

HDice Target

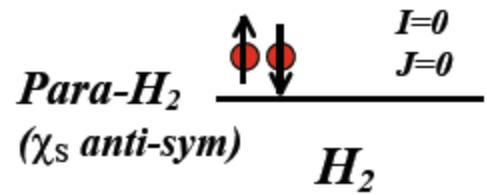
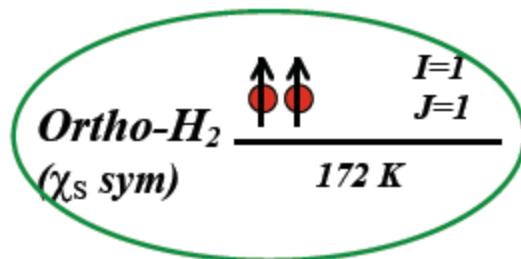
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Motivation

- Missing states in the baryon spectrum
- Broad and overlapping resonances
- Simple, Low Background, Portable

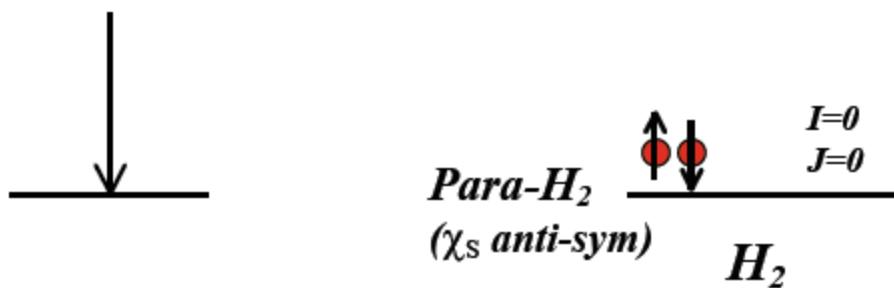
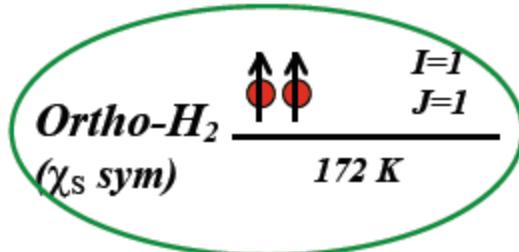
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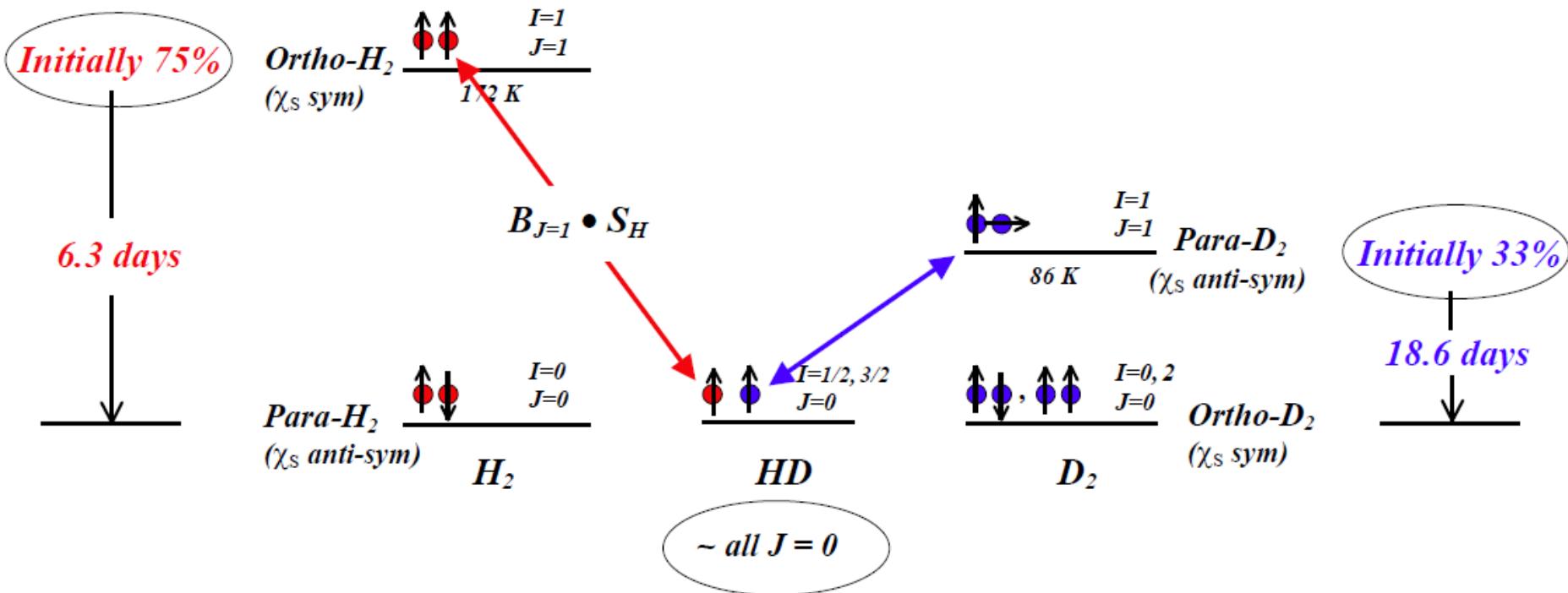
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Initially 75%

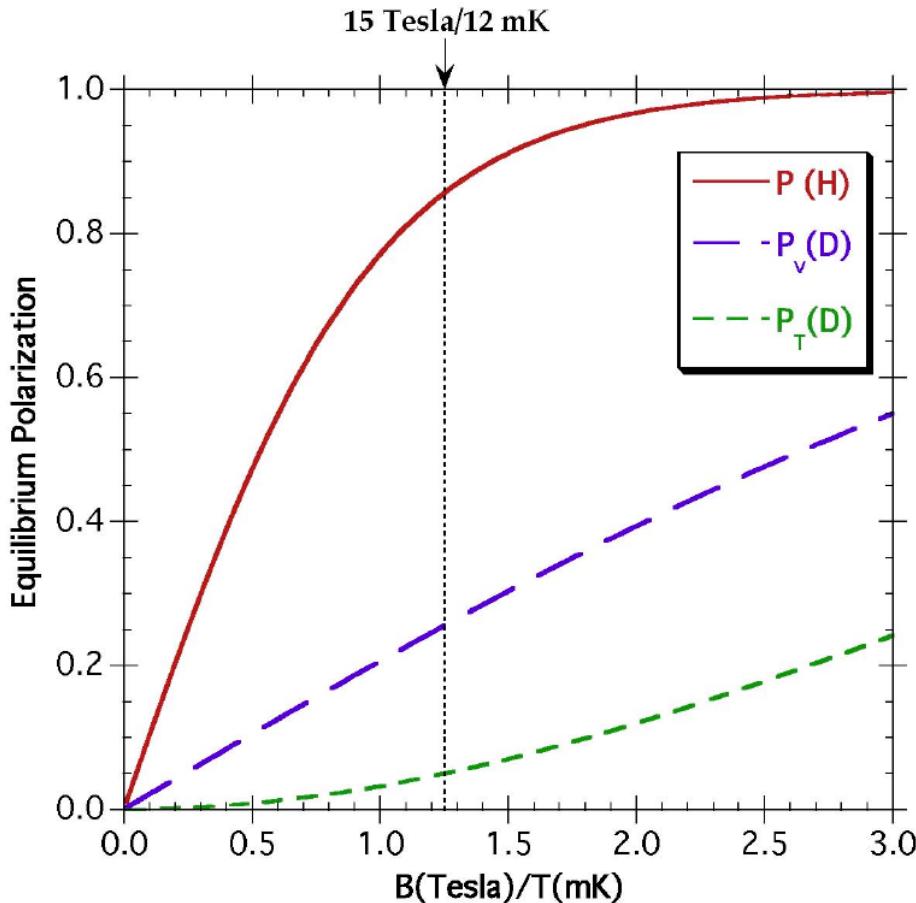
6.3 days



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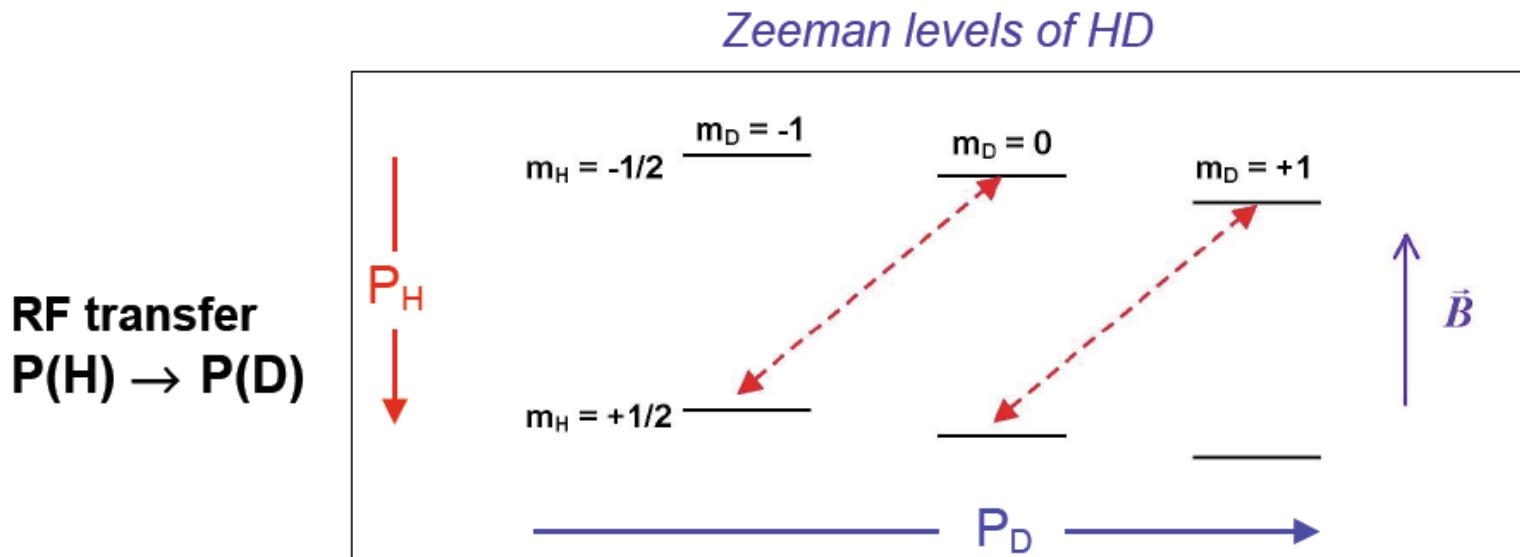
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$$P(x; J) = \frac{2J+1}{2J} ctnh\left(\frac{2J+1}{2J}x\right) - \frac{1}{2J} ctnh\left(\frac{x}{2J}\right), \quad \text{where } x = \frac{\mu B}{k_B T}$$

How the HD target work

1st forbidden adiabatic fast passage (**FAFP**) to invert state populations



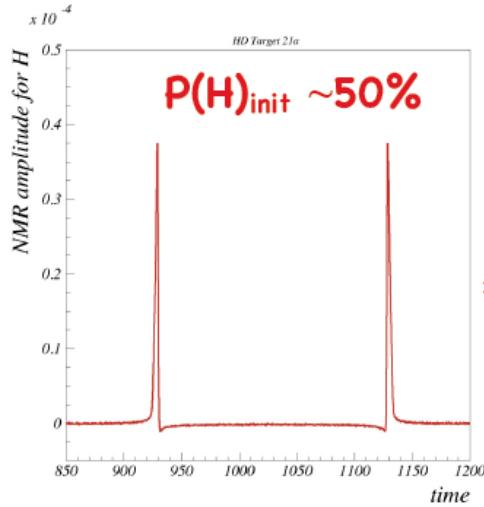
- requires high RF powers and very uniform fields

alternative: **saturate the FAFP transition**

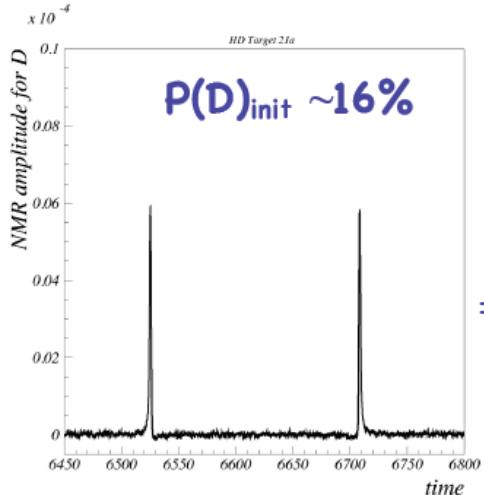
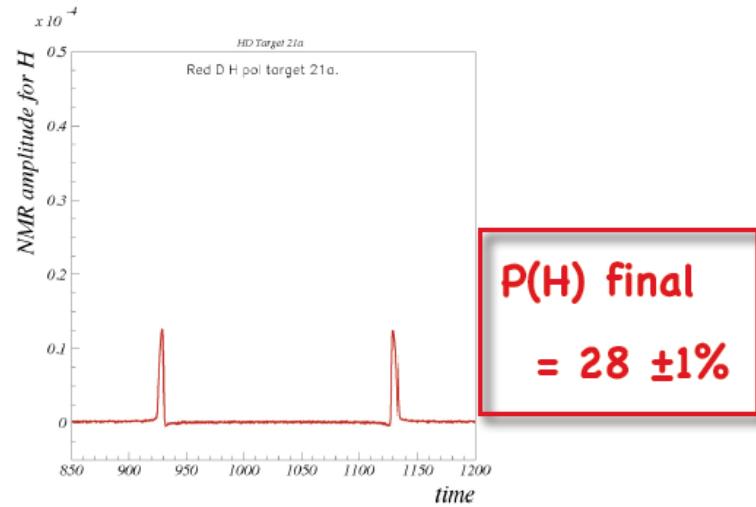
→ equalize $\{ m_H = +1/2; m_D = -1, 0 \} \Leftrightarrow \{ m_H = -1/2; m_D = 0, +1 \}$

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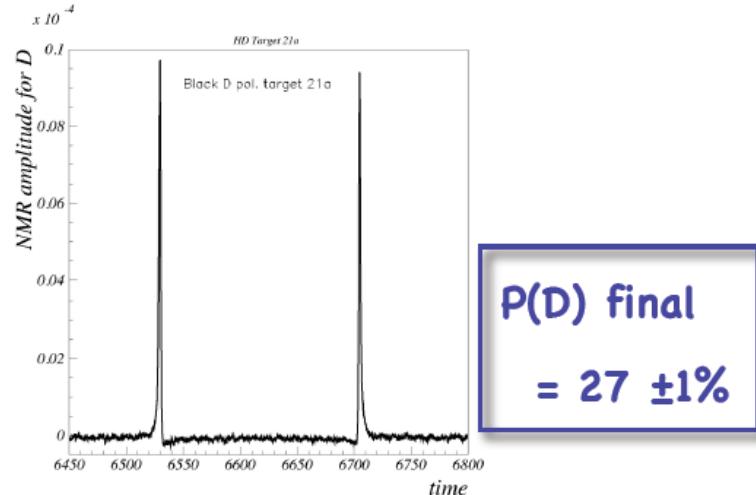
Saturated Fast Passage on HD target 19b in IBC:



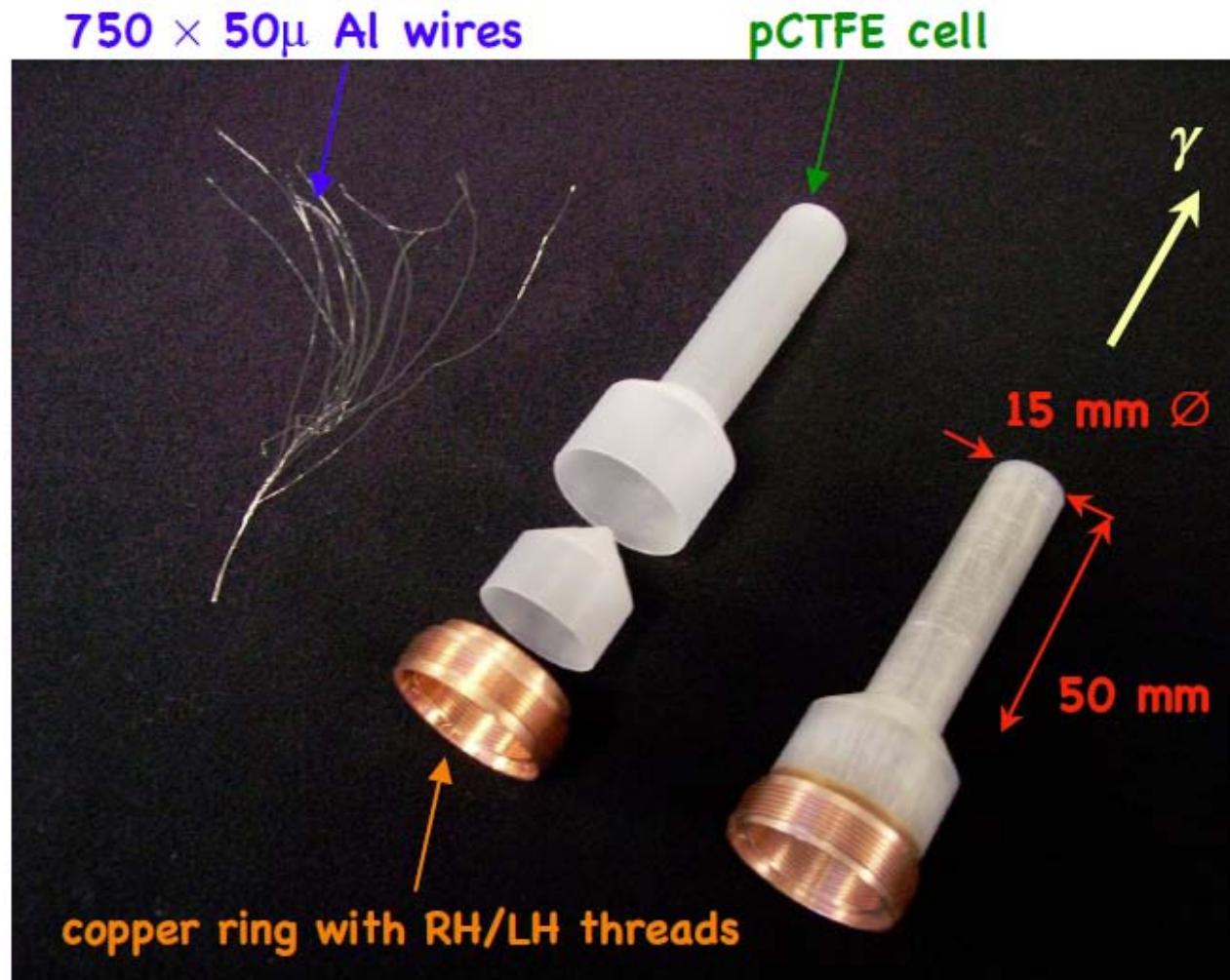
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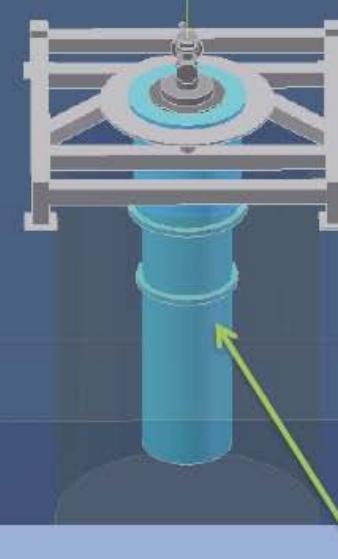


What the HD target look like



Material in the beam path: 77% HD + 17% Al + 6% pCTFE (vertex cut)

Cryostats used in HD Target Production



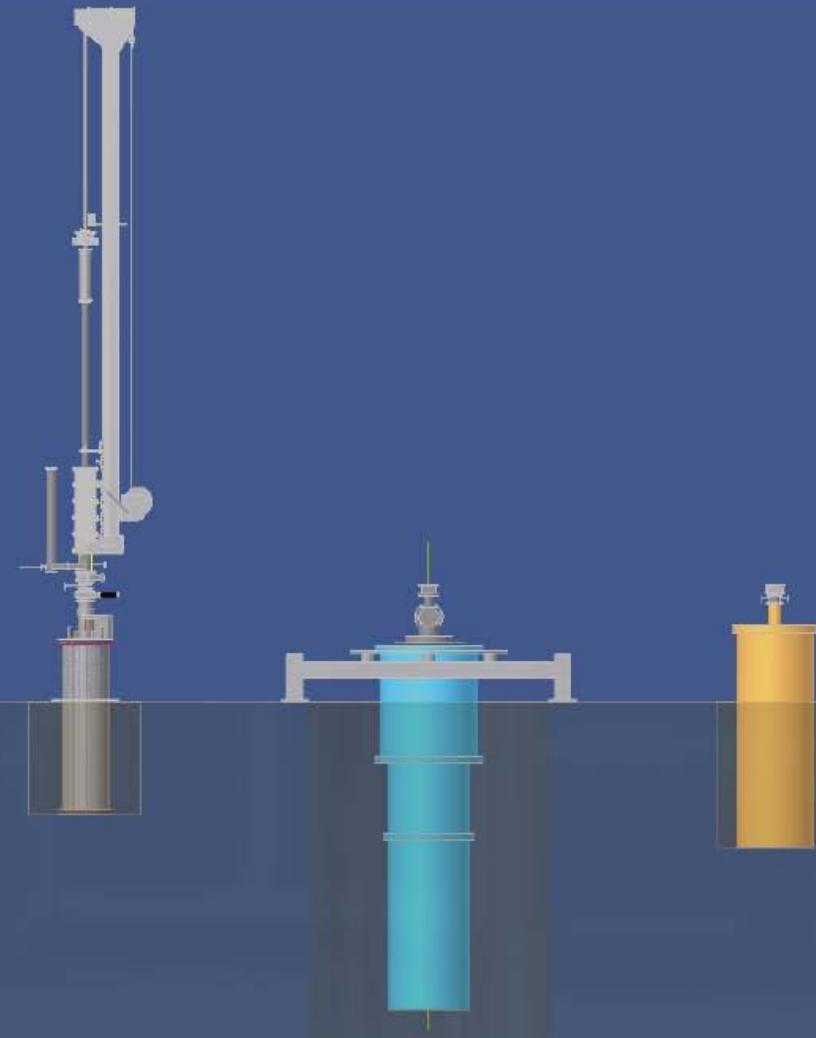
Production Dewar

Transfer Cryostat

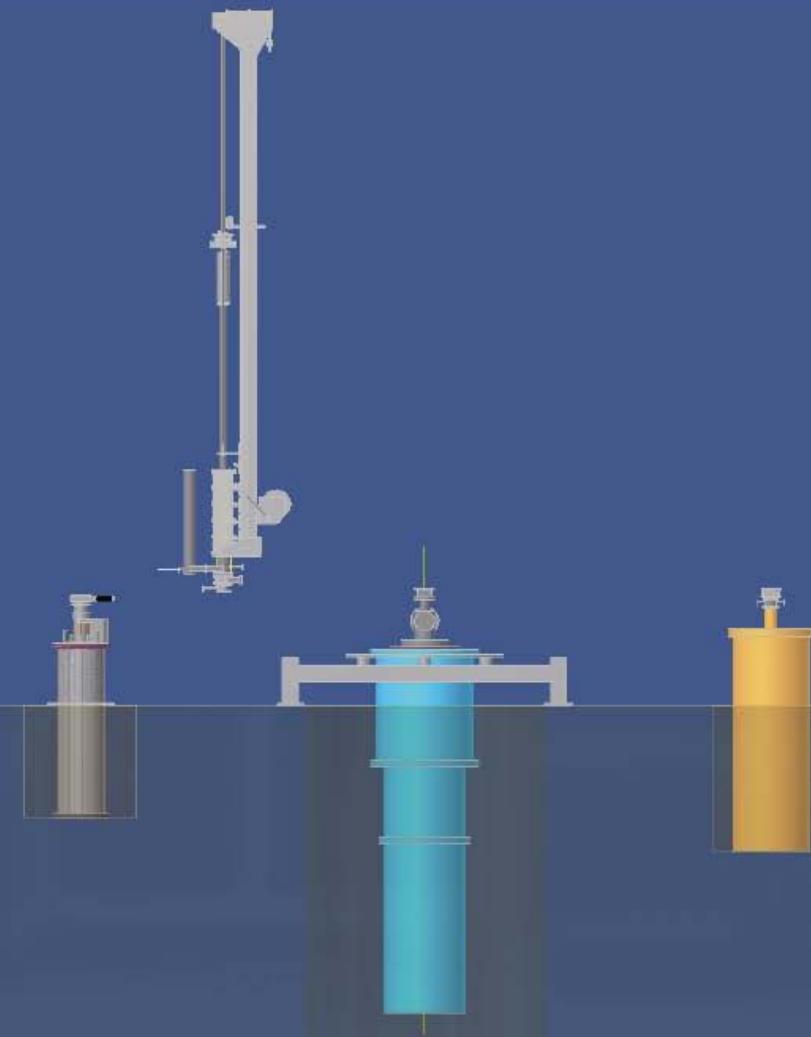
Dilution Fridge

Storage Dewar

Condense solid HD into Production Dewar (PD);
Calibrate NMR with Thermal Equilibrium measurement at 2 K and 0.3 T

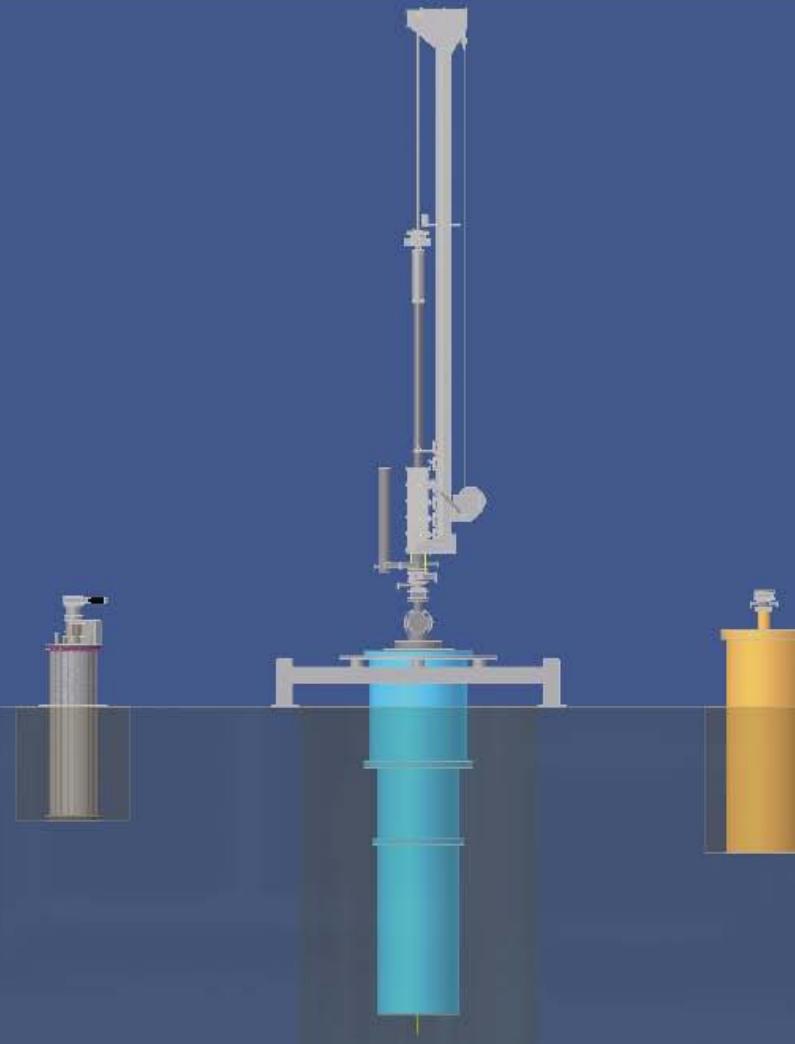


Extract target into 2K, 0.1 T Transfer Cryostat;
move solid target to Dilution Refrigerator (DF) for polarization



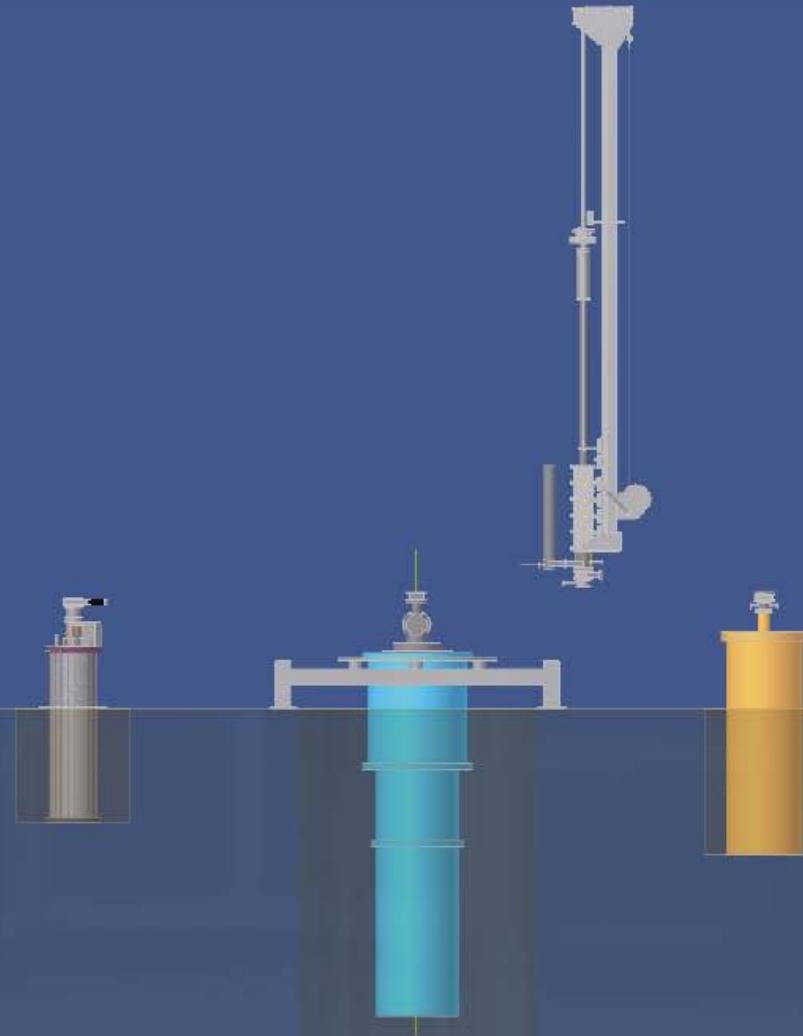


Load target into Oxford **Dilution reFrigerator**;
polarize at 0.011K, 15 T; hold to reach frozen-spin state



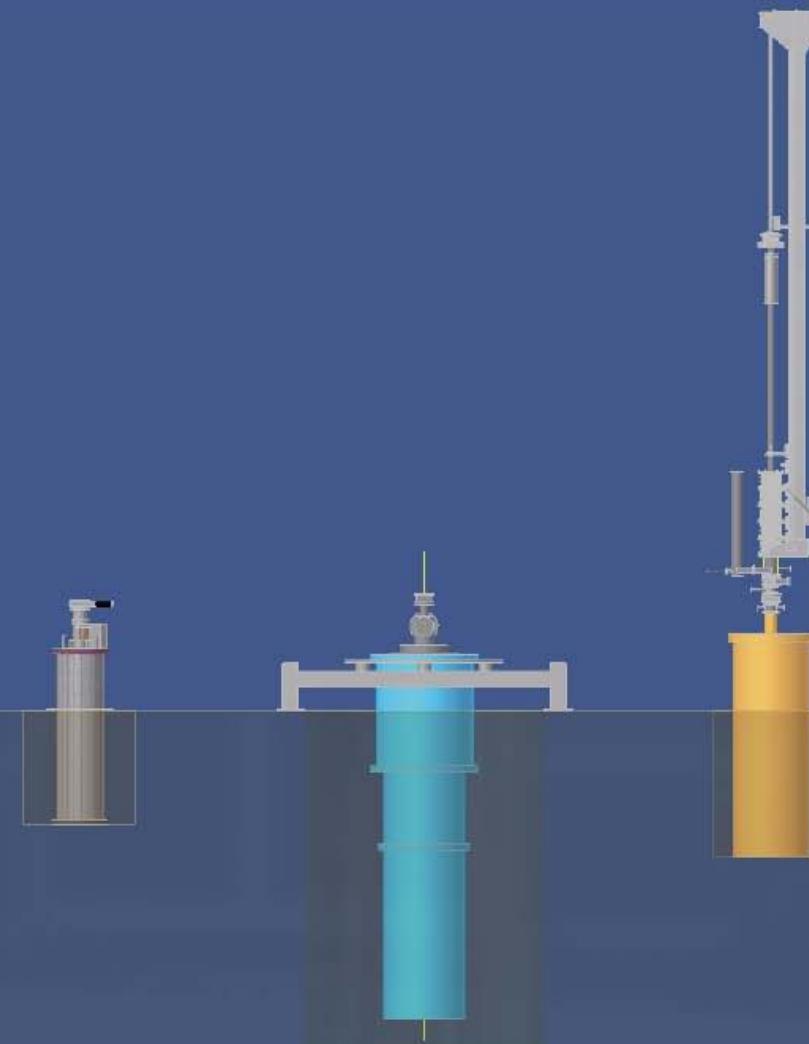


Move target to Storage Dewar





Load into Storage Dewar (SD) for transport to Hall B



$T = 1.7 \text{ K}$,
 $B = 4.5 \text{ tesla}$