



# ILIMA Technical Status

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- ❖ **ILIMA Working Groups**
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- ❖ **Schottky Detection**
- ❖ **Particle Detectors in Ring**
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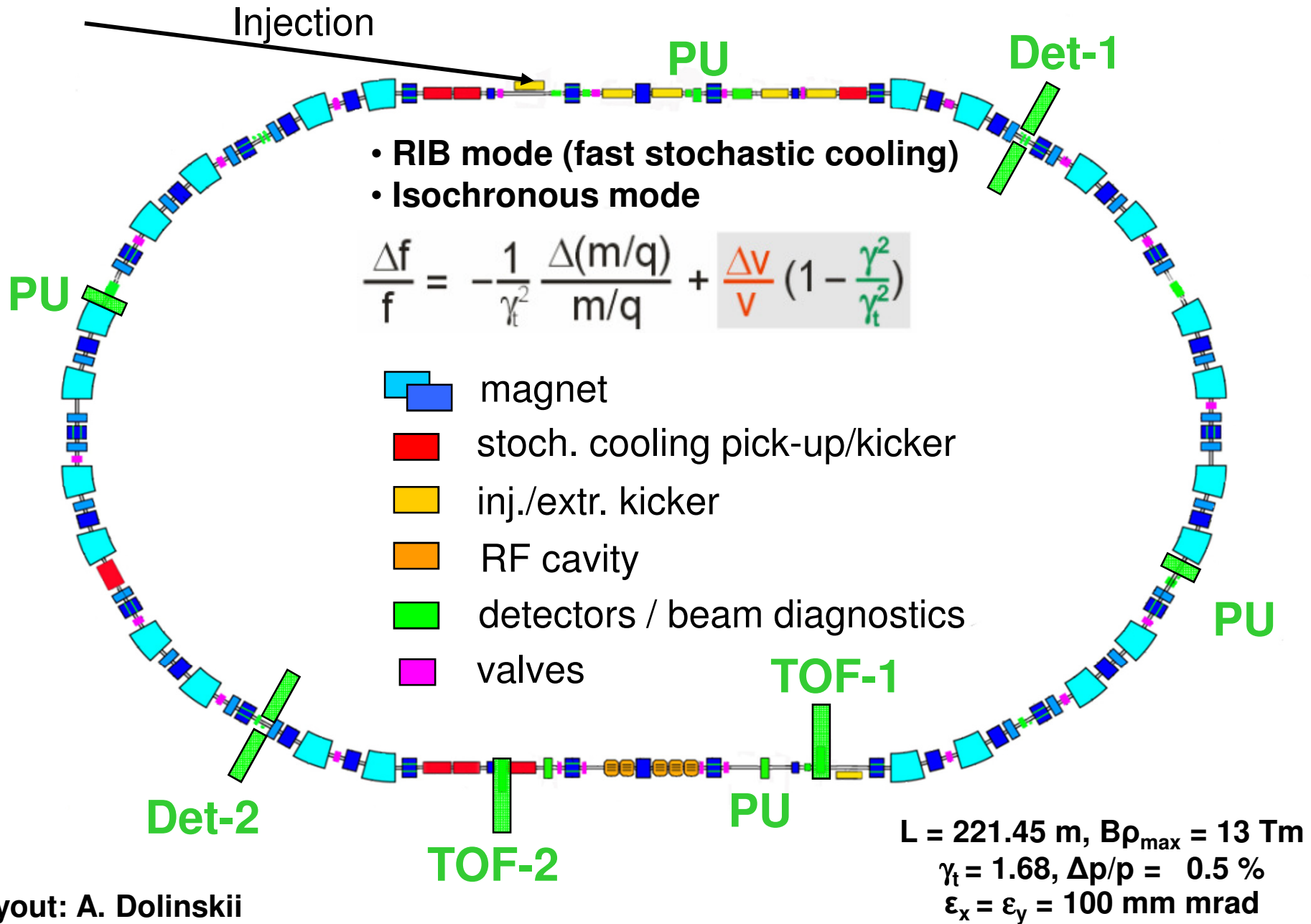


# Working Groups

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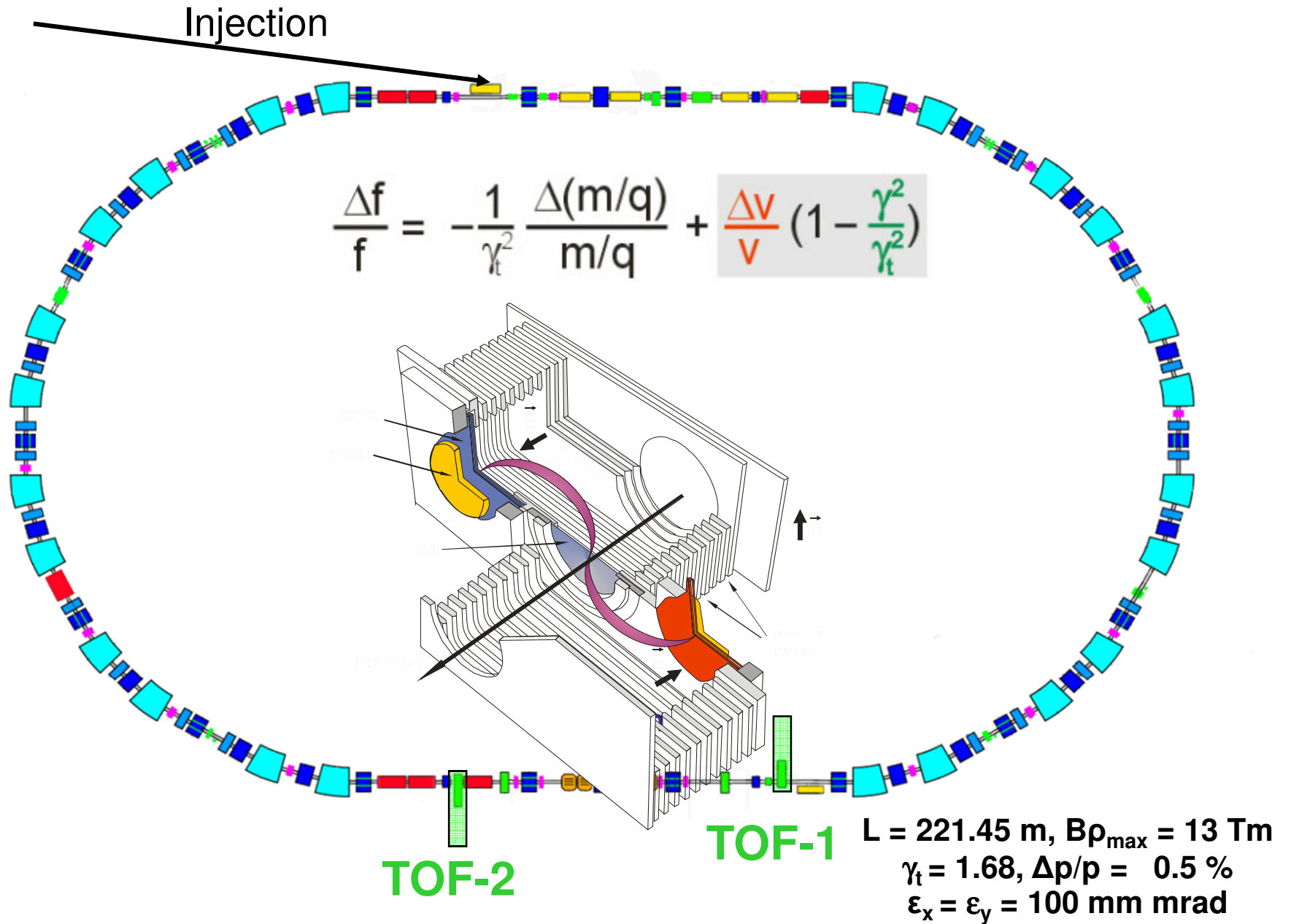
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# Collector Ring (CR68)

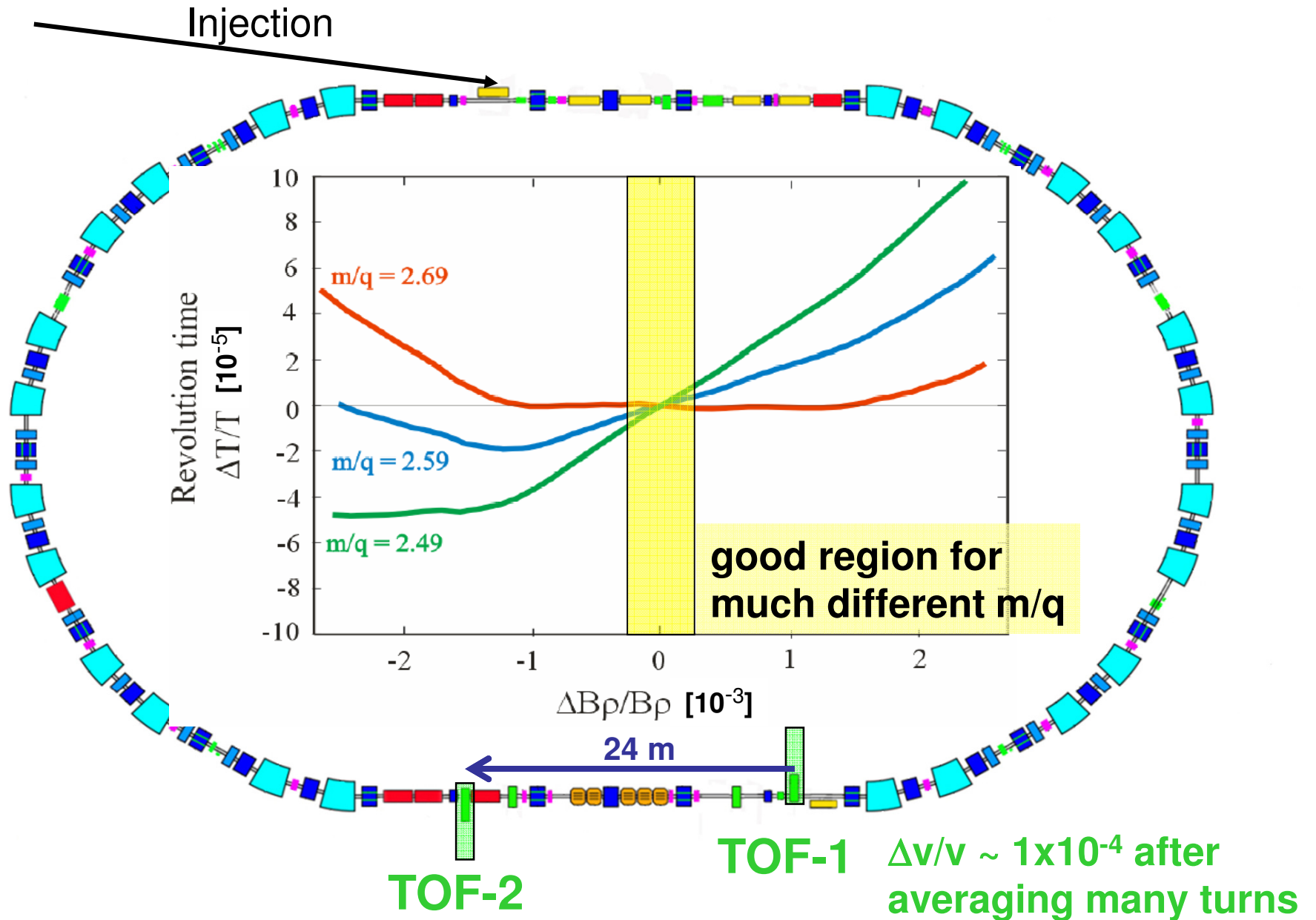


Layout: A. Dolinskii

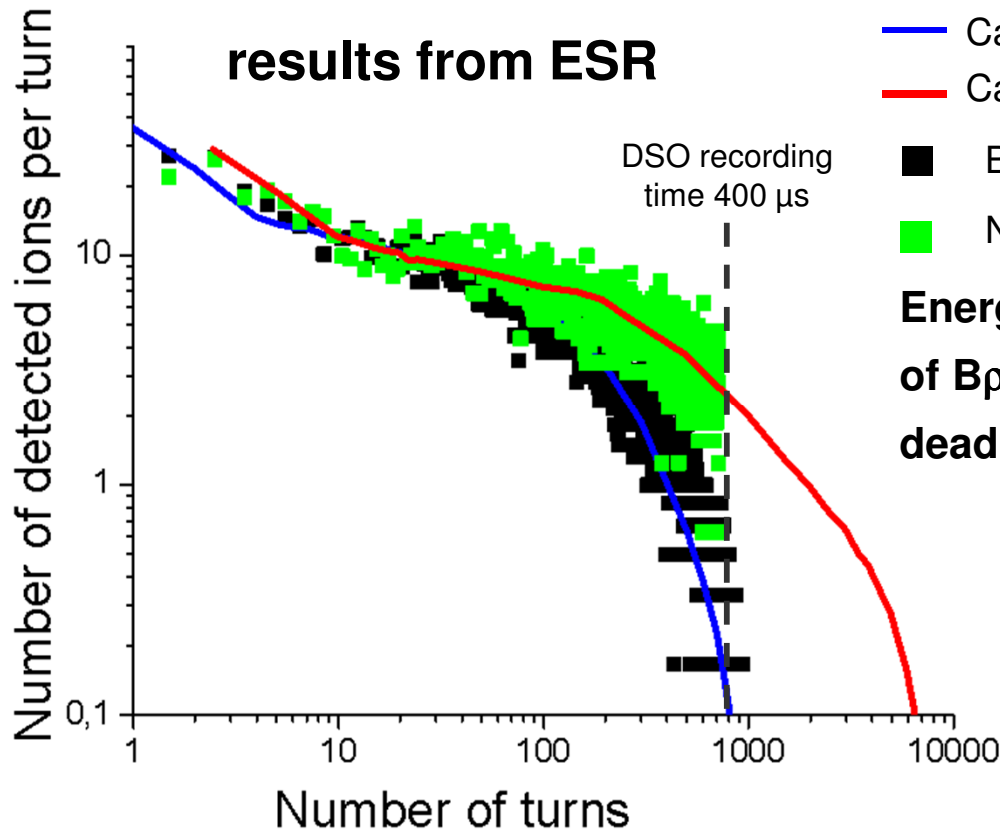
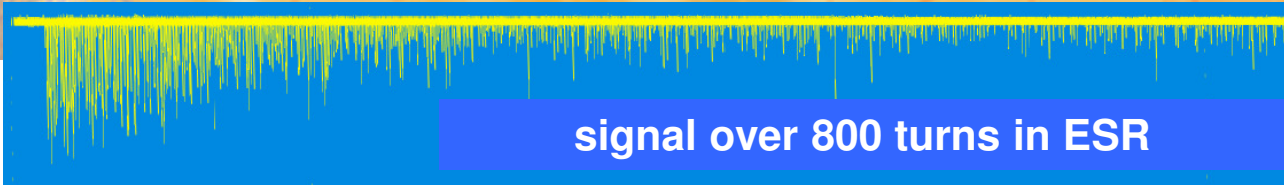
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# Detector Efficiency



- Calculation (10 $\mu$ m MCPs, thick 17  $\mu$ g/cm<sup>2</sup> foil)
- Calculation (5 $\mu$ m MCPs, thin 10  $\mu$ g/cm<sup>2</sup> foil)
- B. Fabian, 10  $\mu$ m MCP
- N. Kuzminchuk, 5 $\mu$ m MCP

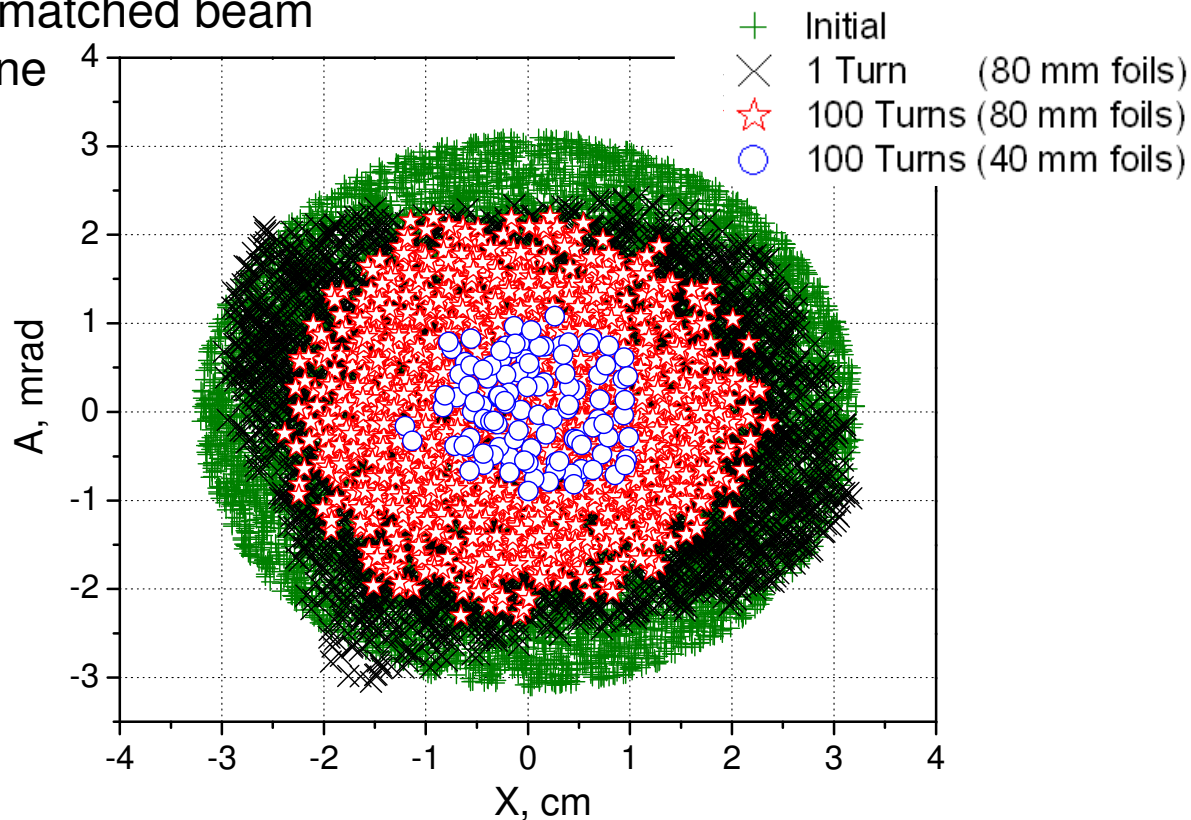
Energy loss in foil causes shift out of  $B\rho$  acceptance and saturation / dead time of MCP

Up to 8 times larger number of turns  
→ Higher mass measurement accuracy  
In CR many more turns possible due to larger acceptance

Lower amplification, less saturation also possible,  
Even pulse height for additional ID could be used, same time resolution.  
Bo Mei, XiaoLin Tu, Meng Wang, et al., IMS Lanzhou

# ToF Detector – CR Acceptance

phase space of matched beam  
in symmetry plane

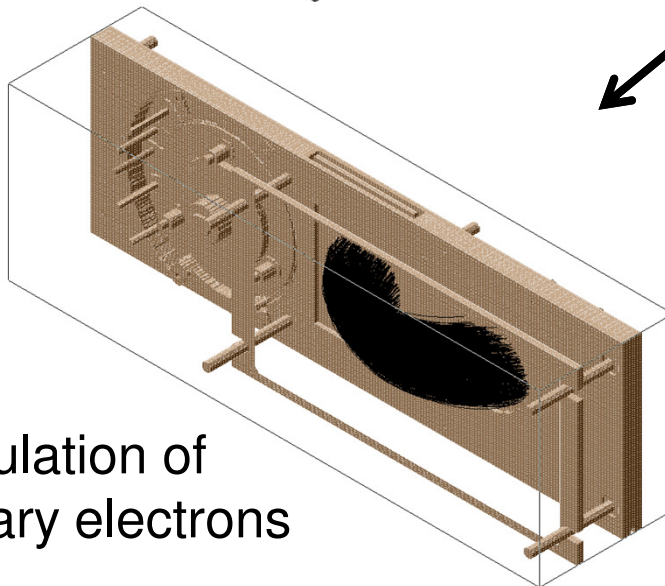
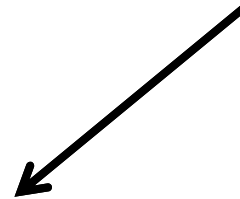
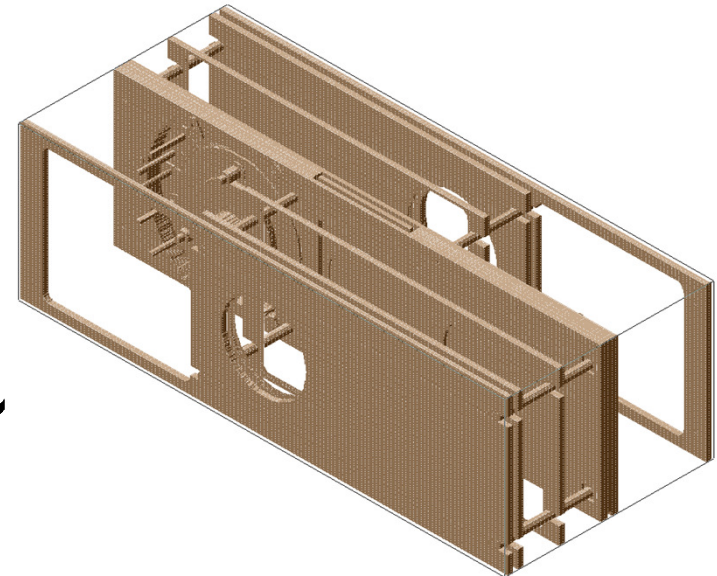
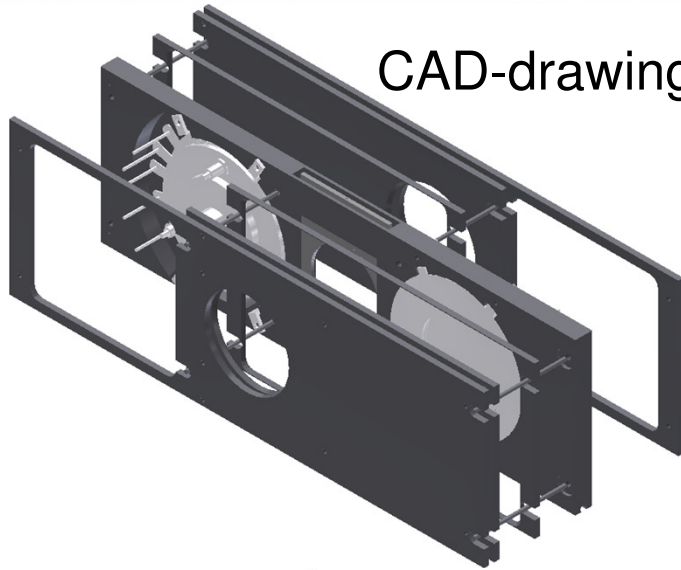


Present  $\varnothing=40$  mm foil is too small for good acceptance  
 $\Rightarrow$  80 mm diameter of foil  
(phase space area  $\sim \varnothing^4$ )

# Detector Simulation

SIMION grid creation and calculation of electrical fields

CAD-drawing



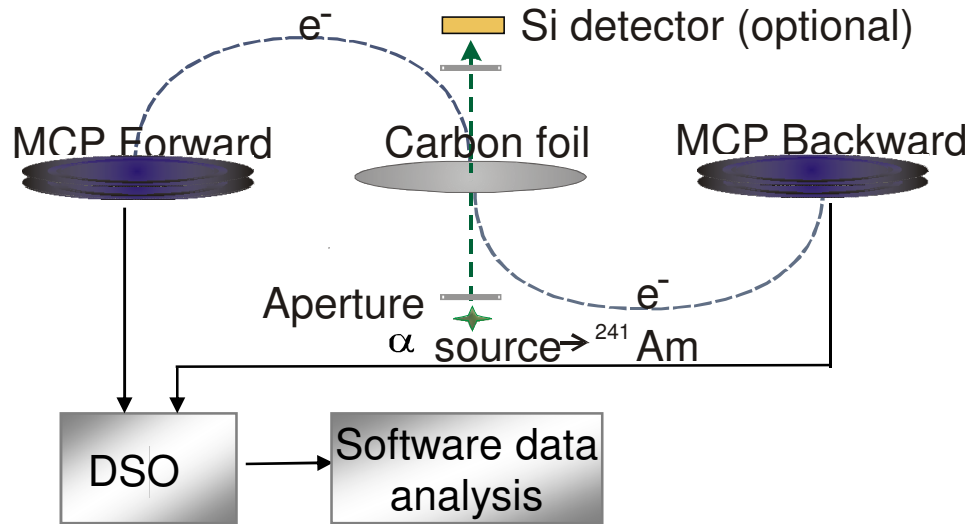
Simulation of secondary electrons

<sec.electron ToF>	4378 ps
$\sigma_{\text{transport}}$	28 ps
Efficiency	98,0 %
B-Field	7.33 mT
E-Field	207 V/mm

Marcel Diwisch, Univ. Giessen



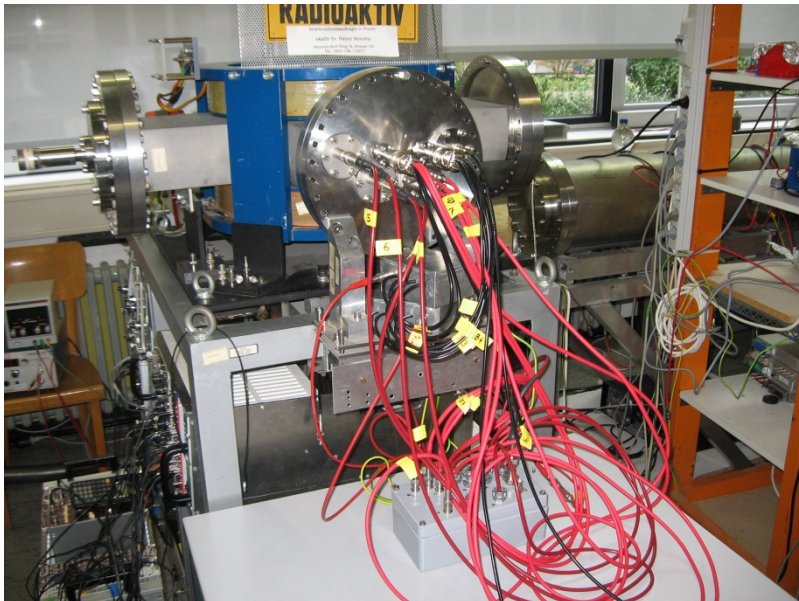
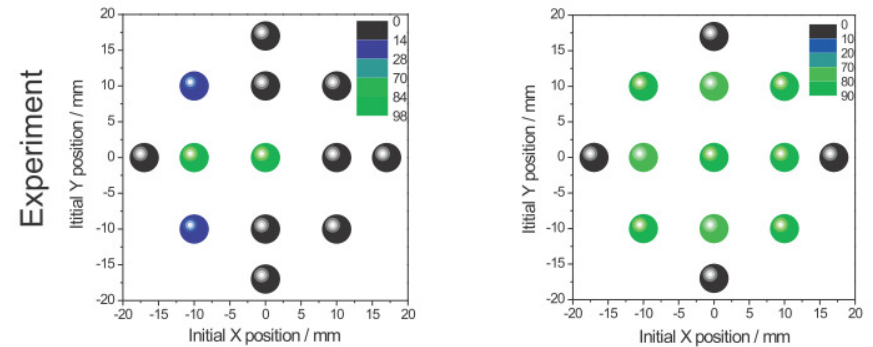
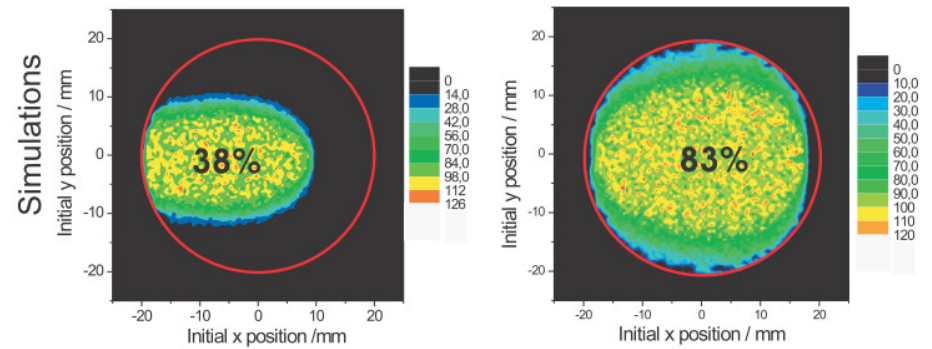
# Improvements of the TOF Detector



## Position dependent test with $\alpha$ -source or laser pulses

Empirical setting

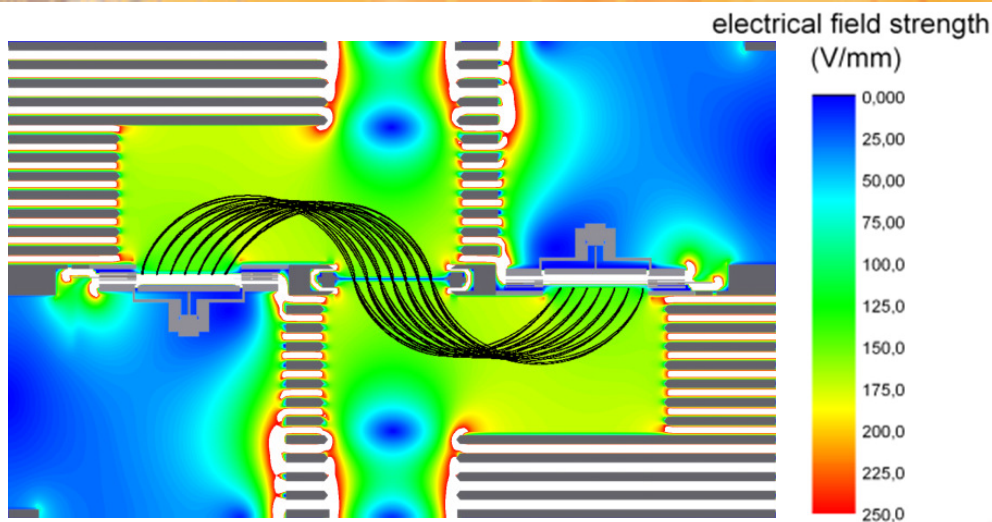
Setting optimized by simulations



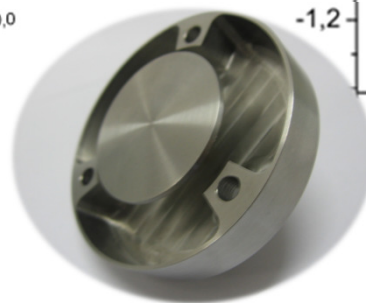
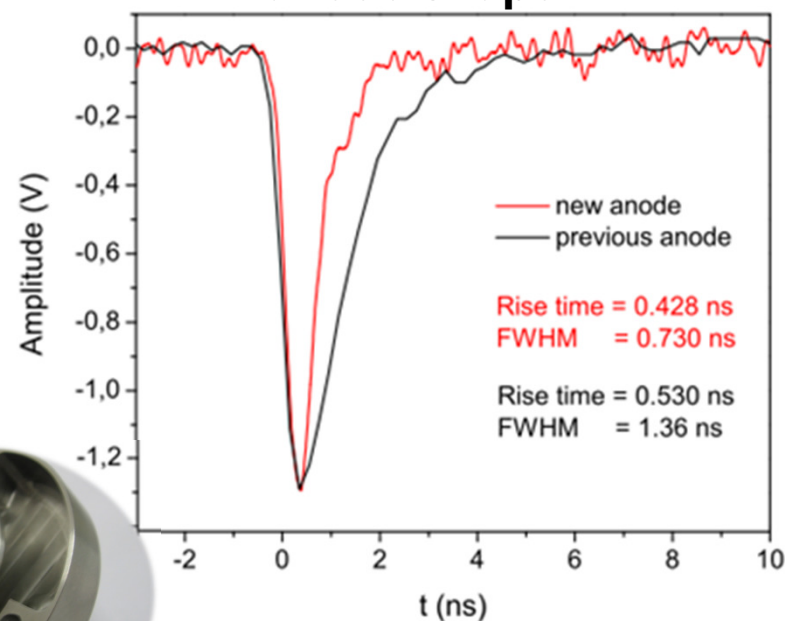
Offline setup of TOF detector in Giessen

# Improvements of TOF detector

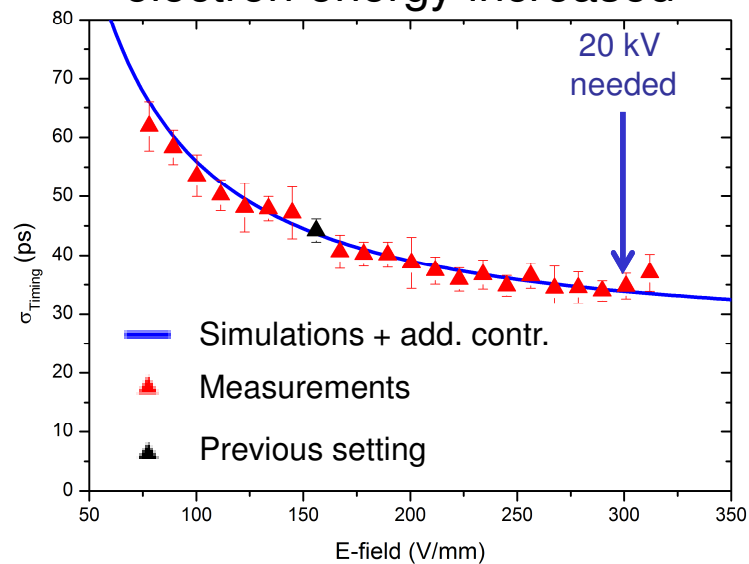
M. Diwisch, Master thesis (2011)



## anode shape



## electron energy increased



$$\sigma = \sqrt{\sigma^2(\text{Transport}) + \sigma^2(\text{MCP}) + \sigma^2(\text{ETD})}$$

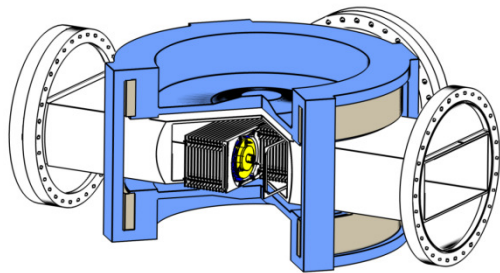
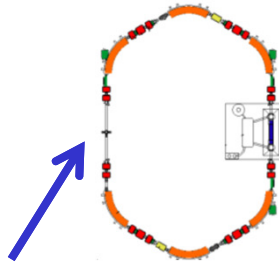
Timing accuracy  
increased from  
45 ps to 33 ps

# Detector Comparison

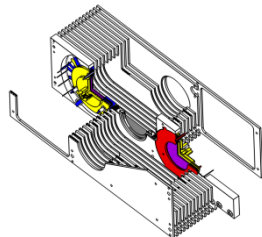
## ESR

$L = 108.36 \text{ m}$   
 $B\rho = 8\text{-}10 \text{ Tm}$   
 $\gamma_t = 1.4$   
 $\Delta p/p = 0.2 \%$   
 $\epsilon_x = 7 \text{ mm mrad}$

TOF detector (1x)



B-field  
 homogeneity radius  
 100 mm

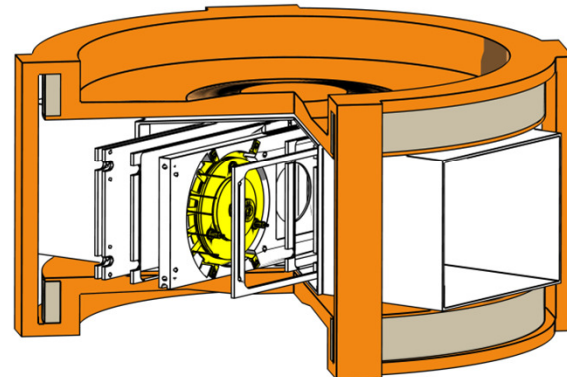
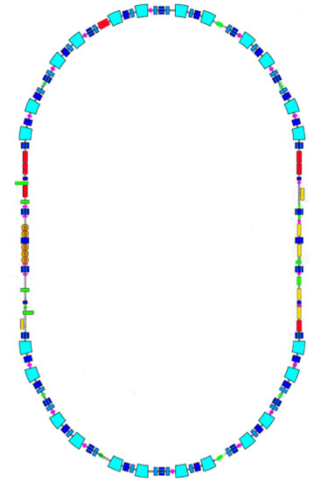


Foil diameter 40 mm  
 Efficiency  $\approx 38\%$   
 Timing accuracy  $\approx 45 \text{ ps}$

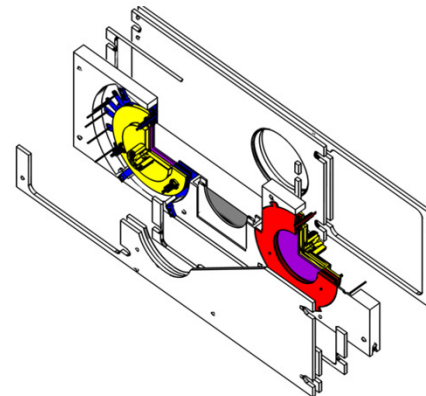
## CR

$L = 221.45 \text{ m}$   
 $B\rho = 13 \text{ Tm}$   
 $\gamma_t = 1.68$   
 $\Delta p/p = 0.5 \%$   
 $\epsilon_x = 100 \text{ mm mrad}$

TOF detector (2x)



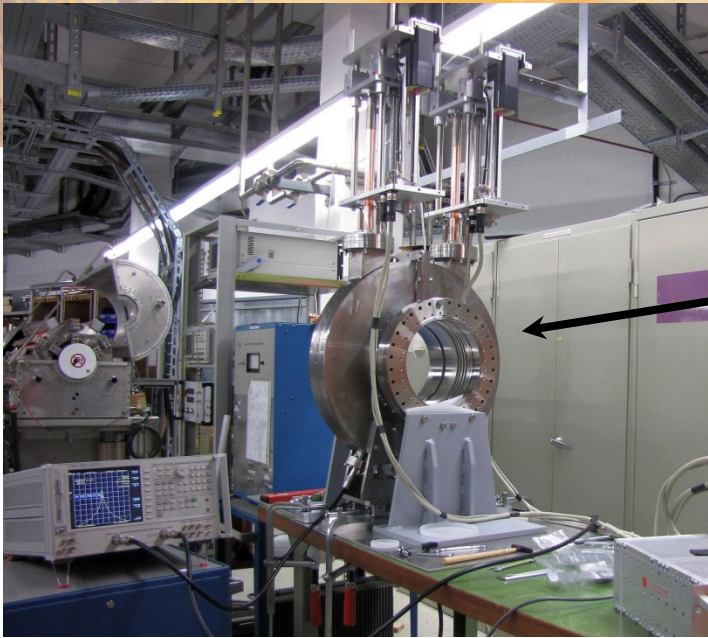
B-field  
 homogeneity radius  
 200 mm



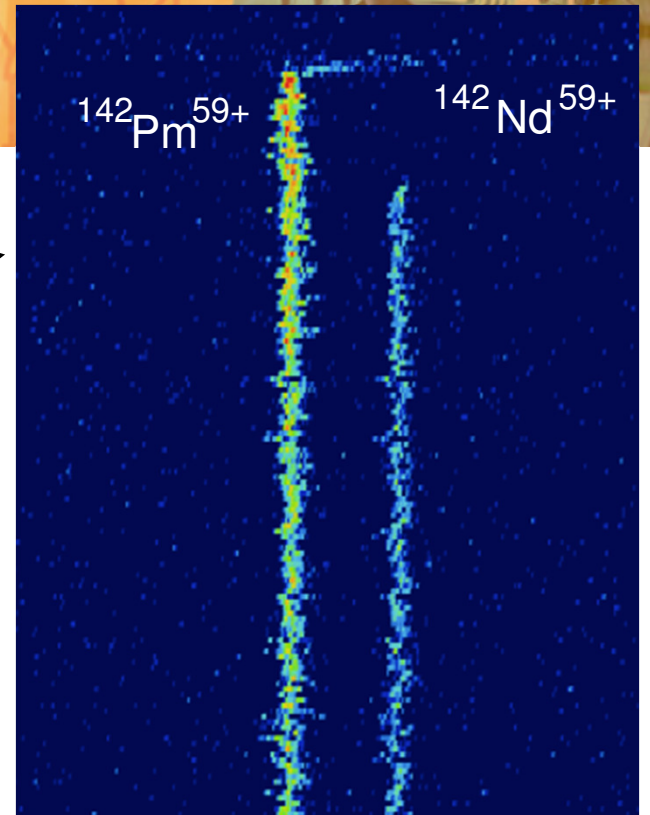
Foil diameter 80 mm  
 Efficiency  $\approx 98\%$   
 Timing accuracy  $\approx 37 \text{ ps}$

$$\sigma = \sqrt{\sigma^2(\text{Transport}) + \sigma^2(\text{MCP}) + \sigma^2(\text{ETD})}$$

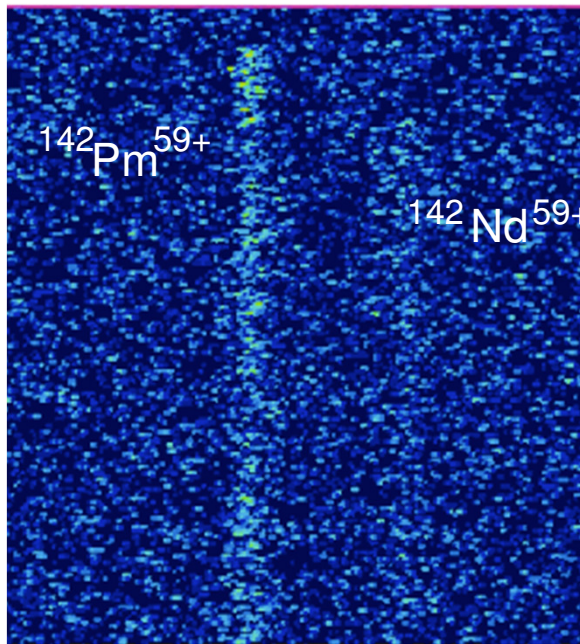
# First EC-decay of He-like $^{142}\text{Pm}$ ions measured in E082 experiment



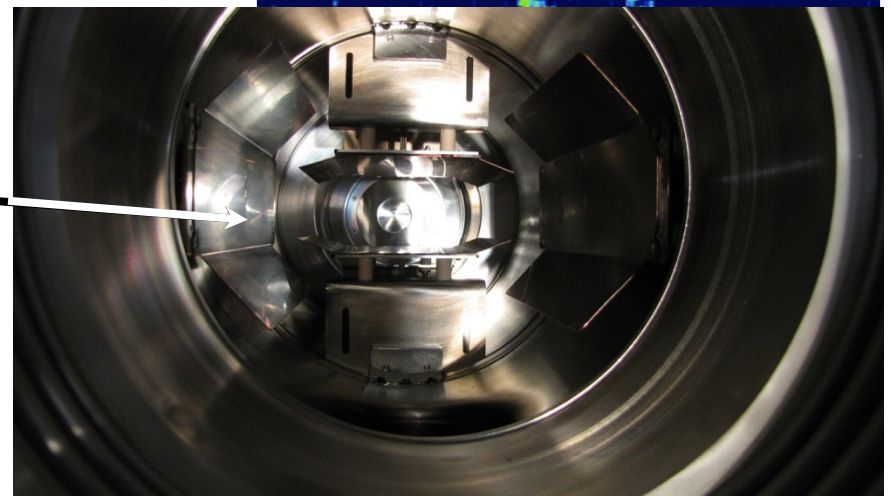
New resonator  
cavity  
(2010)  
 $124^{\text{th}}$   
harmonic



**the same decay:  
improvement by  
a factor of about 100**

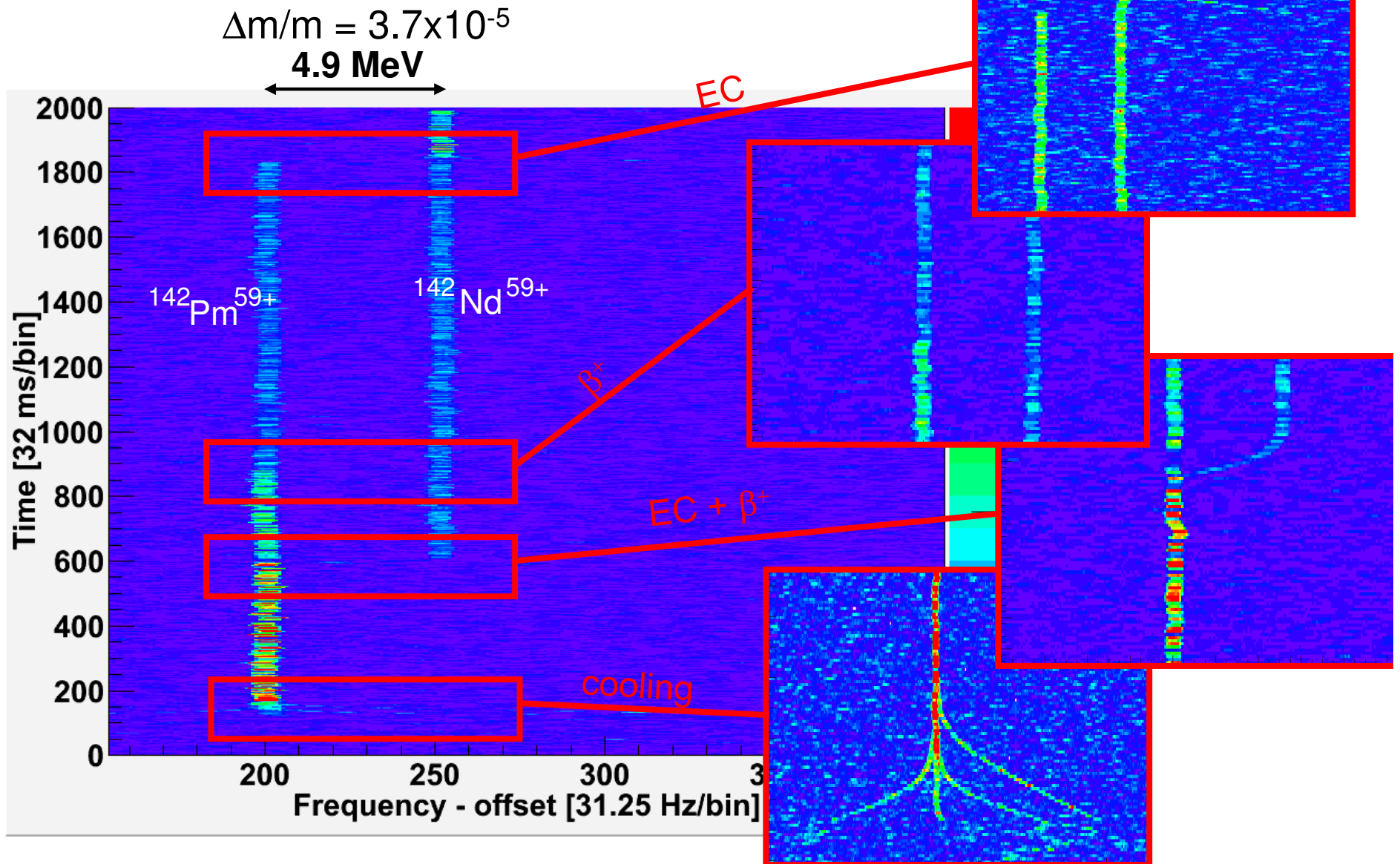


Old Schottky  
pickup  
(1992)  
 $30^{\text{th}}$   
harmonic

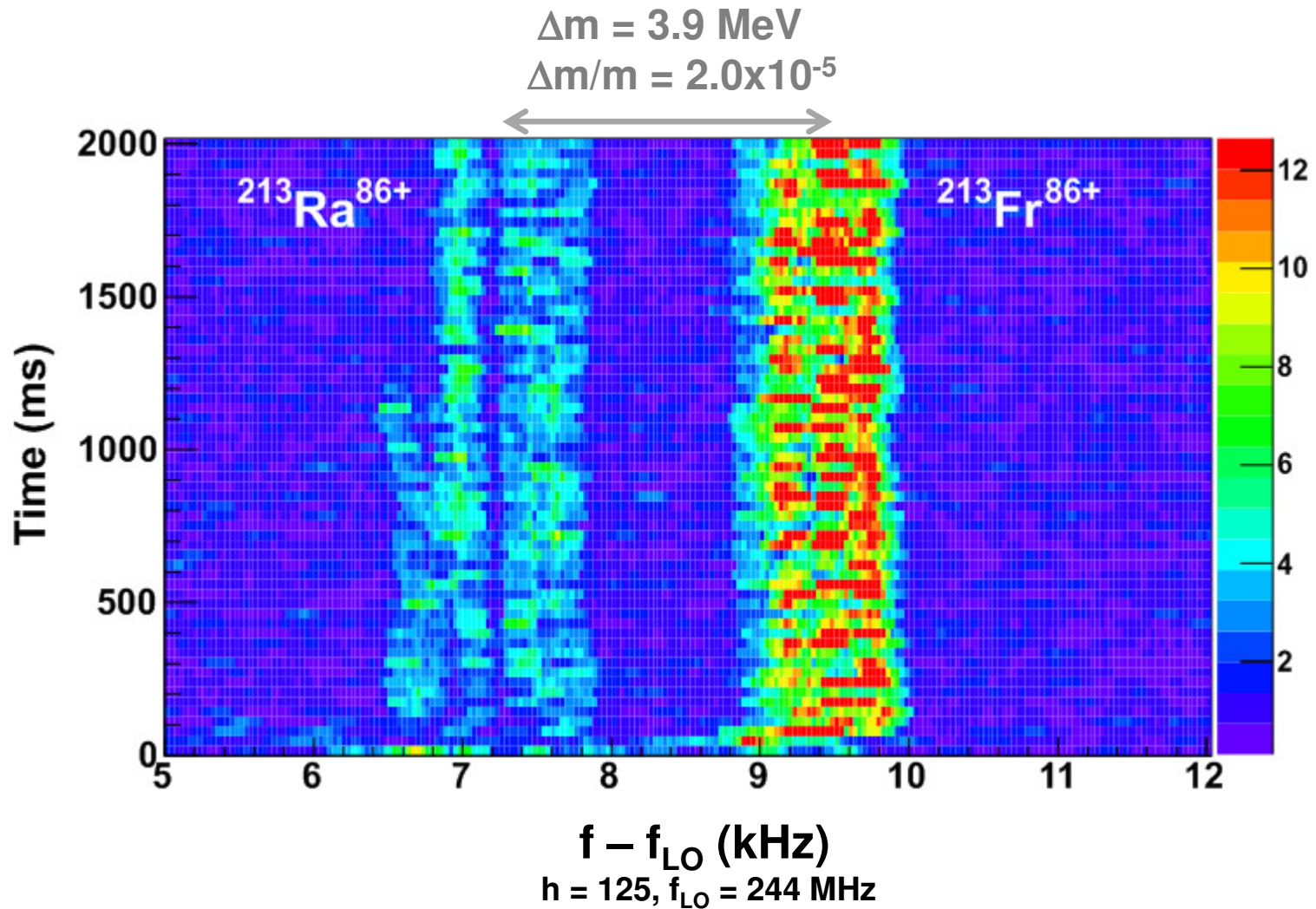


*F. Nolden,  
P. Hülsmann, et al.,  
NIM A 659 (2011) 69.*

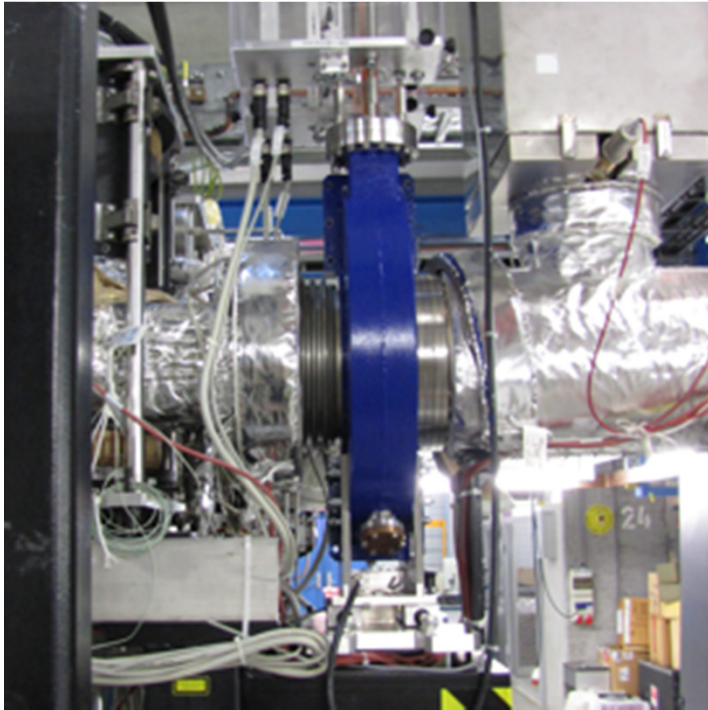
# EC decay in ESR cooling, 2 EC and 2 $\beta^+$ -decays



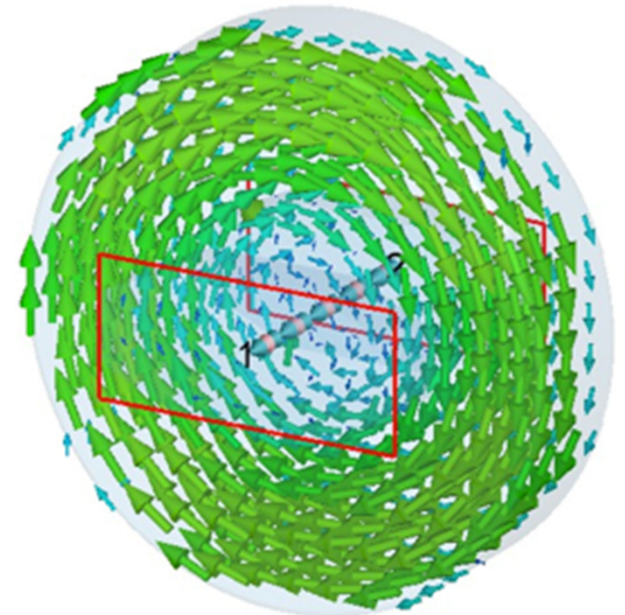
# Schottky in isochronous ESR (uncooled)



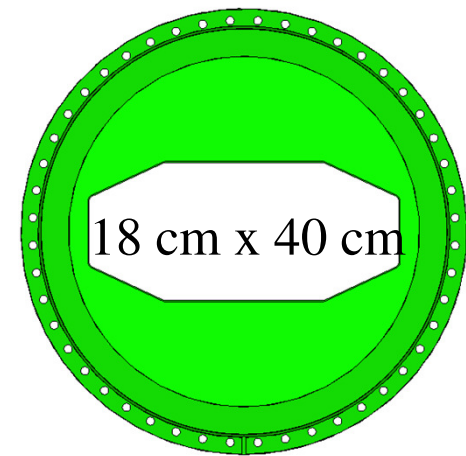
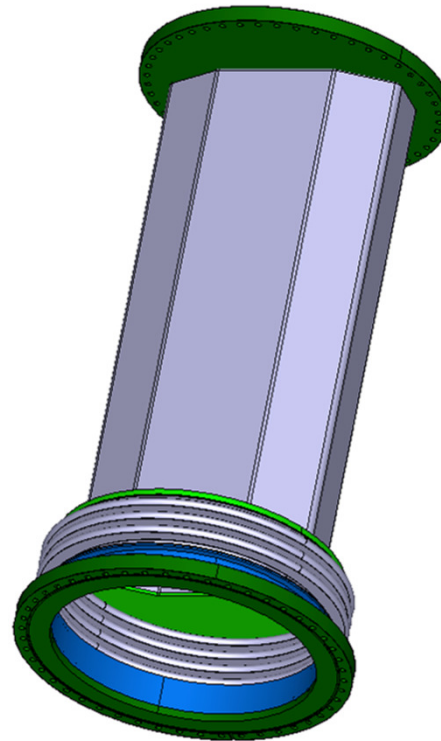
# Resonant Schottky Pickup



use pill box cavity  
single mode T010  
 $f_R$  tunable,  
quality factor  $Q$   
also tunable.



CR beam pipe



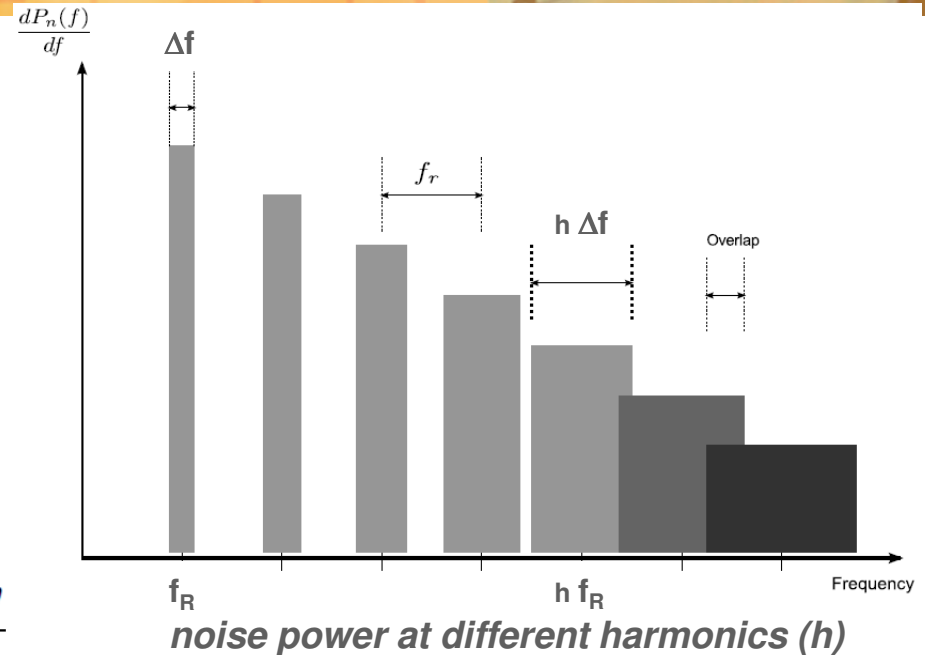
# Many Pickups in Isochronous CR

High harmonic for better frequency resolution and faster measurement (sampling theorem), but more noise.

$$T_{min} = 2/(f_2 - f_1) = 2/\Delta f$$

Acceptance  $\Delta B\rho/B\rho$  limited (1% full width), but ions come with larger spread in  $m/q$  depending on production and separation.

$$\frac{\Delta f}{f} = -\frac{\Delta T}{T} = -\frac{1}{\gamma_t^2} \cdot \frac{\Delta(m/q)}{m/q} + \left(1 - \frac{\gamma^2}{\gamma_t^2}\right) \frac{\Delta v}{v}$$



Large spread in  $\Delta f/f$  requires large band width, and limits harmonic to avoid overlap of frequency bands and ambiguity.

For  $\Delta m/m = 5\%$ ,  $\gamma_t = 1.68$ , CR68  $\rightarrow h_{max} = 56$ . We want  $h \sim 125$ ,  $f_R = 109$  MHz.

Use 3 pick ups to cover full range. Still ambiguity due to overlap of different harmonics  $\rightarrow$  use 2x3 pickups at other harmonic, fits in CR.

For isobars  $h=10^5$  possible, but far beyond cut off frequency.

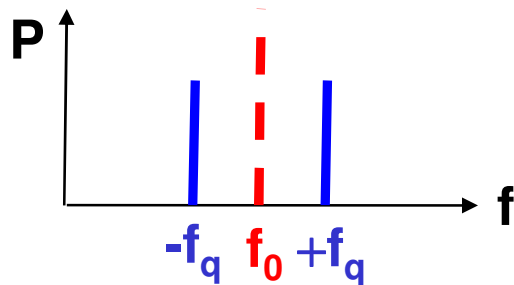


# Transverse Pickup

Good isochronicity needs definition of  $m/q$  also for testing as function of velocity.

Pickup sensitive to position for single ions.

Position dependence by dipole mode of resonator. Betatron oscillations introduce sidebands shifted by tune frequency. Intensity of side bands gives position, calibrate with known position.

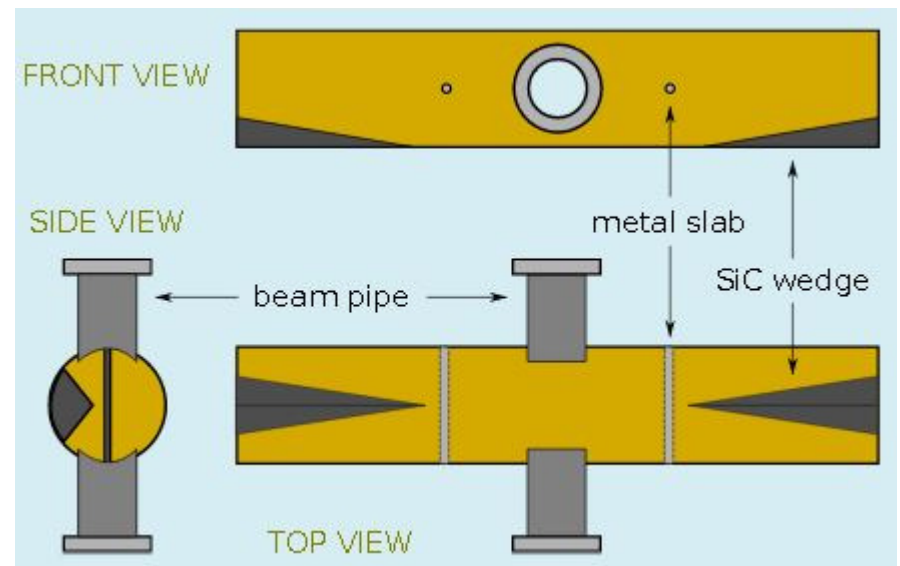
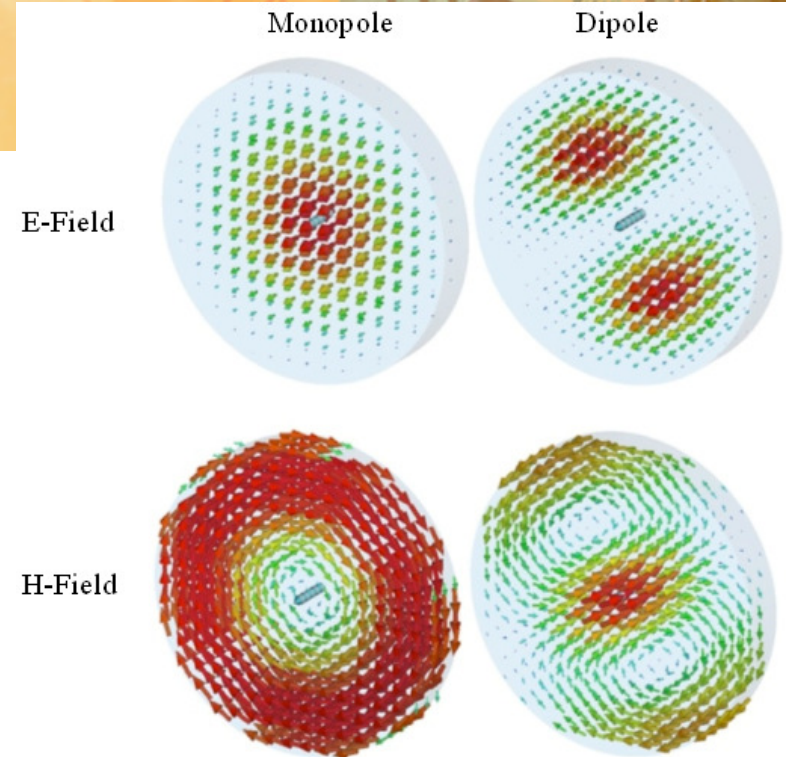


in arc to observe shift by dispersion

->  $B\rho$  of ion, needed  $\Delta B\rho/B\rho < 10^{-3}$

->  $\Delta x \sim 1-2$  mm.

Different shape of resonator needed.



# Development by S. Sanjari, EMMI group



iMC-S8 Stepper  
Motor Controller

RS232

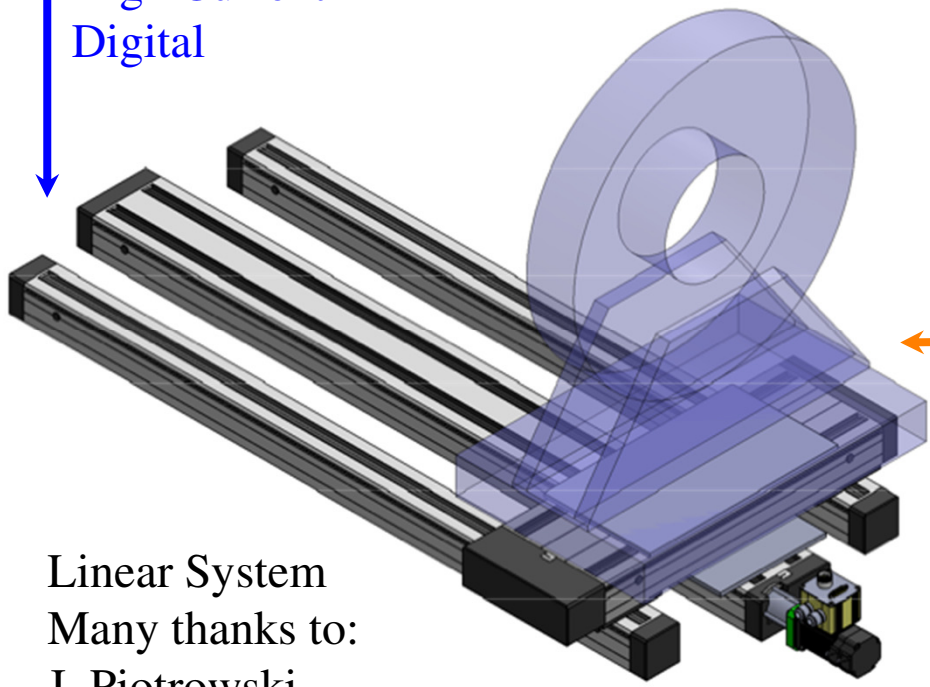


Converter

TCP/IP



High Current  
Digital



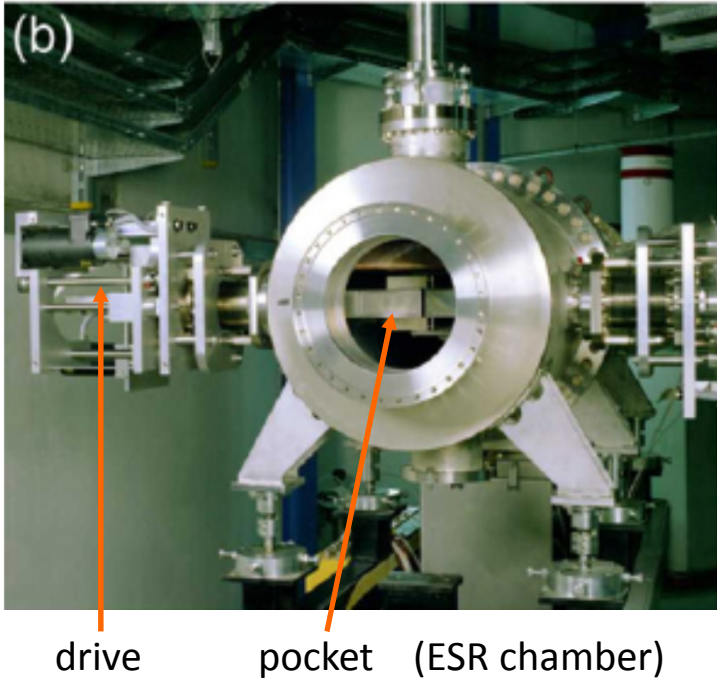
Linear System  
Many thanks to:  
J. Piotrowski

RF



ZVL-6 Network Analyser

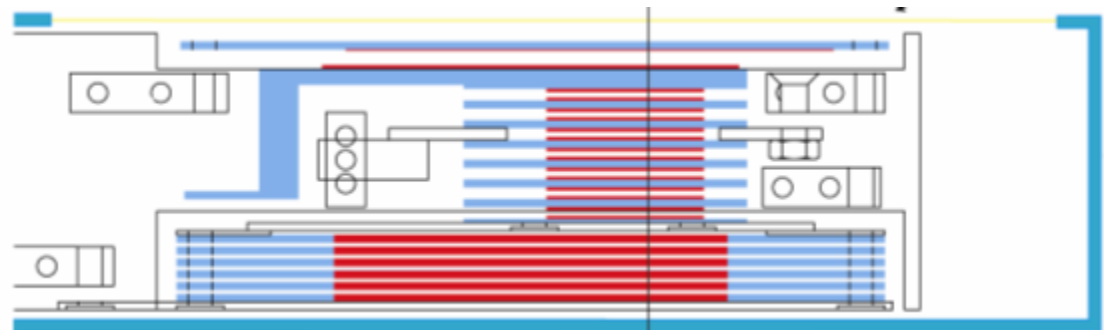
# Detectors after Decays



**Detect after spontaneous decay.  
Afterwards also identification.  
Example: beta delayed neutrons**

**Sometimes also after target.  
Use target as stripper to separate.  
In ESR intense  $^{205}\text{Tl}^{81+}$  from  $^{205}\text{Pb}^{81+}$ ,  
(bound state  $\beta$ -decay of  $^{205}\text{Tl}$ ).  
→ HESR at FAIR**

**Si stack + passive absorbers,  
or CsI for  $\Delta E$ , E**



**First investment 3 pockets, detectors later.**

L. Mayer, TU München

# CR Correction Scheme

$$\frac{\Delta T}{T} = \frac{T - T_0}{T_0} = \cancel{(t|x)_c x} + \cancel{(t|a)_c a} + \cancel{(t|\delta)_c \delta} = 0 \text{ (first order)}$$

$$+ (t|xx)_c x^2 + (t|xa)_c xa + (t|aa)_c a^2 + (t|yy)_c y^2 + (t|yb)_c yb$$

$$+ (t|bb)_c b^2 + (t|x\delta)_c x\delta + (t|a\delta)_c a\delta + (t|\delta\delta)_c \delta^2$$

**Full correction of order  $n \geq 2$  not possible in ring with non-zero phase advance, but is needed for large acceptance. Would impose strong acceptance limit (factor  $\sim 25$  less).**

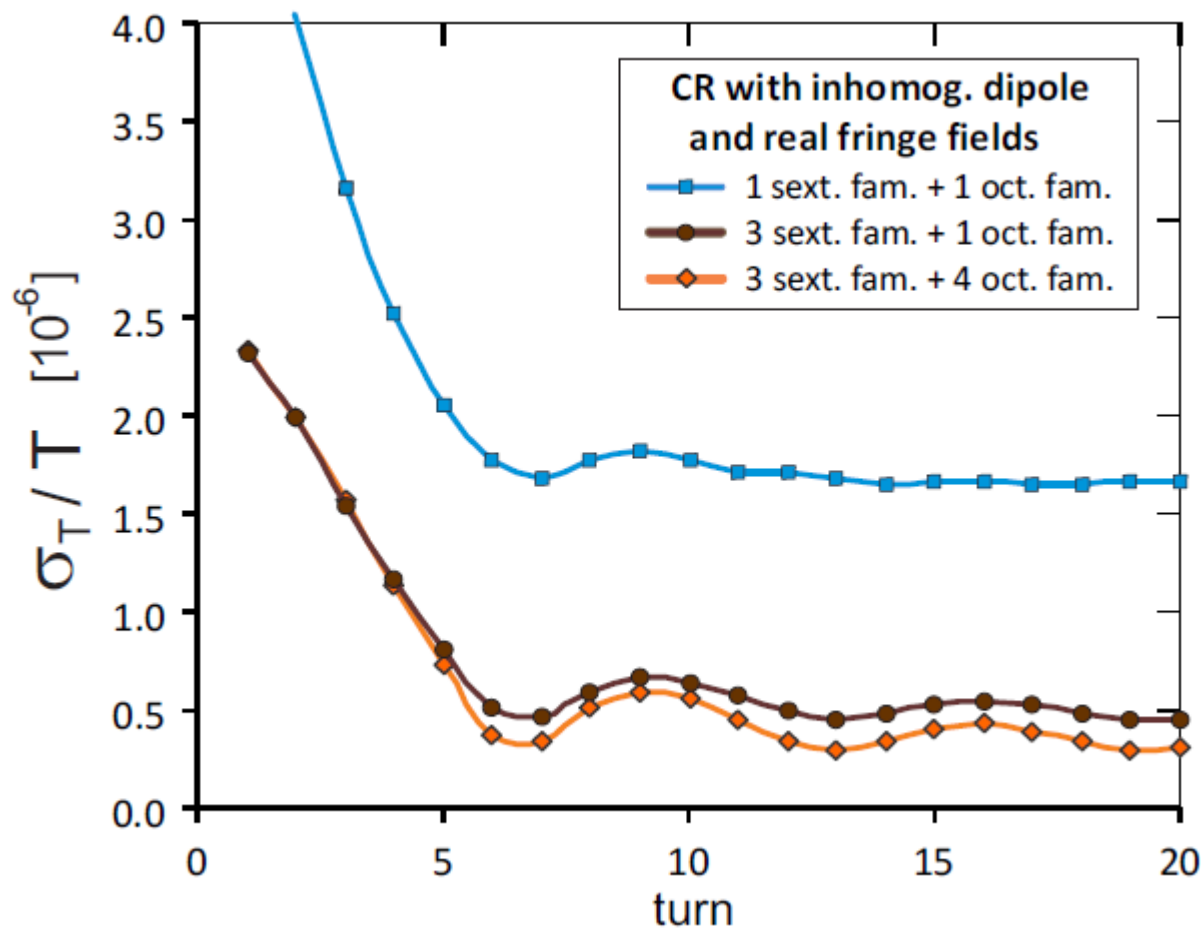
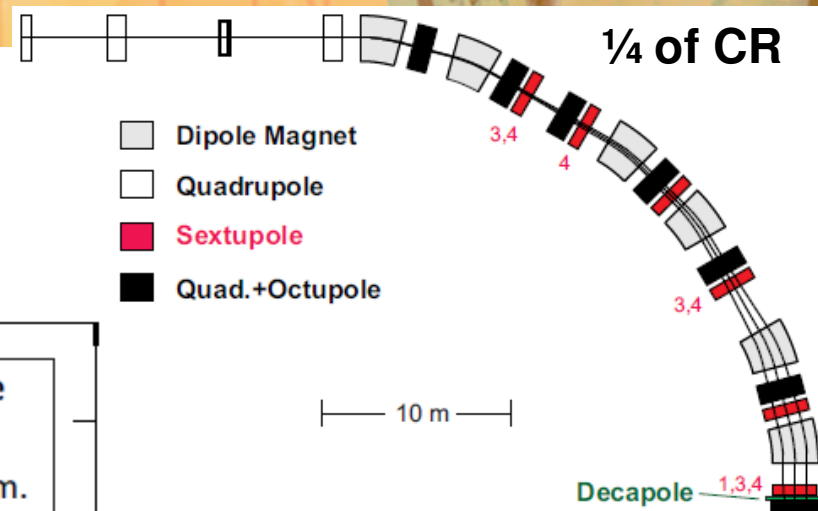
$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(t|aa)}{nT_0} = 0$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(t|xx)}{nT_0} = 0$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(t|xa)}{nT_0} = 0$$

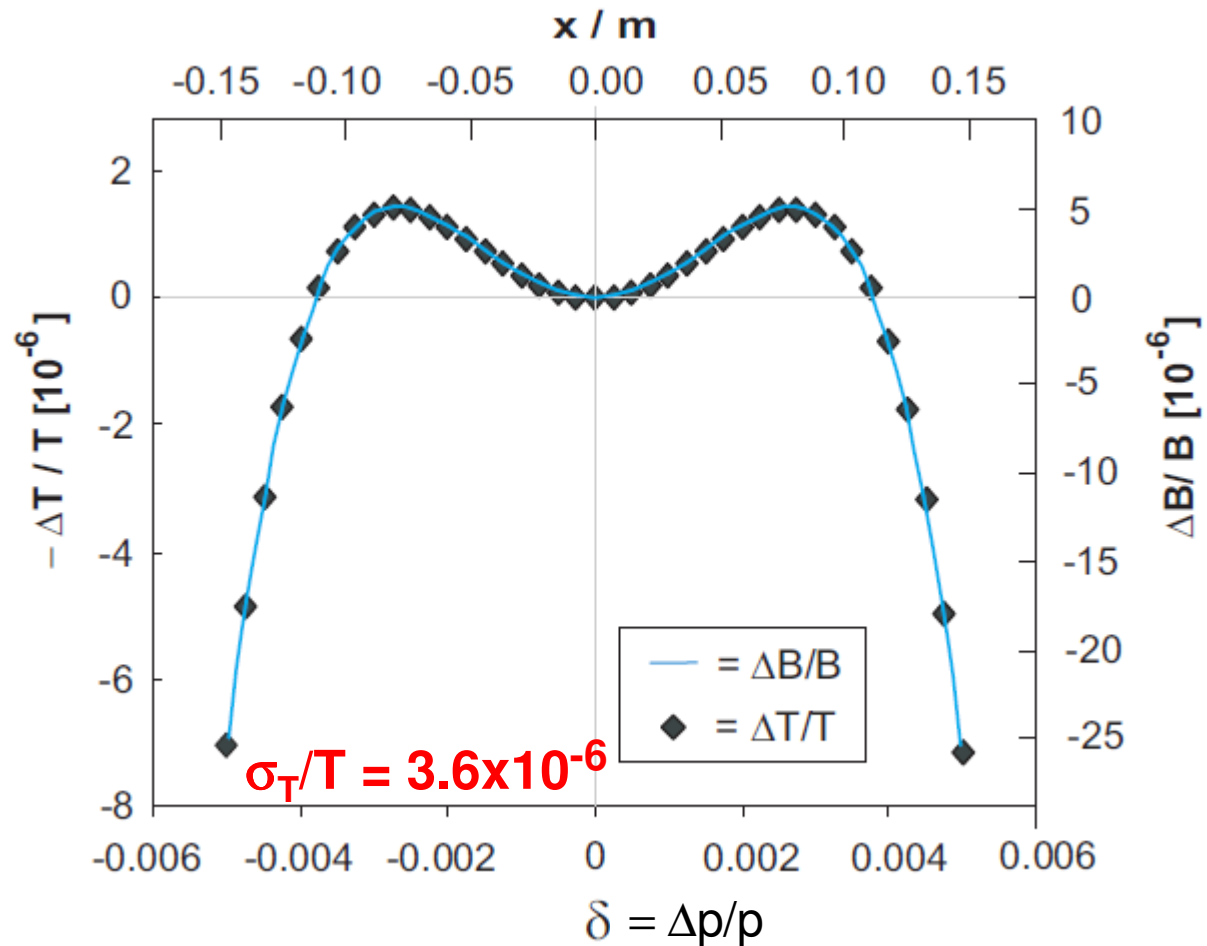
by sextupole tuning, correct only that much that remaining deviations average out.

# CR Simulation



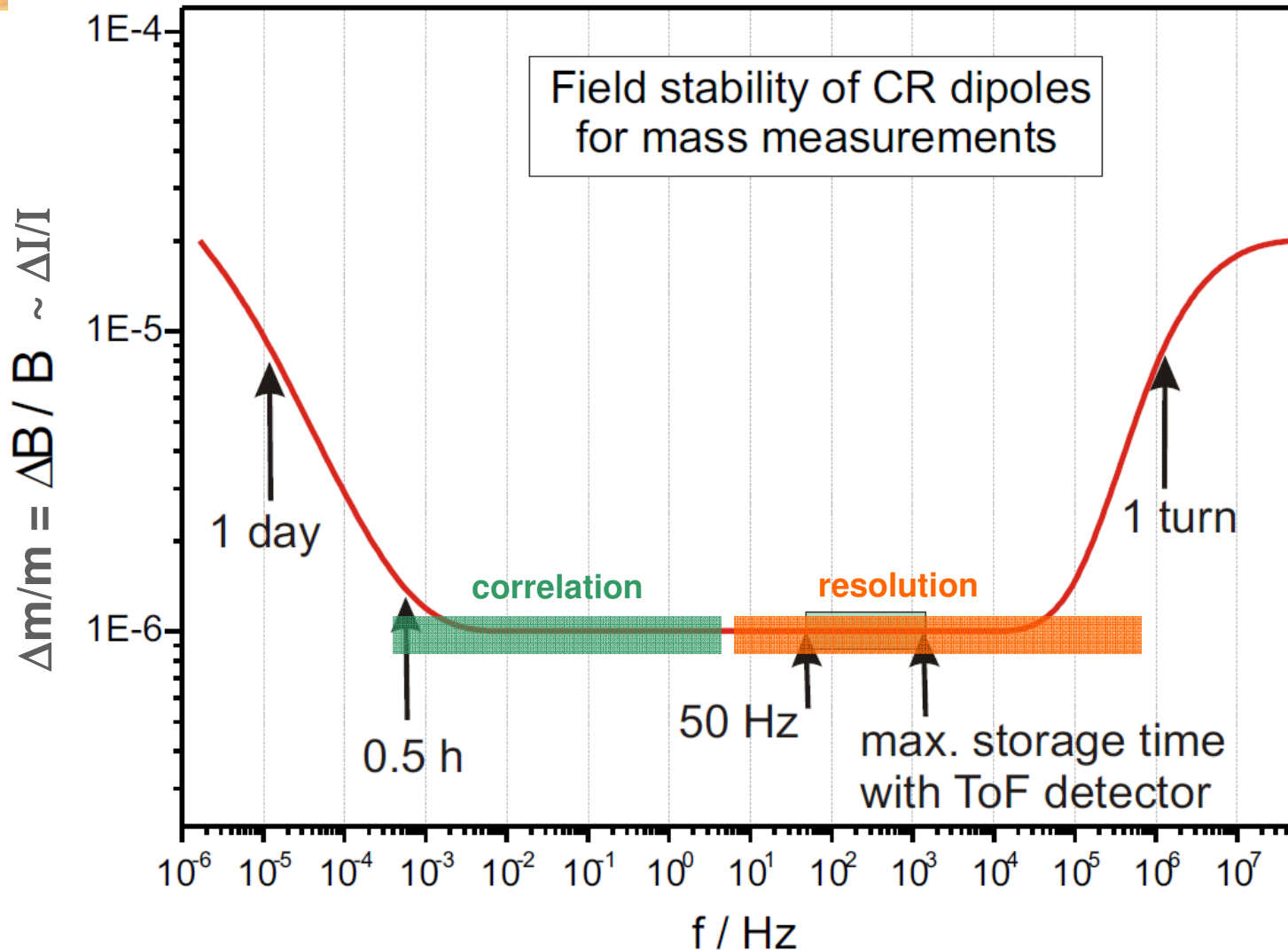
**Simulation: full phase space in x,y (100 mm mrad),  $\delta=\pm 0.5\%$  including realistic fringe fields and field imperfections.**

# CR Dipole Homogeneity



without sextupole/octupole correction only  $\sigma_T/T = 1.2 \times 10^{-4}$   
decapole could help for further improvement

# Power Supply Stability



but in update of CR TDR only  $\Delta I / I = \pm 0.5 \times 10^{-4}$

# Summary

**Development for ToF Detector in progress.  
Timing and efficiency of detector good enough.**

**Schottky also possible in isochronous CR.  
Less limited in beam intensity, but still fast.  
Transverse pickup still needs development.**

**Particle detectors also have a case/place in CR.**

**Experiments with cooling possible in HESR.  
Lifetime, decay modes, ...**

**The CR itself is consolidated, even manufacturing seems distributed  
(BINP Novosibirsk). Magnet homogeneity on needed level impossible,  
but higher order correction is required.  
Power supply stability is critical, specification so far are not sufficient.**

