



# *Extraction and Transport of HCI beams from ECR Ion Sources*

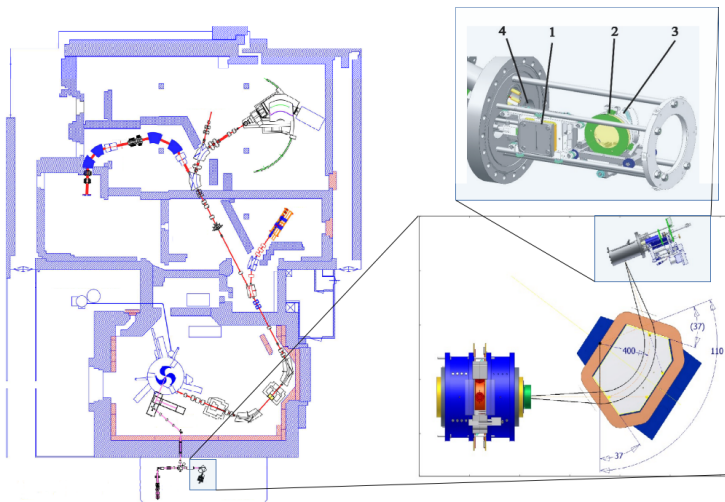
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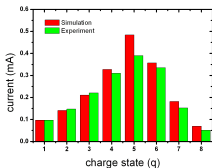
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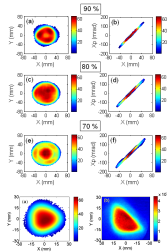
# Experimental setup



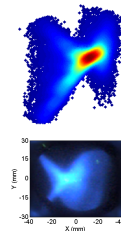
- ▶ Previous work: PIC plasma simulations (V. Mironov) and trajectory integration (S. Saminathan)
- ▶ Some results for 24-q keV Ne<sup>q+</sup> beams:



CSD behind M110



Beam profiles and  
emittances behind  
ECRIS



Beam profiles  
behind M90

- ▶ Conclusions:
  - ▶ PIC simulations describe ion dynamics in ECRIS plasma well.
  - ▶ Extracted ion beams are fully space-charged neutralized.
  - ▶ Beam emittance behind analyzing magnet increases with  $\sim$  factor of 5 to  $\sim 300 \mu\text{m}$  because of large 2nd-order aberrations.
  - ▶ Beam emittance behind analyzing magnet is not very sensitive to details of initial phase-space distribution in front of magnet.
- ▶ Present work: Higher-order transfer maps calculated with COSY-INF (R. Kremers):

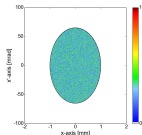
$$\theta_1 = M^{(k)}\theta_0 \quad \theta = (x, x', y, y')^T$$

- ▶ E.g. 2nd-order transfer map ( $k = 2$ ):

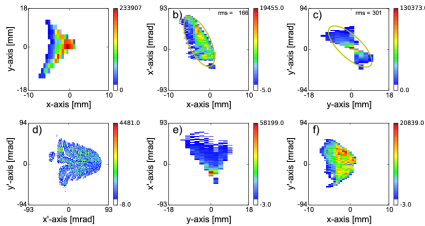
$$\begin{aligned}\theta_1 = & (\theta|x)x_0 + (\theta|x')x'_0 + (\theta|y)y_0 + (\theta|y')y'_0 + (\theta|xx)x_0^2 + \\ & + (\theta|xx')x_0x'_0 + (\theta|x'x')x_0'^2 + (\theta|xy)x_0y_0 + (\theta|x'y)y'_0 + \\ & + (\theta|xy')x_0y'_0 + (\theta|x'y')x'_0y'_0 + (\theta|yy)y_0^2 + (\theta|yy')y_0y'_0 + \\ & + (\theta|y'y')y_0'^2\end{aligned}$$

Dominant 2nd-order terms:  $(x|x'x')$ ,  $(x|y'y')$  and  $(y|x'y')$

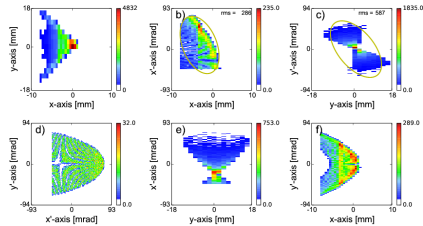
- ▶ Initial phase-space distribution before analyzing magnet is upright KV distribution with  $\epsilon = 65 \mu\text{m}$  for both transverse planes.



- ▶ Measured and simulated phase-space projections of a 25 keV He<sup>+</sup> beam behind M110:

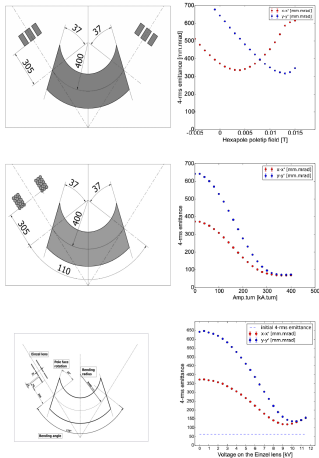


Measured phase-space projections.

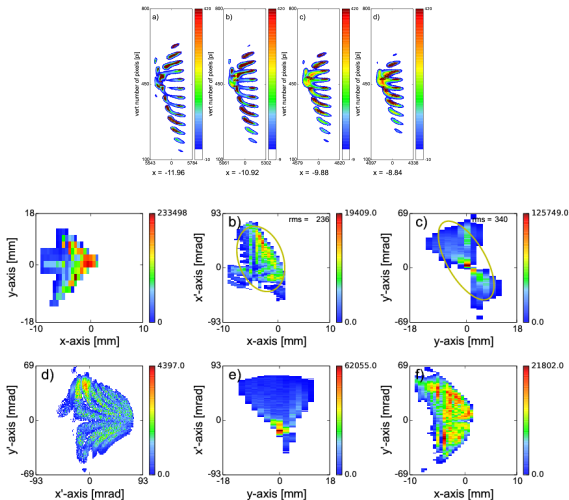


Simulated phase-space projections.

## ▶ Mitigation strategies to prevent emittance blowup:



## ▶ Pepper-pot analysis with overlapping beam spots:







## Conclusions

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- ▶ Extracted ion beams are fully space-charge compensated (at least for beam currents up to  $\sim 5$  mA).
- ▶ Low-energy beam transport well described by 2nd-order transfer maps.
- ▶ Well-designed analyzing magnet with minimal or compensated fringe fields is essential for efficient beam transport.
- ▶ To minimize losses keep beams as paraxial as possible and minimize fringe fields of optical elements.
- ▶ A focusing solenoid between ECRIS and analyzing magnet gives best results.