

**Letter of Intent to propose a  
SIX-DIMENSIONAL MUON BEAM COOLING  
EXPERIMENT FOR FERMILAB**

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# 6D Muon and Neutrino Experiment (6DMANX)

(outline of presentation)

- 6D muon beam cooling enables several new accelerator possibilities
- A Helical Cooling Channel (HCC) with continuous absorber is a new concept for 6D muon cooling
  - Combined Solenoidal, Helical Dipole, Helical Quadrupole fields
  - Especially effective with hydrogen-pressurized RF cavities
- 6DMANX is a prototype HCC precooling
  - Used as a simple demonstration of new 6D cooling principles
  - No RF (invariant emittance measurements show cooling)
  - Pressurized hydrogen not needed, use liquid helium energy absorber
  - Beam cools as it slows down, magnetic fields must diminish with  $p$
- The experiment is to measure the HCC cooling properties
  - Need up and downstream spectrometers, matching sections, particle ID
  - $\sim 300$  MeV/c muon beam, e.g. RAL or Fermilab
- Some funding through SBIR program for designs and simulations
  - Construction, execution, and alternative studies beyond SBIR funding
  - Must solve matching problems and make cost estimates for the proposal



# New inventions, new possibilities

- Muon beams can be cooled to a few mm-mr (normalized)
  - allows HF RF (implies Muon machines and ILC synergy)
- Muon recirculation in ILC cavities: high energy for lower cost
  - Affordable neutrino factory, which by coalescing, becomes
  - A muon collider injector for
- A low-emittance high-luminosity collider
  - high luminosity with fewer muons
  - LEMC goal:  $E_{\text{com}} = 5 \text{ TeV}$ ,  $\langle L \rangle = 10^{35}$
- Many new ideas in the last 5 years. A new ball game!
  - (many new ideas have been developed with DOE SBIR funding)



# Low Emittance Muon Collider Workshop

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• University of California at Los Angeles	2
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# Benefits of low emittance approach

Lower emittance allows lower muon current for a given luminosity.

This diminishes several problems:

- radiation levels due to the high energy neutrinos from muon beams circulating and decaying in the collider that interact in the earth near the site boundary;
- electrons from the same decays that cause background in the experimental detectors and heating of the cryogenic magnets;
- difficulty in creating a proton driver that can produce enough protons to create the muons;
- proton target heat deposition and radiation levels;
- heating of the ionization cooling energy absorber; and
- beam loading and wake field effects in the accelerating RF cavities.

Smaller emittance also:

- allows smaller, higher-frequency RF cavities with higher gradient for acceleration;
- makes beam transport easier; and
- allows stronger focusing at the interaction point since that is limited by the beam extension in the quadrupole magnets of the low beta insertion.



# Recent Inventions and Developments

## ■ **New Ionization Cooling Techniques**

- Emittance exchange with continuous absorber for longitudinal cooling
- Helical Cooling Channel
  - Effective 6D cooling (simulations: cooling factor 50,000 in 160 m)
- Momentum-dependent Helical Cooling Channel
  - 6D Precooling device
  - 6D cooling demonstration experiment (>500% 6 D cooling in 4 m)
  - 6D cooling segments between RF sections
- Ionization cooling using a parametric resonance

## ■ **Methods to manipulate phase space partitions**

- Reverse emittance exchange using absorbers
- Bunch coalescing (neutrino factory and muon collider share injector)

## ■ **Technology for better cooling**

- Pressurized RF cavities
  - Simultaneous energy absorption and acceleration and
  - Phase rotation, bunching, cooling to increase initial muon capture
  - Higher gradient in magnetic fields than in vacuum cavities
- High Temperature Superconductor for up to 50 T magnets
  - Faster cooling, smaller equilibrium emittance





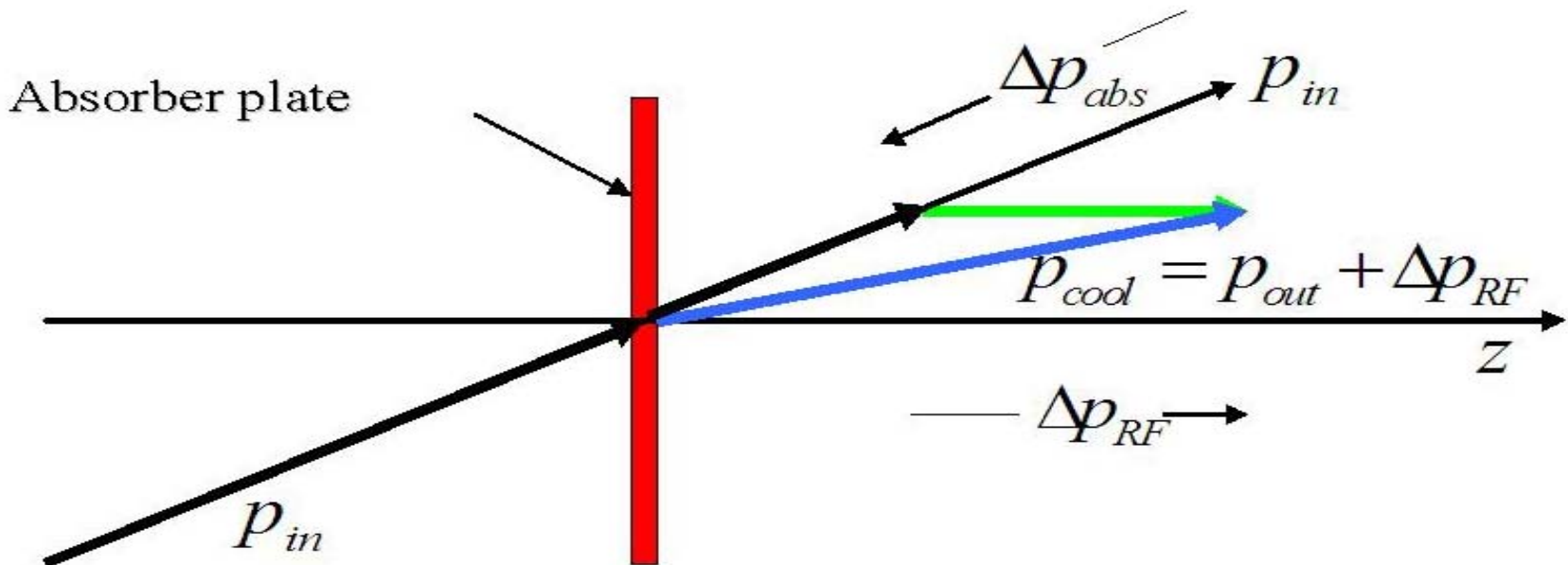
# Desirables

- At least one complete design of a LEMC
- An implementation plan with affordable, incremental, independently-fundable, sequential, steps:
- (RoI WAG \$M hardware)
  1. attractive 6D Cooling experiment (5)
  2. triple-duty proton driver Linac (400)
  3. exceptional neutrino factory (23 GeV) (1000)  
P buncher, target, cooling, recirculation, PDL upgrade, decay racetrack
  4. intense stopping muon beam (100)  
Experimental hall, beamlines
  5. Higgs factory (~300 GeV com) (2000)  
Add more cooling, RLA, coalescing & collider rings, IR
  6. energy frontier muon collider(5 TeV com) (2000)  
Add more RLA, deep ring, IRs



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# Ionization Cooling (reduction in angular divergence of a muon beam)



$$\min \epsilon_{xN} = \frac{\beta_{\perp} E_s^2}{2\beta m c^2 L_R \left| \frac{dE}{dz} \right|}$$

$$\beta_{\perp} = \frac{2p_z}{c B_z}$$

Fast enough for muons

Only works for muons



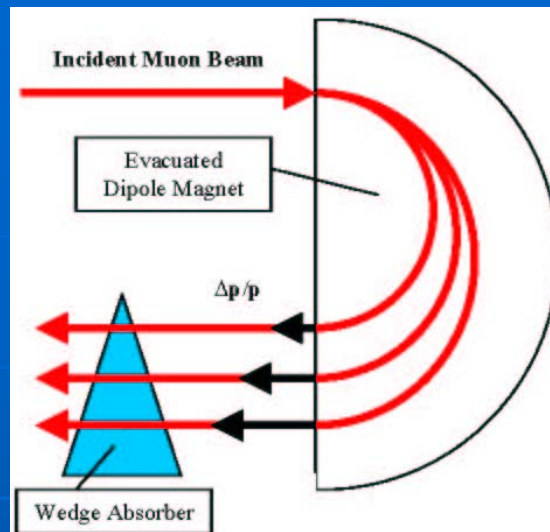


Figure 1. Use of a Wedge Absorber for Emittance Exchange

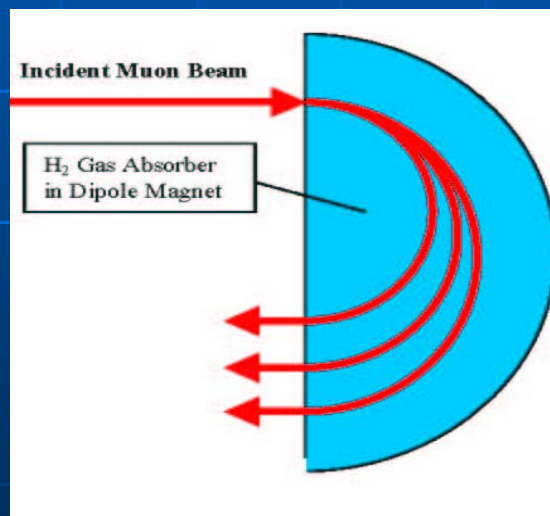


Figure 2. Use of Continuous Gaseous Absorber for Emittance Exchange

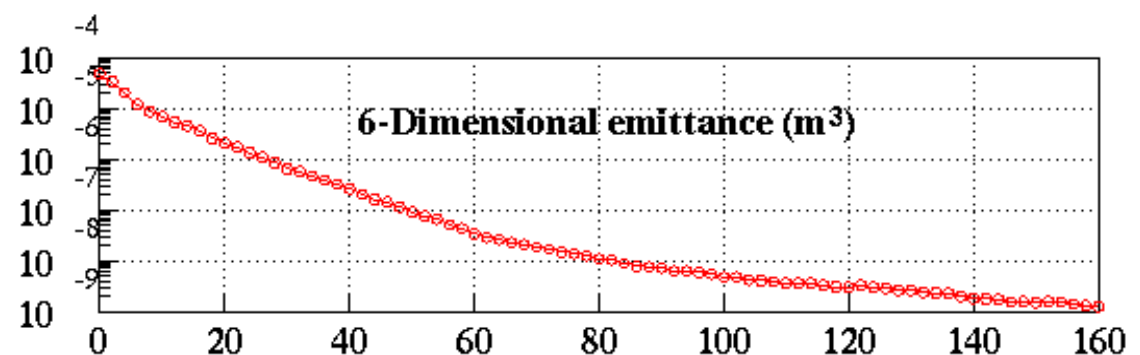
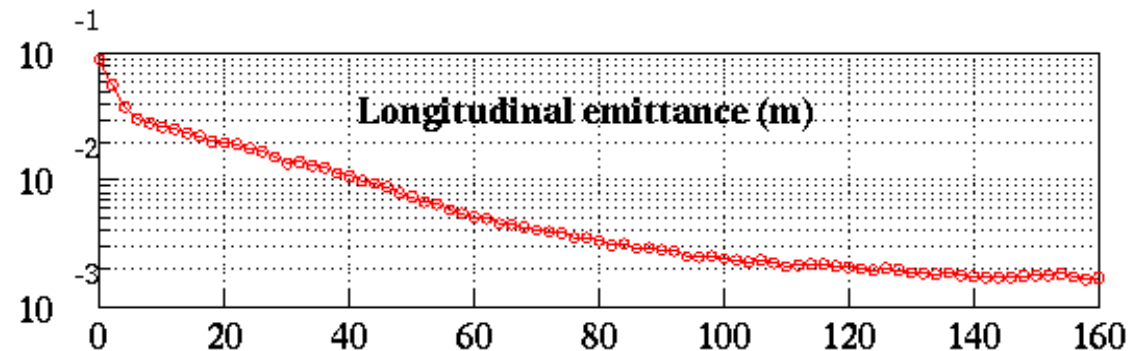
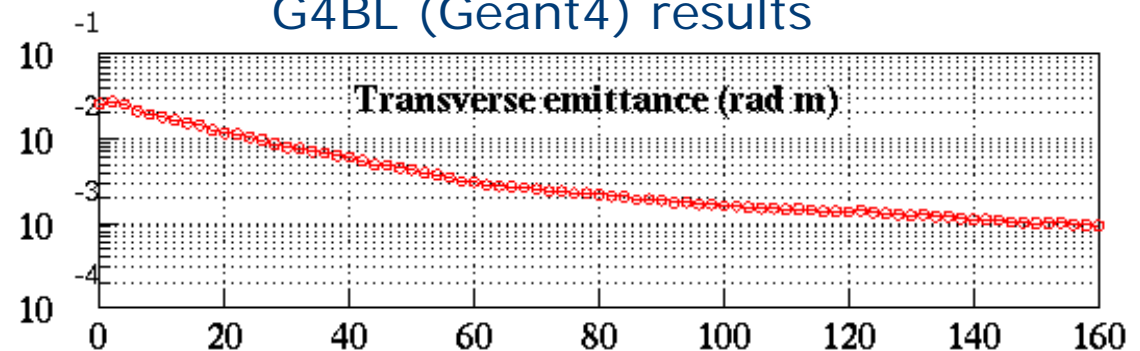
$\lambda = 1.0 \text{ m}$

$\lambda = 0.8 \text{ m}$

$\lambda = 0.6 \text{ m}$

$\lambda = 0.4 \text{ m}$

## G4BL (Geant4) results



**6D Cooling factor ~ 50,000**

**z (m)**

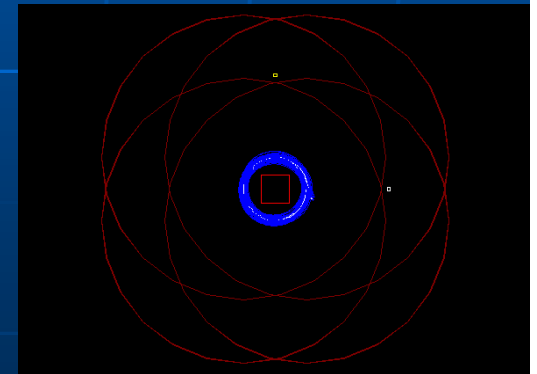
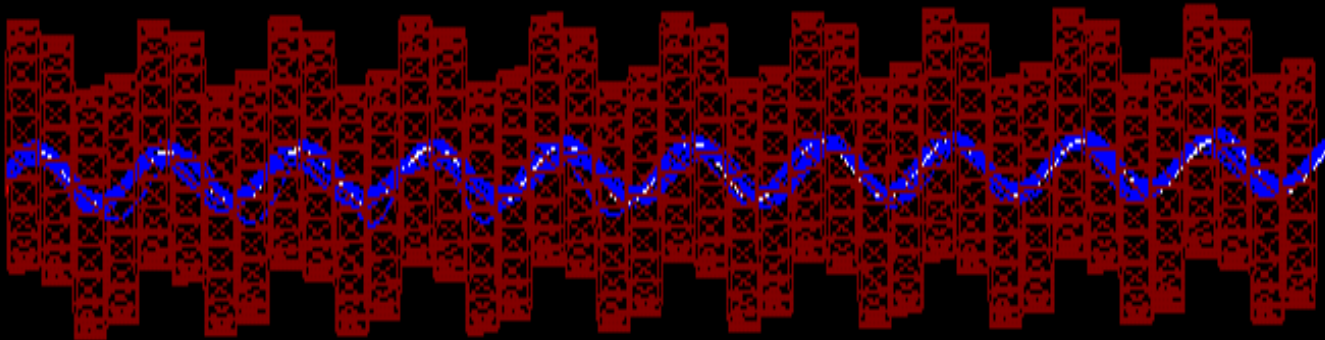


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## 6-Dimensional Cooling in a Continuous Absorber

see Derbenev, Yonehara, Johnson

- Helical cooling channel (HCC)
  - Continuous absorber for emittance exchange
  - Solenoidal, transverse helical dipole and quadrupole fields
  - Helical dipoles known from Siberian Snakes
  - z-independent Hamiltonian
  - Derbenev & Johnson, Theory of HCC, April/05 PRST-AB



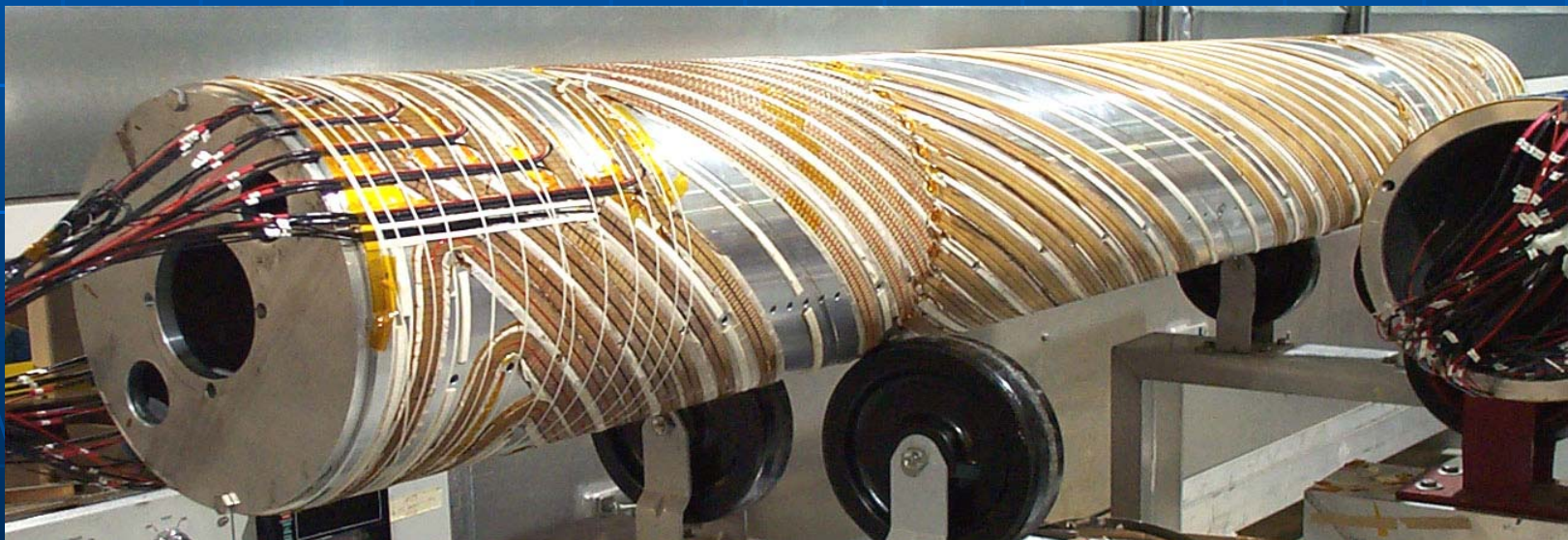


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## Hydrogen Cryostat for Muon Beam Cooling

Technology for HCC components:

HTS (nice BSSCO data from TD Ph I), Helical magnet design,  
low T Be or Cu coated RF cavities, windows, heat transport, refrigerant  
Cryostat for the 6DMANX cooling demonstration experiment



BNL Helical Dipole magnet for AGS spin control





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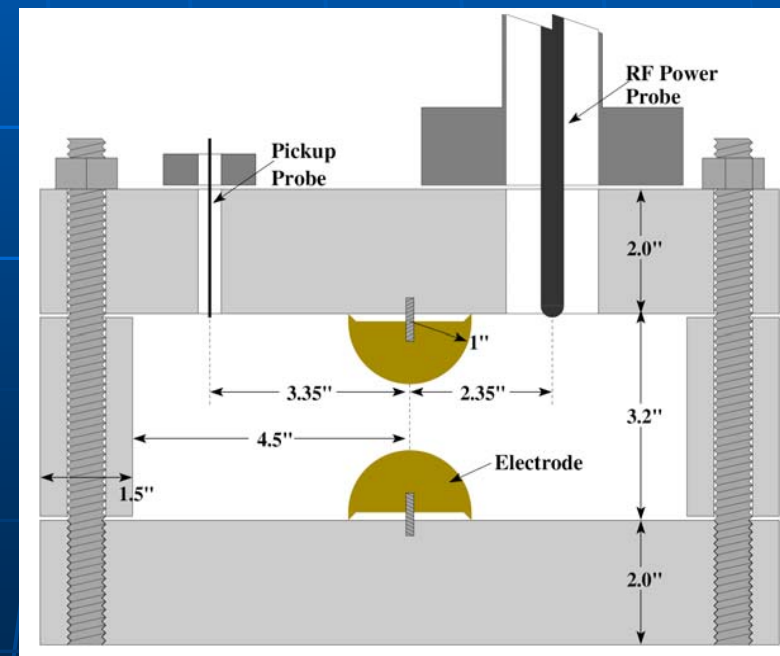
## Pressurized High Gradient RF Cavities (IIT, Dan Kaplan)

- Copper plated, stainless-steel, 800 MHz test cell with GH2 to 1600 psi and 77 K in Lab G, MTA
- Paschen curve verified
- Maximum gradient limited by breakdown of metal
  - fast conditioning seen, no limitation by external magnetic field!
- Cu and Be have same breakdown limits ( $\sim 50$  MV/m), Mo  $\sim 28\%$  better



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## MuCool Test Area (MTA)



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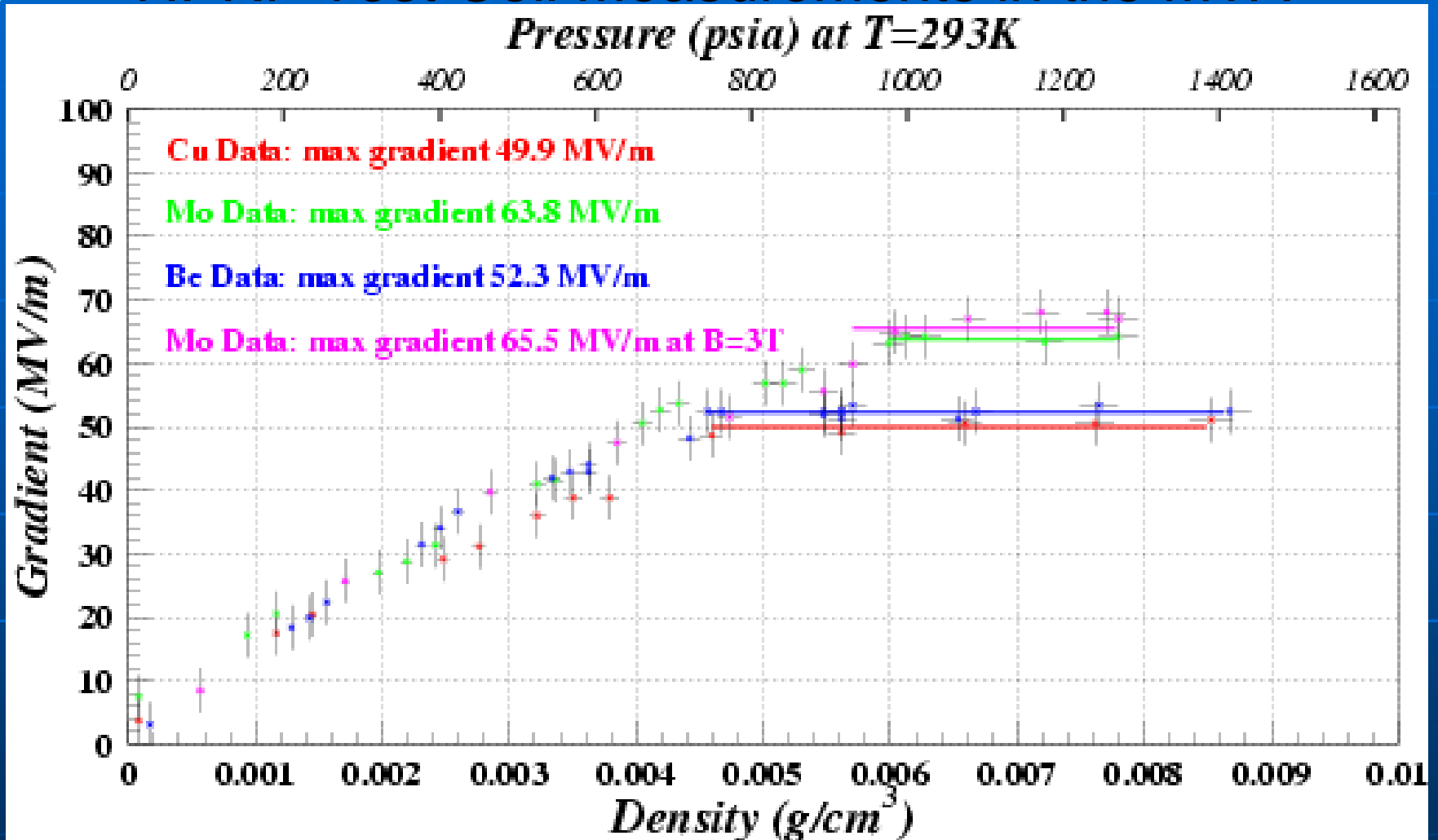
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# HPRF Test Cell Measurements in the MTA



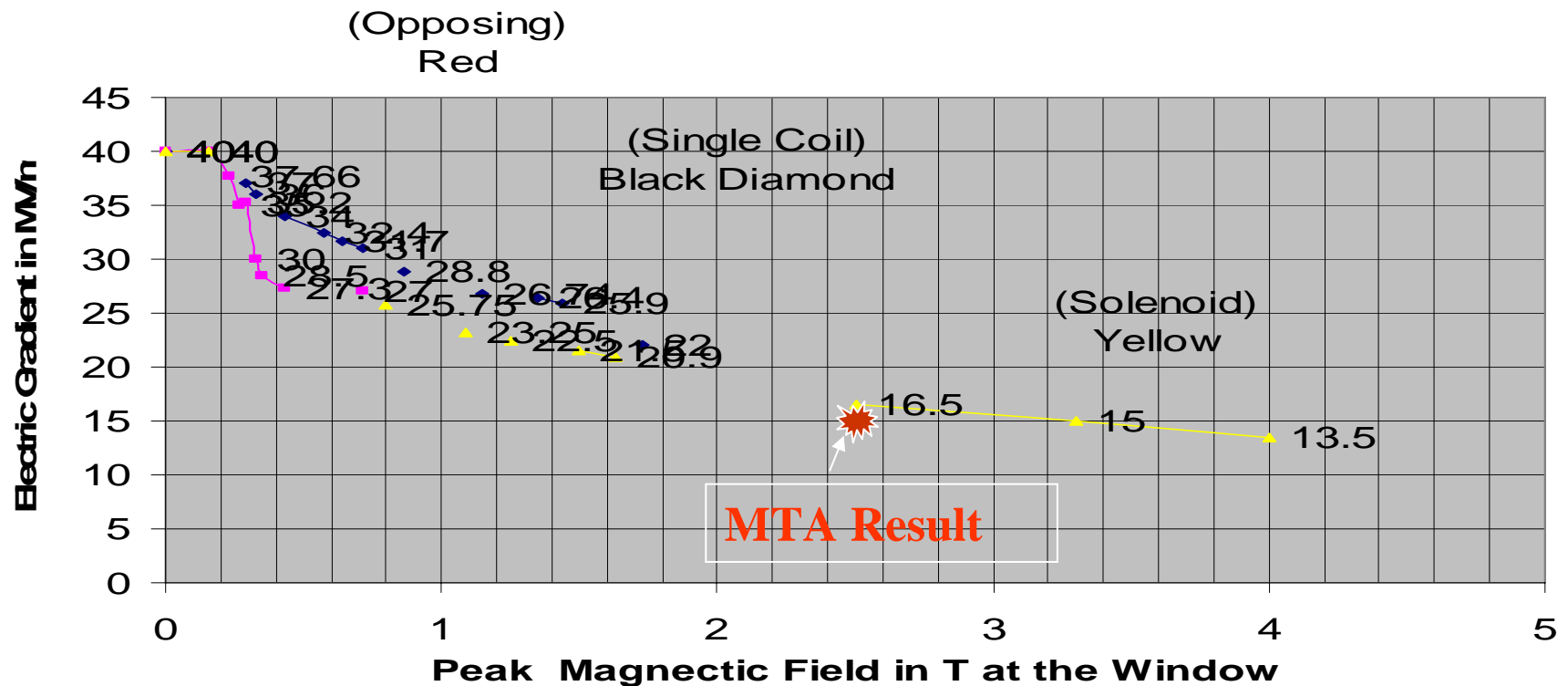
Results show no B dependence, much different metallic breakdown than for vacuum cavities. **Need beam tests to prove HPRF works.**



# 800 MHz Vacuum cavity Max Gradient vs $B_{\text{external}}$

## From Al Moretti, MICE meeting IIT, 3/12/06

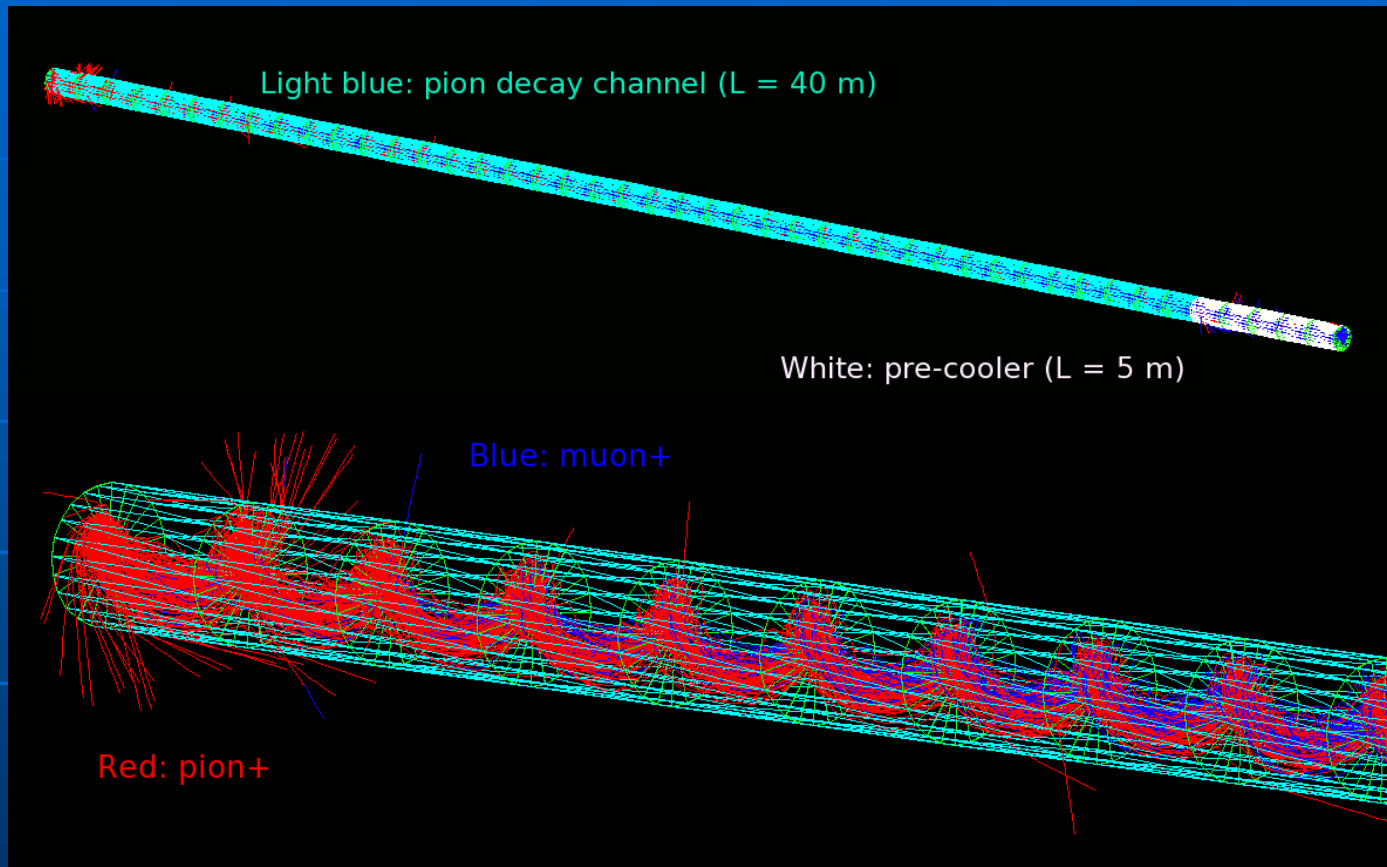
**Safe Operating Gradient Limit vs Magnetic Field Level at Window for the three different Coil modes**





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## HCC with Z-dependent fields

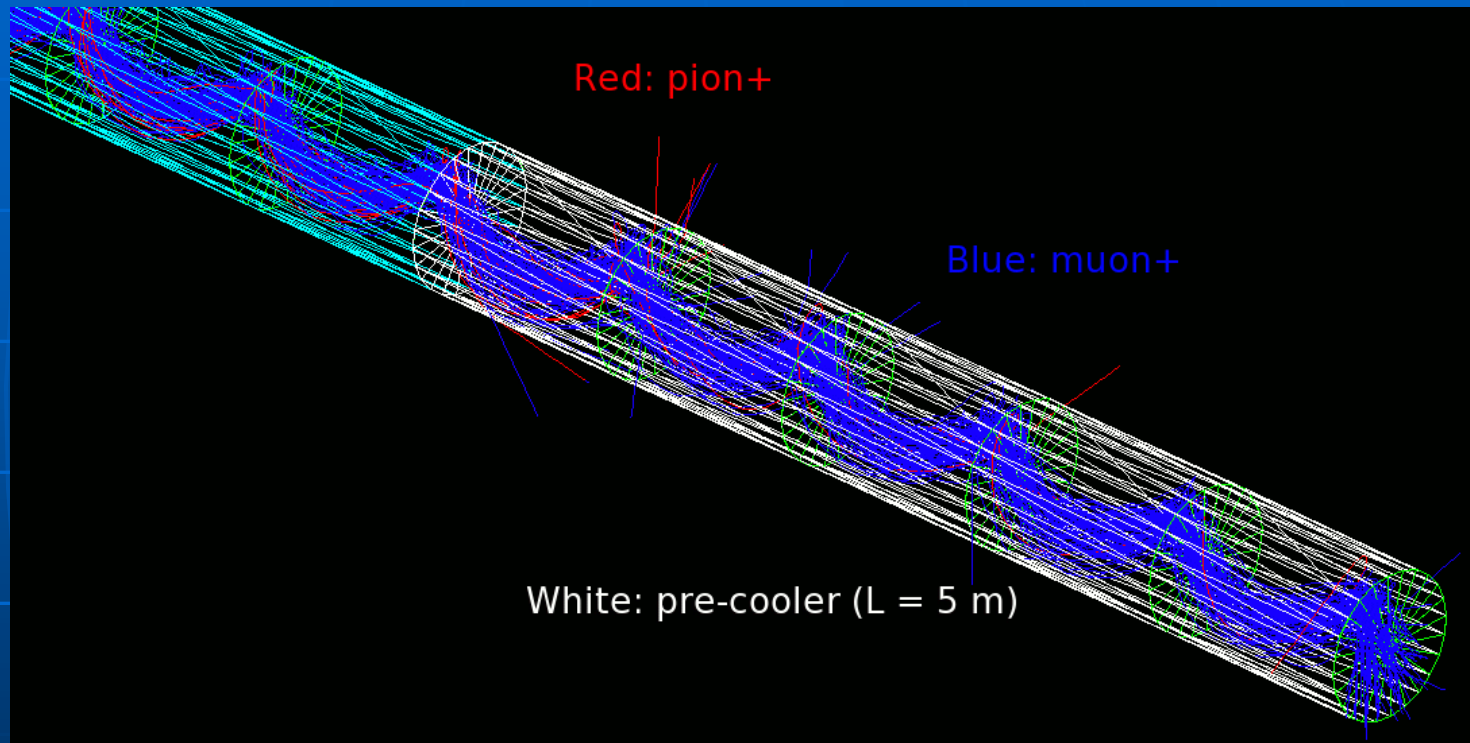


40 m evacuated helical magnet pion decay channel  
followed by a 5 m liquid hydrogen HCC (no RF)



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# 5 m Precooler and MANX



New Invention: HCC with fields that decrease with momentum. Here the beam decelerates in liquid hydrogen (white region) while the fields diminish accordingly.



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# First G4BL Precooler Simulation

Equal decrement case.

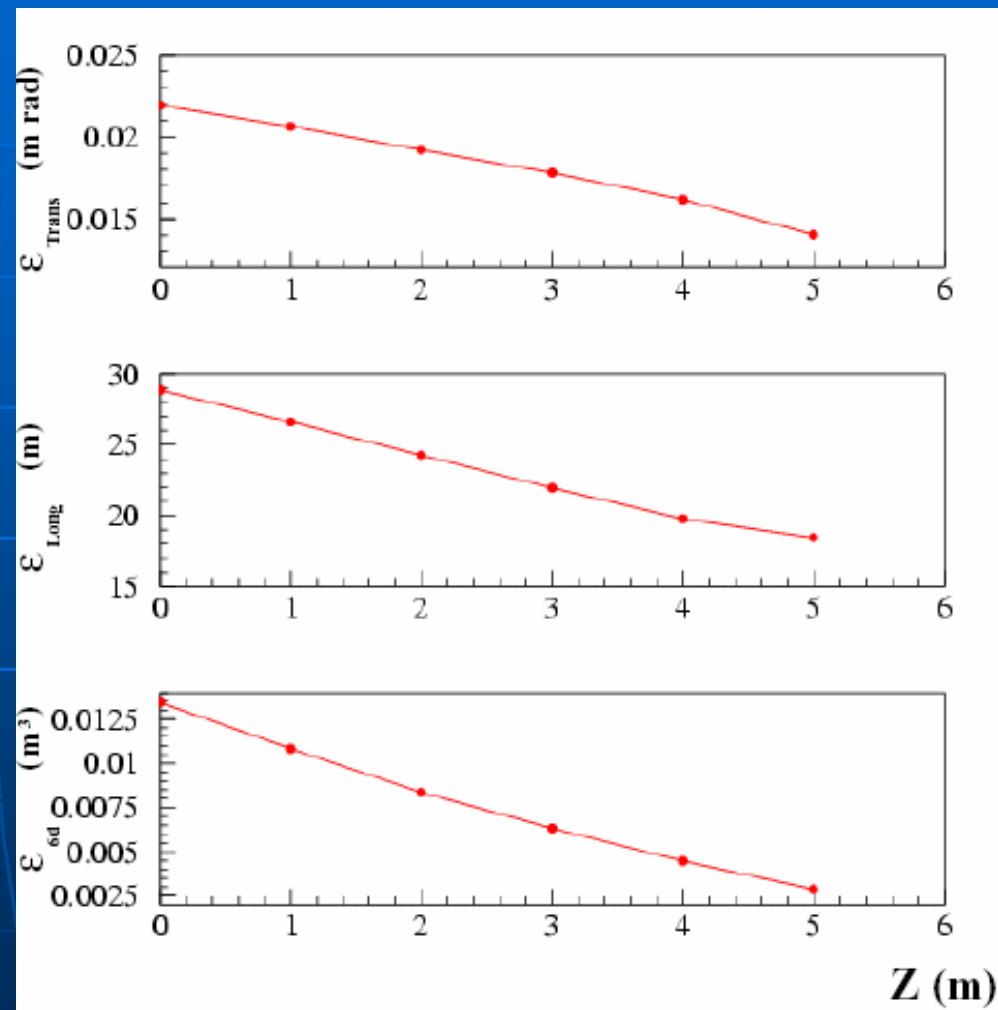
~x1.7 in each direction.

Total 6D emittance reduction ~factor of 5.5

Note this would require serious magnets: ~10 T at conductor for 300 to 100 MeV/c deceleration

MANX results with  $B < 5.5$  T will also work!

below show LHe absorber





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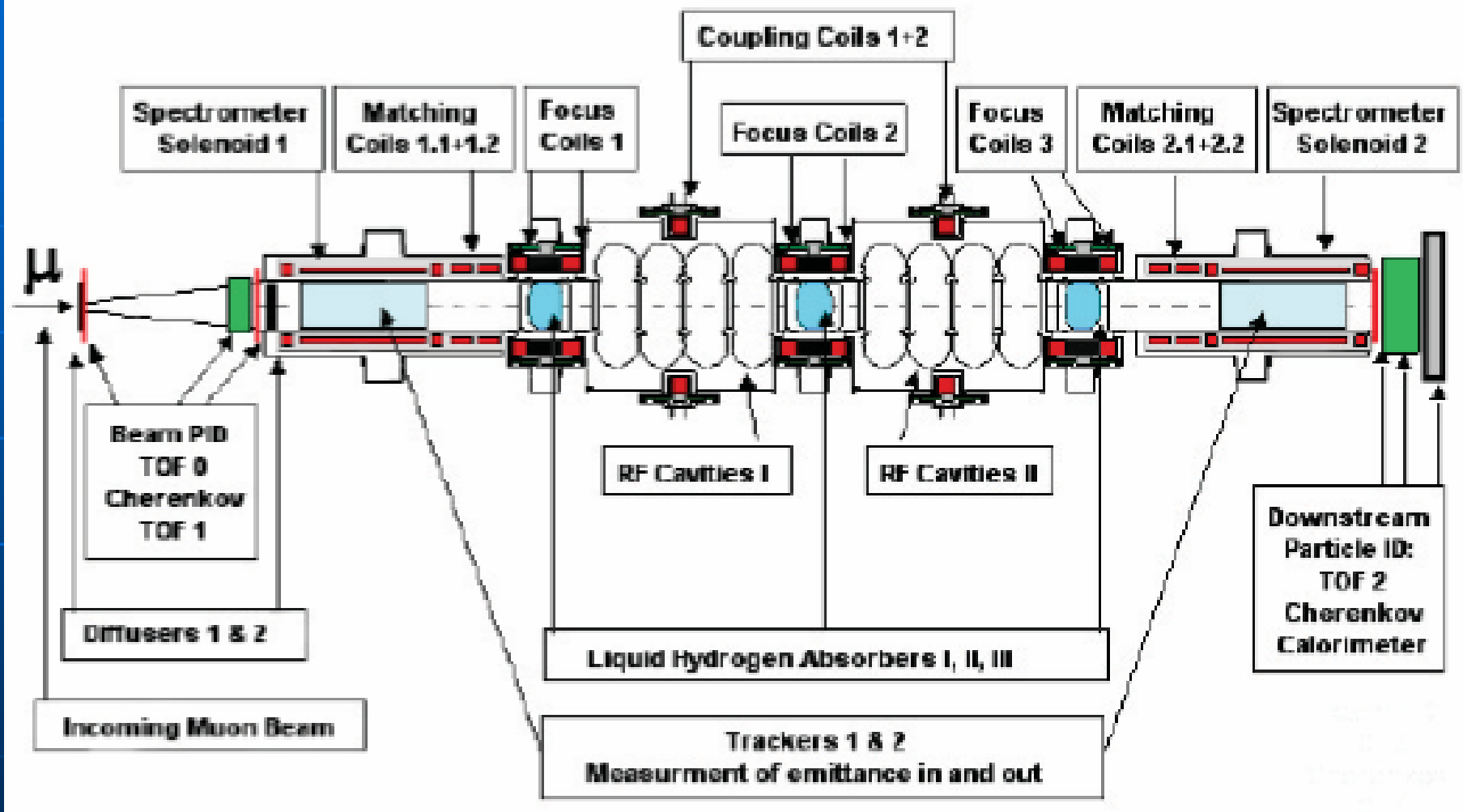
# 6DMANX demonstration experiment

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- To Demonstrate
  - Longitudinal cooling
  - 6D cooling in cont. absorber
  - Prototype precooler
  - Helical Cooling Channel
  - Alternate to continuous RF
    - $5.5^8 \sim 10^6$  6D emittance reduction with 8 HCC sections of absorber alternating with (SC?)RF sections.
  - New technology



# MICE “facility” at RAL



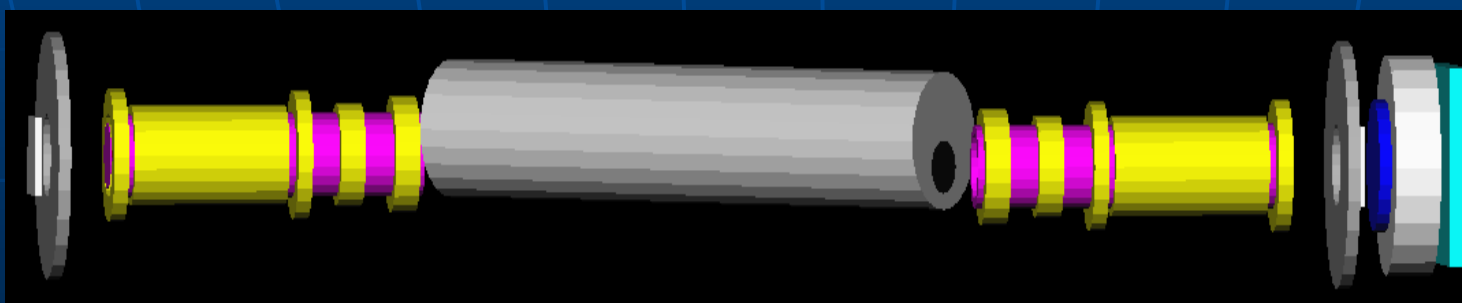
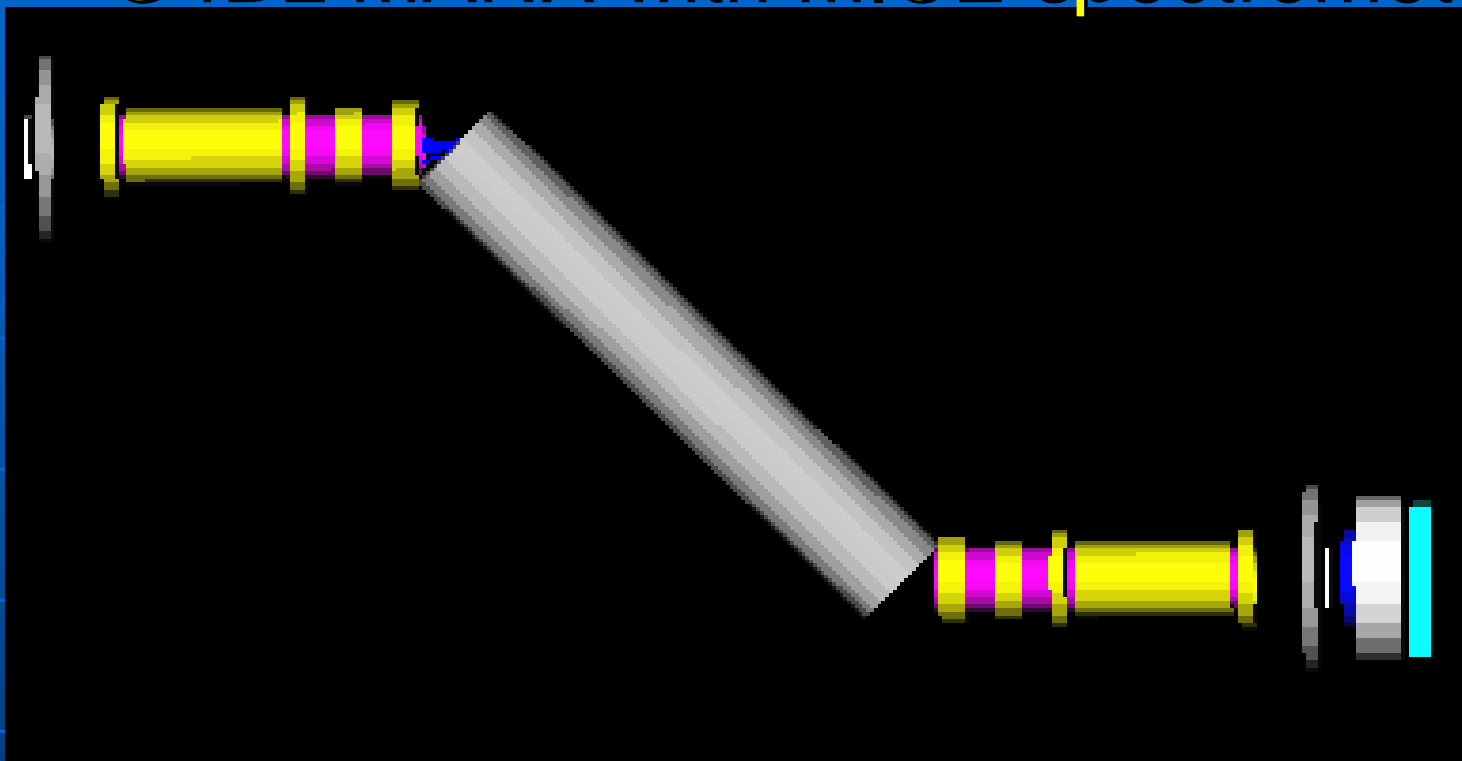
Muons, Inc. has started discussions to use the MICE spectrometers for MANX.





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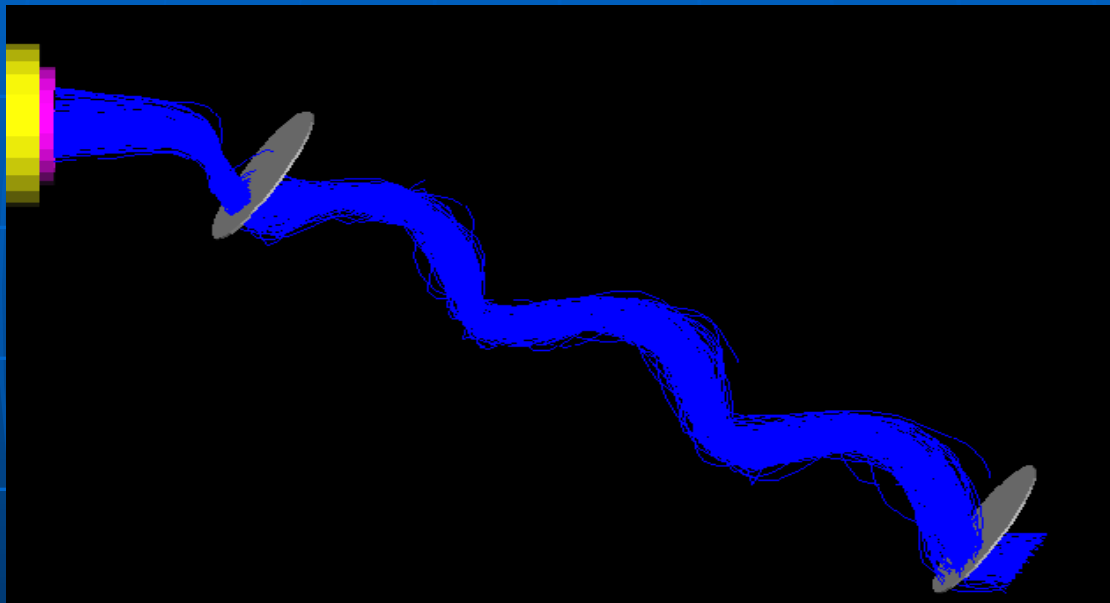
# G4BL MANX with MICE spectrometers





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# Muon Trajectories in 3-m MANX

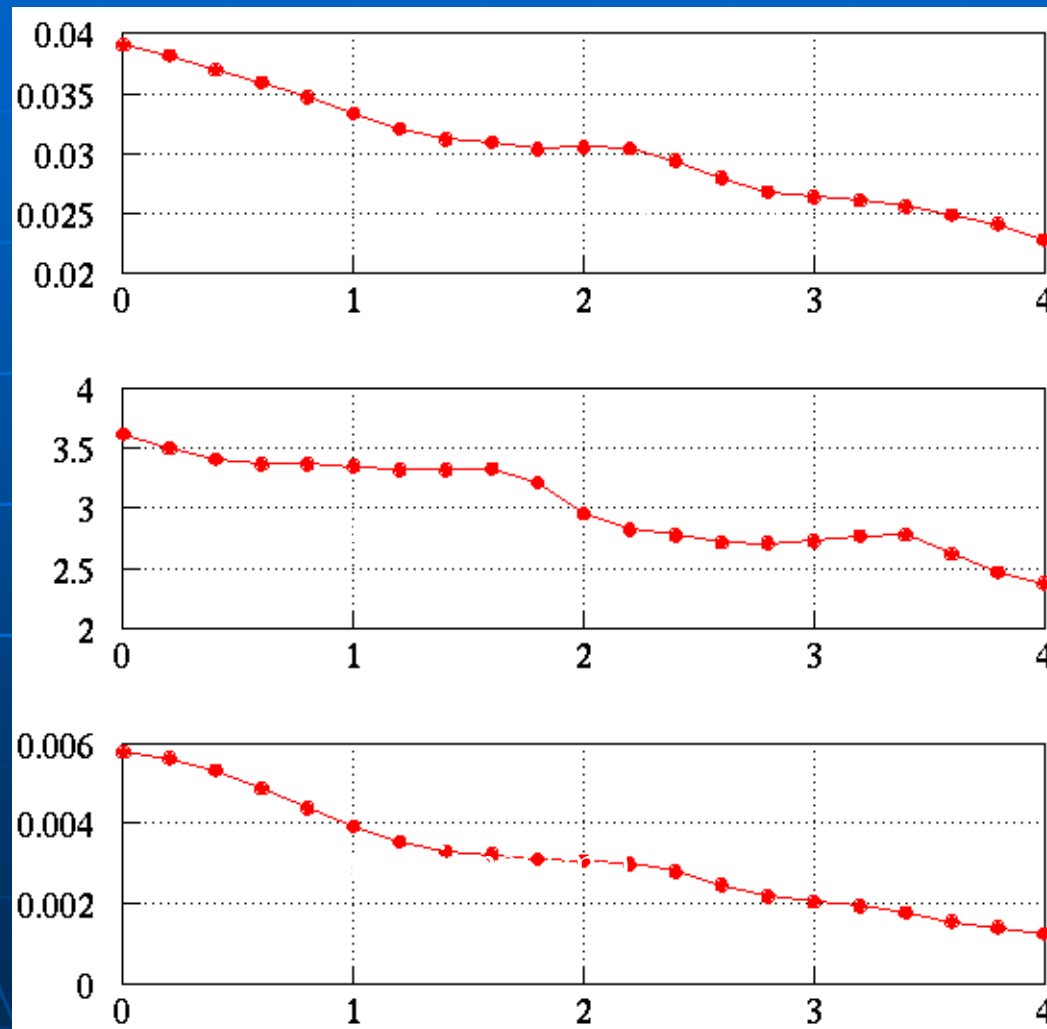


The design of the coils and cryostat are next steps for MANX.

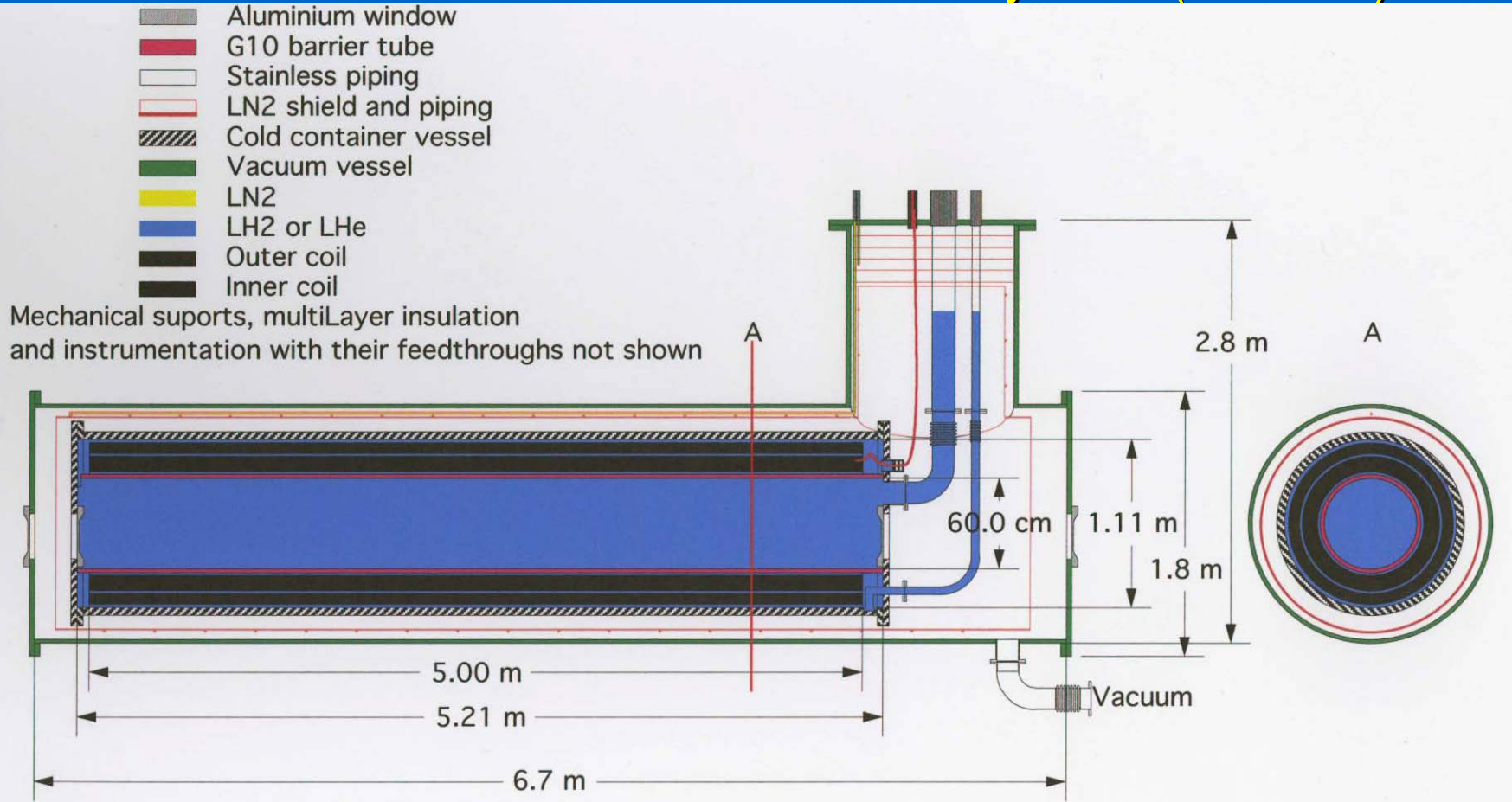


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# Emittance evolution in LHe HCC



## MANX/Precooler H2 or He Cryostat (Kuchnir)



Five meter long MANX cryostat schematic.

The use of Liquid He at 4 K is possible, with Nb<sub>3</sub>Sn or NBTi magnets.

Thin Al windows designed for MICE will be used.

# HCC parameters

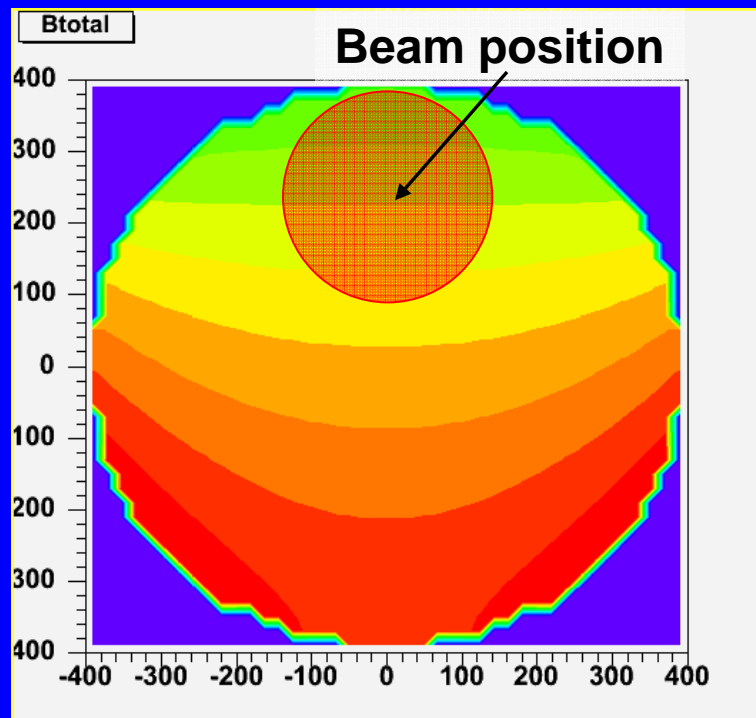
## Helical magnet

- Total length = 4 meters
- Magnet bore diameter = 0.8 ~ 1.0 meters
- Helix period = 2 meters
- $\kappa = 0.8$
- Initial/Final  $B_z$  on ref orbit = - 4.4/-2.2 T
- Initial/Final  $b$  (dipole) on ref orbit = 0.95/0.45 T
- Initial/Final  $b'$  (quad) on ref orbit = 0.60/0.40 T/m
- Initial/Final  $b''$  (sext) on ref orbit = -0.26/-0.15 T/m<sup>2</sup>

## Beam

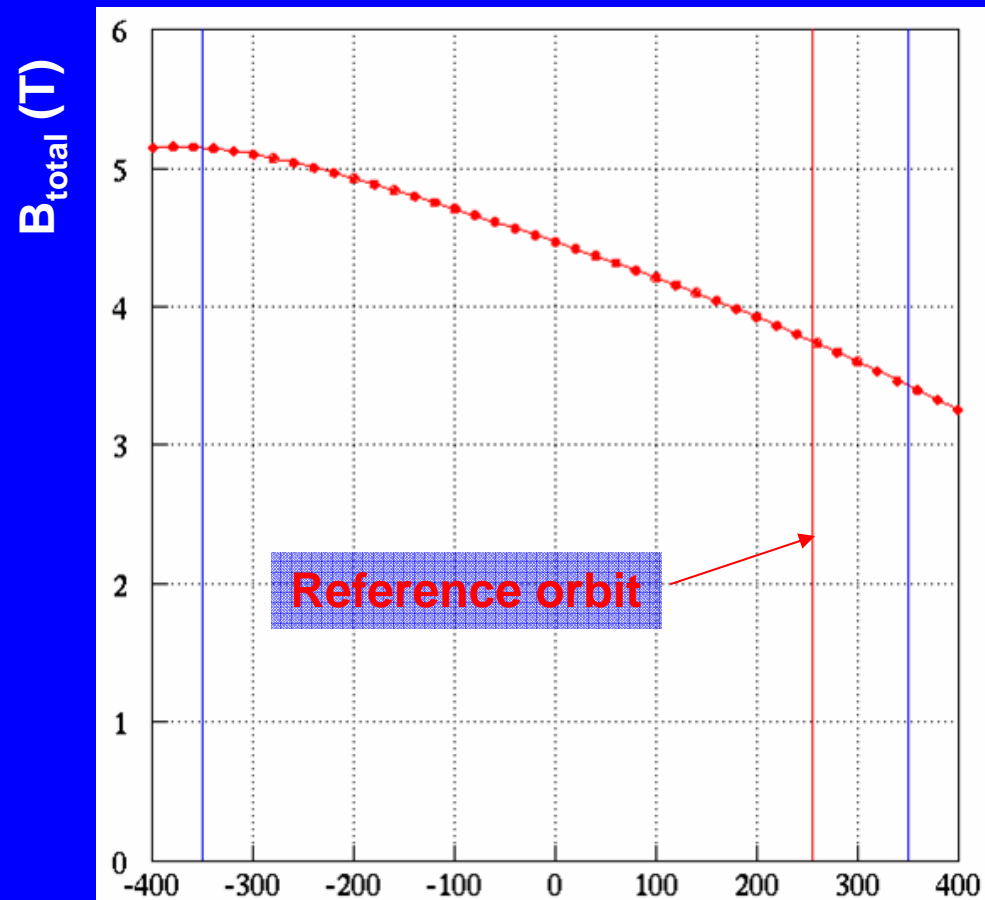
- Initial  $\langle P \rangle = 300$  MeV/c
- Final  $\langle P \rangle = \sim 150$  MeV/c
- $\Delta P/P \sim \pm 7\%$
- Beam diameter  $\sim 20$  cm

# Maximum $B_{\text{total}}$ field in LHe HCC



Contour plot of  $B_{\text{total}}$  in LHe HCC  
(red: > 5 T, green 3.5 T, blue = 0)

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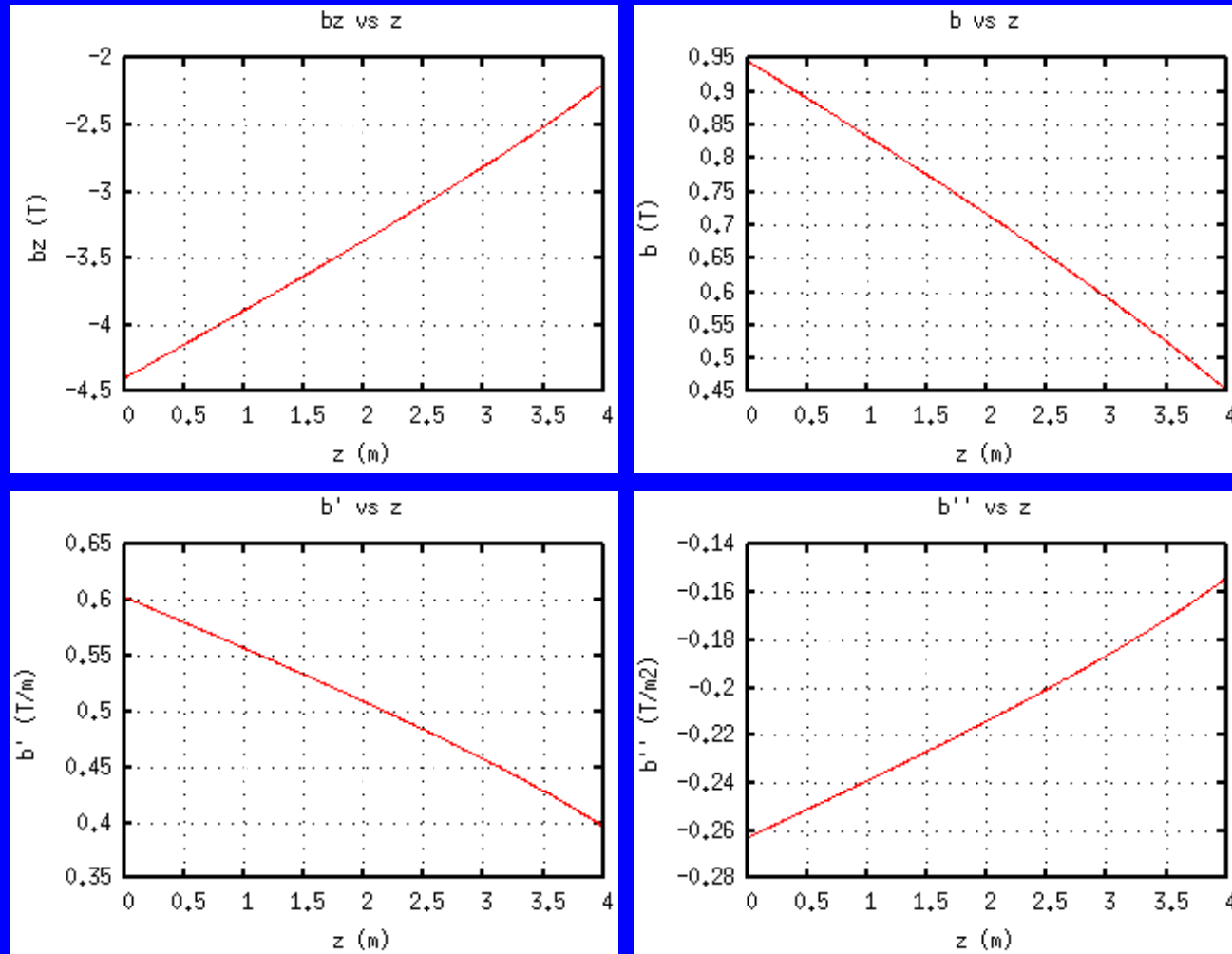


Cross Section of  $B_{\text{total}}$  on y axis

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# Field strength reduction on reference orbit



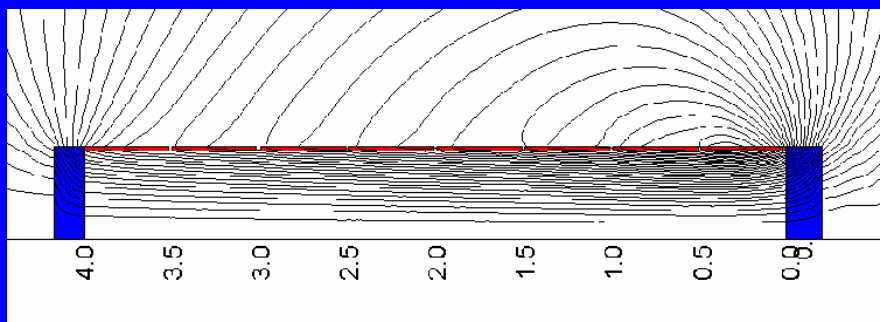
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Field strength on a reference orbit ( $a = 25.5$  cm)

# Muon Cooling Channel Superconducting Magnet System

## V.S. Kashikhin, FNAL Meeting on May 16, 2006

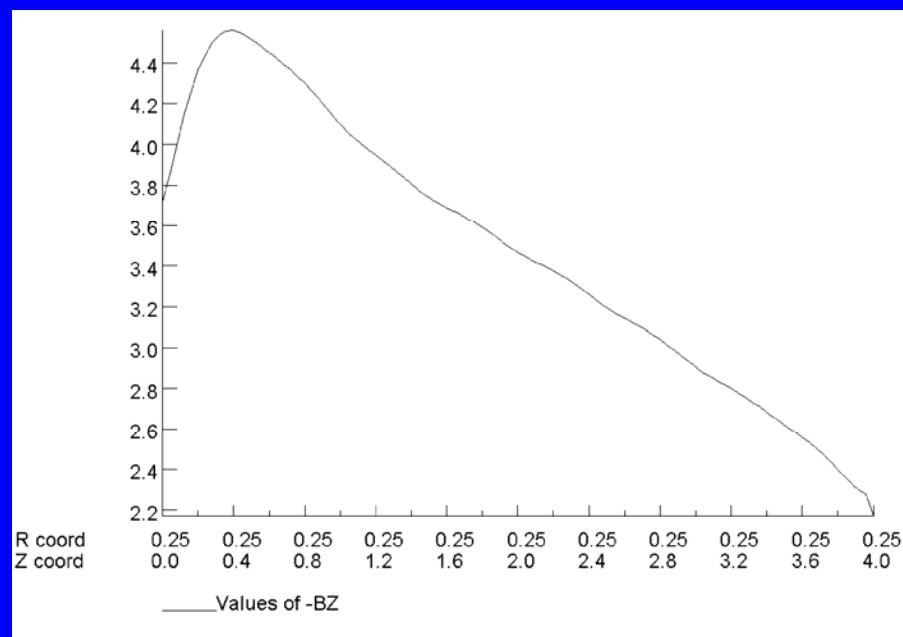
- HCC Solenoid magnet design well advanced
  - uses leftover LHC cable
  - 1 circuit; reduction of number of turns as function of  $z$



Specified linear solenoidal field decay along  $Z$  axis  
provided by proper chosen number of turns for each  
section:

W1= 243	W5 = 136
W2 = 184	W6 = 126
W3 = 158	W7 = 114
W4 = 147	W8 = 114

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0.5200

0.4800

0.0200

8 Superconducting coils

Ferromagnetic end plate

N1

0.0200

0.1700

3.9800

4.3500

0.2000

Z-axis

Coil total currents in MA:

Iw1=2.43

Iw2=1.84086

Iw3=1.577426

Iw4=1.471932

Iw5=1.365

Iw6=1.256

Iw7=1.14048

Iw8=1.146

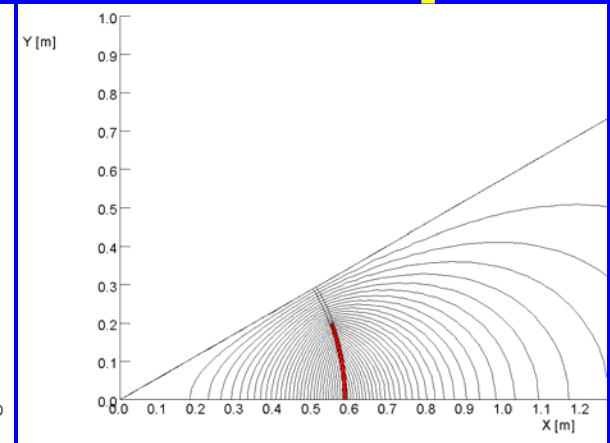
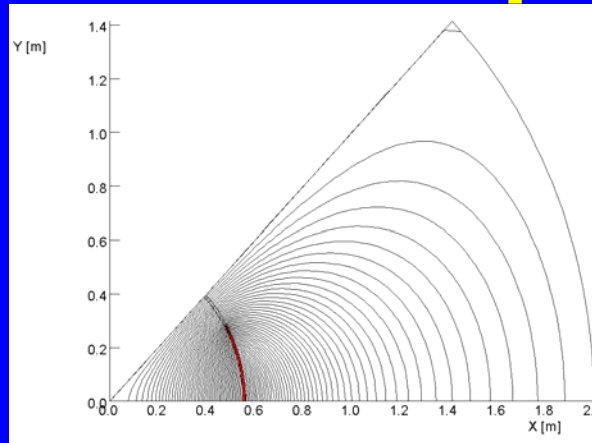
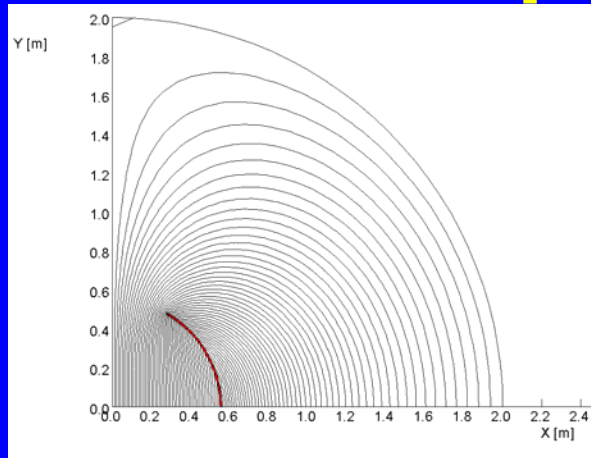
All dimensions in meters

## Outer cable - 2660 m

- **Solenoid has 8 sections wound separately on identical bobbins**
- **All sections connected in series**
- **Ferromagnetic end plates improve ends field quality**
- **Holes in end plates provide path for muon beam inlet and outlet**
- **Needed coil mechanical stability provided by SS or Al bandage** <sup>29</sup>

Total solenoid ampere-turns	12 MA
Current	10 kA
Number of turns	1200
Superconducting cable length	3960 m

# Helical Dipole, Quadrupole, Sextupole



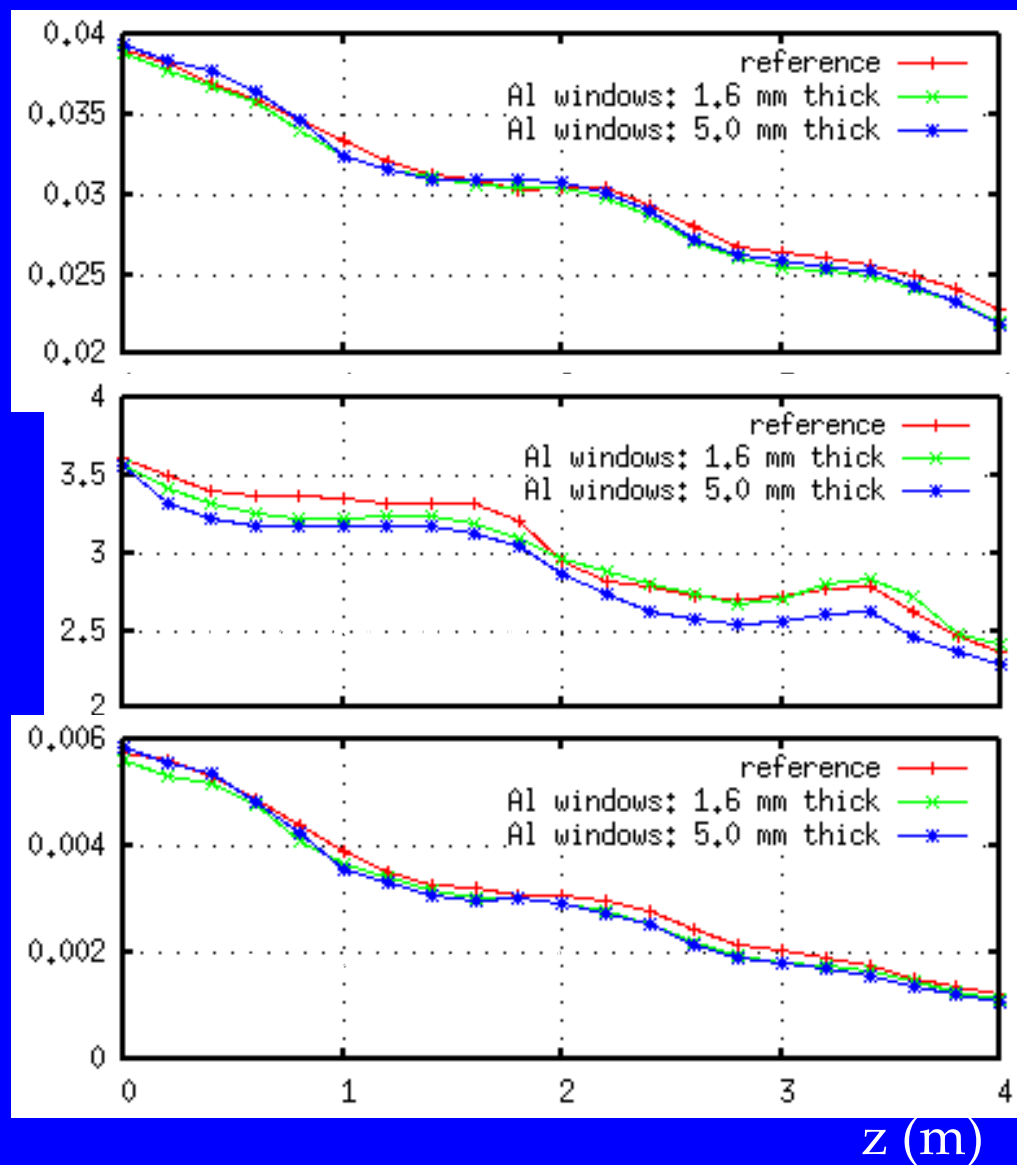
Parameter	Dipole	Quadrupole	Sextupole
Maximum field strength	0.95 T	0.6 T/m	-0.26 T/m <sup>2</sup>
Minimum field strength	0.88 T	0.4 T/m	0.15 T/m <sup>2</sup>
Coil Ampere-turns/pole	862 kA	78.5 kA	25.6 kA
Coil Lorentz force F <sub>x</sub>	208 kN/m	2.4 kN/m	0.25 kN/m
Coil Lorentz force F <sub>y</sub>	-289 kN/m	-6.2 kN/m	-0.97 kN/m
Energy of magnetic field	752 kJ/m	133 kJ/m	2.1 kJ/m
Coil inner radius	0.55 m	0.57 m	0.59 m
Superconductor max field	1.81 T	0.33 T	0.027 T

**All Helix Coils have length 1 m and wound one after other. They will be epoxy impregnated together.**

**Support cylinder will provide mechanical stability.**

**Because of relatively low field decay 1 m long sections will be enough for proper field approximation.**

# Window effects





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# **Muons, Inc. Small Business Innovation Research History**

Year	Project	Expected Funds	Research Partner
■ 2002	Company founded		
■ 2002-5	High Pressure RF Cavities	\$600,000	IIT
■ 2003-6	Helical Cooling Channel	\$850,000 <sup>#</sup>	JLab
■ 2004-5 <sup>†</sup>	MANX demo experiment	\$ 95,000	FNAL TD
■ 2004-7	Parametric-resonance I.C.	\$745,000	JLab
■ 2004-7	Hydrogen Cryostat	\$795,000 <sup>#</sup>	FNAL TD
■ 2005-6 <sup>*</sup>	Reverse Emittance Exch.	\$100,000	JLab
■ 2005-6 <sup>*</sup>	Capture, ph. rotation	\$100,000	FNAL AD
■ 2006-7	6DMANX cooling demo	\$100,000 <sup>#</sup>	FNAL TD
■ 2006-7	G4Beamline	\$100,000 <sup>#</sup>	IIT
■	<sup>*</sup> Phase II may be granted in June 2006 up to \$750,000		

<sup>†</sup> Not continued to Phase II

<sup>#</sup> Support 6DMANX design efforts

SBIR/STTR funding: Solicitation September, Phase I proposal due December, Winners ~May, get \$100,000 for 9 months, Phase II proposal due April, Winners June, get up to \$750,000 for 2 years



# Next Steps to the 6DMANX Proposal

(target date is 6 months from now)

- MICE/MANX synthesis approach
  - HCC Magnet design with cost/time estimates
  - Matching magnet solution with cost/time estimates
  - Simulations to verify experimental significance
- New (FNAL?) beam line approach, also need to:
  - Identify best beamline possibility, cost/time estimates
  - Design or borrow spectrometers, PID systems
  - Simulations to verify experimental significance
    - Comparing single particle measurements, with
    - Beam profile monitor measurements