

Task #3 :
100kW direct target stations



${}^6\text{He}$ & ${}^{18}\text{Ne}$ beams generation for β -beams

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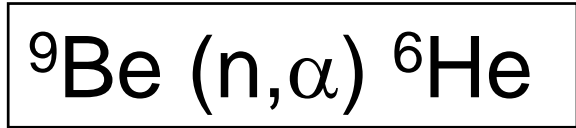
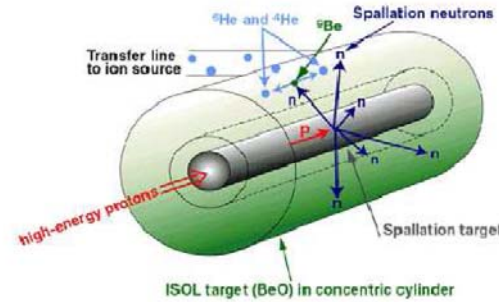
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${}^6\text{He}$ production

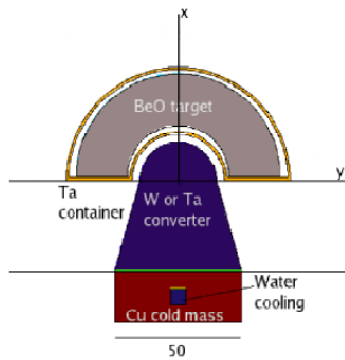
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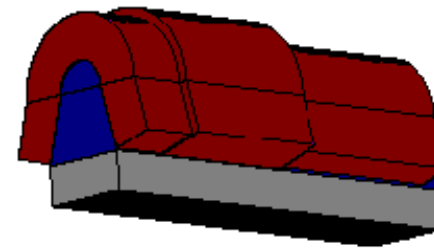
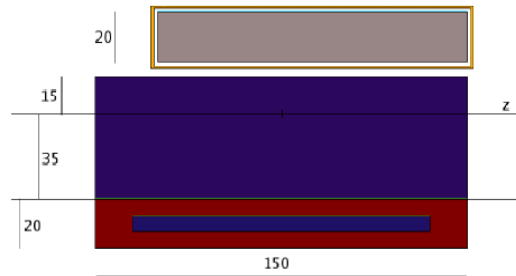
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- In-target production :
 $2 \cdot 10^{13}$ ${}^6\text{He}/\text{s}$ 100kW, 1 GeV proton beam



Ø3cm , 15cm



Ø3cm , 24cm

“Engineered oriented conceptual design”

In-target production:

10^{14} ${}^6\text{He}/\text{s}$ 200kW, 2 GeV proton beam

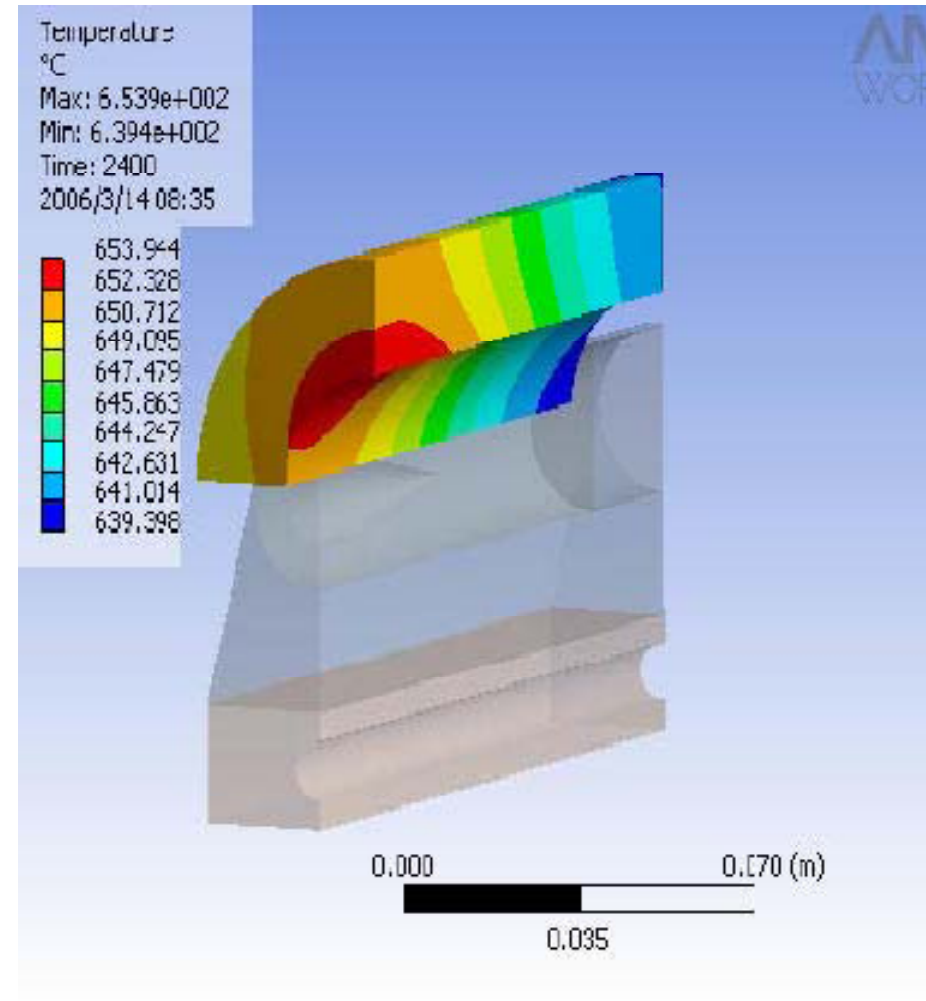
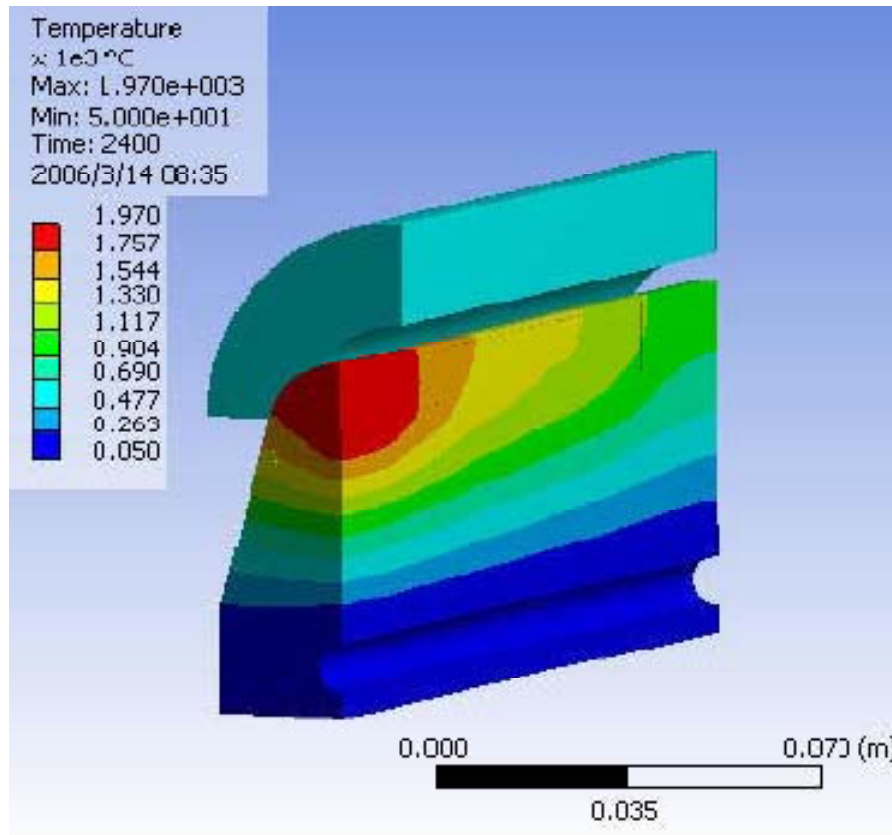


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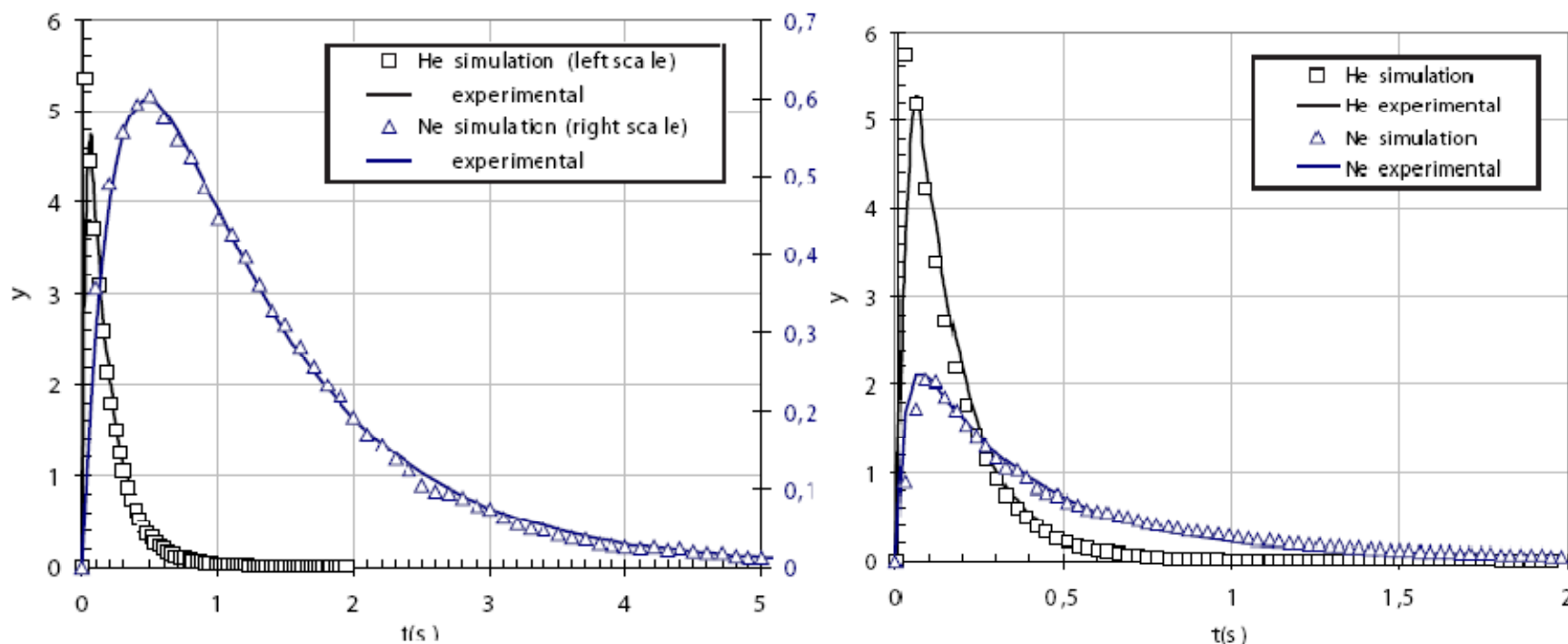
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Converter (3 cm diameter),

$$\sigma_{\text{beam}} = 6\text{mm}$$



Existing experimental release curves at CERN-ISOLDE

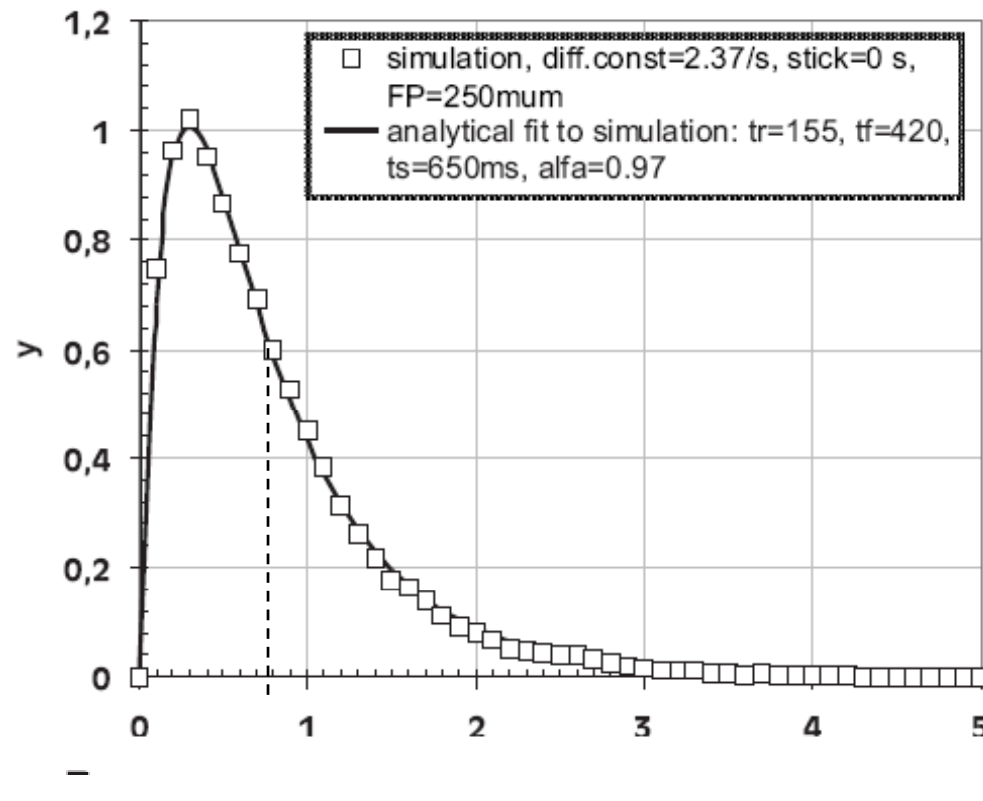


ZrO₂

CaO

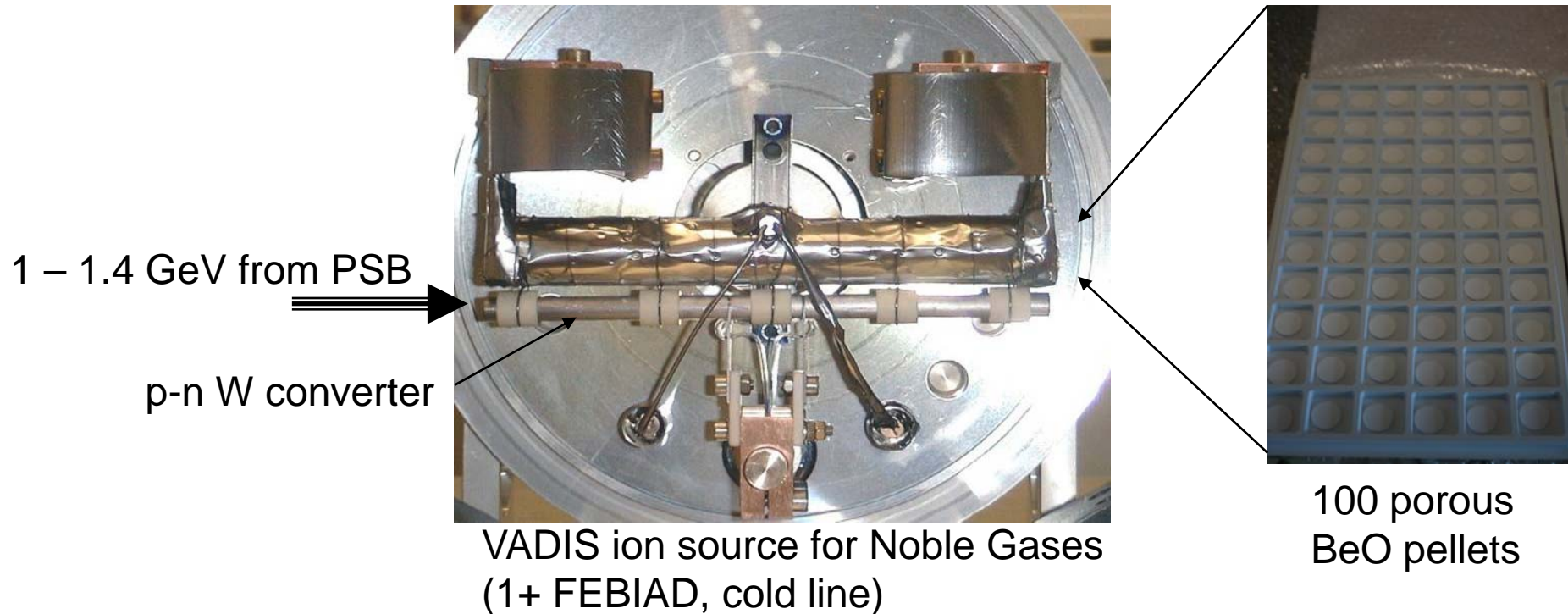
RIBO simulation

30cm long, 4-24 cm diameter thick BeO target



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Planned tests at CERN-ISOLDE (2009)

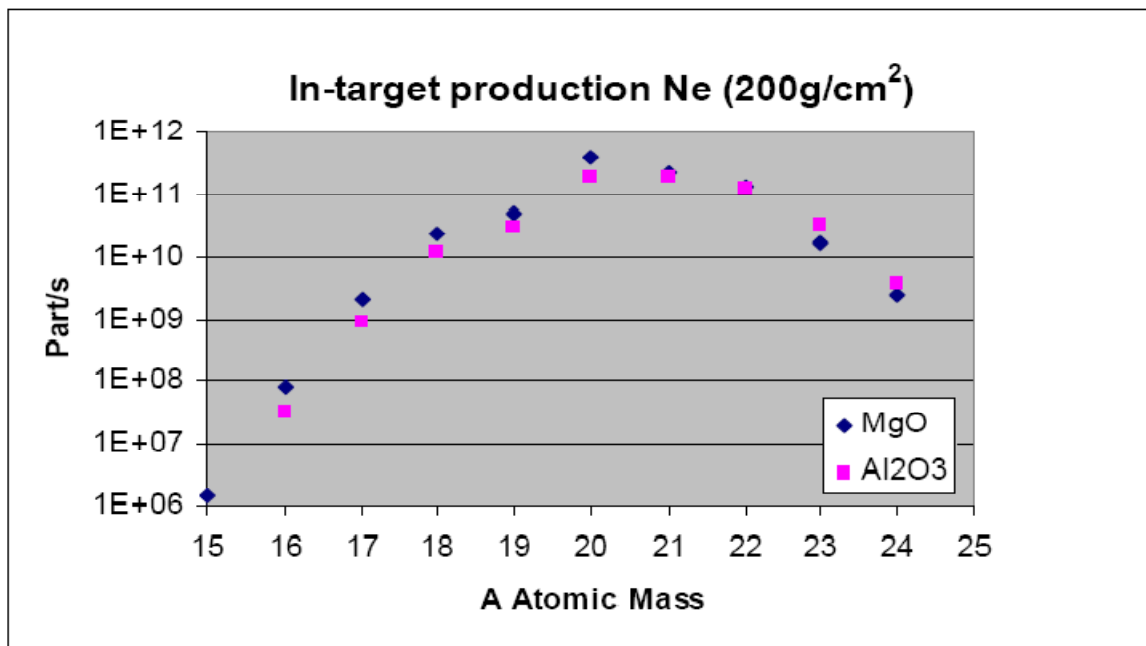


Release efficiency, operation temperature, outgasing, materials compatibility, ageing, etc..

We should obtain $\sim 10^{10} \times \epsilon_{\text{released}} \text{ } ^6\text{He}^+/\text{s}$ ($\sim \epsilon_{\text{released}} \text{ nA}$) for 3 kW beam.

^{18}Ne production

- Direct spallation of 1 GeV protons onto thick oxide targets $\text{Al (p,X) } ^{18}\text{Ne}$

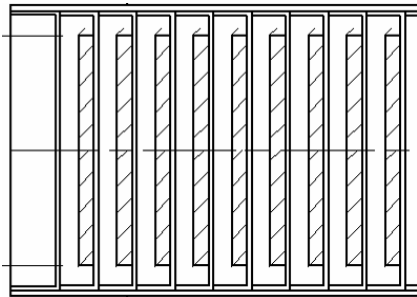


Silberberg-Tsao,
Thin target approx.

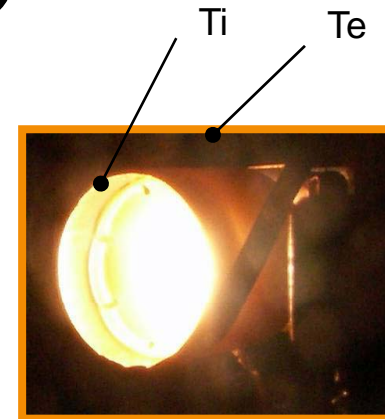
Nominal parameters:

3×10^{10} part/s (Fluka)

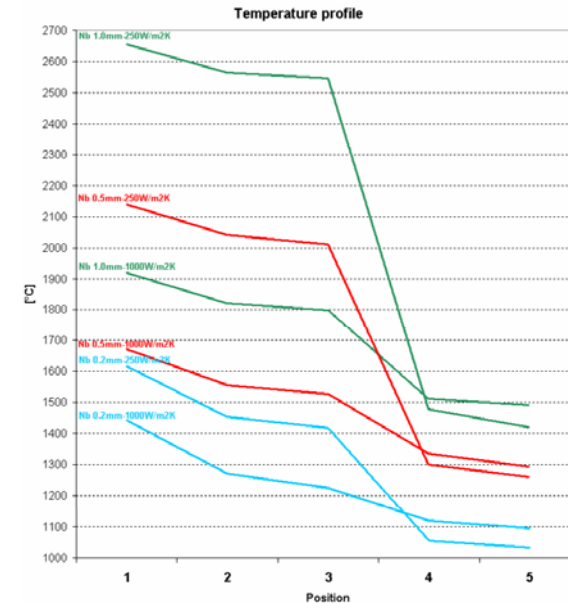
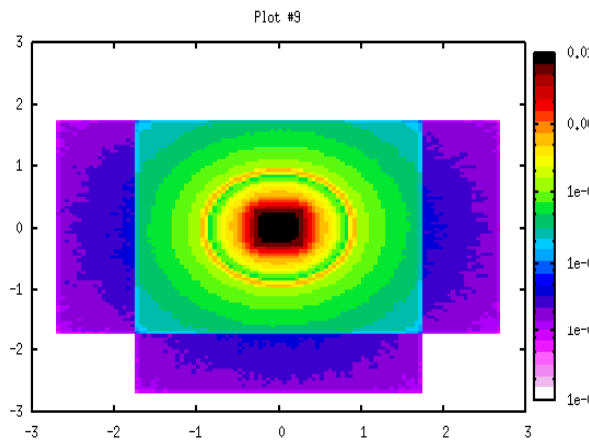
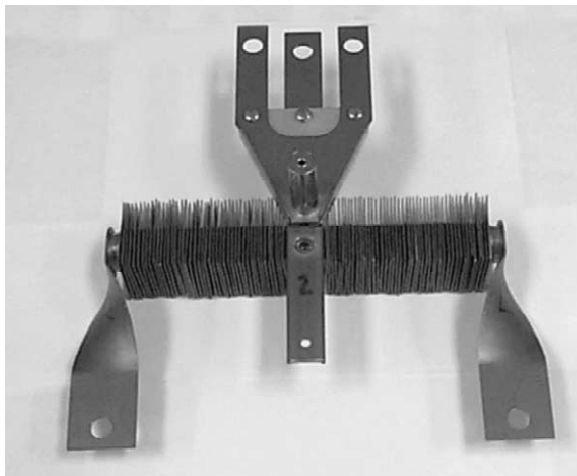
Preparation of EURISOL Oxide prototype tests - s1149



Nb-Al₂O₃ brazing



Thermal contact conductance



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Nominal parameters

Parameter	Symbol	Units	EURISOL Nominal	TRIUMF
Beam particles	Z_{beam}	-	Proton	Proton
Beam particle energy	E_{beam}	GeV	1	0.5
Beam current	I_{beam}	μA	100	100
Beam time structure	-	-	50Hz	cw
Gaussian beam geometry	σ_{beam}	mm	7	2.6
Beam wobbling parameters				
Beam power	P_{beam}	kW	100	50
Target material	Z_{targ}	-	Nb-Al ₂ O ₃ composite foil	Nb-Al ₂ O ₃ composite foil
Target thickness	X	g/cm ²	50	10 – 100
Target radius (cylinder)	r_{targ}	mm	$3\sigma_{\text{beam}}$	$3\sigma_{\text{beam}} - 5\sigma_{\text{beam}}$
Target temperature	T_{targ}	°C	1600	1200-1600
Number of target containers	j_{targ}	-	4	1
Ion-source type	IS	-	ECR – (MK7 FEBIAD)	MK7 FEBIAD type
Ion-current	I_{RIB}	μA	5	
Efficiencies	ϵ_{IS}	%	20 (1)	
Plasma ionization outlet diameter	ϕ_{out}	mm	3	
Number of ion sources	j_{IS}	-	1	1
Emittance	E_{IS}	mm.mrad	20π	

10-20Hz?

10 (20 wob)

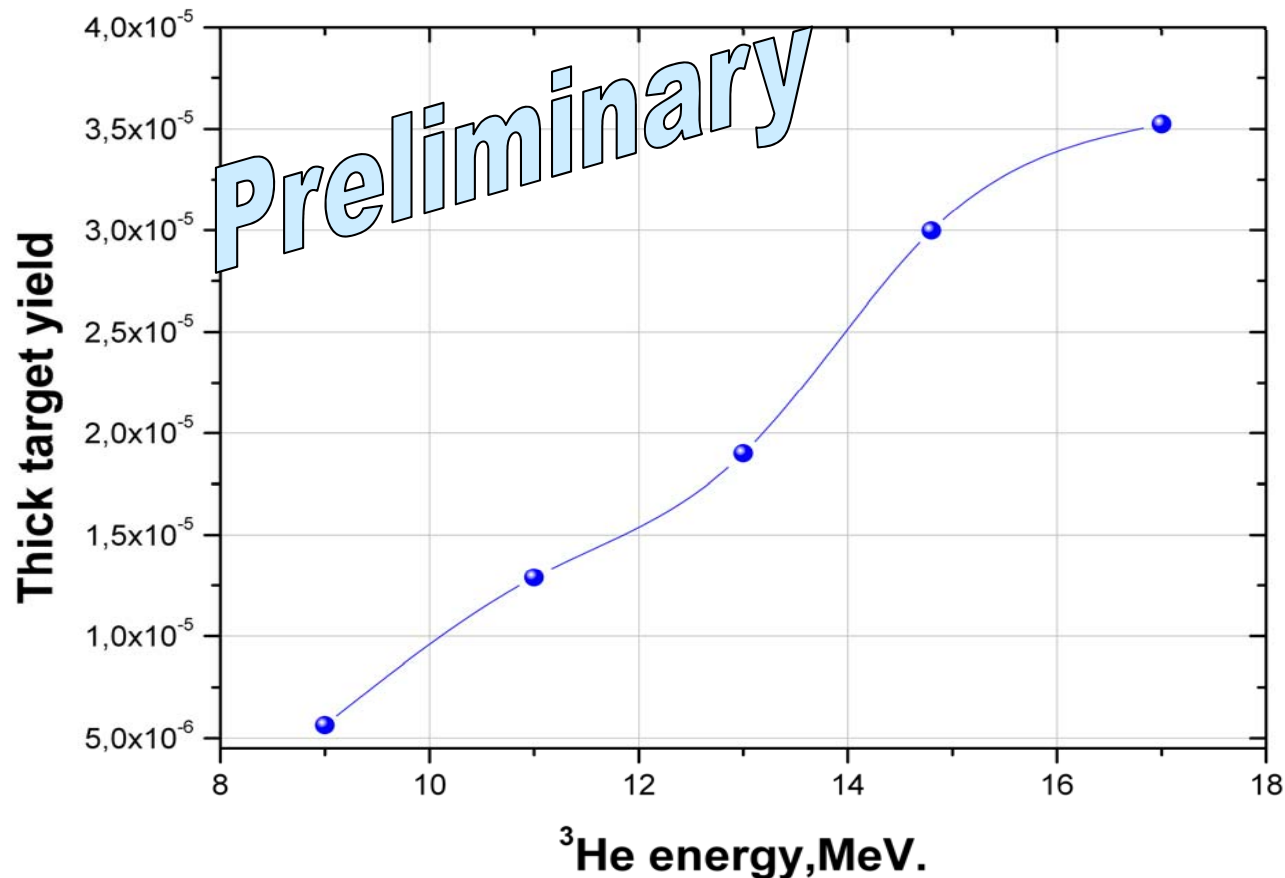
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In-target prod (ABRABLA)
 $5.3 \cdot 10^8 / \mu\text{C}$ ($2 \cdot 10^{11} / 200\text{kW}$)

1+ ion production (/10kW) :
 $5 \cdot 10^8 \epsilon_{\text{rel}} \text{ } ^{18}\text{Ne}^+ \text{ ions/s}$

Alternative scenario for ^{18}Ne prod (M. Loiselet, S. Mitrofanov)



$^{16}\text{O}(^3\text{He},n)^{18}\text{Ne}$ thick (O_2) target yield

Alternative scenario for ^{18}Ne prod (M. Loiselet, S. Mitrofanov)

- Production yield with ^3He at 17 MeV in an oxide target (Al_2O_3):

$$9 \cdot 10^7 \text{ } ^{18}\text{Ne}/\mu\text{C}$$

- Rough estimation: to produce

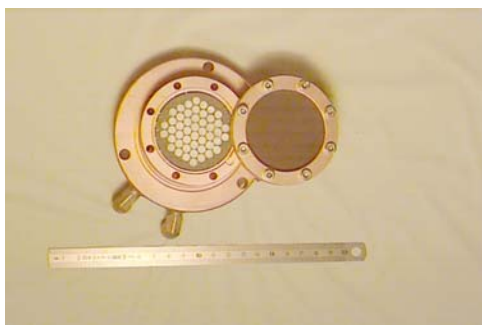
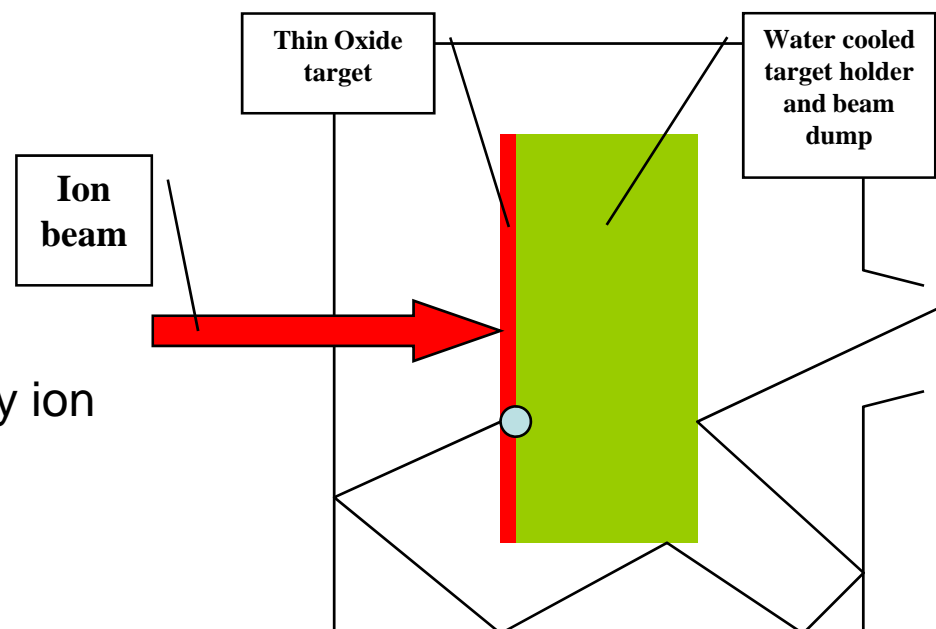
$$10^{12} \text{ } ^{18}\text{Ne}/\text{s} : 12 \text{ mAp of } ^3\text{He at 17 MeV } (\sim 200 \text{ kW})$$

$$(\text{Eurisol: } \sim 10^{12} \text{ } ^{18}\text{Ne}/\text{s})$$

$$\dots 10^{13} \text{ } ^{18}\text{Ne}/\text{s} : 120 \text{ mAp of } ^3\text{He at 17 MeV } (\sim 2 \text{ MW})$$

Issues yet to be addressed

- To be studied:
 - Extraction efficiency
 - Optimum energy
 - Cooling of target unit
 - High intensity and low energy ion linac
 - High intensity ion source



LNL targetry
range of 20 MeV ^3He : ~0.3 mm
9kW is spread onto 4cm diameter disk
2MW would need 60cm diameter disk shape

Report in preparation

Conclusion and Outlook

- Two production scenarios can be put forward for ${}^6\text{He}$ and ${}^{18}\text{Ne}$ ion beam delivery
- Engineered-oriented validation needs to be performed, with for instance appropriate prototypes and in-beam tests
- We plan to include a distinct β -beam part in the final EURISOL-DS report

Hey, Elouan,
have you got an
idea to deliver
 10^{14} ions/s ??



Hey, dad, don't
you think it's
the right time
to step back a
bit ???!

Thank you !