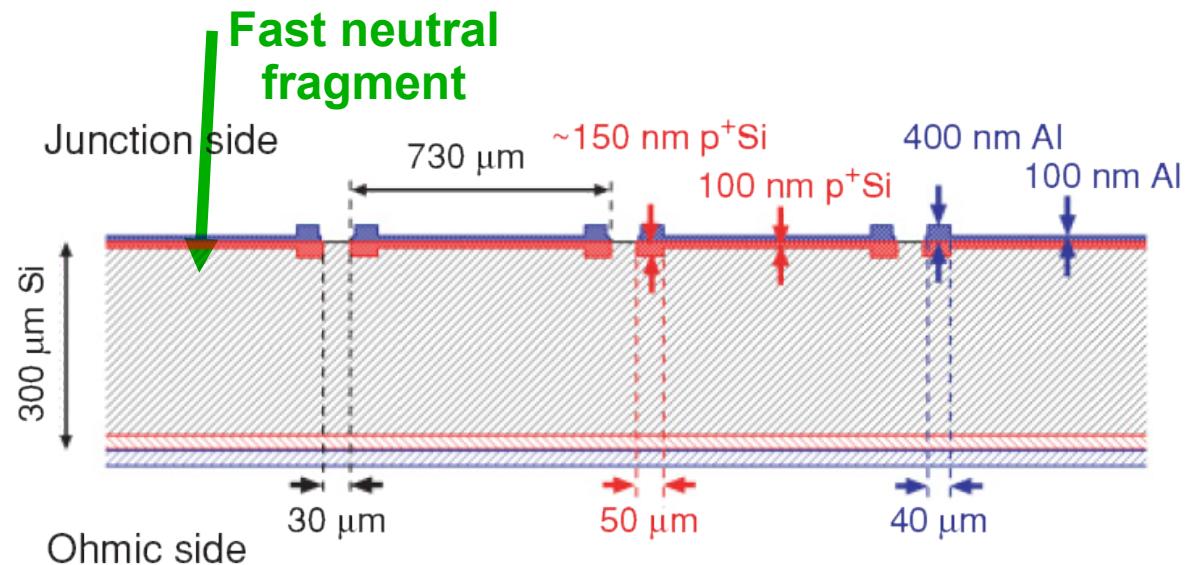


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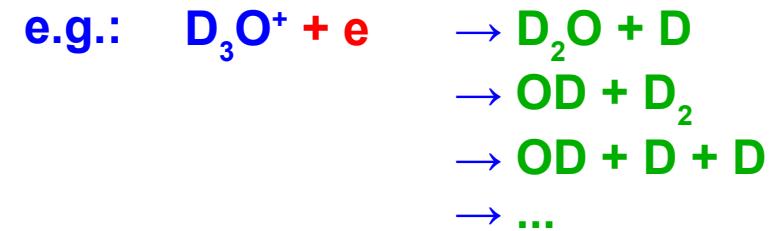
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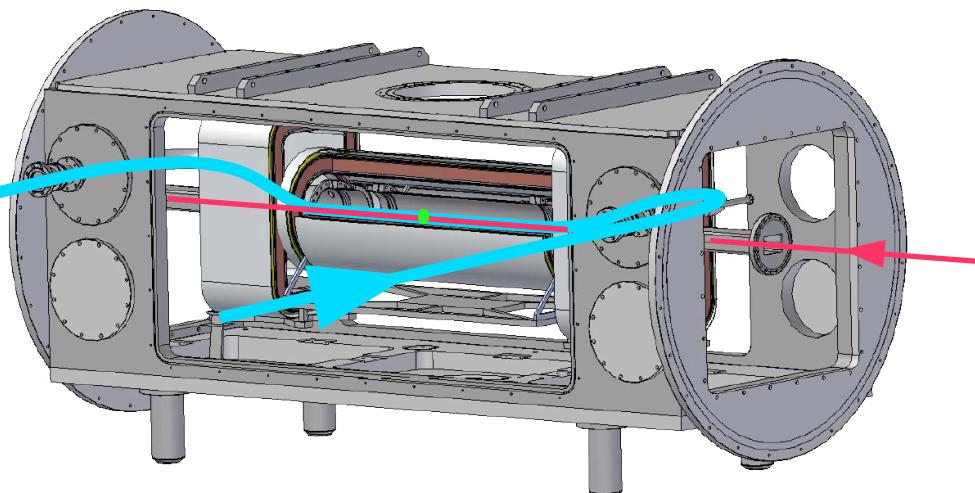


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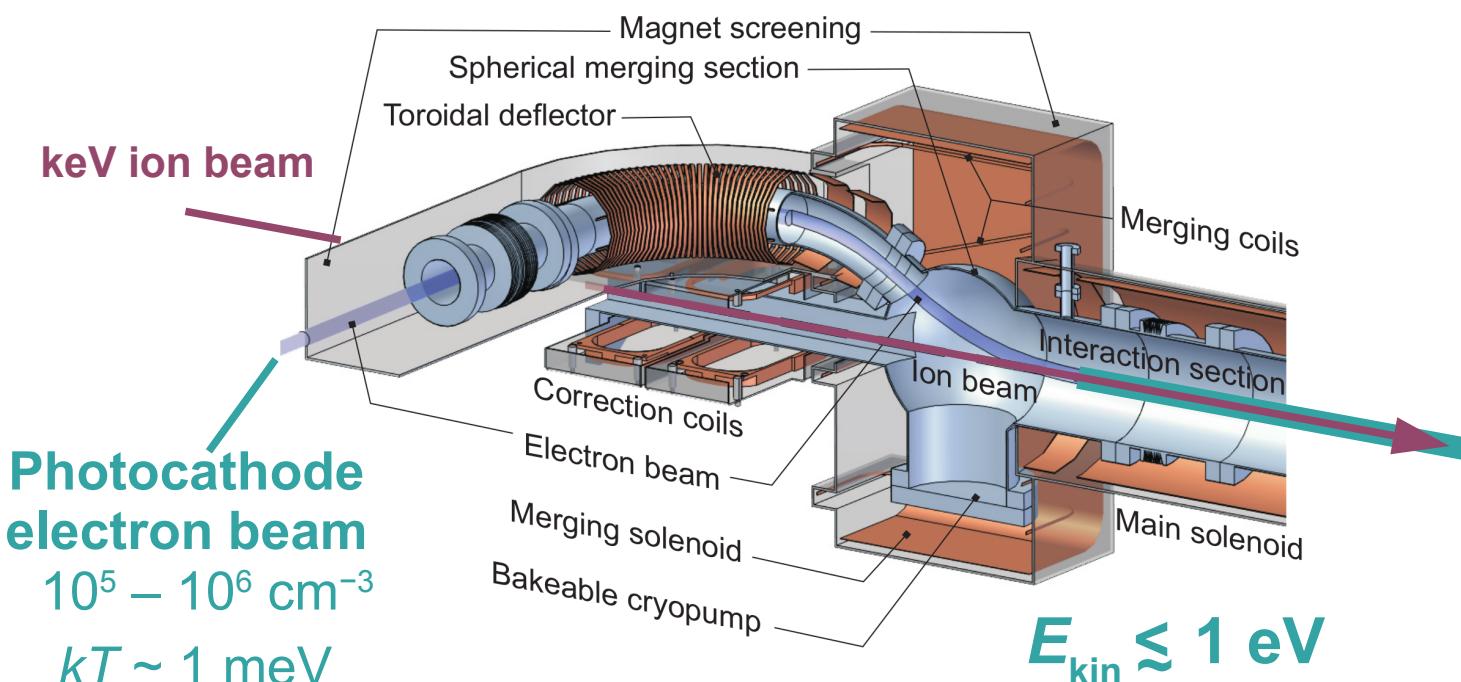
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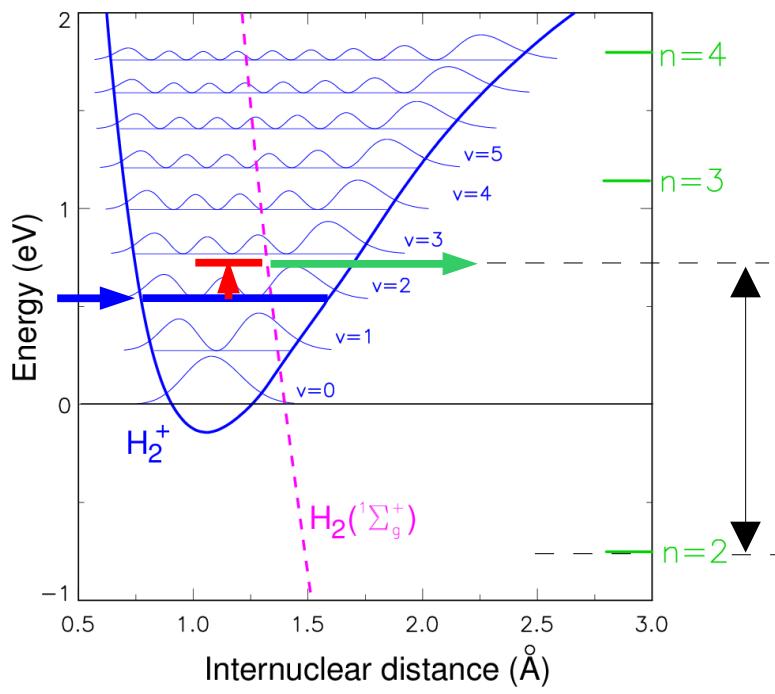
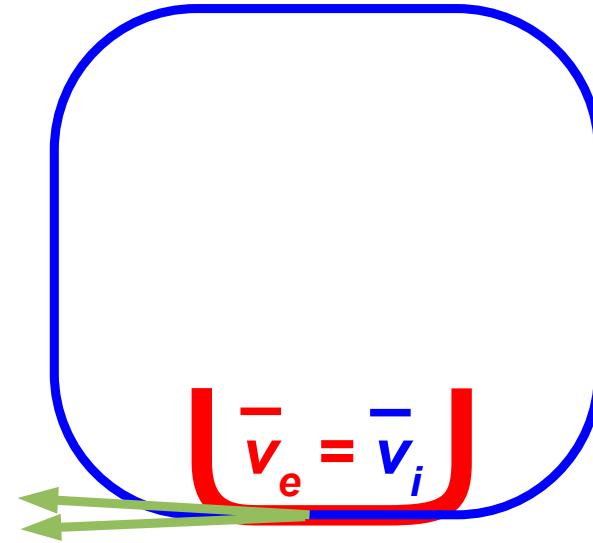


Merging section for electrostatic rings

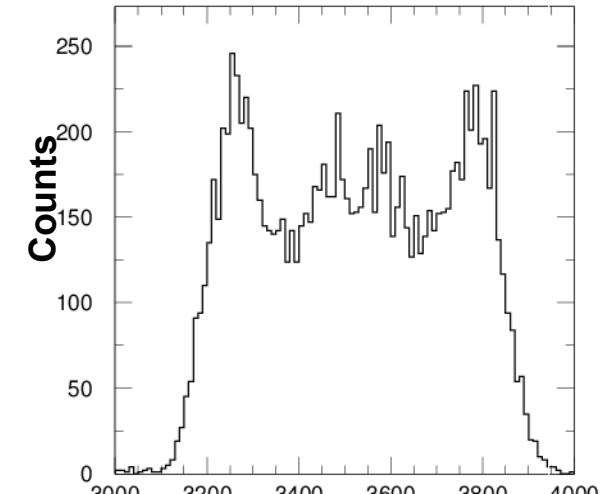
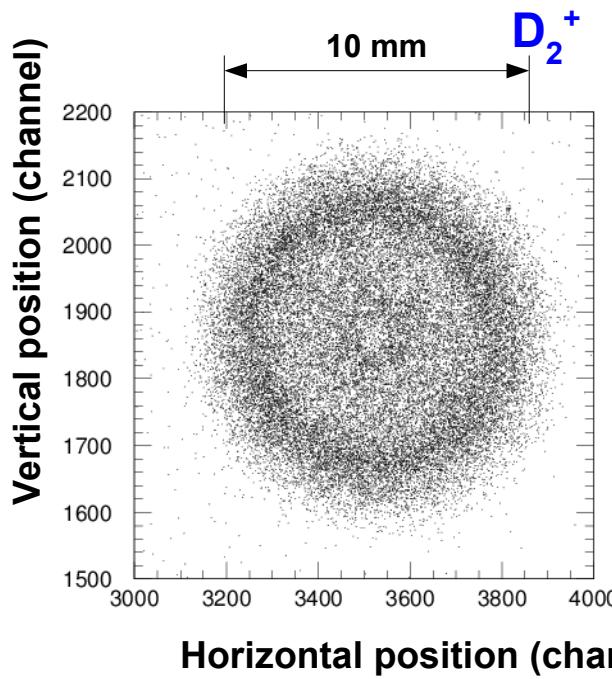


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Electron cooling of molecular ions

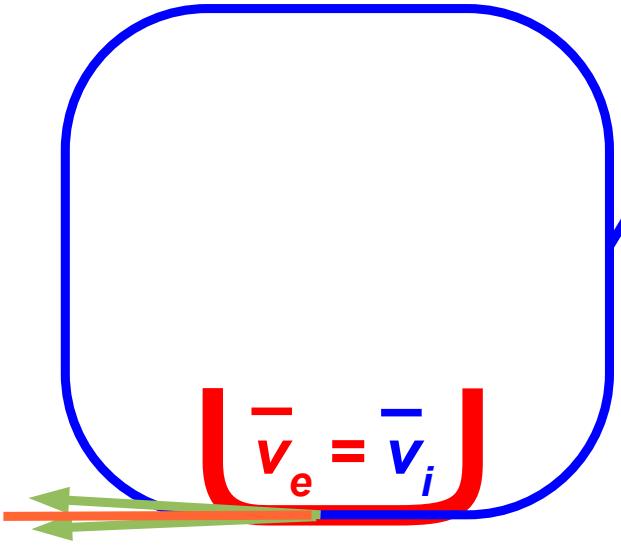


Correlated 2-hit events on imaging detector



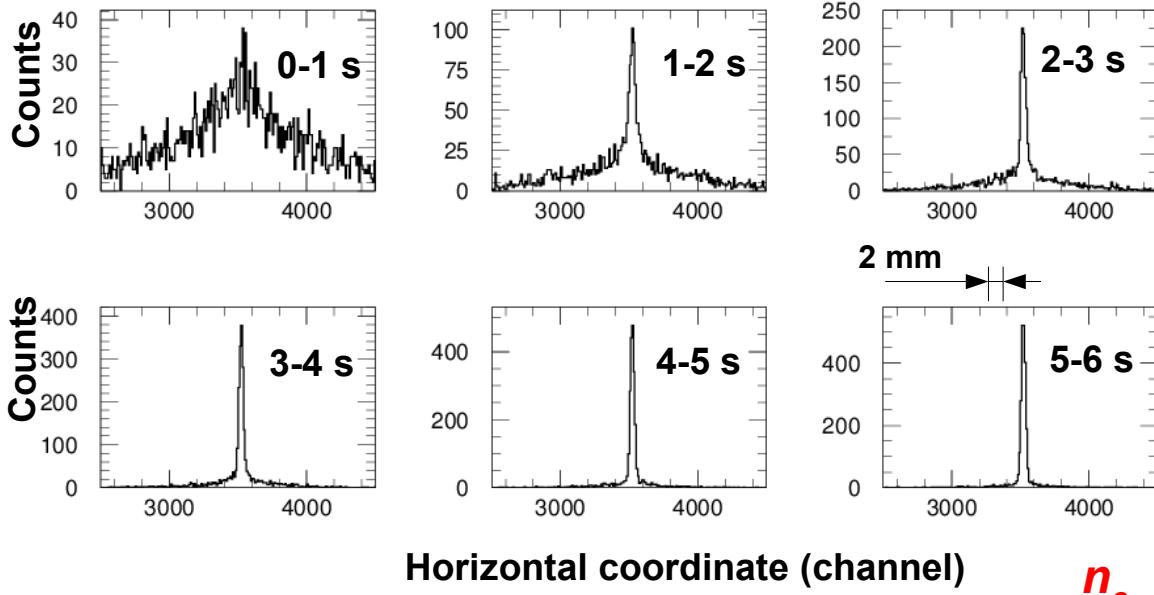
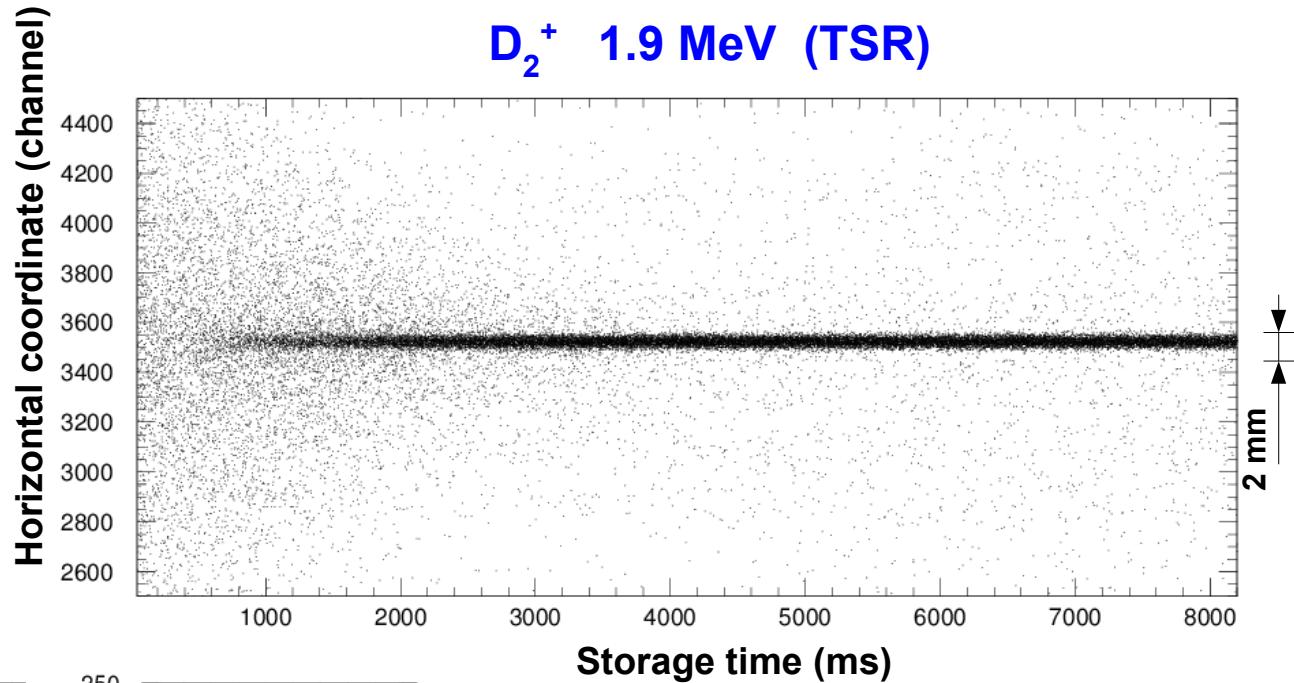
Horizontal position (channel)

Electron cooling of molecular ions



Fragment center-of-mass impact position

D_2^+ 1.9 MeV (TSR)



TSR: NIM A 532, 69 (2004)

2 mm

$$n_e = 5.5 \times 10^6 \text{ cm}^{-3}$$