

# **THE JINR FLNR HEAVY ION CYCLOTRON COMPLEX – PRESENT STATUS AND FUTURE**

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# **FLNR's BASIC DIRECTIONS of RESEARCH**

## **U-400 cyclotron ( $^{48}\text{Ca}$ , $^{50}\text{Ti}$ 5-6 MeV/n)**

- Heavy and superheavy nuclei:

- synthesis and study of properties of superheavy elements;
- chemistry of new elements;
- fusion-fission and multi-nucleon transfer reactions;
- nuclear-, mass-, & laser-spectrometry of SH nuclei.

## **U-400M cyclotron (light ions ~50 MeV/n)**

- Light exotic nuclei:

- properties and structure of light exotic nuclei;
- reactions with exotic nuclei.

## **IC-100 (C ÷ Bi 1 MeV/n), U-400 (Ar ÷ Bi 3.5-5 MeV/n)**

- Radiation effects and physical groundwork of nanotechnology.

**DC-280**  
SHE factory

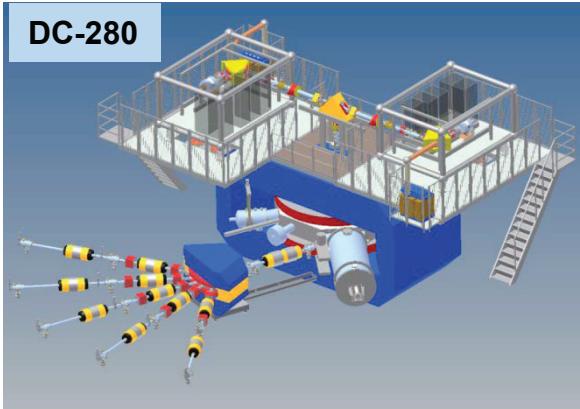
**U-400**  
Heavy and superheavy  
nuclei

**U-400M**  
Light exotic  
nuclei

**IC-100**  
Applied research



**DC-280**



**U-400**



**U-400M**



# U400 Cyclotron (1978)

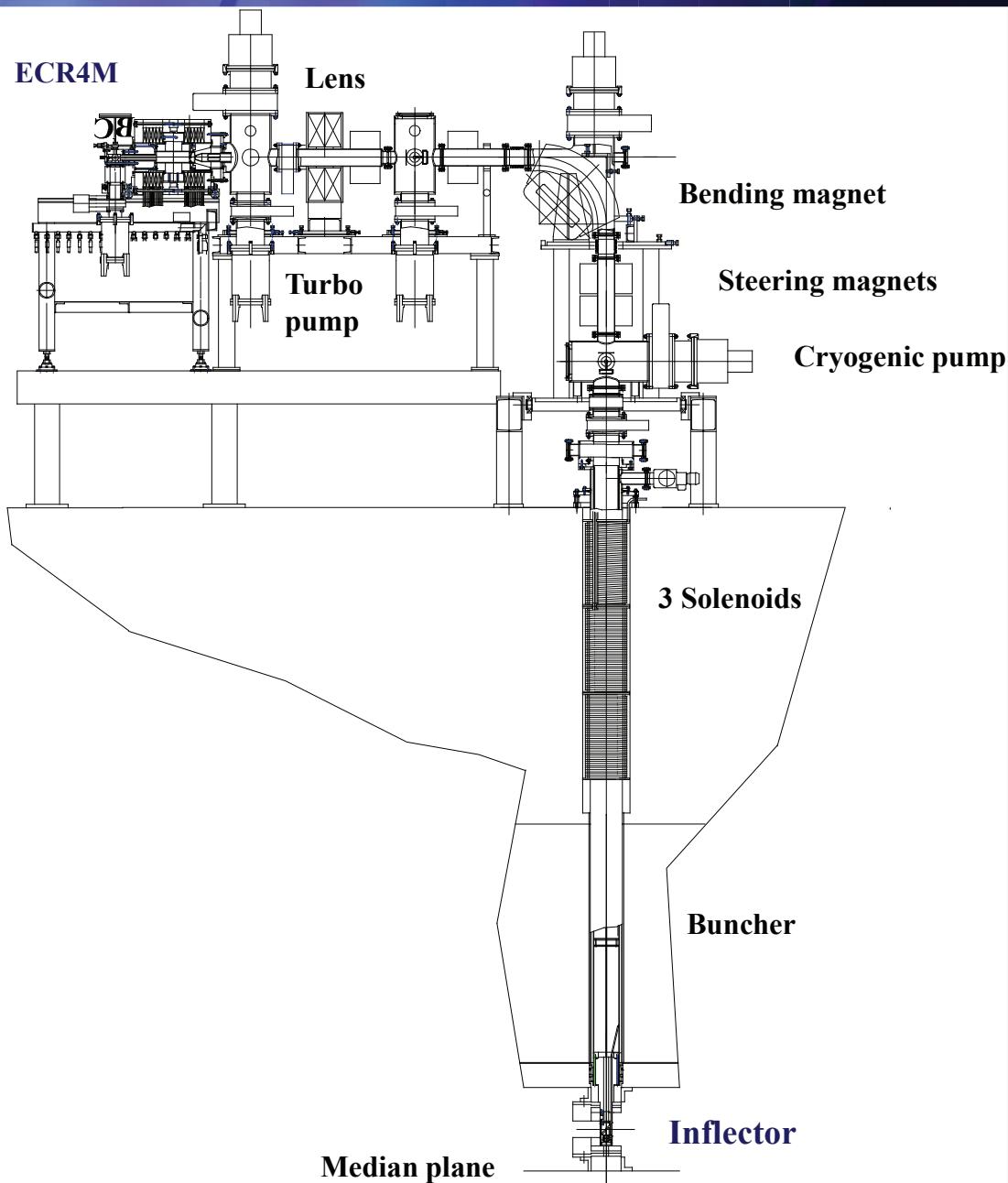


# Axial injection system of U-400 Cyclotron

## ECR4M

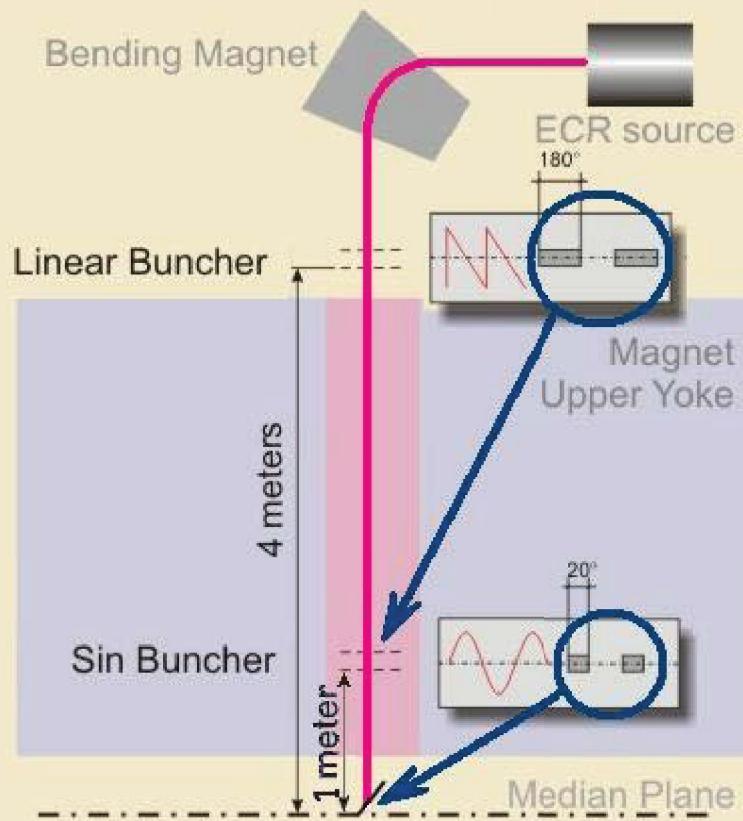
made by GANIL 1995,  
upgraded by FLNR 2013

$^{48}\text{Ca}^{5+}$  - 100 e $\mu$ A  
 $^{132}\text{Xe}^{12+}$  - 50 e $\mu$ A  
 $^{209}\text{Bi}^{19+}$  - 20 e $\mu$ A



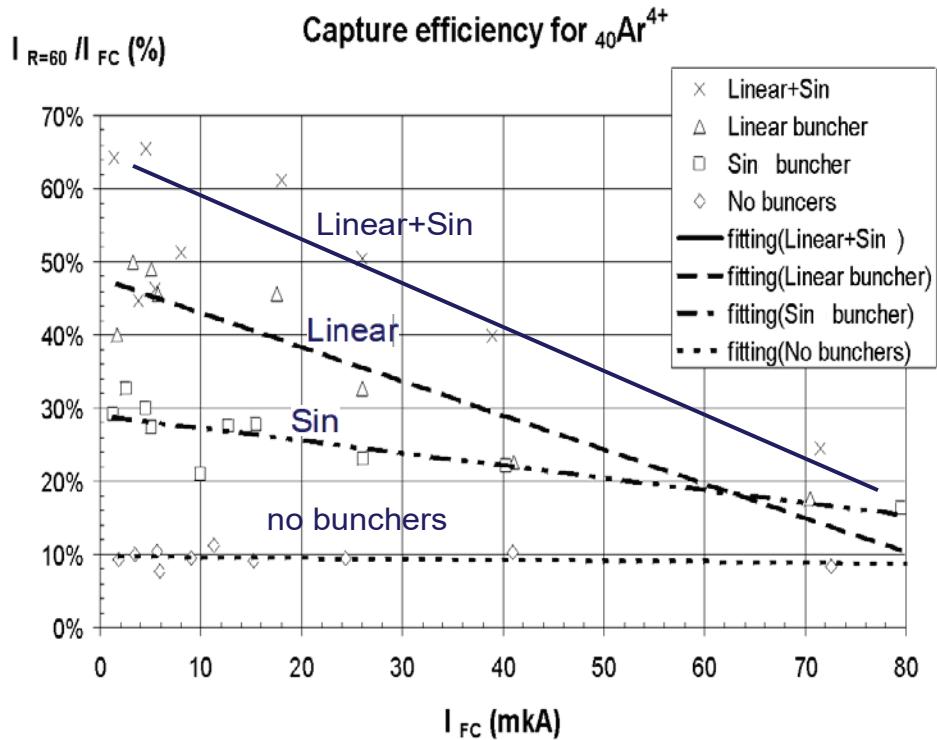
# Axial injection system of U-400 Cyclotron

## Buncher system of U-400



Phase length of bunch, which is captured in the acceleration – 20-40° from 360°.

## Influence of space charge



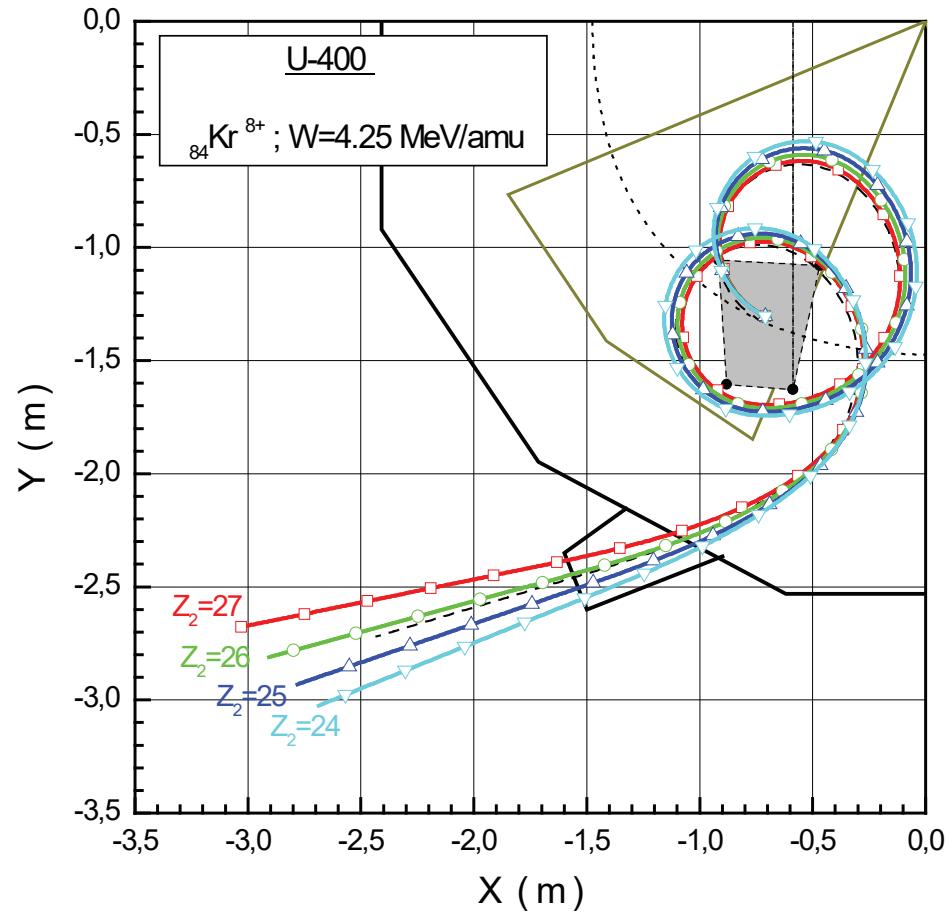
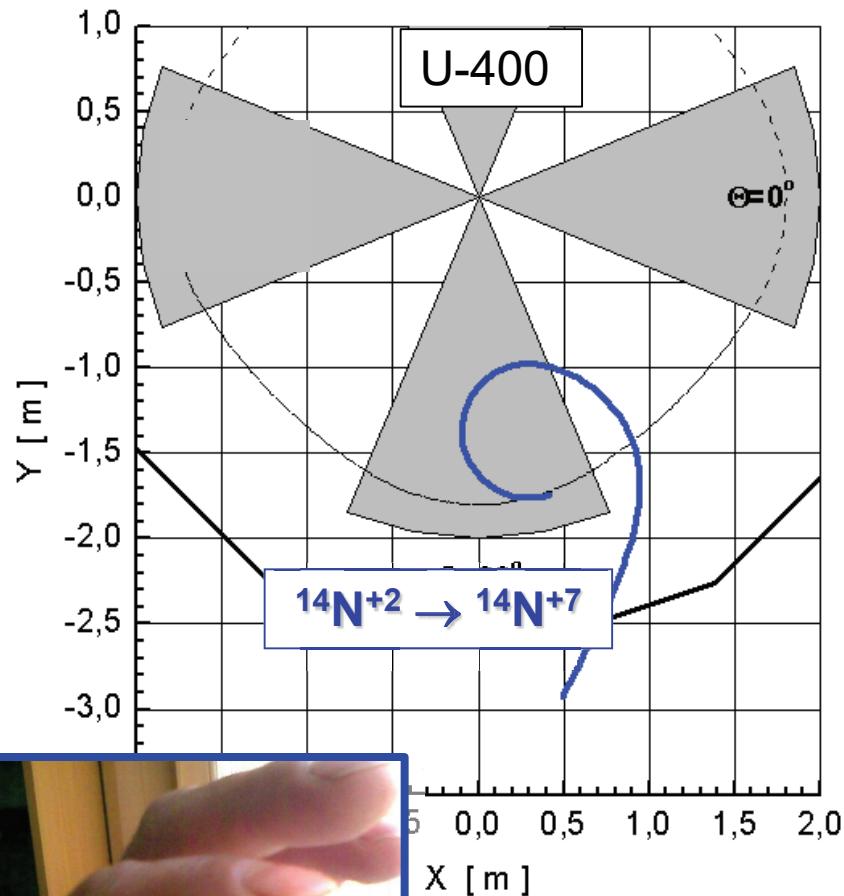
Accelerated beam  $^{48}\text{Ca}^{5+}$   
 $U_{\text{inj}} = 14,7 \text{ kV}; I_{\text{inj}} = 52 \mu\text{A}$

The beam intensity on the target

The magnification ratio of the intensity

Sin – off Lin – off	Sin – on Lin – off	Sin – off Lin – on	Sin – on Lin – on
2,3 $\mu\text{A}$	11 $\mu\text{A}$	4,9 $\mu\text{A}$	20 $\mu\text{A}$
	$K = 4,8$	$K = 2,1$	$K = 8,7$

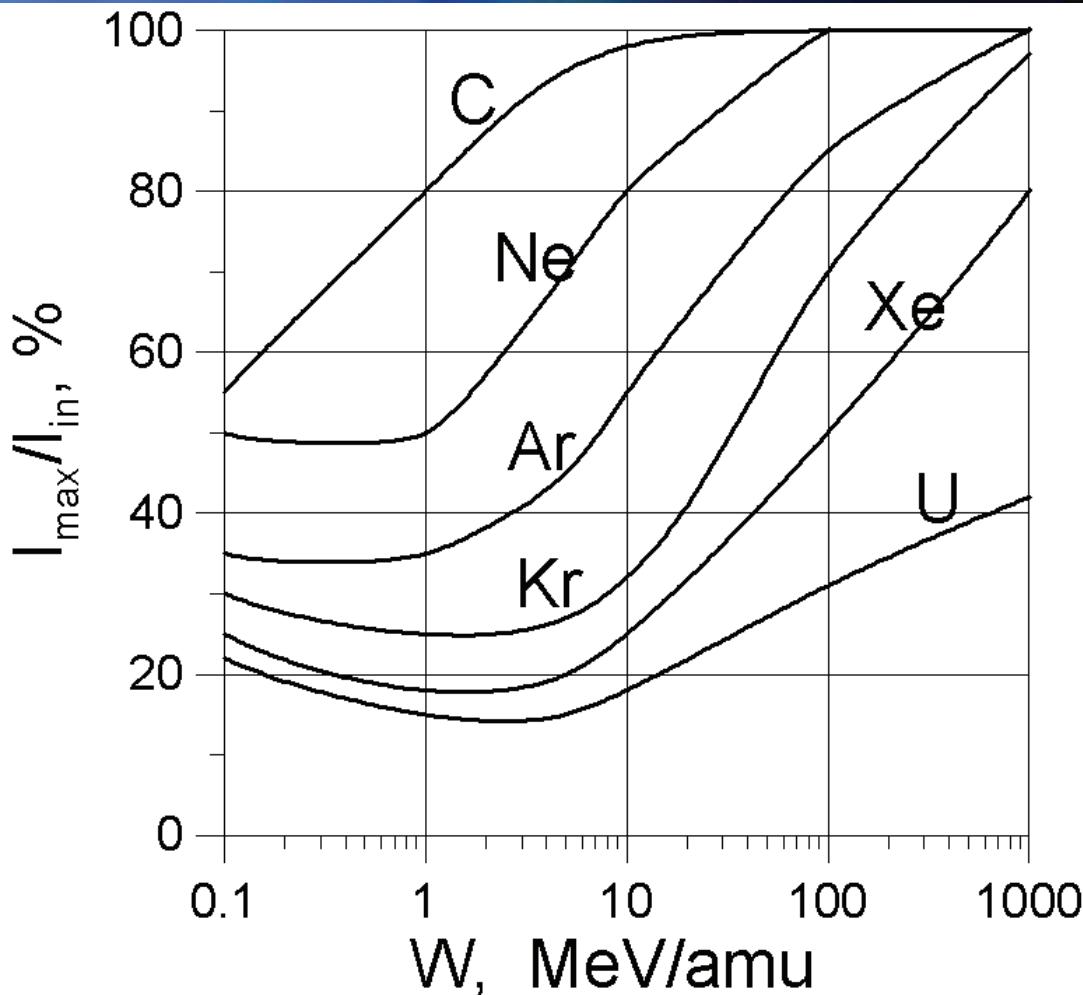
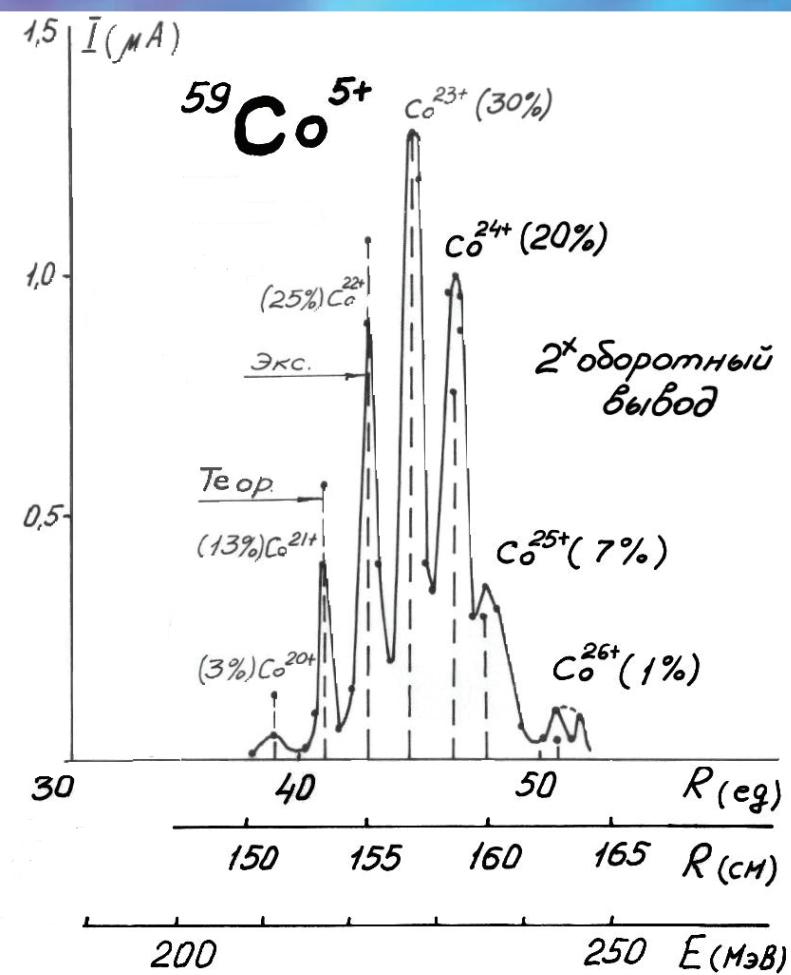
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Thickness of stripping foil – 20 -200  $\mu\text{g}/\text{cm}^2$

# Heavy Ion Beam Extraction by Stripping Foil

## Charge spread



Dependence of the maximum efficiency of a single charge extraction by stripping versus the ion energy

# U400 CYCLOTRON

## stand-alone & post-accelerator



- New heavy isotopes
- Fusion-fission
- Nuclear spectroscopy
- SHE chemistry
- Multi nucleon transfer reactions;
- Reactions with exotic nuclei
- Structure of light exotic nuclei;

Ion	Ion energy [MeV/A]	Output intensity
${}^4\text{He}^{1+}$	-	-
${}^6\text{He}^{1+}$	11	$3 \cdot 10^7$ pps
${}^8\text{He}^{1+}$	7.9	-
${}^{16}\text{O}^{2+}$	5.7; 7.9	5 pμA
${}^{18}\text{O}^{3+}$	7.8; 10.5; 15.8	4.4 pμA
${}^{40}\text{Ar}^{4+}$	3.8; 5.1 *	1.7 pμA
${}^{48}\text{Ca}^{5+}$	3.7; 5.3 *	1.2 pμA
${}^{48}\text{Ca}^{9+}$	8.9; 11; 17.7 *	1 pμA
${}^{50}\text{Ti}^{5+}$	3.6; 5.1 *	0.4 pμA
${}^{58}\text{Fe}^{6+}$	3.8; 5.4 *	0.7 pμA
${}^{84}\text{Kr}^{8+}$	3.1; 4.4 *	0.3 pμA
${}^{136}\text{Xe}^{14+}$	3.3; 4.6; 6.9 *	0.08 pμA
${}^{160}\text{Gd}^{19+}$	5.5	0.01 pμA
${}^{209}\text{Bi}^{19+}$	3.4	0.01 pμA

# Efficiency of transporting a $^{48}\text{Ca}^{5+}$ beam from the ECR source to a physical target

Measuring point	Beam intensity		Ion	Transmission factor			
ECR source, after separation	$1 \cdot 10^{14}$ pps	$84 \mu\text{Ae}$	$^{48}\text{Ca}^{5+}$	32%			
Cyclotron centre	$3.5 \cdot 10^{13}$ pps	$27 \mu\text{Ae}$	$^{48}\text{Ca}^{5+}$	81%			
Extraction radius	$2.8 \cdot 10^{13}$ pps	$22 \mu\text{Ae}$	$^{48}\text{Ca}^{5+}$		40%		
Extracted beam (by charge exchange)	$9.7 \cdot 10^{12}$ pps	$28 \mu\text{Ae}$	$^{48}\text{Ca}^{18+}$			82%	
Target	$8 \cdot 10^{12}$ pps	$23 \mu\text{Ae}$	$^{48}\text{Ca}^{18+}$				8.5%

- Ionization efficiency of  $^{48}\text{Ca}$  (neutral) to  $^{48}\text{Ca}^{5+}$  - about 10%
- Transformation of  $^{48}\text{Ca}$  as working substance into the  $^{48}\text{Ca}$  beam on target is about 1% in routine operation.

# DUBNA Gas Filled Recoil Separator

## Target

$^{238}\text{U}$ ,  $^{242,244}\text{Pu}$ ,  $^{243}\text{Am}$ ,  $^{246,248}\text{Cm}$ ,  $^{249}\text{Cf}$

## Beam

$^{48}\text{Ca}$

## Isotopes

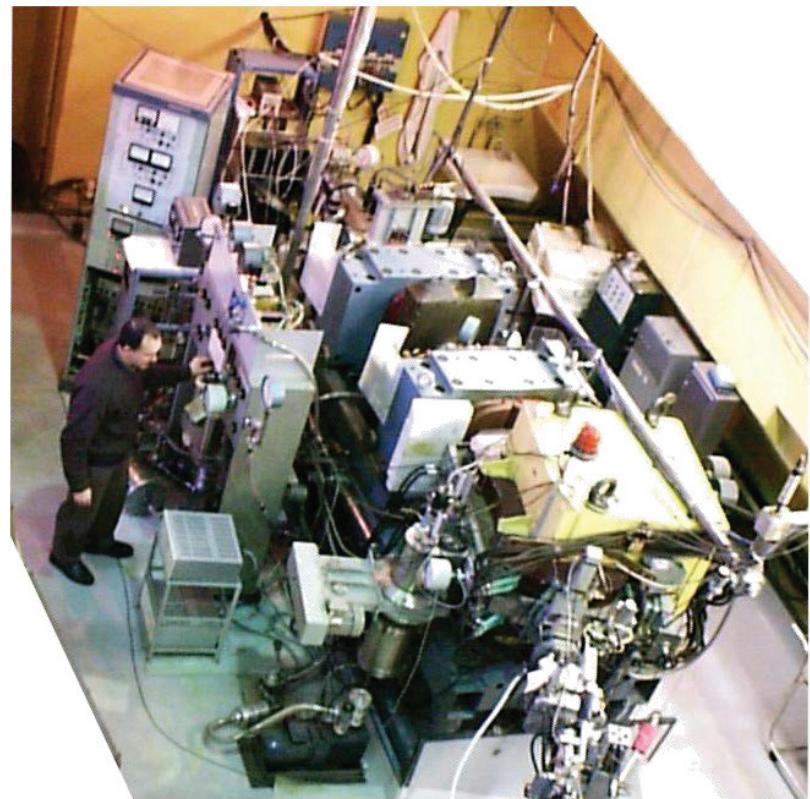
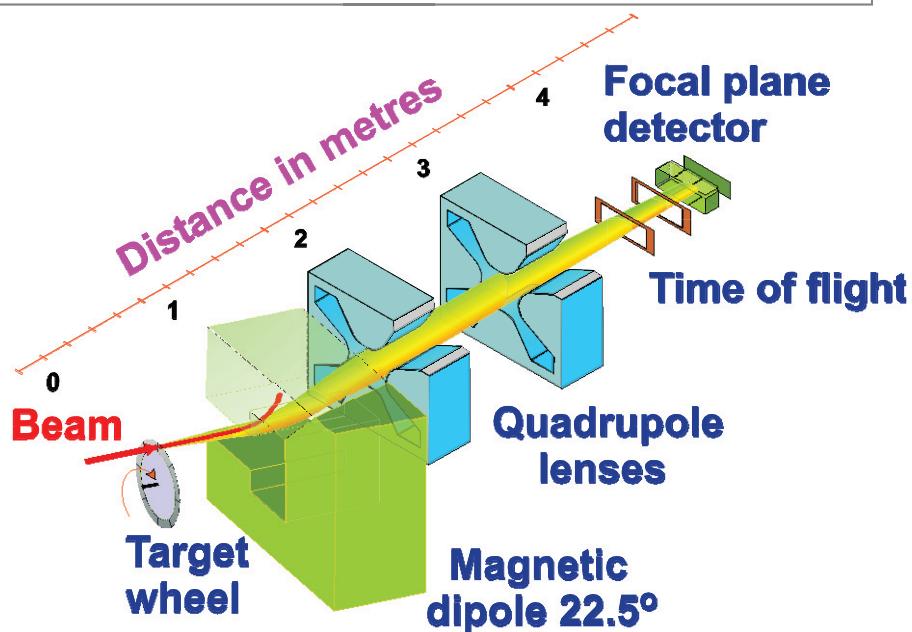
112 – 118

Ion beam energy: 5.00 – 5.75 MeV/A

Beam intensity: 6 -  $8 \cdot 10^{12}$  pps

Consumption of  $^{48}\text{Ca}$  < 0.5 mg/h

Beam time: 2000 – 4000 hours per year





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International Union of Pure  
and Applied Chemistry

**May 2011:**

Approval of the discovery of new elements **114** and **116**

**May 2012:**

Official approval of the name *Flerovium* for element **114**  
and the name *Livermorium* for element **116**

**30<sup>th</sup> December 2015:**

Approval of the discovery of new elements **113, 115, 117, and 118**

Priority for the discovery is assigned to:

- element **113:** RIKEN (Japan)
- elements **115** and **117:** JINR (Dubna) - LLNL (USA) – ORNL (USA) collaboration
- element **118:** JINR (Dubna) – LLNL collaboration

**8<sup>th</sup> June 2016:**

Provisional recommendations for naming elements **113, 115, 117, 118**

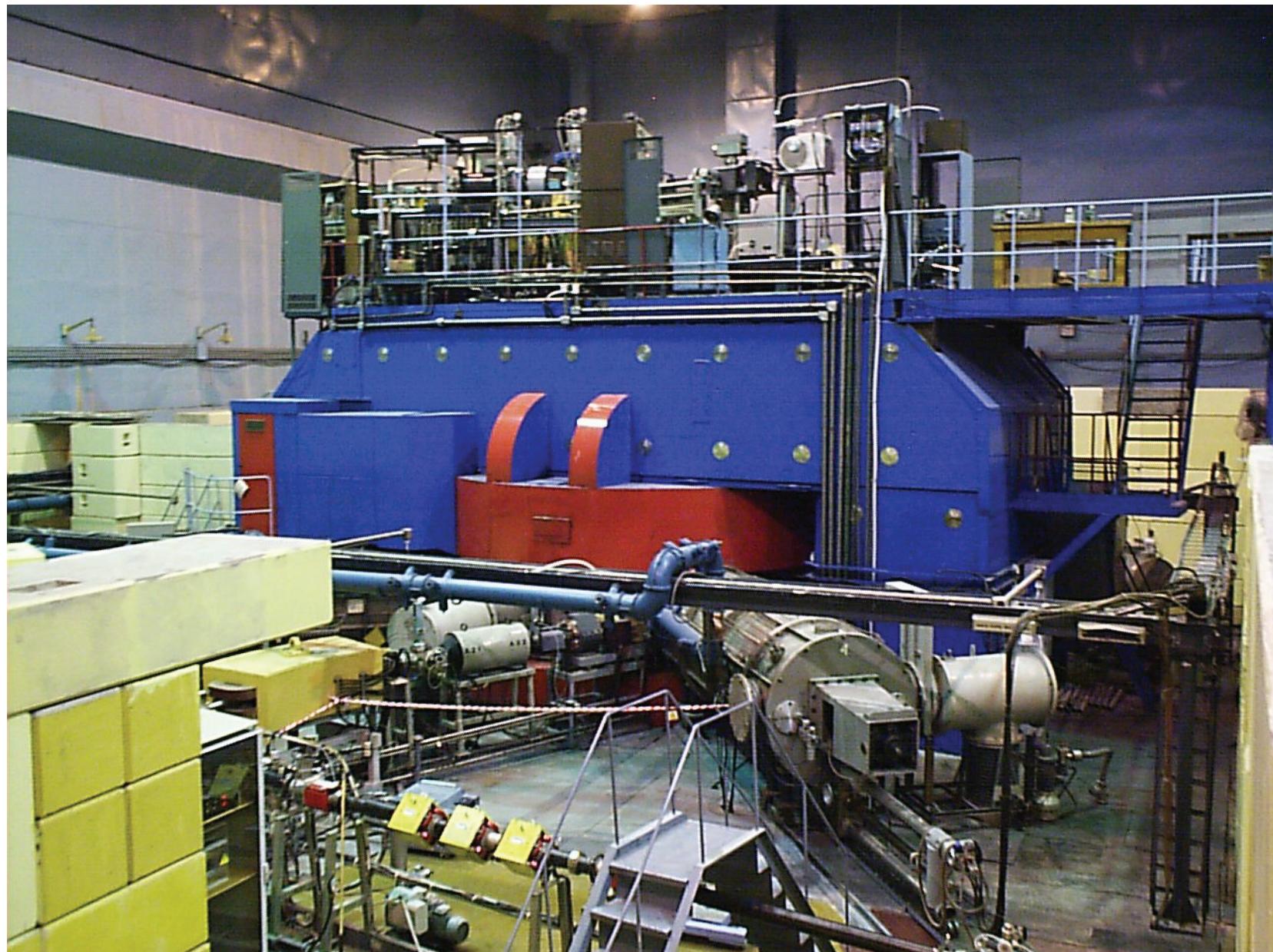
**8<sup>th</sup> November 2016:**

A five-month public review expires.

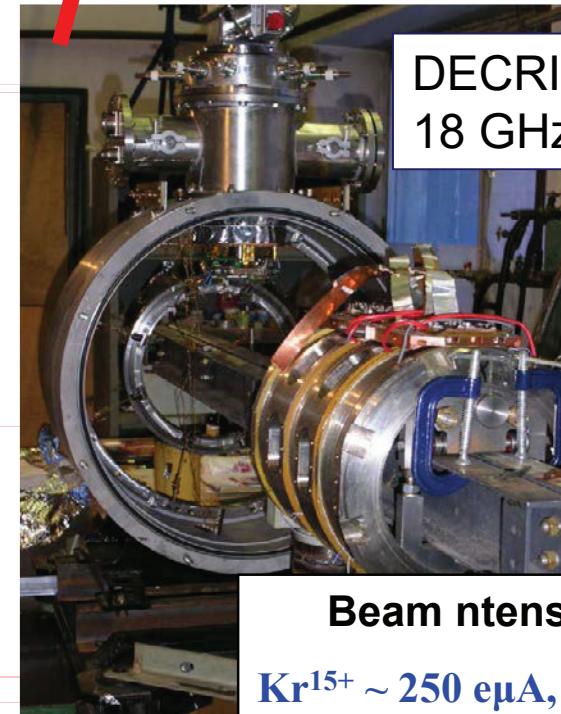
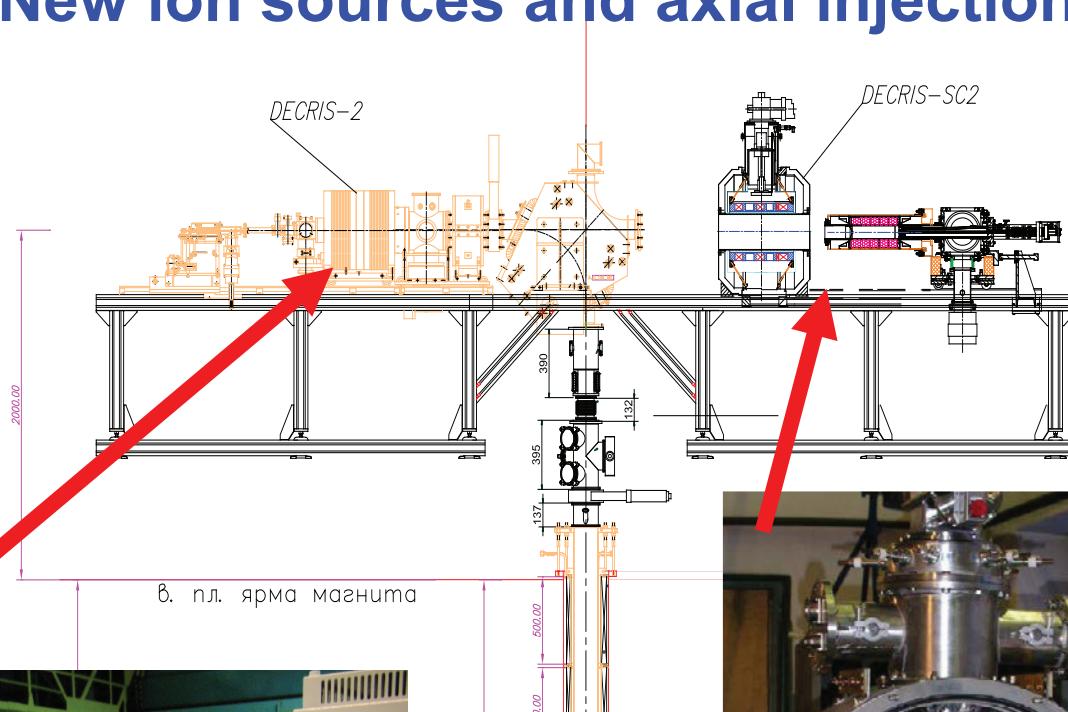
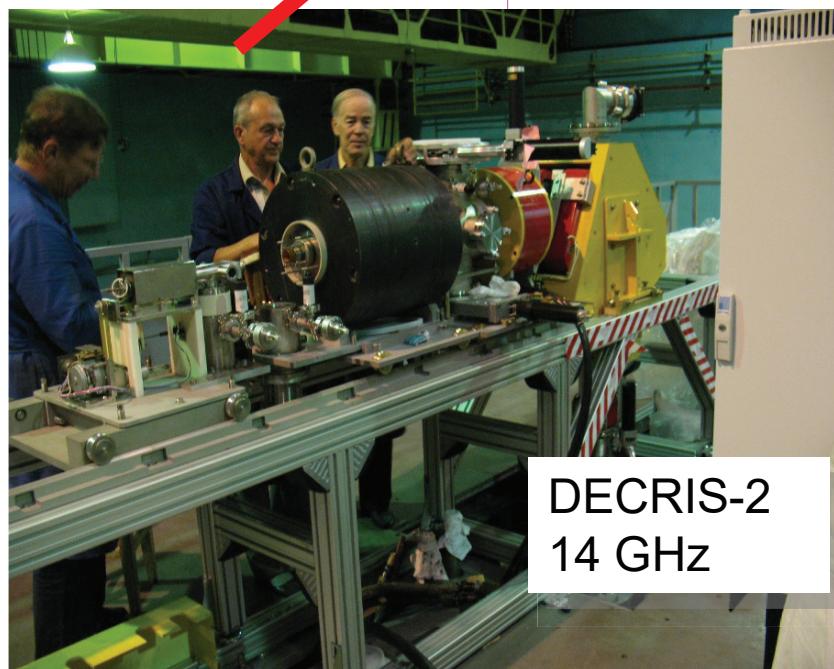
The formal approval by the IUPAC Bureau is expected thereafter

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# The U-400M heavy ion cyclotron (1991)



# U-400M. New ion sources and axial injection system



Beam intensity:

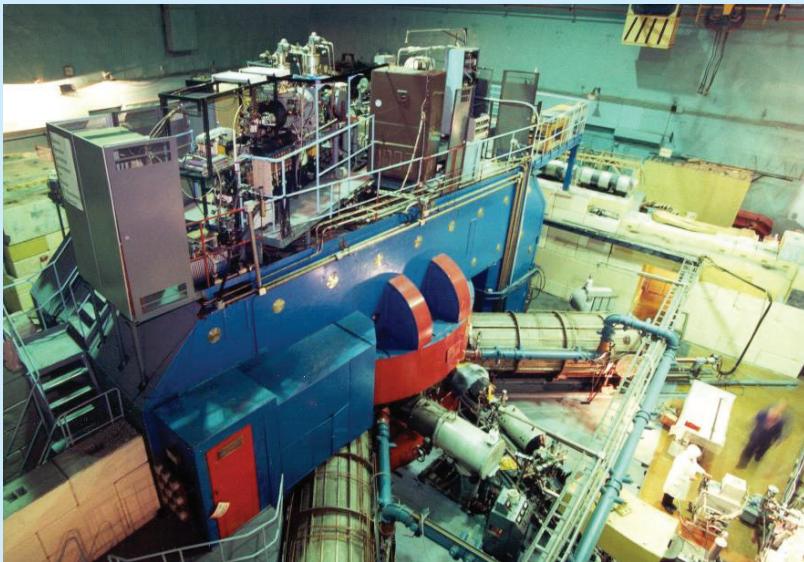
$Kr^{15+} \sim 250 \text{ e}\mu\text{A}$ ,

$Kr^{17+} \sim 150 \text{ e}\mu\text{A}$ ,

$Xe^{30+} \sim 1 \text{ e}\mu\text{A}$

# U400M CYCLOTRON

## stand-alone & driving accelerator



Main setup:

*Fragment separator ACCULINNA-2*

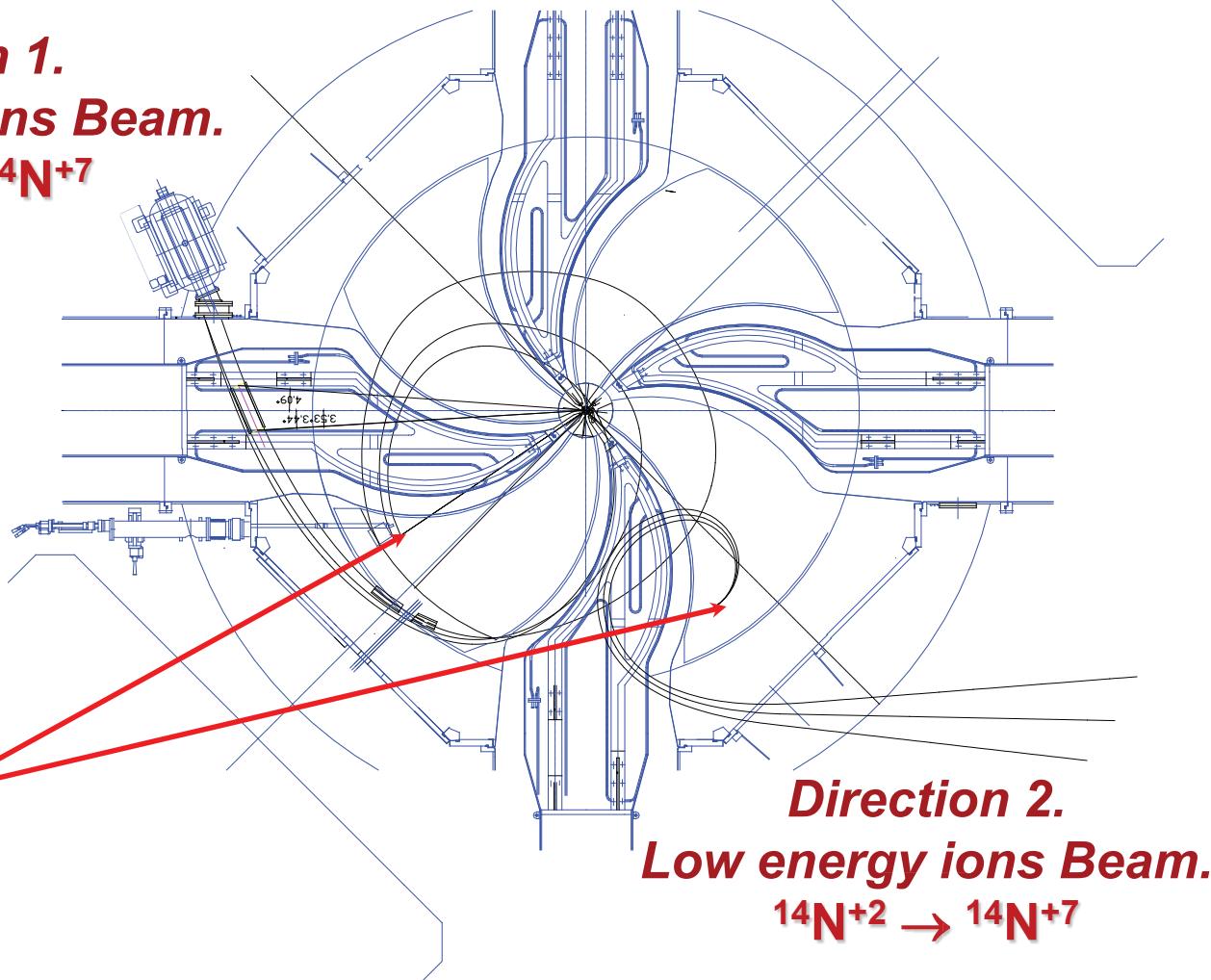
Main tasks:

- *Producing of RIBs.*
- *Reactions with exotic nuclei;*
- *Properties and structure of light exotic nuclei;*

U400M		
E=30 ÷ 50 MeV/A		
E=4.5 ÷ 9 MeV/A		
Ion	Ion energy [MeV/A]	Output intensity
$^7\text{Li}$	35	$6 \times 10^{13}$
$^{18}\text{O}$	33	$1 \times 10^{13}$
$^{40}\text{Ar}$	40	$1 \times 10^{12}$
$^{48}\text{Ca}$	5	$6 \times 10^{12}$
$^{54}\text{Cr}$	5	$3 \times 10^{12}$
$^{58}\text{Fe}$	5	$3 \times 10^{12}$
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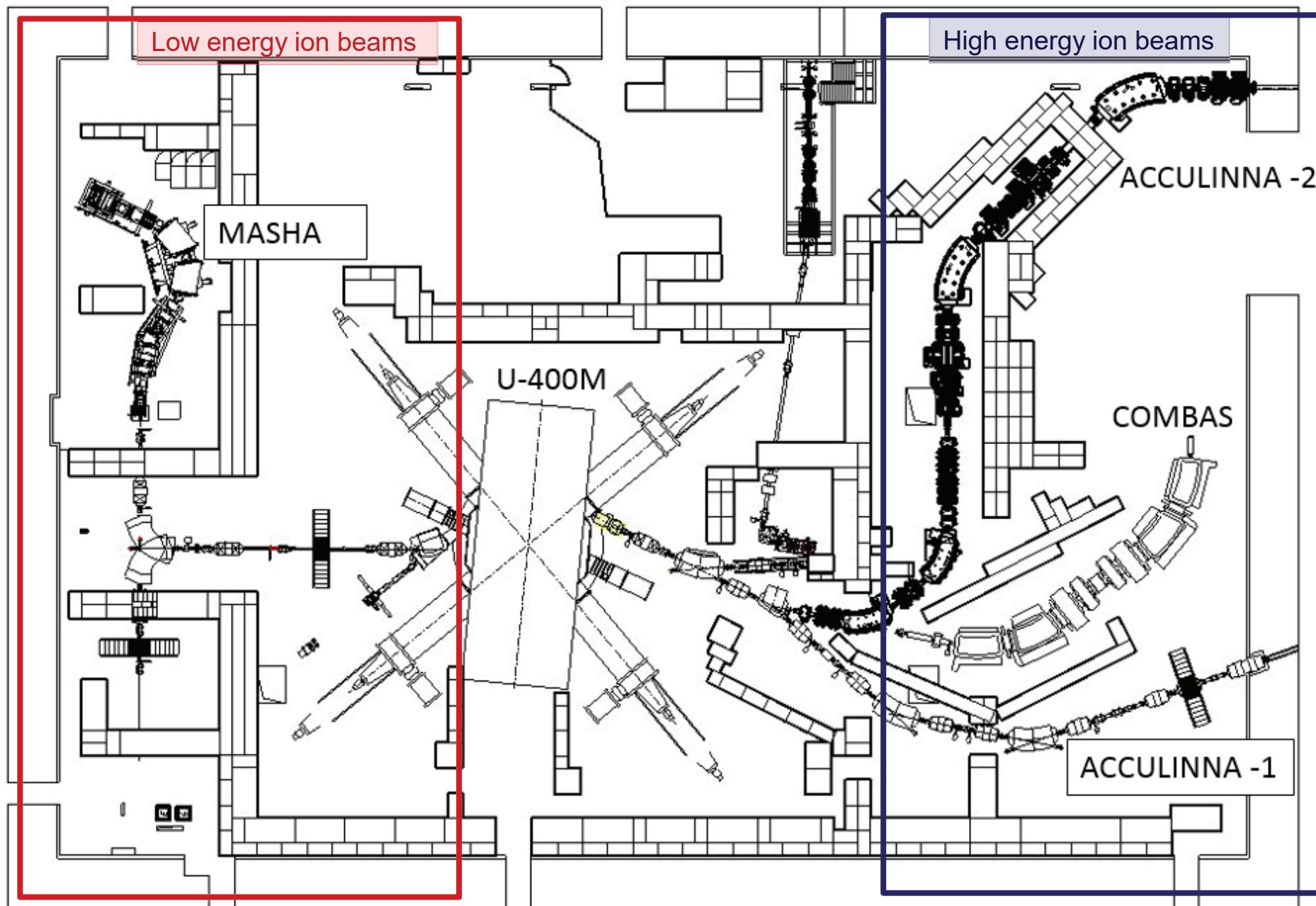
# U-400M. Ion beam extraction by charge exchange method

*Direction 1.*  
*High energy ions Beam.*  
 $^{14}\text{N}^{+5} \rightarrow ^{14}\text{N}^{+7}$

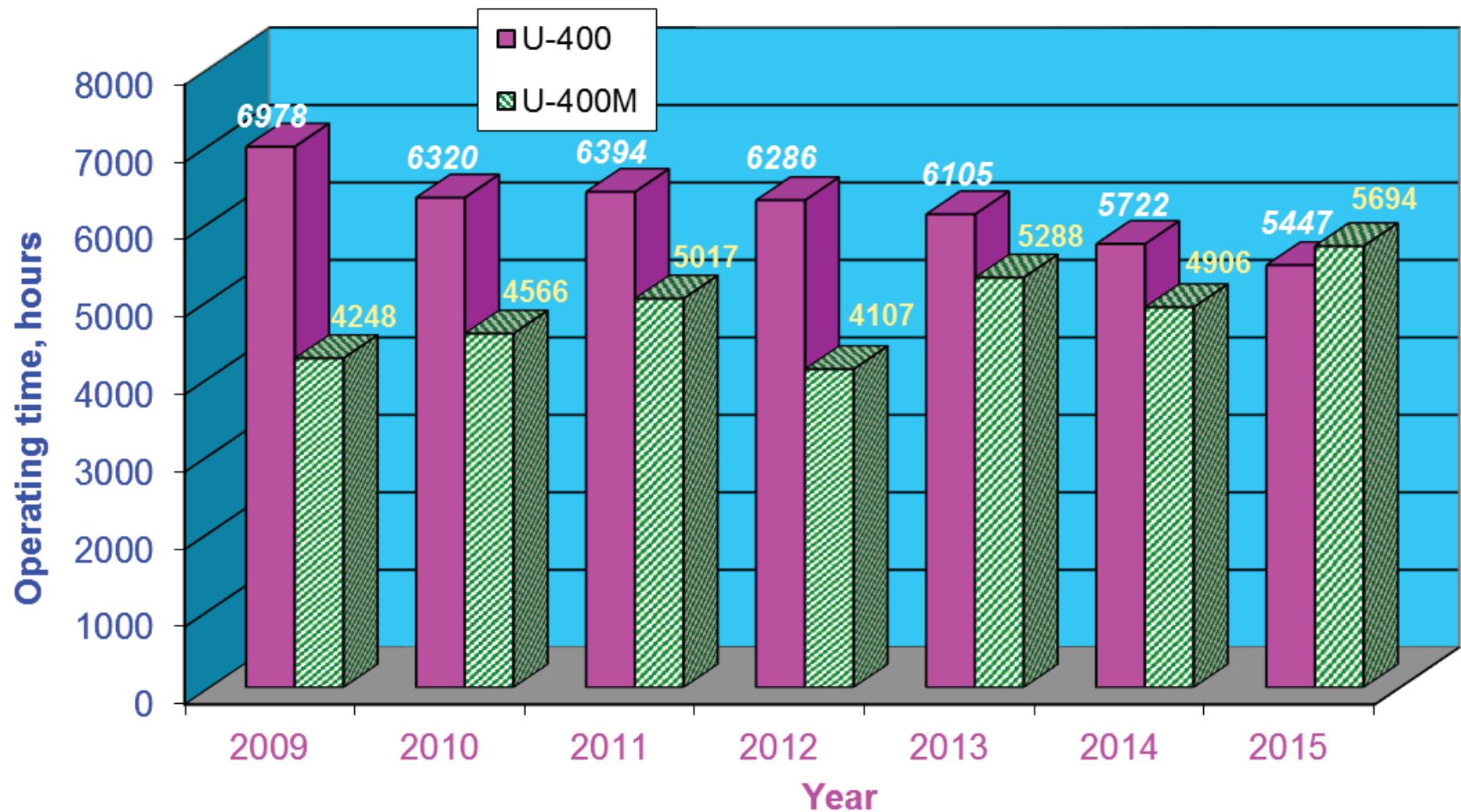


**Thickness of stripping foil**  
– 20 -200  $\mu\text{g}/\text{cm}^2$

# New experimental set-ups at U400M



# TOTAL OPERATION TIME OF U-400 AND U-400M ACCELERATORS



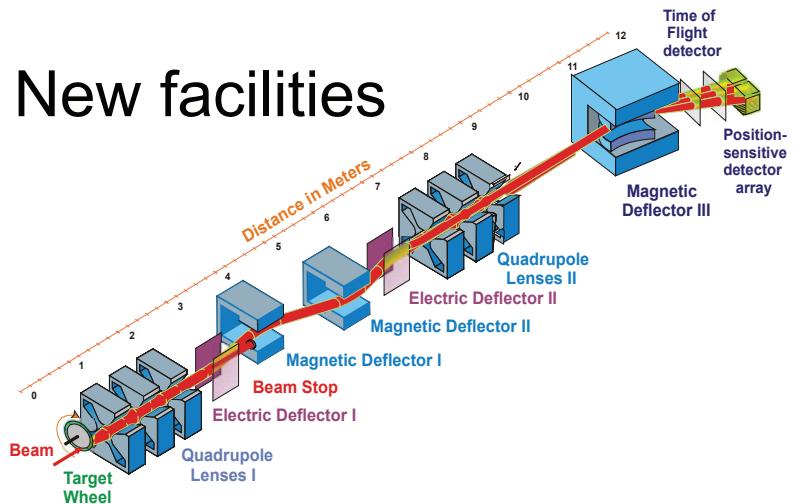
# The main task of the FLNR Seven-Year Plan for 2017–2023 is the full implementation of the DRIBs-III Project, namely:

1. Commissioning and development of "**Superheavy Elements (SHE) Factory**" based on the **DC-280** cyclotron (design parameters of beams with smoothly variable energy; attaining maximum beam intensity (up to 10 p $\mu$ A) for nuclei with  $A \leq 100$ ; development of infrastructure for accommodation and use of experimental set-ups of other research centers);
2. **Reconstruction of the U-400** cyclotron and building of a new experimental hall (extension of the range of accelerated ions from helium to uranium with energies smoothly varying within a wide range 0.8–25 MeV·A);
3. **Reconstruction of the U-400M** cyclotron (production of intensive beams of radioactive ions, advancing toward the boundaries of proton and neutron stability of nuclei; conduct of research of nuclear interactions with maximum proton and neutron excess, employing the new powerful ACCULINNA-II separator);
4. Development of long-running experimental set-ups.

# SHE factory:

Superheavy Elements (SHE) Factory

New facilities



New experimental  
hall

High-current cyclotron  
DC-280



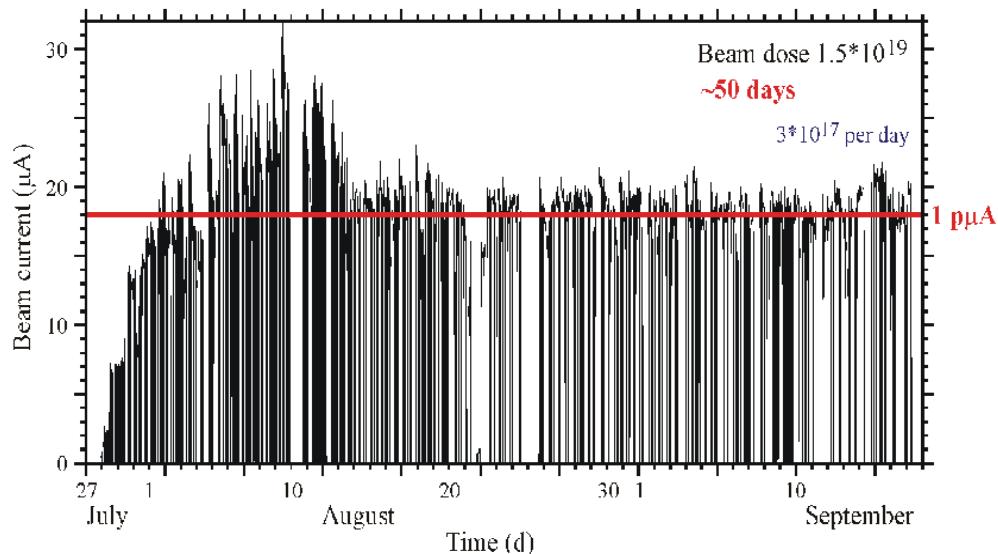
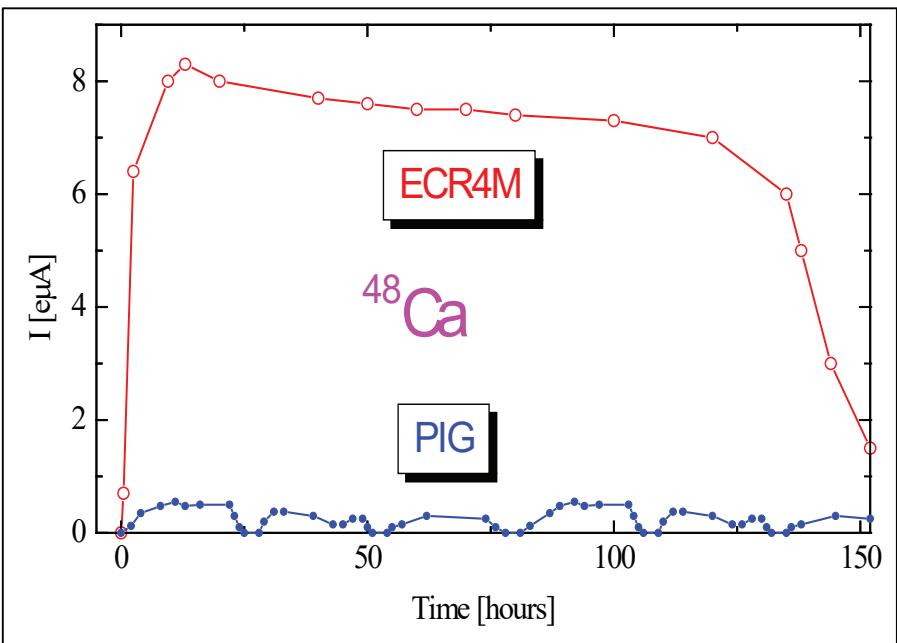
➤ Why new cyclotron ?

# Cyclotron U-400. $^{48}\text{Ca}^{5+}$

1996

PIG:  $I \sim 0.4 \mu\text{A}$ ,  
 $^{48}\text{Ca}$  consumption:  $4 \div 15 \text{ mg/h}$

ECR:  $I \sim 8 \mu\text{A}$ ,  
 $^{48}\text{Ca}$  consumption  $0.4 \div 0.5 \text{ mg/h}$



DC-280

2010

$I \sim 18 \mu\text{A}$  (1 pμA)

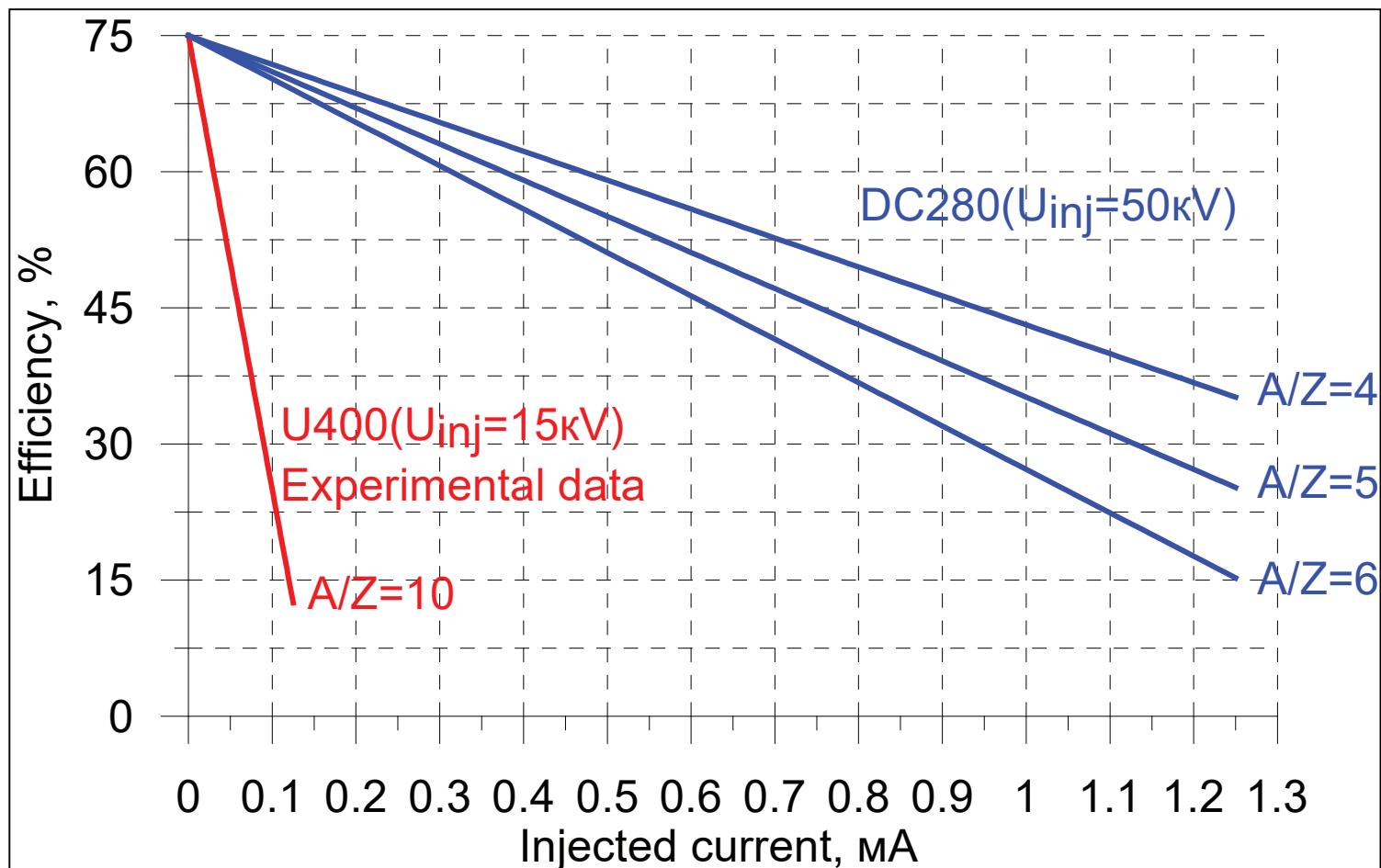
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2017

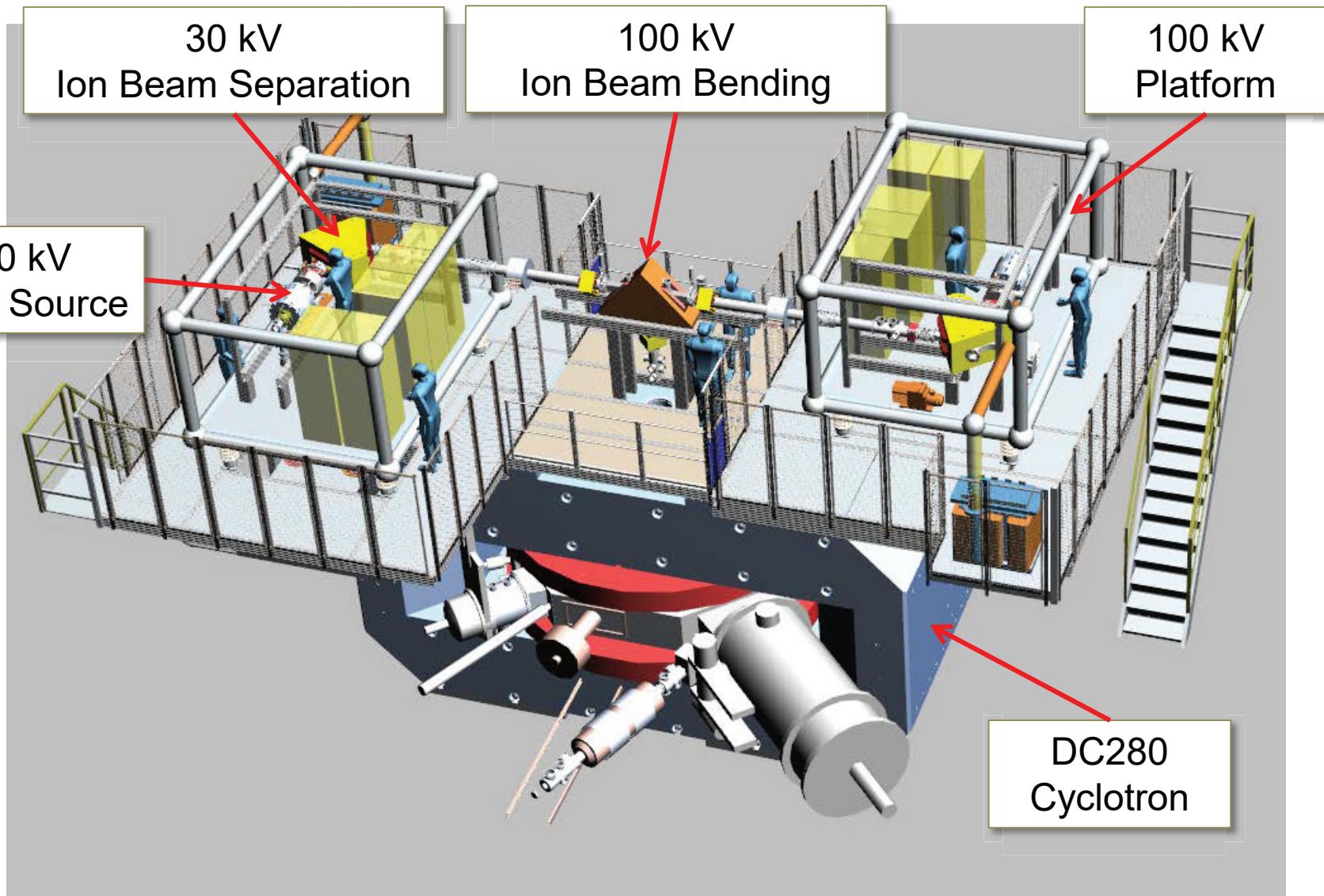
Intensity  $^{48}\text{Ca}$   $1 \text{ p}\mu\text{A} \rightarrow 10 \text{ p}\mu\text{A}$

## DC-280

Overall (ion source → extraction radius) beam current transfer efficiency

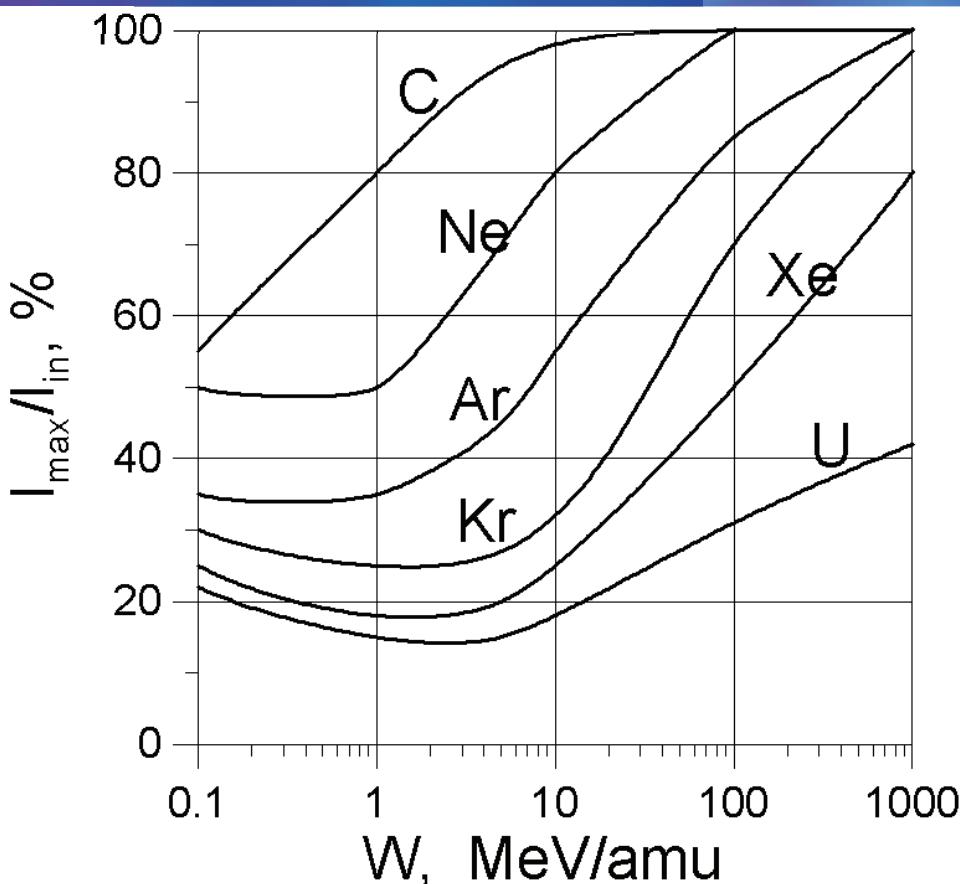


# DC-280 Cyclotron



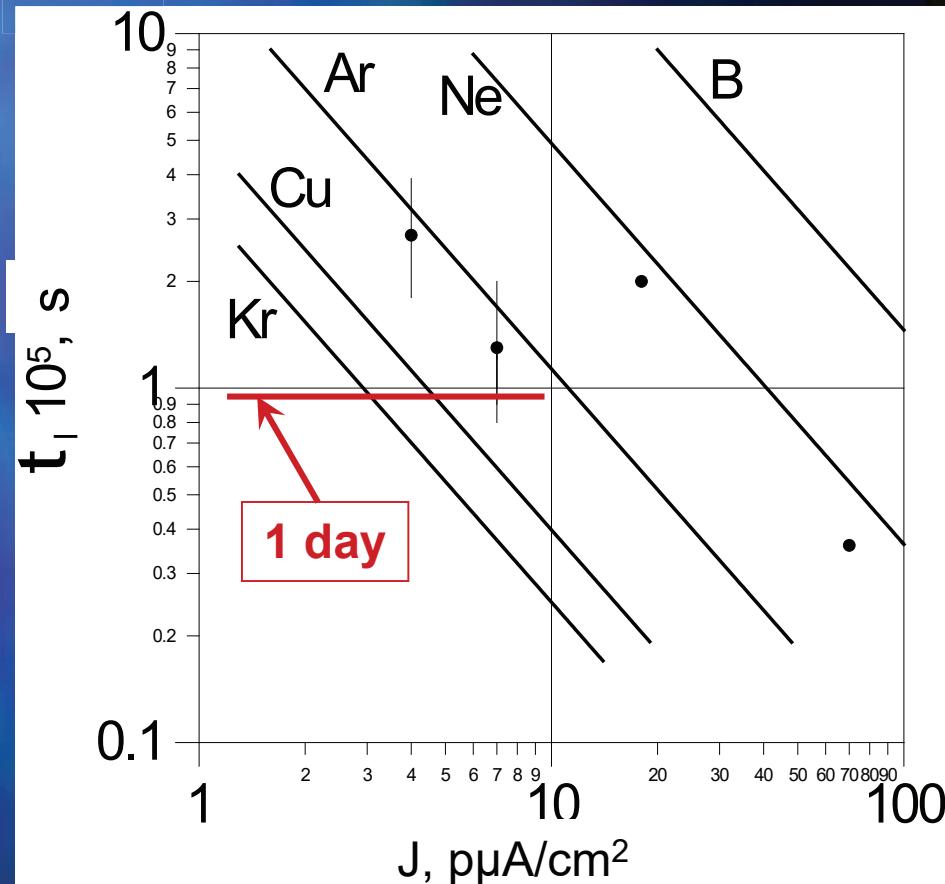
# Heavy Ion Beam Extraction by Stripping Foil

## 1. Charge spread



Dependence of the maximum efficiency of a single charge extraction by stripping versus the ion energy

## 2. Life time of stripping foil



Dependence of life time of carbon stripping foil versus beam current density  
 $1 \mu\text{A} = 1 \text{ e}\mu\text{A} / Z_{\text{ion}} \approx 6 \cdot 10^{12} \text{ pps}$

# SHE-factory: High-current cyclotron DC-280



Main setups:

*GFS (synthesis), GFS (chemistry), SHELS*

Main tasks:

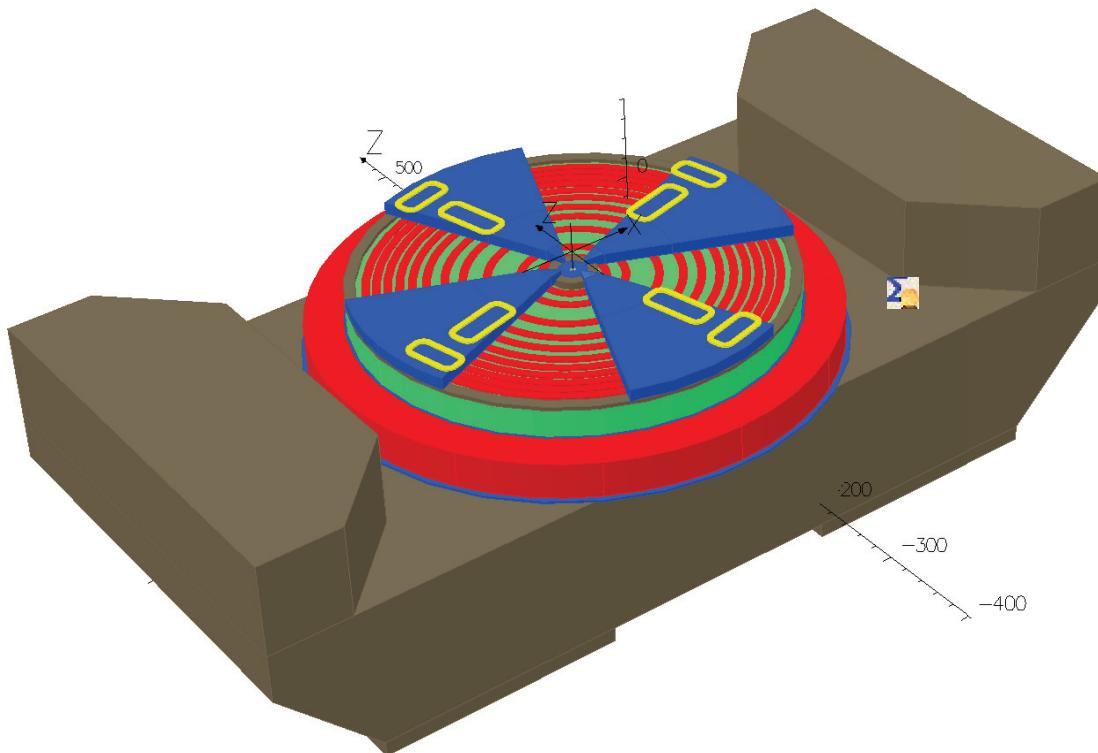
- *Synthesis of SHE.*
- *Properties and Spectroscopy of SHE;*
- *Chemistry of SHE;*
- *Searching for new reactions leading to SHE*

DC280 (expected) $E=4 \div 8 \text{ MeV/A}$		
Ion	Ion energy [MeV/A]	Output intensity [pps]
$^7\text{Li}$	4	$1 \times 10^{14}$
$^{18}\text{O}$	8	$1 \times 10^{14}$
$^{40}\text{Ar}$	5	$6 \times 10^{13}$
$^{48}\text{Ca}$	5	$0,6\text{-}1,2 \times 10^{14}$
$^{54}\text{Cr}$	5	$2 \times 10^{13}$
$^{58}\text{Fe}$	5	$1 \times 10^{13}$
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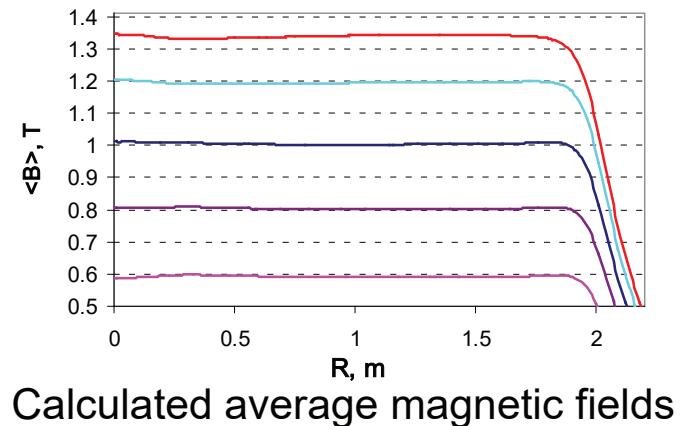
# Main Parameters of DC-280 cyclotron

<b>Ion source</b>	<b>DECRIS-4 - 14 GHz DECRIS-SC3 - 18 GHz</b>
<b>Injecting beam potential</b>	<b>Up to 100 kV</b>
<b>A/Z range</b>	<b>4÷7</b>
<b>Energy</b>	<b>4÷8 MeV/n</b>
<b>Magnet pole diameter</b>	<b>4 m</b>
<b>Magnetic field level</b>	<b>0.6÷1.35 T</b>
<b>K factor</b>	<b>280</b>
<b>Valley/hill gap</b>	<b>500/208 mm/mm</b>
<b>Gap between plugs</b>	<b>400 mm</b>
<b>Magnet weight</b>	<b>1000 t</b>
<b>Magnet power</b>	<b>300 kW</b>
<b>Dee voltage</b>	<b>2x130 kV</b>
<b>RF power consumption</b>	<b>2x30 kW</b>
<b>Flat-top dee voltage</b>	<b>2x14 kV</b>
<b>Beam extraction</b>	<b>electrostatic deflector</b>

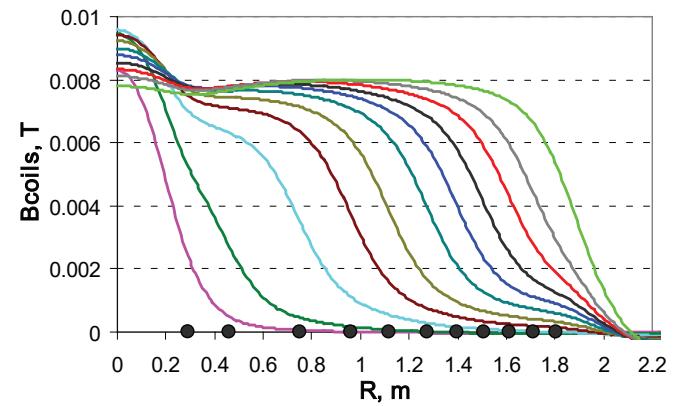
# 3D calculation of DC-280 cyclotron magnetic field



Model of DC-280 cyclotron magnet system



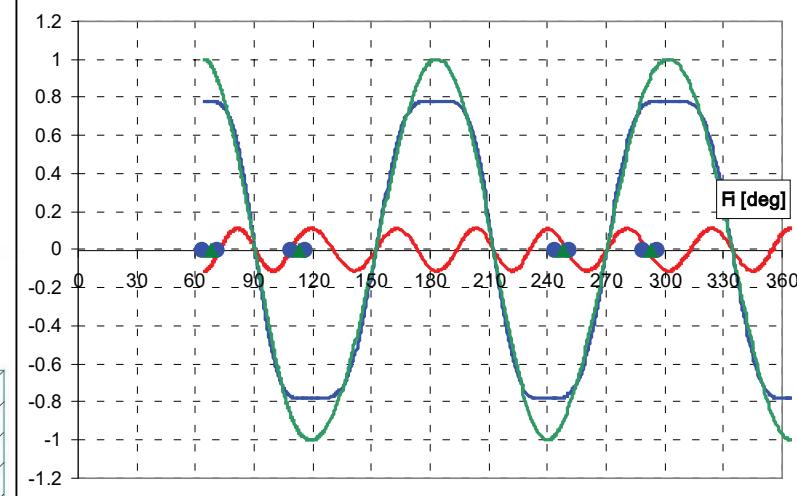
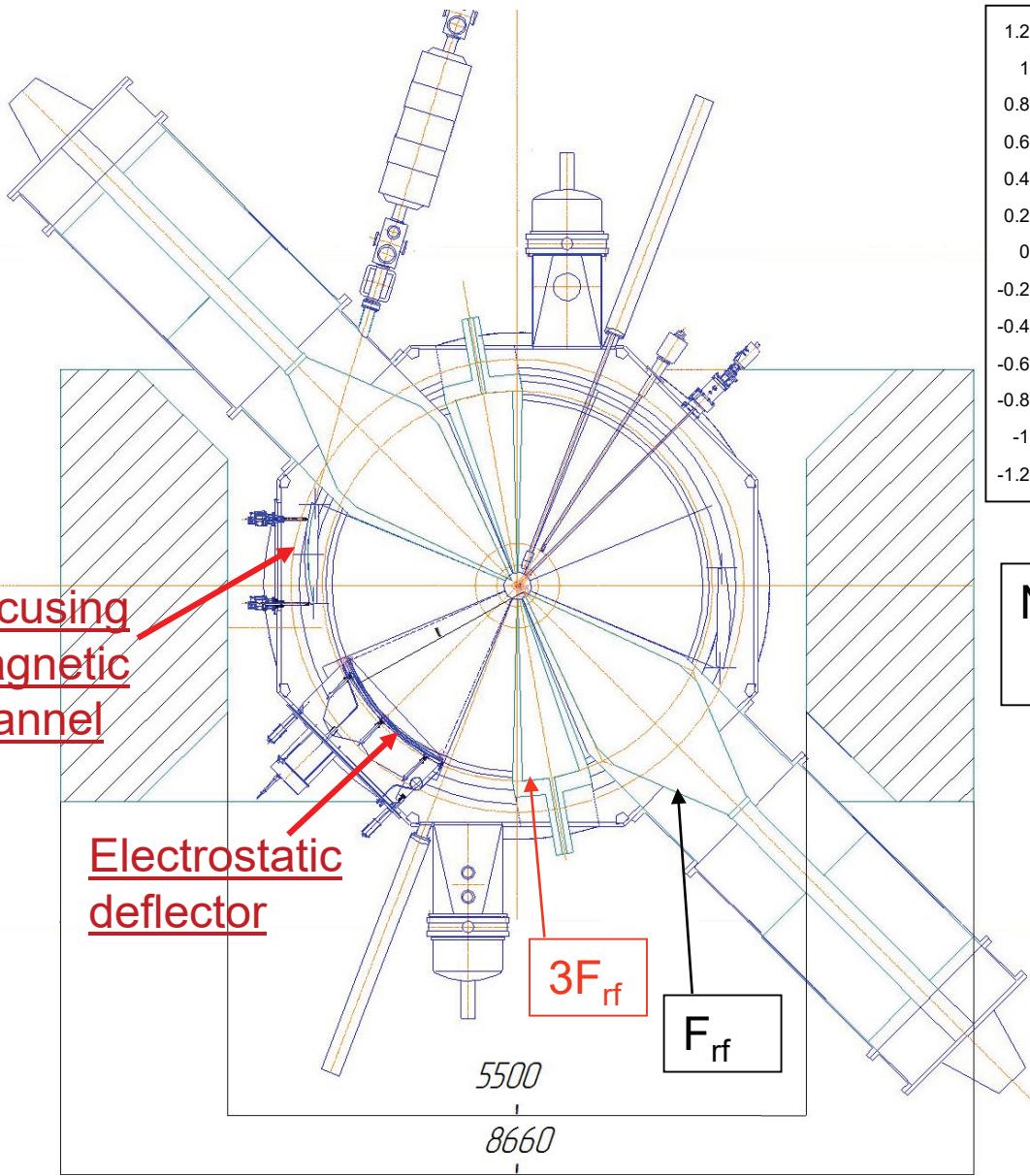
Calculated average magnetic fields



Magnetic field of the radial coils

# Beam extraction system

# Flat-Top system



Net effect     $A_1 \sin(\omega_{rf} t) + A_2 \sin(3\omega_{rf} t)$   
 $A_2 \approx 0.1 \cdot A_1$

# Experimental Hall of the SHE-Factory (August 2016)



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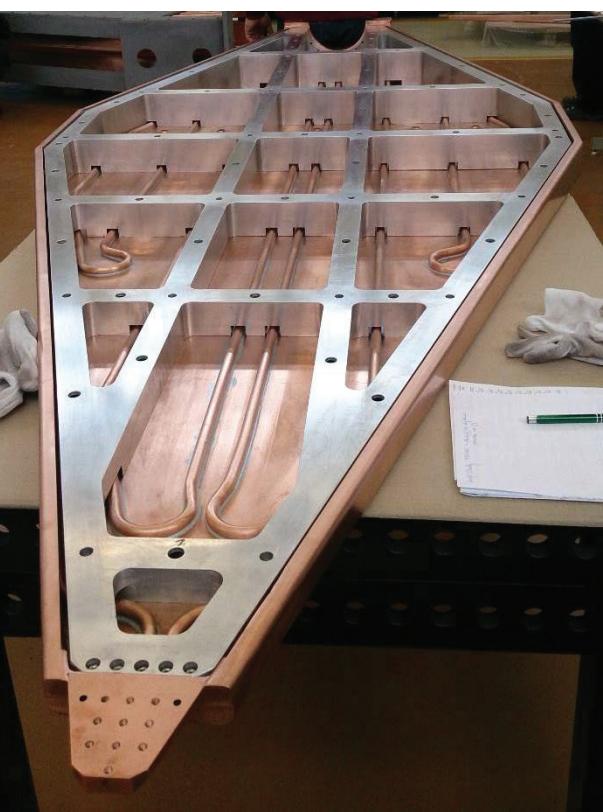


# Correction coils (azimuthal and radial)



Cooling lines

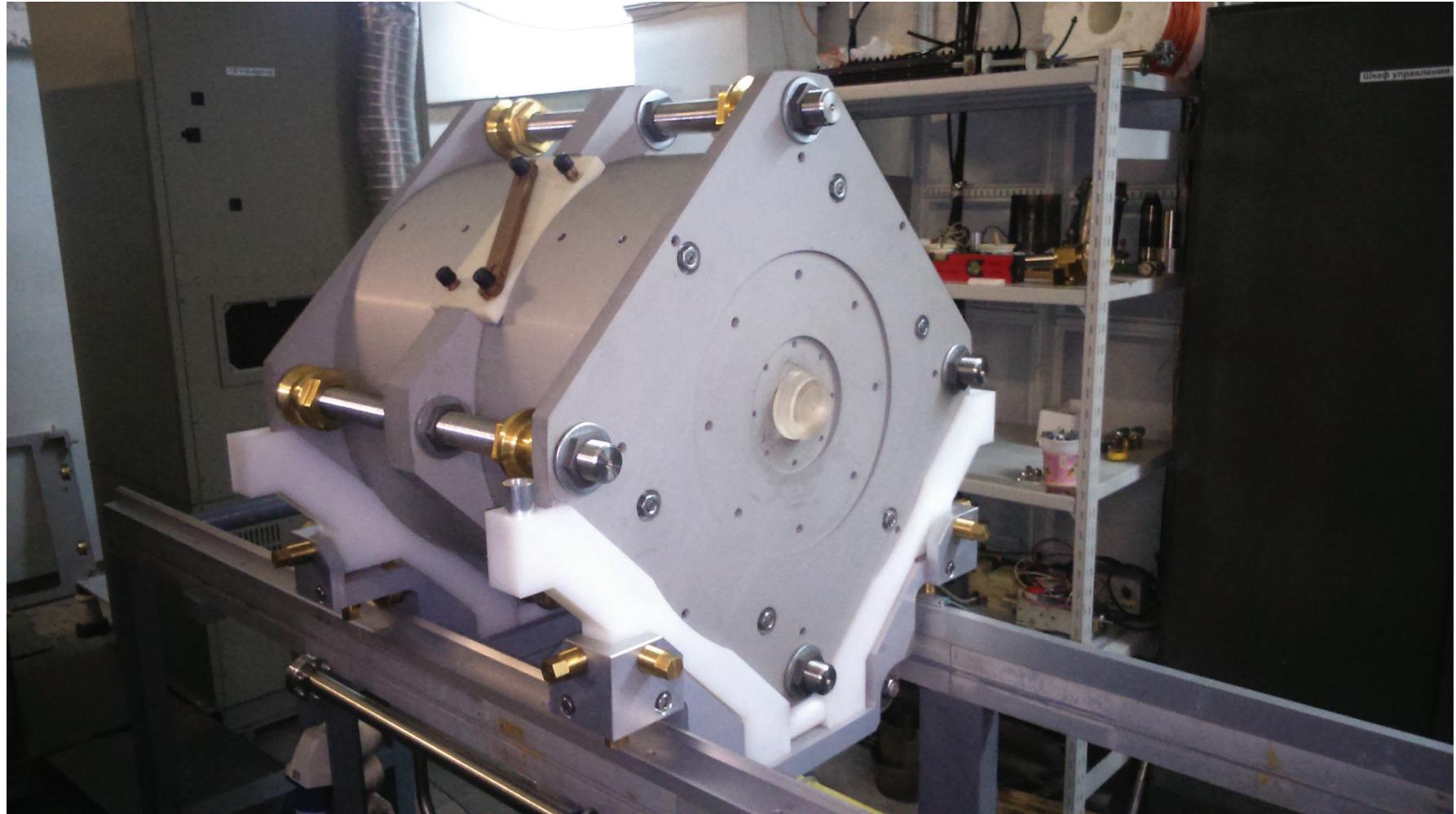




# DC-280. Vacuum chamber



# Permanent magnet ECR ion source at the test bench



## **Time-schedule of installation of the DC-280 accelerator complex**

# Modernization of the U-400 cyclotron (U-400R project)

The U-400 cyclotron has been operating since 1978.

The project of the U-400 cyclotron modernization is developed.

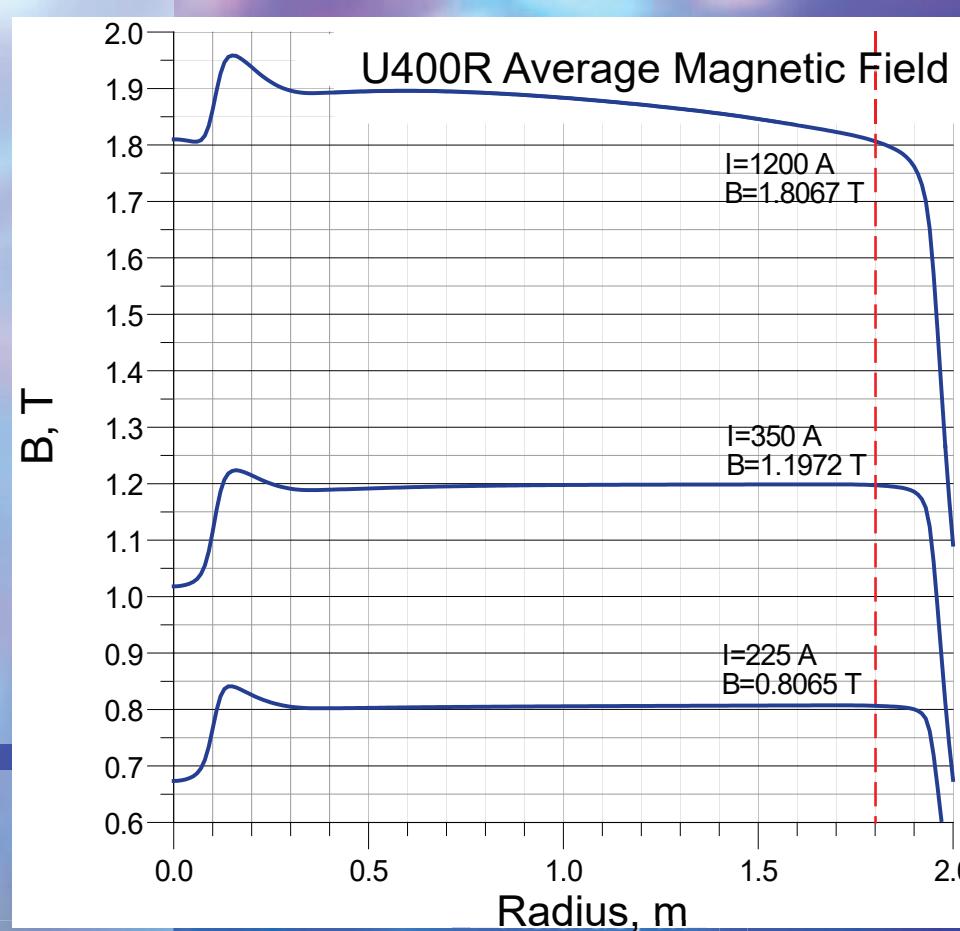
The upgrade will be performed after the completion of the DC-280 cyclotron construction

## MAIN PURPOSE

- Improvement of the quality and intensity of stable and radioactive beams ( $^{48}\text{Ca}$  –  $2.5 \div 3 \text{ p}\mu\text{A}$ ),
- **Providing a smooth variation of ion energy in the range of 0.8 – 27 MeV/A,**
- Decrease the consumption of rare isotopes,
- Decrease the power consumption from 1 to 0.25 MW.



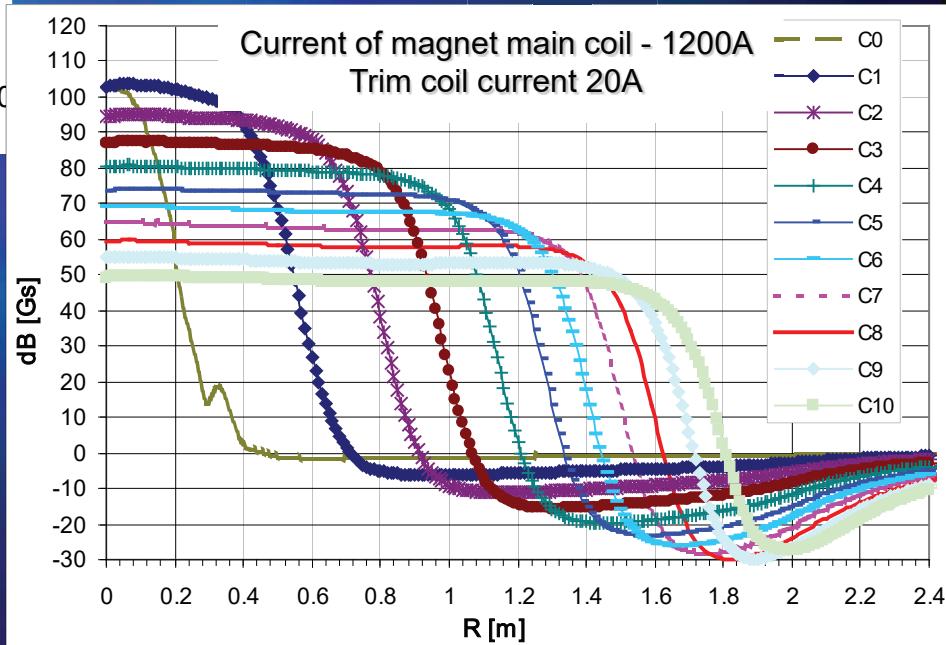
Cyclotron U400  
has been operating since 1979



Radial Distribution of Average Magnetic Field without Trim Coil's Shimming

# U400 → U400R

## Radial Distribution of Magnetic Field of Trim Coils



**U400**

Ion	Ion energy [MeV/u]	Output intensity
$^4\text{He}^{1+}$	-	-
$^6\text{He}^{1+}$	11	$3 \cdot 10^7$ pps
$^8\text{He}^{1+}$	7.9	-
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**U400R (expected)**

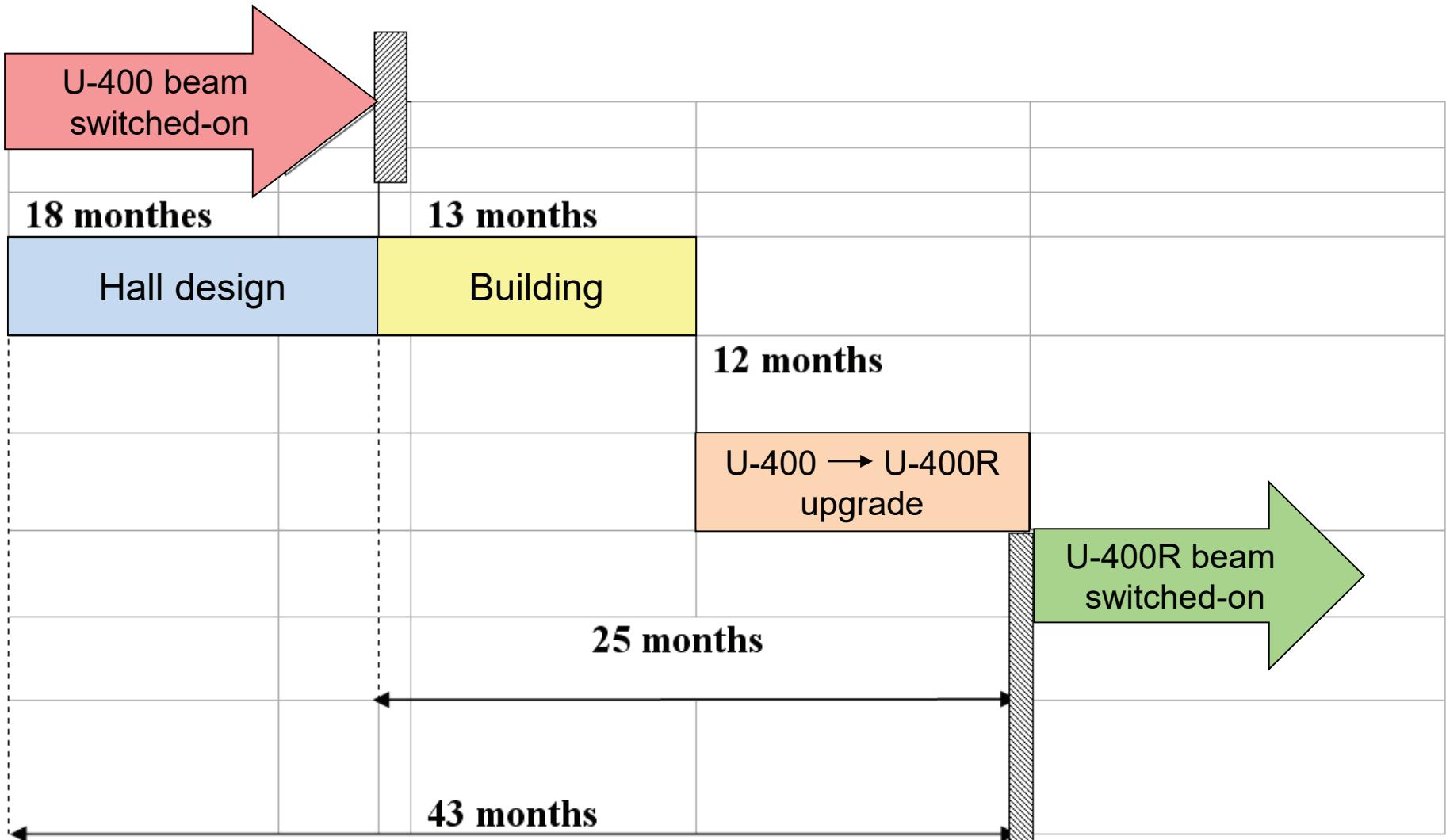
Ion	Ion energy [MeV/u]	Output intensity
$^4\text{He}^{1+}$	$6.4 \div 27$	23 p $\mu$ A **
$^6\text{He}^{1+}$	$2.8 \div 14.4$	$10^8$ pps
$^8\text{He}^{1+}$	$1.6 \div 8$	$10^5$ pps
$^{16}\text{O}^{2+}$	$1.6 \div 8$	19.5 p $\mu$ A **
$^{16}\text{O}^{4+}$	$6.4 \div 27$	5.8 p $\mu$ A **
$^{40}\text{Ar}^{4+}$	$1 \div 5.1$	10 p $\mu$ A
$^{48}\text{Ca}^{6+}$	$1.6 \div 8$	2.5 p $\mu$ A
$^{48}\text{Ca}^{7+}$	$2.1 \div 11$	2.1 p $\mu$ A
$^{50}\text{Ti}^{10+}$	$4.1 \div 21$	1 p $\mu$ A
$^{58}\text{Fe}^{7+}$	$1.2 \div 7.5$	1 p $\mu$ A
$^{84}\text{Kr}^{7+}$	$0.8 \div 3.5$	1.4 p $\mu$ A
$^{132}\text{Xe}^{11+}$	$0.8 \div 3.5$	0.9 p $\mu$ A

# Parameters of U-400 and U-400R typical ions

U400		
Ion	Ion energy [MeV/u]	Output intensity
$^4 \text{He}^{1+}$	-	-
$^6 \text{He}^{1+}$	11	$3 \cdot 10^7$ pps
$^8 \text{He}^{1+}$	7.9	-
$^{16} \text{O}^{2+}$	5.7; 7.9	5 p $\mu$ A
$^{18}\text{O}^{3+}$	7.8; 10.5; 15.8	4.4 p $\mu$ A
$^{40} \text{Ar}^{4+}$	3.8; 5.1 *	1.7 p $\mu$ A
$^{48} \text{Ca}^{5+}$	3.7; 5.3 *	1.2 p $\mu$ A
$^{48}\text{Ca}^{9+}$	8.9; 11; 17.7 *	1 p $\mu$ A
$^{50} \text{Ti}^{5+}$	3.6; 5.1 *	0.4 p $\mu$ A
$^{58} \text{Fe}^{6+}$	3.8; 5.4 *	0.7 p $\mu$ A
$^{84}\text{Kr}^{8+}$	3.1; 4.4 *	0.3 p $\mu$ A
$^{136}\text{Xe}^{14+}$	3.3; 4.6; 6.9 *	0.08 p $\mu$ A

U400R (expected)		
Ion	Ion energy [MeV/u]	Output intensity
$^4 \text{He}^{1+}$	$6.4 \div 27$	23 p $\mu$ A **
$^6 \text{He}^{1+}$	$2.8 \div 14.4$	$10^8$ pps
$^8 \text{He}^{1+}$	$1.6 \div 8$	$10^5$ pps
$^{16} \text{O}^{2+}$	$1.6 \div 8$	19.5 p $\mu$ A **
$^{16} \text{O}^{4+}$	$6.4 \div 27$	5.8 p $\mu$ A **
$^{40} \text{Ar}^{4+}$	$1 \div 5.1$	10 p $\mu$ A
$^{48} \text{Ca}^{6+}$	$1.6 \div 8$	2.5 p $\mu$ A
$^{48} \text{Ca}^{7+}$	$2.1 \div 11$	2.1 p $\mu$ A
$^{50} \text{Ti}^{10+}$	$4.1 \div 21$	1 p $\mu$ A
$^{58} \text{Fe}^{7+}$	$1.2 \div 7.5$	1 p $\mu$ A
$^{84} \text{Kr}^{7+}$	$0.8 \div 3.5$	1.4 p $\mu$ A
$^{132} \text{Xe}^{11+}$	$0.8 \div 3.5$	0.9 p $\mu$ A

# U-400 → U-400R Time-schedule

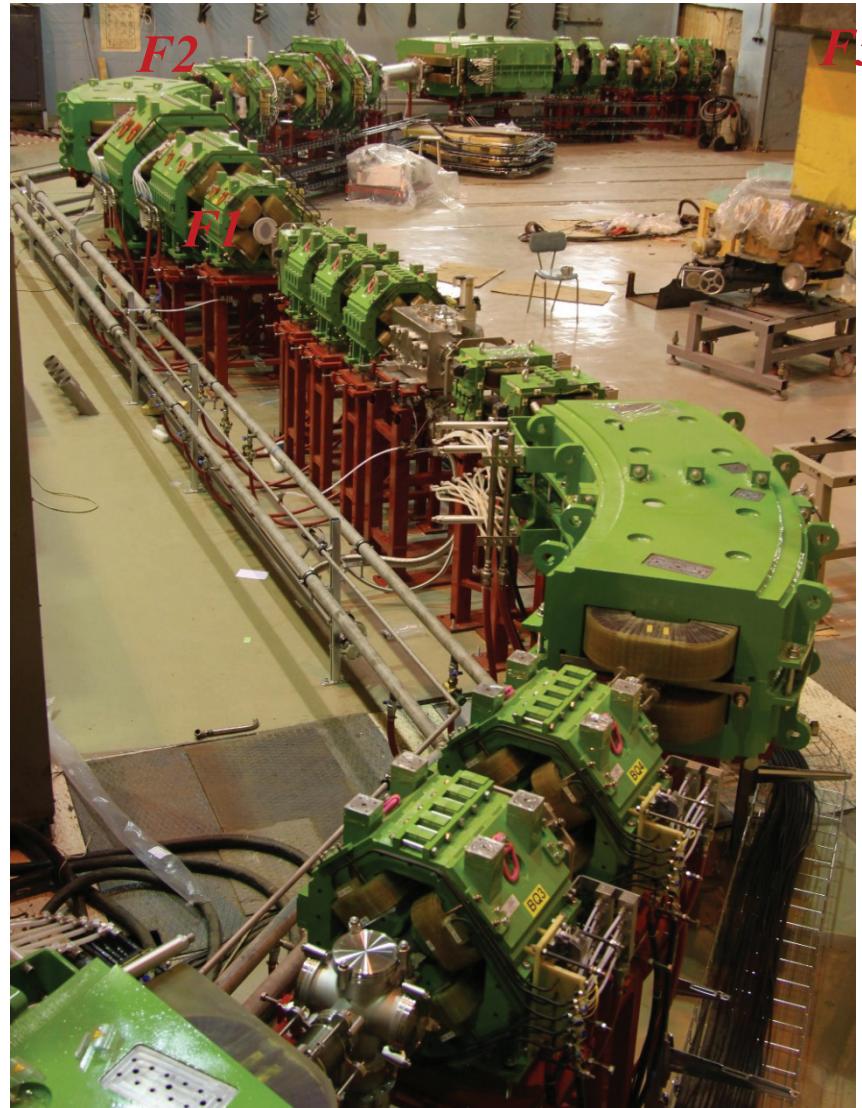
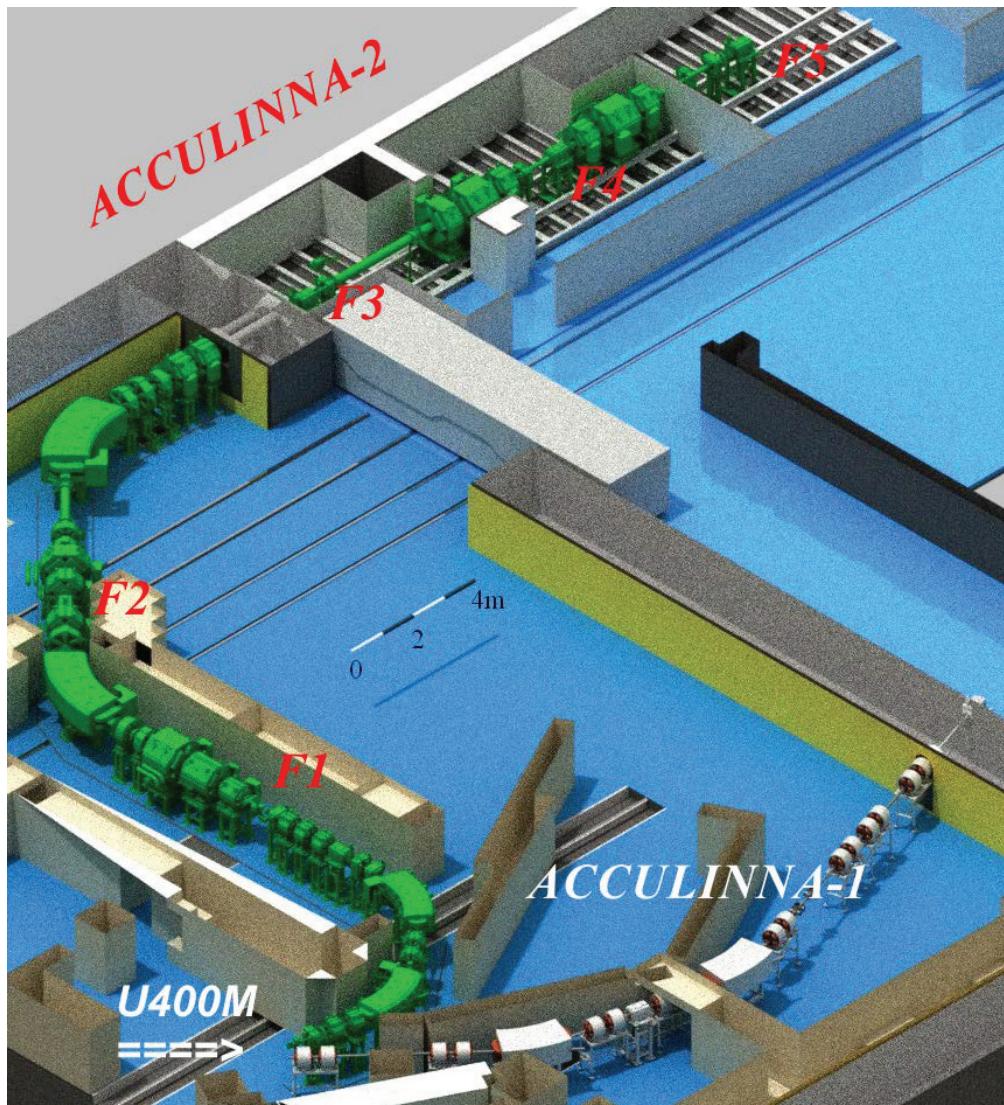


# The development project of the cyclotron U-400M

*Increase of the energy of accelerated ions at the cyclotron U-400M*



# Scheme of the full ACCULINNA-2 setup (left) and the main part of magnets inside of the cyclotron hall (right). Manufactured by SIGMAPHI, <http://www.sigmaphi.fr/>



# U-400M cyclotron

**At the U-400M cyclotron 3 acceleration modes are provided**

**Ion**

**Energy [MeV/u]**

**Intensity of extracted beam, pps**

*Acceleration mode of low energy ions*

**E=4.5 ÷ 11 MeV/u**  
 (mass to charge ratio accelerated ions) A/Z=6-10  
 Harmonic of acceleration - 4  
 Extraction by charge exchange method:  
 $Z_{\text{acc}}/Z_{\text{ext}} = 2,0-4,0$

$^{12}\text{C}^{2+}$	11	$3 \times 10^{12}$
$^{48}\text{Ca}^{6+}$	6.6	$3 \times 10^{12}$
$^{136}\text{Xe}^{17+}$	6.3	$2 \times 10^{10}$
$^{238}\text{U}^{30+}$	5	

*Acceleration mode of high energy ions (main mode)*

**E=30 ÷ 55 MeV/u**  
 (mass to charge ratio accelerated ions) A/Z=2,8-5  
 Harmonic of acceleration - 2  
 Extraction by charge exchange method:  $Z_{\text{acc}}/Z_{\text{ext}} = 1,4-1,7$

$^7\text{Li}^{2+}$	35	$6 \times 10^{13}$
$^{18}\text{O}^{5+}$	33	$1 \times 10^{13}$
$^{40}\text{Ar}^{12+}$	40	$1 \times 10^{12}$

*Acceleration mode of high energy ions (additional)*

**E=55 ÷ 100 MeV/u**  
 (mass to charge ratio accelerated ions) A/Z=2,0-2,8  
 Harmonic of acceleration - 2  
**In this mode the accelerator didn't operate**  
 (The existing extraction method by stripping foil does not allow to extract accelerated beam from the cyclotron.  
 It is necessary to use an electrostatic deflector)

$^{11}\text{B}^{5+}$	86	
$^{32}\text{S}^{14+}$	80	
$^{22}\text{Ne}^{9+}$	70	
$^{48}\text{Ca}^{18+}$	59	

# 2016-2024 years FLNR accelerators running, creation and modernization schedule (2016)

Year Accelerator	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
DC280		Assembling Beam tuning		5000	5000	5000	5000	5000	5000
U400M-U400MR	5000	5000	5000	Reconstruction	5000	5000	5000	5000	5000
U400-U400R	5000	5000	5000	5000	2000	Reasse mbling		2000	5000
						Building	Assembling		
Beam time on the targets	10 000	10 000	15 000	10 000	12 000	10 000	10 000	12 000	15 000

Hour

- annual beam time on the targets.

# **FLNR HEAVY ION CYCLOTRONS**

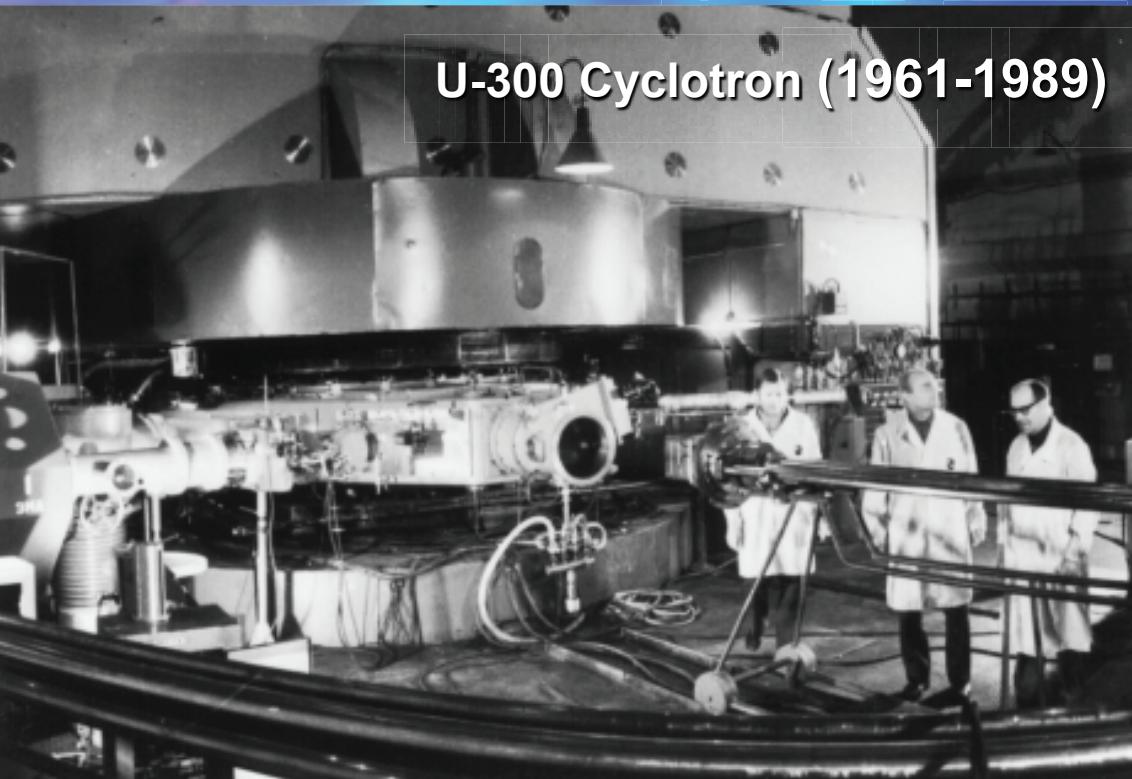
## **for APPLIED RESEARCH**

## **and INDUSTRIAL APPLICATION**

# HEAVY ION ACCELERATORS FOR TRACK MEMBRANE PRODUCTION AND POLYMER MODIFICATION

## *U-300 Cyclotron*

U-300 Cyclotron (1961-1989)



- **U-300 was created in D.V. Efremov Institute**
- **U-300 was in operation at FLNR JINR from 1961 to 1989.**
- ❖ A specialized accelerator channel for polymer film irradiation has been created in the middle of 70ies.
- ❖ Xe ion beams of 1MeV/nucleon energy were used for manufacture of track membranes and for research tasks.

The track membrane technology has been developed on the basis of heavy particles registration by plastic detectors.

# HEAVY ION ACCELERATORS FOR TRACK MEMBRANE PRODUCTION AND POLYMER MODIFICATION

FLNR JINR

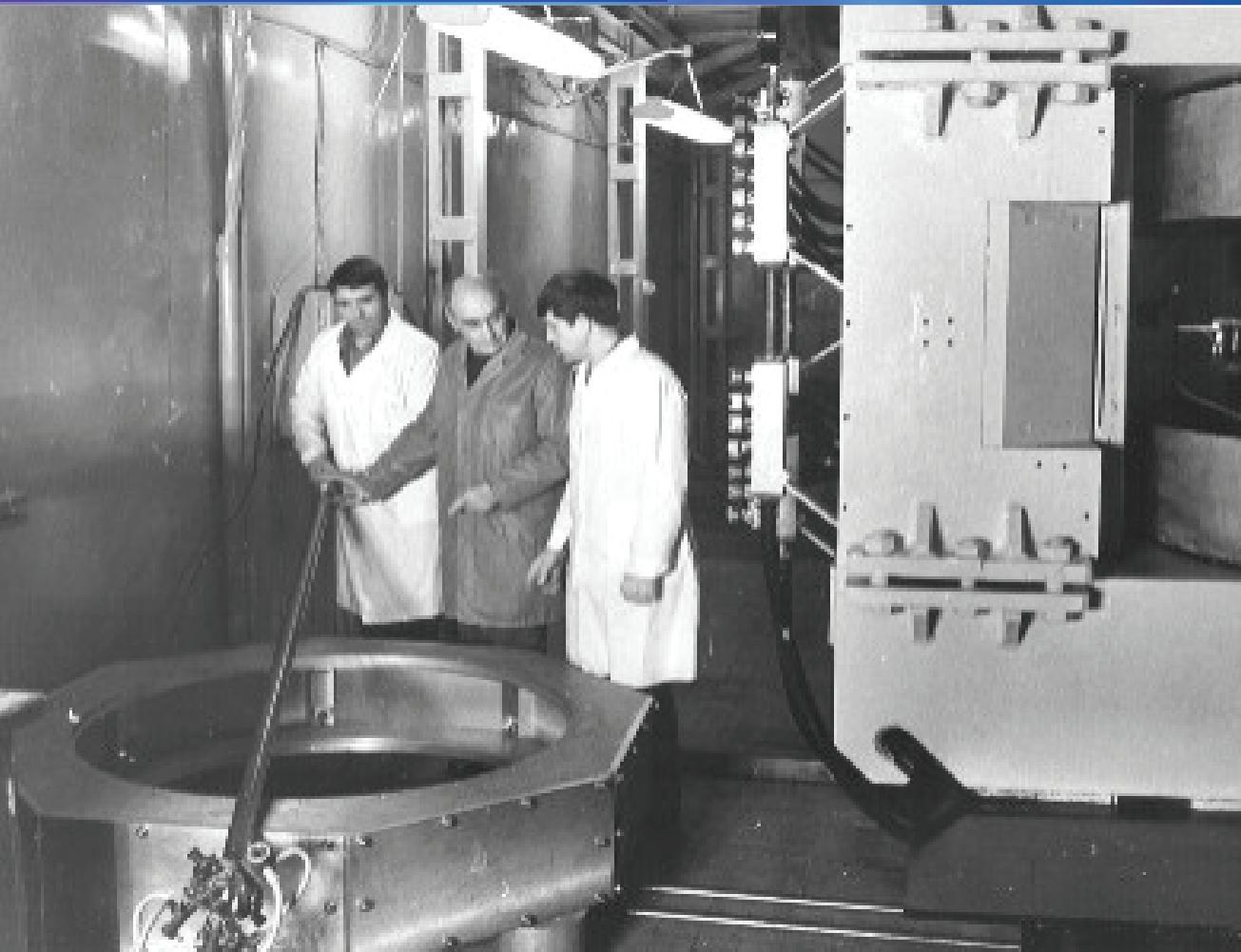
## Cyclotron U-400 (1978)

- Beams of Kr, Xe, Bi ions with an energy of 2.5-5 MeV/n are used for track membrane production.
- The irradiation chamber provides an opportunity of processing polymer films with a width of up to 60 cm
- **power consumption - 1500 kW**



# IMPLANTING CYCLOTRON IC-100

## History pages 1985



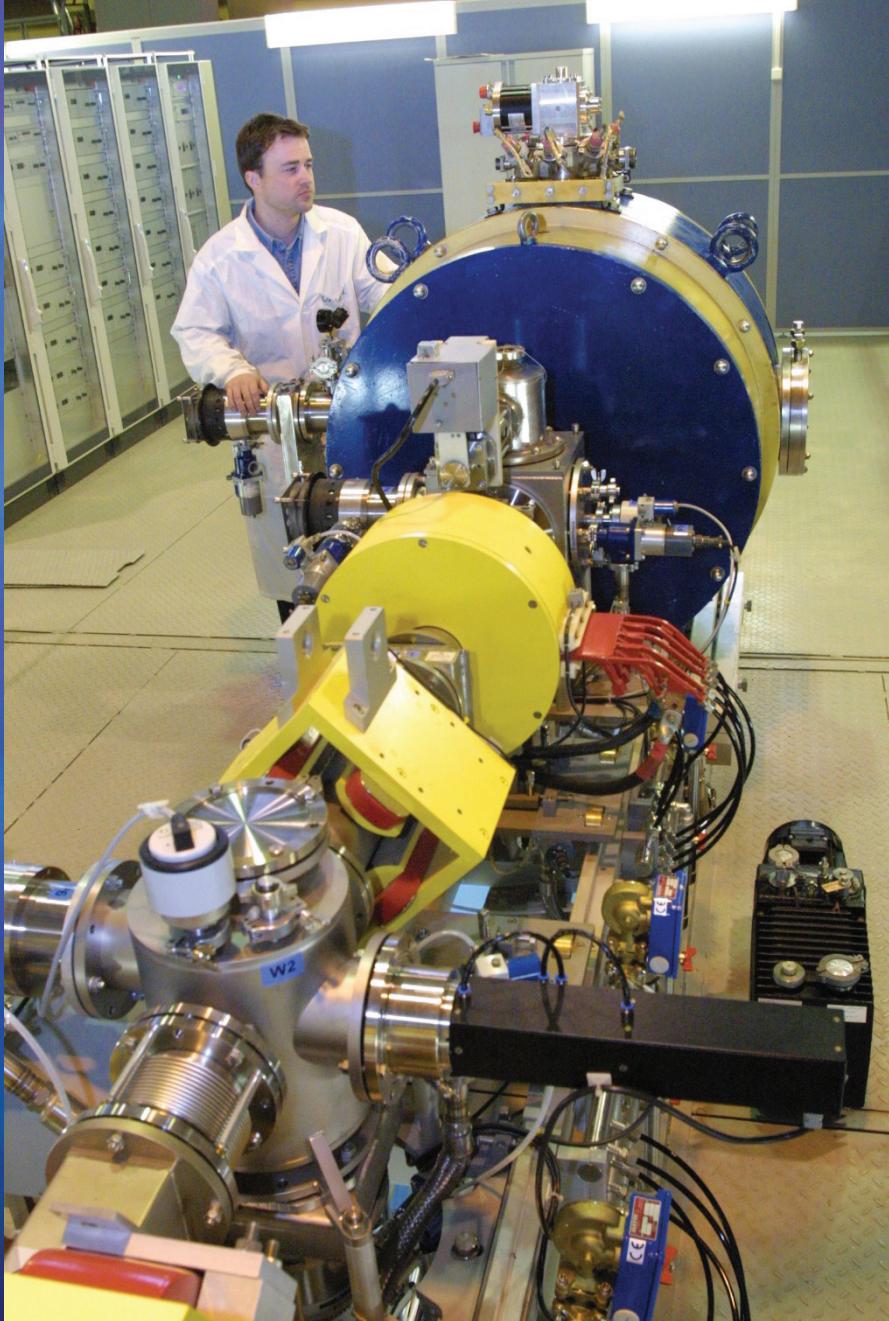
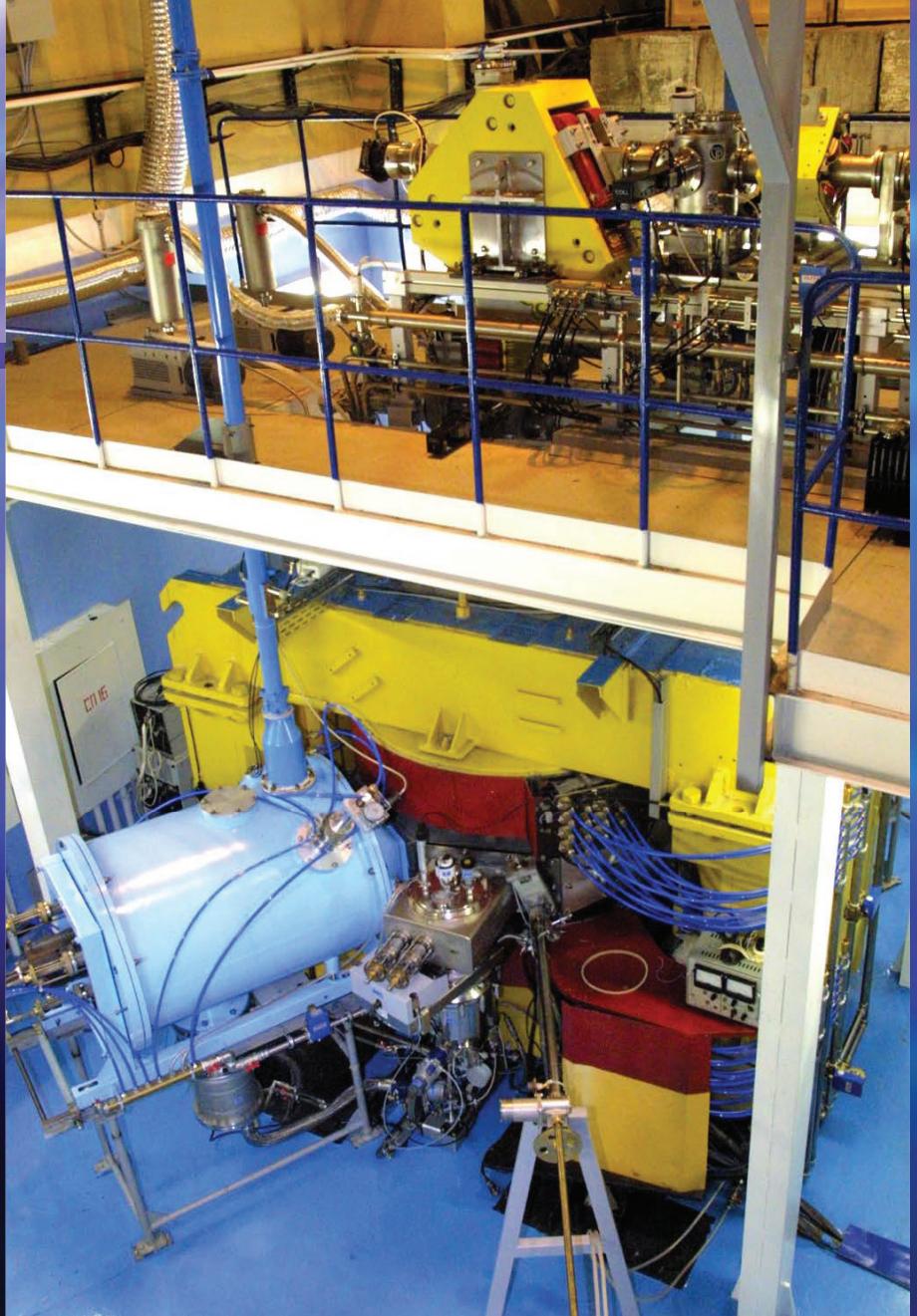
The first dedicated cyclotron for production of track membranes (nuclear filters)

Energy of ions:  $\sim 1.2$  MeV/nucleon.

Internal source of ions – PIG-type

Accelerated ions:  
**C - Ar** ( $A/Z = 5.7-6$ )

Beam intensity of Ar -  $1 \mu\text{A}$



**Reconstruction of IC-100 cyclotron (2001-2002)**

# Parameters of the IC-100 cyclotron

	Parameters	Project	Operation
1	Accelerated ions	Ar, Kr, Xe	$^{22}\text{Ne}^{+4}$ $^{40}\text{Ar}^{+7}$ $^{56}\text{Fe}^{+10}$ $^{86}\text{Kr}^{+15}$ $^{127}\text{I}^{+22}$ $^{132}\text{Xe}^{+23}$ $^{132}\text{Xe}^{+24}$ $^{182}\text{W}^{+32}$ $^{184}\text{W}^{+31}$ $^{184}\text{W}^{+32}$
2	Mass-to-charge ratio of accelerated ions	$A/Z = 5.3 - 6.0$	$A/Z = 5.5 - 5.95$
3	Ion energy	1-1,25 MeV/A	0,9-1,2 MeV/A
4	Diameter of the magnet pole	1 m	1 m
5	Average magnetic field	1.88 – 2.01 T	1.78 -1.93 T
6	Frequency of the RF system	20.4 - 20.9 MHz	19.8 - 20.6 MHz
7	Injection energy	12.5 kV	14-15 kV
8	Vacuum in injection channel	$5 \cdot 10^{-7}$ Torr	$1.5 \cdot 10^{-7}$ Topp
9	Working vacuum in cyclotron	$5 \cdot 10^{-7}$ Torr	$5 \cdot 10^{-8}$ Torr
10	Voltage on the dees	50 kV	45-55 kV
11	Intensity of the accelerated and extracted beam of $^{86}\text{Kr}^{15+}$	$\sim 10^{12}$ pps ( $2.5 \mu\text{A}$ )	$1.4 \cdot 10^{12}$ pps ( $3.5 \mu\text{A}$ )
12	Intensity of the accelerated and extracted beam of $^{132}\text{Xe}^{23+}$	$\sim 2.6 \cdot 10^{11}$ pps ( $1 \mu\text{A}$ )	$\sim 10^{12}$ pps ( $3.7 \mu\text{A}$ )

# DC-60 CYCLOTRON

DC-60 is developed and created at FLNR JINR for Research Center of L.N.Gumilev Euroasia State University in Astana, Kazakhstan



# DC-60 CYCLOTRON

## MAIN PARAMETERS

<b>Ion beam injector</b>	<b>ECR ion source (14 GHz) + axial injection system</b>
<b>Magnet pole diameter</b>	<b>1.62 m</b>
<b>Cyclotron magnetic field</b>	<b>1.45 T - main mode 1.25 -1.65 T - magnetic field variation 12 - 45 kW</b>
<b>Correction coils:</b> - radial coils - azimuth coils	<b>5 couples 2 couples ~ 1 kW</b>
<b>Total power of correction coils</b>	
<b>RF system:</b> - frequency - harmonic number - dee voltage - RF power	<b>11.00 - 17.5 MHz 4 and 6 50 kV One amplifier of 20 kW (two coaxial resonators connected in the cyclotron centre)</b>
<b>Pressure in cyclotron vacuum chamber</b>	<b>(1-2)·10 <sup>-7</sup> Torr</b>

# DC-60 CYCLOTRON

## PARAMETERS OF ACCELERATED ION BEAMS

<b>Ions</b>	<b>Li - Xe</b>
<b>Mass to charge ratio A/Z</b>	<b>6 - 12</b>
<b>Energy of accelerated ions</b>	<b>0.35 - 1.77 MeV/nucleon</b>
<b>Energy spread</b>	<b>2 %</b>
<b>Discrete change of ion energy</b>	<b>Due to A/Z ratio</b>
<b>Smooth energy variation with respect to nominal energy</b>	<b>-25 % / +25% Due to magnetic field variation</b>

## LOW ENERGY ION BEAM PARAMETERS (from ECR)

<b>Ions</b>	<b>He - Xe</b>
<b>Mass to charge ratio (A/Z)</b>	<b>2 - 20</b>
<b>Ion energy from ECR source</b>	<b>10 - 20 keV/charge</b>
<b>Energy spread</b>	<b>0.1 %</b>
<b>Discrete ion energy change</b>	<b>Due to change of A/Z</b>
<b>Smooth ion energy variation</b>	<b>Due to extracted potential variation in ECR source</b>

Table 1: Current characteristics of accelerated ion beams

<b>Ion</b>	<b>A/Z</b>	<b>Energy, MeV/nuc.</b>	<b>Beam current ECR, <math>\mu\text{A}</math></b>	<b>Extracted beam current, <math>\mu\text{A}</math></b>
$^7\text{Li}^{1+}$	7	1.32	110	2.2
$^{12}\text{C}^{1+}$	12	0.40	63	0.6
$^{12}\text{C}^{2+}$	6	1.00	147	1.7
$^{12}\text{C}^{2+}$	6	1.25	150	1.5
$^{12}\text{C}^{2+}$	6	1.50	170	2.1
$^{12}\text{C}^{2+}$	6	1.75	140	1.7
$^{13}\text{C}^{2+}$	6.5	1.25	18.1	0.7
$^{13}\text{C}^{2+}$	6.5	1.50	19.9	0.6
$^{13}\text{C}^{3+}$	4.3	1.75	16.3	0.5
$^{14}\text{N}^{2+}$	7	0.4	84	0.9
$^{14}\text{N}^{2+}$	7	1.0	134	1.5
$^{14}\text{N}^{3+}$	4.6	1.4	325	2.0
$^{14}\text{N}^{3+}$	4.6	1.5	320	2.7
$^{14}\text{N}^{3+}$	4.6	1.75	120	1.9
$^{16}\text{O}^{2+}$	8	1.0	90	1.08
$^{16}\text{O}^{3+}$	5.3	1.25	85	1.1
$^{16}\text{O}^{3+}$	5.3	1.4	112	0.9
$^{16}\text{O}^{3+}$	5.3	1.5	95	0.8
$^{16}\text{O}^{3+}$	5.3	1.75	86	1.1
$^{20}\text{Ne}^{3+}$	6.67	1.08	106.0	1.03
$^{20}\text{Ne}^{3+}$	6.67	1.4	95.8	1.56
$^{20}\text{Ne}^{4+}$	5	1.75	76.4	2.0
$^{32}\text{Se}^{6+}$	5.33	1.75	61.1	0.8
$^{40}\text{Ar}^{4+}$	10	0.48	44.6	0.67
$^{40}\text{Ar}^{4+}$	10	0.64	37.2	0.84
$^{40}\text{Ar}^{5+}$	8	0.58	24.2	0.4
$^{40}\text{Ar}^{7+}$	5.7	1.1	42.7	1.2
$^{40}\text{Ar}^{7+}$	5.7	1.75	45.1	1.0
$^{84}\text{Kr}^{9+}$	9.3	0.4	47.6	0.25
$^{84}\text{Kr}^{10+}$	8.4	0.7	49.8	0.4
$^{84}\text{Kr}^{12+}$	7	1	34.3	1.7
$^{84}\text{Kr}^{15+}$	5.6	1.4	26.2	1.9
$^{84}\text{Kr}^{15+}$	5.6	1.75	28.6	2.1
$^{132}\text{Xe}^{14+}$	9.42	0.6	11.8	0.14
$^{132}\text{Xe}^{15+}$	8.8	0.4	10.7	0.25
$^{132}\text{Xe}^{17+}$	7.7	1	21.2	0.40
$^{132}\text{Xe}^{20+}$	6.6	1.5	22.6	0.46
$^{132}\text{Xe}^{22+}$	6	1.75	16.5	0.32

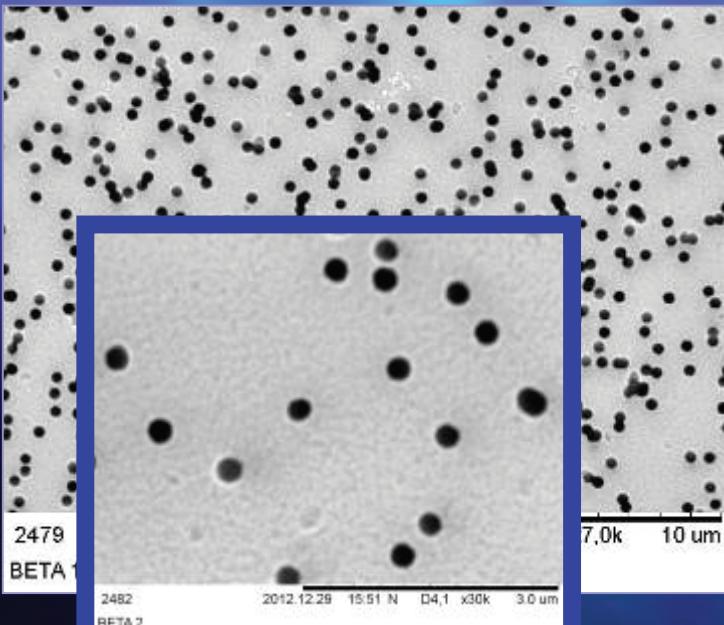
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ACCELERATOR COMPLEX BASED ON DC-60 CYCLOTRON

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# DC-110 dedicated heavy ion cyclotron developed and created at the Flerov Laboratory of Nuclear Reactions of the Joint Institute for Nuclear Research for the BETA research and industrial complex in Dubna (Russia)



December 29, 2012  
first samples of track  
membranes were  
received

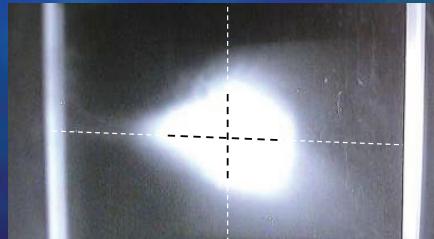


Photo of membrane on the electron microscope.  
Pore density -  $1.32 \cdot 10^8$  pores/cm<sup>2</sup>.  
Magnification of 30,000 times

Spot of  $^{132}\text{Xe}^{20+}$  beam on luminophor

Facility for polymer film irradiation

# Main parameters of DC-110 cyclotron.

ACCELERATED IONS	$^{86}\text{Kr}^{13+}$	$^{132}\text{Xe}^{20+}$	$^{40}\text{Ar}^{6+}$
Mass to charge ratio of ions A/Z	6.615	6.60	6.667
Ion energy	2.5	2.5	2.5
Beam intensity, pps	$6 \cdot 10^{12}$	$3 \cdot 10^{12}$	$6 \cdot 10^{12} (*)$
MAGNETIC SYSTEM			
Pole diameter, m	2		
Average magnetic field $B_o$ , [T]	1.670	1.666	1.6830
Increasing average magnetic field at final radius $\Delta B$ , [Gs]	45	45	45
RF SYSTEM			
Ion revolution frequency, $F_{\text{ion}}$ , [MHz]	3.877	3.877	3.877
Acceleration harmonic number	2	2	2
Frequency of RF system, $F_{\text{RF}}$ , [MHz]	7.754	7.754	7.754
ION SOURCE	ECR, 18 GHz		
EXTRACTION SYSTEM	Electrostatic deflector		

# **Ion beam parameters of the DC-110 cyclotron**

Optimal frequency values of the RF system and the magnetic field during acceleration of  $^{40}\text{Ar}^{6+}$ ,  $^{86}\text{Kr}^{13+}$  and  $^{132}\text{Xe}^{20+}$  ions.

<b>Ion</b>	<b>Mass to charge ratio (A/Z)</b>	<b>Cyclotron magnetic field, T</b>	<b>Acceleration harmonic</b>	<b>RF generator frequency, MHz</b>	<b>Frequency difference, <math>\Delta F</math>,</b>
$^{40}\text{Ar}^{6+}$	<b>6.6667</b>	<b>1.6612</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>7.653</b>	23 kHz
$^{86}\text{Kr}^{13+}$	<b>6.6154</b>	<b>1.6612</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>7.712</b>	-18 kHz
$^{132}\text{Xe}^{20+}$	<b>6.6000</b>	<b>1.6612</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>7.730</b>	0 kHz

Experimental beam parameters of the DC-110 cyclotron obtained after completion of start-up works

<b>Ion</b>	Beam intensity from ECR source, $\mu\text{A}$	Accelerated and extracted beam intensity, $\mu\text{A}$		Ion energy, MeV/nucleon
		<i>design</i>	result obtained	
$^{40}\text{Ar}^{6+}$	<b>94</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>2.5</b>
$^{86}\text{Kr}^{13+}$	<b>150</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14.5</b>	<b>2.5</b>
$^{132}\text{Xe}^{20+}$	<b>190</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>10.9</b>	<b>2.5</b>

# Testing of electronic devices at FLNR cyclotron beams

The Russian Space Agency (**Roscosmos**) carries out investigations of single-event effects (SEE) in electronic devices using ion beams of U-400 and U400M.

- U400 cyclotron delivers beams of ions with atomic masses of 4÷209 at energies of **3÷20 MeV/nucleon**.
- U400M cyclotron was intended for acceleration of ion beams in two modes:
  - high energy ion acceleration mode - **19–53 MeV/nucleon** (mass to charge ratio of accelerated ions A/Z = 2.8 – 5),
  - low energy ion acceleration mode - **5–10 MeV/nucleon** (mass to charge ratio of accelerated ions A/Z = 7– 10).
- Now, ions of **O, Ne, Ar, Fe, Kr, Xe, Bi** with an energy of **3÷6 MeV/nucleon** and ions from **C up to Xe** with energies from **25 to 53 MeV/nucleon** are available for experiments of testing the electronic devices at **4 beam channels of U-400 and U-400M**.

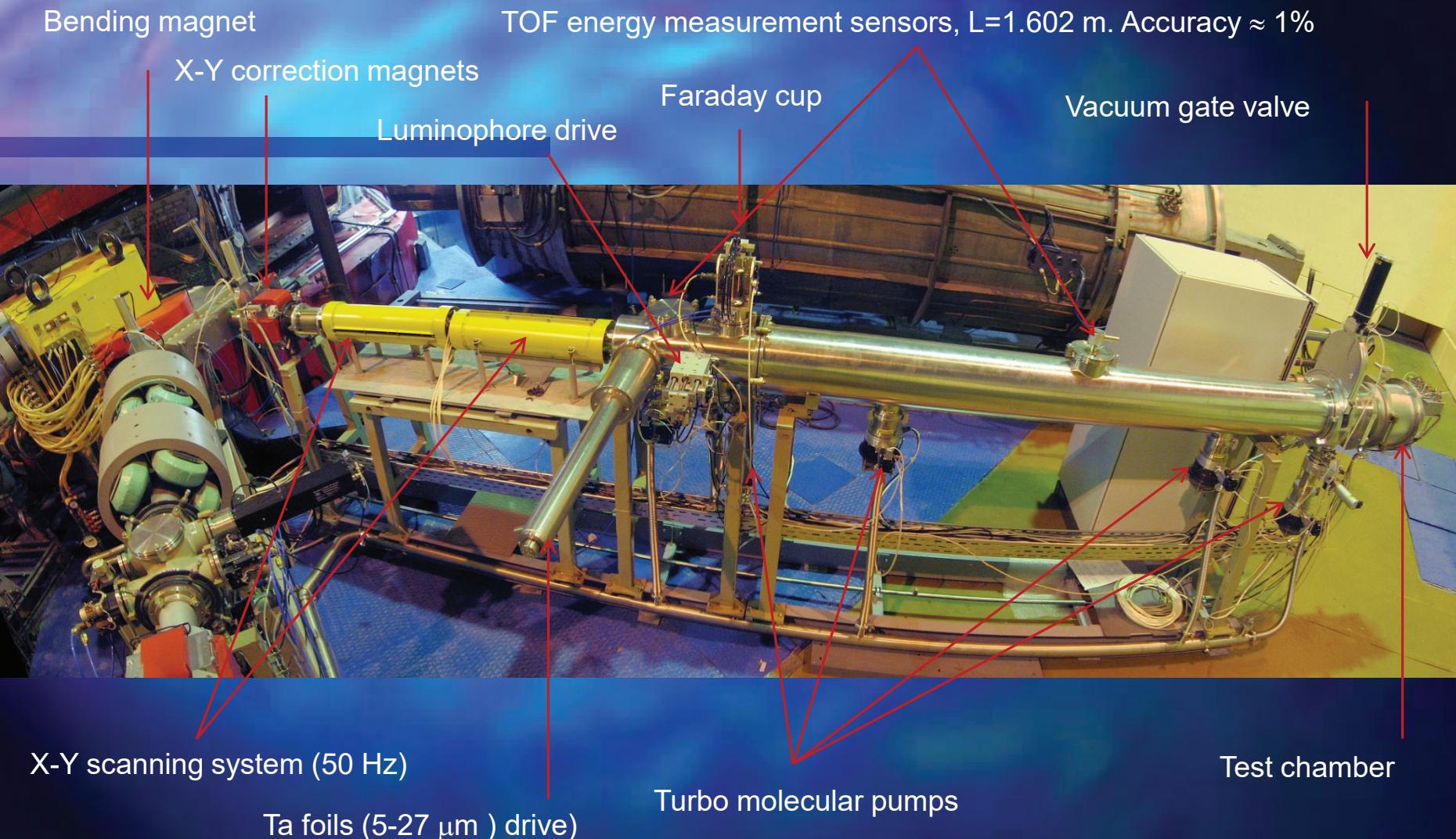


**U-400M**

**U-400**



# Ion Beam Line for SEE Testing



# New building of the nanotechnology Center



# The equipment in the new building of the nanotechnology Center



# The equipment of the nanotechnology Center

Scanning electron Microscope  
(resolution 1.3 nm)



Scanning electron Microscope  
(resolution 6 nm)





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