

From FRS to Super-FRS

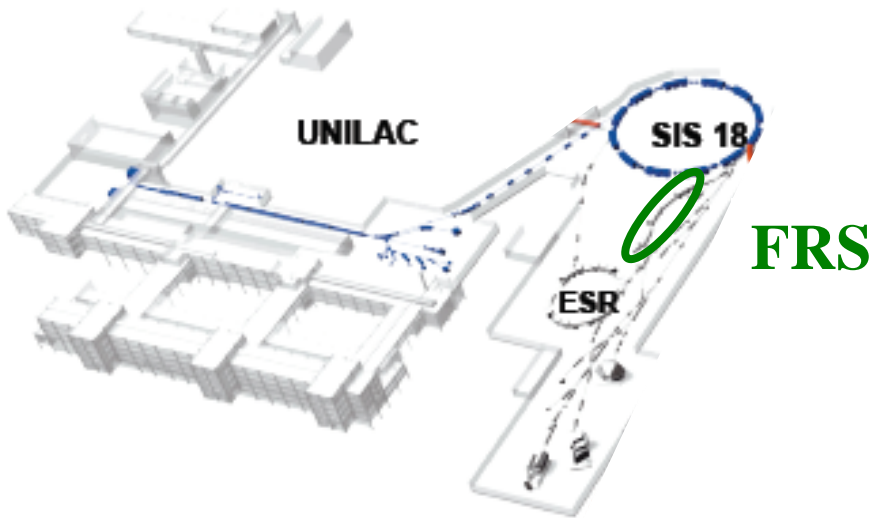
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- ✦ **From GSI to FAIR (Facility of Antiproton and Ion Research)**
- ✦ **The FRagment Separator FRS @ GSI**
- ✦ **The Super-FRS (Layout, Features, Challenges) @ FAIR**
- ✦ **The Experimental Branches of the Super-FRS**
- ✦ **Summary**

GSI and FAIR

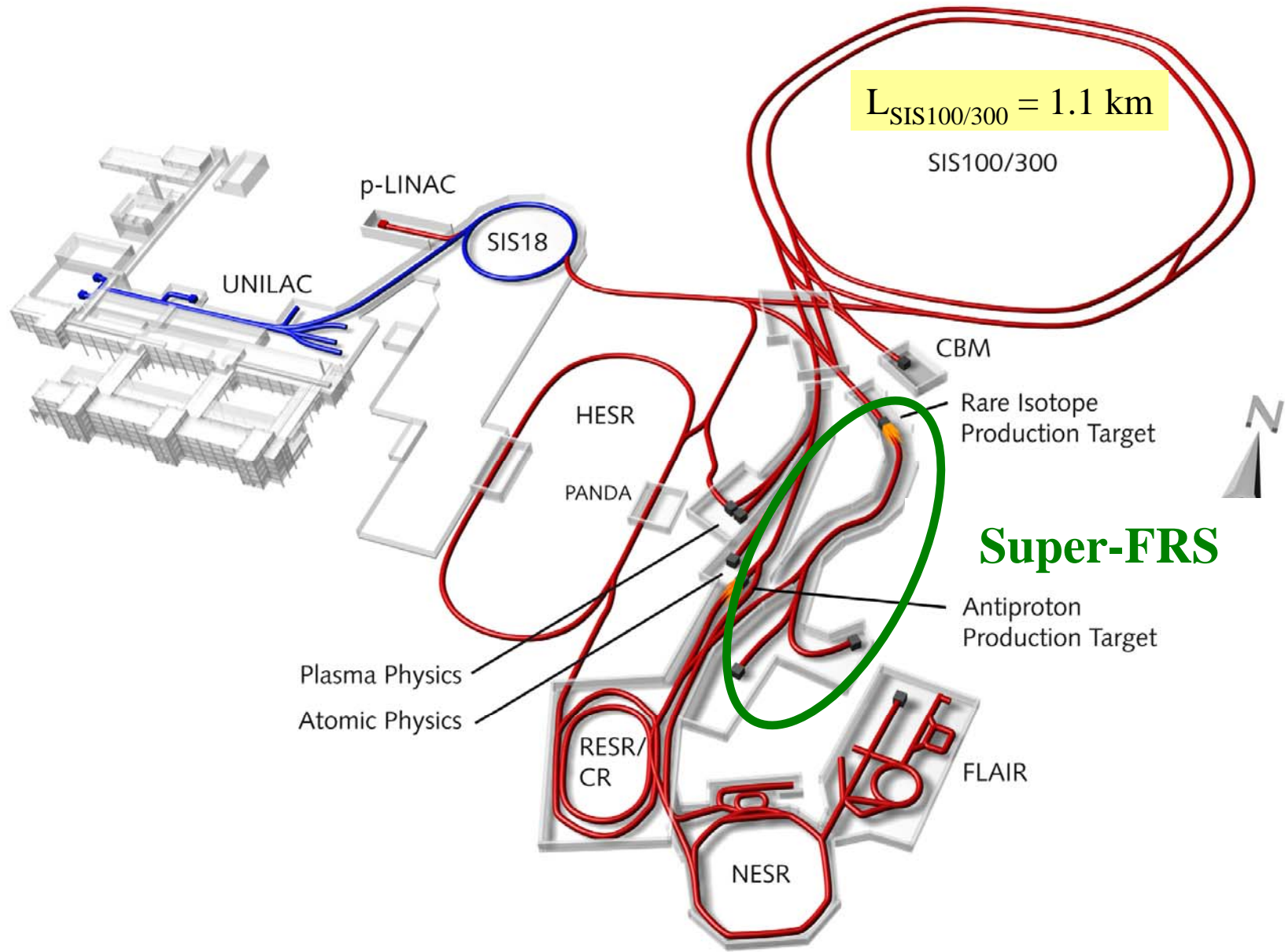
GSI today

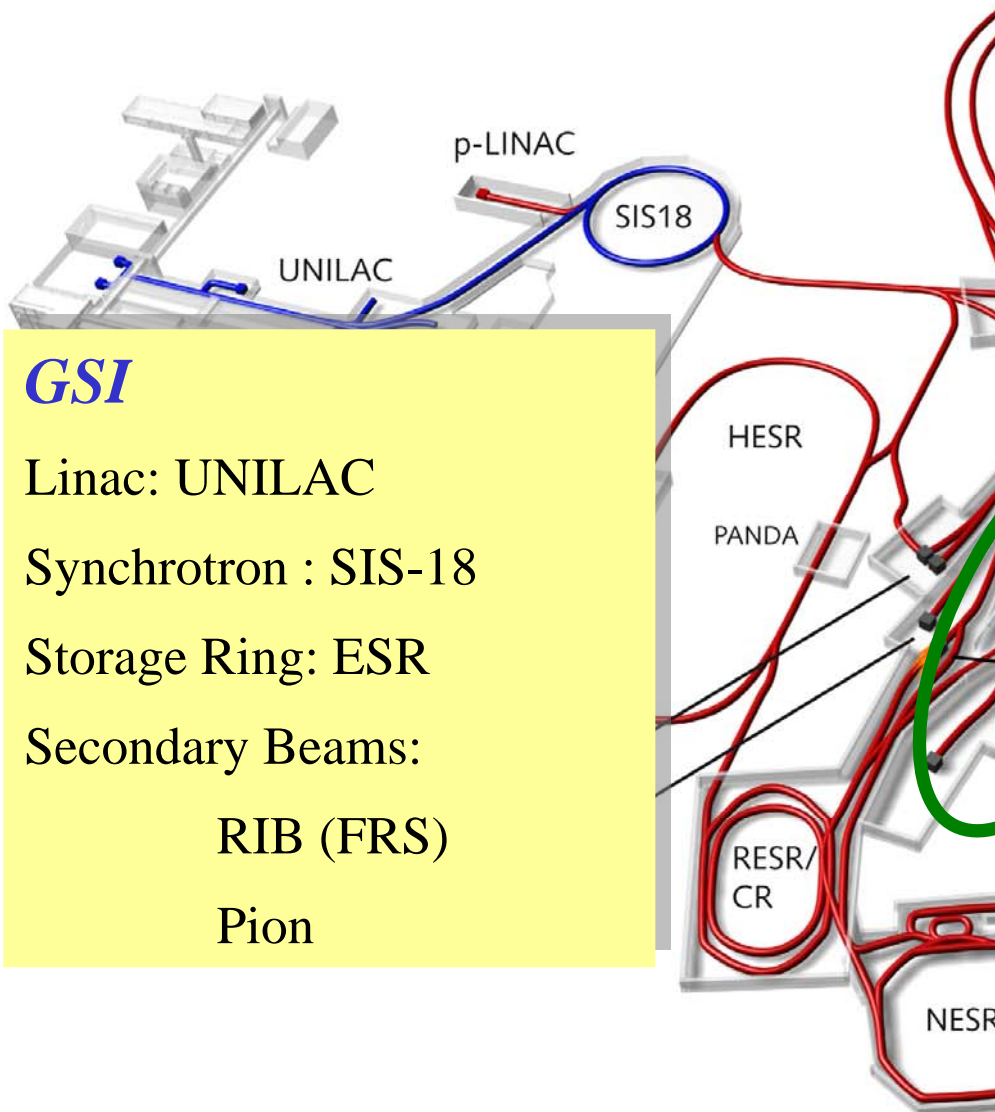


GSI and FAIR



FAIR in the future





GSI

Linac: UNILAC

Synchrotron : SIS-18

Storage Ring: ESR

Secondary Beams:

RIB (FRS)

Pion

FAIR

2 Linac's

Proton

Electron

8 Rings

(Synchrotron, Storage/Cooling)

SIS-100, SIS -300

CR, RESR, NESR

e^- (\bar{p}) - Ring (collider)

HESR (\bar{p})

FLAIR

Secondary Beams:

RIB (Super-FRS)

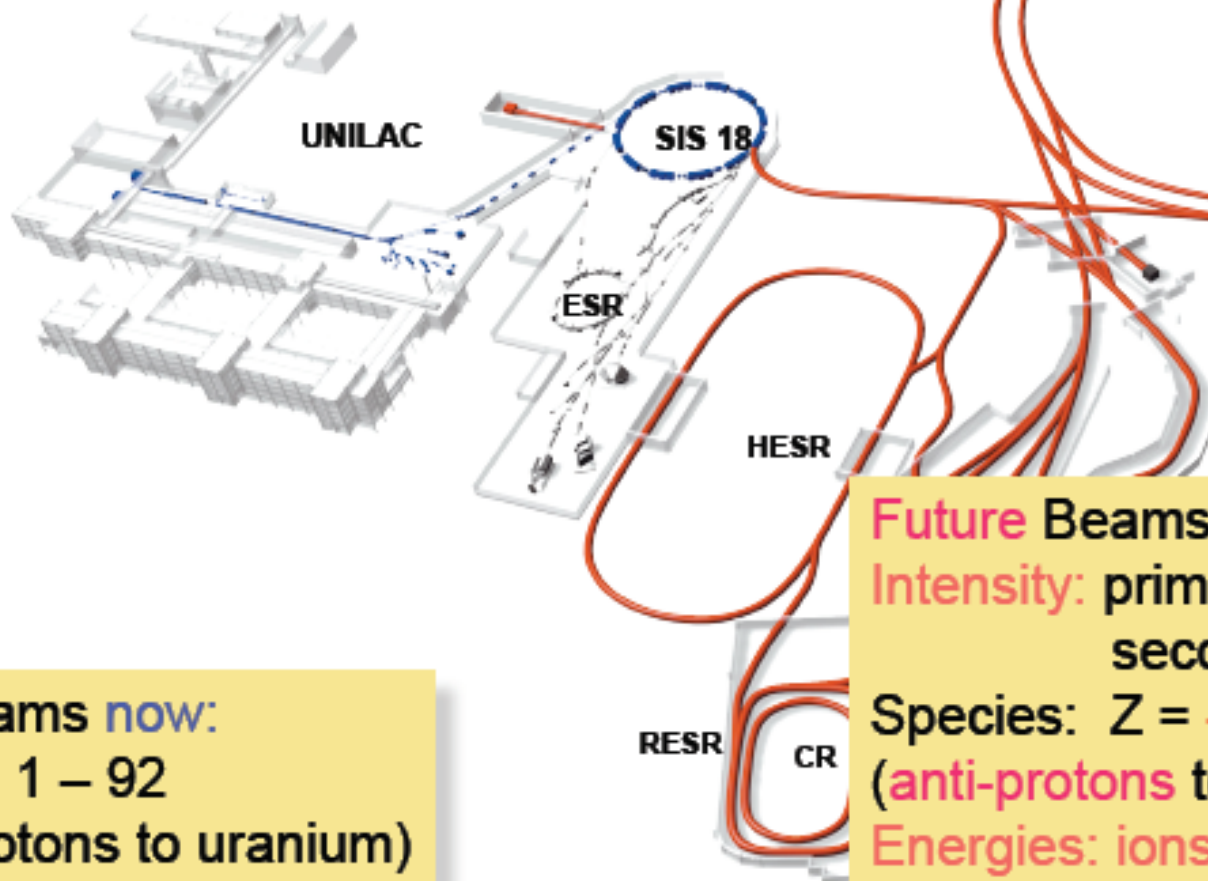
Anti-Proton (\bar{p})

Beams at GSI and FAIR

GSI today

Future facility

SIS 100/300

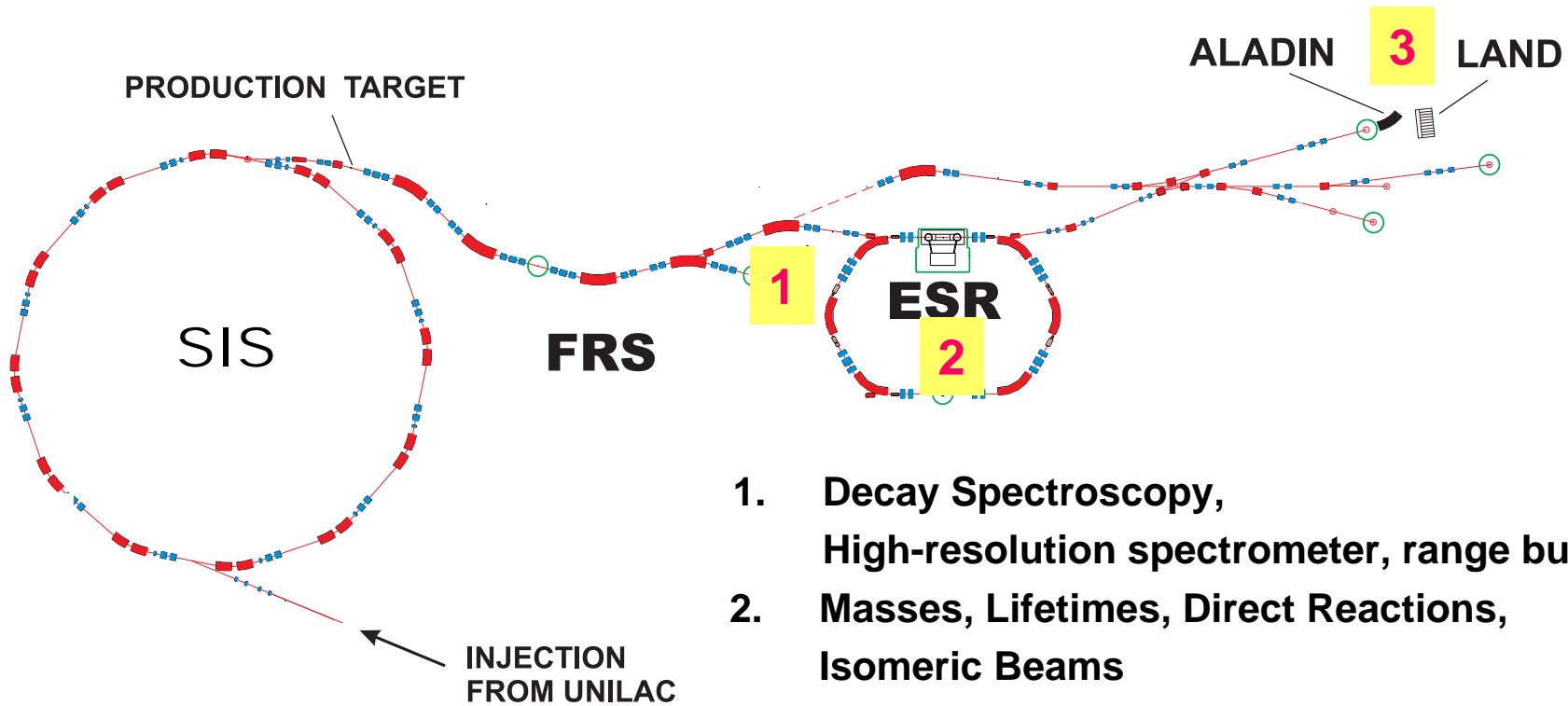


Beams **now**:
 $Z = 1 - 92$
(protons to uranium)
up to 2 GeV/nucleon
Some beam cooling

Future Beams:
Intensity: primary 100 fold
secondary 10000 fold
Species: $Z = -1 - 92$
(**anti-protons** to uranium)
Energies: ions up to 35 - 45 GeV/u
antiprotons 0 - 15 GeV/c
Precision: full beam cooling

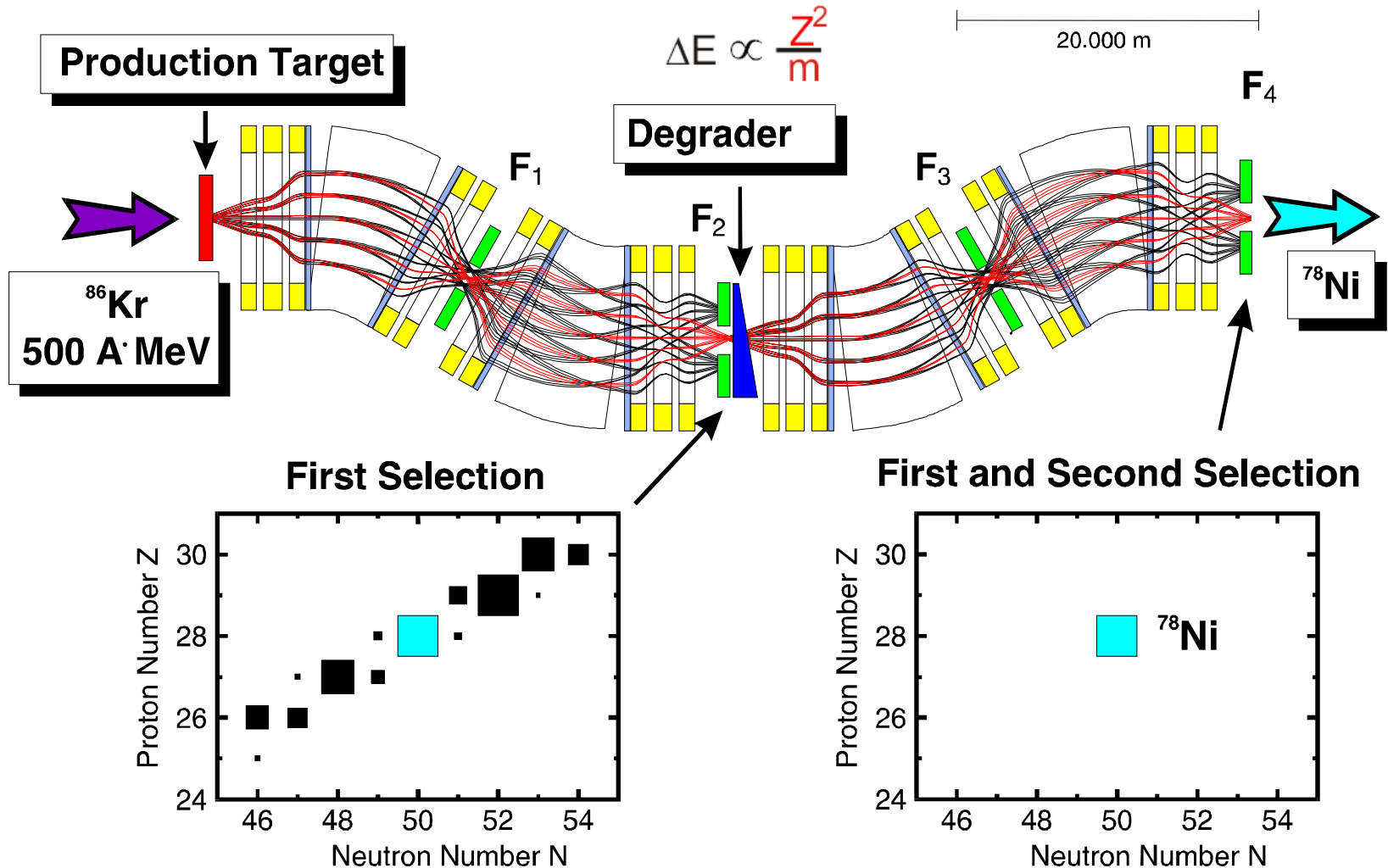
Secondary Nuclear Beam Facility at GSI

FRS: In-flight Separator & High-Resolution Spectrometer



1. Decay Spectroscopy,
High-resolution spectrometer, range bunching
2. Masses, Lifetimes, Direct Reactions,
Isomeric Beams
3. Reactions Studies (Complete Kinematics)

B ρ - ΔE - B ρ Separation Method



Standard FRS equipments

Target



TPC- **x,y position** @ S2,S4



Plastic scintillator (**TOF**)
@ TA, S1, S2, S3, S4, S8



Beam profile
@TA,S1,S2
S3,S5,S6

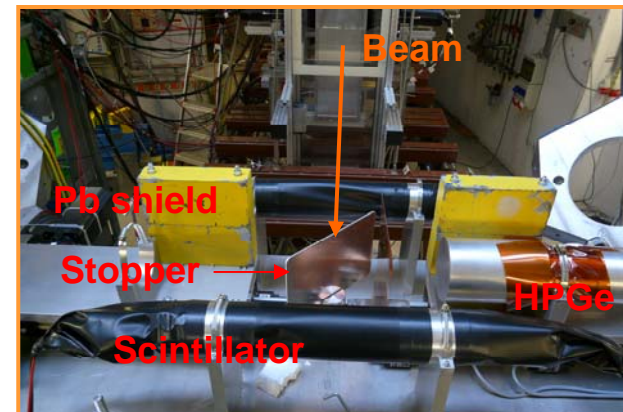


Full isotope identification

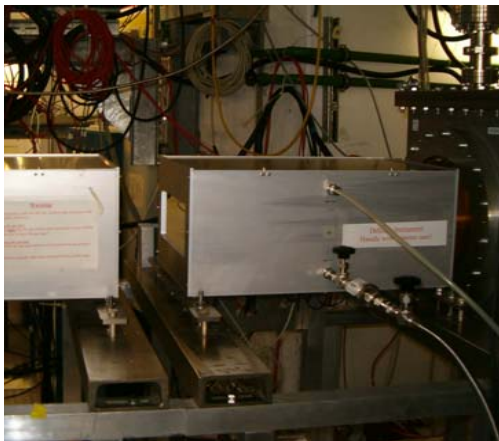
$$B\rho = \frac{mv}{q}; \quad q = Z$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \text{ToF} \rightarrow v \\ \Delta E \rightarrow Z \\ B\rho \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow {}^A_Z E$$

NEW: Isomer tagger @ S4

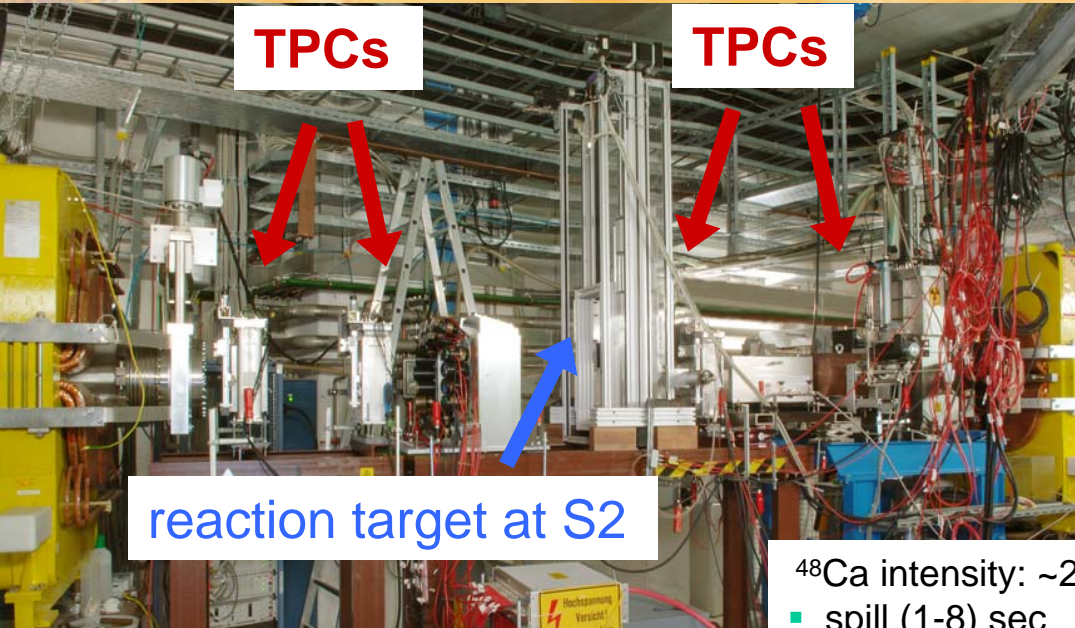


MUSIC (**ΔE**) @ S2,S4



SEETRAM Intensity monitor
(primary beams) @TA
Schottky probes, Degradar, etc.

Tracking detectors at the FRS

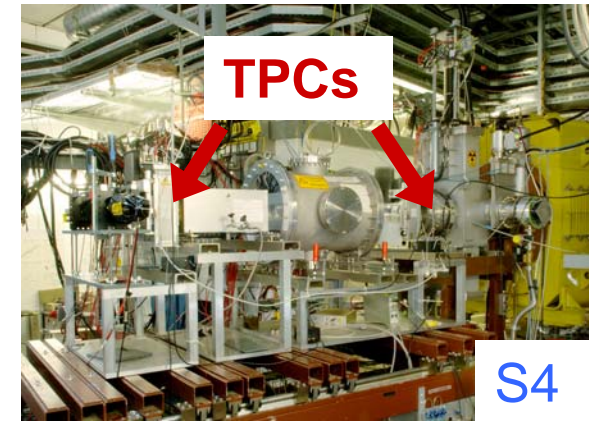
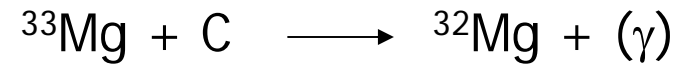


TPCs

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reaction target at S2

High-resolution momentum measurements ($\sim 1.5 \cdot 10^{-4}$) in knockout reactions



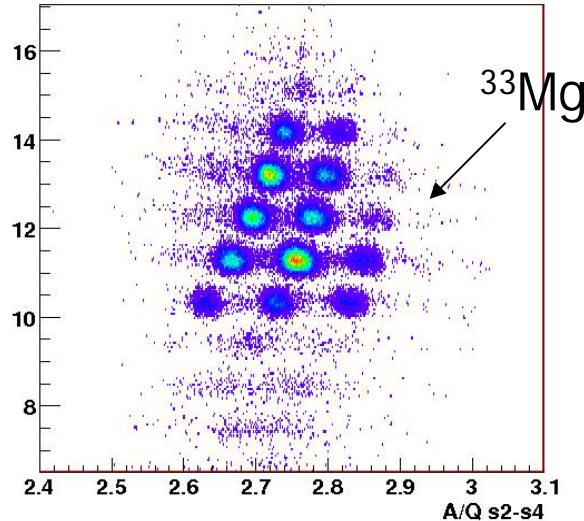
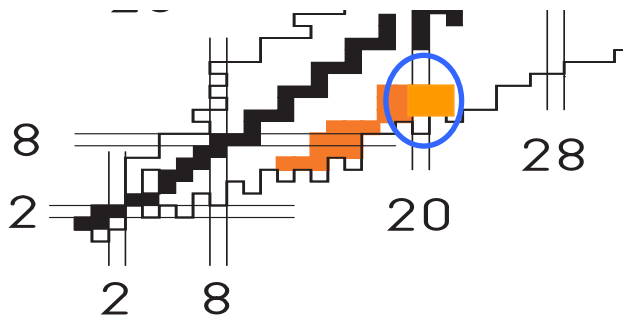
TPCs

S4

${}^{48}\text{Ca}$ intensity: $\sim 2 \cdot 10^9$ /spill

- spill (1-8) sec
- multi-injection mode (SIS18)

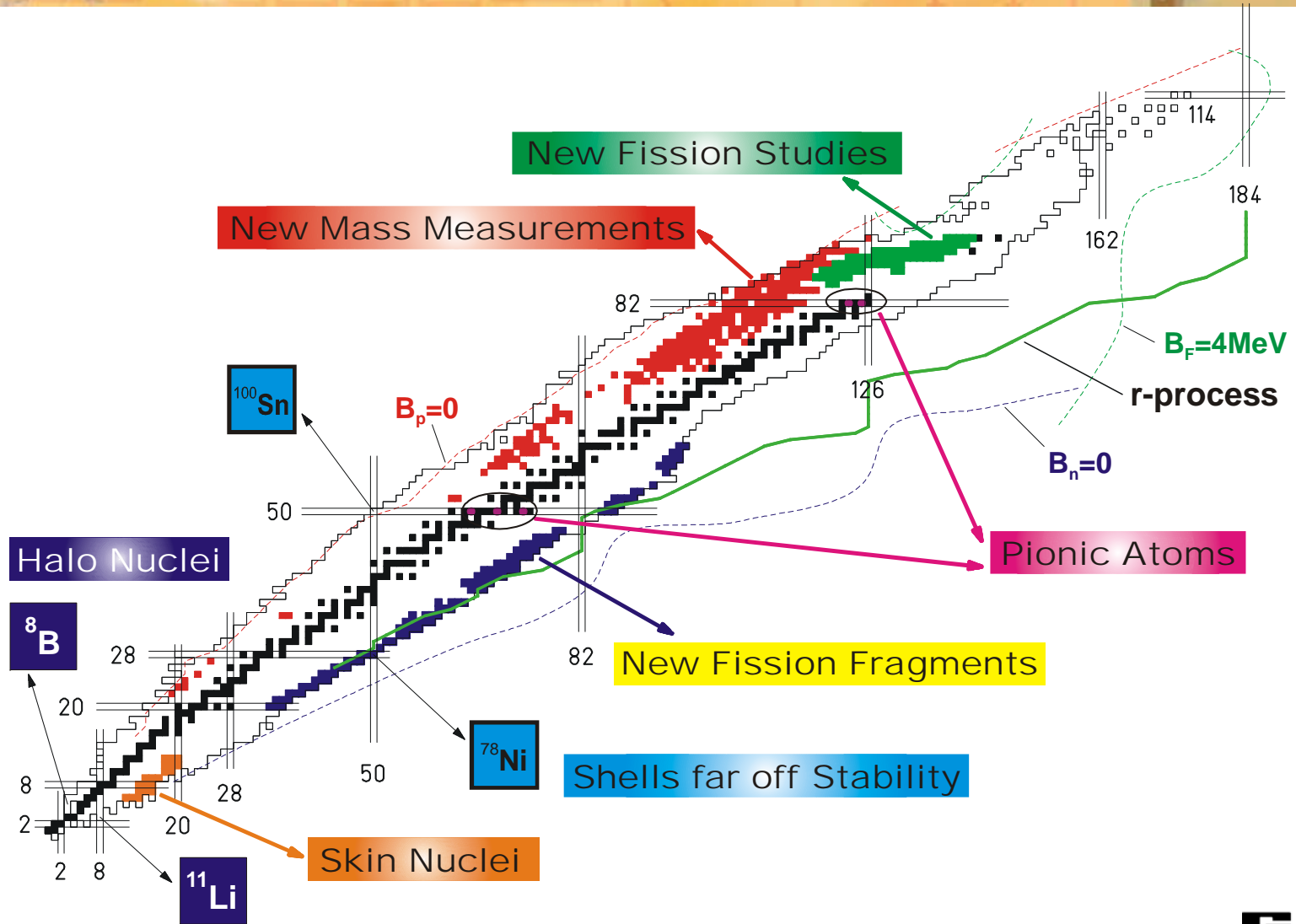
Interaction cross-section measurements in the *Island of Inversion* @ 1GeV/u



- S1 total rate : $4 \cdot 10^4$ /s
- ${}^{33}\text{Mg}$ rate at S2 : ~ 40 /s
- max. trigger rate : 10^3 /s (low Z rejection)

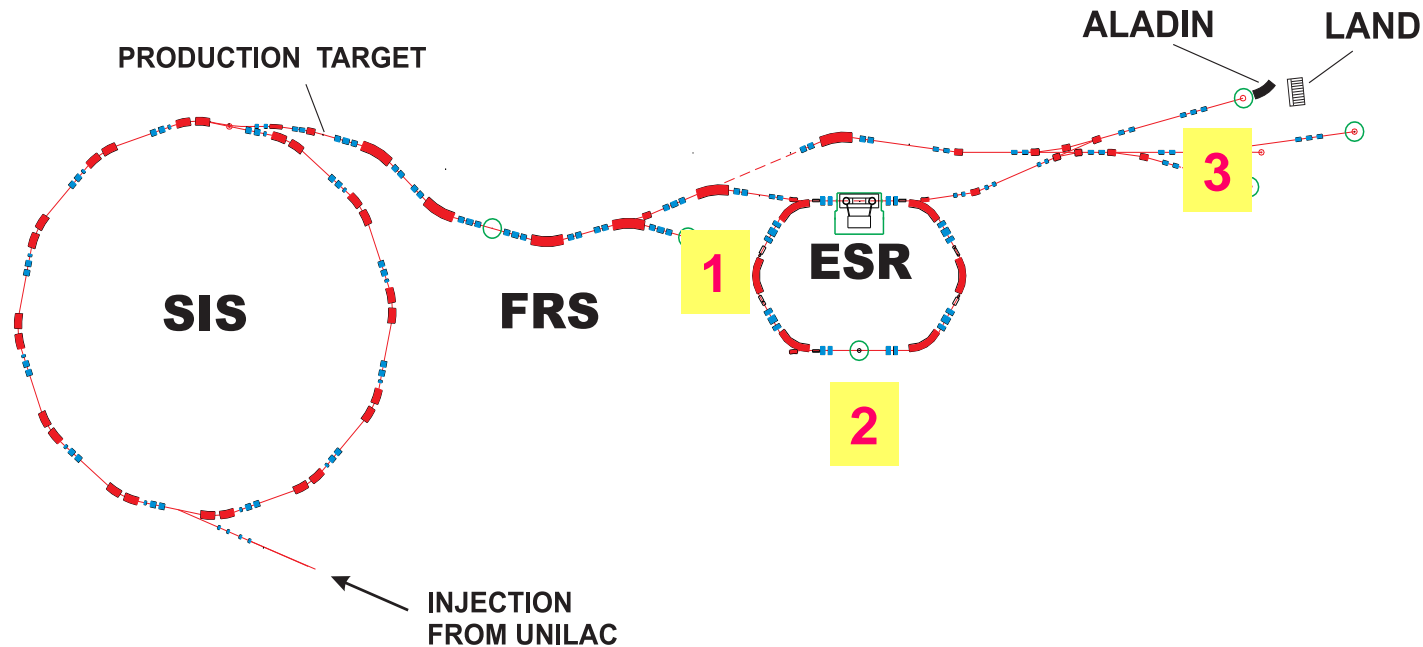
Rate limitation due to pile-up in the Music at S2 (pile-up rejection by trigger selection)

Landmarks from FRS Experiments



The Present Rare Isotope Facility at GSI

Limitations



- * 'Low' primary beam intensity (e.g. 10^9 ^{238}U /s)
- * 'Low' transmission for projectile fission fragments (4-10% at the FRS)
- * 'Low' transmission for fragments into the storage ring and to the exp. area # 3 (beam-line magnets are not designed for fragment beams)
- * Limited space at focal planes and the experimental areas

Layout and Design parameters for the Super-FRS

Goal: **Larger Acceptance**

Projectile:

- Elements p - U
- Energy up to 1.5 GeV/u
- Intensity up to 10^{12} /s (depending on element)
- DC or **pulsed** operation

Design Parameters:

$\epsilon_x = \epsilon_y = 40 \pi$ mm mrad

$\Phi_x = \pm 40$ mrad

$\Phi_y = \pm 20$ mrad

$\Delta P/P = \pm 2.5$ %

$B\rho = 2 - 20$ Tm

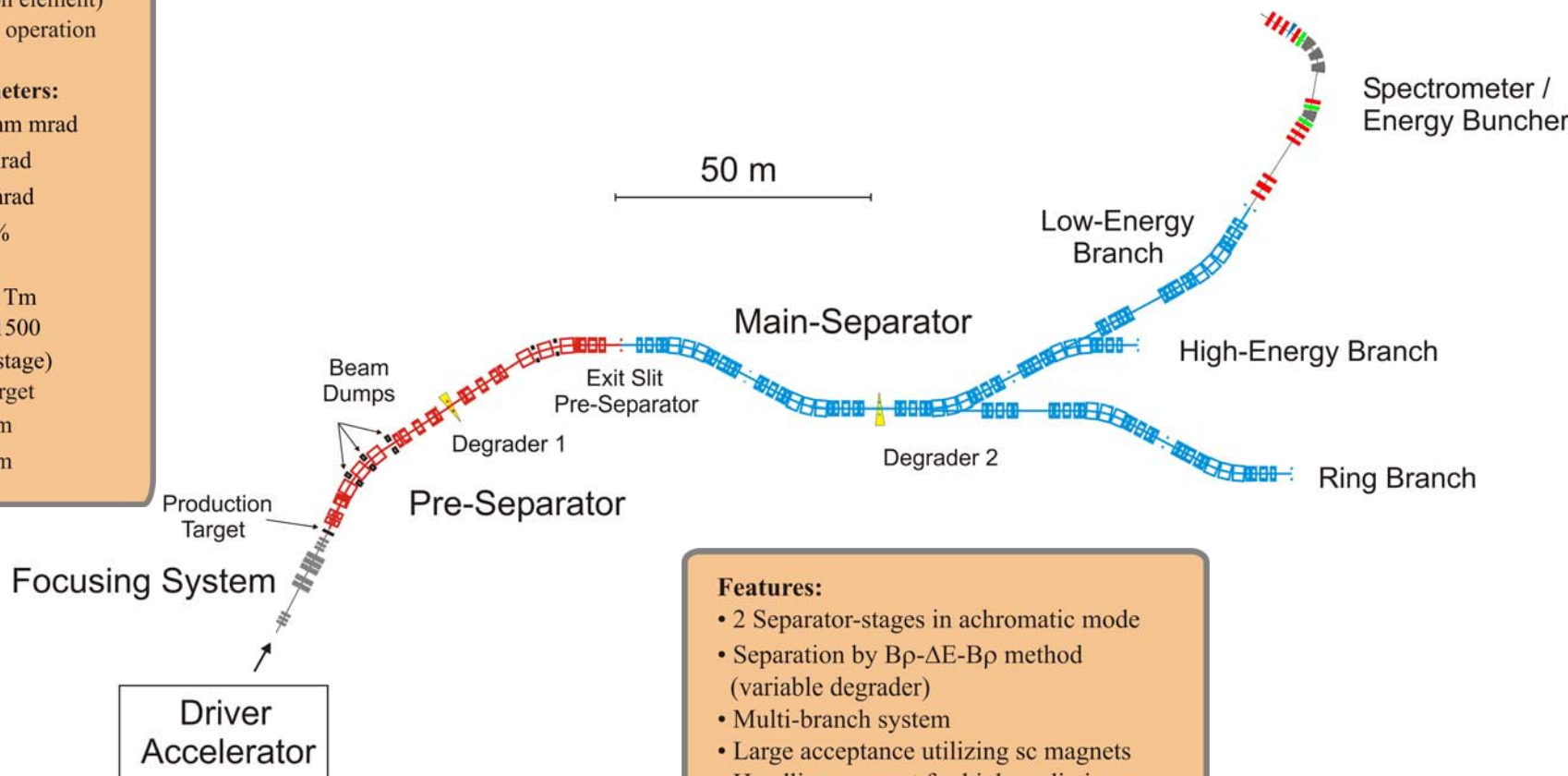
$R_{ion} = 750 / 1500$

(first / second stage)

Spot size on target

$\sigma_x = 1.0$ mm

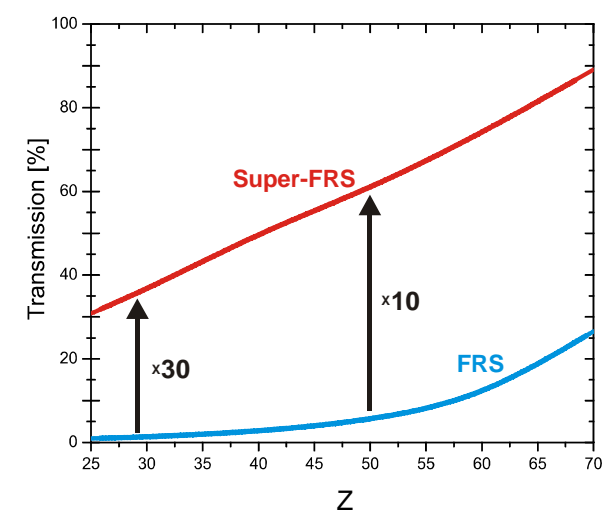
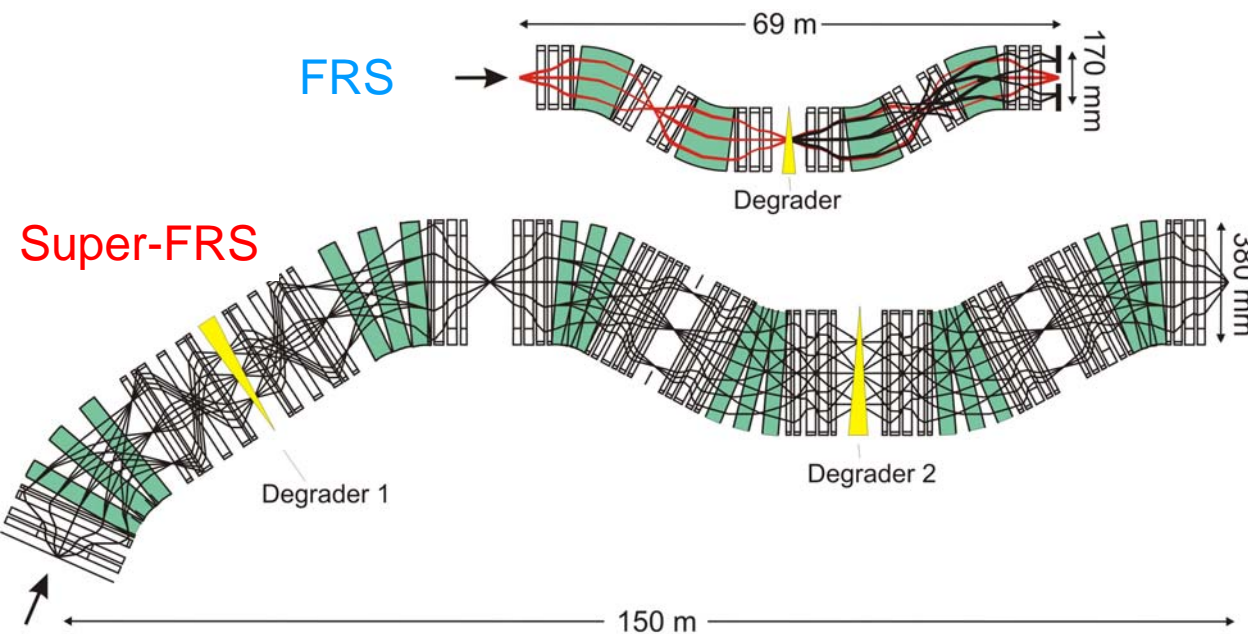
$\sigma_y = 2.0$ mm



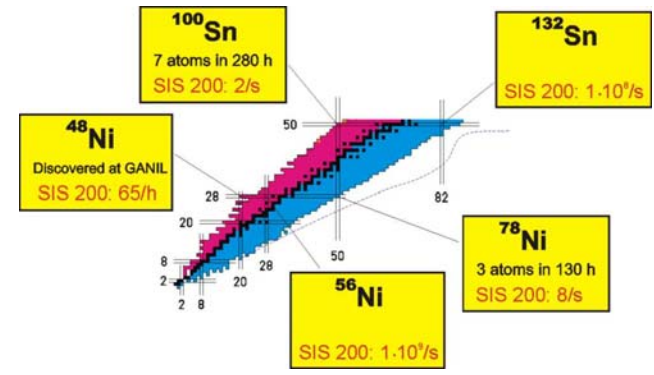
Features:

- 2 Separator-stages in achromatic mode
- Separation by $B\rho - \Delta E - B\rho$ method (variable degrader)
- Multi-branch system
- Large acceptance utilizing sc magnets
- Handling concept for high- radiation area

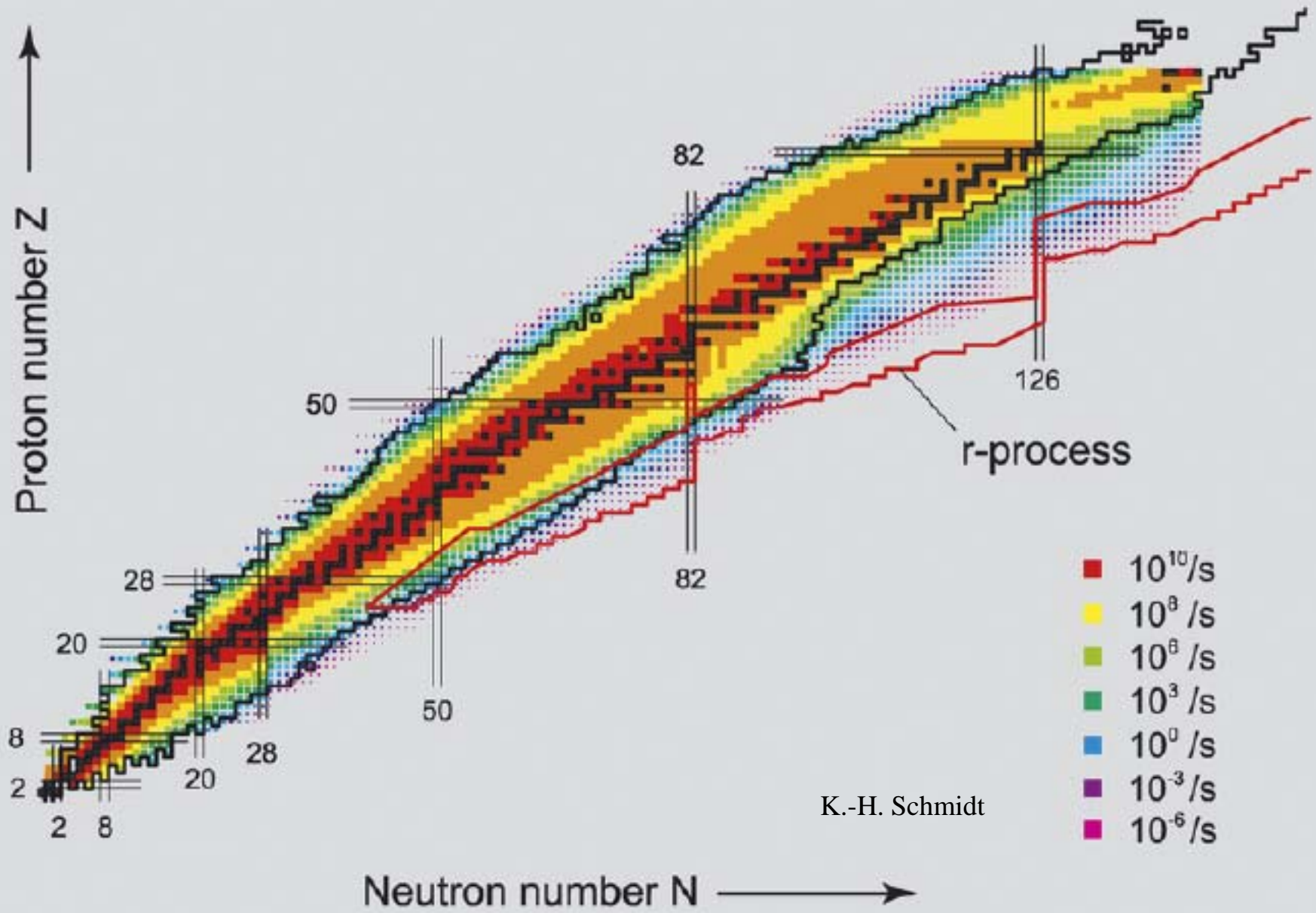
Comparison of FRS with Super-FRS, intensity gain



	$B\rho_{\max}$	$\Delta p/p$	$\Delta\Phi_x, \Delta\Phi_y$	resolving power	gain factor	
					^{19}C	^{132}Sn
FRS	18 Tm	1.0 %	$\pm 13, \pm 13$ mrad	1500	1	1
Super-FRS	20 Tm	2.5 %	$\pm 40, \pm 20$ mrad	1500	5	10
				including primary rate	250	20 000



Production Rates for Exotic Nuclei at FAIR

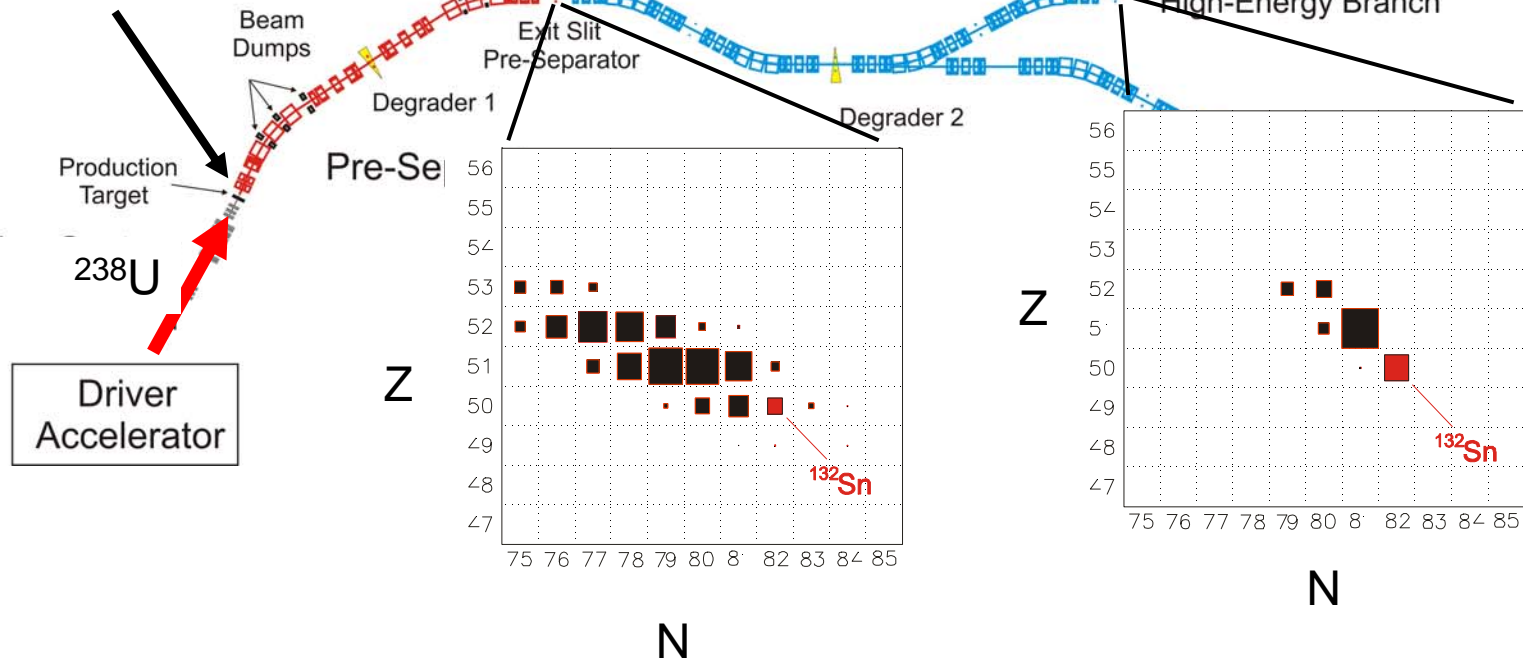
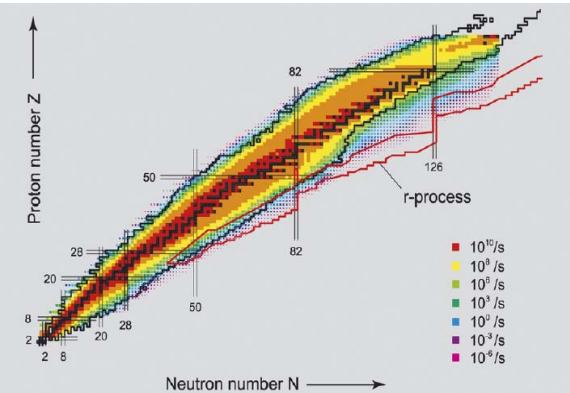


Separation Performance of the Super-FRS

1.1 A GeV ^{238}U on 4 g/cm² C target, two Al degraders d/R=0.3, d/R=0.7

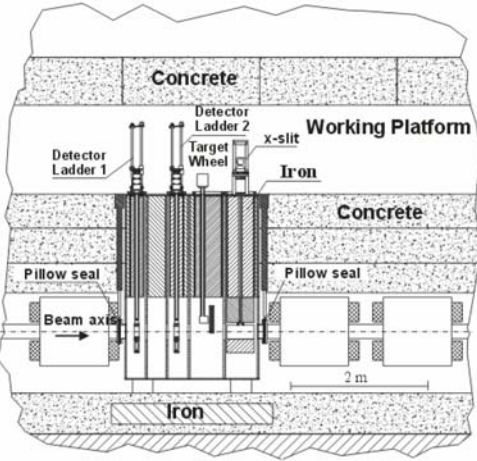
Features of two degrader stages

- Introduction of another separation cut in the A-Z plane
- Reduction of contaminants from fragments produced in the degrader
- Optimization of the fragment rate on detectors in the Main-Separator
- Possible usage of Pre- and Main-Separator for secondary reaction studies



Technical Challenges

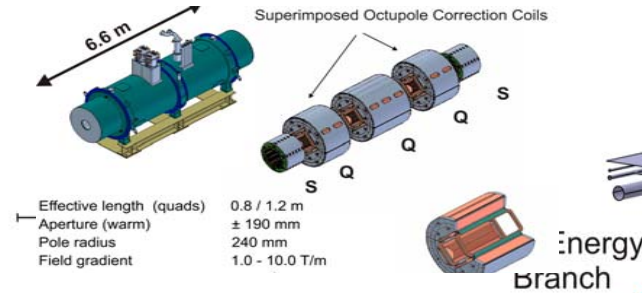
Remote Handling



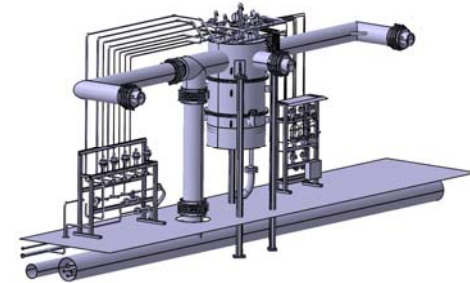
Target & Beam Catcher



SC Multiplets



Cryogenics

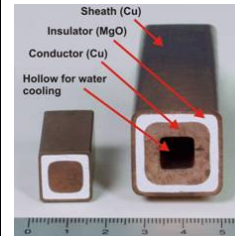
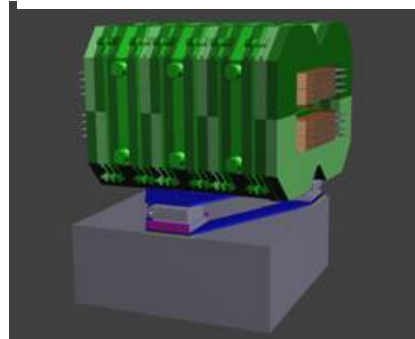


Main-Separator

Hi SC Dipoles

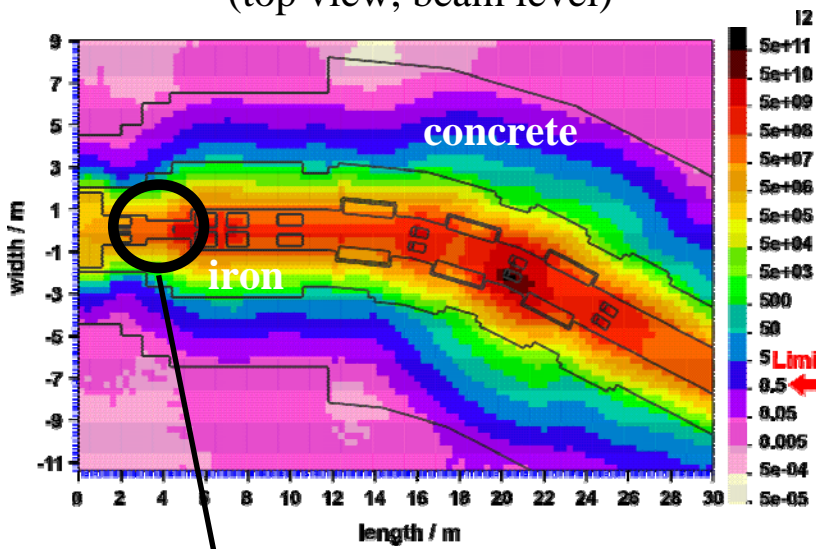


Radiation Reistant Magnets

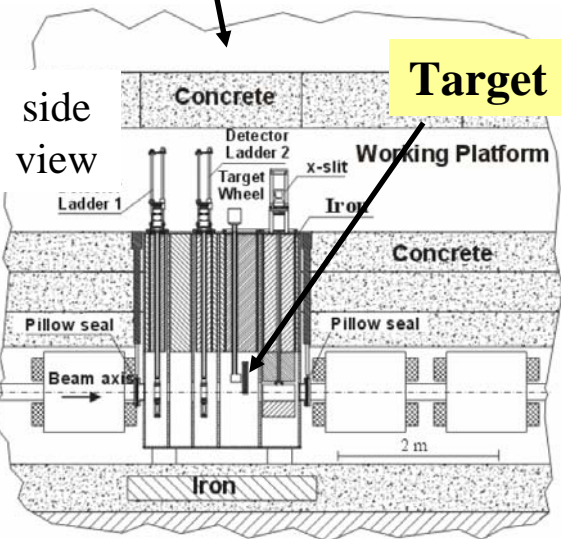
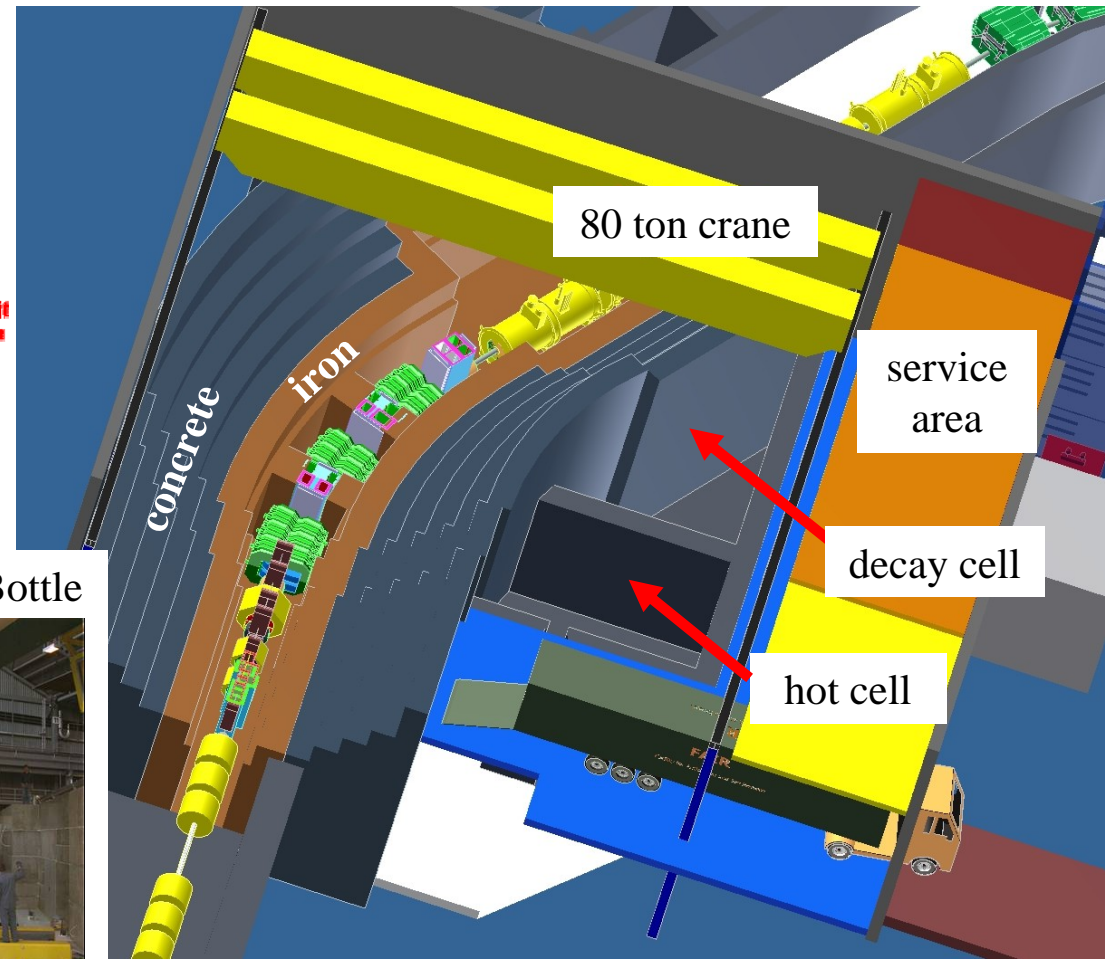


Shielding and Handling Concept in the Target Area (vertical plug system)

Prompt Dose Rates $1.5 \text{ GeV/u } 10^{12} / \text{s } ^{238}\text{U}$
(top view, beam level)



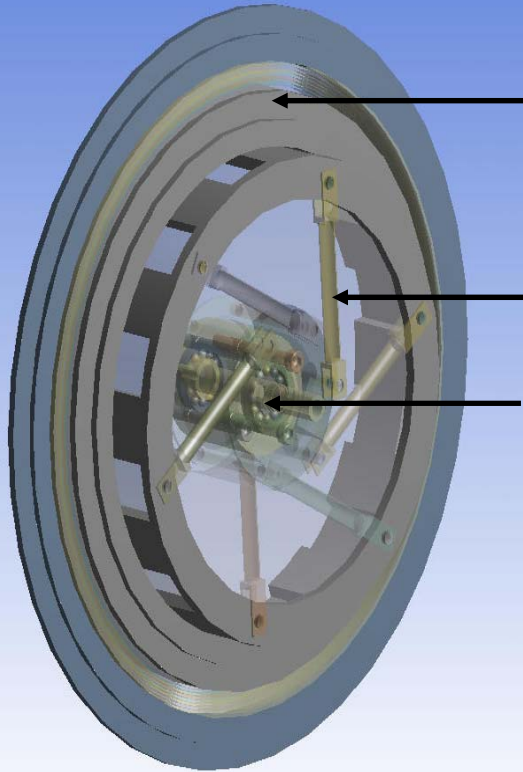
Target building (schematic)



Transport Bottle



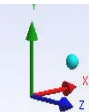
Graphite Wheel Target



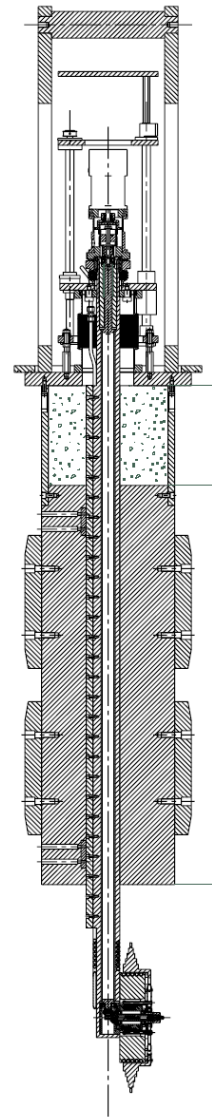
Solid graphite
SGL Carbon R 6400P
5 steps, 1 – 8 g/cm²
each step 16 mm wide

Spokes from INCONEL
600

Si₃N₄ ball bearings
Ag-coated cages
MoS₂ lubrication
T_{limit} = 150°C



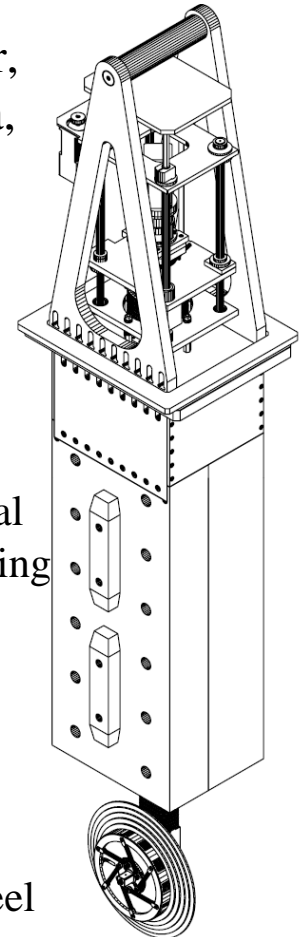
- cooling only by radiation
- R_{out} = 22.5 cm



Motor,
media,
etc.

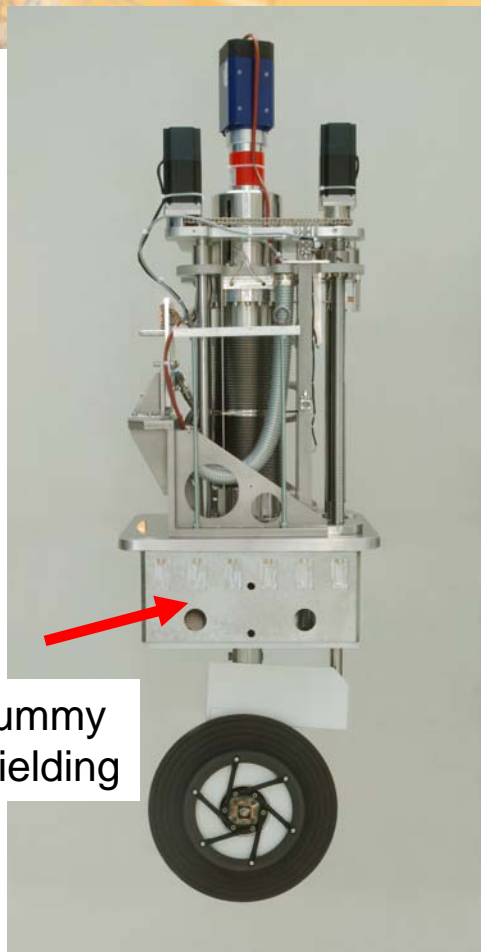
Local
shielding

Wheel
target



Prototype Target

to be used at FRS with SIS18 beams

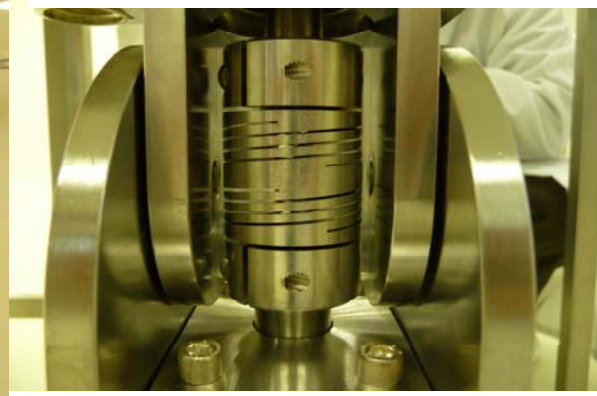


dummy shielding

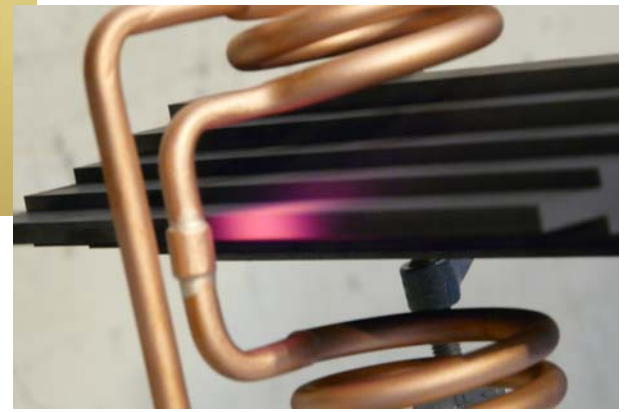
drive test at company



Torsion proof Shaft Coupling



Induction heating

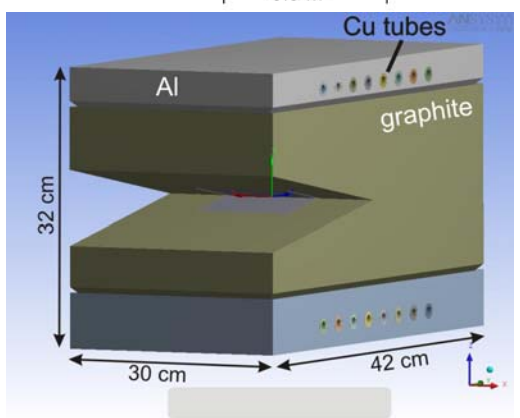
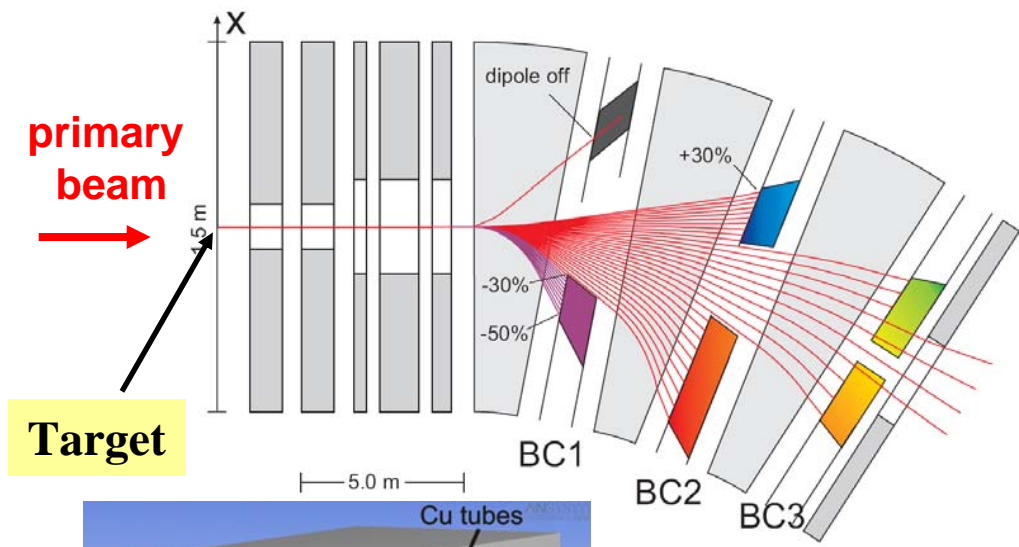


- Prototype target ready
- Off-line tests started
- Preparation of induction heating (20 kW generator)

Beam Catcher

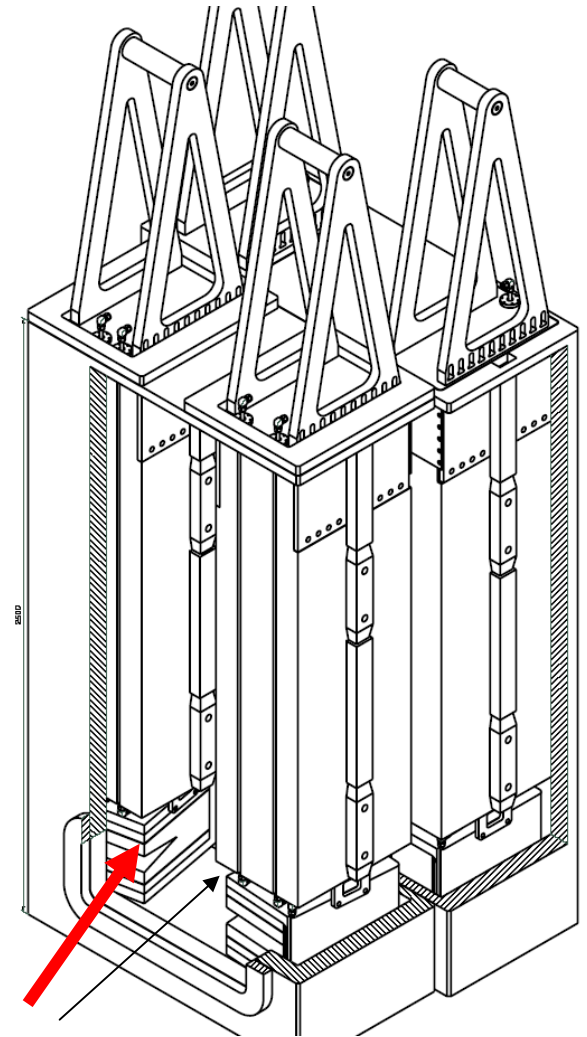
(in Collaboration with VECC Calcutta, India)

The relative difference in magnetic rigidity ($B\rho$) determines where the beam after passing the target is going to be dumped



We need 3x2 beam catcher:

Remote Handling of Beam Catcher



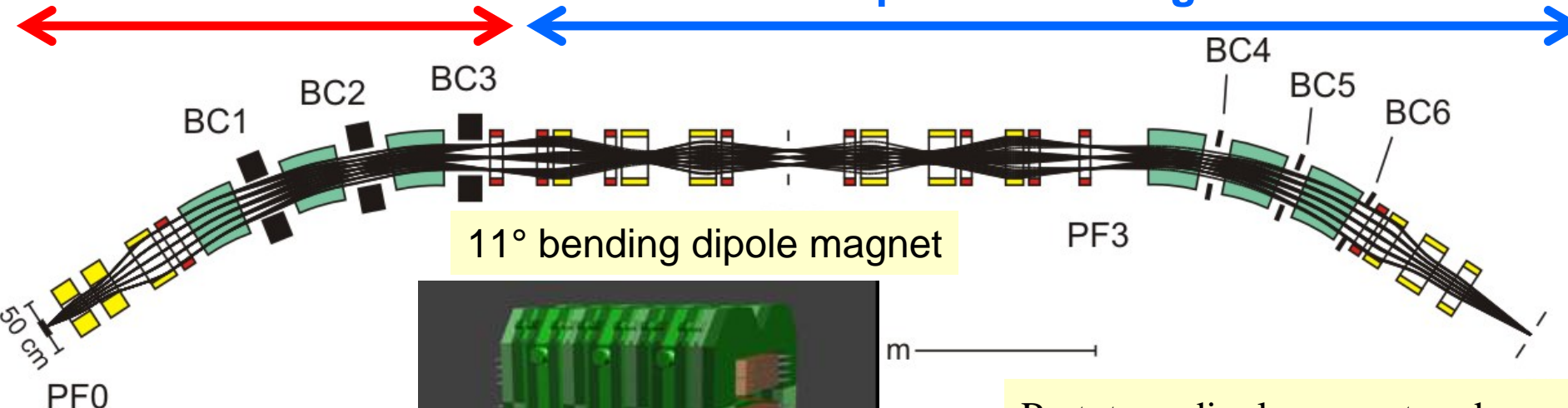
- **Front part: graphite** (20cm+), absorb strong pressure waves, water cool
- **Back part: iron** (60cm) to absorb protons and neutrons.

Layout of the Pre-Separator

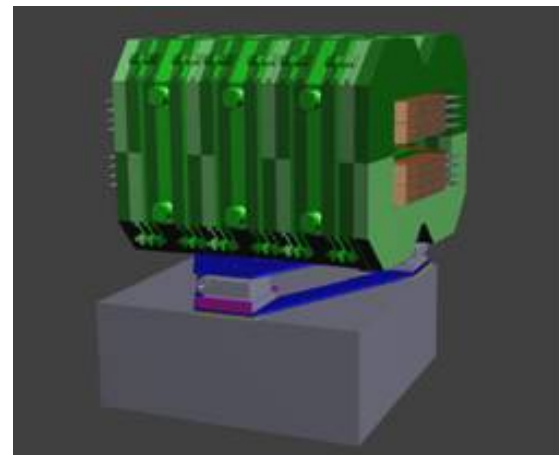
High-radiation level

→ Normal conducting

← Super conducting



11° bending dipole magnet

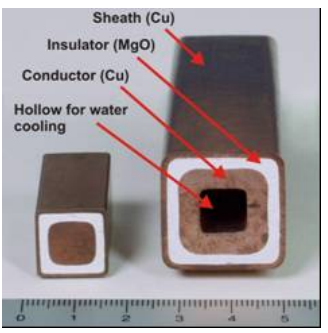


Prototype dipole magnet under construction at **BINP, Russia**



Saarseika, Finland

Mineral Insulated Cable (MIC)

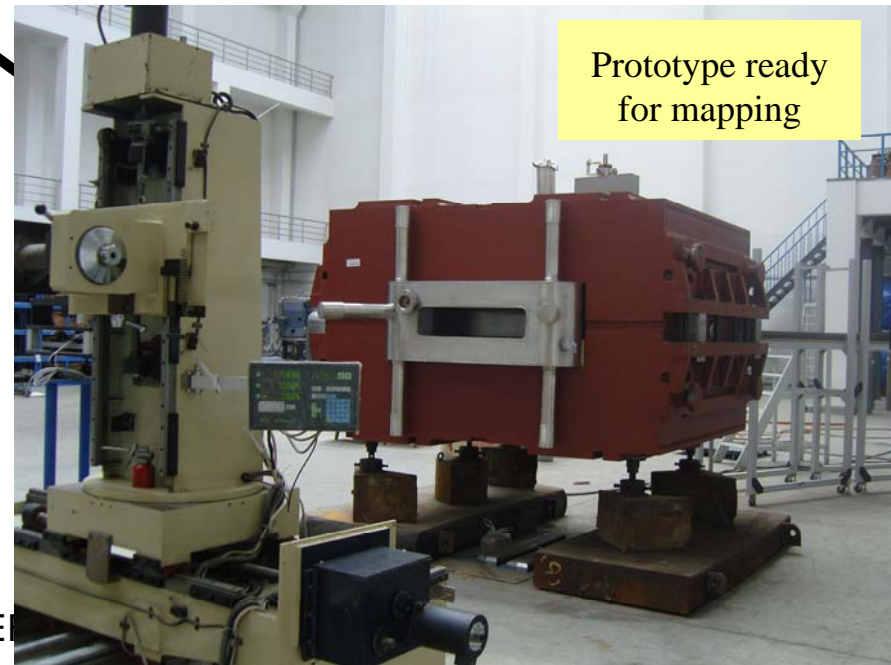
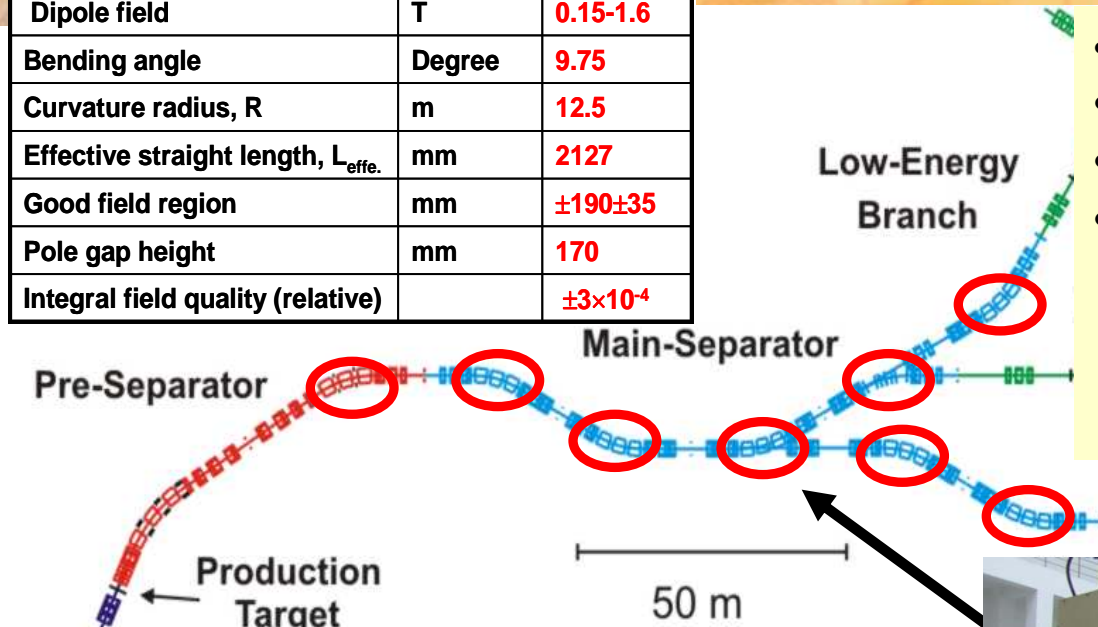


- Pole gap height: 180 mm
- Length / width / height (m): 3.2 / 3.0 / 2.1
- Total weight: 100 t
- Integrated field quality $\pm 3 \cdot 10^{-4}$

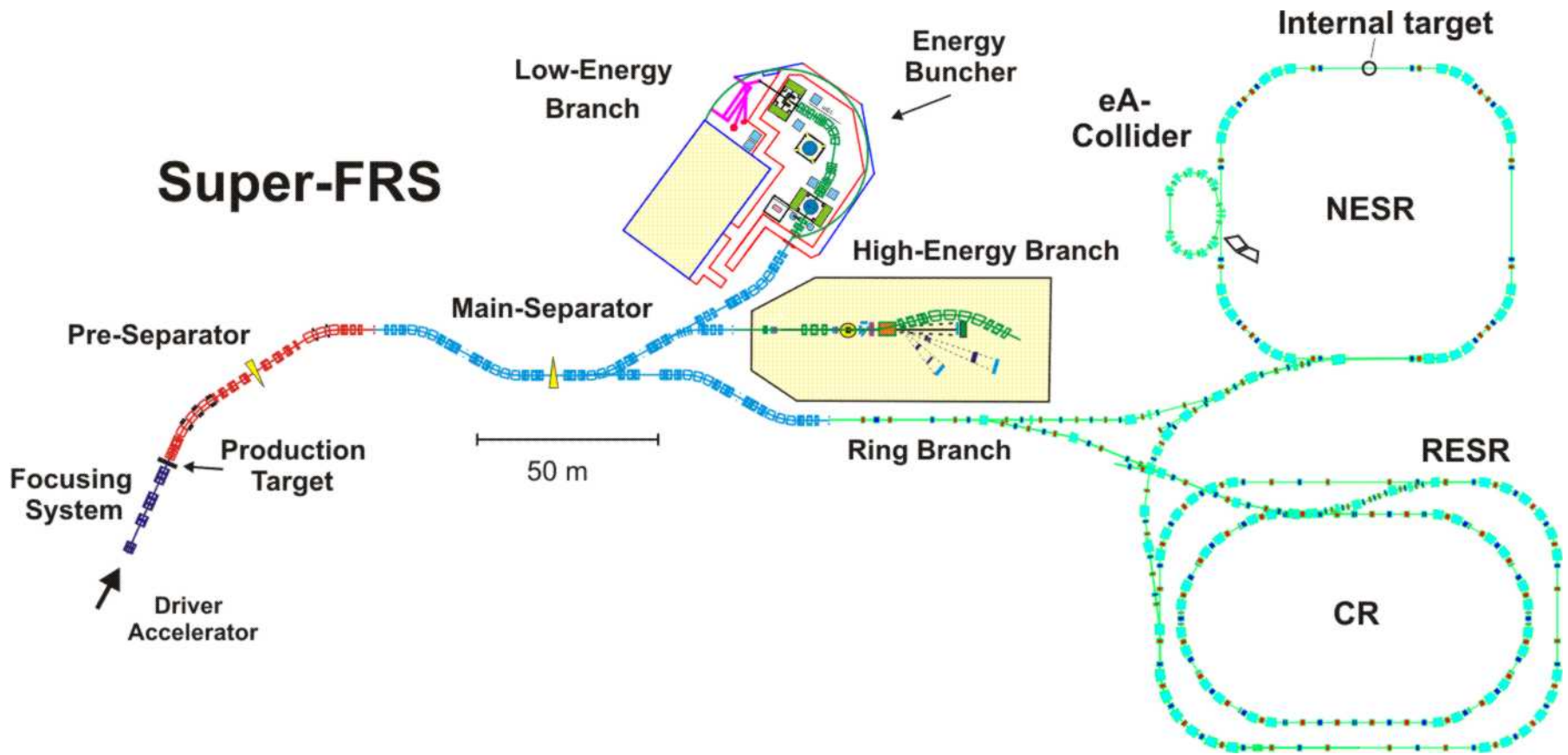
Superferric Dipoles for the Main Separator

Number of main dipoles		21
Dipole field	T	0.15-1.6
Bending angle	Degree	9.75
Curvature radius, R	m	12.5
Effective straight length, L_{eff}	mm	2127
Good field region	mm	$\pm 190 \pm 35$
Pole gap height	mm	170
Integral field quality (relative)		$\pm 3 \times 10^{-4}$

- H-Type, warm bore, warm iron
- Sector shape
- Total weight: ~50 t
- Prototype fabrication by **China FCG IMP Lanzhou**,
Inst. of El. Eng. **Beijing**,
Inst. of Plasma Phys. **Heifei**



The NUSTAR Facility at FAIR (The 3 Branches of the Super-FRS)



NUSTAR = **N**uclear **S**tructure, **A**strophysics and **R**eactions

NUSTAR LOI's (667 authors)

8 approved LOI by NUSTAR-PAC → presented as Technical Proposals in spring 2006

1.) Low Energy Branch (LEB)

High-resolution In-Flight Spectroscopy (HISPEC)/



Decay Spectroscopy with Implanted Ion Beams (DESPEC)



Precision Measurements of very short-lived Nuclei using an
Advanced Trapping System for highly-charged Ions (MATS)



LASER Spectroscopy for the Study of Nuclear Properties (LASPEC)



Neutron Capture Measurements (NCAP)

Antiprotonic Radioactive Nuclides (Exo+pbar)

2.) High Energy Branch (R3B)

A Universal Setup for Kinematical Complete Measurements of
Reactions with Relativistic Radioactive Beams (R3B)



3.) Ring Branch (STORIB)

Study of Isomeric Beams, Lifetimes and Masses (ILIMA)



Exotic Nuclei Studied in Light-Ion Induced Reactions
at the NESR Storage Ring (EXL)



Electron-Ion Scattering in a Storage Ring (e-A Collider) (ELISE)



Antiproton-Ion Collider: A Tool for the Measurement of Neutron and
Proton rms radii of Stable and Radioactive Nuclei (AIC)

Summary

- Super-FRS based on experiences with FRS
 - Large-acceptance device using large-aperture SC magnets
 - Two separator stages, multi-branch system
 - R&D for major components as well as civil construction under progress
 - Super-FRS as part of FAIR
- Construction together with FAIR member states



Thank You !

