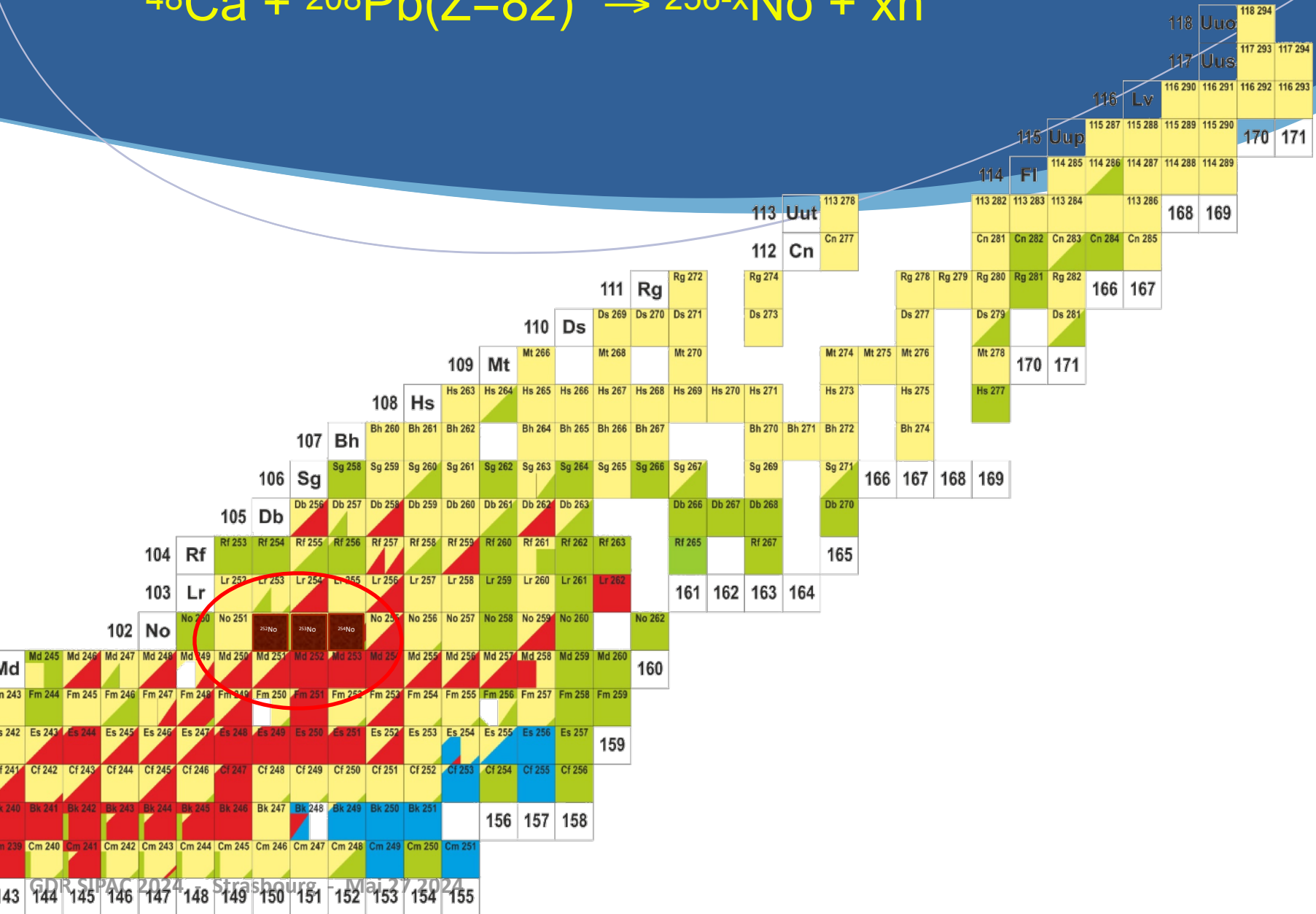


Metallic beams with MIVOC & HTi ovens

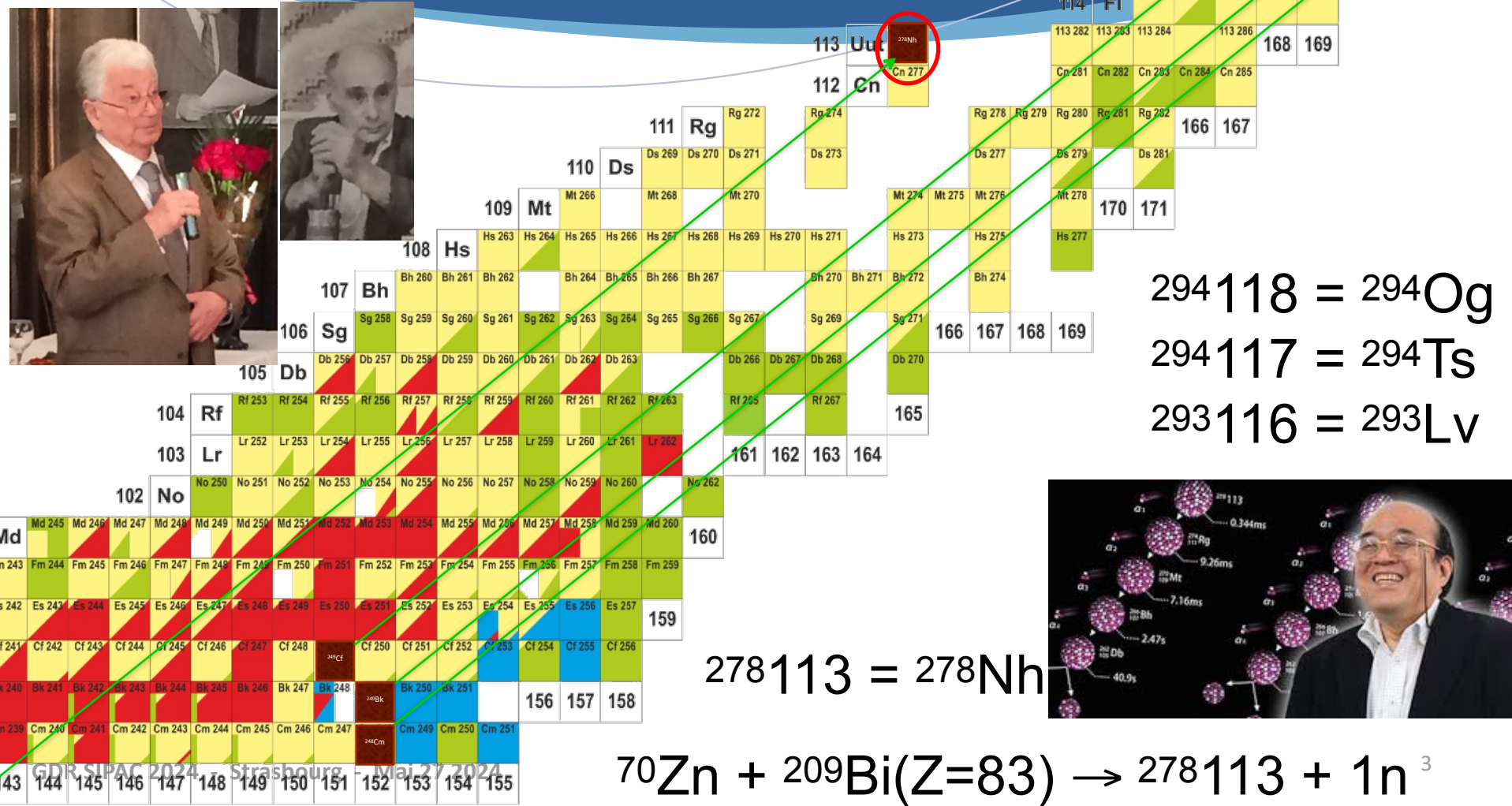
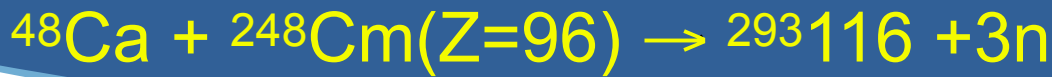
... from tens of pA to several μA ?

... making the impossible possible !

Cold fusion $^{208}\text{Pb}/^{209}\text{Bi} + ^4\text{Ca}$

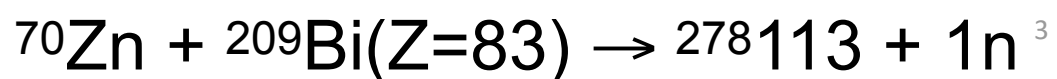
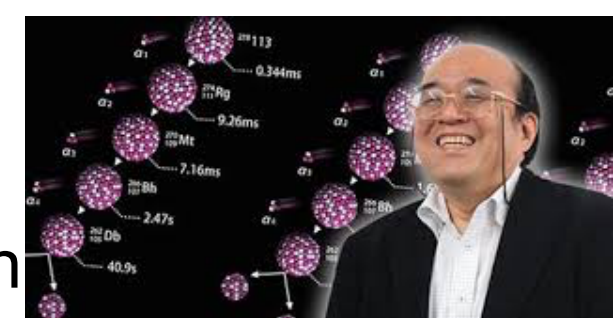


Cold fusion $^{208}\text{Pb}/^{209}\text{Bi}$ / hot fusion ^{48}Ca



$^{294}118 = ^{294}\text{Og}$
 $^{294}117 = ^{294}\text{Ts}$
 $^{293}116 = ^{293}\text{Lv}$

$^{278}113 = ^{278}\text{Nh}$



Cold fusion $^{208}\text{Pb}/^{209}\text{Bi}$ / hot fusion ^{48}Ca & Co

^{48}Ca ...

1 H hydrogen 1.008 [1.0078, 1.0082]																	18 He helium 4.0026	
3 Li lithium 6.94 [6.938, 6.997]	4 Be beryllium 9.0122											13 B boron 10.81 [10.806, 10.821]	14 C carbon 12.011 [12.009, 12.012]	15 N nitrogen 14.007 [14.006, 14.008]	16 O oxygen 15.999 [15.999, 16.000]	17 F fluorine 18.998	10 Ne neon 20.180	
11 Na sodium 22.990	12 Mg magnesium 24.305 [24.304, 24.307]											13 Al aluminium 26.982	14 Si silicon 28.085 [28.084, 28.086]	15 P phosphorus 30.974	16 S sulfur 32.06 [32.059, 32.076]	17 Cl chlorine 35.45 [35.446, 35.457]	18 Ar argon 39.95 [39.792, 39.963]	
19 K potassium 39.098	20 Ca calcium 40.078(4)	21 Sc scandium 44.956	22 Ti titanium 47.867	23 V vanadium 50.942	24 Cr chromium 51.996	25 Mn manganese 54.938	26 Fe iron 55.845(2)	27 Co cobalt 58.933	28 Ni nickel 58.693	29 Cu copper 63.546(3)	30 Zn zinc 65.38(2)	31 Ga gallium 69.723	32 Ge germanium 72.630(8)	33 As arsenic 74.922	34 Se selenium 78.971(8)	35 Br bromine 79.904 [79.901, 79.907]	36 Kr krypton 83.798(2)	
37 Rb rubidium 85.468	38 Sr strontium 87.62	39 Y yttrium 88.906	40 Zr zirconium 91.224(2)	41 Nb niobium 92.906	42 Mo molybdenum 95.95	43 Tc technetium 101.07(2)	44 Ru ruthenium 101.07(2)	45 Rh rhodium 102.91	46 Pd palladium 106.42	47 Ag silver 107.87	48 Cd cadmium 112.41	49 In indium 114.82	50 Sn tin 118.71	51 Sb antimony 121.76	52 Te tellurium 127.60(3)	53 I iodine 126.90	54 Xe xenon 131.29	
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^{48}Ca , ^{50}Ti , ^{51}V , $^{52,54}\text{Cr}$, ...

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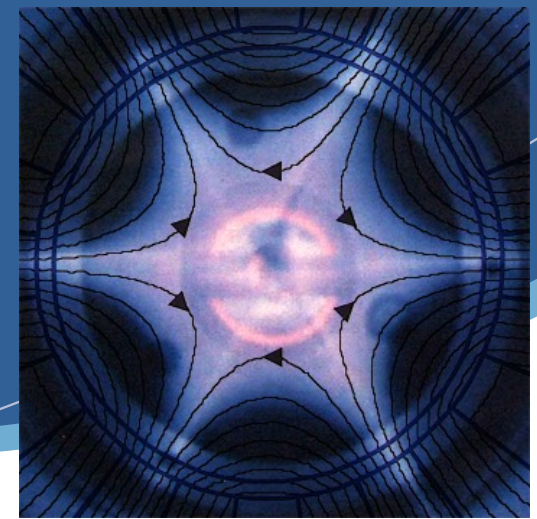
Magic beams for SHE... $^{40,48}\text{Ca}$, ^{50}Ti , ^{51}V , $^{52,54}\text{Cr}$

- Z=20
- N=20,28

Calcium	Scandium	Titanium	Vanadium	Chromium
Z=20	Z=21	Z=22	Z=23	Z=24
Isotopes	Isotope	Isotopes	Isotopes	Isotopes
^{40}Ca 96,9 % N=20				
^{42}Ca 0,6 % N=22				
^{43}Ca 0,1 % N=23				
^{44}Ca 2,0 % N=24	^{45}Sc 100 % N=24	^{46}Ti 8,0 % N=24		
		^{47}Ti 7,3 % N=25		
^{46}Ca 0,004 % N=26		^{48}Ti 73,8 % N=26		^{50}Cr 4,3% N=26
		^{49}Ti 5,5 % N=27	^{50}V 0,25 % N=27	
^{48}Ca 0,2 % N=28		^{50}Ti 5,4 % N=28	^{51}V 99,75 % N=28	^{52}Cr 83,8% N=28
				^{53}Cr 9,5 % N=29
				^{54}Cr 2,4 % N=30
$T_{\text{fusion}} = 842 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$	$T_{\text{fusion}} = 1541 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$	$T_{\text{fusion}} = 1668 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$	$T_{\text{fusion}} = 1910 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$	$T_{\text{fusion}} = 1907 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$
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Intense metallic beams

- Bring titanium in the ECR plasma
- Generate high charge states



Différentes techniques

Penning Ion Gauge

*ionization by an electric discharge
(metal titanium)*

TiO₂ Ti (M)

Sputtering

*tear away out of an
enriched rod (metal titanium)*

TiO₂

Ti (M)

Inductive Oven

*high temperature sublimation from
a metallic or oxyde pellet*

TiO₂

Ti (M)



MIVOC

*sublimation of organometallic
compounds*



TiO₂

TiCl₄

First Titanium MIVOC beams

- Need stable organometallic compound
- with enough vapor pressure



TABLE I. The MIVOC compounds that have been used for the production of metal ion beams.

Element	Compound
Mg	$Mg(C_5H_5)_2$
Si	$Si\{Si[(CH_3)_3]\}_4$
Cr	$Cr(C_5H_5)_2$ or $Cr(CO)_6$
Fe	$Fe(C_5H_5)_2$
Co	$Co(C_5H_5)_2$ or $Co_2(CO)_8$
Ni	$Ni(C_5H_5)_2$
Ge	$Ge(C_2H_5)_4$
Mo	$Mo(CO)_6$
Ru	$Ru(C_5H_5)_2$
I	I_2CH_2
W	$W(CO)_6$
Os	$Os(C_5H_5)_2$

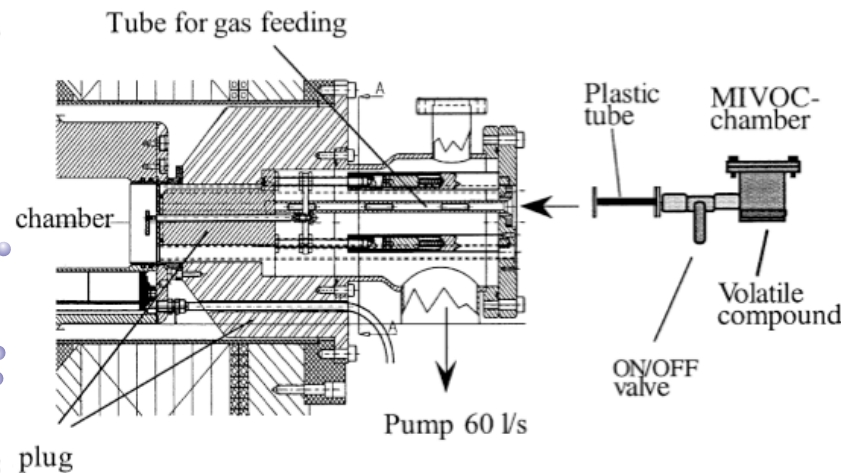
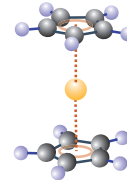


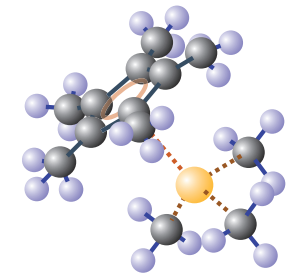
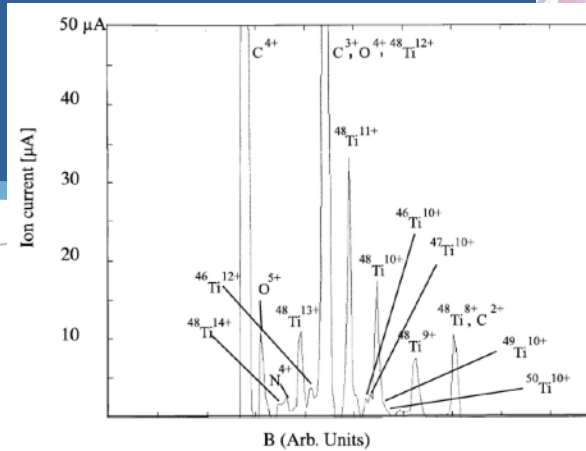
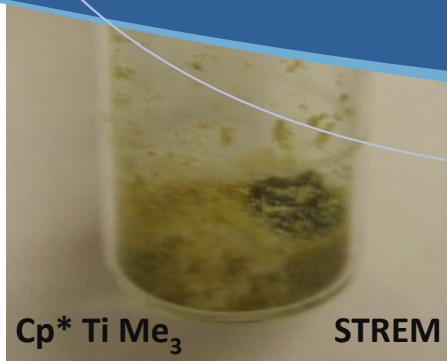
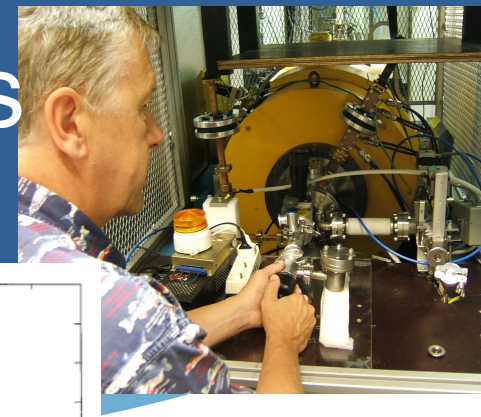
Fig. 2. The MIVOC chamber connection to the injection side of the JYFL 14 GHz ECRIS.

H. Koivisto et al., NIM B 187 (2002)111



First titanium MIVOC beams

- test all commercial available
- Oxygen-free (Ti getter)



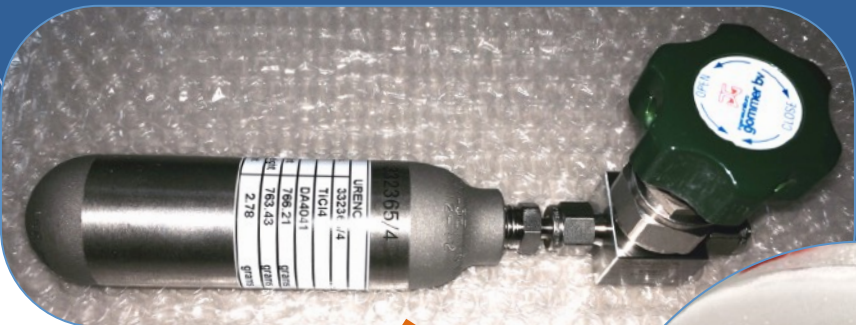
Intensities of measured Ti ion beams from H. Koivisto et al., NIM B 187 (2002)111

Isotope/charge	8+	9+	10+	11+	12+	13+
^{46}Ti 7.9%	3.6*	4.7 *	4.8 *	4.8 *	3.9	1.6 *
^{47}Ti 7.3%	3.3 *	4.3 *	4.4 *	4.4 *	3.6 *	1.4 *
^{48}Ti 73.9%	33	43	44	45	36 *	14.3
^{49}Ti 5.5%	2.5 *	3.2 *	3.3 *	3.3 *	2.7 *	1.1 *
^{50}Ti 5.3%	2.5 *	3.2 *	3.3 *	3.3 *	2.7 *	1.1 *

The abundance of the titanium isotopes in natural titanium is also shown. The asterisk denotes intensities estimated from the intensity of the same charge state of a different isotope. The extraction voltage was 10 kV.

92% Enriched ^{50}Ti MIVOC

Total efficiency can go up to
- 95% per step
- 86% total



-Step 0: Vacuum extraction



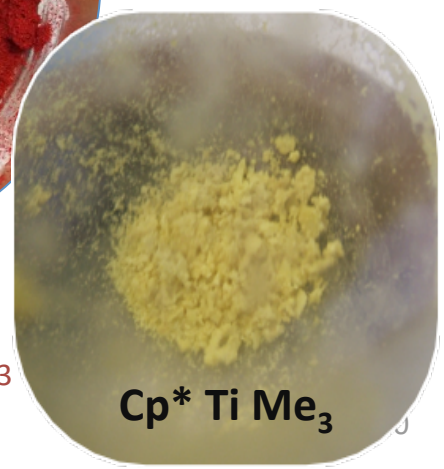
- Synthesis step 1 :

Preparation of Cp^*TiCl_3 from TiCl_4



- Synthesis step 2 :

Preparation of Cp^*TiMe_3

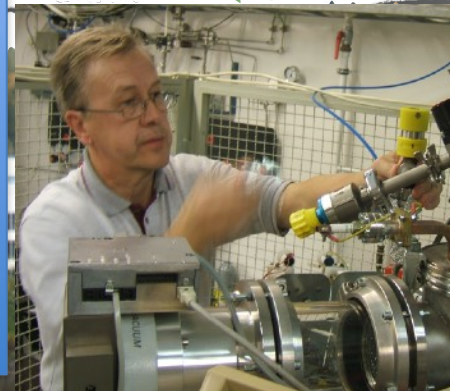
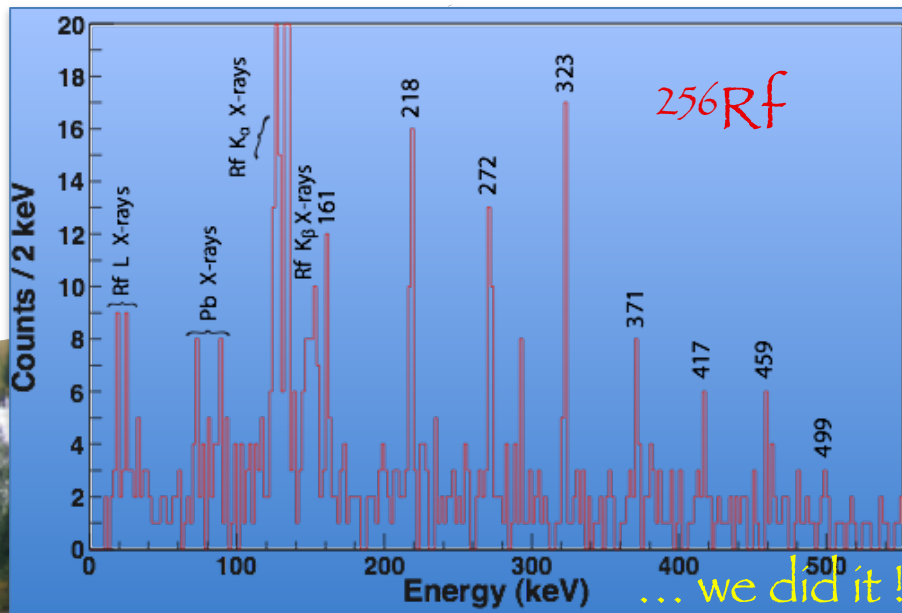
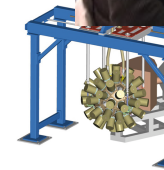
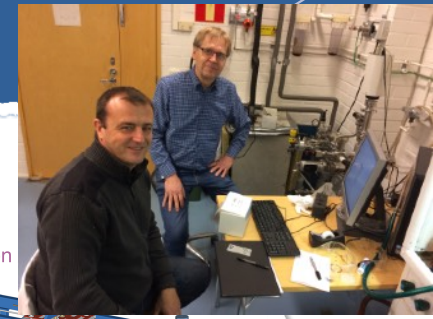
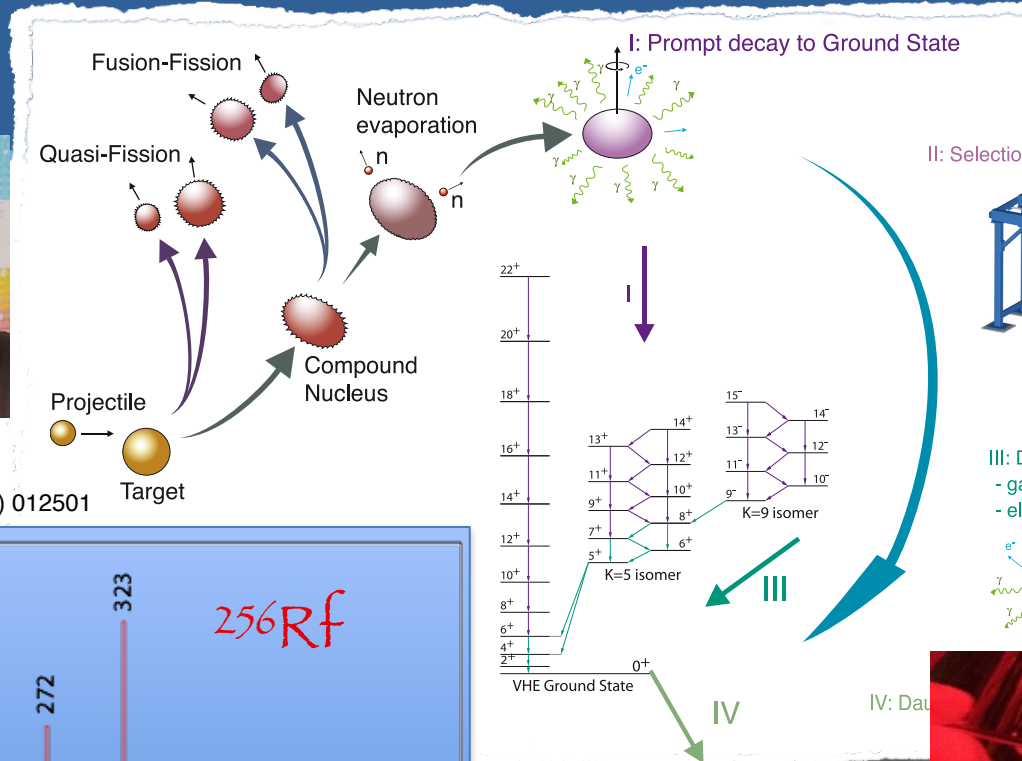


Initial aim: ^{256}Rf prompt spectroscopy

Needed 50 pA of ^{50}Ti beam ... ???



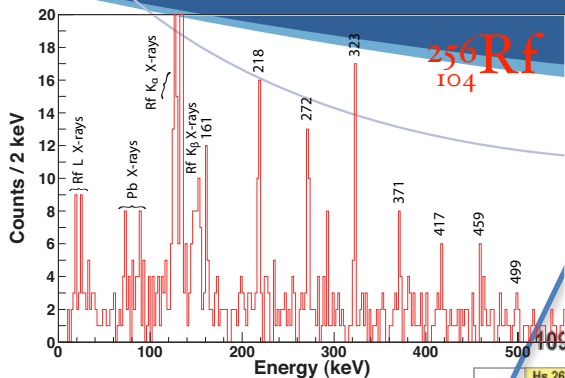
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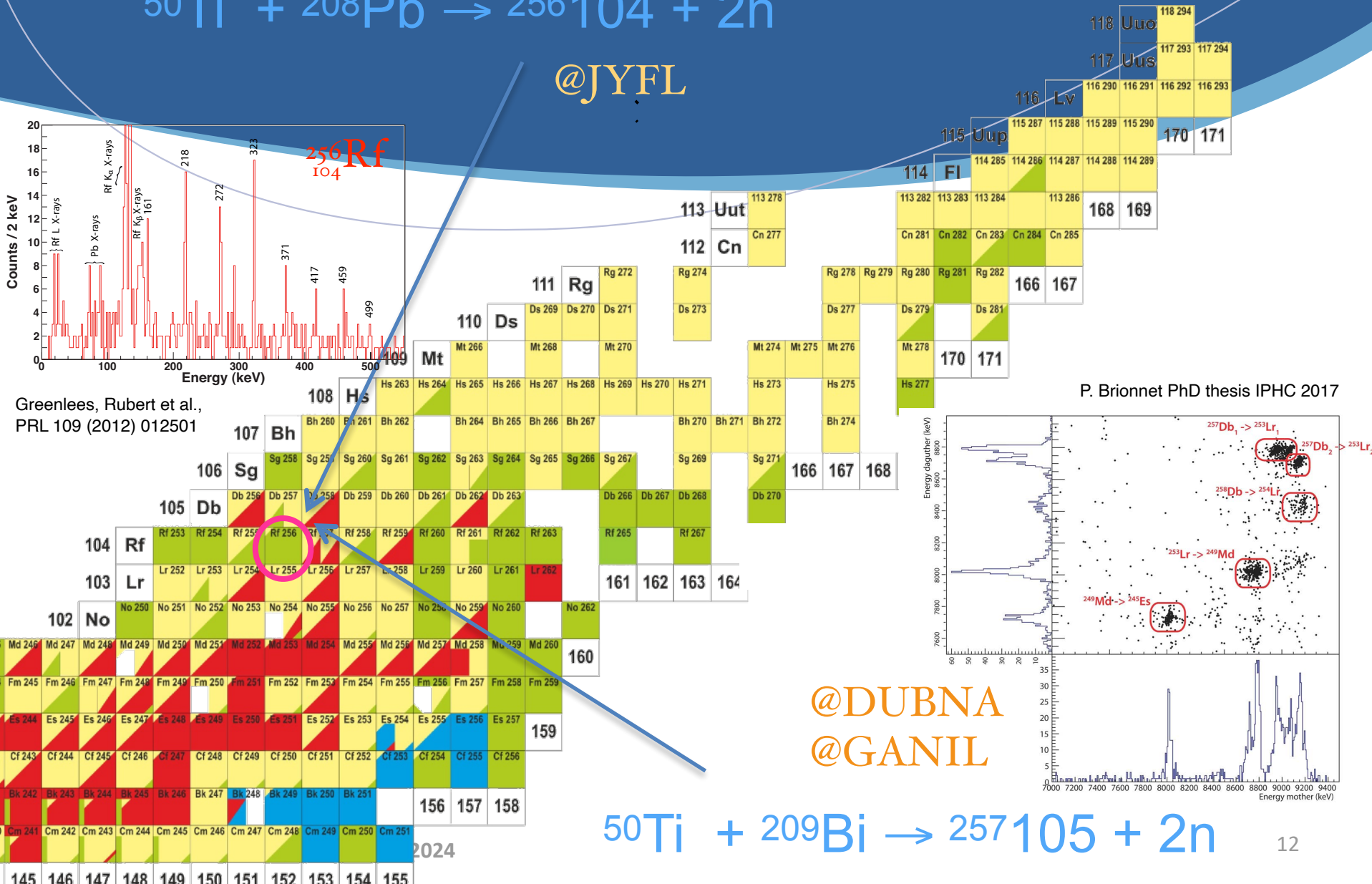
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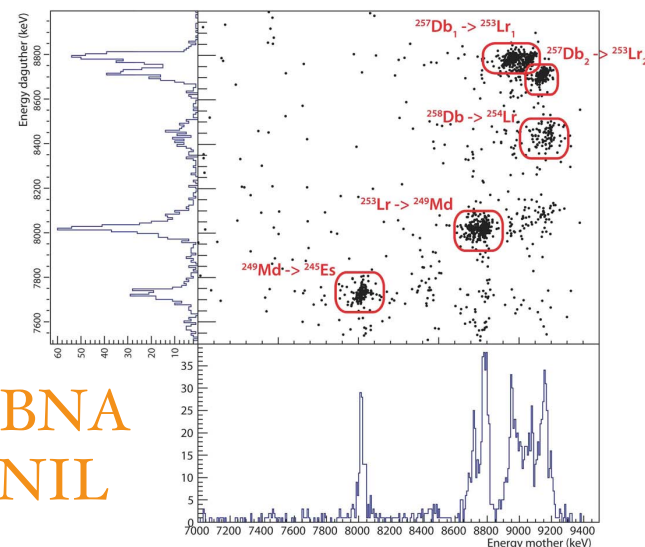
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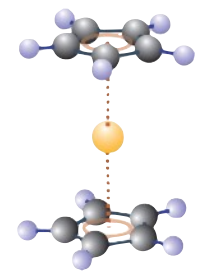
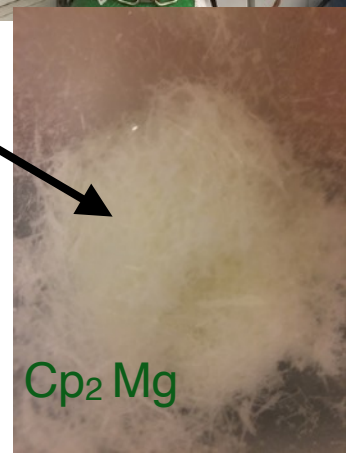
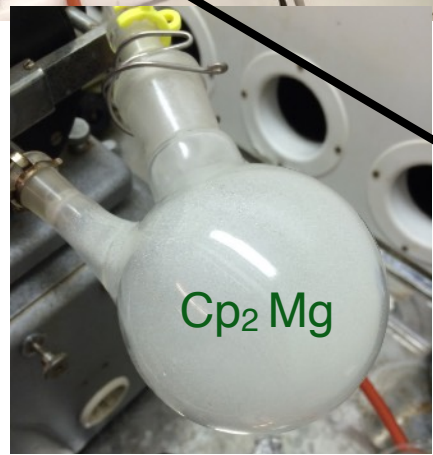
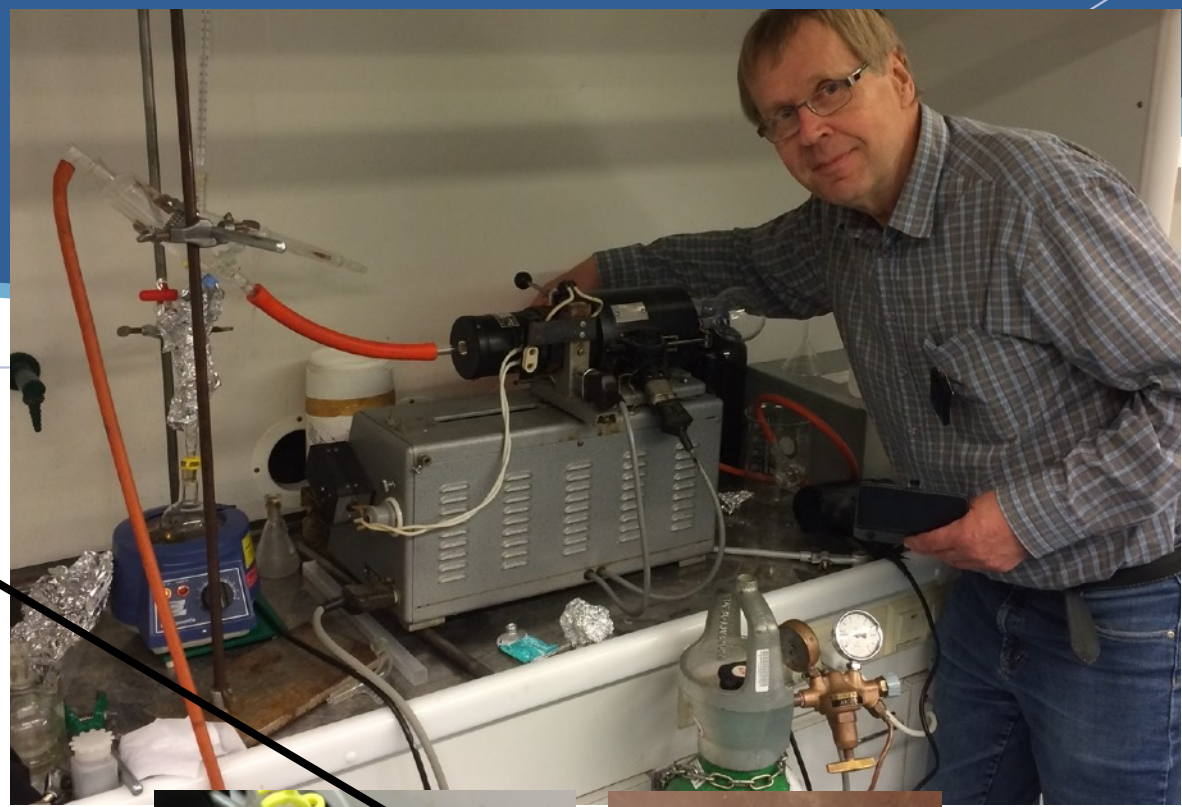
Magnesocene MIVOC



*Synthesis
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from Mg (M)

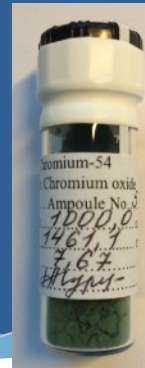
*and
dicyclopentadiene*



Chromocene: Cp₂Cr

Synthesis @IPHC Strasbourg
from Cr₂O₃

2018 success



Cp₂⁵⁴Cr

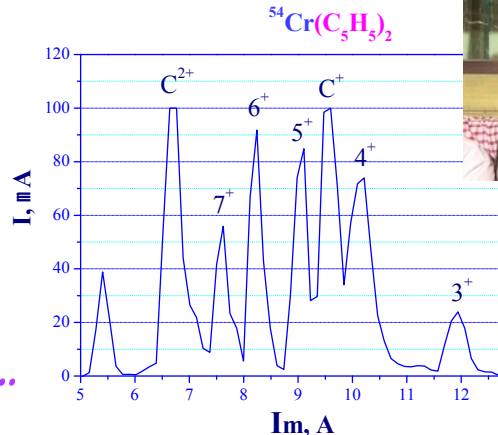
Very pure compound (recrystallized Cp₂Cr)

Process efficiency ~87% , but we work on process & reprocess

Tested on DUBNA ECR ion sources

Successfully
extracted

5+ -> 95 μA
=> 19 μA ...



Cp₂⁵⁴Cr

~1 μA on target expected

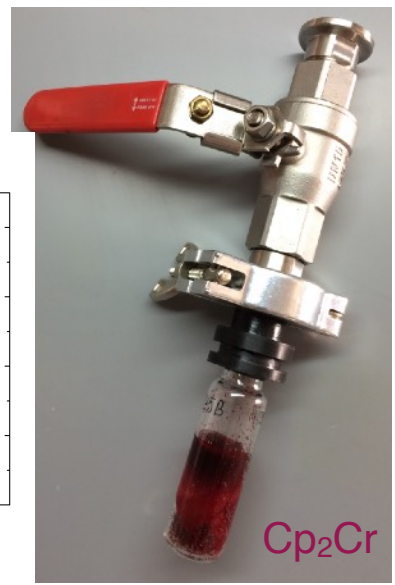
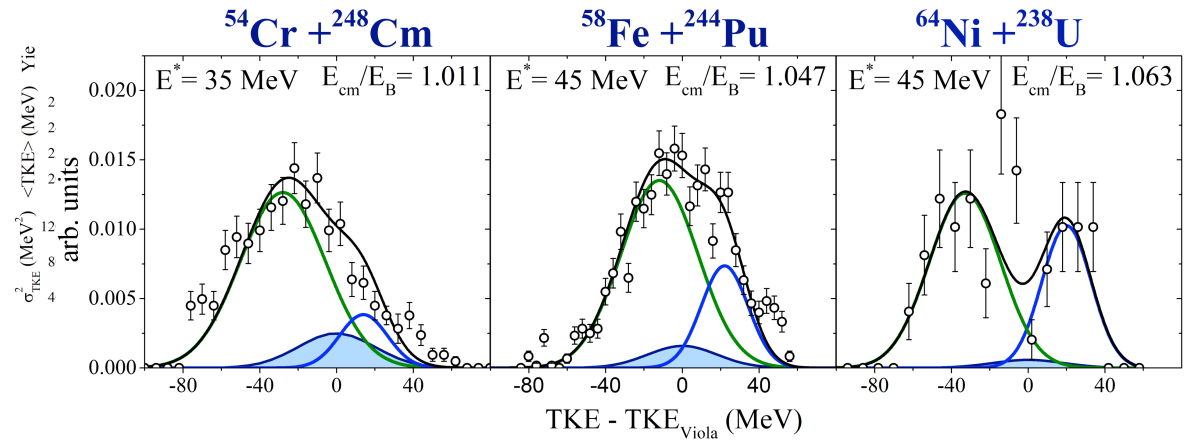
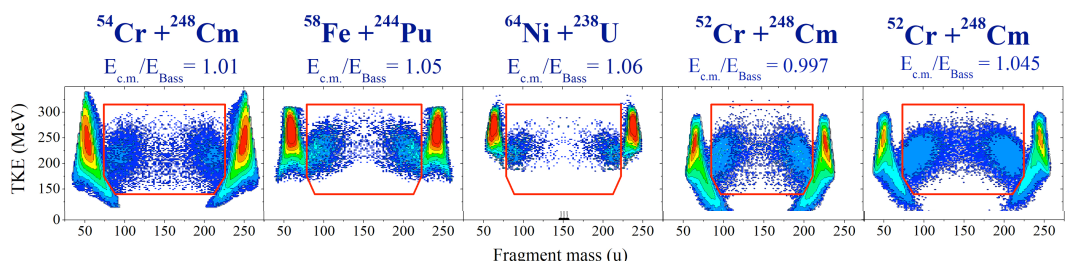
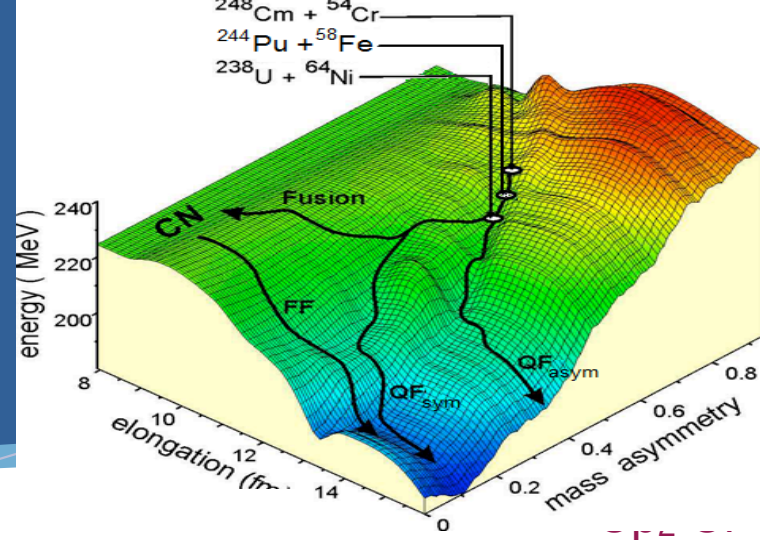
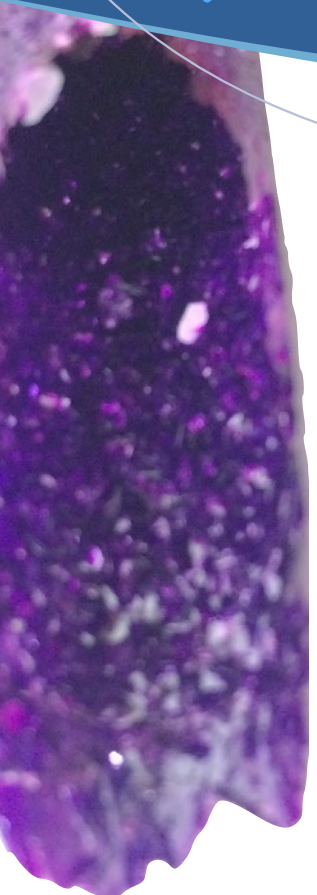
Study of fission of E120 in Dubna 2019



Cr Cl₃

Chromocene: Cp₂Cr

Synthesis @IPHC Strasbourg
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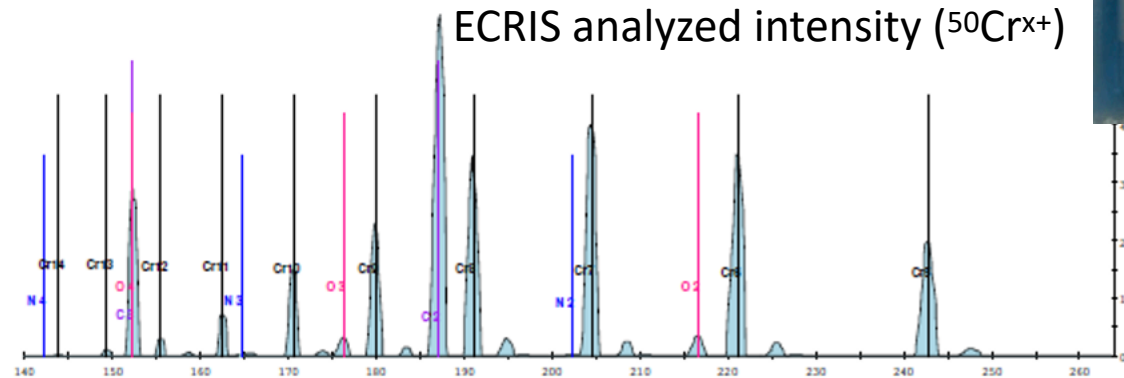
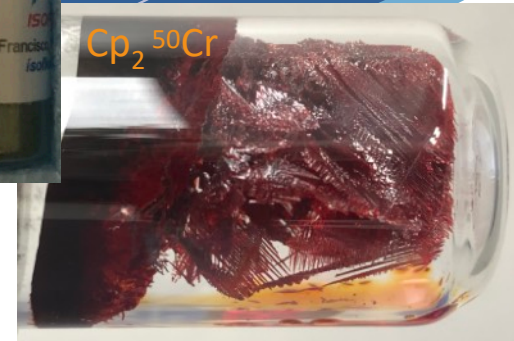
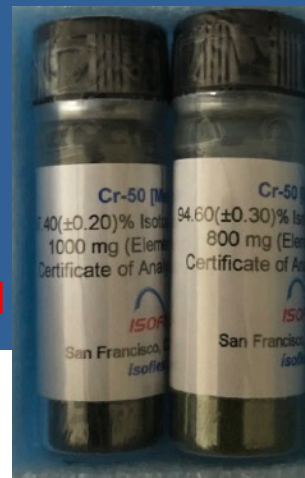
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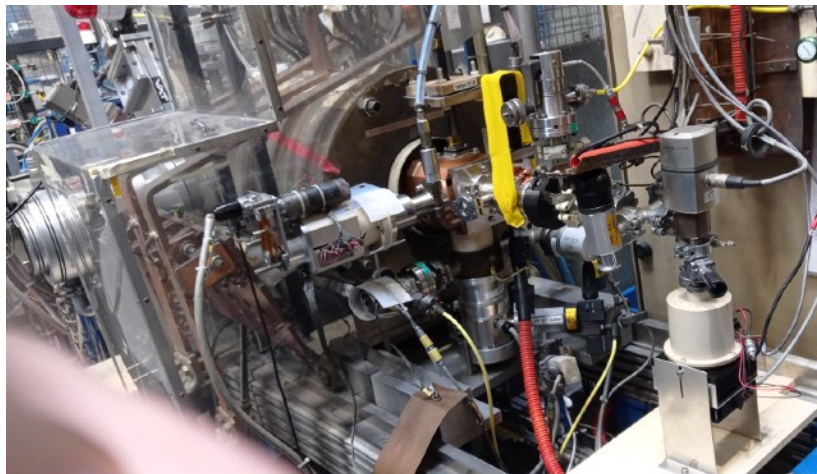
*Study of p-n pairing in ^{46}V
300h of beam*

E805_20 @GANIL, April

Isotopic synthesis
C. Charpentier,
@IPHC Strasbourg



$Cp_2^{50}Cr$ installed on the ion source



^{50}Cr (10^{13} pps) is accelerated 70 MeV/u

→ fragmented on a 1mm 9Be target

→ Selection of ^{48}Cr with LISE (10^5 pps @ 30 MeV/u)

then run $^{48}Cr(p, ^3He)^{46}V$

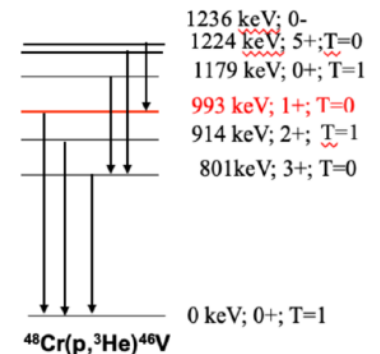


Figure 7: Level scheme of ^{46}V .

Nickelocene: Cp_2Ni

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Study of multi-nucleon transfert

Experiment @ JYFL April 2024

NEW MACHINES for SHE

2020 ...

SHE-Fact. commissioned
DGFRS2 commissioned
synth 50Ti ...
+ runs SHELS

SHE Factory



- > *New machine (SHE Factory)*
- > *No more foil extraction*
- > *Higher beam transport efficiency*
- > *New ECR sources (DECRIS-PM & DECRIS-SC)*

n RILAC



- > *Upgrade of RILAC to nRILAC (SC sections)*
- > *New ECR sources (28GHz SC ECRIS)*
- > *High charge state (^{295}Og run) no more necessary*

also LINAC + S3 @ GANIL



- > *New machine (LINAC)*
- > *New instrument (S3)*

n RILAC commissioned
GARIS II commissioned
E119 restarted 2-4 m beam/Y

+ NEWGAIN !!!

+ EURO-LABS !!!

Beams from $Cp^* 50Ti Me_3$

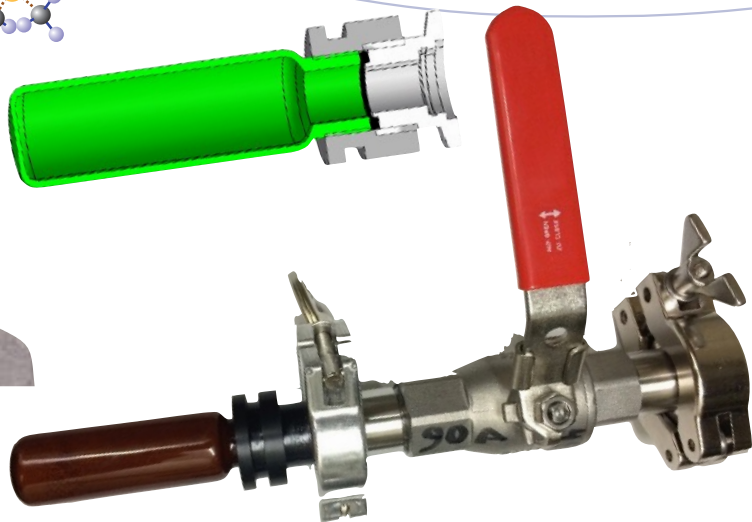
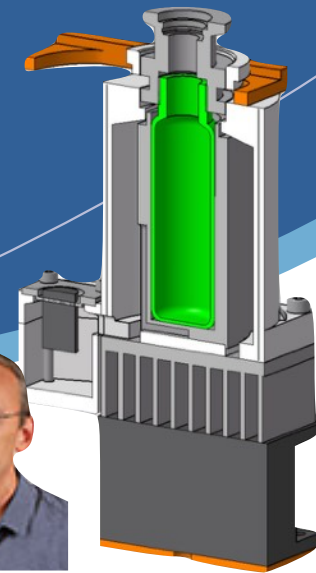
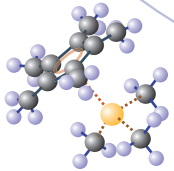
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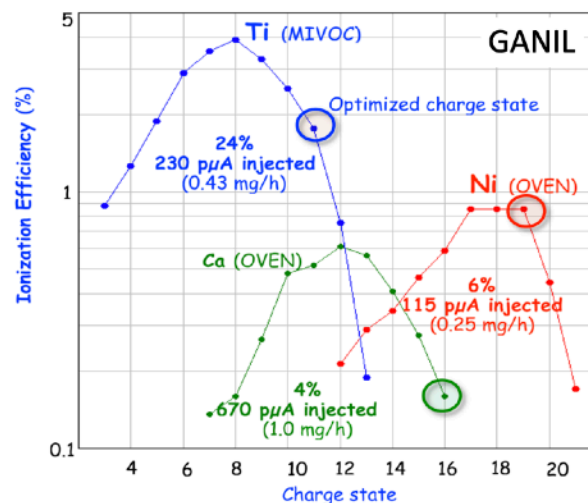
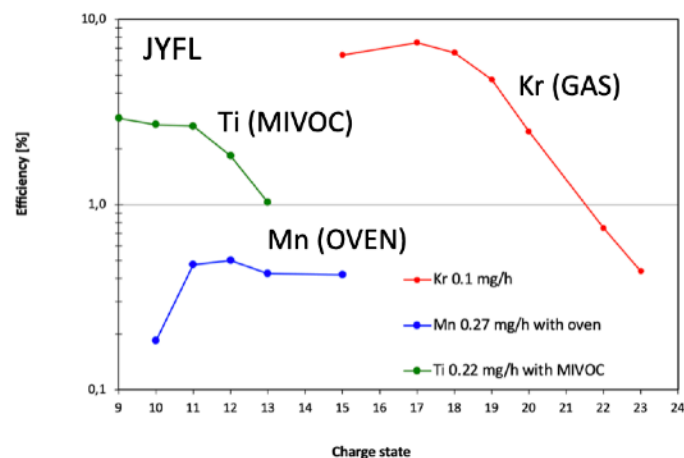


*Control MIVOC flow
with temperature
under high vacuum*

Task 1: Improved ion beam variety and production efficiency



Production efficiency comparison: gaseous element vs MIVOC vs oven



According to the experimental data:

- MIVOC compound behaves \approx like normal gas until the molecule dissociates in plasma.
- We may assume that the efficiency of evaporation oven should be comparable to MIVOC if capture efficiency of evaporated metal atoms is improved \rightarrow one focus point of ERIBS.

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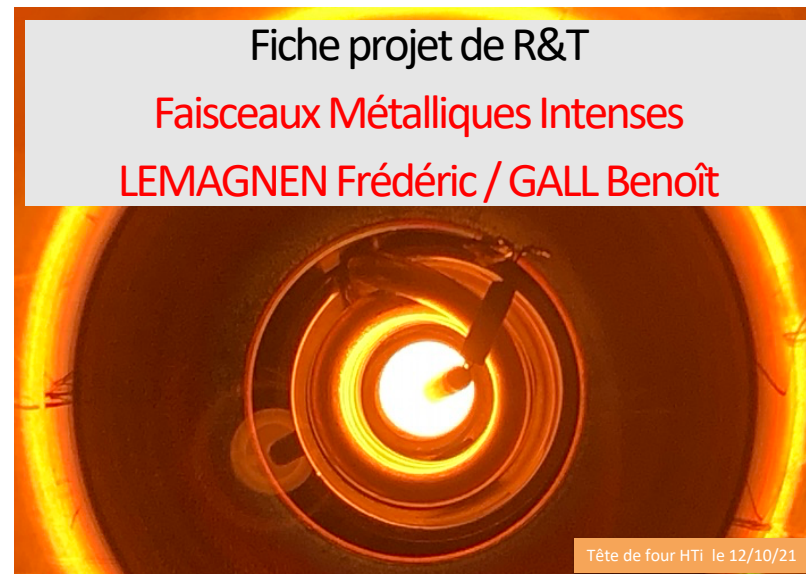
During ERIBS:

- MIVOC technology will be transferred to new laboratories
- New MIVOC beams will be developed :

Element	Proposer	Interest
238U	GANIL	INFN
70Zn	GANIL	INFN, JYFL
Ba	INFN	
Ca	INFN	JYFL/GANIL
93/94Nb	INFN	
Cr	JYFL: enriched compounds as a service	
Fe		INFN
Ni		
Ti		
Sr	JYFL	



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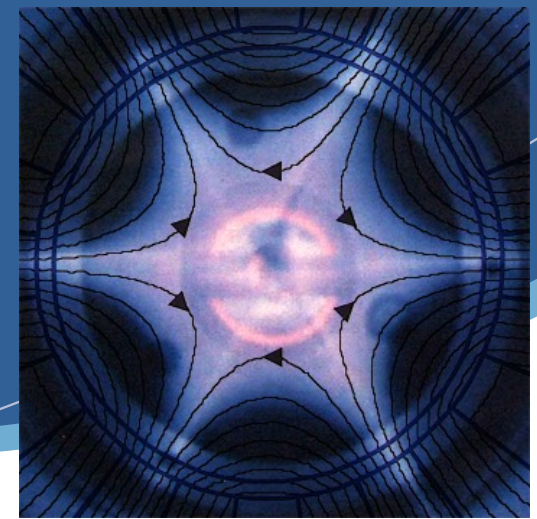
Titre / Title : Fiche Projet « Faisceaux métalliques intenses » « Intense metallic beams »

Résumé / Summary: Les faisceaux métalliques intenses de calcium, titane, vanadium, chrome et d'uranium sont d'une importance capitale pour la physique nucléaire au niveau mondial et particulièrement au GANIL avec S³. L'objectif est d'arriver à délivrer des faisceaux de 5 à 7 MeV par nucléons avec des intensités de 10 µA et plus ! Certains d'entre eux sont difficiles à réaliser avec les méthodes habituelles du fait de leur haute température de vaporisation. Ce projet propose de développer les outils et méthodes nécessaires pour arriver aux intensités souhaitées au travers de fours spécifiques ou de méthodes d'évaporation. Pour l'IN2P3 il est co-porté par le GANIL et l'IPHC.

The intense metallic beams of calcium titanium, vanadium chromium and uranium are of paramount importance for nuclear physics worldwide and particularly for GANIL with the S³ project. The objective is to deliver to physics experiments beams of 10 µA and more at 5-7 MeV per nucleon. Some of them are difficult to achieve with the usual methods due to their high vaporization temperature. This project proposes to develop the tools and methods needed to achieve the desired intensities through specific furnaces or evaporation methods. For IN2P3 it is co-carried by GANIL and the IPHC.

Titanium beams

- Bring titanium in the ECR plasma
- Generate high charge states



Différentes techniques

Penning Ion Gauge

*ionization by an electric discharge
(metal titanium)*

TiO₂ Ti (M)

Sputtering

*tear away out of an
enriched rod (metal titanium)*

TiO₂

Ti (M)

Inductive Oven

*high temperature sublimation from
a metallic or oxyde pellet*

TiO₂

Ti (M)



MIVOC

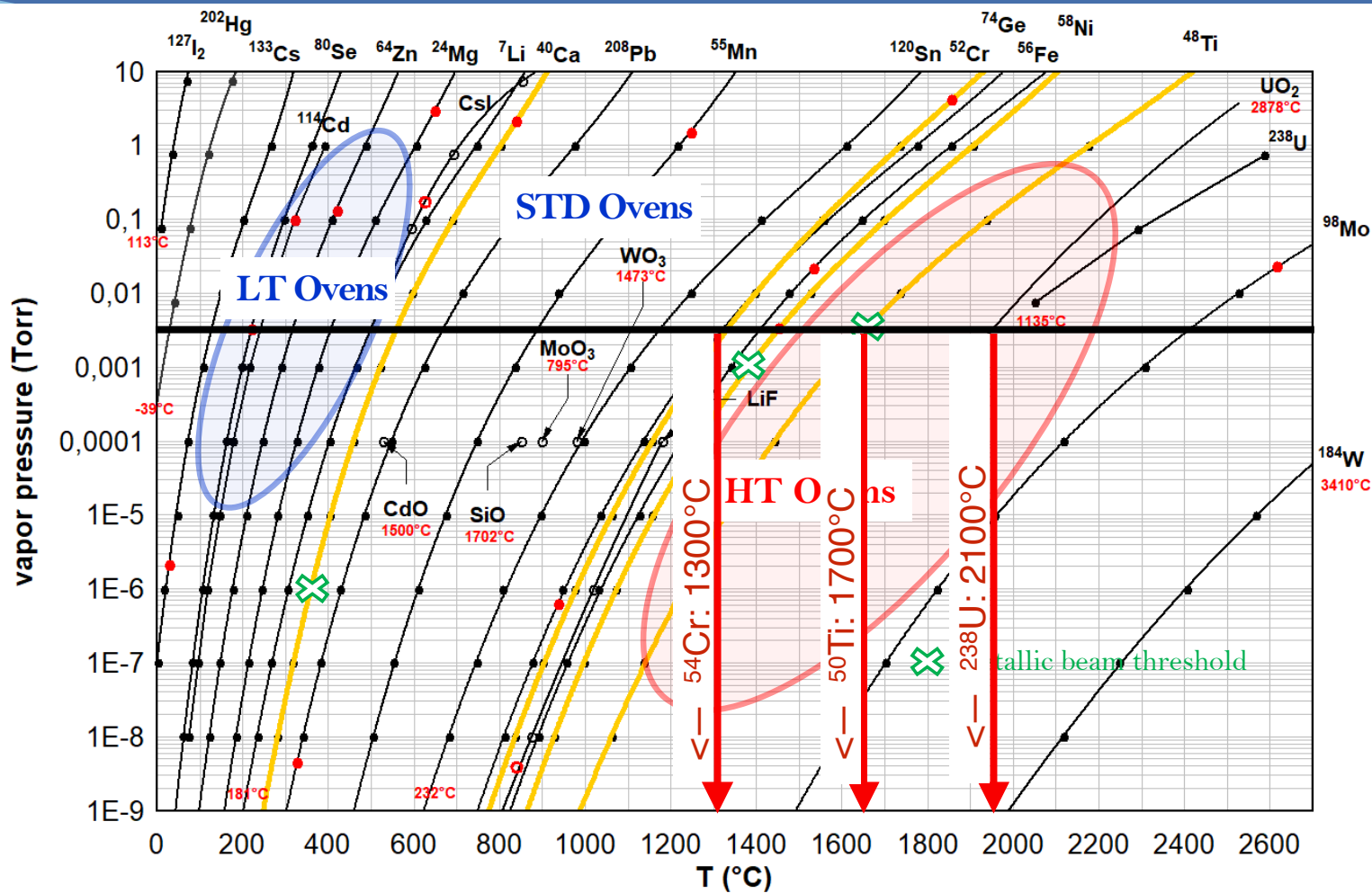
*sublimation of organometallic
compounds*

TiO₂

TiCl₄

HIGH INTENSITY METALLIC BEAMS

→ ^{50}Ti & ^{238}U need HT ovens



- ^{54}Cr : 1300°C
- ^{58}Fe : 1400°C
- ^{64}Ni : 1450°C
- ^{50}Ti : 1650°C
- $^{238}\text{UO}_2$: 1950°C
- $^{238}\text{U(M)}$: 2050°C

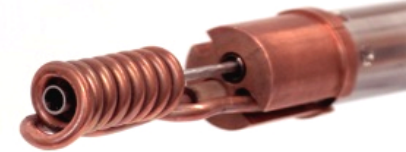
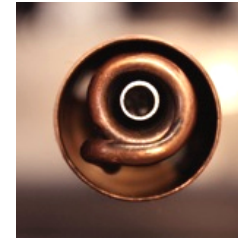
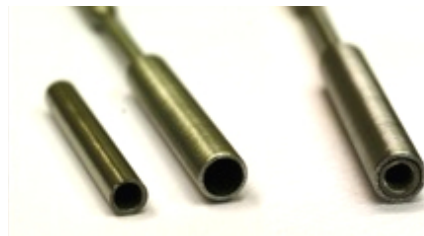
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Inductive oven (JYFL)

- Heating up to 2000°C
- Induction in Mo
- W crucible (IPHC)



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Ti (M) pellets



M.P. 1668°C

Needs reduction of TiO₂

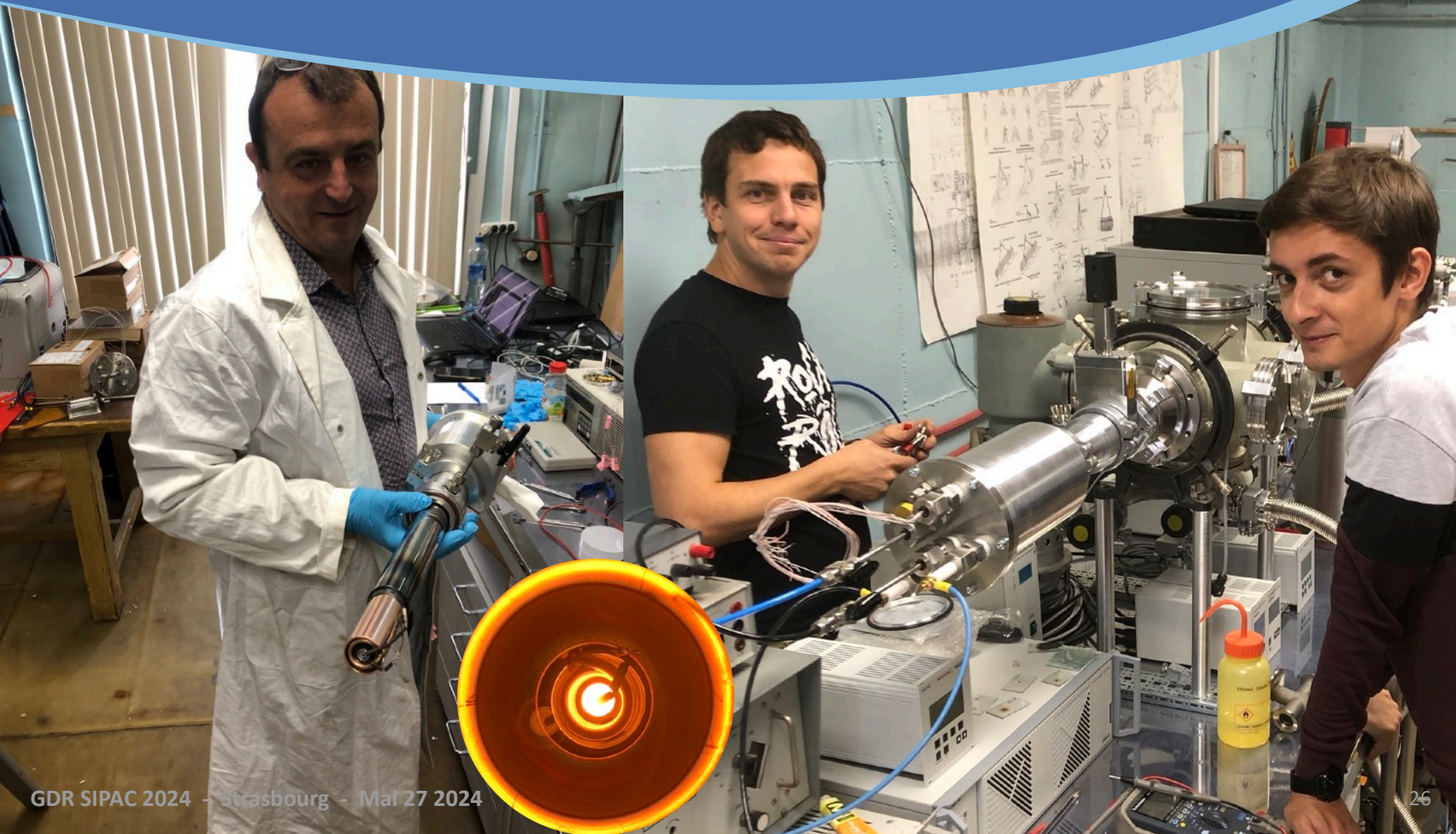
TiO₂ pellets

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Direct use

one got 4.5 eμA out of ECRIS2 @JYFL

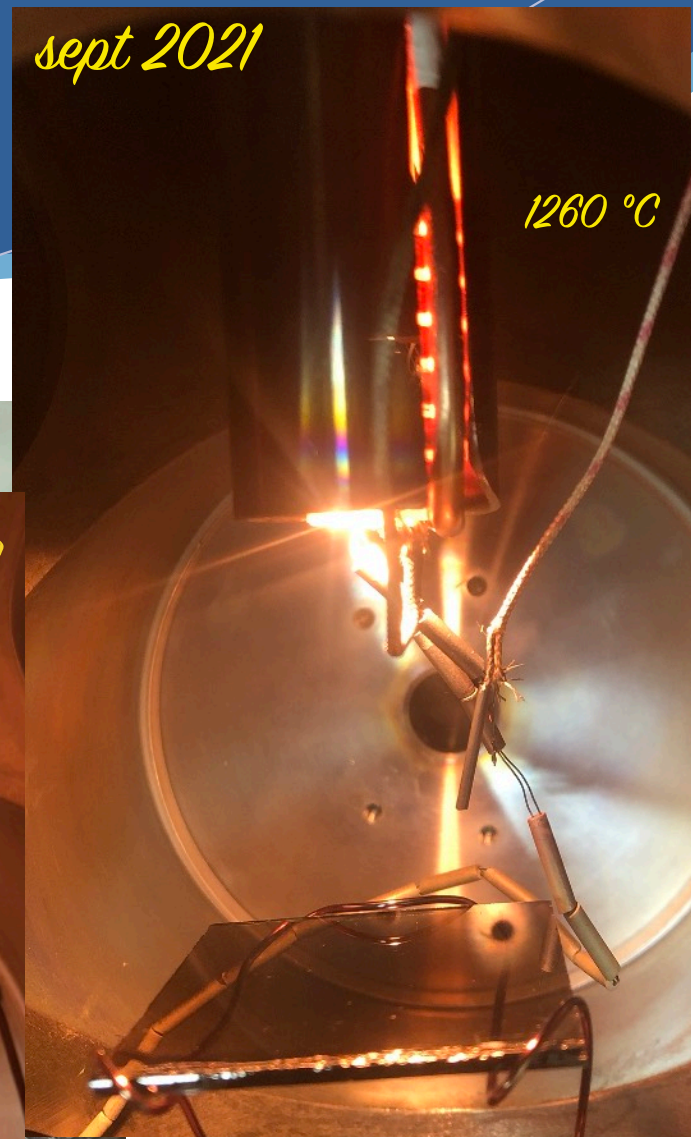
STATUS OF THE INDUCTIVE OVEN DEVELOPMENT



HIGH INTENSITY METALLIC BEAMS

→ Tests @ FLNR

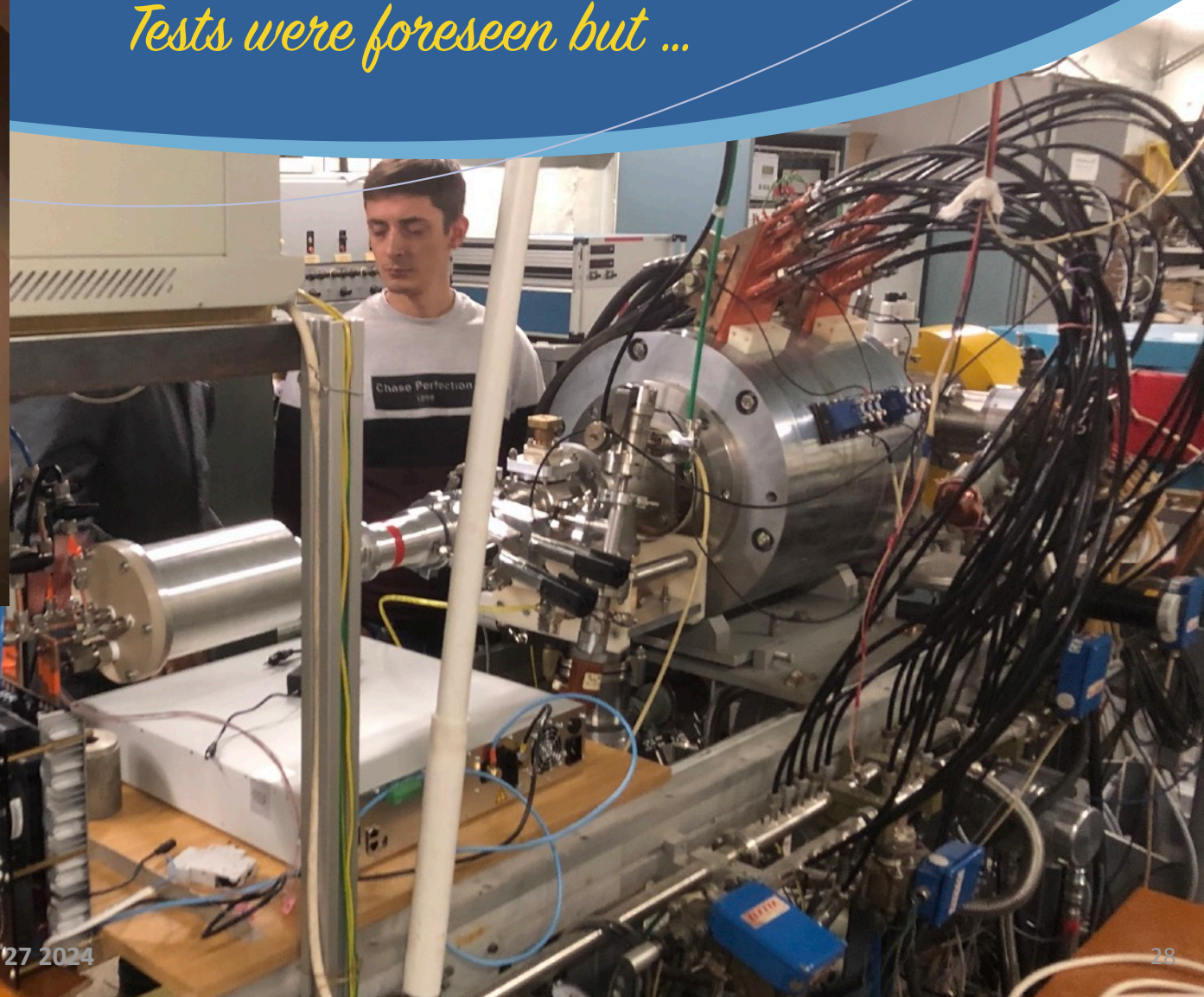
First Chromium & titanium depositions



PROJECT FROZEN @ DUBNA !

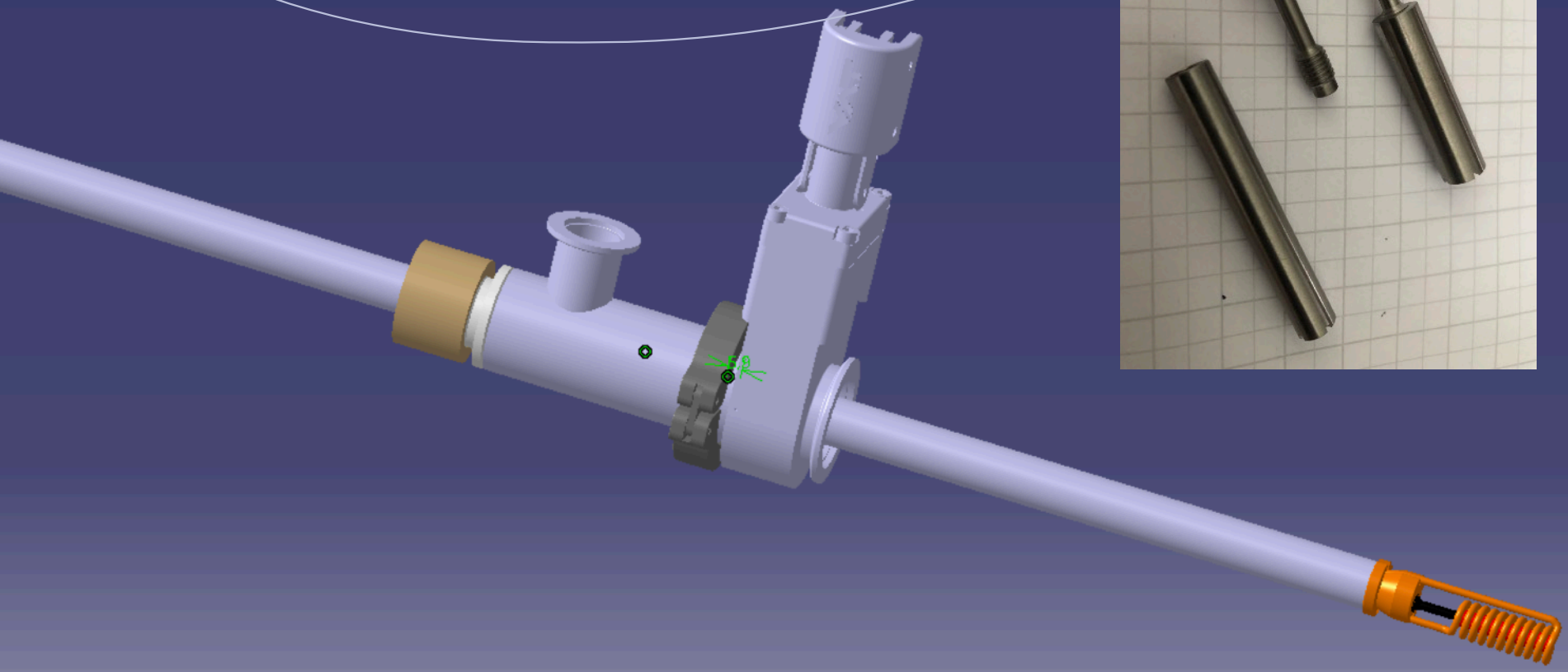


Tests were foreseen but ...



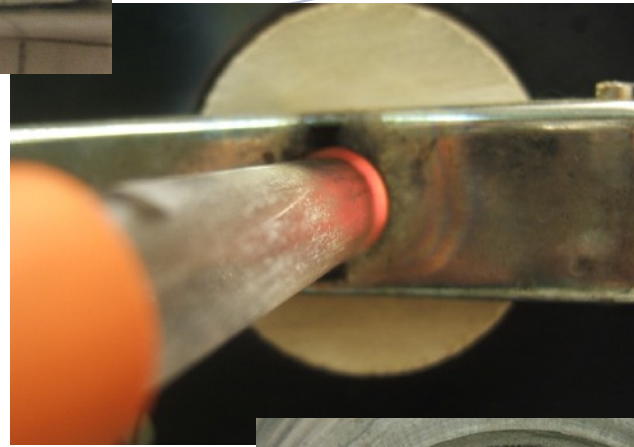
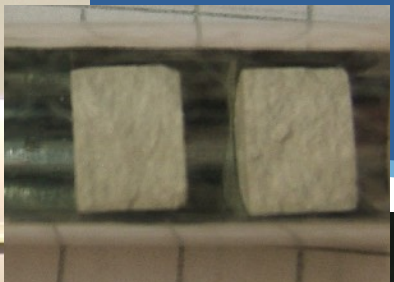
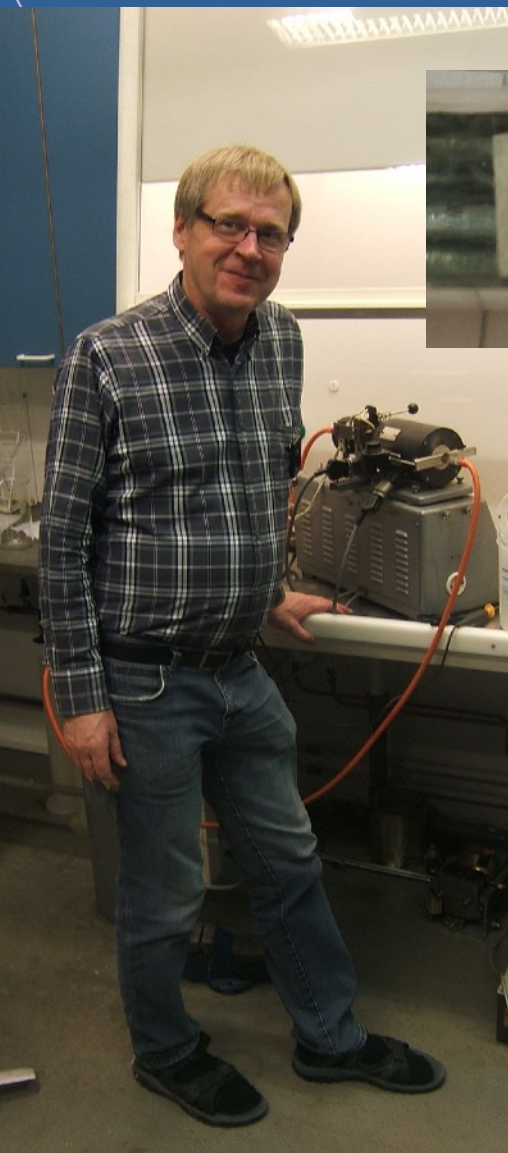
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Tests foreseen @ LPSC Grenoble...



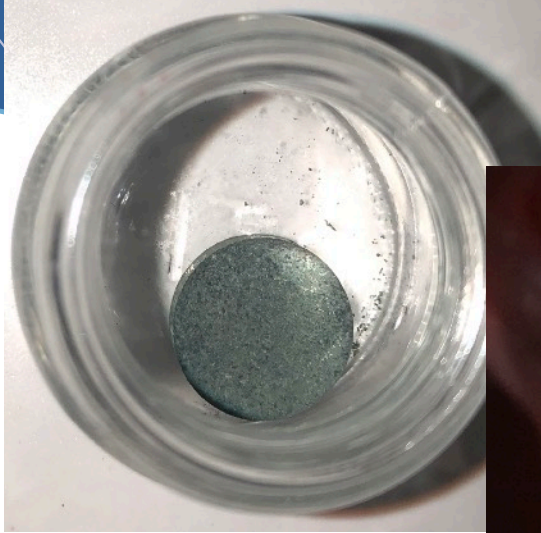
ISOTOPIC PELLETS PREPARATION

Titanium reduction @ JYFL

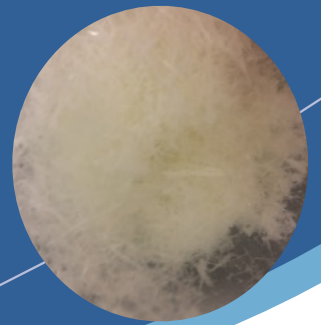


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Chromium with same method as Ti

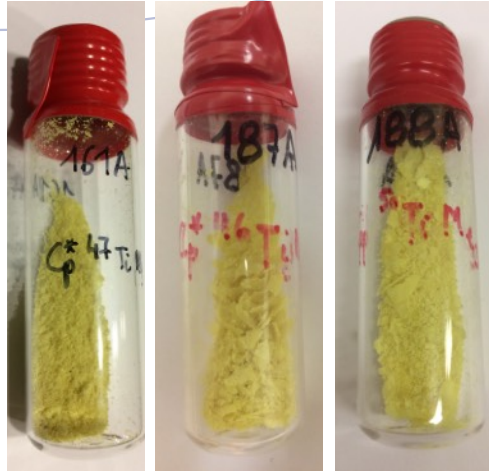


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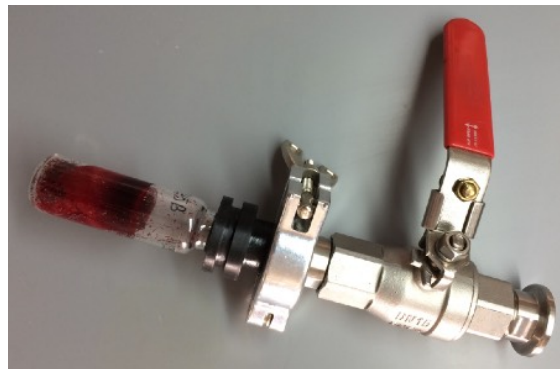


Enabled MIVOC from

- 50Ti (JYFL Sept 2011)
- 47Ti (JYFL April 2017)
- 46Ti (Dubna Sept 2017)
- 54Cr (Dubna Sept 2018)
- 50Cr (GANIL April 2023)
- 58Ni (JYFL April 2024)



2-3 μ A reached



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*R&D
Uranocene*



R&D HTi oven



- ϕ 20 oven tested
- 2500 °C reached
- new ϕ 20 oven

good way to 10 μ A