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**Efficient Production of
Intensive Beams of
Rare Isotopes**

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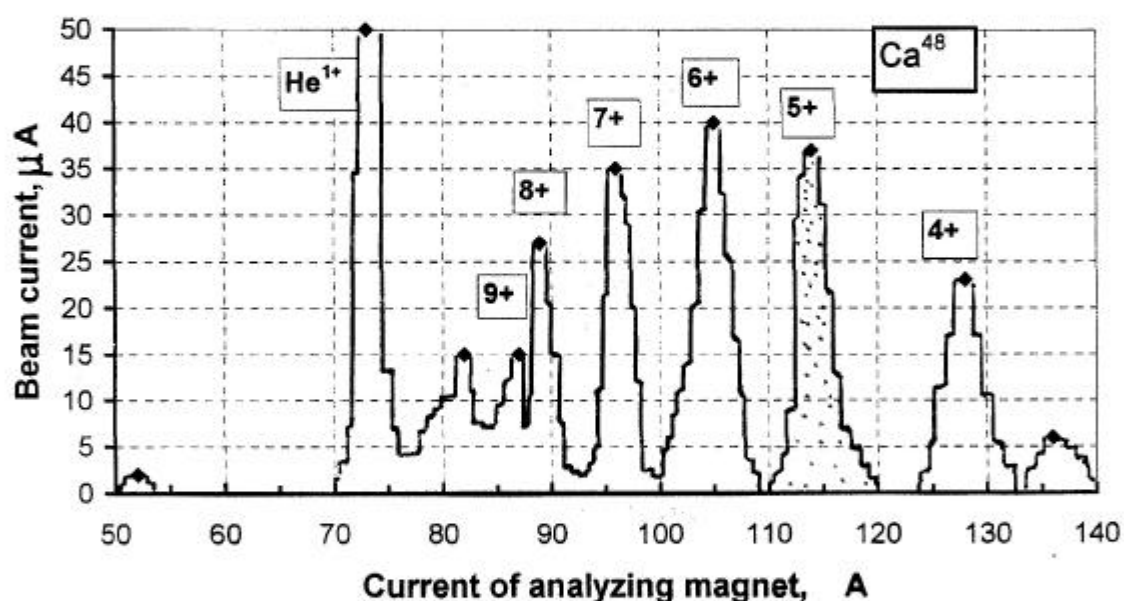
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Production of solid ion beams with the ECR4M

A new method using a combination of a microoven with a hot tantalum sheet inside the discharge chamber was used at the ECR4M for the production of intense beams of metallic ions with a relatively low melting point such as Mg and Ca.

After the first experiments using CaO+Al as working substance, metallic calcium was used to provide intense ion beams of ^{48}Ca . To ensure optimal consumption of ^{48}Ca during long experiments the intensity of the $^{48}\text{Ca}^{5+}$ beam from the ECR4M was set at a level of 30-50 μAe .

Spectrum of ^{48}Ca from ECR4M optimized for $^{48}\text{Ca}^{5+}$.



- The oven and screen temperature of about 400°C was supplied.
- The efficiency of $^{48}\text{Ca}^{5+}$ production was about 4% of consumed substance.
- The average consumption of metallic calcium without collection and regeneration can be evaluated as 0.4 mg per hour.

U400

48Ca beam from ion source to target
($U_{inj} = 15 \text{ kv}$)

Beams

From ion source	28 μA (48Ca 5+)
In cyclotron center	4 μA (14%)
Accelerated	3,2 μA (80%)
Extracted beam	1,34 μA (40% stripping)
On the target	1,14 μA (85%)

$$\epsilon_{\Sigma} = 4 \%$$

**48Ca beams from ECR4M (14,5 GHz)
with hot chamber screen
(FLNR U400)**

Q	1 ⁺	2 ⁺	3 ⁺	4 ⁺	5 ⁺	6 ⁺	7 ⁺	8 ⁺	9 ⁺	
I _{µA}	5	20	26	27	27	17	9	5	1	Σ140

$$I_{\Sigma} = 8,2 \cdot 10^{14} \text{ pps}$$

Matter consumption – 0,8 mg/hour

Utilization – 0,16 mg/hour (20%)

48Ca consumption (60% in matter)

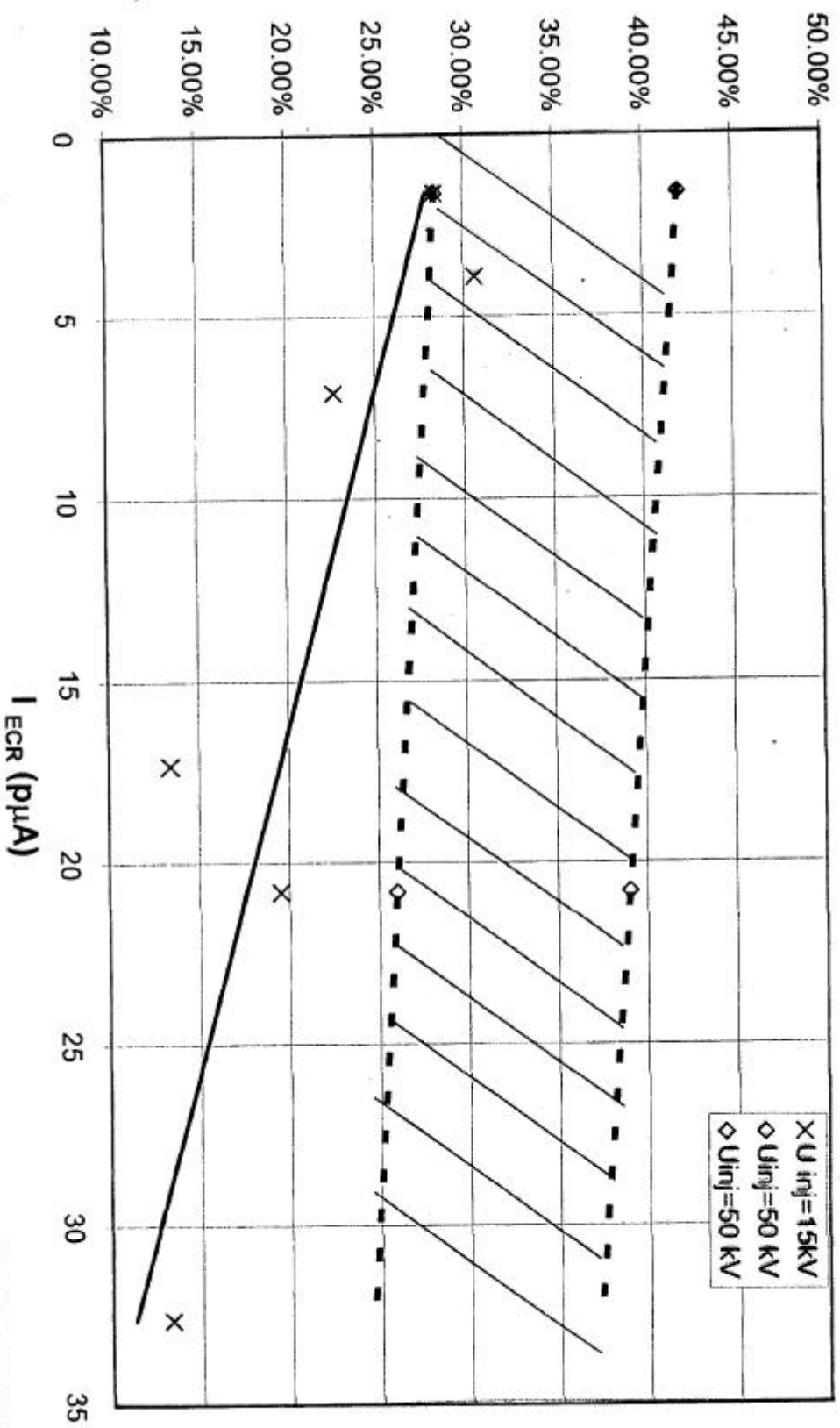
$$\frac{dN}{dt} \cdot (48\text{Ca}) = 12 \cdot 10^{14} \text{ pps } (0,4 \text{ mg/hour})$$

Efficiency $\varepsilon_{0-n} \approx 65\%$

Efficiency $\varepsilon_{0-5+} = 10\%$

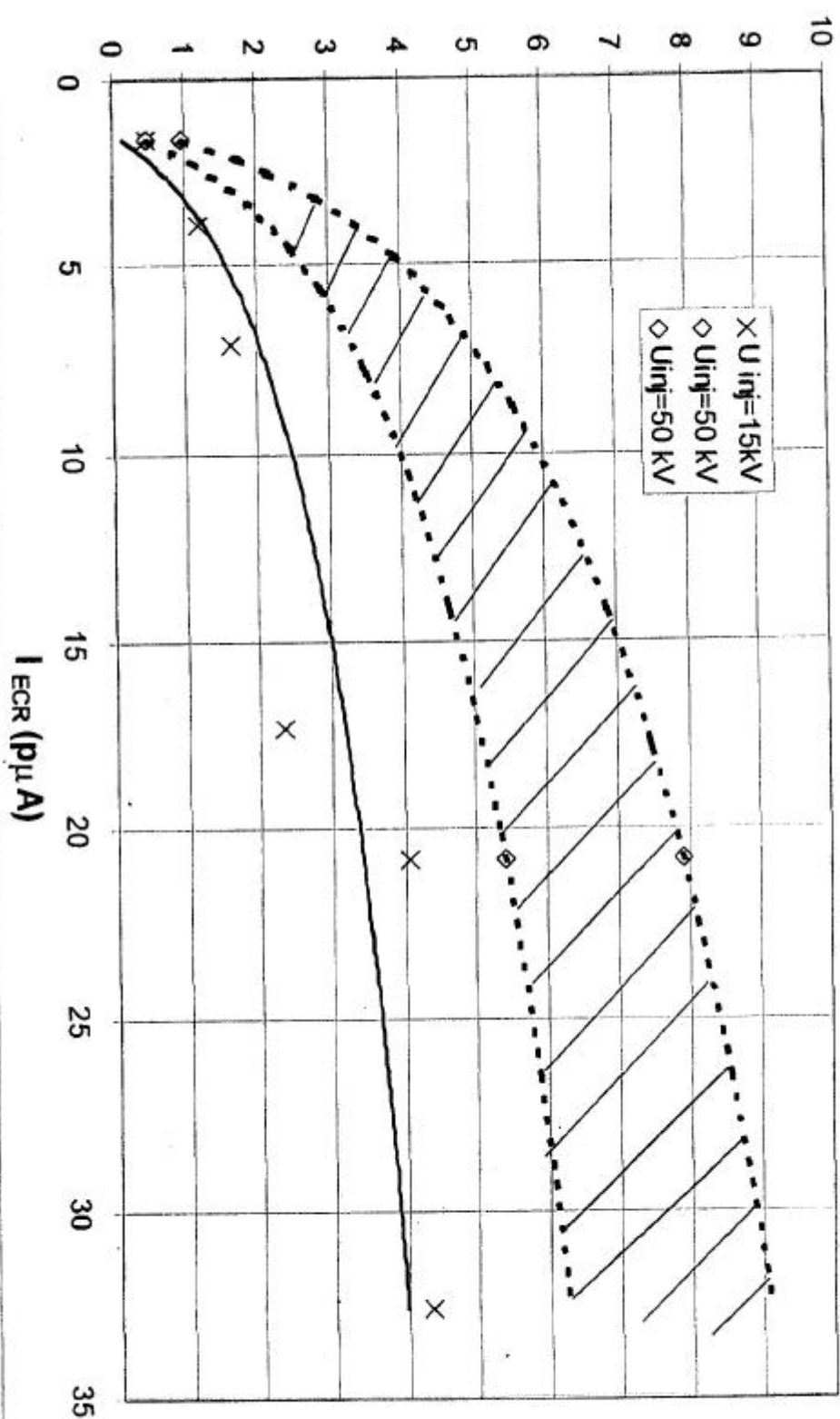
$I_{\text{accept}} / I_{\text{ECR}}$

Capture efficiency of $^{48}\text{Ca}^{5+}$ at U400 => U400R
at 15 kV injection voltage (present time) and 50 kV (in the future)



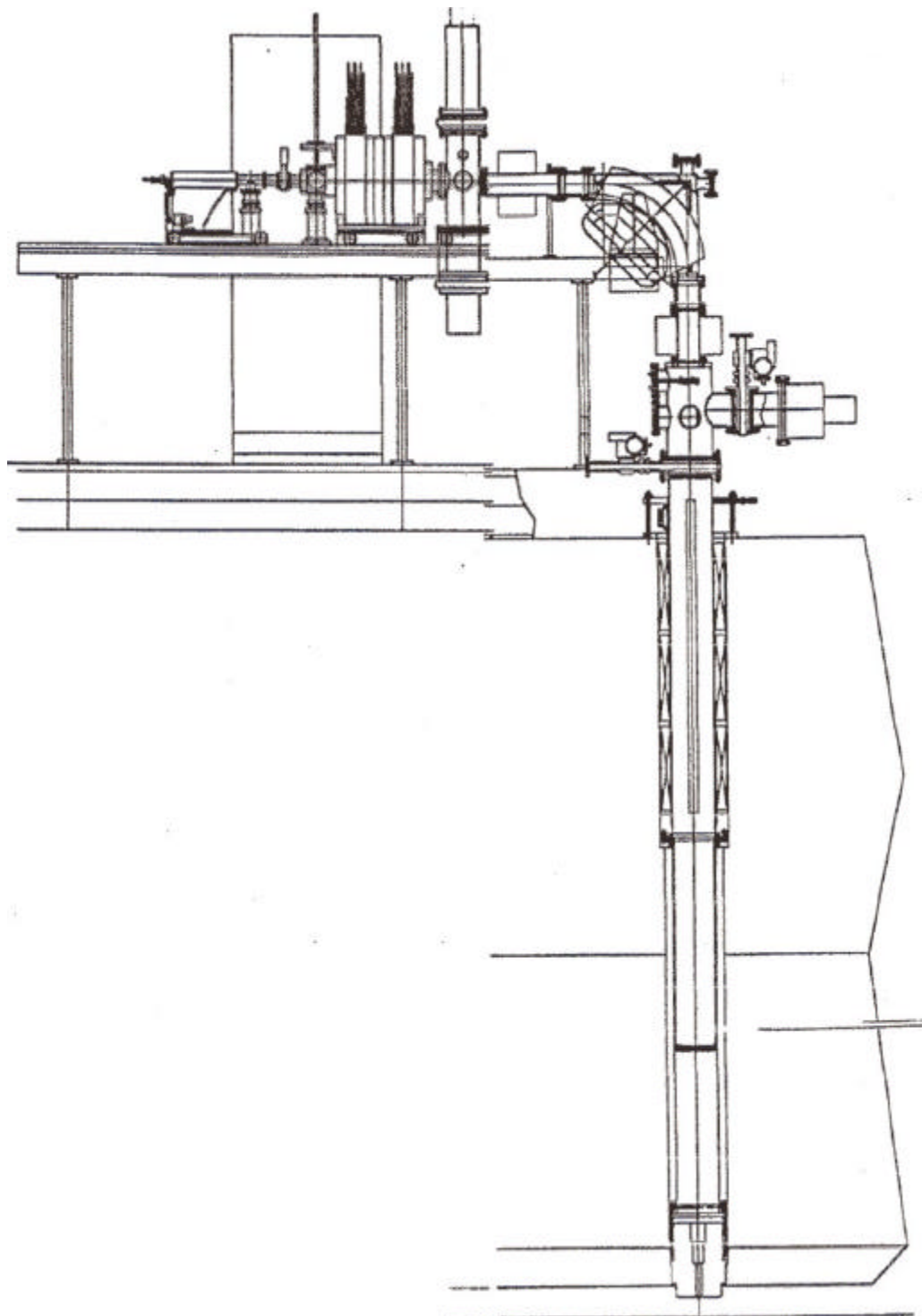
I_{accel} (pA)

Currents of $^{48}\text{Ca}^{5+}$ ions at U400 => U400R
at 15 kV injection voltage (present time) and 50 kV (in the future)

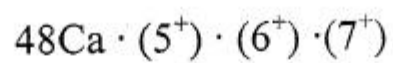


U400R

1. Increasing ^{48}Ca beam intensity on the target up to 4 μA .
2. Variation of the ion energy on the target with factor up to 5
3. Ion energy spread on the target $\frac{\Delta E}{E} \approx 10^{-3}$
4. Beam emittance on the target up to $10\pi \text{ mm} \cdot \text{mrad}$.

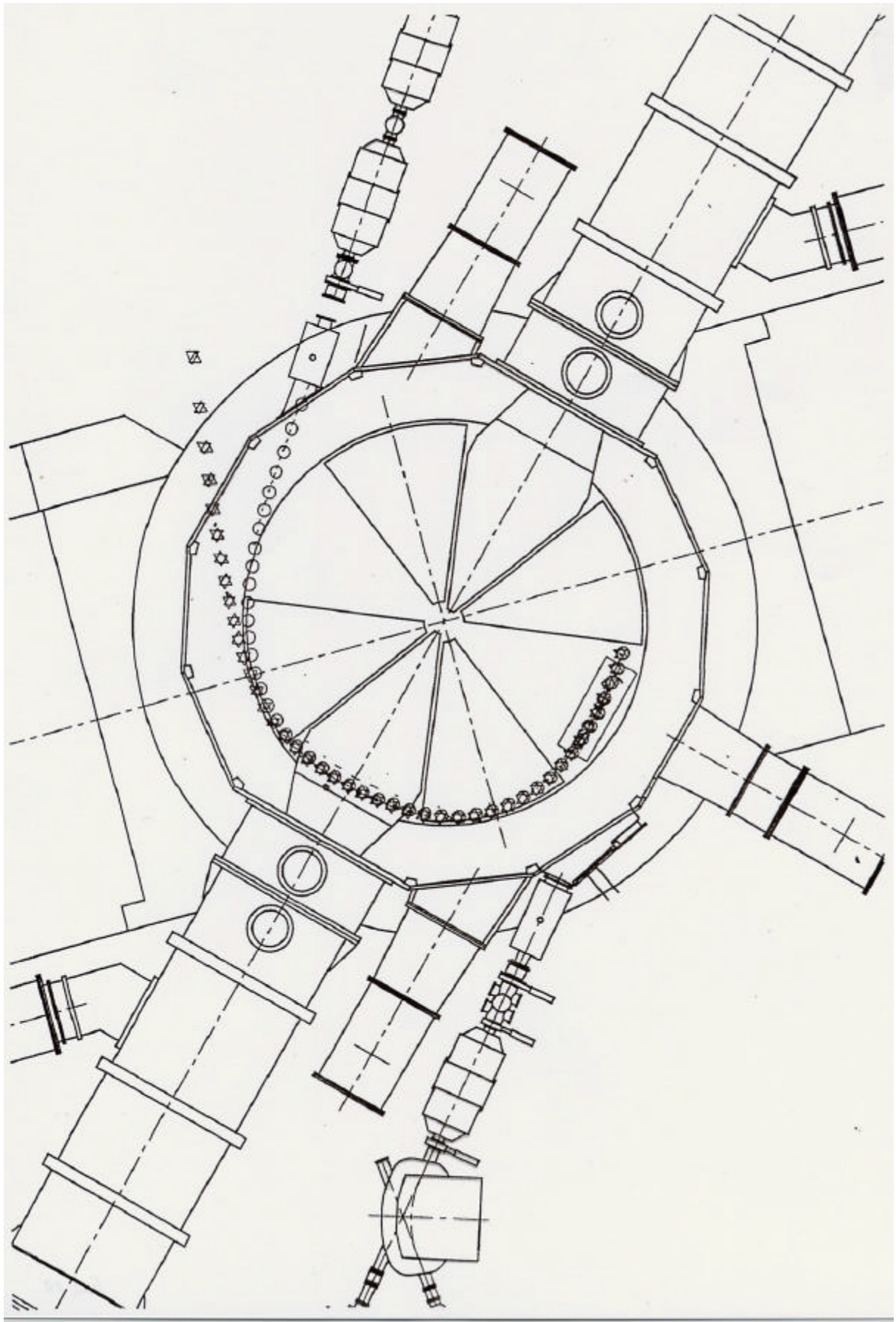


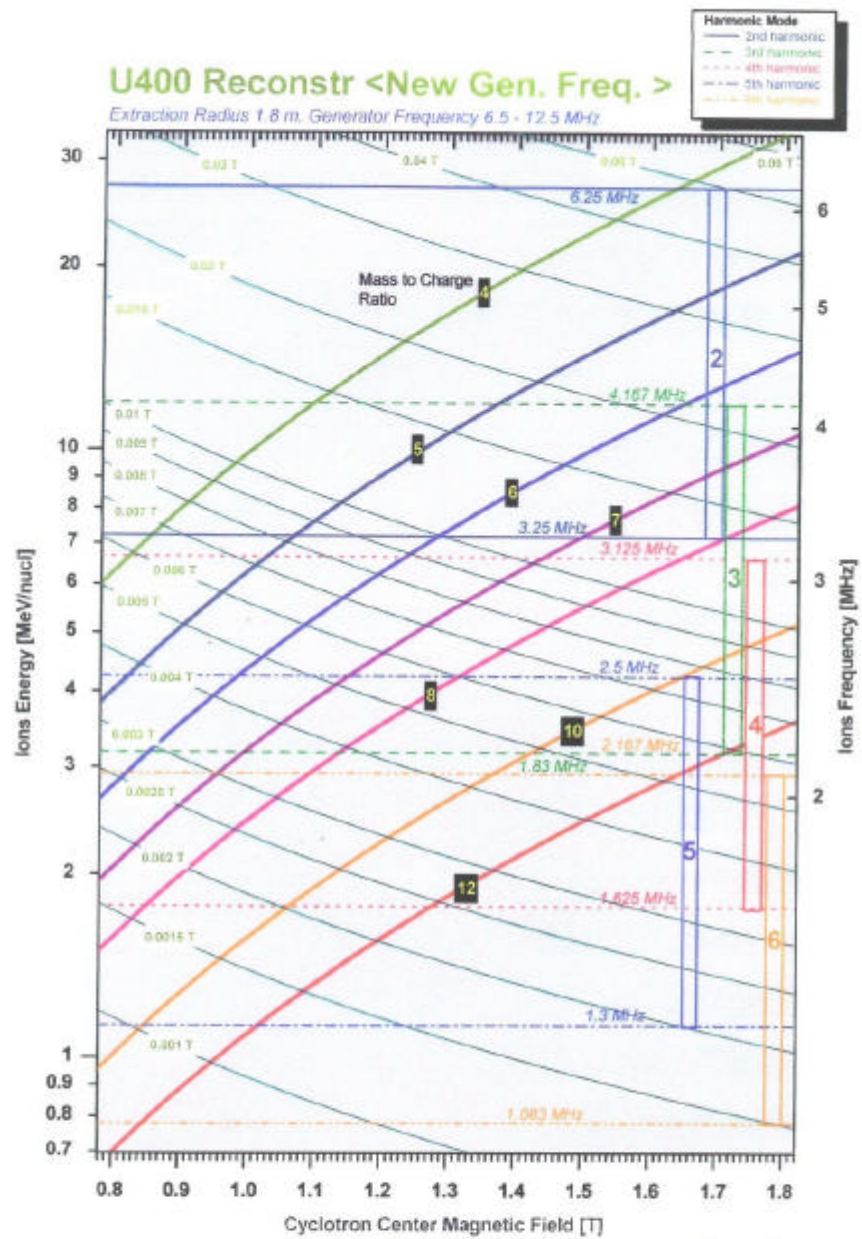
U400R



$$E = 200 \div 300 \text{ mev}$$

$I_{\text{ECR}} \mu\text{a}$	4	8	12	16	20	24	28
$I_{\text{Accel}(15\text{kv})} \mu\text{a}$	1.0	2.0	2.8	3.2	3.4	3.8	3.9
$I_{\text{Accel}(50\text{kv})} \mu\text{a}$	1.5	3.0	4.5	6.0	7.5	8.5	9,6
$\frac{dm}{dt} \text{ mg/hour}$	0.07	0.14	0.21	0.28	0.35	0.43	0.5
$I_{\text{TARGET}} \mu\text{a}$	0.63	1.3	2.0	2.5	3.0	3.5	4.0





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**Expected ion beam intensities from DECRIS-SC
for the IC100 cyclotron
($A/Z \approx 5.5 \div 6$)**

Ион	A	Z	$I_{\text{ECR}} (\text{e}\mu\text{A})$	$I_{\text{ECR}} (\text{p}\mu\text{A})$
Li	6	1+	>200	>200
B	11	2+	>200	>100
C	12	2+	>200	>100
Ne	22	4+	>300	>75
Mg	24	4+	>300	>75
Si	28	5+	>300	>60
S	34	6+	>100	>15
Ar	40	7+	>300	>40
Ca	40	7+	>200	>30
Ti	48	8+	>100	>12
V	51	9+	100	11
Cr	52	9+	100	11
Mn	55	10+	100	10
Fe	56	10+	100	10
Co	59	10+	100	10
Ni	58	10+	80	8
Cu	63	11+	50	4.5
Zn	64	11+	100	9
Kr	84	14+	120	8.5
Kr	84	15+	100	6.5
Zr	90	16+	10	0.6
Mo	98	17+	10	0.5
Sn	118	20+	20	1
Ne	129	22+	110	5
Ne	129	23+	80	3.5
Ne	132	24+	60	2.5
Ta	181	31+	1	0.03
Hg	202	34+	5	0.15
Pb	208	35+	5	0.14
U	238	40+	>1	>0.025

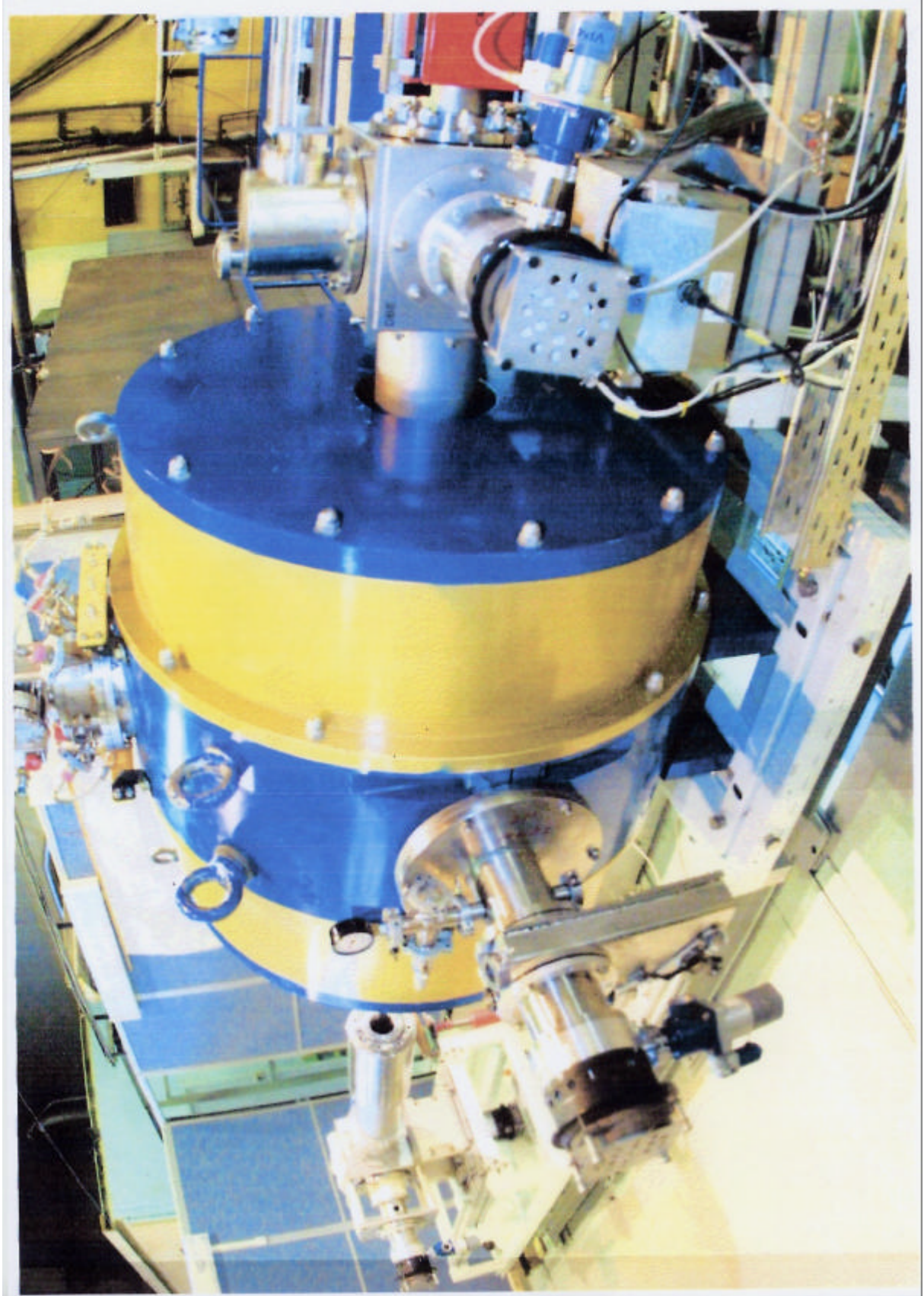
Using of the ordinary gas supply system

Existing micro oven

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Design of the special techniques is required (micro oven up to 1900 °C, plasma sputtering, chemical compounds et al.)

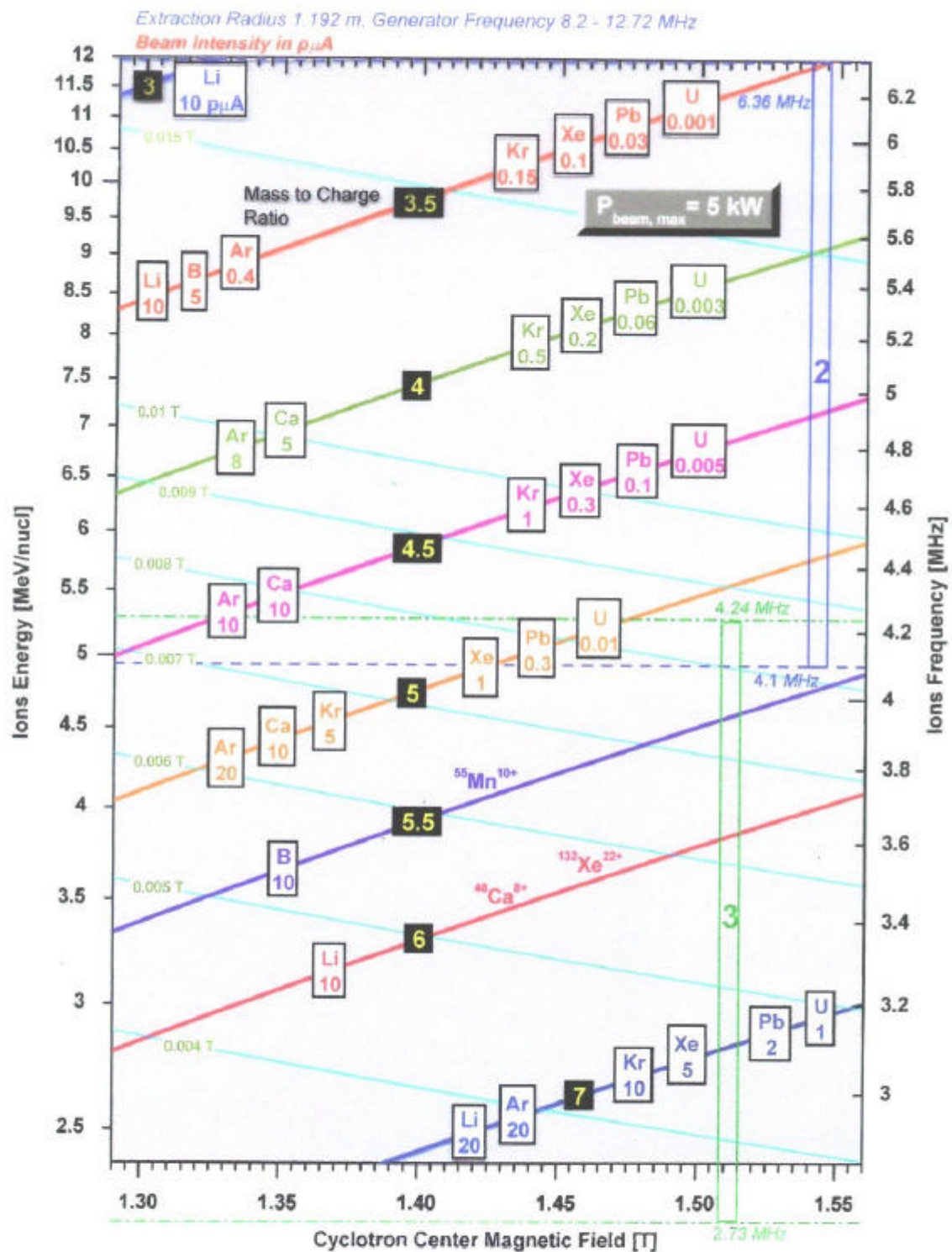
(For all isotopes the enrichment about of 100% was assumed)



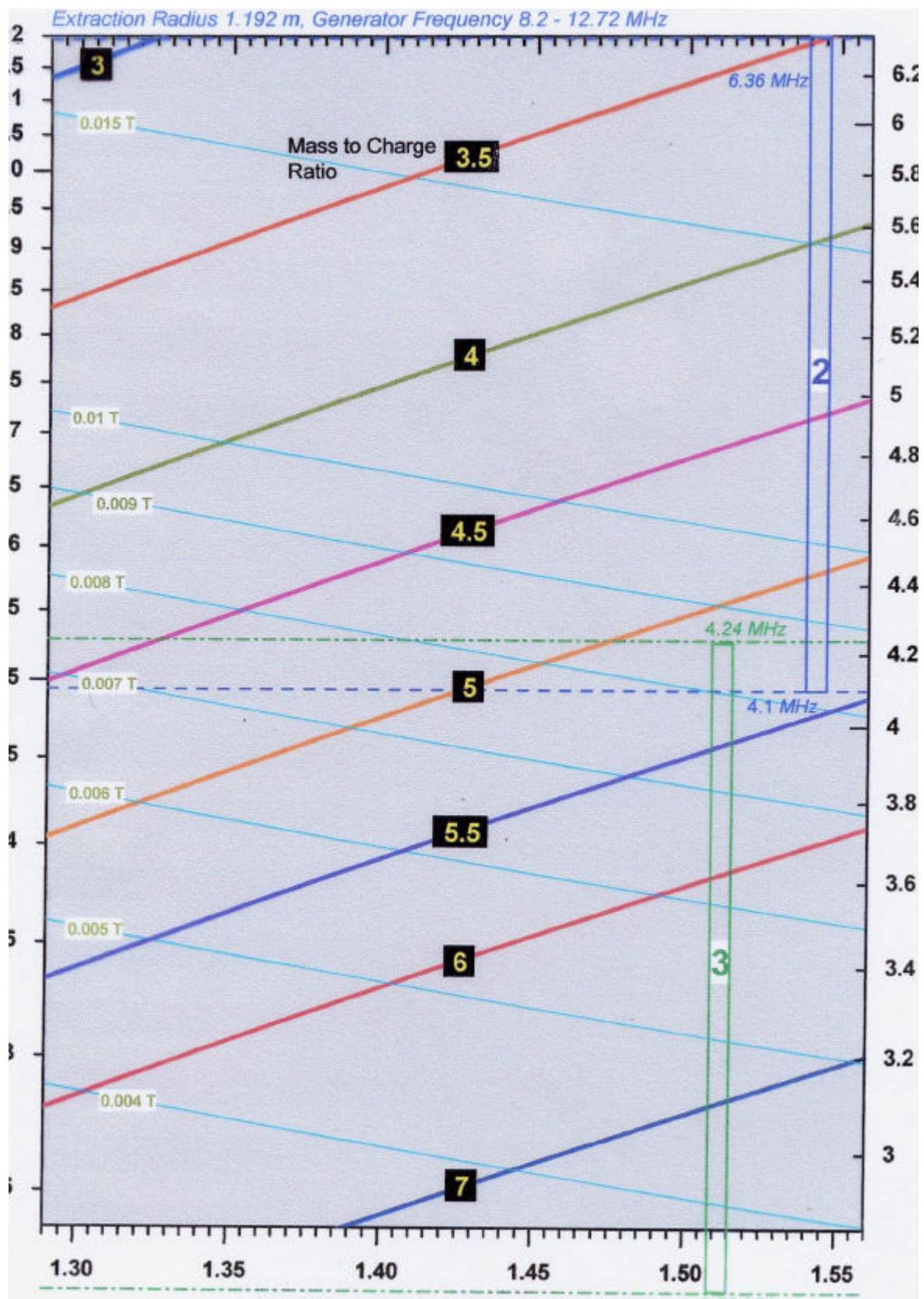
C160

Cost estimation

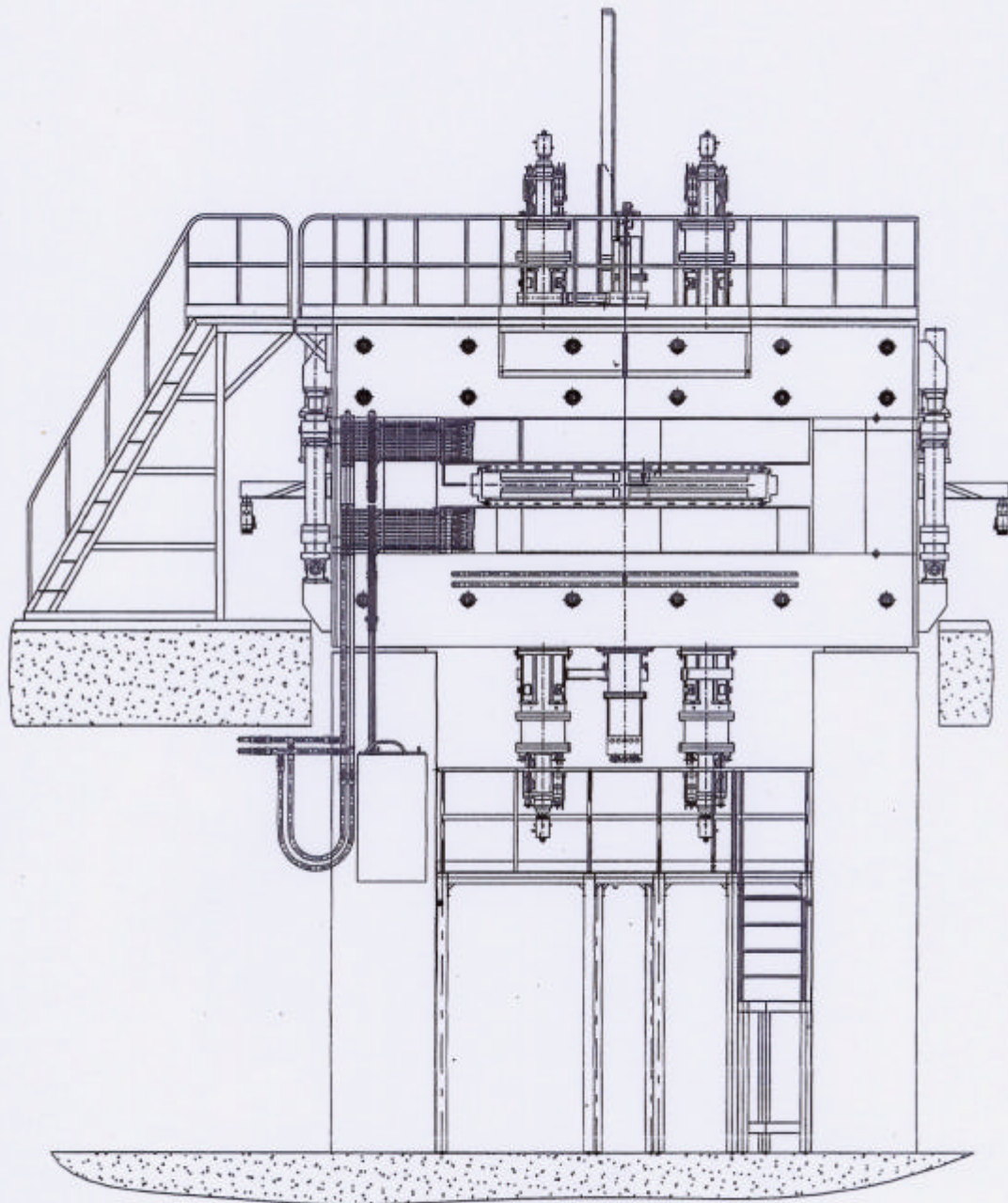
Main magnet	1,2 M\$
Vacuum chamber	0,2 M\$
RF generator	0,3 M\$
RF system	0,5 M\$
Vacuum system	0,5 M\$
Diagnostics	0,15 M\$
Trim coils	0,25 M\$
Axial injection	0,25 M\$
Magnets power supply	0,15 M\$
Control system	0,6 M\$
Ion source	0,5 M\$
Beam extraction system	0,05 M\$
High voltage power supply	0,05 M\$
Simulation design	0,5 M\$
Installation	0,5 M\$
Σ	5,7 M\$



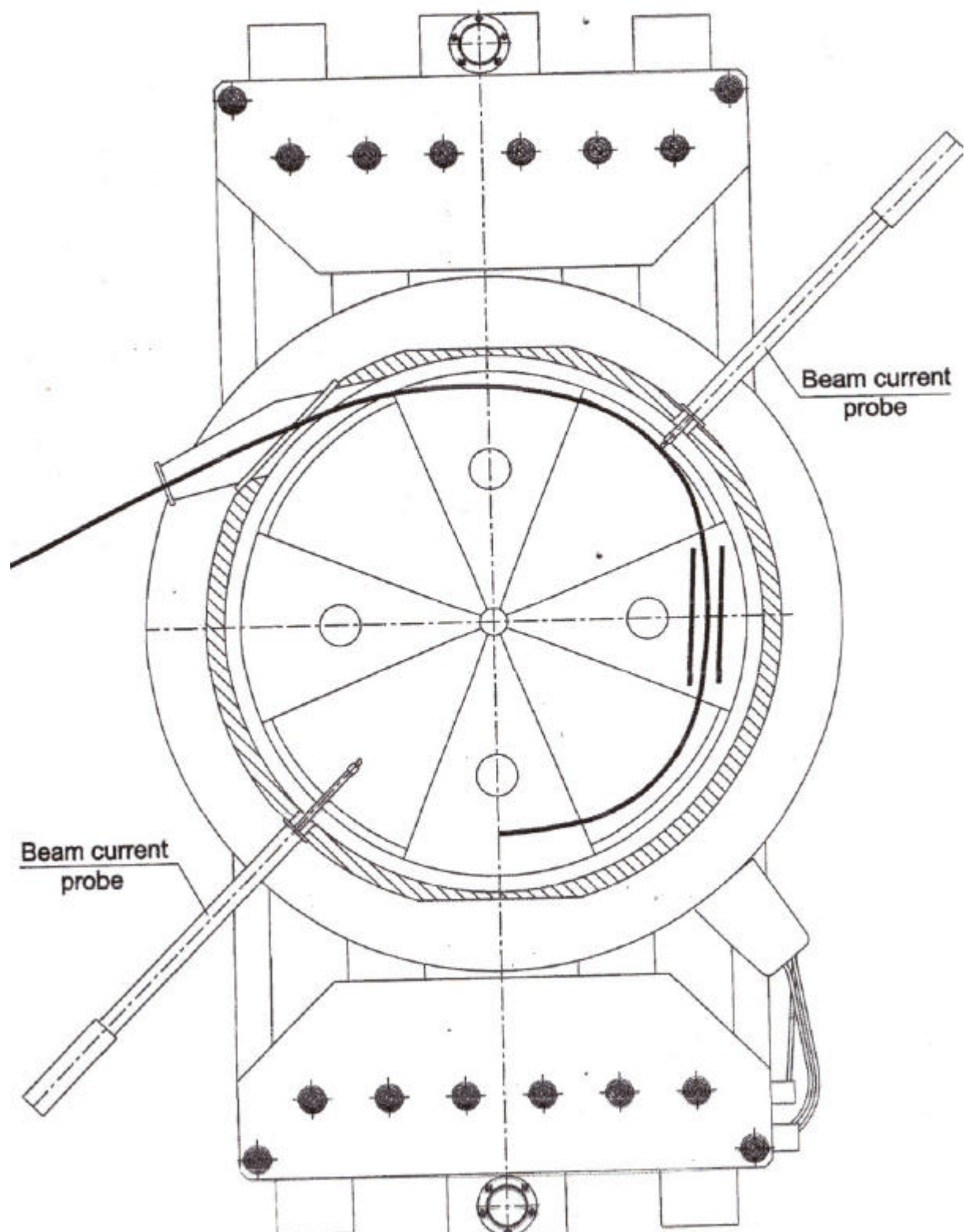
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C-160 cyclotron



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Extraction

Type of extraction	By electrostatic deflector
Radial position	1180 mm
Length of deflector	880 mm
Gap of deflector	1 cm
Maximum voltage on deflector	100 kv/cm
Focusing in fringing field	By passive iron channel

Ion source + injector

Ion source	ECR 28 GHz
Injector length	5 m
Level of pressure	10^{-5} pa
Injection potential	>30 kv

Power consumption

Ion source + axial injection	0,2 Mw
Magnet + trim	0,08 Mw
RF	0,08 Mw
Vacuum	0,02 Mw
Σ	0,38 Mw

Cyclotron C160

Magnet

Average magnetic field	1,3 T – 1,55 T
Pole diameter	2,7 m
Number of sectors	4
Magnet weight	330 ton
Copper weight	8 ton
Power consumption	80 kw

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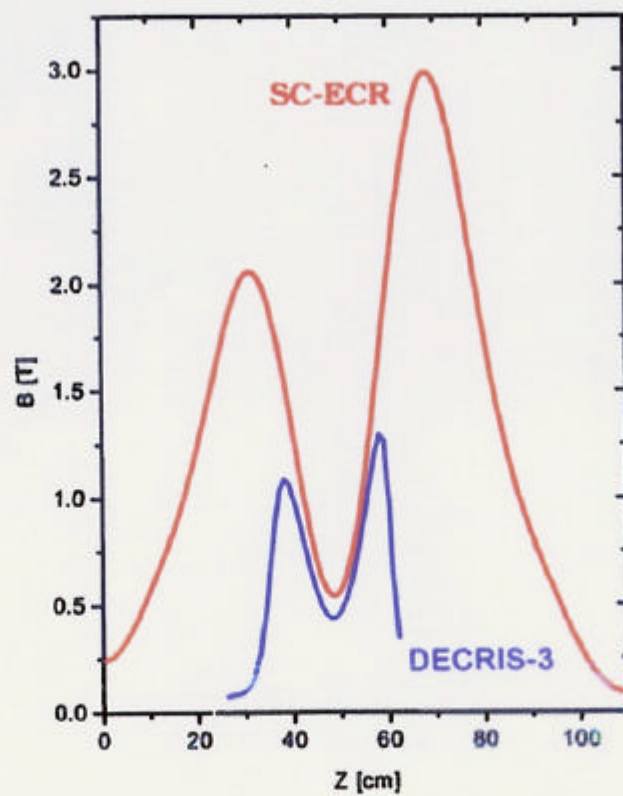
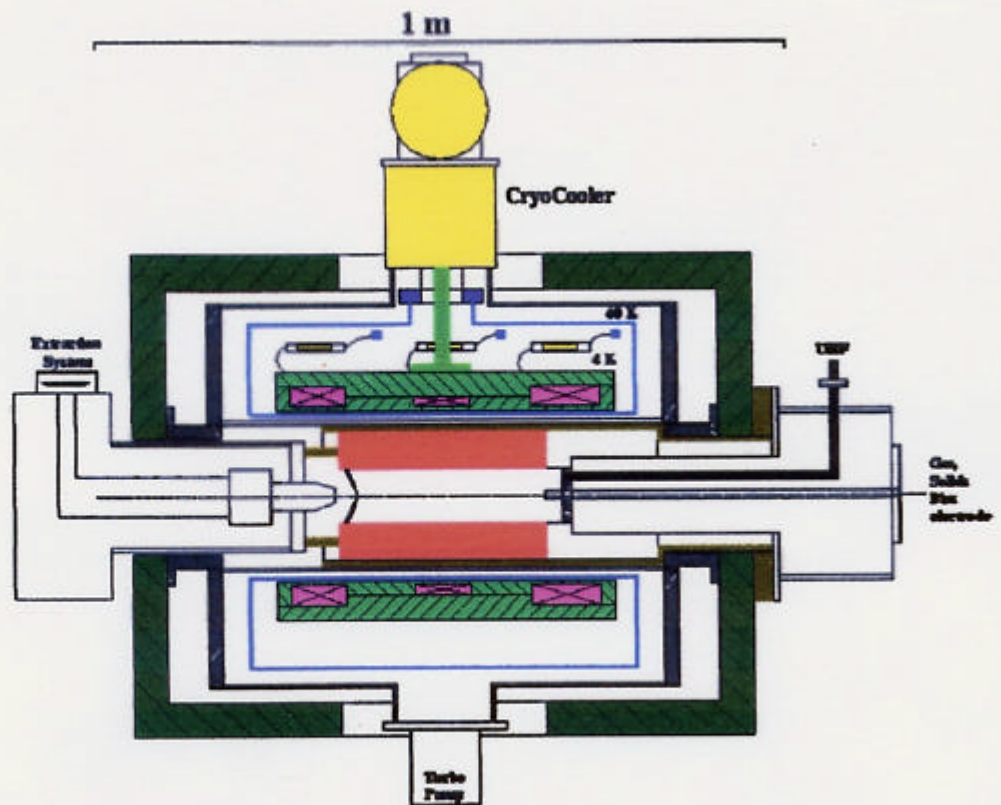
Frequency range	8,1 ÷ 12,4 MHz
Harmonic number	2,3
Number of dees	2
Angle of dee	40°
Dee voltage	60 kv
RF structure	2 x $\lambda/4$
RF power consumption	2 x 20 kw
Electricity power consumption	80 kw

Vacuum system

Pressure	10^{-5} Pa
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Main pumping x 2 x 5000 L/cek cryogenic pump

Support pumping x 2 x 500 L/cek TMP



Generation on U400M and acceleration
on U400 6He $t_{1/2}=800$ msec

Process	Time, sec		Efficiency	
	Project	Test	Project	Test
Σ_1 -diffusion from carbon catcher (1 μ)	50×10^{-3}	50×10^{-3}	1	1
Σ_2 -transport to ion source (1m x Ø 0,1m)	20×10^{-3}	20×10^{-3}	1	1
Σ_3 -ionization 1+ and separation	1×10^{-3}	$(50 \div 130) \times 10^{-3}$	0,5	0,1
Σ_4 -transport 6He 1+	2×10^{-4}	2×10^{-4}	0,8	0,23
Σ_5 -acceleration capture	0	0	0,5	0,4
Σ_6 -acceleration	50×10^{-6}	50×10^{-6}	1	0,8
Σ_Σ	70×10^{-3}	$(120 \div 200) \times 10^{-3}$	15×10^{-2}	$0,736 \times 10^{-1}$

$$\frac{\sum \Sigma_{project}}{\sum \Sigma_{test}} = 20$$

Low Energy RIB Transport Lines from U-400M and MT-25 to the U400

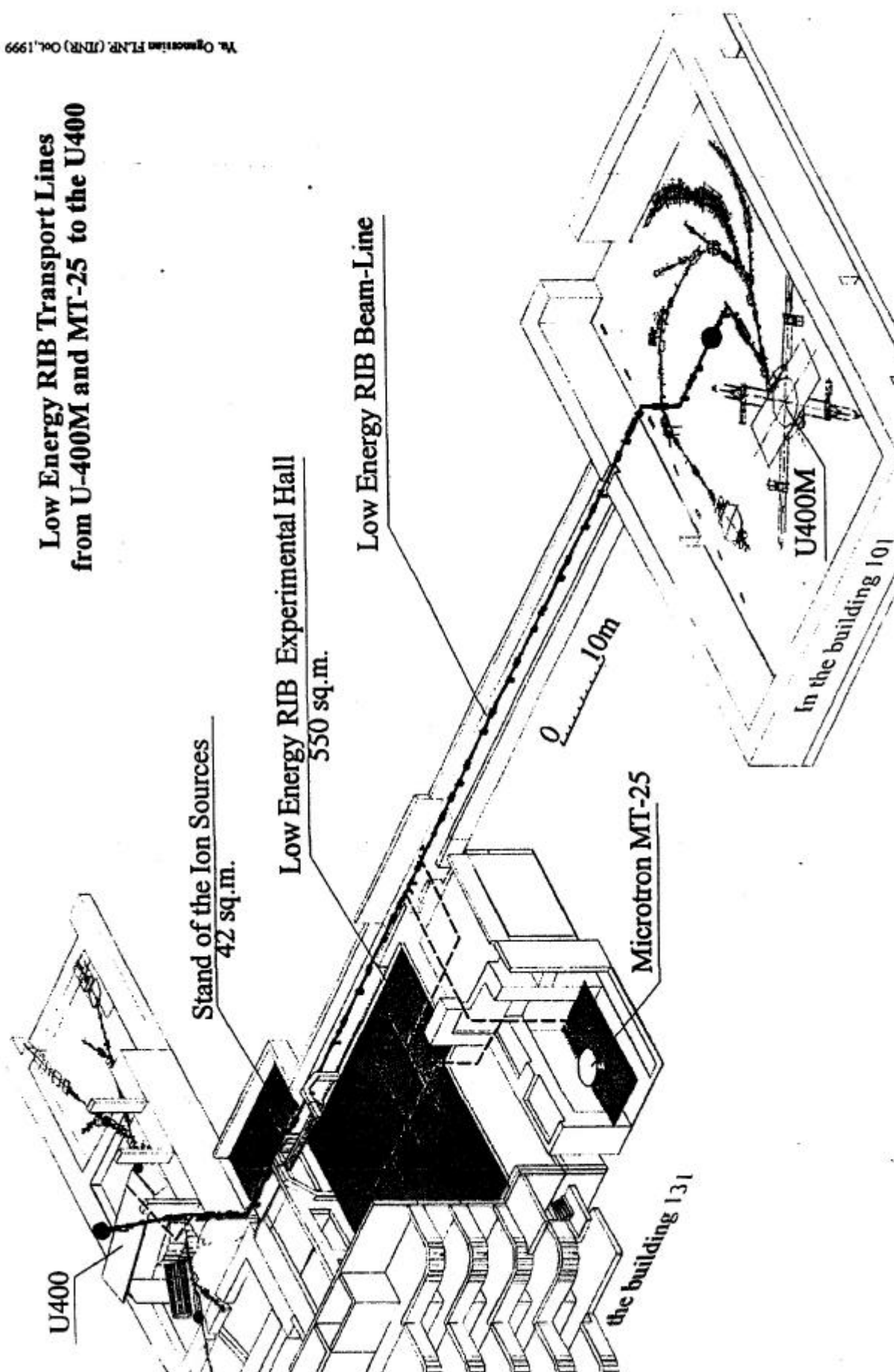
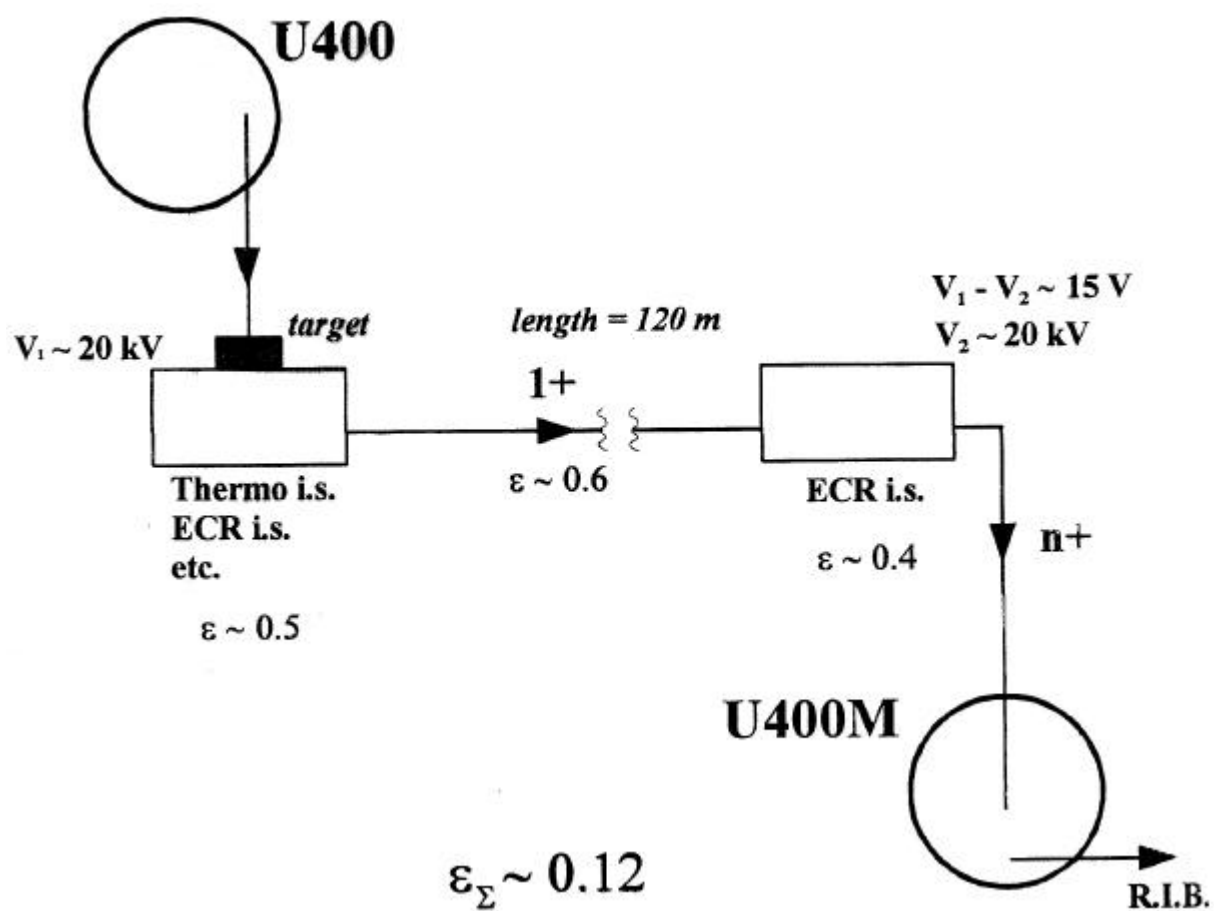
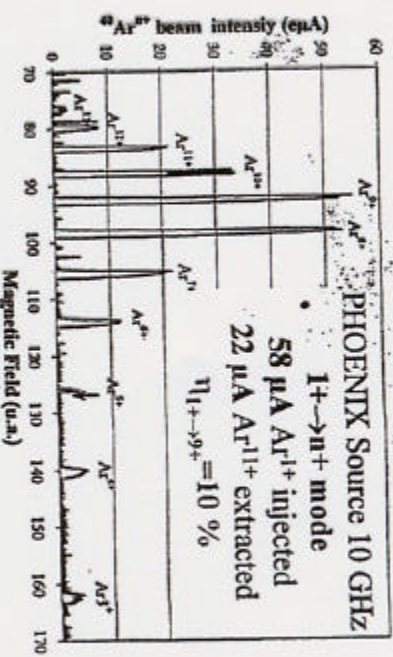
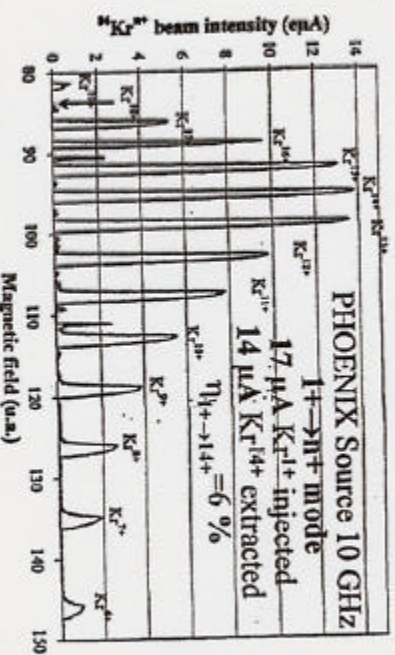


Table: Beams of the U-400M cyclotron.

Ion	E, MeV/n	I, ECR	I, extracted	I, extracted
${}^7\text{Li}^{2+}$	35	100 μA	30 μA	$6 \cdot 10^{13}$ pps
${}^{11}\text{B}^{3+}$	32	90 μA	30 μA	$4 \cdot 10^{13}$ pps
${}^{12}\text{C}^{4+}$	47	100 μA	35 μA	$4 \cdot 10^{13}$ pps
${}^{14}\text{N}^{4+}$	35	100 μA	35 μA	$3 \cdot 10^{13}$ pps
${}^{14}\text{N}^{5+}$	54	50 μA	15 μA	$1.5 \cdot 10^{13}$ pps
${}^{18}\text{O}^{5+}$	33	100 μA	30 μA	$2.5 \cdot 10^{13}$ pps
${}^{22}\text{Ne}^{6+}$	32	50 μA	15 μA	$1 \cdot 10^{13}$ pps
${}^{22}\text{Ne}^{7+}$	43	50 μA	15 μA	$1 \cdot 10^{13}$ pps
${}^{36}\text{S}^{10+}$	33	10 μA	1.7 μA	$6 \cdot 10^{11}$ pps
${}^{40}\text{Ar}^{12+}$	40	12 μA	2 μA	$7 \cdot 10^{11}$ pps
${}^{48}\text{Ca}^{10+}$	20	10 μA	1.7 μA	$5 \cdot 10^{11}$ pps

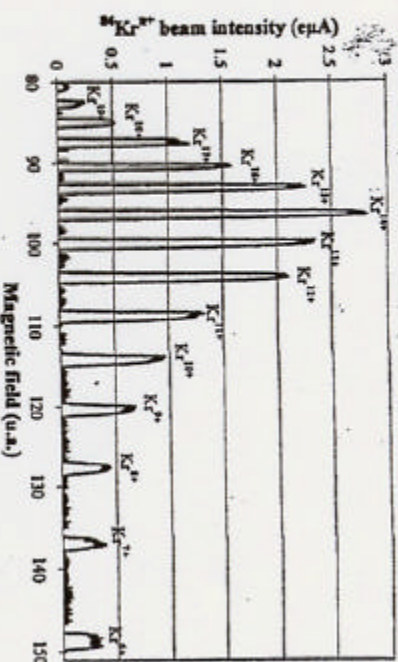


$l^+ \rightarrow n^+$ results with PHOENIX Booster 10 GHz

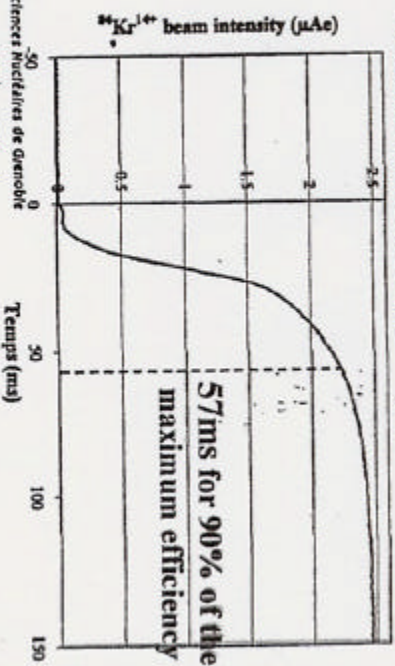
 1.36×10^{15} charges in the plasma

$1^+ \rightarrow n^+$ results with PHOENIX Booster 10 GHz

PHOENIX BOOSTER 10 GHz - 250 W - for $Kr^{1+} \rightarrow Kr^{n+}$ charge breeding with Kr^{1+} beam intensity injected : 1.93 μA


$$\eta_{K^{1+} \rightarrow K^{1+}} = 10.3\%, \quad \sum_i \eta_i \approx 65\%$$

Release time for $\text{Kr}^{1+} \rightarrow \text{Kr}^{14+} \approx 60 \text{ ms}$



U-400M

T – beams

①. $5(TD)^+ \rightarrow 3T^+ + 2D^+$

$$(B\rho)_1 / (B\rho)_2 = 1.66$$

$$Z/A = 0.2 \quad ; \quad E_r \cong 54 \text{ MeV}$$

2. $4(TH)^+ \rightarrow 3T^+ + 1H^+$

$$(B\rho)_1 / (B\rho)_2 = 1.33 \quad (\text{degrading in stripping foil})$$

$$Z/A = 0.25 \quad ; \quad E_r \cong 80 \text{ MeV}$$

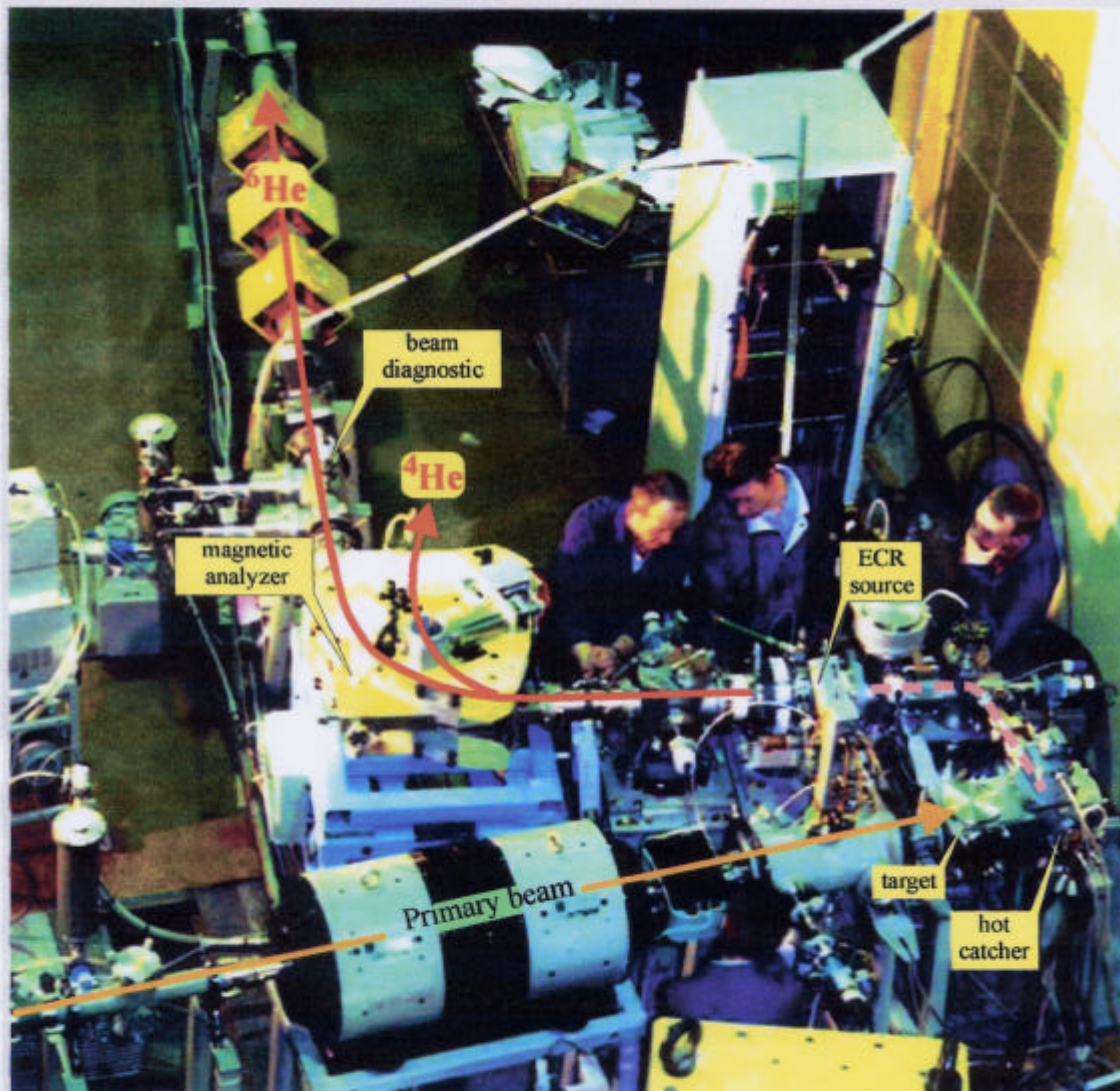
3. $3T^- \rightarrow 3T^+$

$$(B\rho)_1 / (B\rho)_2 = -1 \quad (\text{Lorentz force ?})$$

$$Z/A = 0.33 \quad ; \quad E_r \cong 150 \text{ MeV}$$

DRIBs - Project

*Transformation of the primary beam into
a low energy radioactive ion beam*



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