

# On Electron-Nuclei Colliders

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# What for we need to use electron-nuclei collider approach?

- \* Obviously: when we want to reach the effective energy higher than in  
electron accelerator → target case  
(there is no “very high energy electron accelerators”).  
SLAC & HERA-e - the only (and successful) examples!
- \* When we need to study rare nuclei (secondary and/or unstable?!).
- \* Less obvious - when we need to study bare nuclei (no background events with target electrons).

\*Even less obvious - when we want to study collisions of longitudinally polarized electrons with longitudinally polarized nuclei with high degree of polarization and high luminosity ("no" unpolarized nuclei or, in some layouts, no unpolarized electrons).

\* When we need the combination of extreme luminosity and high monochromaticity, small angular spread and small interaction spot (no energy losses and scattering of electrons - external or internal)

\*Somewhat similar case: not to disturb reaction products (mostly hadron interacting remnants) - do not spoil purity and accuracy of the experiments.

\* Special case: interest to compare electron-nuclei processes with positron-(same) nuclei ones (e.g., of two<sub>3</sub> photon type) - especially when we need polarized positrons)

Now it became a common sense: to reach high luminosity and good experimental quality for different types of experiments it is wise to apply Electron Cooling.

Reasons to apply Electron Cooling (continuous or at some stages; maybe, in combination with Stochastic Cooling – to rise effective acceptance):

- \* storing of secondary stable and long enough living hadrons, nuclei and ions;
- \* achieving of very low “temperature” of stored particles;
- \* suppression of beam blow-up due to diffusive effects of different nature (multiple scattering by “internal targets”, external noise, multiple intra-beam scattering, beam-beam effects, ...).
- \* suppression of injection errors to prevent emittances growth.

Requirements for electron cooling beam (still not very familiar):

\* to receive all the advantages of "electron beam magnetization", the longitudinal guiding field in the cooling section should "unidirectional" within angular spread better than ion beam emittance angular spread.

\* not to excite additional oscillations in ion beam, the angle(s) between guiding field and the ion closed orbit should be also smaller than equilibrium angles in ion beam.

\* To prevent radiative recombination losses for heavy highly charged ions, keeping fast damping for large amplitude ions, there are 2 options:

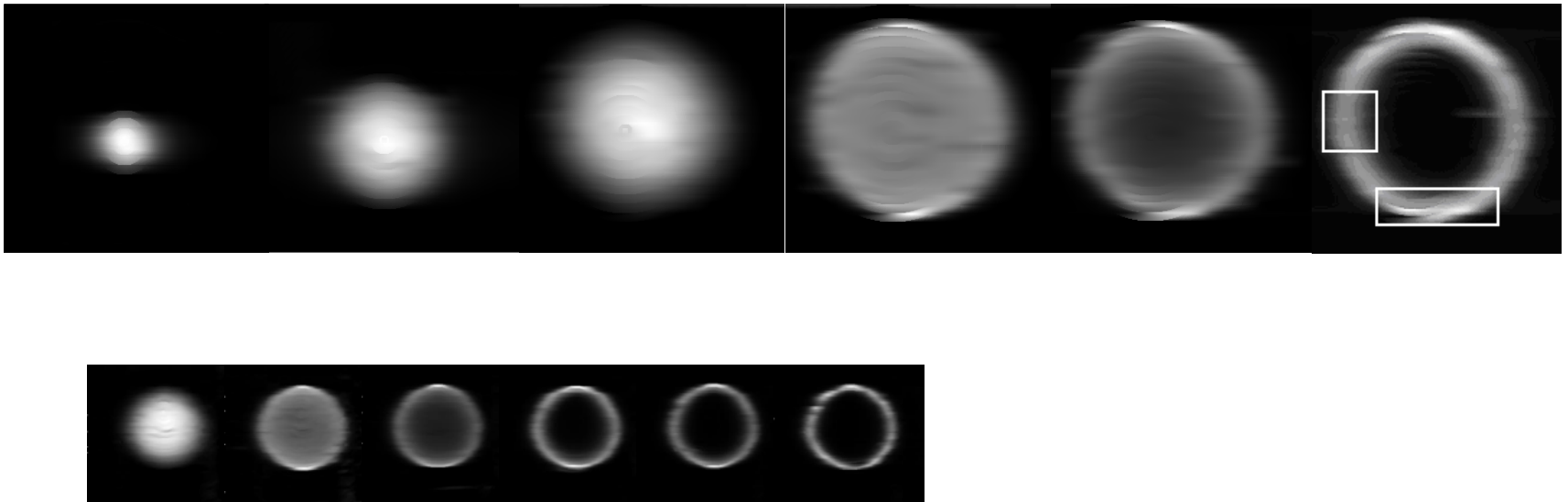
1. to make Larmor velocities high enough (damping rate diminish logarithmically, only).

2. to arrange "hollow electron cooling beam" with the same full current, but with much lower density in the core part of ion beam cross-section.

**Hollow beams are useful to prevent overcooling (e.g., pbars).**

**Another option for prevention – to use “monochromatic instability”.**

## Variation of electron beam profile for optimization cooling



The electron beam distribution for different voltage on the control electrode - 0, 100, 200, 350, 400, 600 V.  
The measuring was made with using tungsten wire by scanning across the electron beam. Beam diameter 3 cm.

**Many crucial aspects of achieving high luminosity and, simultaneously, high quality of the experiments (especially, under continuous Electron Cooling were presented in my talks (as our Team representative) at Workshops at Uppsala (...), Indiana (...) and Brookhaven (...) (and references in that publications),**

**and in many talks of my colleagues (especially, V.V.Parkhomchuk, Yu.M.Shatunov and I.A.Koop) and our collaborators.**



**Now, I intend to present some examples of projects we participate, and most important steps, related to the development of Electron Cooling for the kind of applications under discussion at the Workshop.**

Projects:

GSI

Lanzhou

Brookhaven (Bates,.....)

CERN - LEIR

Improvements

hollow beams

electrostatic bending

High Voltage + continuous solenoids

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List of “recent” design and constructions

**ECoolers –**  
**- storage rings.**

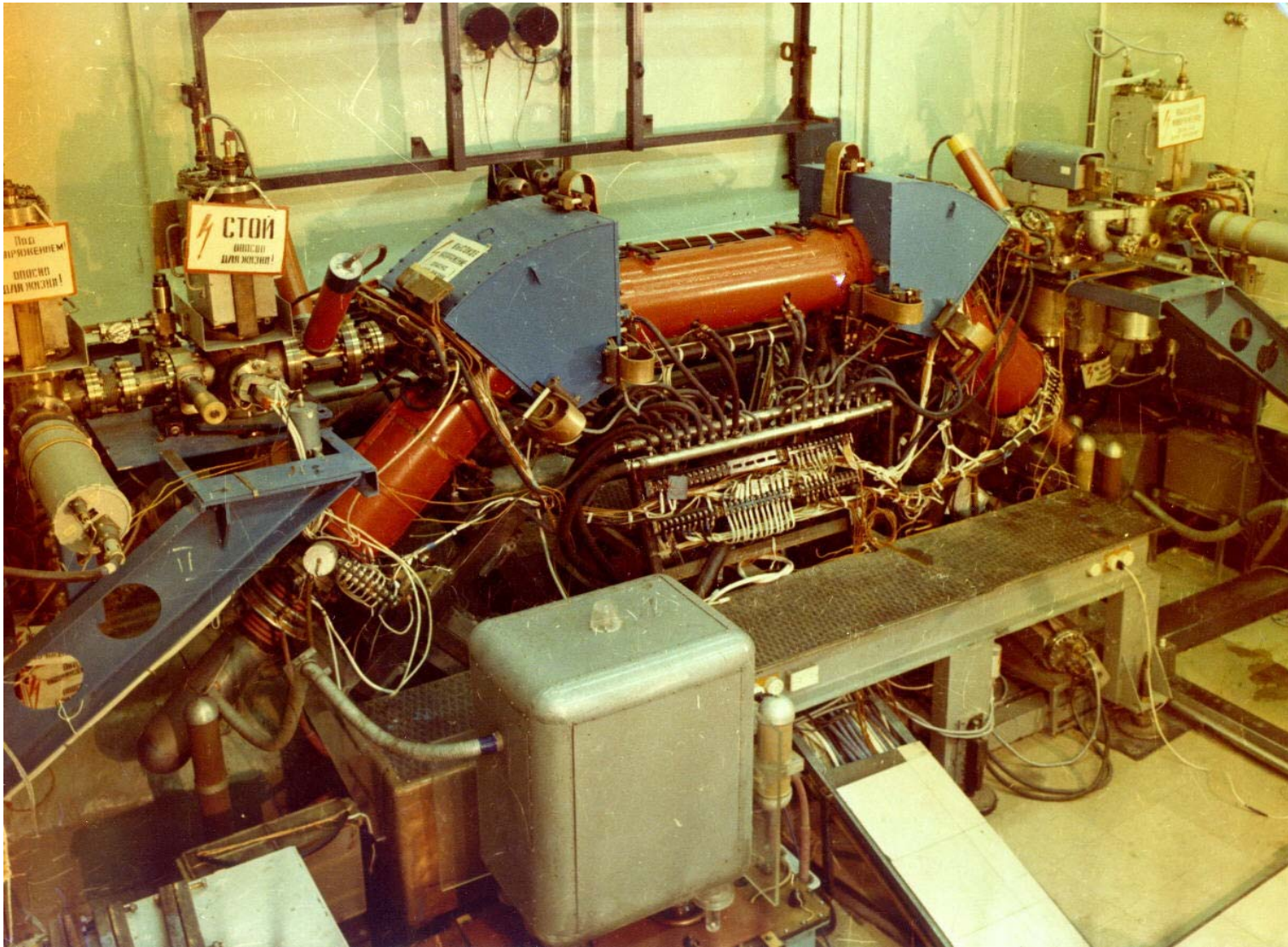
# **ELECTRON COOLING PIONEERING @ NOVOSIBIRSK**

(Start of ECooling activity -1965)

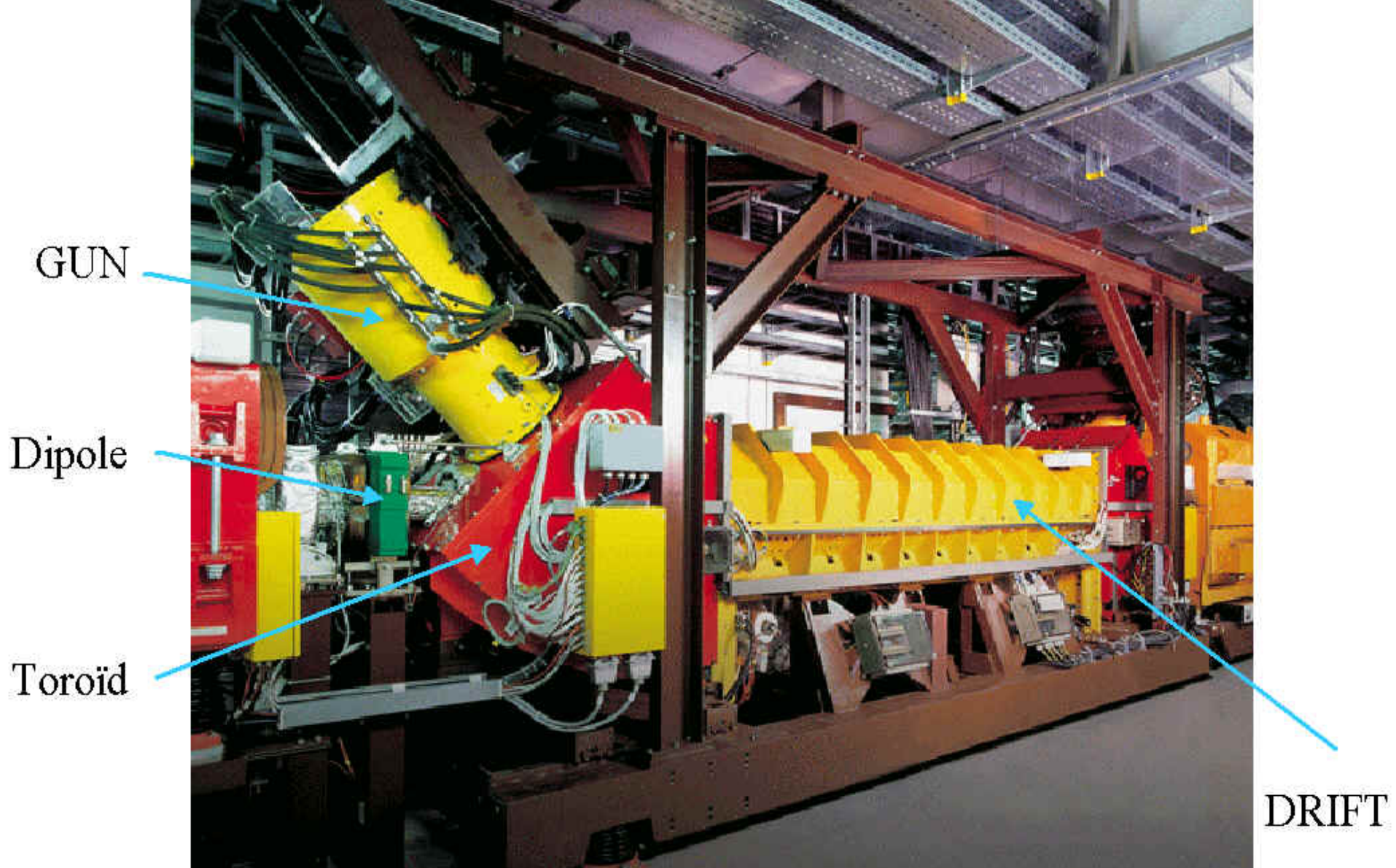
**Proton Storage Ring NAP-M (experimental success – 1974)**

(the view from injector side)





**Electron Cooler, installed at NAP-M**



GUN

Dipole

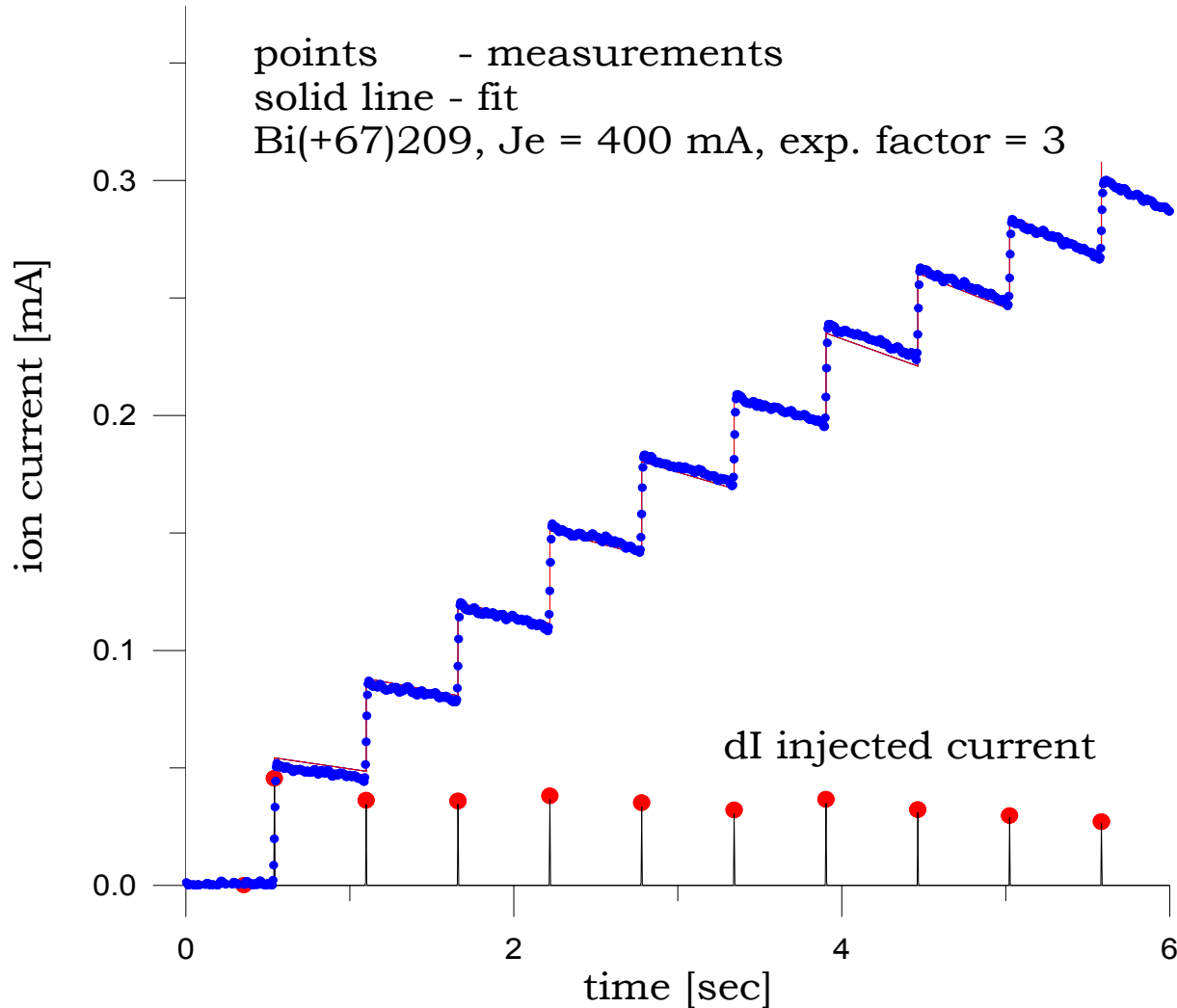
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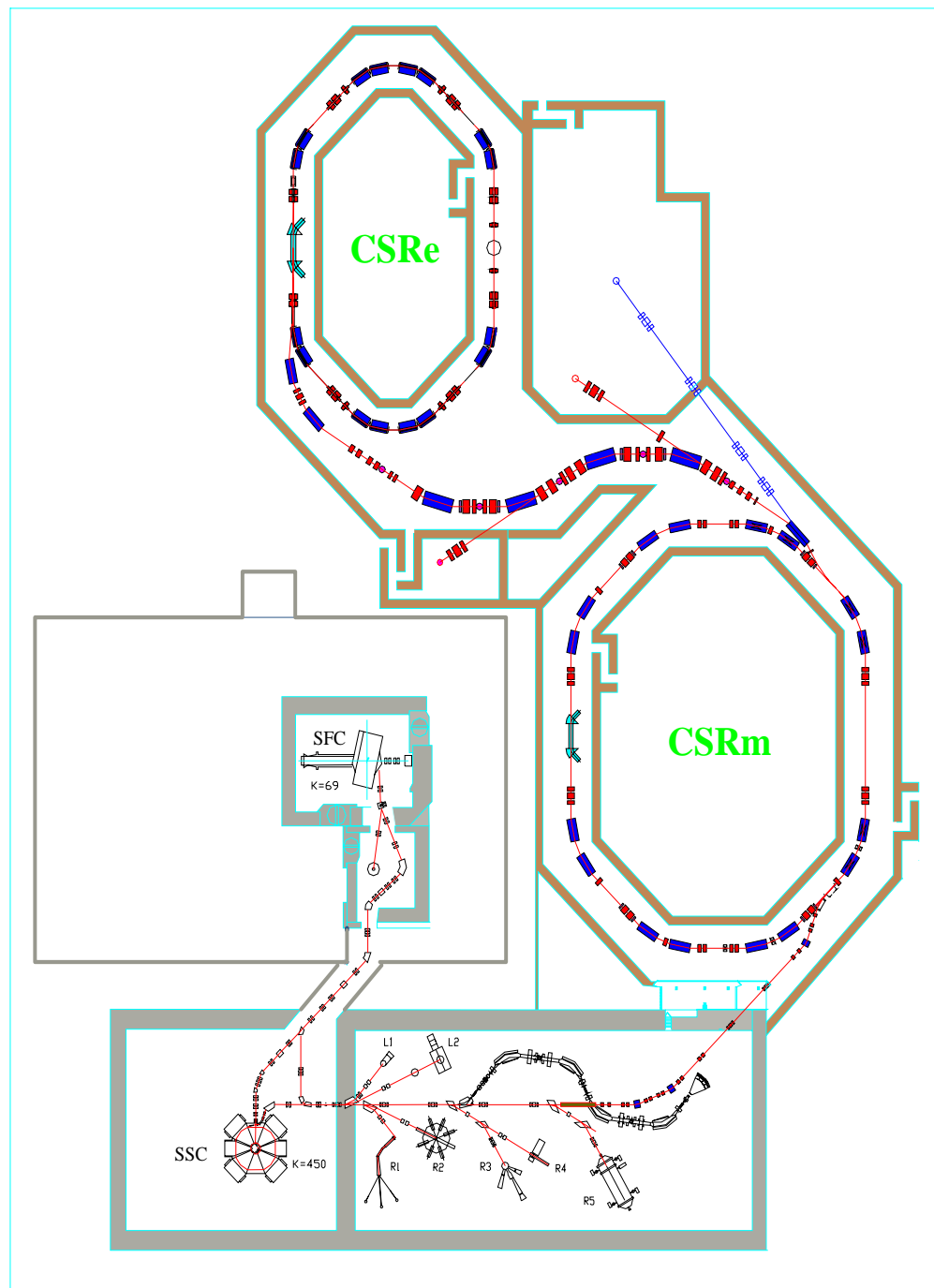
**BINP made cooler  
at SIS-18**



# Accumulation Bi ions at SIS-18 @ GSI ( May 1998)



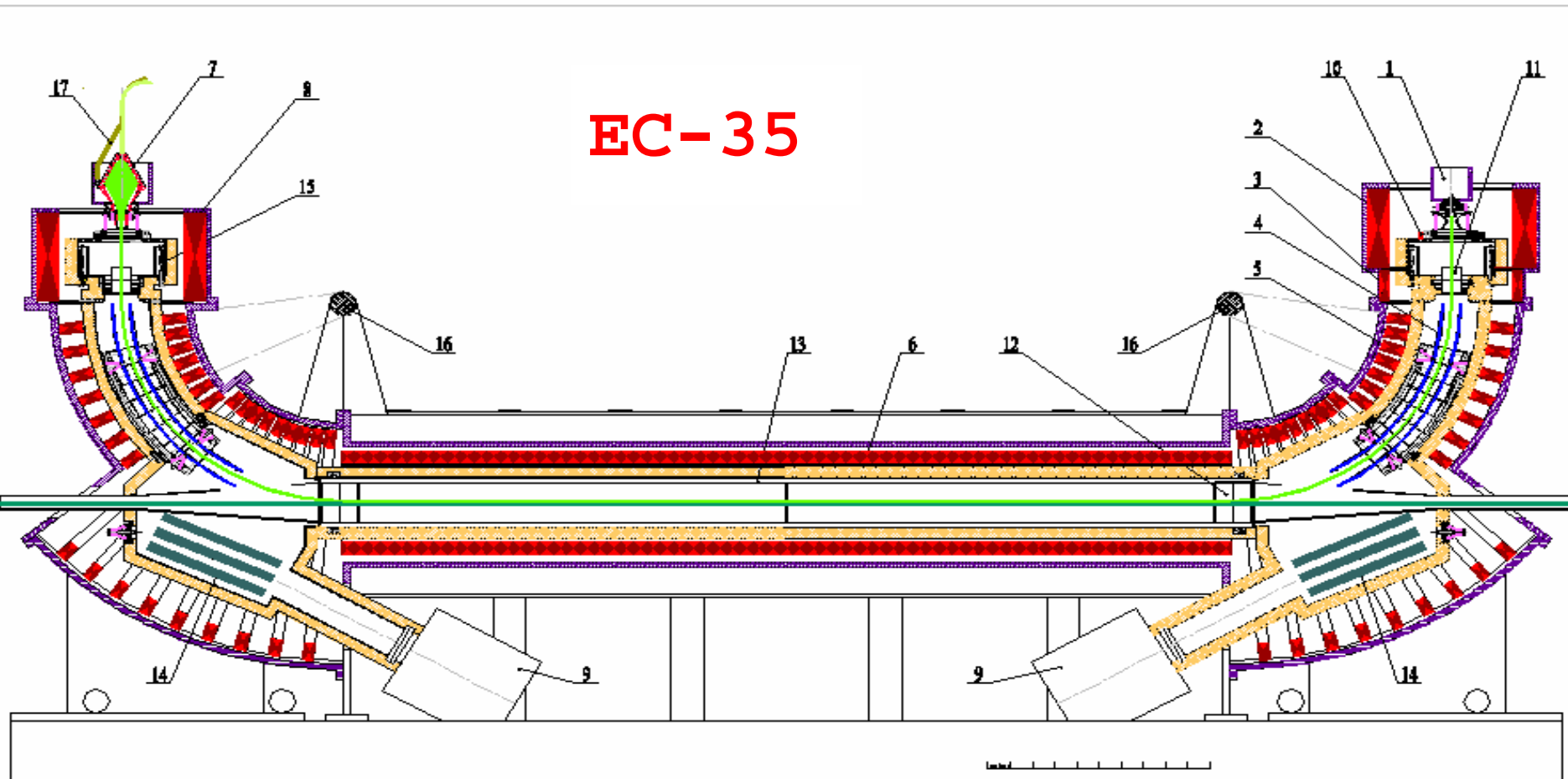
# IMP (Lanzhou) - project





## 35 kV Electron Cooler

1. Variable profile electron beam for suppression of the heating and electron capture
2. Electrostatic bends (suppression of current losses, better vacuum  $\rightarrow 10^{-11}$  mbar now)
3. Precise pancake design of cooling section.

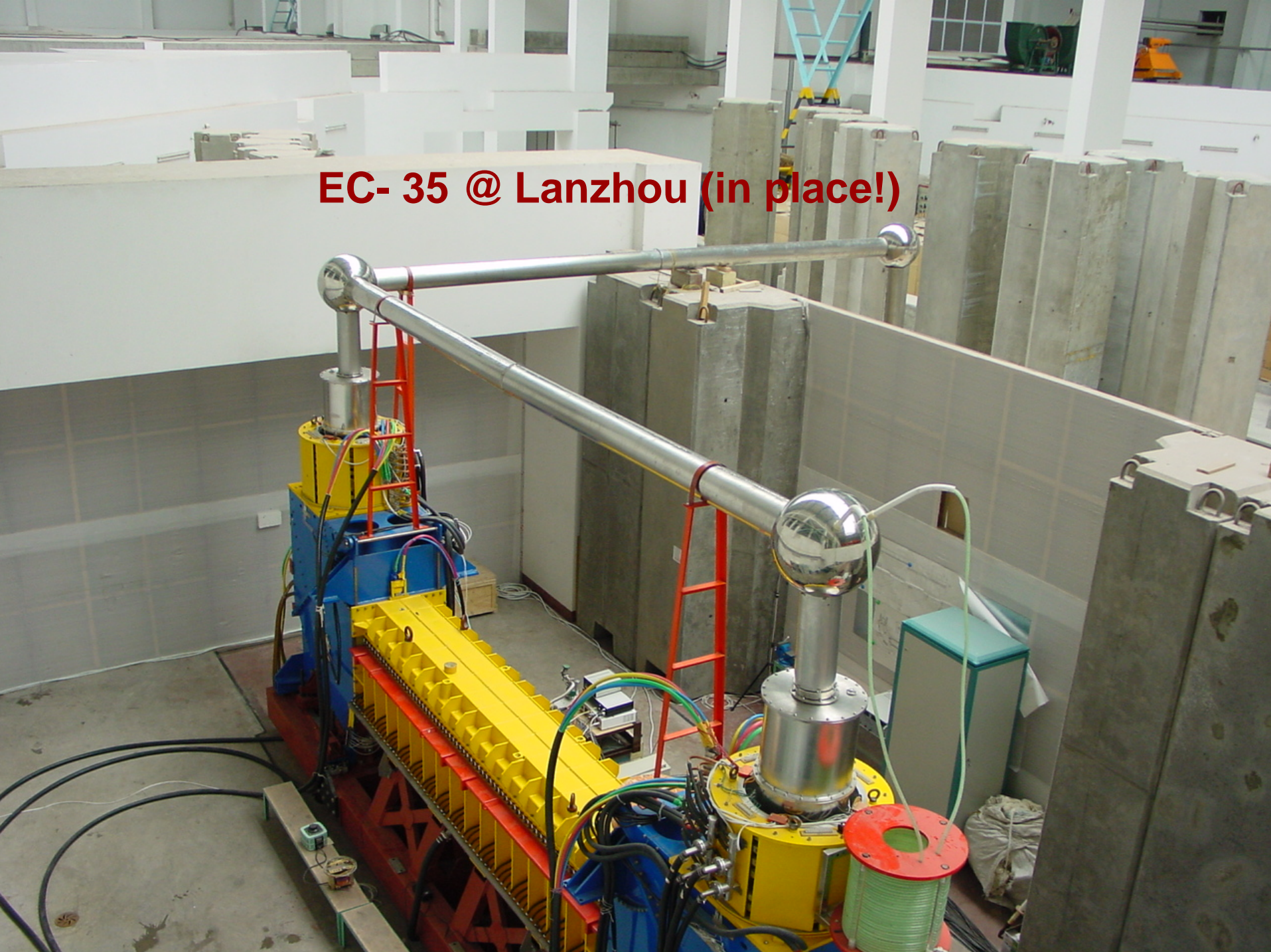




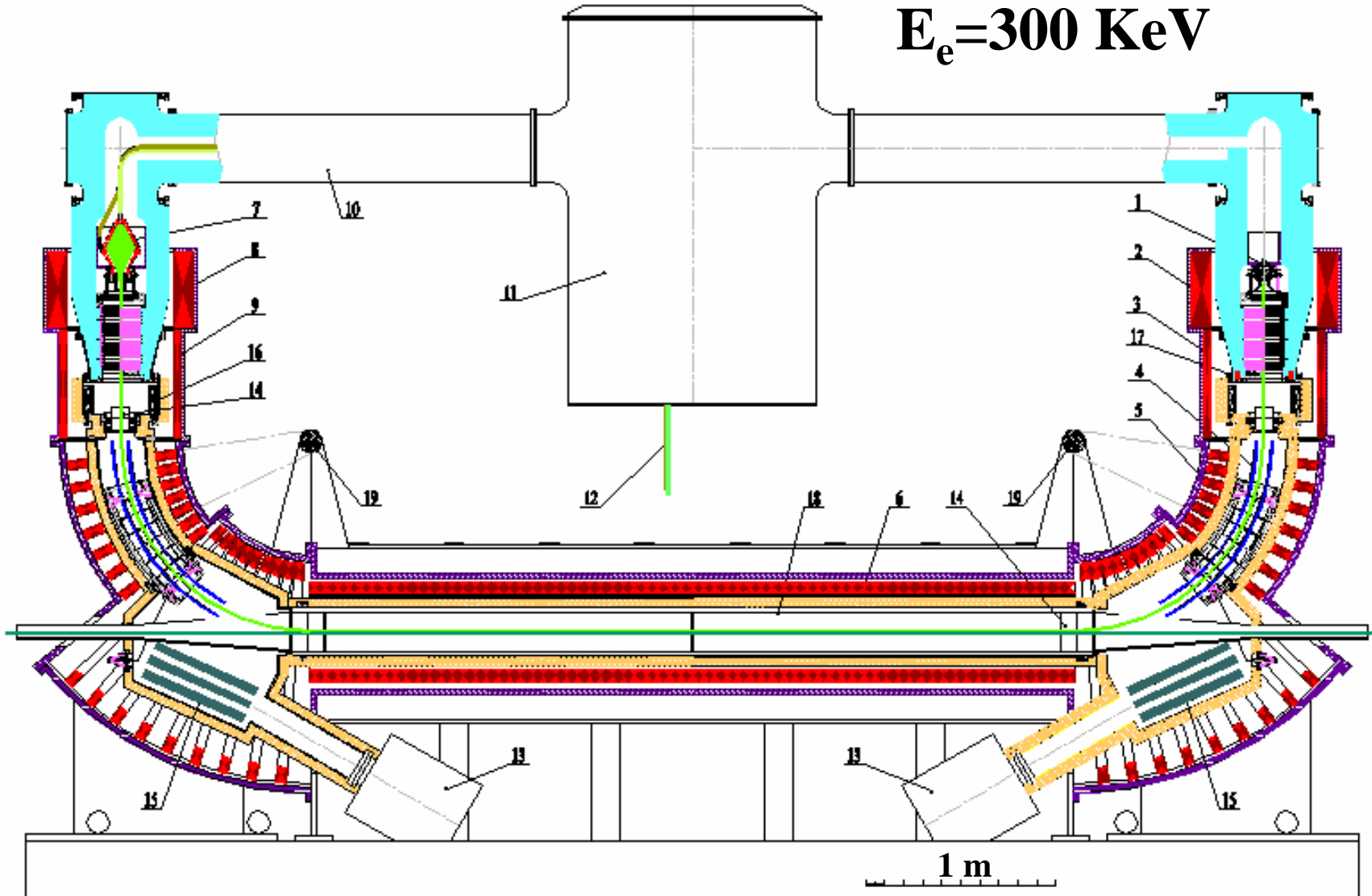


EC- 35 @ Novosibirsk

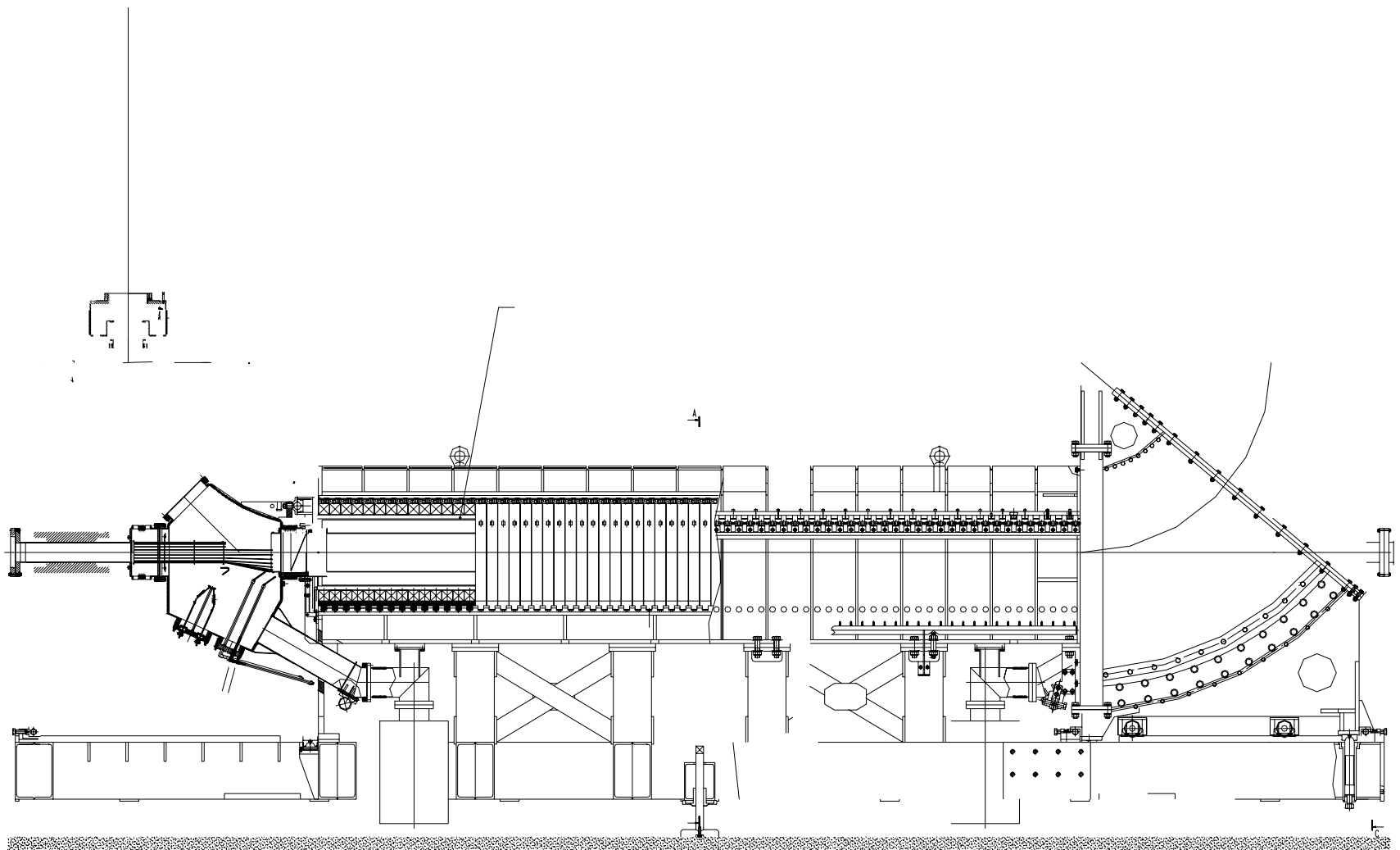
**EC- 35 @ Lanzhou (in place!)**



$E_e = 300 \text{ KeV}$



- 1 - electron gun; 2- main “gun solenoid”; 4 - electrostatic deflectors;  
5 - toroidal solenoid; 6 - main solenoid; 7 - collector; 8 - collector solenoid; 11 - main HV rectifier; 12 - collector cooling system.



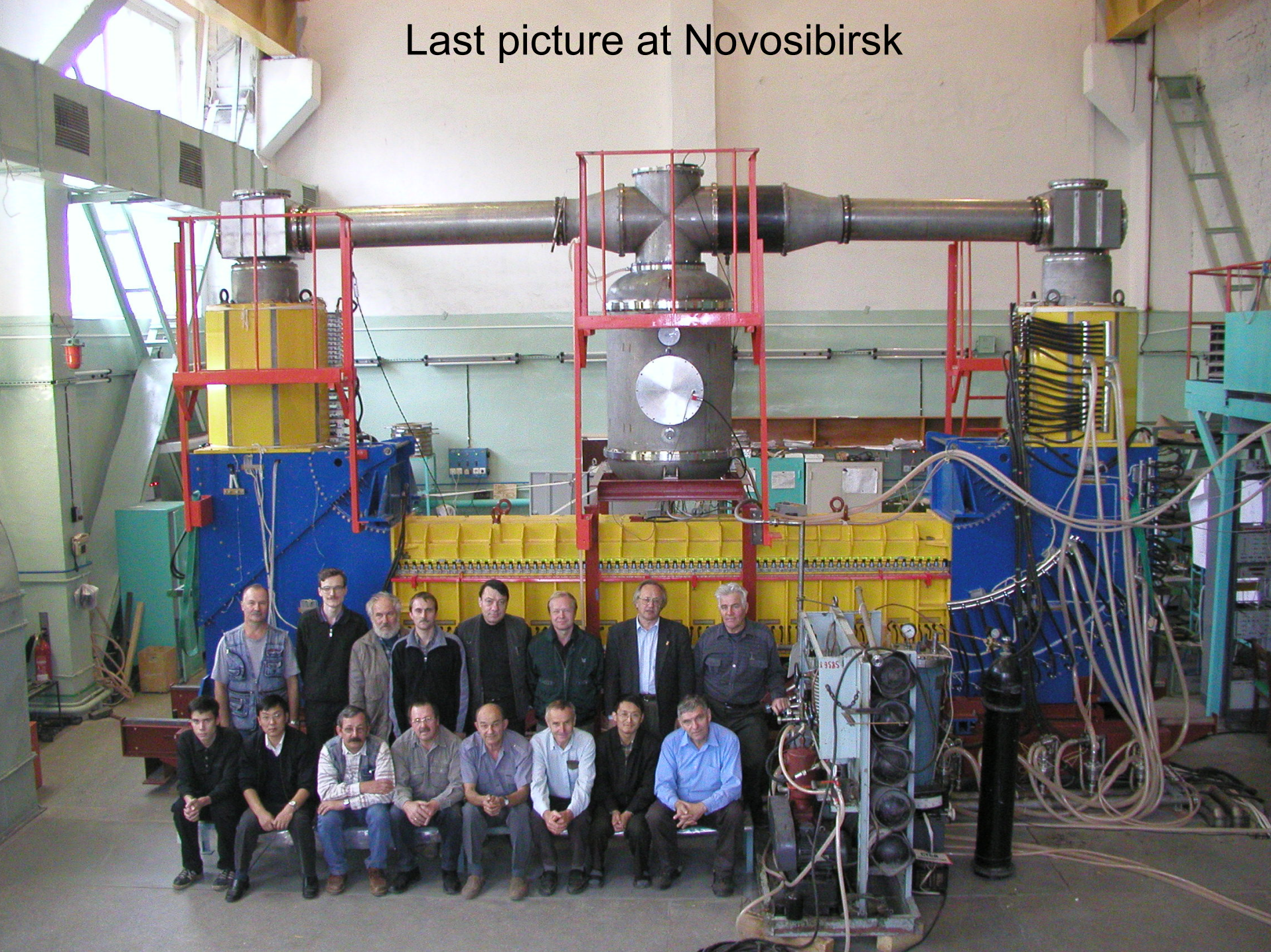
Установка электронного охлаждения на 300 кВ: 1 – высоковольтный фидер, 2 – магнитный концентратор коллектора, 3 – коллектор, 4 – ускорительная (замедляющая) трубка коллектора, 5 – катушки магнитного поля коллектора, 6 – поворотный участок с электростатическими поворотами, 7 – катушки тороидального магнитного поля, 8 – катушки магнитного поля секции охлаждения (прямолинейный участок магнитного поля), 9 – бак высоковольтного генератора, 10 – магнитопровод соленоида, 11 – магнитопровод тороидального участка магнитного поля, 12 – титановые сублимационные насосы, 13 – катушки магнитного поля электронной пушки, 14 – магнитопровод соленоида электронной пушки, 15 – ускорительная трубка электронной пушки, 16 – электронная пушка, 17 – концентратор магнитного поля электронной пушки, 18 – местоположение высоковольтного терминала, содержащего цифровую и силовую электронику управления пушкой и коллектором, 19 – ионный насос, 20 – дипольные корректоры ионного пучка.







Last picture at Novosibirsk

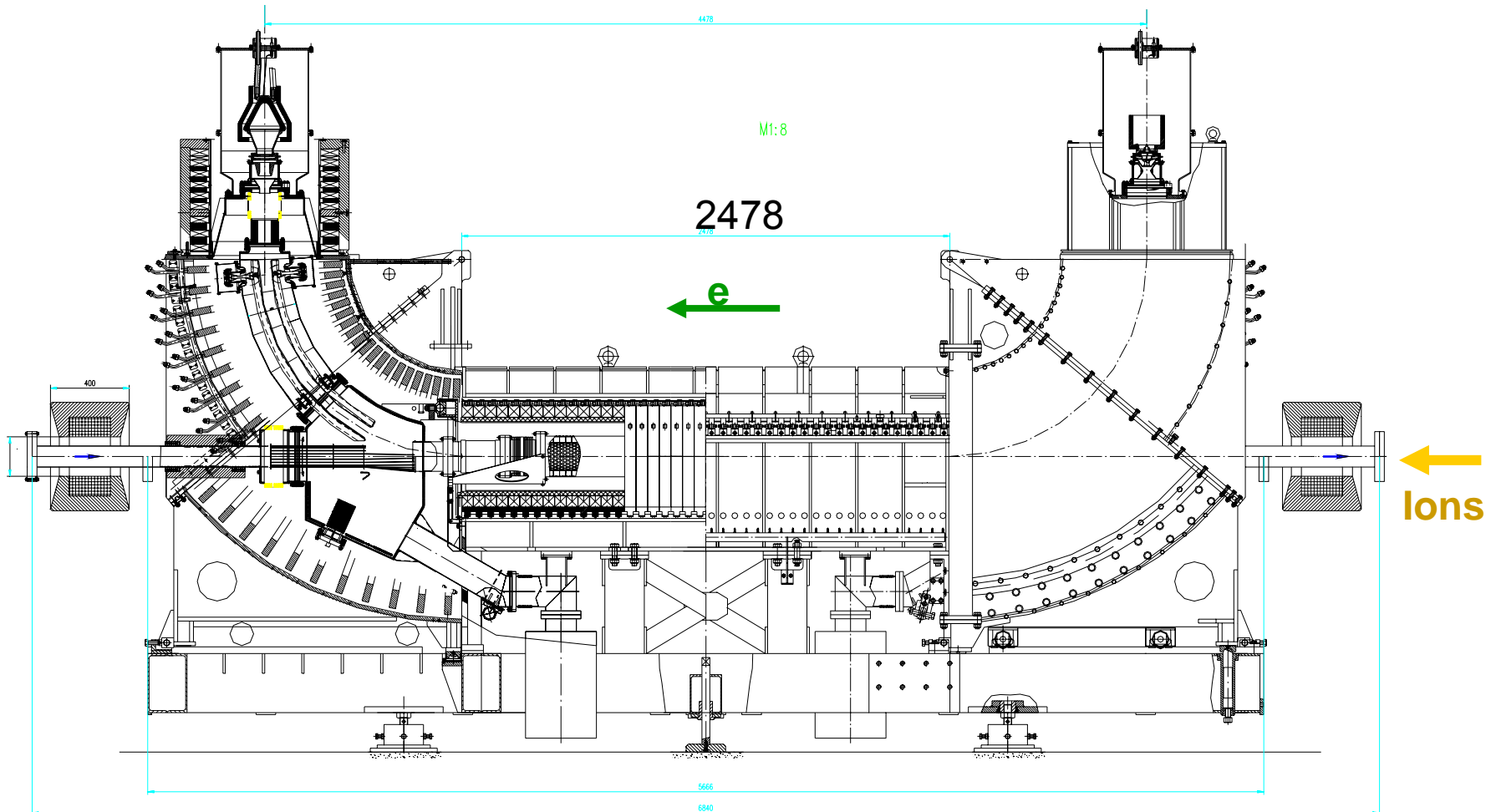




**EC-300 @ Lanzhou now –  
assembly process.**



**LEIR:**  
space for future E Cooler.



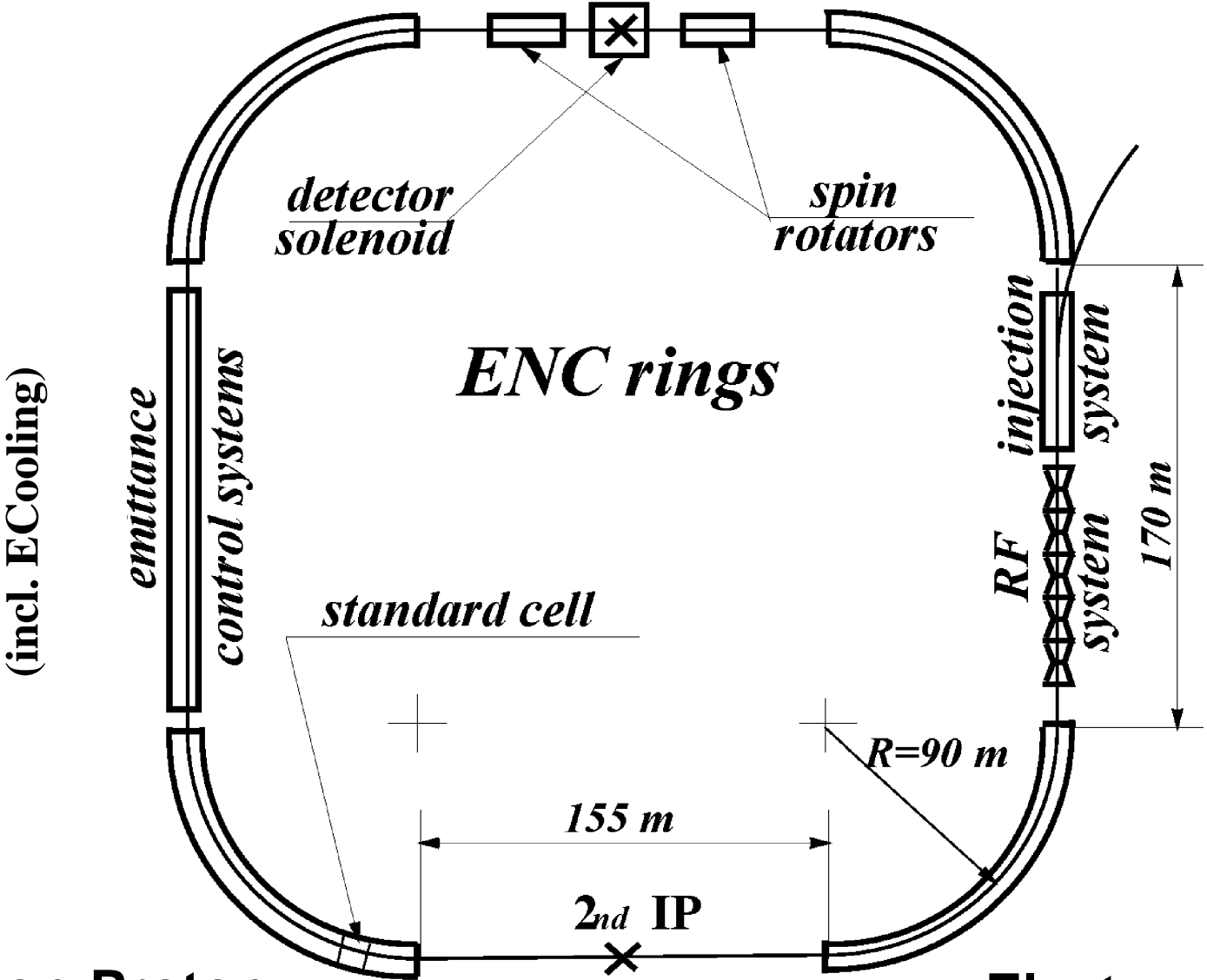
Future LEIR – in process @ Novosibirsk

**ECoolers –**

**- for higher energies and Colliders.**

# Electron-Nuclei Collider Conceptual Project (for GSI)

!?



**Electron-Proton**

**Electron-Uranium**

$$\sqrt{s_{\text{max } e\text{-nucleon}}} = 30 \text{ GeV}$$

$$L_{e\text{-nucleon}} = 1 \cdot 10^{33} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$$

Table 2.4: Parameter set for an electron-U<sub>238</sub><sup>92</sup> collider calculated assuming that  $(\Delta\nu_L)_{th} = \xi_i$ ; RF-voltage in the ion ring 7 kV, and  $\xi_i = 0.05$ .

# ENC (GSI)

## Electron-Uranium

$$\sqrt{s}_{\max} = 30 \text{ GeV}$$

- per e-nucleon

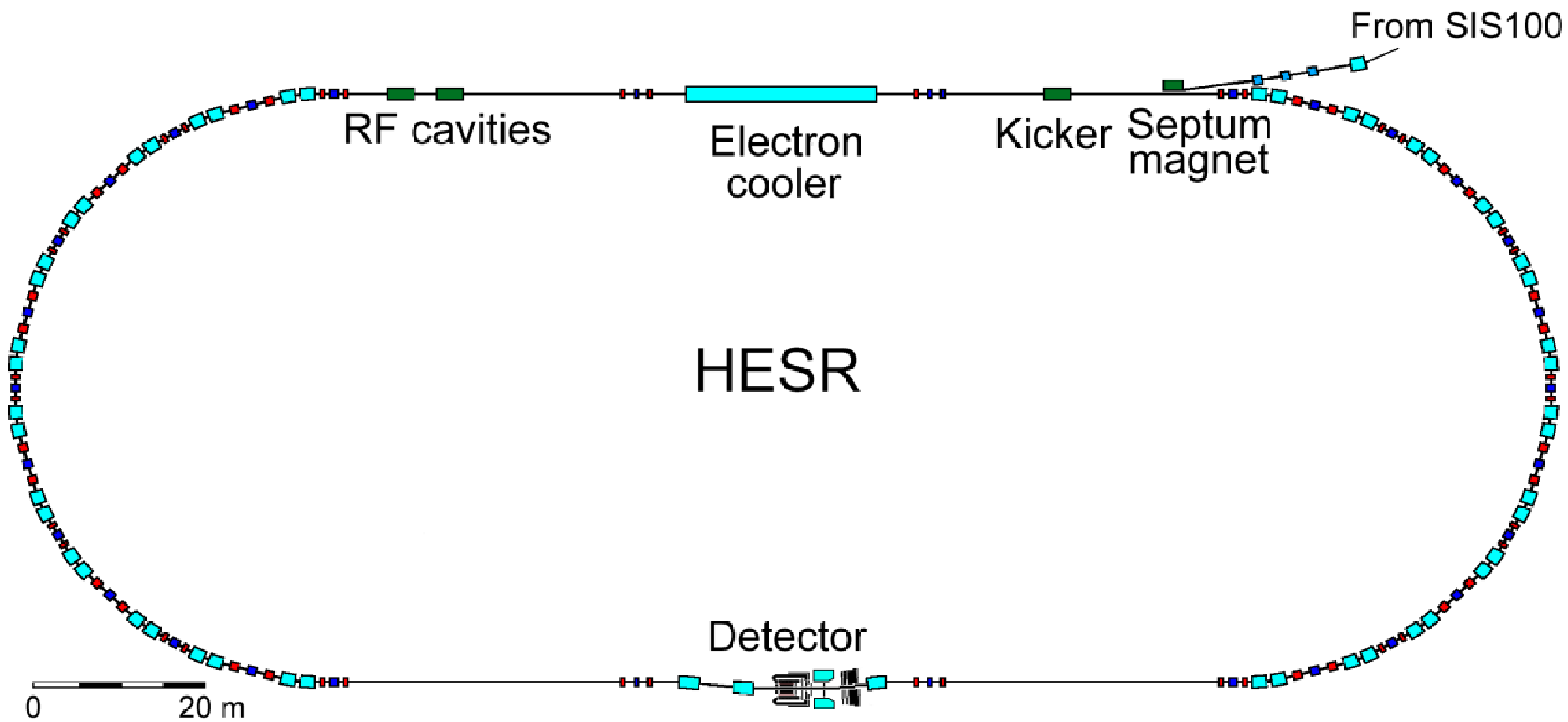
$$L_{e\text{-nucleon}} = 1 \cdot 10^{33} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$$

$\sqrt{s}$ [GeV]	10	20	30
Specific Luminosity ( $\times 10^{-21}$ ) [1/cm <sup>2</sup> s]	7.6	21.4	39.4
$N_i \times 10^{-7}$	7.5	5.32	4.35
Ion Beam Current [mA]	66.5	47	38.4
Ion Energy [Gev/u]	13.57	19.19	23.51
Emittans [nm]	8.6	2.1	1
Momentum Spread $\times 10^5$	2.1	1.5	1.3
$Z/n$ [Ohm]	11.5	23	33
$\Delta f_{load}/f_0 \times 10^3$	3	2	2
IBS Growth Time [ms]	6	2	0.7
Cooling Time [ms]	4	1	0.5
Betatron Cooling Time [ms]	120	30	13
Longitudinal Cooling Time [ms]	5	4	0.6
Density of Cooling Beam ( $\times 10^{-7}$ ) [1/cm <sup>3</sup> ]	5.6	15.8	29.
Current of Cooling Beam [mA]	28.8	20.4	16.6
Rms Beam Radius [cm]	0.13	0.065	0.044
Current Density of Cooling Beam [A/cm <sup>2</sup> ]	0.27	0.76	1.4
Radiat. Recombination Lifetime [s]	786	556	434
$N_e \times 10^{-10}$	13.2	4.7	2.5
Electron Beam Current [A]	1.3	0.45	0.24
Electron Energy [GeV]	1.8	5.2	9.6
Emittance [nm]	8.56	2.14	0.95
Synchr. Radiat. Energy Loss per Turn [MeV]	0.017	1.1	12.6
RF-Power [MW]	0.022	0.5	3.0
$Z/n$ [Ohm]	0.16	6.	51
$\Delta f_{load}/f_0$	0.73	0.004	0.0002
Bremsstrahlung Lifetime [s]	1672	766	520

# *HESR objectives*

- *Antiproton energy 0.8 – 14.5 GeV*
- *Number of stored antiprotons up to  $10^{11}$*
- *Luminosity of antiproton-proton collisions up to  $2 \times 10^{32} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ sec}^{-1}$*
- *Target thickness  $1 \times 10^{15}$  to  $1 \times 10^{16}$  atoms/cm<sup>2</sup>  
(H<sub>2</sub> jet or pellets)*
- *Momentum spread of antiprotons  $\sim 10^{-5}$*
- *Length of straight sections 105 m*





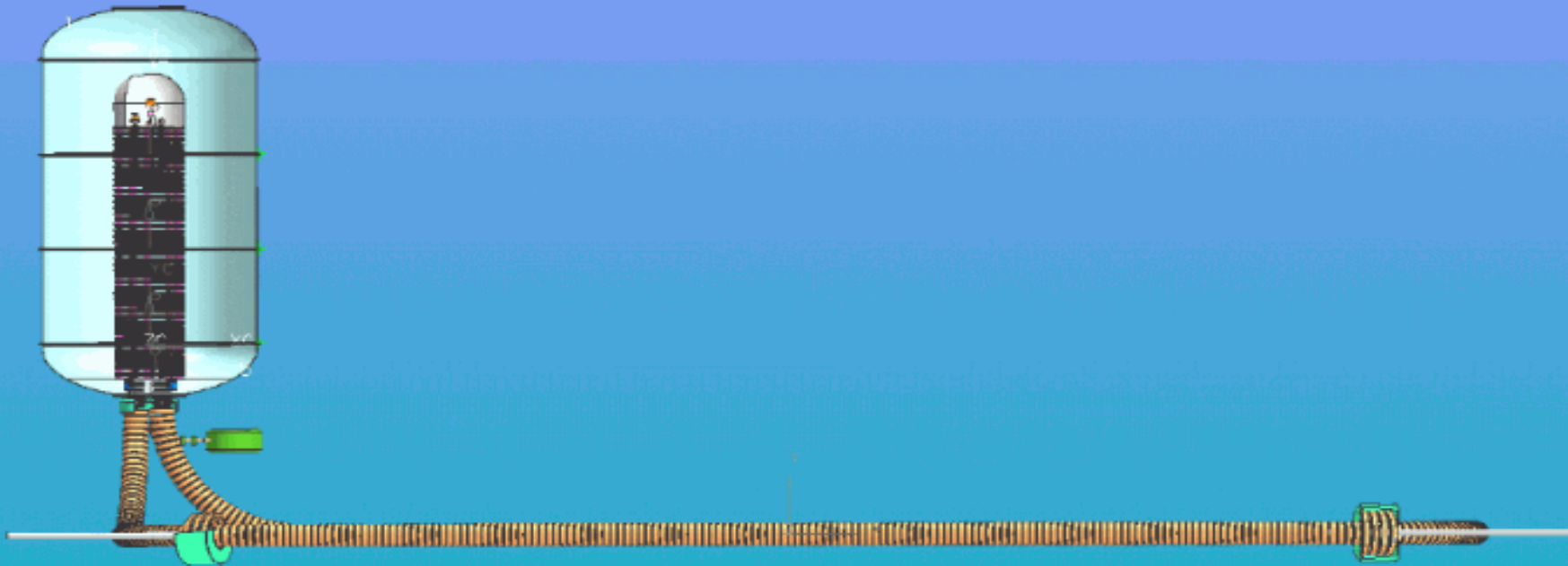
General view of the HESR

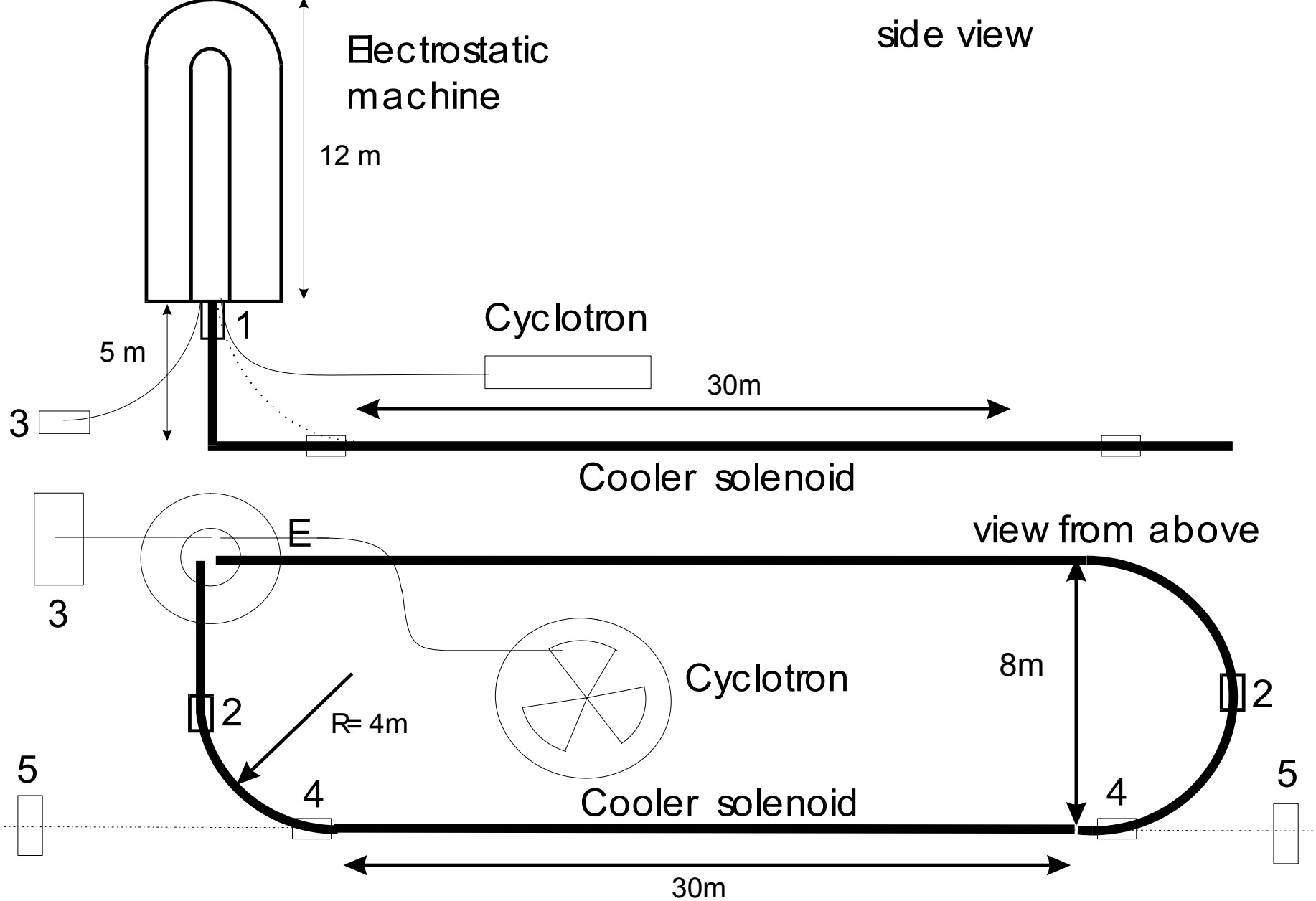
*For HESR the optimal solution is*

*8 MeV × 1 A electrostatic cooler*

- 1. easy change e- energy (0.8 ↔ 8 MeV)*
- 2. DC electron beam*
- 3. low amplitude of HV ripple*

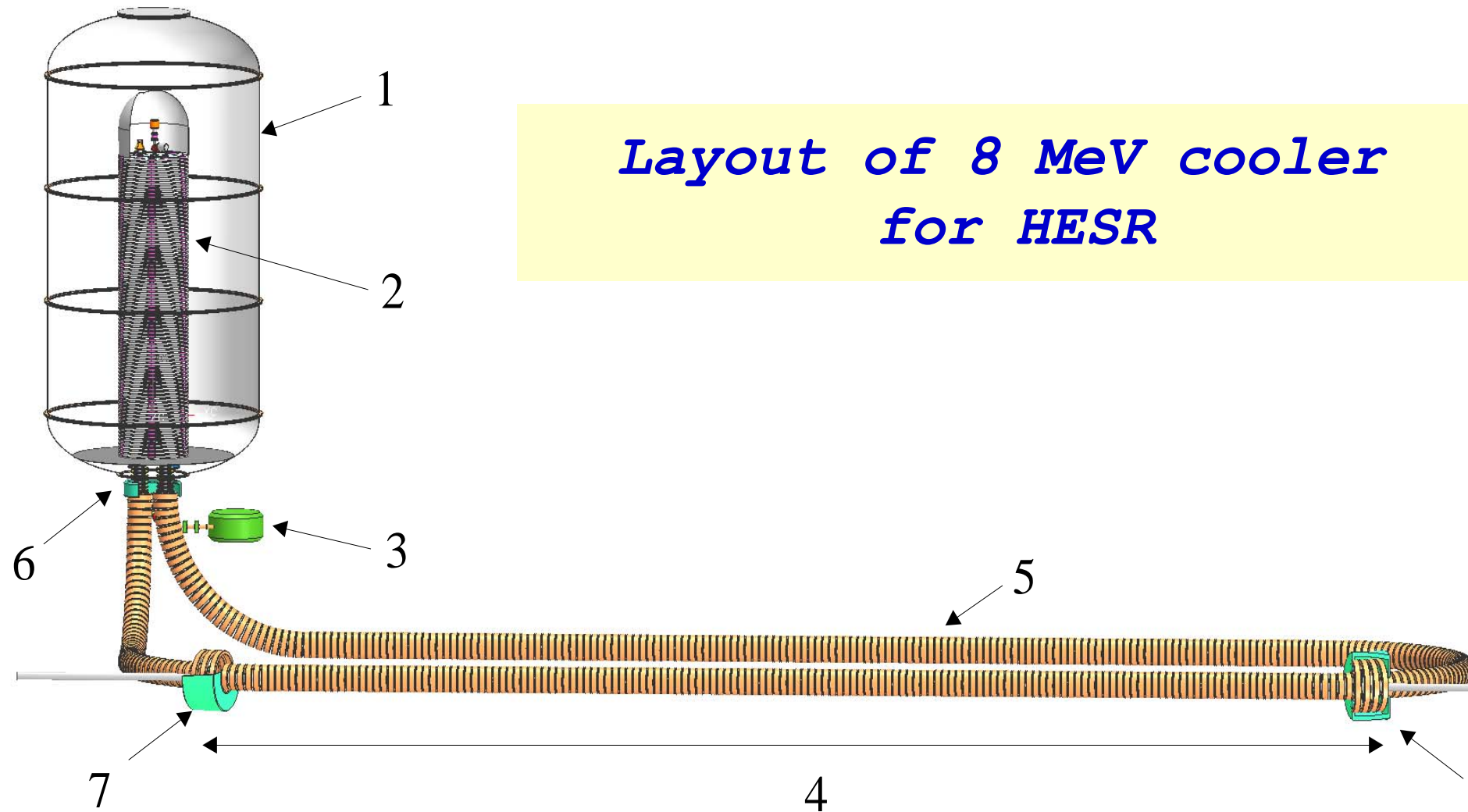
# *8 MeV e-cooler*





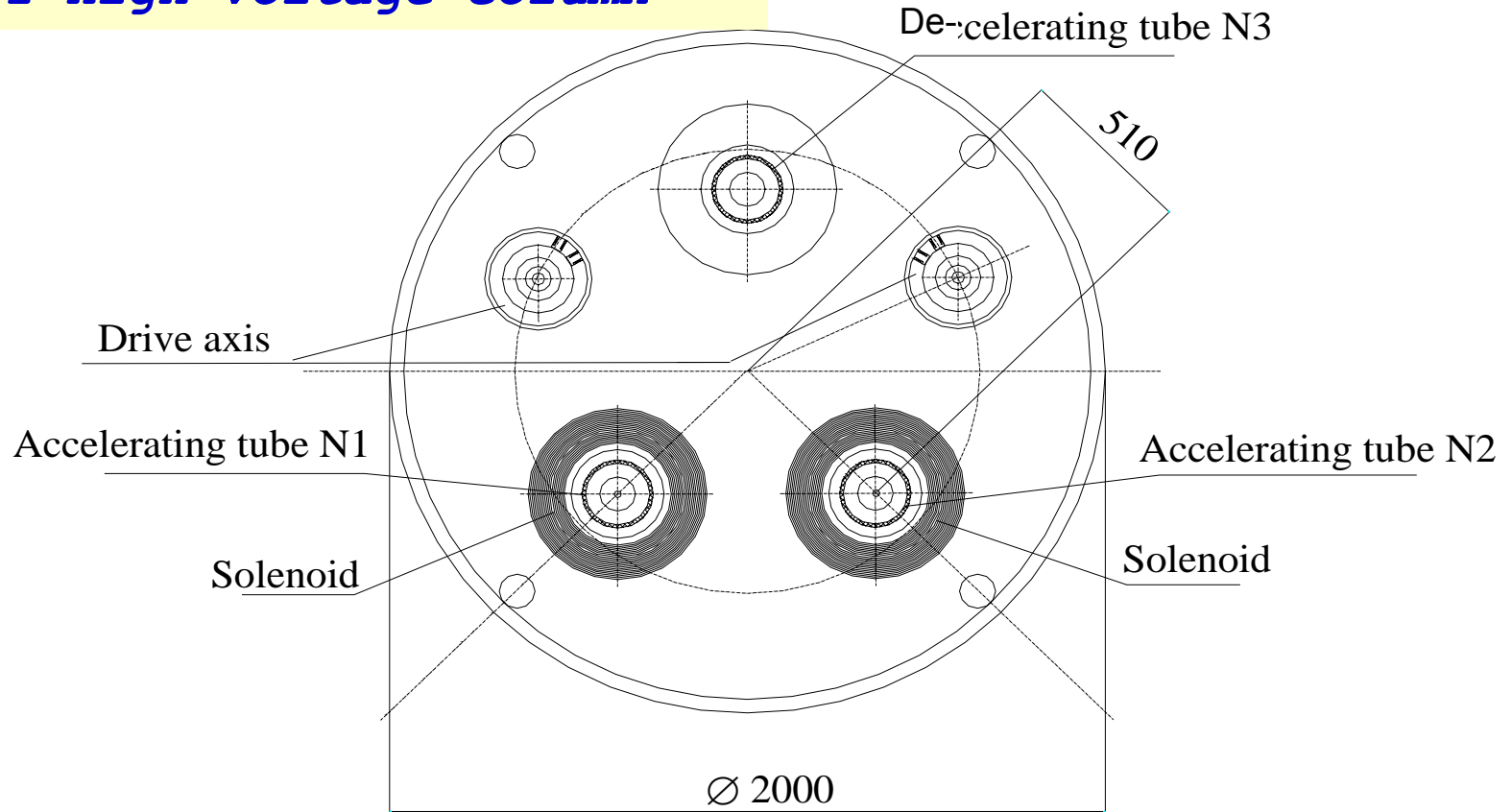
Very schematic view of the electron cooling device for HESR<sub>36</sub>  
 (H<sup>-</sup> cyclotron - for charging the e-generator up to 8 MeV!)

*Layout of 8 MeV cooler  
for HESR*



- 1 - high voltage tank;                      2 - electrostatic column;  
3 - cyclotron for charging of electrostatic column head;  
4 - cooling section (30 m length);                      5 - return trace,  
6 - magnetic flux iron yoke,  
7 - edges of cooling section.*

# Transverse cross-section of high voltage column



**1. Electrostatic DC accelerator with 3 accelerating tubes for:**

- acceleration of e- beam
- deceleration of return e- beam
- charge of HV terminal by H- ion beam from small cyclotron.

**2. Solenoids along electron beams are powered by motor-**

**generators along high voltage column (common drive-shaft)**

**(locally powered!).**

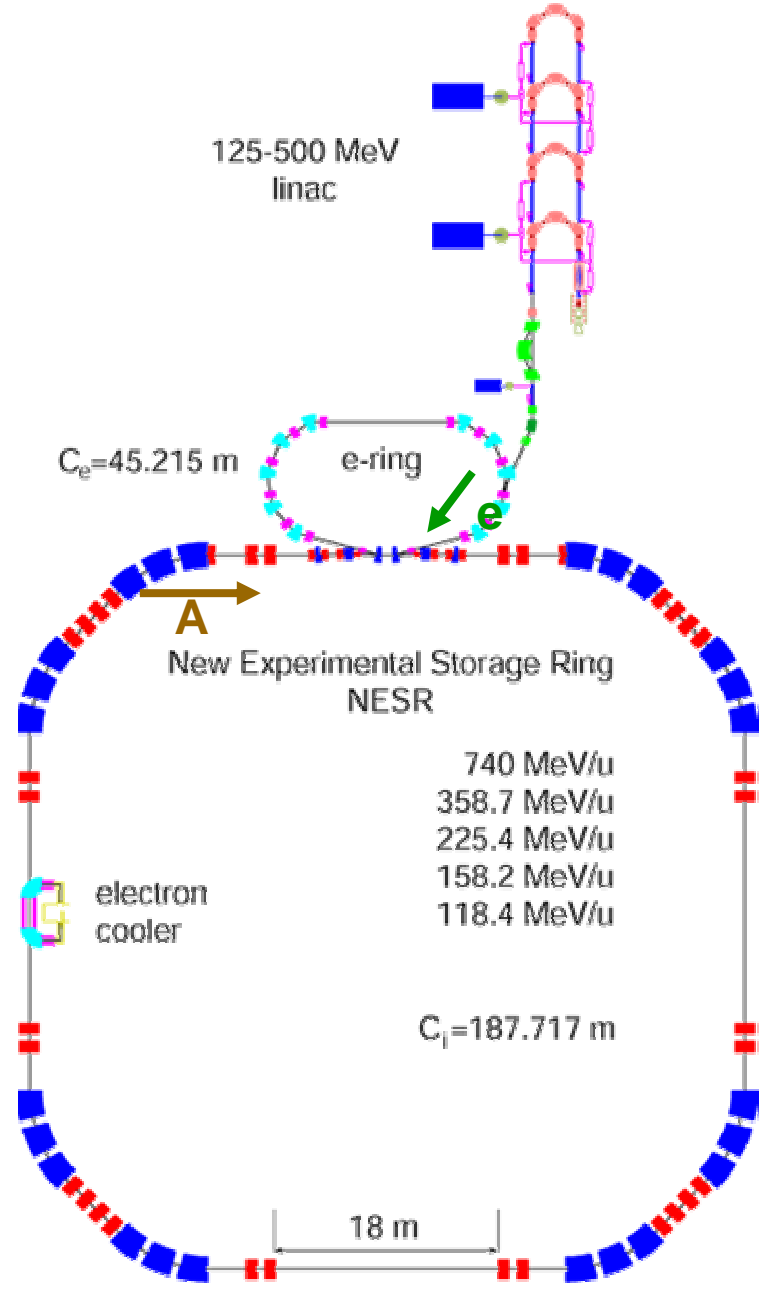
## *Preliminary engineering parameters of the cooler*

<b>Acceleration column</b>	
Electron energy on the output	0.44 – 7.9 MeV
Length	8.0 m
Average electrostatic intensity along accelerated column	0.5 – 10 kV/cm
Magnetic field	500 G
Cathode diameter ( beam diameter)	∅ 2 cm
Hight of high-voltage vessel	13.0 m
Diameter of high-voltage vessel with SF <sub>6</sub> gas	6.0 m

<b>Bending section.</b>	
Magnetic field	5 kG (E <sub>e</sub> =1.6 – 7.9 MeV) 2 kG (E <sub>e</sub> =0.44 – 1.6 MeV)
Bending radius	400 cm
Beam diameter	∅ 0.6 cm (5 kG) – 1.0cm (2 kG)

<b>Cooling section.</b>	
Magnetic field	5 kG (E <sub>e</sub> =1.6 – 7.9 MeV) 2 kG (E <sub>e</sub> =0.44 – 1.6 MeV)

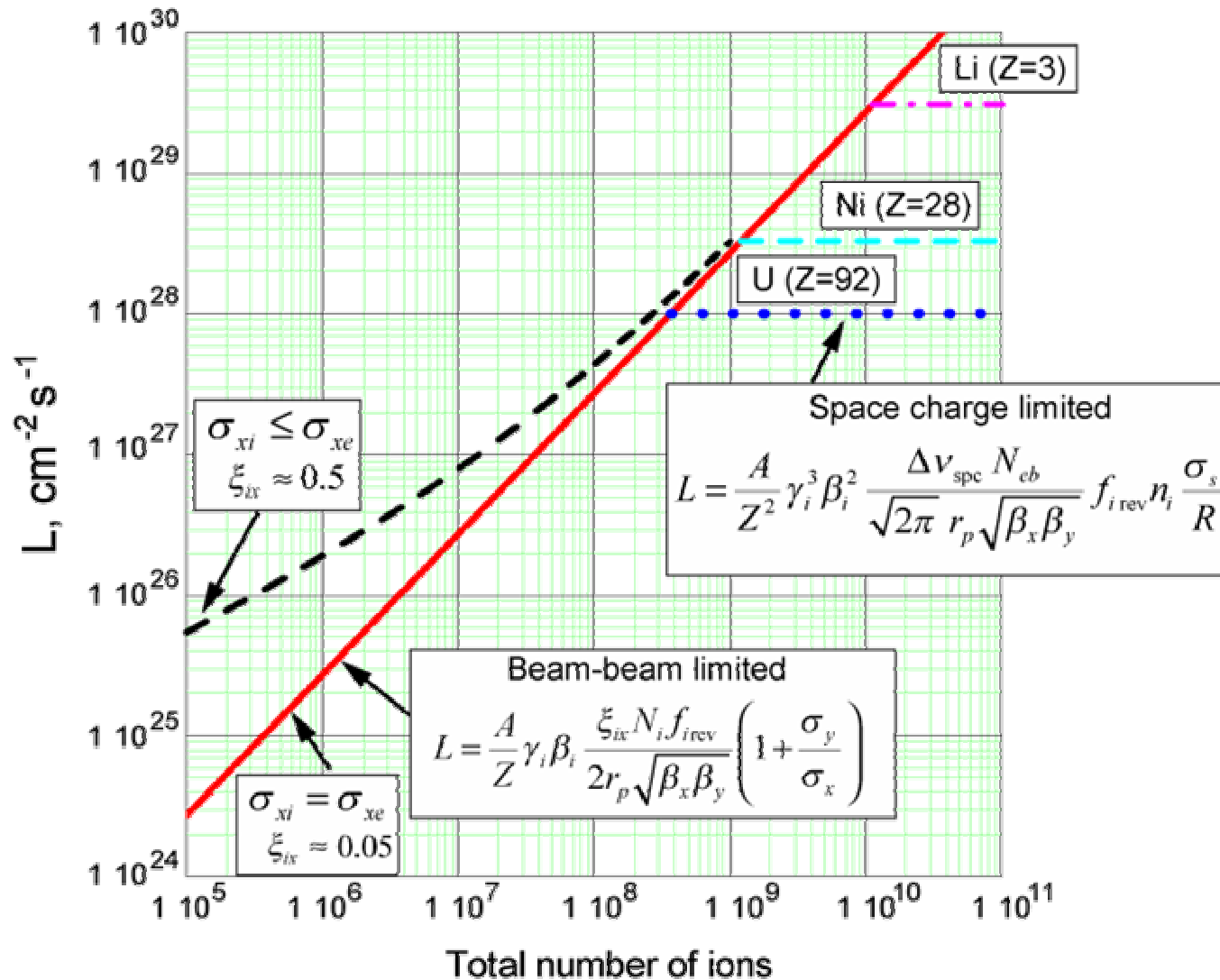
# NESR – based colliders



General layout of e-A collider



# Luminosity of e-fragment collider vs. total number of stored ions



# General requirements for e-fragment collider based on NESR storage ring @ GSI

- Revolutions of ion and electron beams are synchronized (quantized):

$$\frac{F_e}{F_i} = 5, 6, 7, 8, 9$$

- Energies:  $E_i \leq 740 \text{ MeV/u}, \quad E_e \leq 500 \text{ MeV}$

- Momentum transfer range:  $20 \leq q \leq 400 \text{ MeV/c}$

- Typical fragment yields  $\approx 10^{-7} \div 10^{-5}$

- $10^{12} \text{ } ^{248}\text{U}_{92} \rightarrow 10^5 \div 10^7$  fragments/pulse

-Stacking provides :  $10^7 \div 10^{10}$  isotopes

(Depending on their lifetimes)

- Intense electron cooling!!!

- Provides stacking and suppress blow-up due to intrabeam scattering
- Low momentum spread and emittance control
- Significantly increase achievable beam-beam limit

- Electron beam energy spread:  $\Delta E_e \leq 50 \div 100 \text{ keV}$

- Electron beam angular divergence:  $\Delta \theta_e \leq 1 \text{ mrad}$

- Electron bunch intensity limitation:  $N_{be} \leq 5 \cdot 10^{10}$

- Bunch length:  $\sigma_s = 10 \text{ cm}$

# General parameters of the e-fragment collider for the case of A=238, Z=92 and $\beta_i=0.8303$

	Units	Electron ring	Ion ring
Circumference	m	45.215	187.717
Energy	GeV, GeV/u	0.500	0.740
Revolution frequency	MHz	6.63	1.326
Betatron tunes, $\nu_x, \nu_y$		3.8, 2.8	3.8, 3.8
Compaction factor, $\alpha$		0.056	0.036
Bending radius	m	1.25	8.125
Number of bunches		8	40
Bunch to bunch spacing	m	5.65	4.7
Bunch population		$5 \cdot 10^{10}$	$0.92 \cdot 10^7$
Beam currents	mA	425	7.2
Energy losses/turn	keV	4.423	
Total radiated power	kW	1.88	
Damping time, $\tau$	ms	34	20
Beam emittances, $\epsilon_{x,y}$	$\mu\text{m} \cdot \text{mrad}$	50	50
Beta functions at IP, $\beta_{x,y}$	cm	100, 15	100, 15
Beam size at IP, $\sigma_{x,y}$	$\mu\text{m}$	220, 87	220, 87
Beam divergence at IP, $\sigma_{x',y'}$	mrad	0.22, 0.58	0.22, 0.58
Momentum spread, $\sigma_{\Delta p/p}$		0.00036	0.0004
Bunch length, $\sigma_s$	cm	4	15
Beam-beam parameters, $\xi_{x,y}$		0.005, 0.002	0.046, 0.018
Laslett tune shift, $\Delta\nu$			0.1
Luminosity	$\text{cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$	$1 \cdot 10^{28}$	

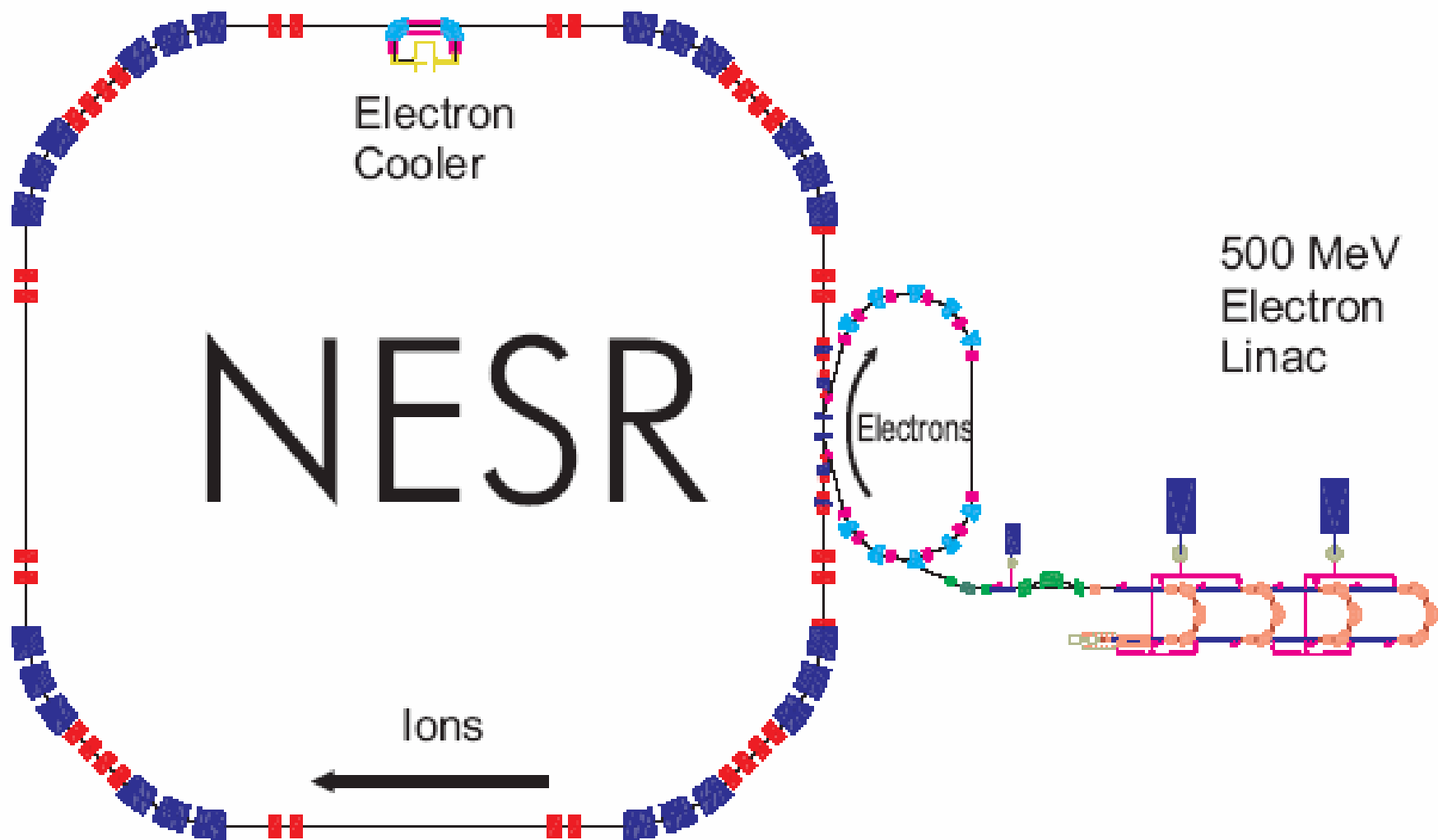
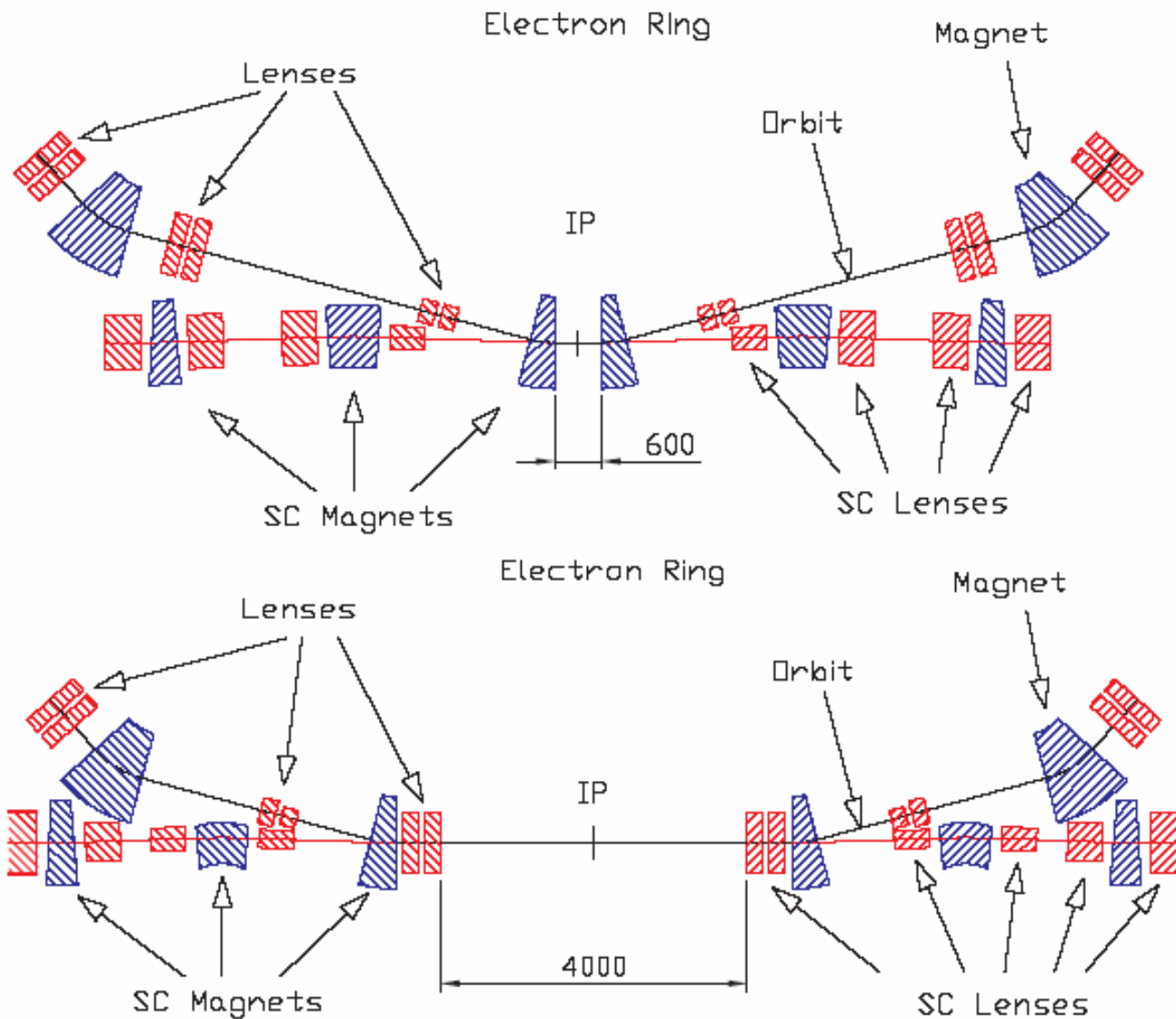
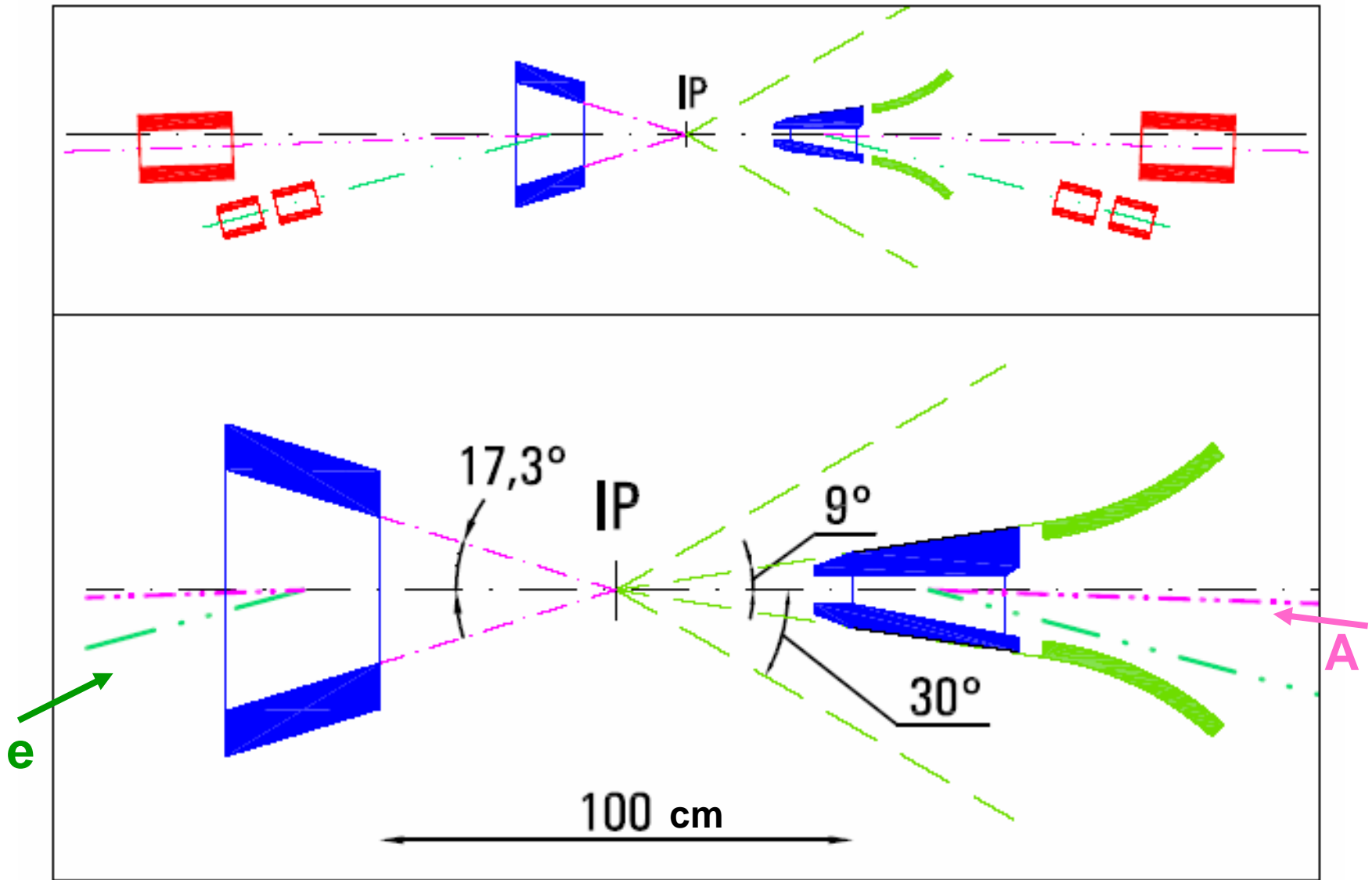


Figure 1: General layout of the e-A collider

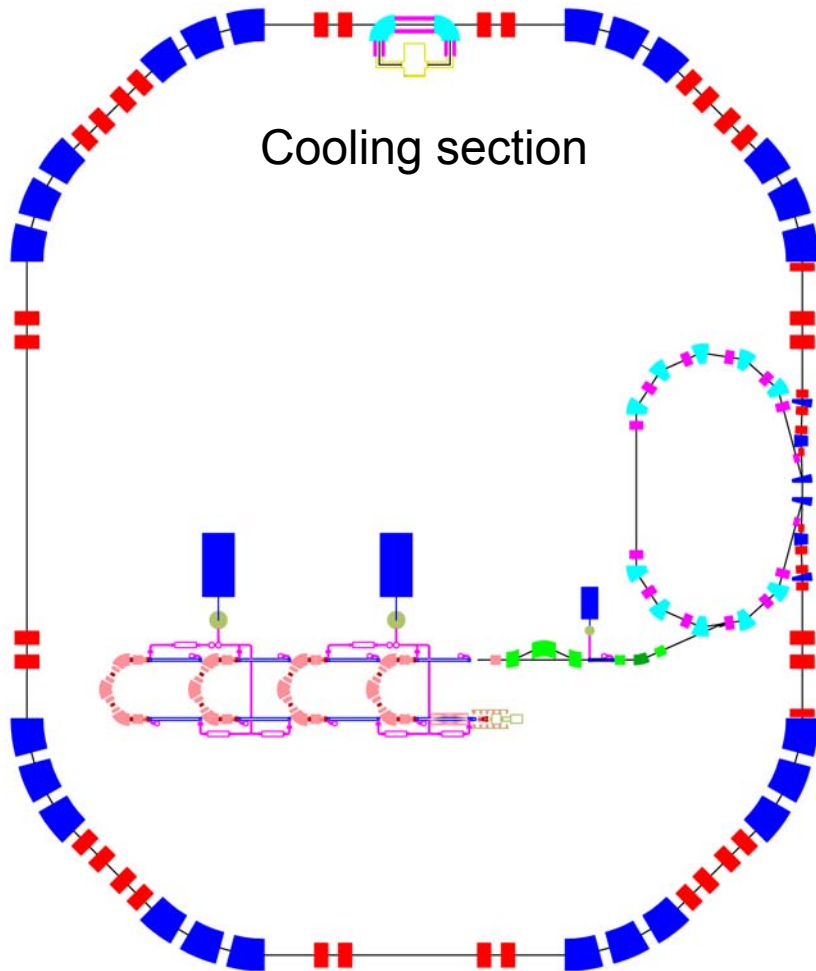


Closer look on the interaction region layout.  
 Different versions with different magnet free space near IP.

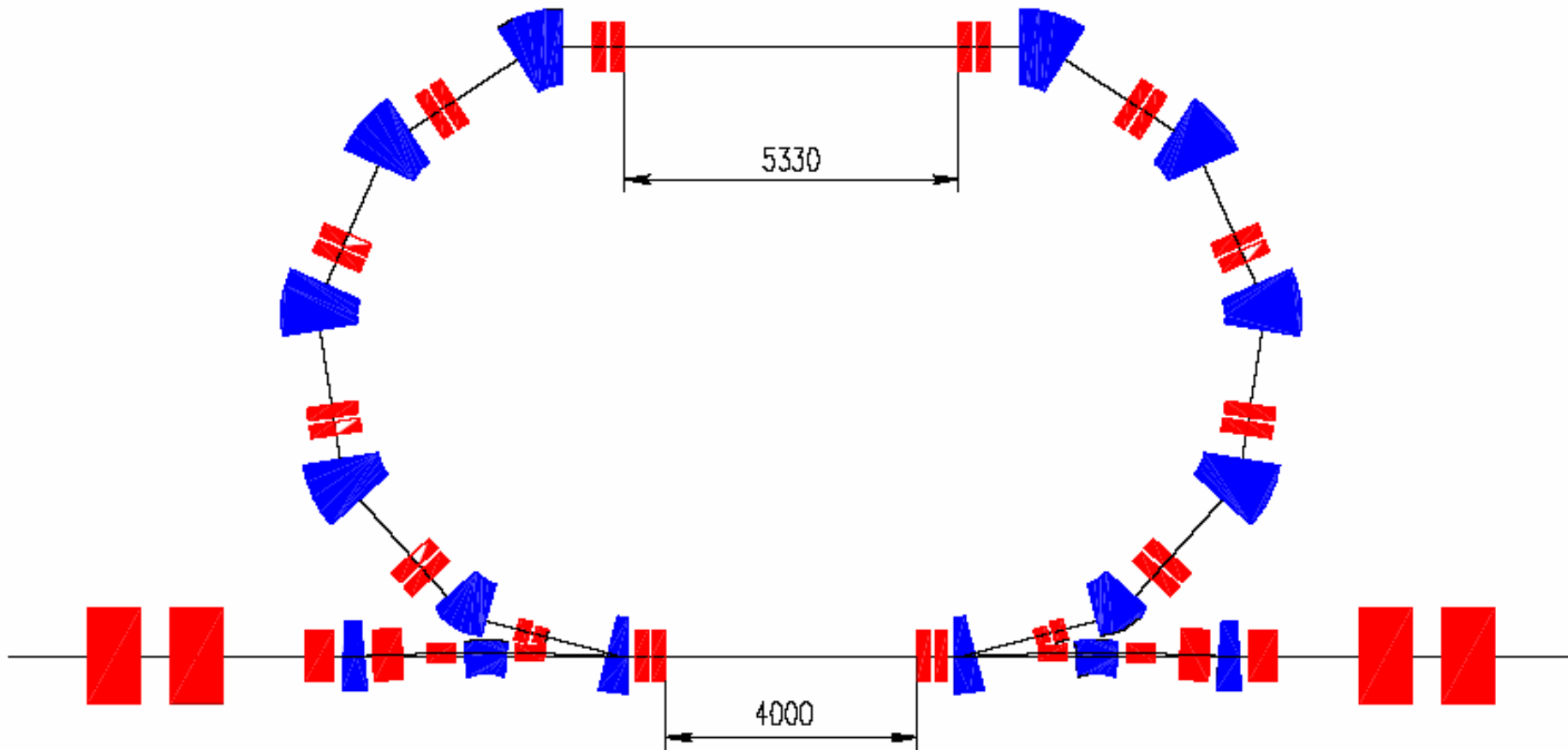


**Layout of the interaction region of the e-A collider.**

# Electron cooling and eA Collider for NESR (another layout)



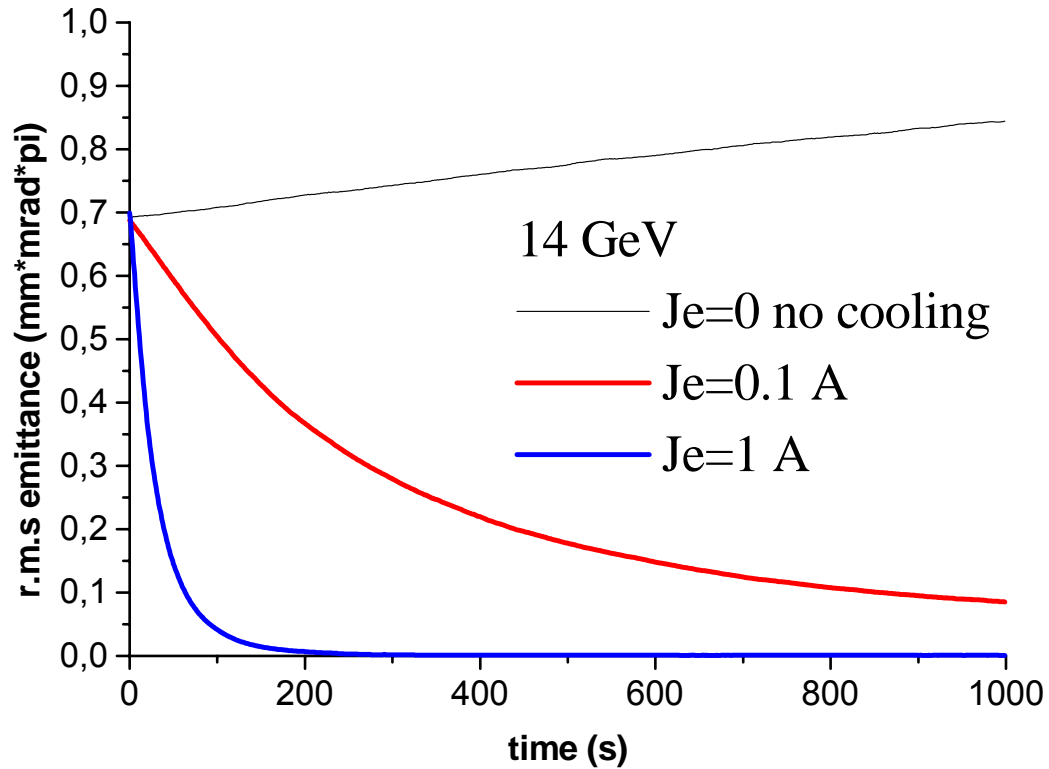
Accelerating voltage	2—450	kV
Maximum electron current	2	A
Electron beam diameter	25	mm
Magnetic field strength	0.2	T
Transverse electron temperature	0.2	eV
Length of cooling section	4	m
Field parallelity in cooling section, $B_{\text{trans}}/B_{\text{long}}$	$5 \times 10^{-4}$	



**Yet another layout of the electron ring.  
Version with  $\pm 2.0$  m of a magnet free space near the IP.  
(maybe, for pbar-A collisions?)**

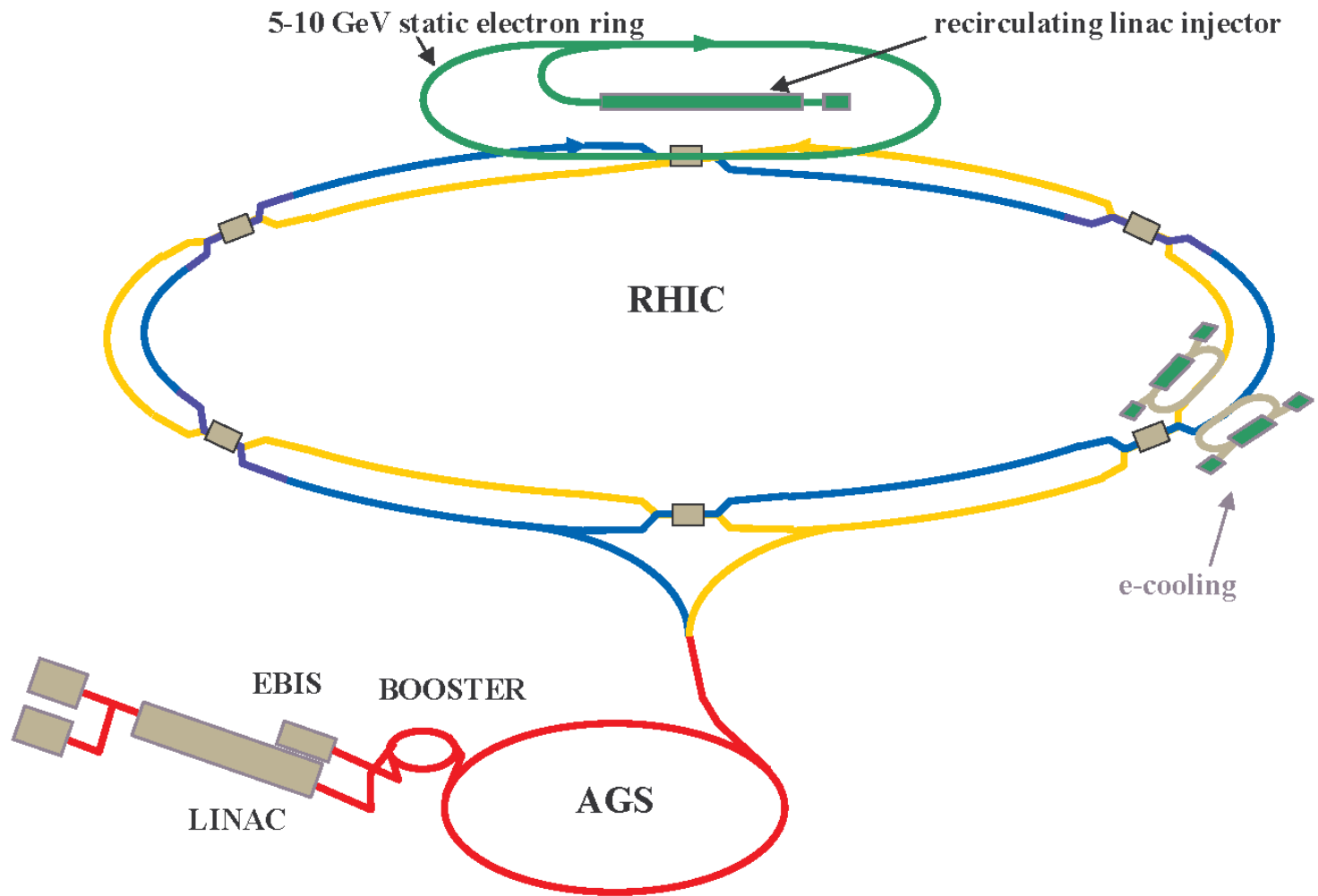


# Cooling for HESR



R.M.S. emittance vs. time with and without electron cooling

# General view of the eRHIC Collider



# GOLD-GOLD @ RHIC

## Electron Cooling for Luminosity Enhancement

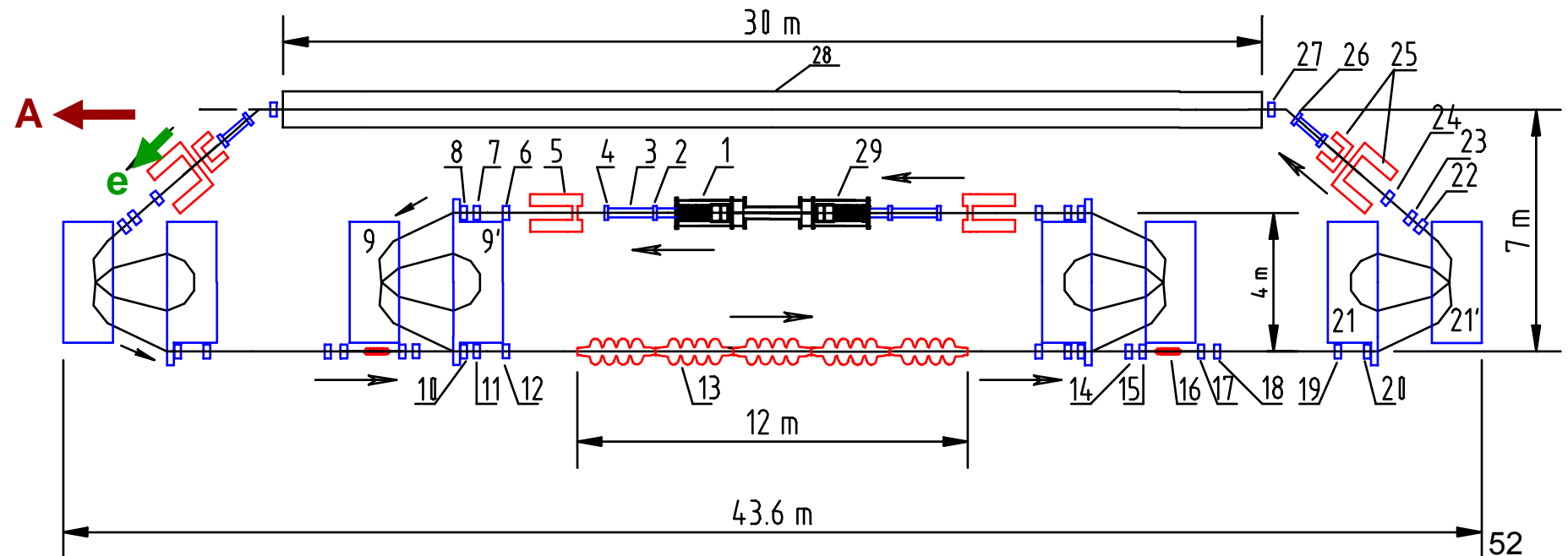
Initial parameters for the electron cooling system for RHIC

Parameter	Symbol	Value	Units
Electron beam energy	$E_e$	50	MeV
Peak electron beam current	$J_e$	1	A
Length of electron bunch	$L_e$	50	cm
Fraction cooler at circumference	$\eta_e$	0.0078	
Number of electron at bunch	$N_e$	$10^{10}$	
DC electron current	$J_{eDC} = e * N_e * f_b$	7.4	mA
Beta function at cooling section	$\beta_x$	60	m
Ion beam radius	$a_e = \sqrt{(\epsilon_{nt} * \beta_x / \gamma \beta)}$	0.08	cm
Ion beam divergence at cooling sect.	$\theta = \sqrt{(\epsilon_{nt} / (\beta_x \beta_y))}$	$1.3 \cdot 10^{-5}$	rad
Ions transverse velocity at the ion beam's reference system	$V_i = \gamma \beta_c \theta$	$3.8 \cdot 10^7$	cm/s
Electron beam density at the ion beam's reference system	$n_e$	$10^8$	$\text{cm}^{-3}$

**Plus: RHIC based Electron - Nuclei Collider.**

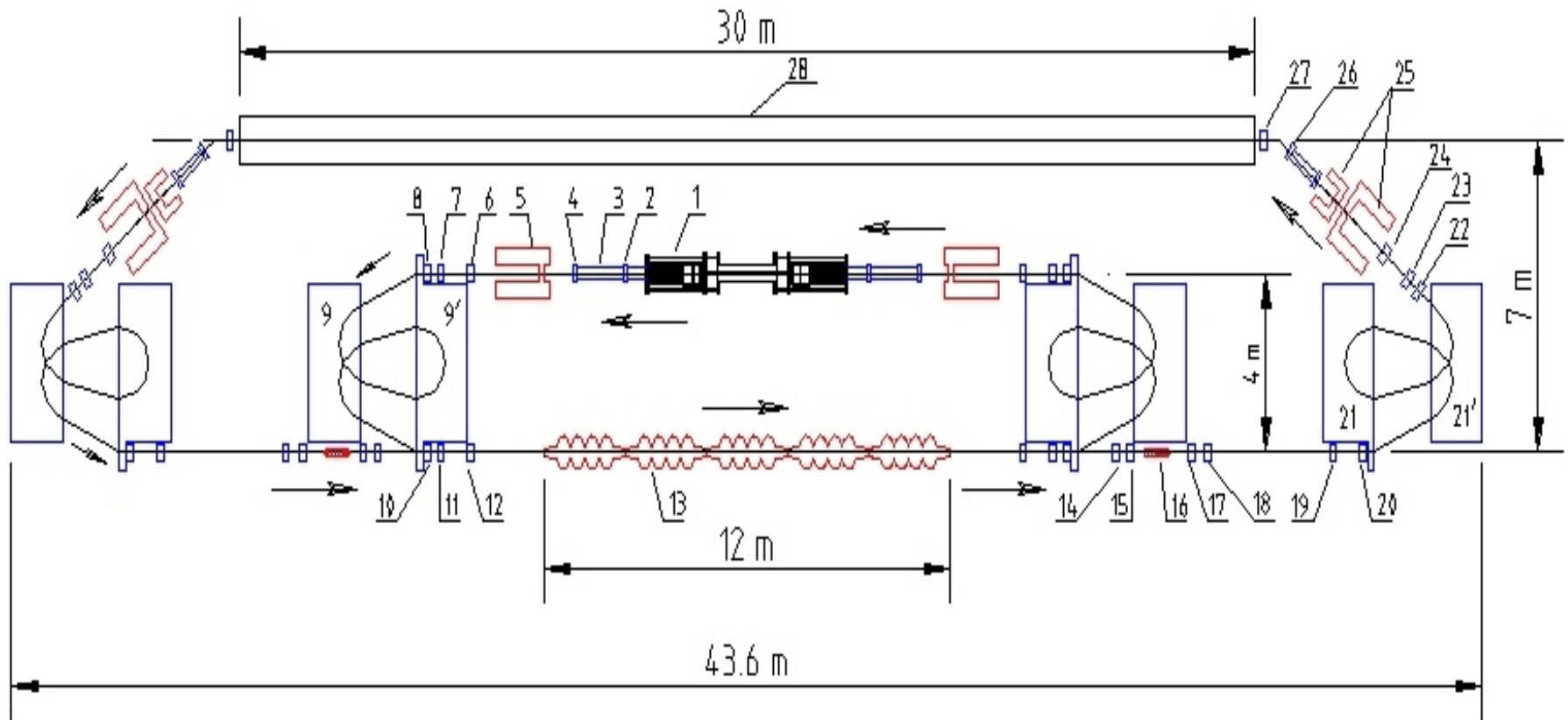
# Schematic layout of the cooling system (next to a RHIC interaction point)

*The hope: 10 times higher average luminosity for A-A, for eA and for longitudinally polarized ep collisions.*



# Project of electron cooling for RHIC

## 50 MeV $\times$ 1 A



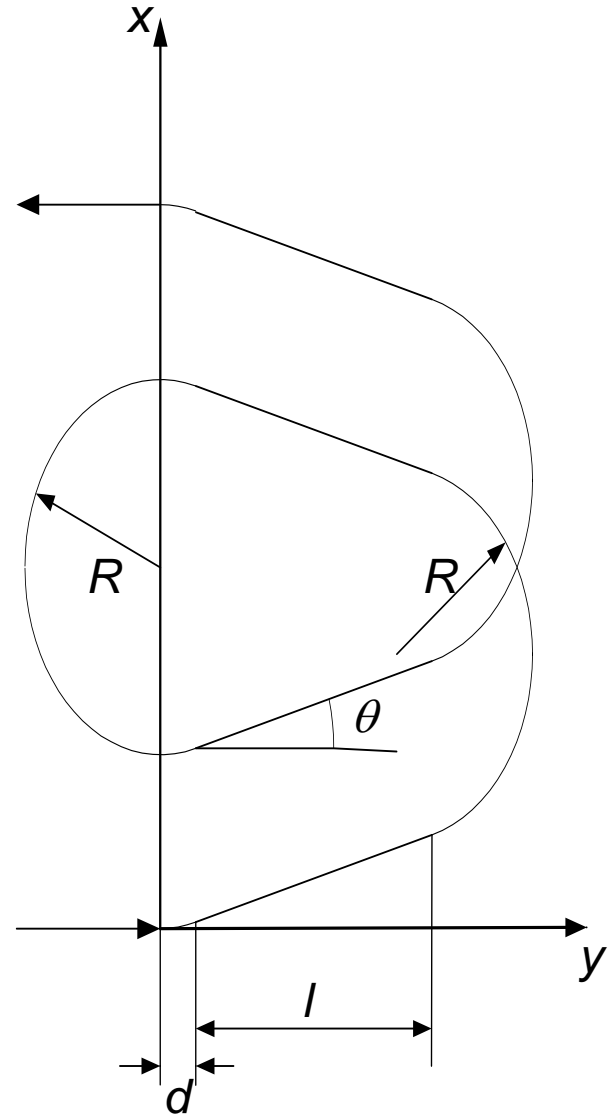
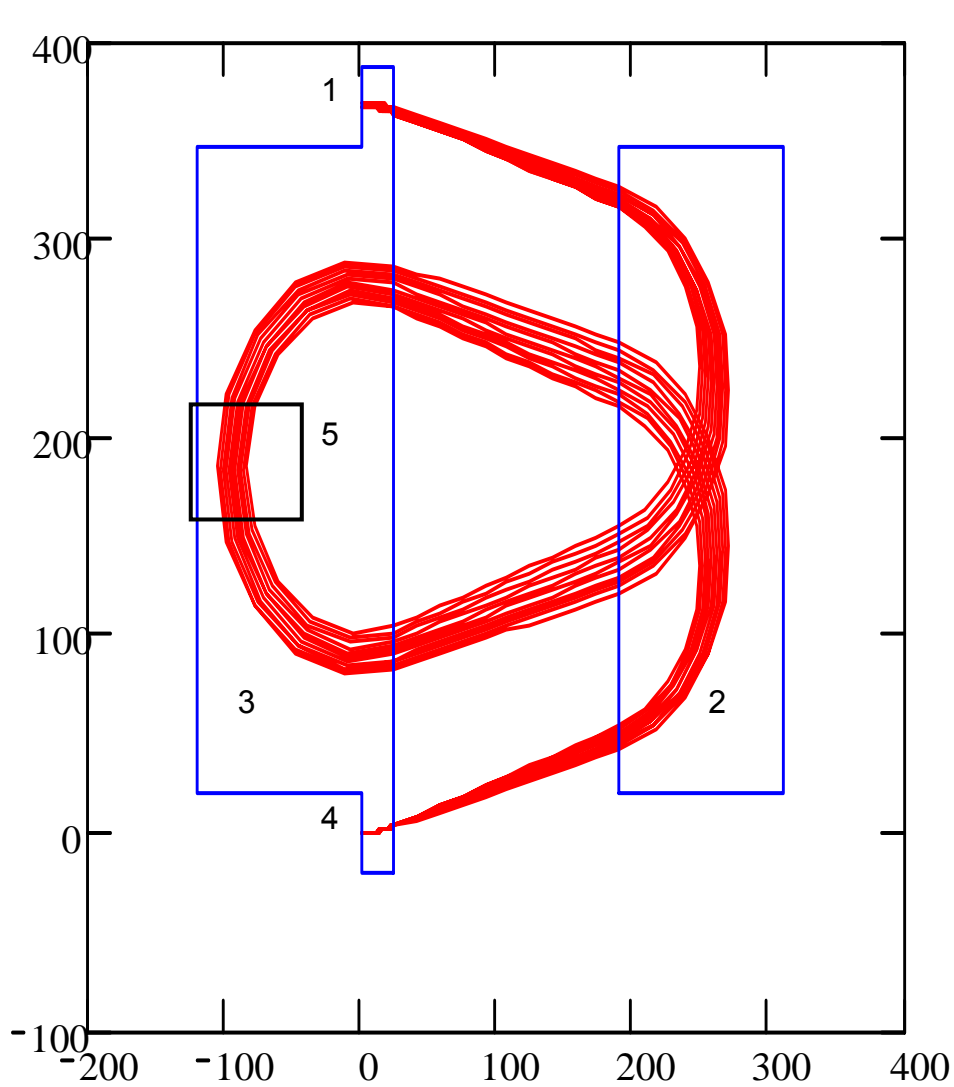
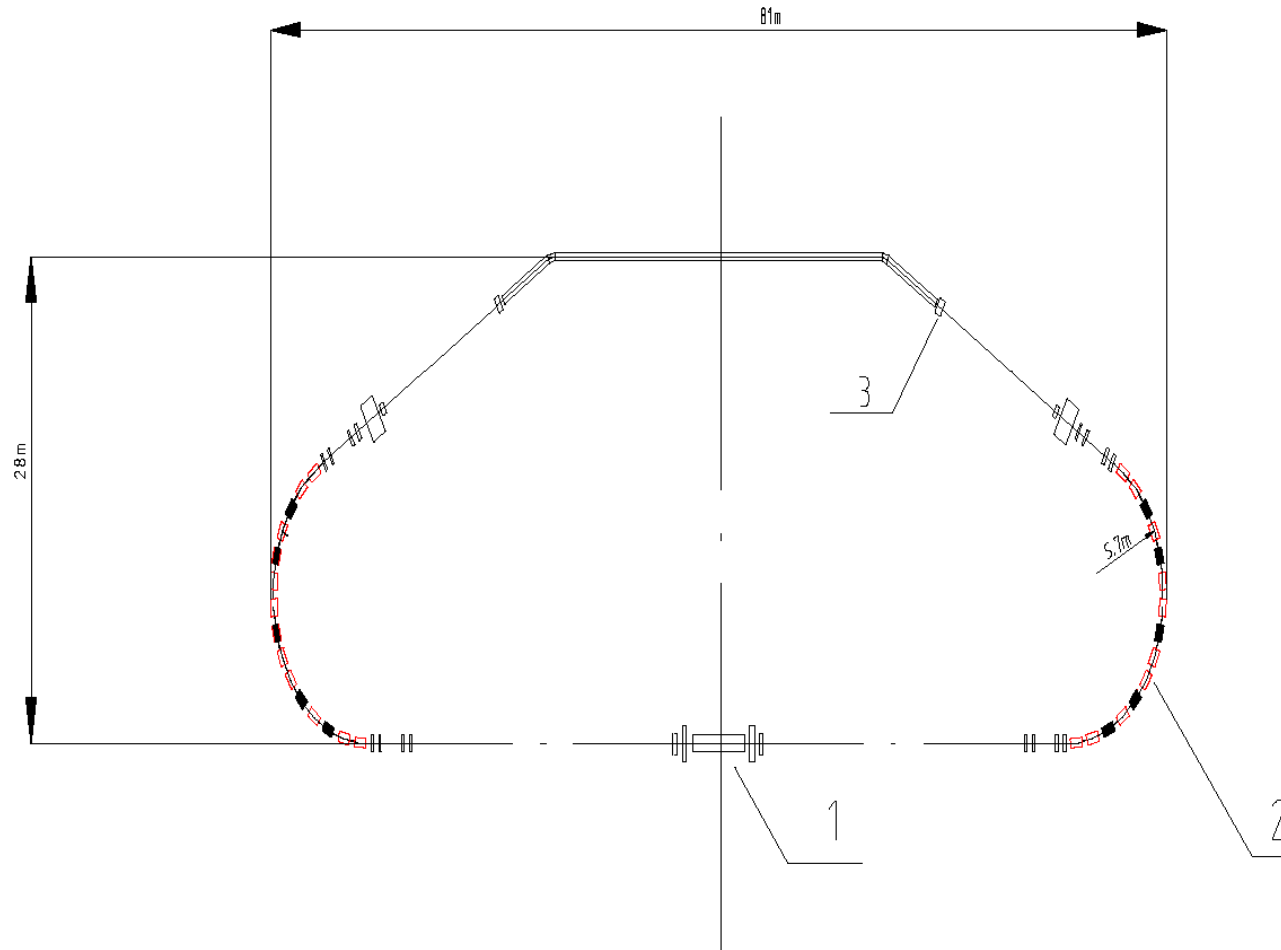


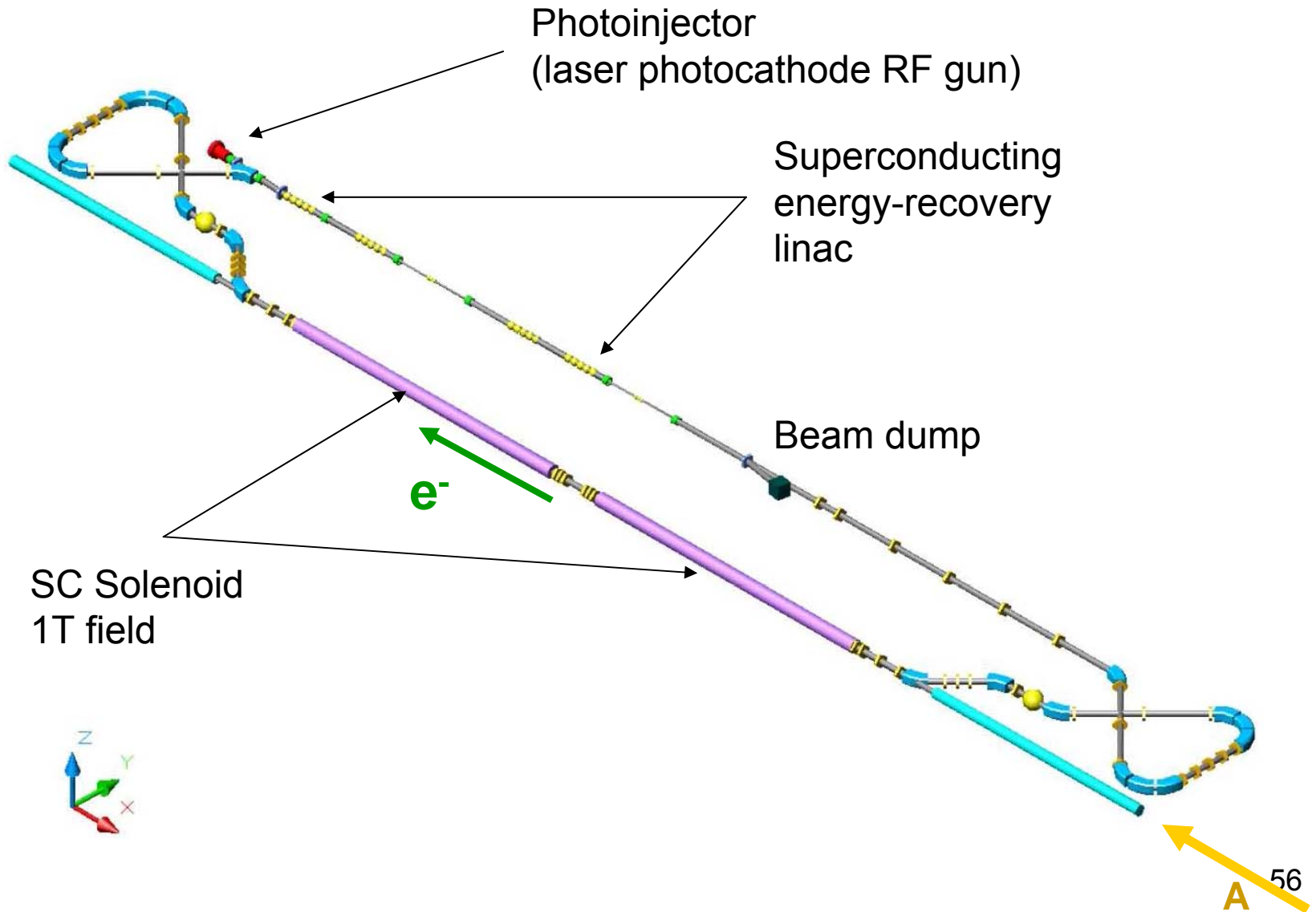
Figure 3.4.1. Achromatic bend. 1 and 4 – parallel edges magnets, 2 and 3 – magnetic mirrors, 5 – sextupole corrector.

# Electron cooling for e-p collider



- 1 — main linac, 2 — Chicane magnet system for bunching/debunching,  
3 — adaptor for to come in/out solenoid.

# Schematic Layout of Electron Cooling for RHIC

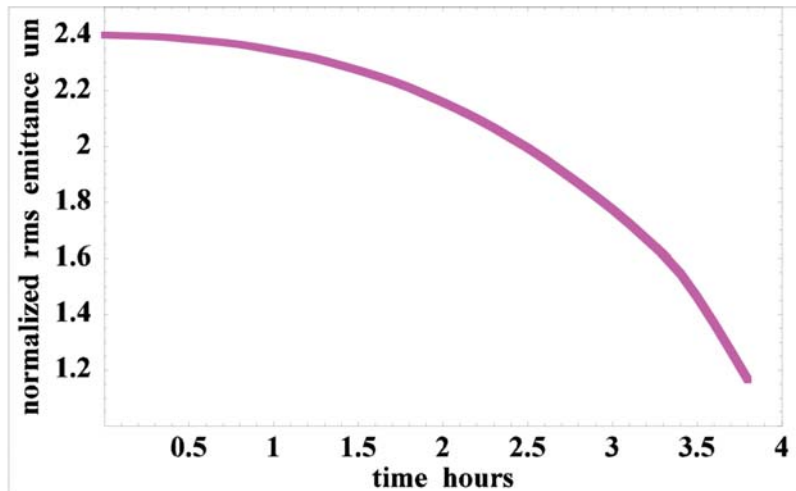




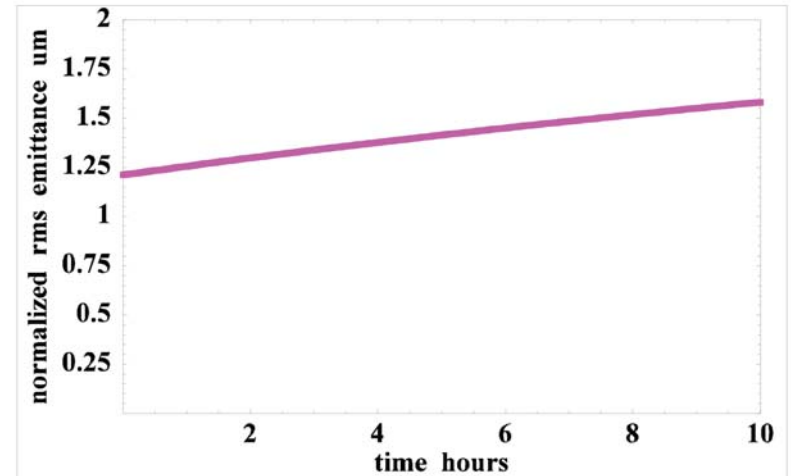
# Electron cooling in eRHIC

The needs for electron cooling:

1. E-cooling for gold beam at storage phase → to control MIBS and reduce emittance.
2. E-cooling for protons at injection - to reduce transverse beam emittance.
3. Cooling the longitudinal emittance → bunch shortening to match with a low  $\beta^*$  in the IP.

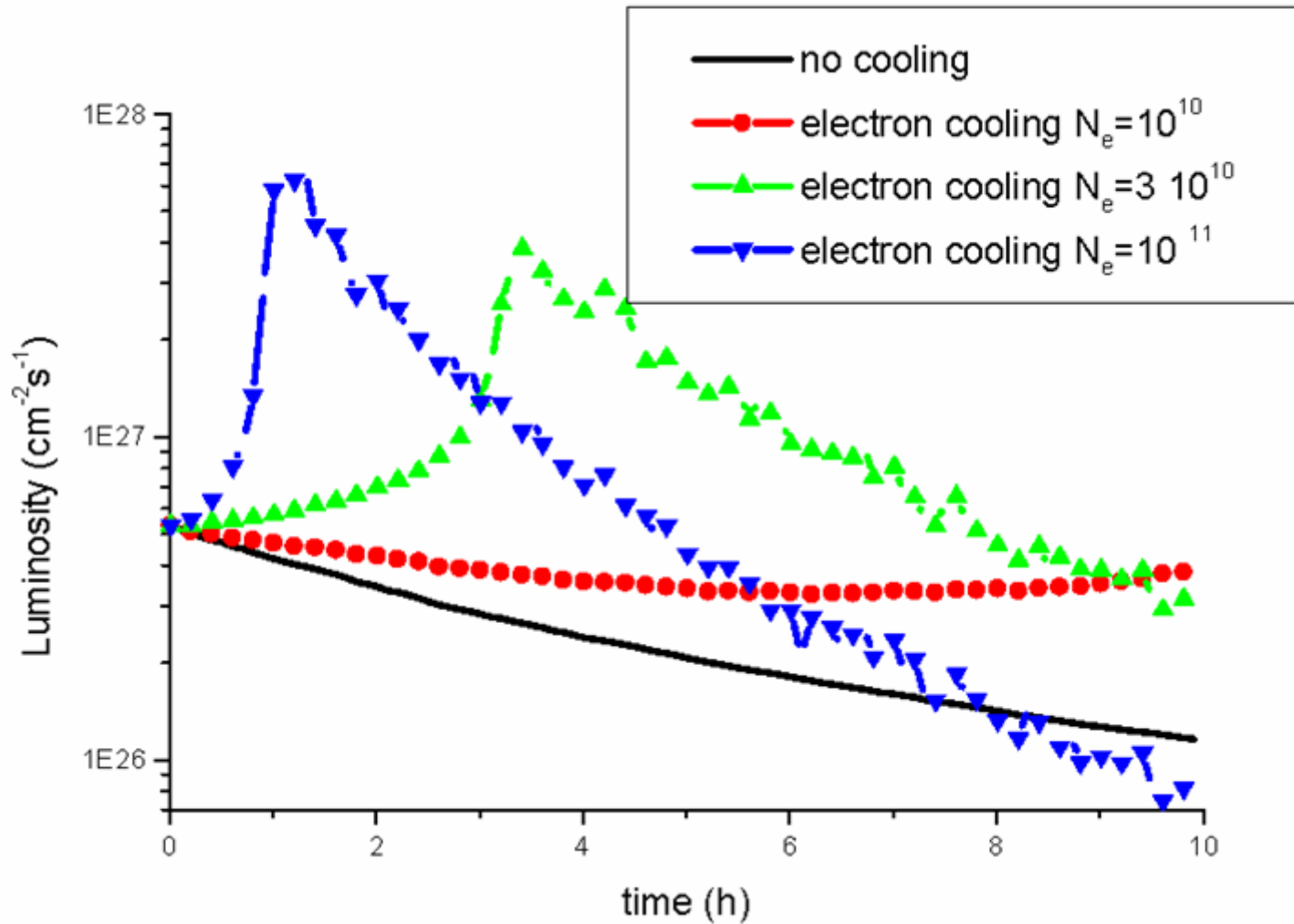


Cooling of proton bunch ( $N_p=2 \times 10^{11}$ , 27 GeV)

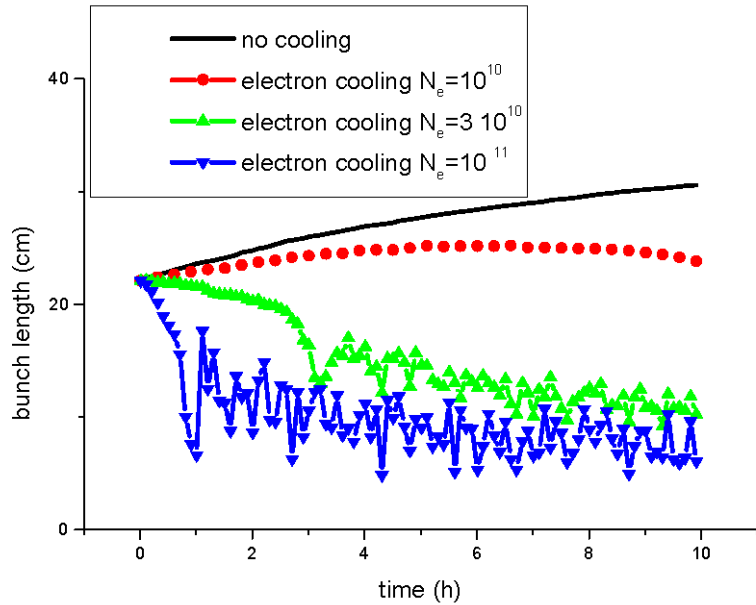


Emittance growth of the cold proton bunch stored at 250 GeV (no cooling)

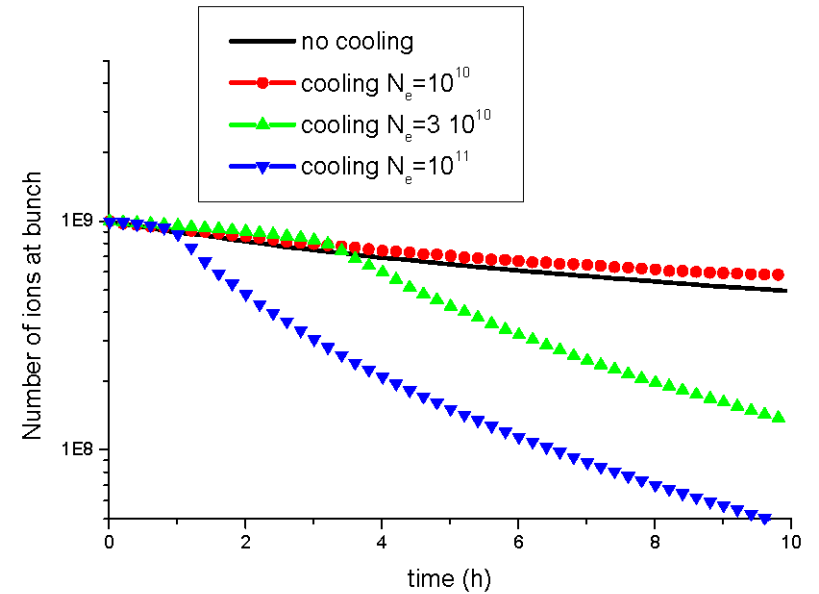
# Luminosity of gold-gold collisions



# Cooling at RHIC



The longitudinal bunch length vs. time for various cooling currents.



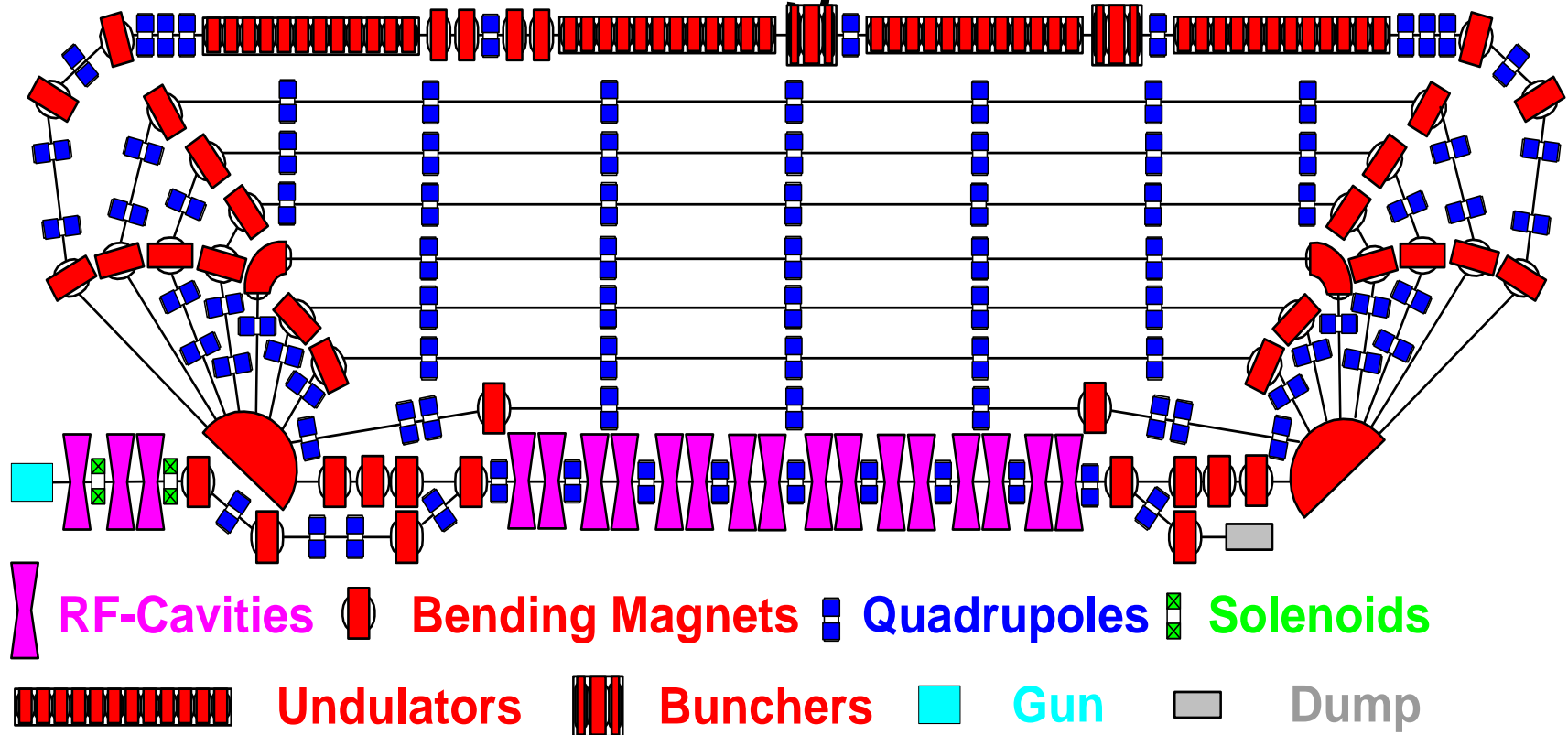
The number of ions in a single bunch vs. time for various cooling currents.

## **Schematic layout of the cooling system next to a RHIC interaction point**

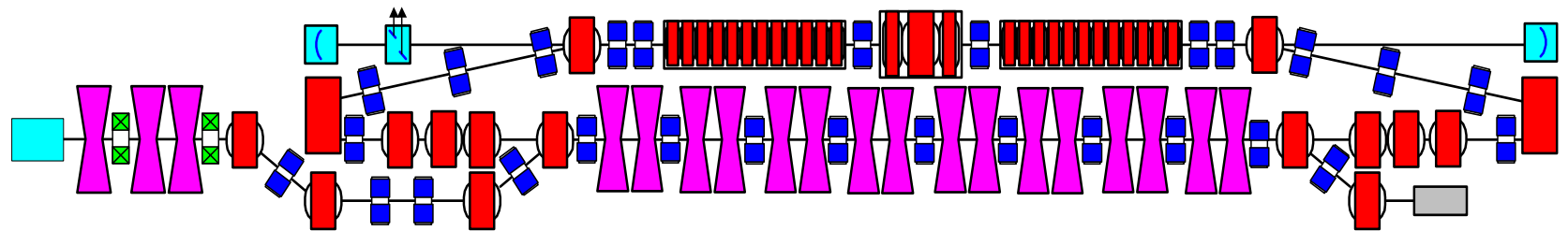
The electron cooling equipment comprises the following key elements:

- 1 – A 2 MeV injector with a magnetized cathode (the magnetic field on the cathode of the injector is  $\sim 100$  G).
- 3 – A solenoid extension of the longitudinal magnetic field of the injector (100 G).
- 2,4 – Skew quadrupoles for the transformation of the magnetized beam into a flat beam
- 6 – Energy modulating cavity for reducing the electron bunch length from 4 ns to 0.06 ns. It consists of two 70 MHz RF-cavity (the gap voltage is 350 kV) and one 210 MHz (36 kV) RF-cavity.
- 5,7,8 – Electron optical elements of the bunching system.
- 9,9' – Magnetic compressor (an a-magnet, with a bending radius of 1m).
- 10,11,12,13 – Electron optical elements of the bunching system.
- 14 – RF linac structure (350 MHz LEP structure).
- 15 – A bending magnet for a compensation of the action of the last high-energy (50 MeV) bending magnet (9").
- 18 – Third harmonic of the RF linac (1.05 GHz), for compensation of the non-linearity of fundamental accelerating field.
- 16,17,19,20,22,23 – Electron optical elements of the debunching system.
- 21,21' – Magnetic de-compressor (an a-magnet, with a bending radius of 1m).
- 24 – RF-cavity for eliminating the linear energy chirp. It consists of 80 MHz RF cavity (the gap voltage is 4.6 MV) and 240 MHz (0.24 kV). This cavity should be superconducting.
- 25 – Transfer optics from a flat to a round beam electron beam, for injection into the main solenoid.
- 26 – Bending magnet.
- 27 – Main solenoid (104 G).
- 28 – Beam-dump or system of beam recuperation.

# Schematic Drawing of the FEL Driven by an Accelerator-Recuperator – good as prototype for E Cooler at high energies!



# Schematic Drawing of the Submillimeter FEL and AR (the first step – single turn)





**14 MeV accelerator-recuperator – in operation.**

Table 2.2: Parameter set for an electron-proton collider, calculated assuming that  $(\Delta\nu_L)_{th} = \xi_i$ ; RF-voltage in the proton ring 50 kV, and  $\xi_i = 0.05$ .

# ENC (GSI)

## Electron-Proton

$$\sqrt{s}_{\max} = 30 \text{ GeV}$$

$$L_{\text{epmax}} = 1 \cdot 10^{33} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}$$

$\sqrt{s}$ [GeV]	10	20	30
Specific Luminosity ( $\times 10^{-21}$ ) [ $1/\text{cm}^2\text{s}$ ]	2.3	6.5	12
$N_i \times 10^{-10}$	3.6	2.6	2.1
Proton Beam Current [A]	0.35	0.25	0.2
Proton Energy [Gev]	17.21	24.34	29.81
Emittans [nm]	57	14	6.3
Momentum Spread $\times 10^5$	7.1	5	4
$Z/n$ [Ohm]	1.8	3.3	4.5
$\Delta f_{\text{load}}/f_0$	0.14	0.1	0.1
IBS Growth Time [s]	6.4	1.6	0.7
Cooling Time [s]	0.13	0.03	0.02
Betatron Cooling Time [s]	3.3	0.8	0.4
Longitudinal Cooling Time [s]	0.14	0.036	0.02
Density of Cooling Beam ( $\times 10^{-10}$ ) [ $1/\text{cm}^3$ ]	0.4	1.15	2.1
Current of Cooling Beam [A]	14	9.9	8
Rms Beam Radius [cm]	0.34	0.1	0.11
Current Density of Cooling Beam [ $\text{A}/\text{cm}^2$ ]	19	55	101
Radiat. Recombination Lifetime [h]	87	61	50
$N_e \times 10^{-10}$	43.3	15.3	8.3
Electron Beam Current [A]	4.	1.5	0.8
Electron Energy [GeV]	1.45	4.1	7.5
Emittance [nm]	57	14	6.4
Synchr. Radiat. Energy Loss per Turn [MeV]	0.007	0.43	4.9
RF-Power [MW]	0.028	0.63	4
$Z/n$ [Ohm]	0.027	1.0	8.5
$\Delta f_{\text{load}}/f_0$	6.2	0.034	0.0016
Bremsstrahlung Lifetime [h]	50	22	15