

**EDELWEISS :**  
**Dark Matter search**  
**from phase 2 to**  
**phase 3.**

*24<sup>ème</sup> Rencontres de Blois*

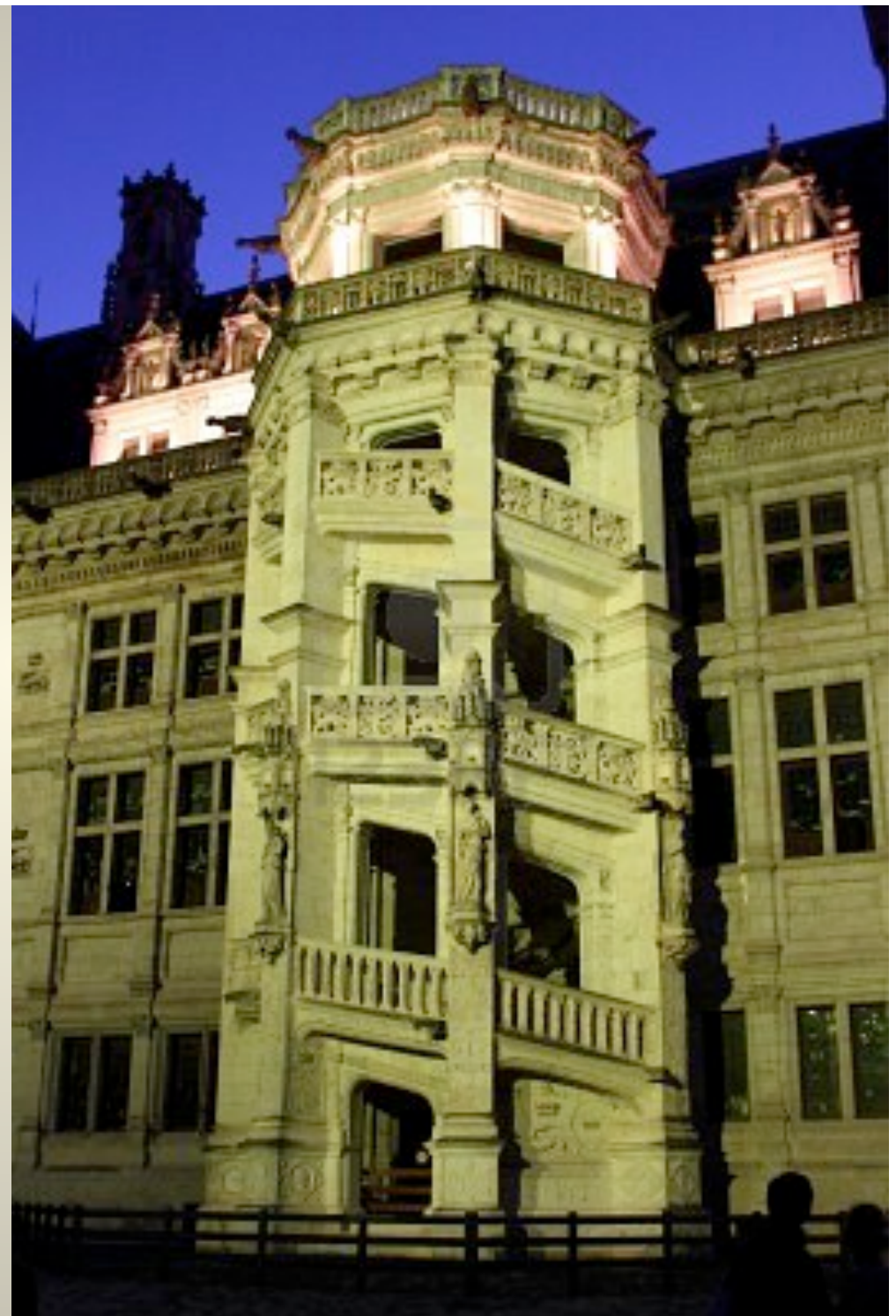
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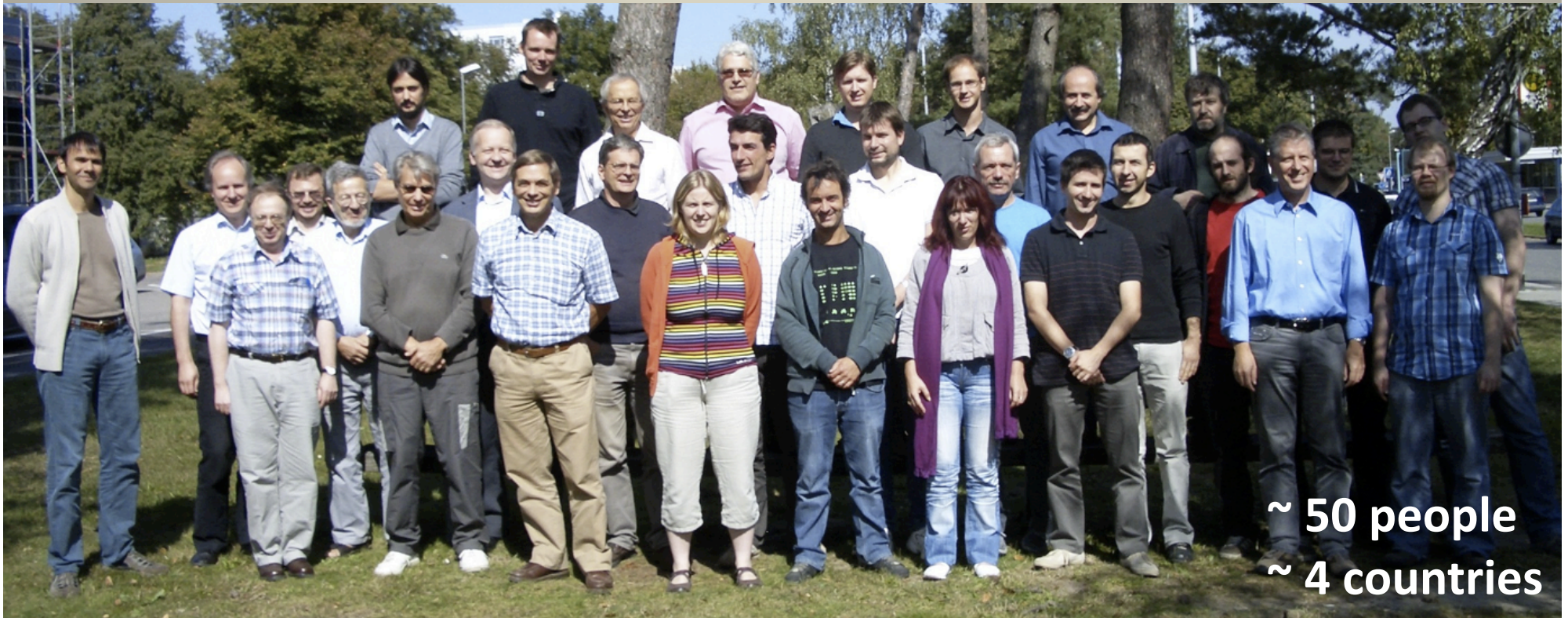
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# The EDELWEISS Collaboration



~ 50 people  
~ 4 countries

- CEA Saclay
- CSNSM Orsay
- IPN Lyon
- Institut Néel Grenoble

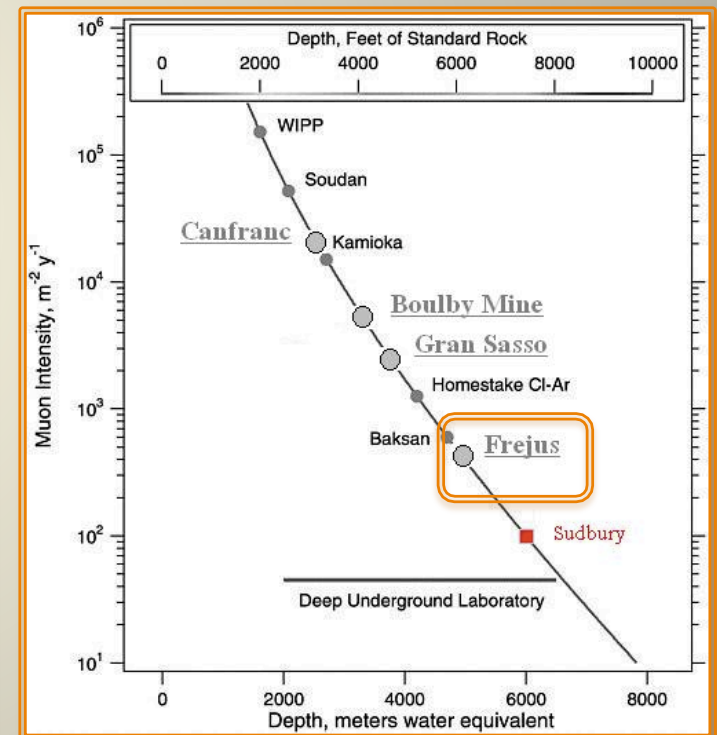
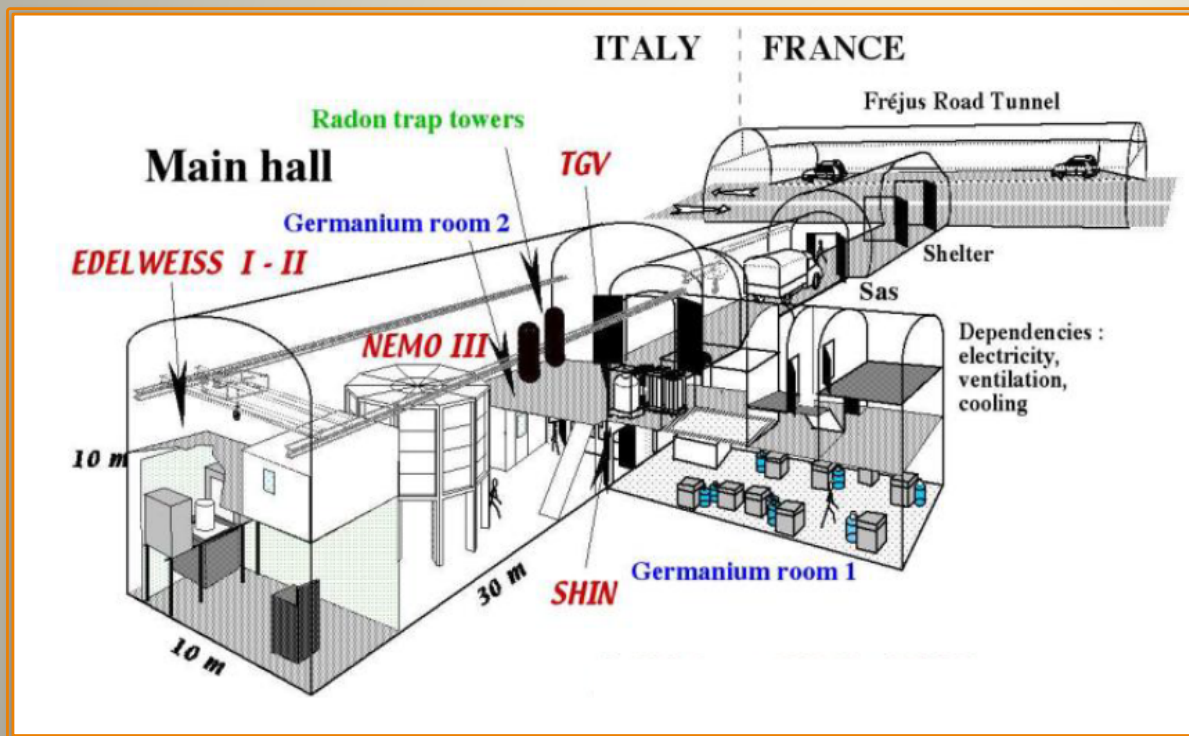


- Karlsruhe Institute of Technology
- Oxford University
- Sheffield University
- JINR Dubna



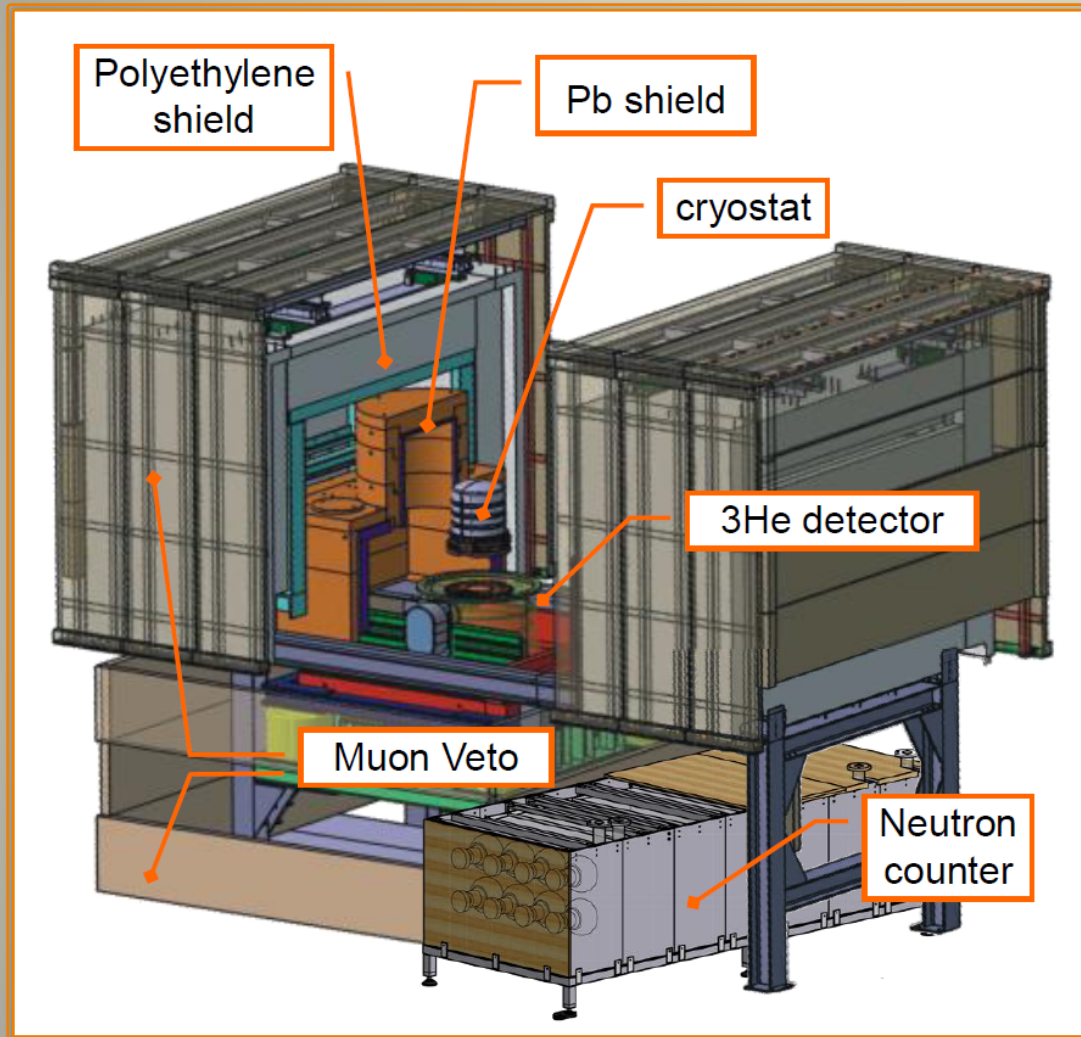


# Laboratoire Souterrain de Modane



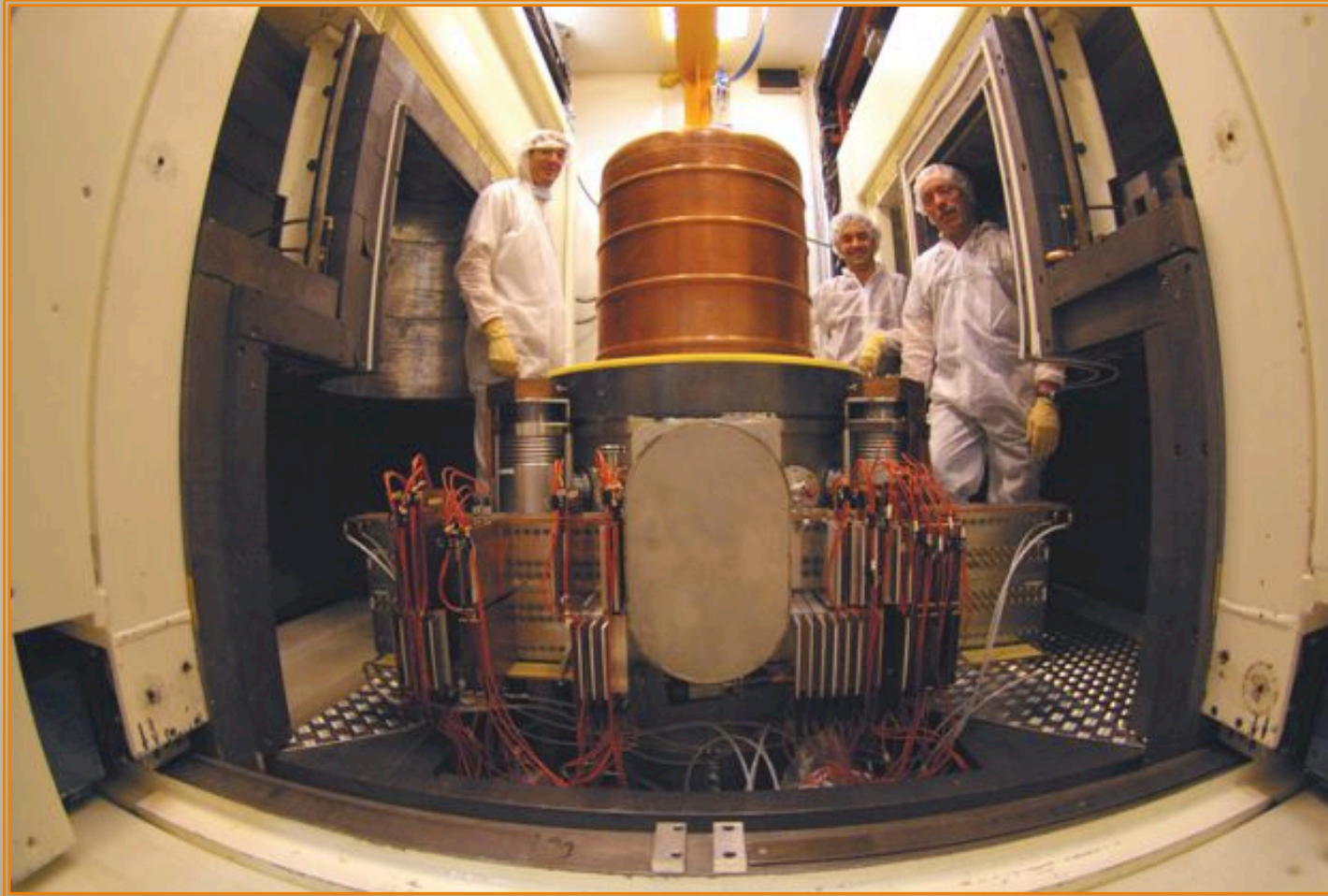
cosmic muon flux  $4 \mu/m^2/day$

# EDELWEISS detector

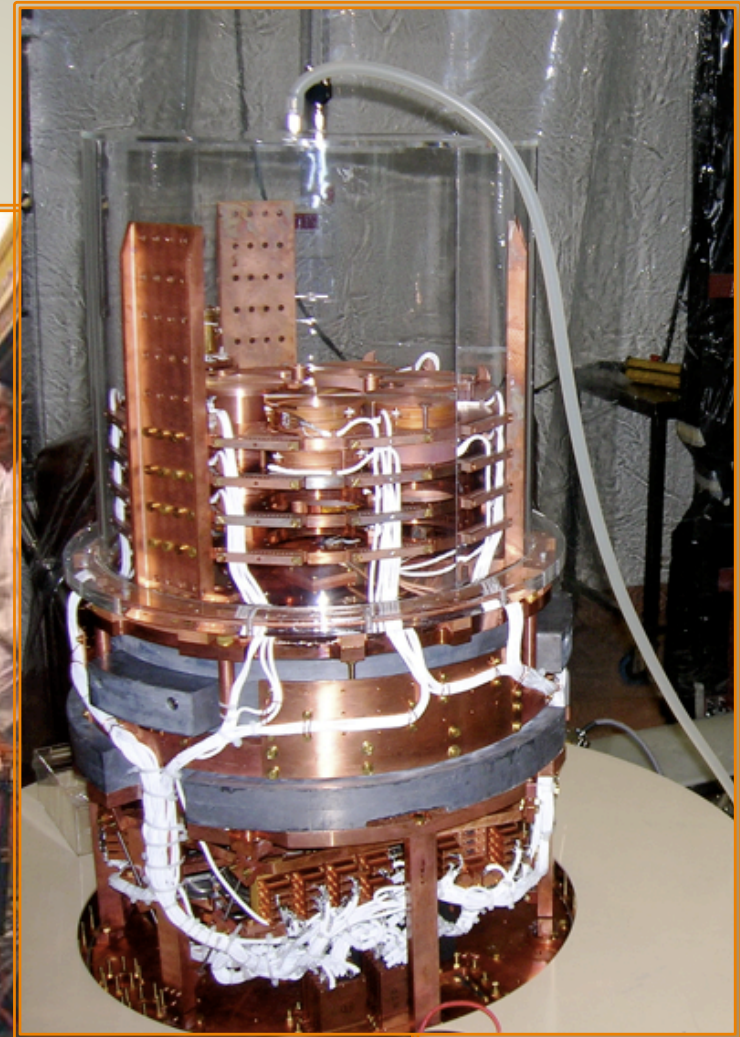
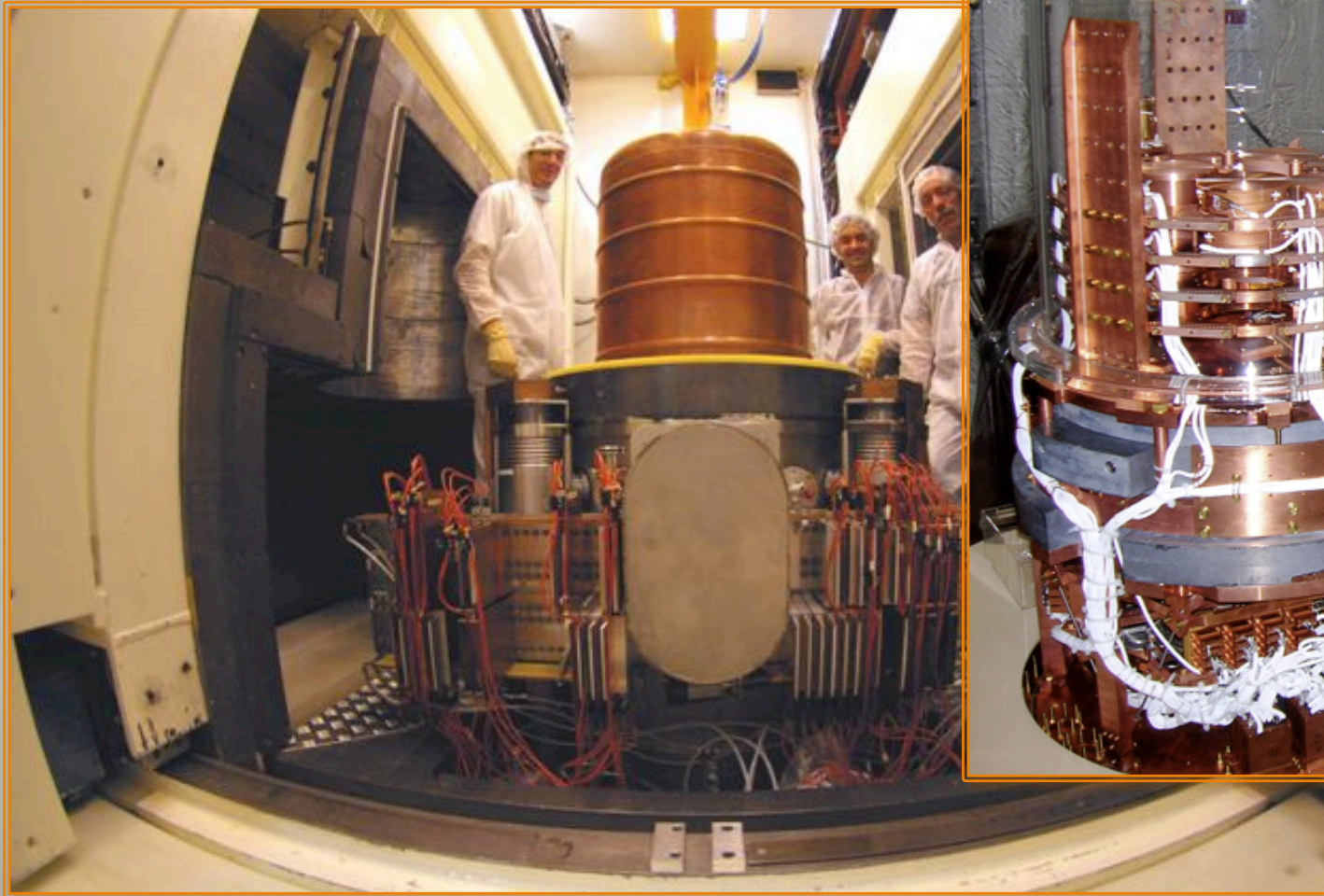


- Cryogenic set-up (18 mK) :
  - Host Germanium bolometers
  - Up to 40kg
- Shieldings :
  - Clean room + **deradonized air 10 mBq/m<sup>3</sup>**
  - Active muon veto (>98% coverage)
  - 50 cm PE shield + 20 cm lead shield
- Monitoring detector
  - Radon detector sensitive down to few mBq/m<sup>3</sup>
  - <sup>3</sup>He neutron detector (thermal neutron monitoring inside shields) sensitivity  $\sim 10^{-9}$  n/cm<sup>2</sup>/s
  - Liquid scintillator neutron counter (study of muon induced neutrons)

# *Some pictures*

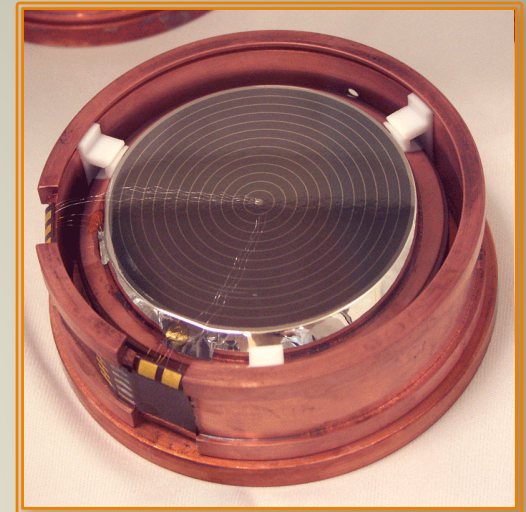


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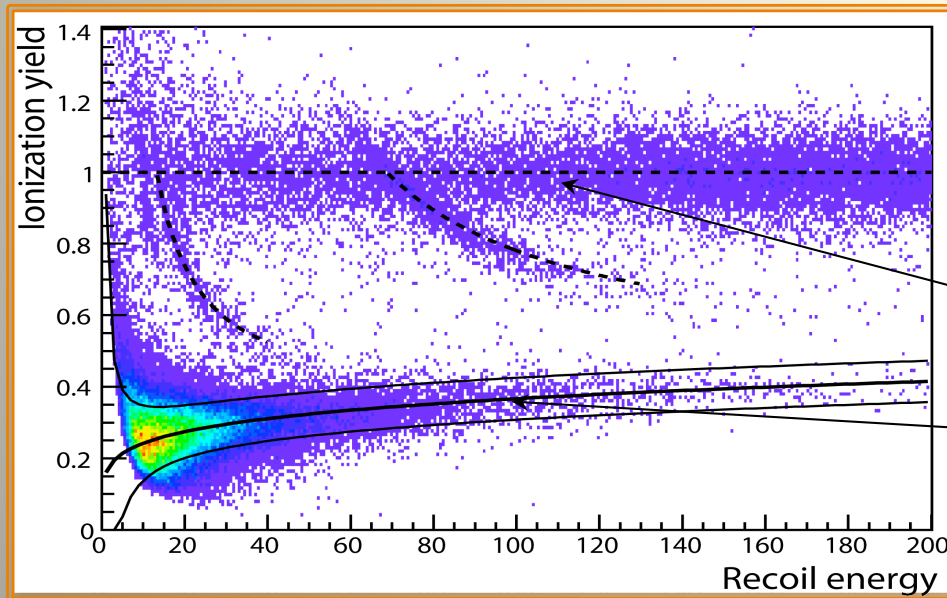
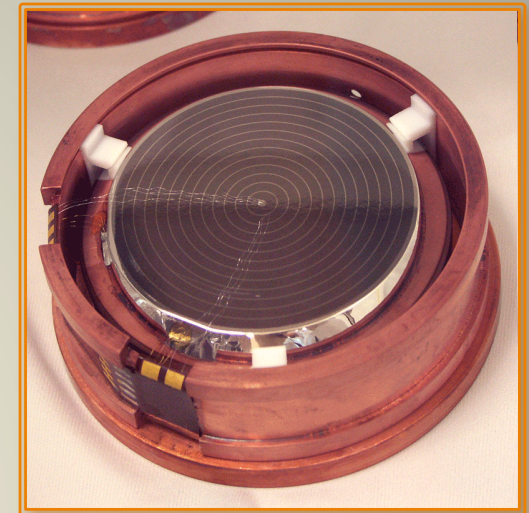
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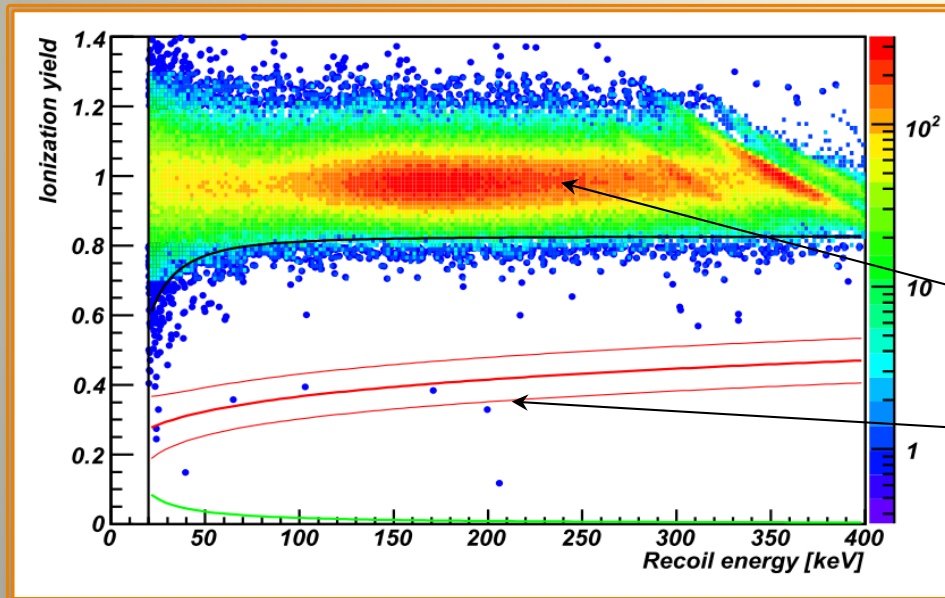
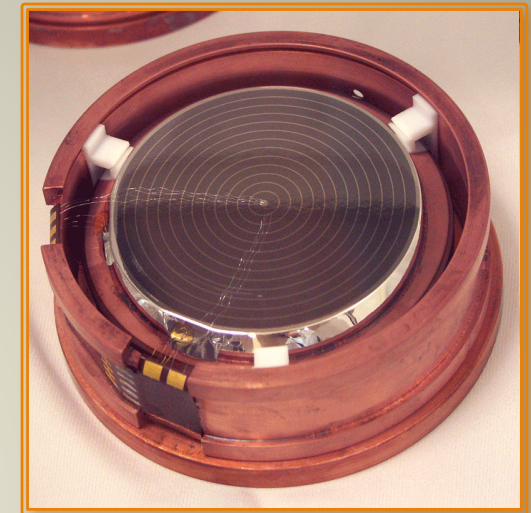
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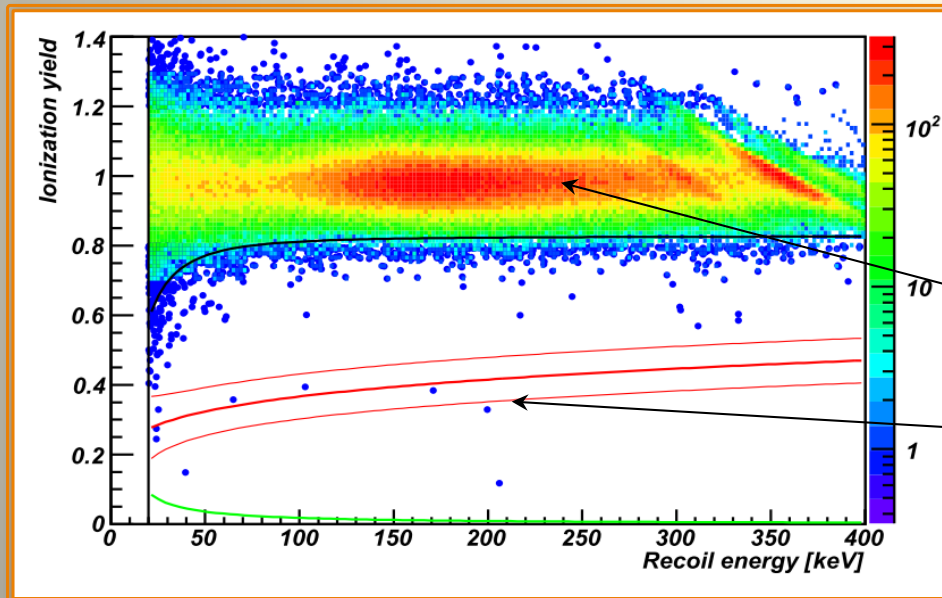
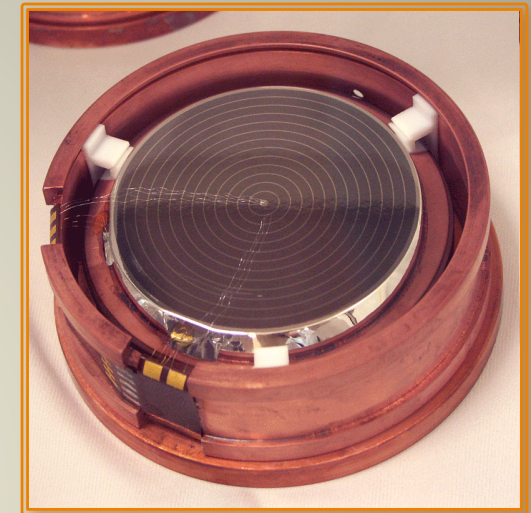
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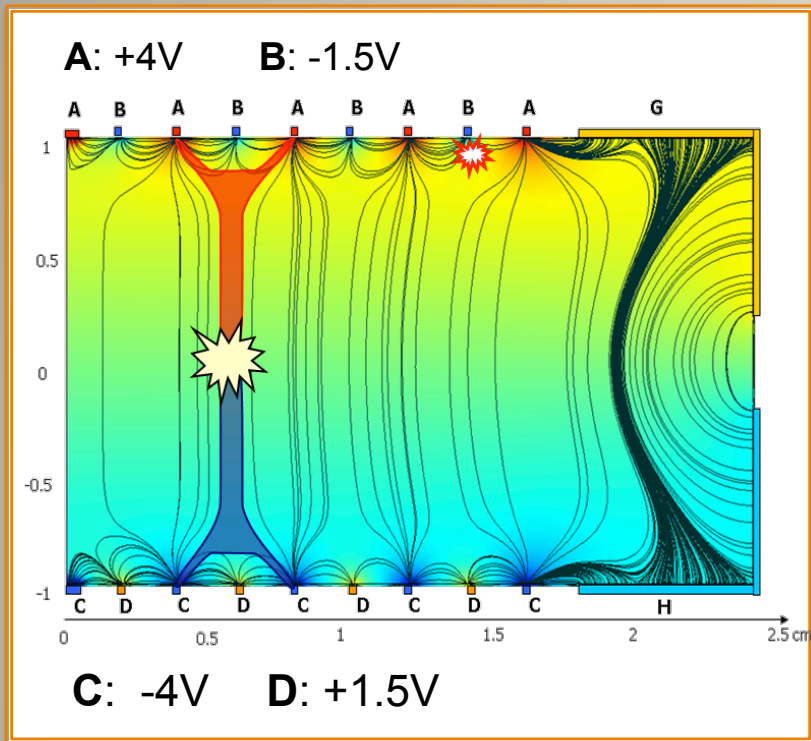
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**gamma rejection:  $(3 \pm 1) \cdot 10^{-5}$**

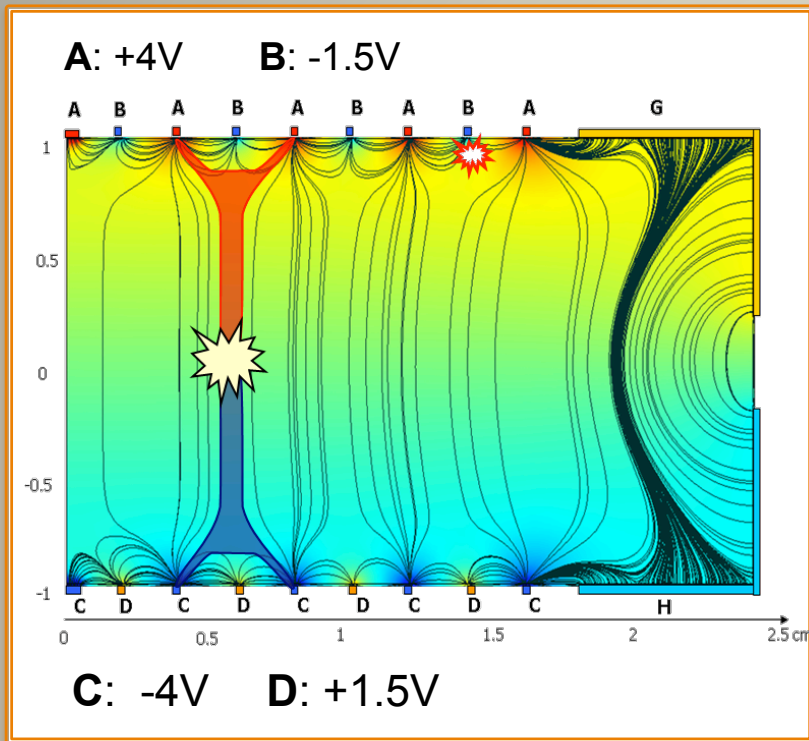
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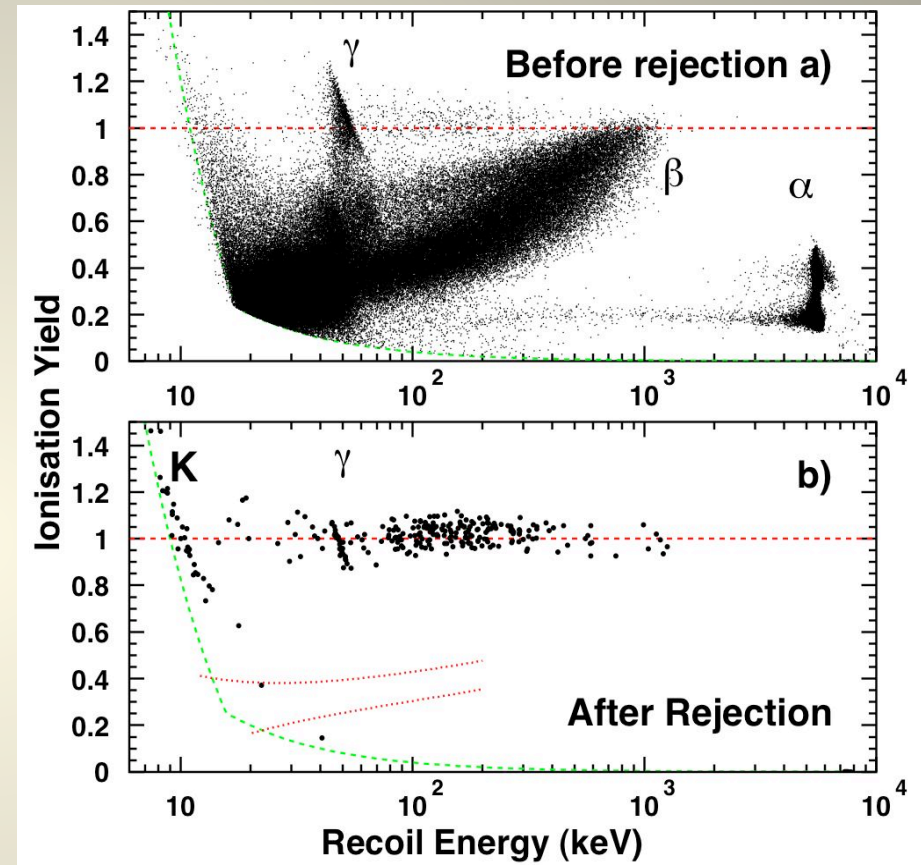
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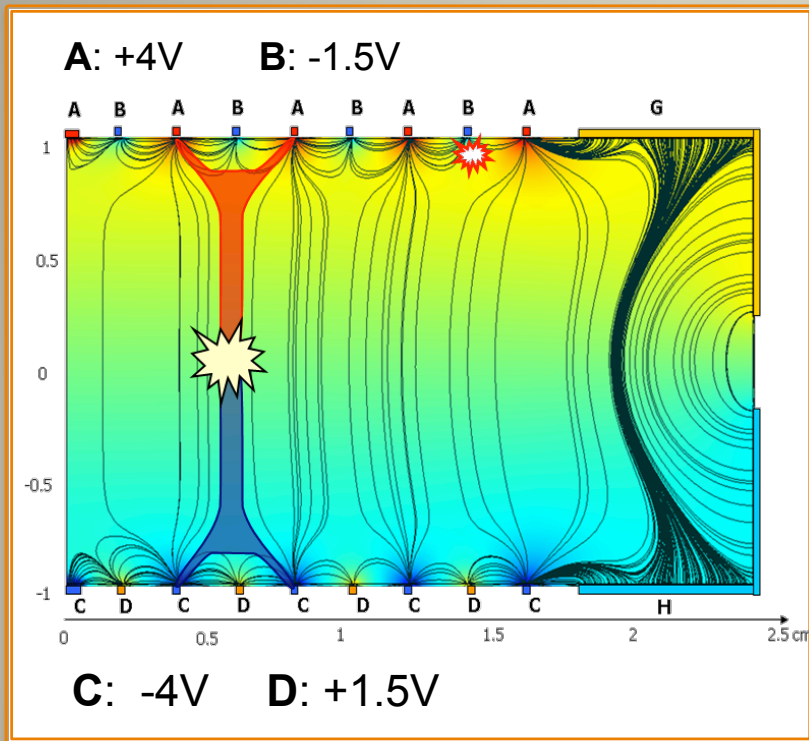
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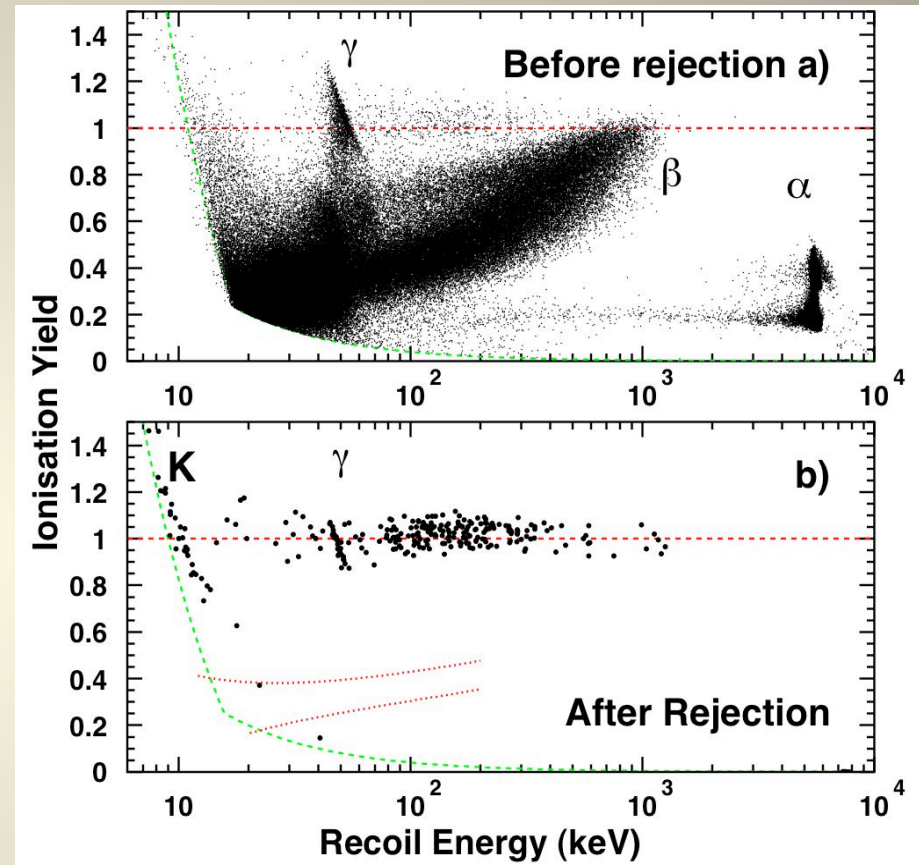
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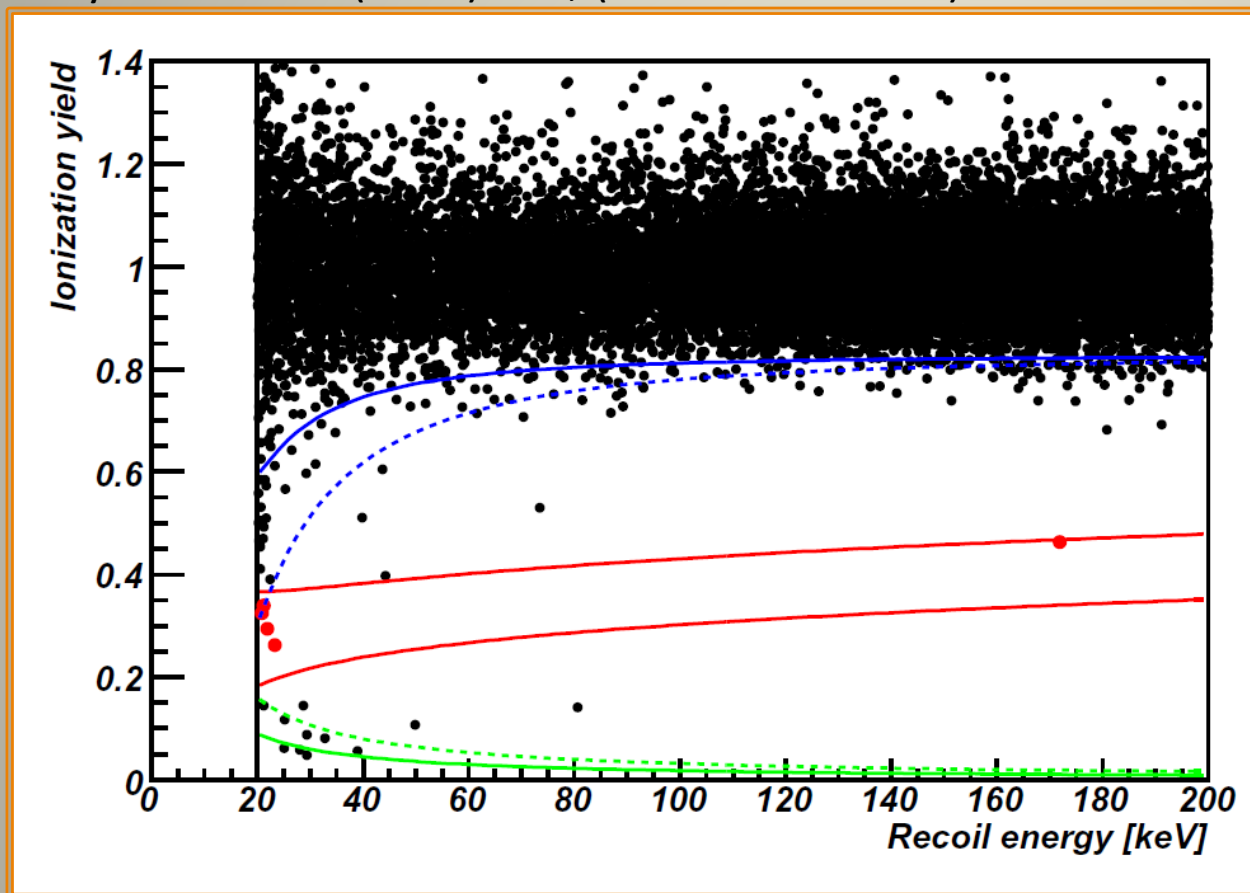


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**Surface event ( $\beta$ ) rejection:  
 $6 \times 10^{-5}$  (90% CL)**

# EDELWEISS II – final result

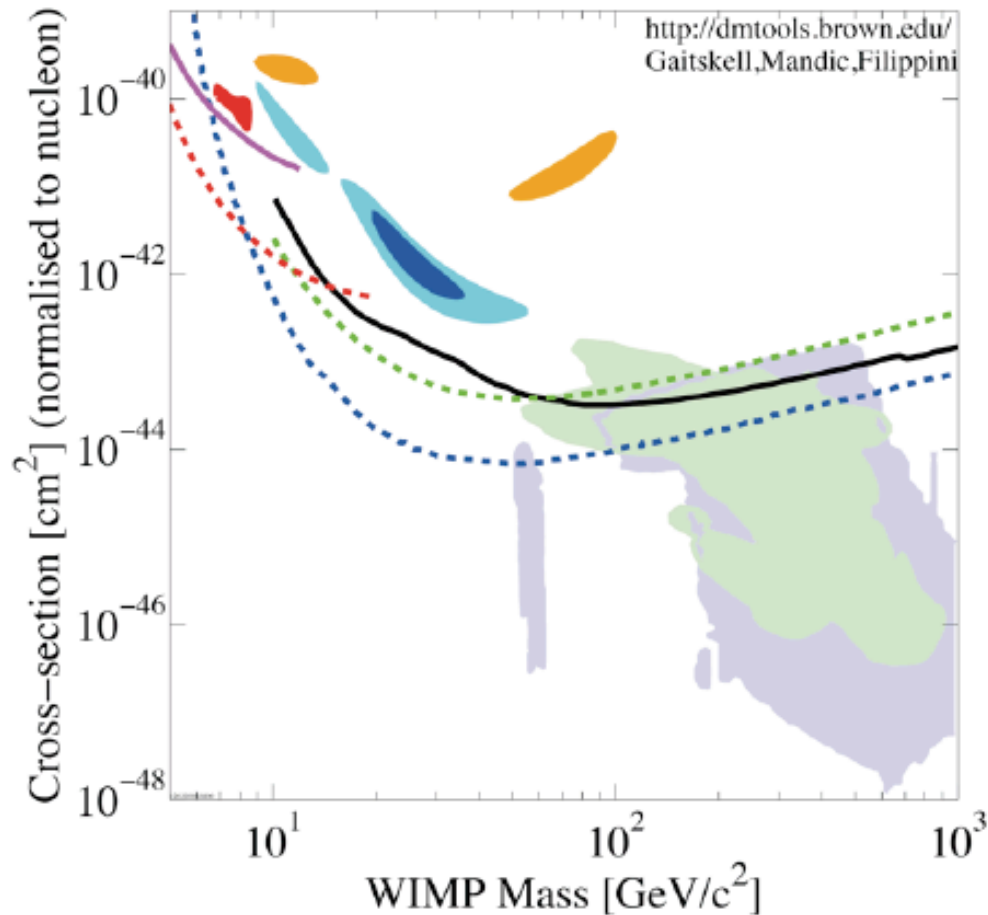
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- 10 ID 400 detectors
- 1 year
- 384 kg.d
- 5 nuclear recoil events (>20keV)
- 3 expected background events
  - 0.9 gamma
  - 0.3 beta
  - 1.8 neutrons

standard halo :  $\sigma_{SI} < 4.4 \times 10^{-8}$  pb at 90%C.L. for  $M_{WIMP} = 85$  GeV/c<sup>2</sup>

# Direct Detection Current Status



- DAMA/LIBRA EPJ **C56** (2008)
- CoGeNT PRL **106** (2011)
- CRESST II 2 sigma arXiv: 1109.0702
- CRESST II 1 sigma arXiv: 1109.0702
- CDMS Low E, PRL **106** (2011)
- CDMS + EDW, Phys Rev D **84** (2011)
- ZEPLIN III, arXiv: 1110.4769
- XENON100 PRL **107** (2011)
- XENON10 Low E, PRL **107** (2011)
- CMSSM Trotta et al, (2008)
- CMSSM with LHC and XENON 100 Buchmueller et al, arXiv: 1110.3568

# LOW MASS WIMP

- ID Detectors sensitive to nuclear recoil < 5keV
- New analysis with  $E_{\text{recoil}} < 20\text{keV}$
- Selection of data set compatible with low energy threshold
- Careful measurement of efficiency at low energy
- Analysis :

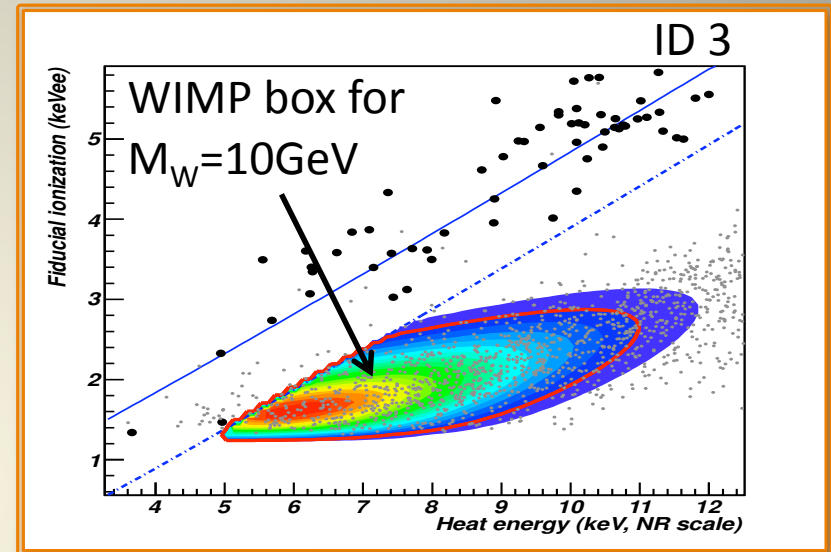
- Observables:

- Best energy estimator for NR at low energies, based on the heat signal only :  $E_{\text{recoil}}$

$$E_{\text{heat}} = \frac{E_{\text{rec}}}{1 + V/3} \left( 1 + \frac{V}{3} 0.16 E_{\text{rec}}^{0.18} \right)$$

- Use ionization signals to select fiducial events and reject heat-only events and gamma-rays

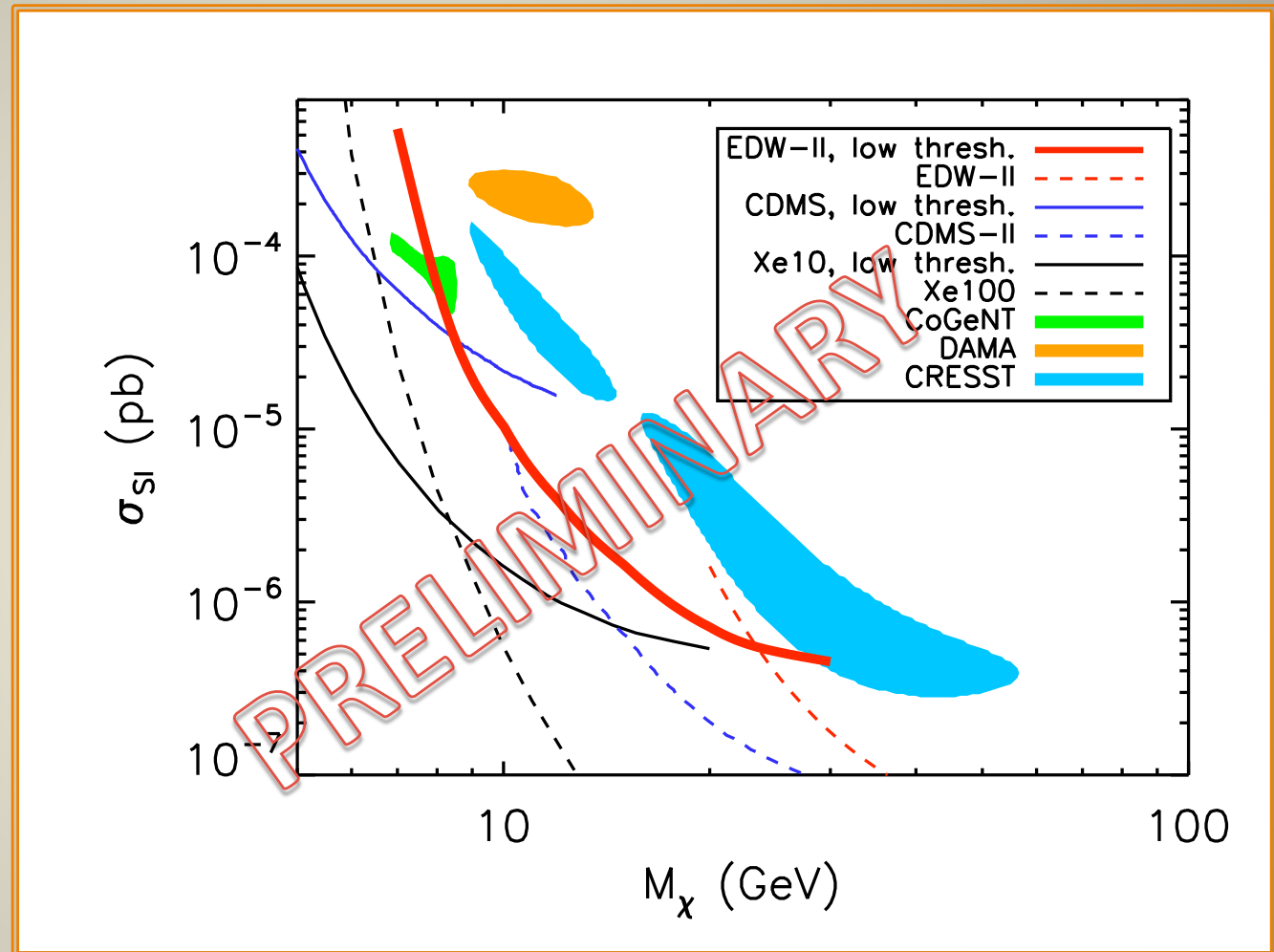
- Select WIMP region in the Erecoil-Eion plane : «WIMP box» definition: isolevel of the WIMP density  $\rho$  such that 90% of the WIMP signal is inside this isolevel.
- Take into account measured efficiencies (both as a function of heat and ionization energies)





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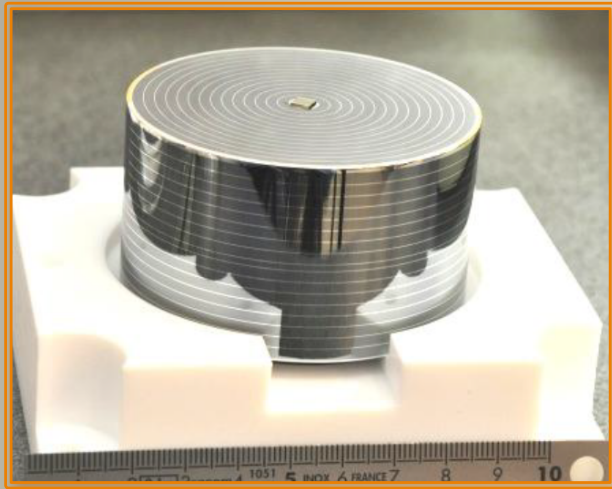
- exposure: 113 kg.d
- Estimated background :
  - Neutron < 1.7
  - Gamma : 1.2
  - Heat-only << 1
  - Surface events are negligible background.
- Limit derived from simple Poisson statistics in the «WIMP box»



$\sigma_{SI} < 1.10^{-5}$  pb at 90%C.L. for  $M_{WIMP} = 10$  GeV/c<sup>2</sup>

# EDELWEISS III

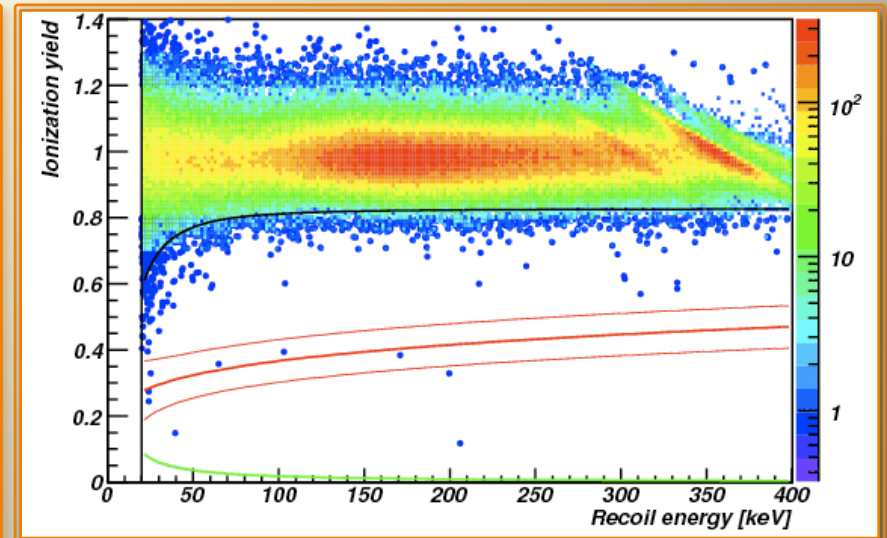
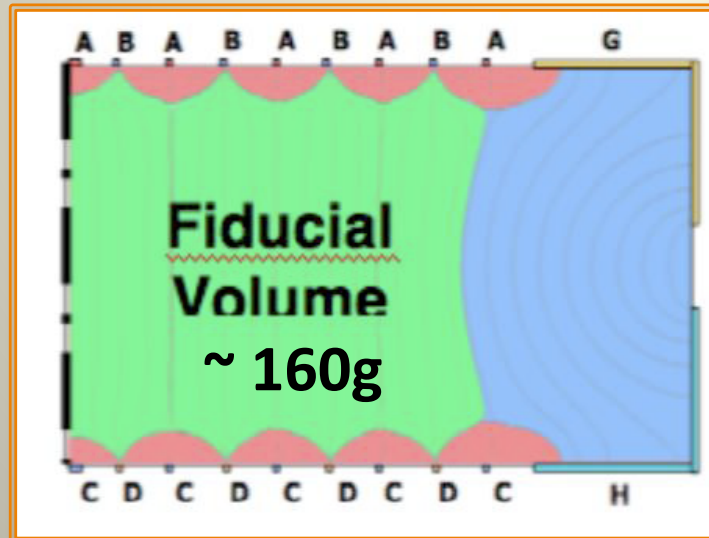
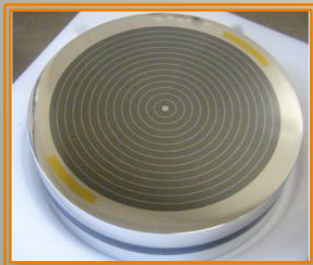
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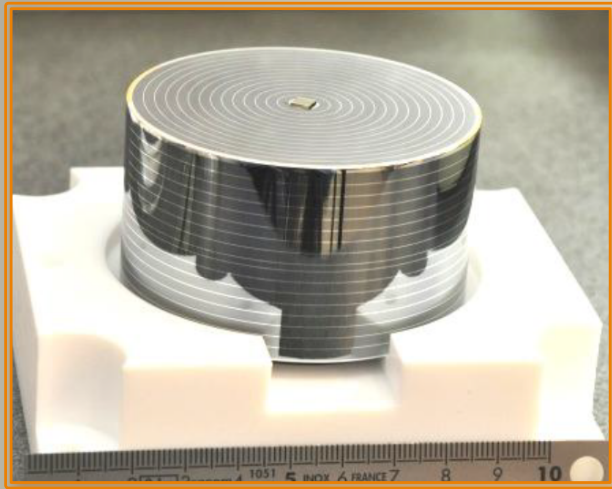
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ID 400



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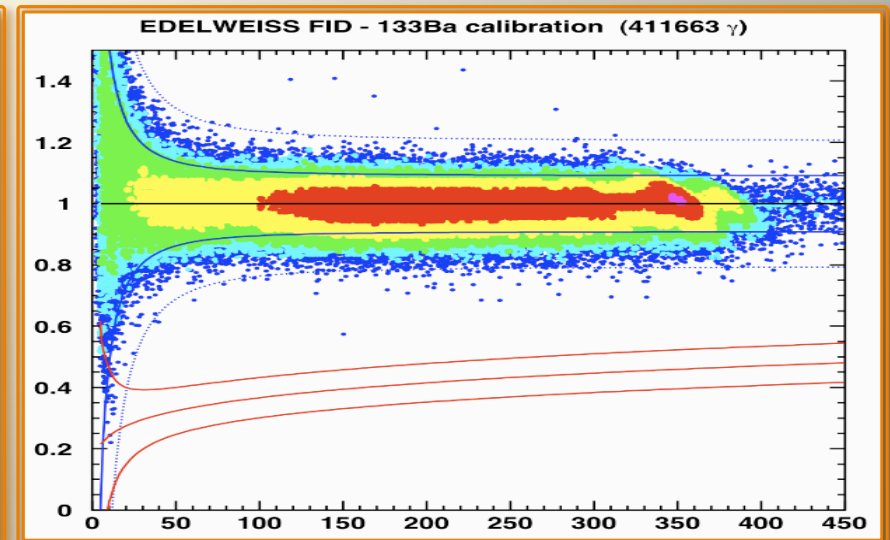
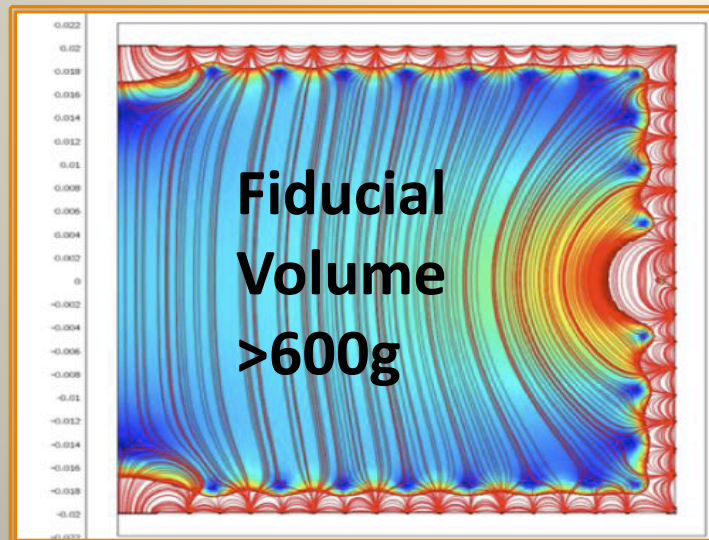
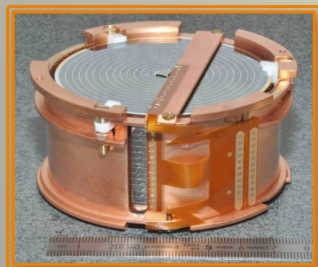
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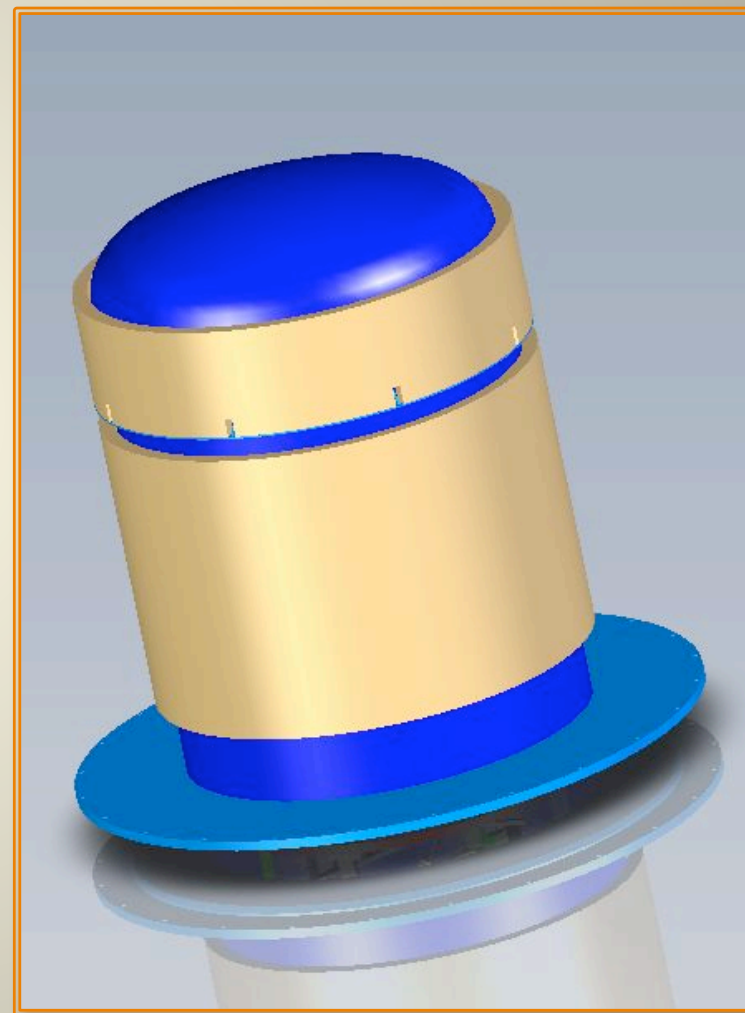
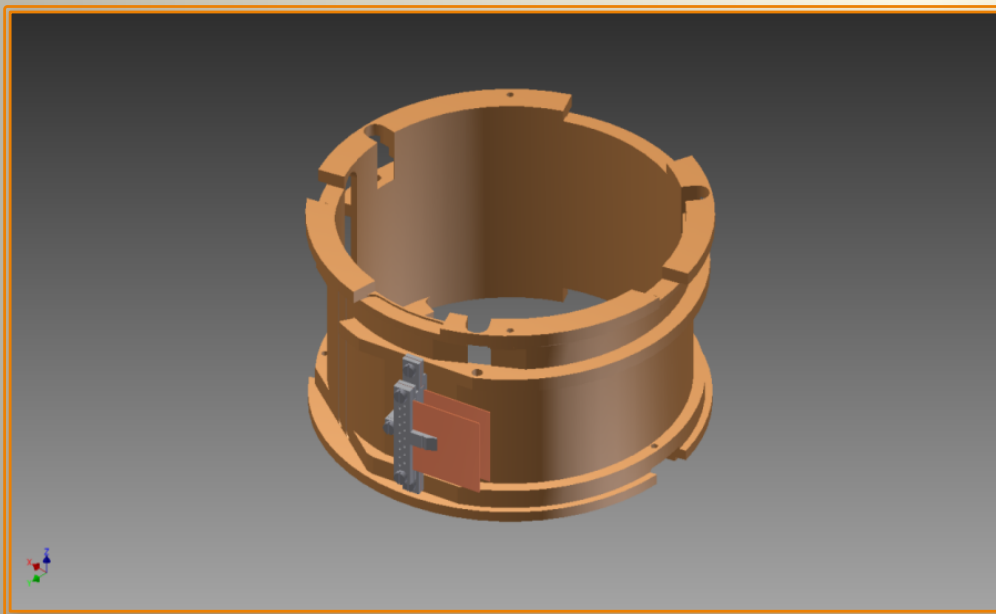
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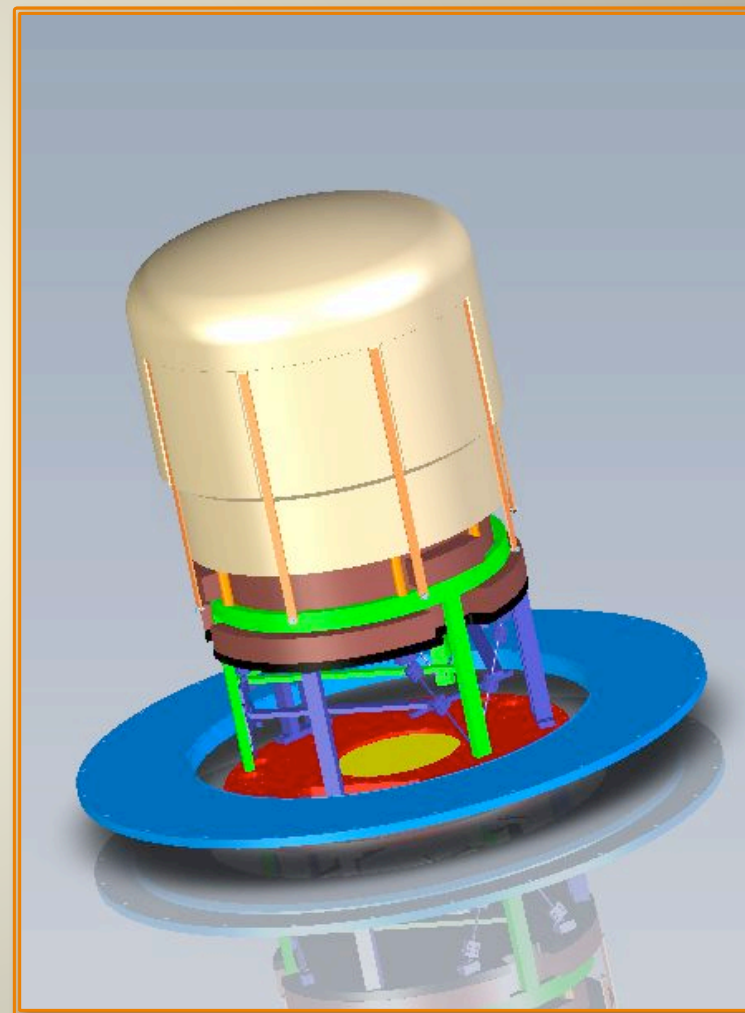
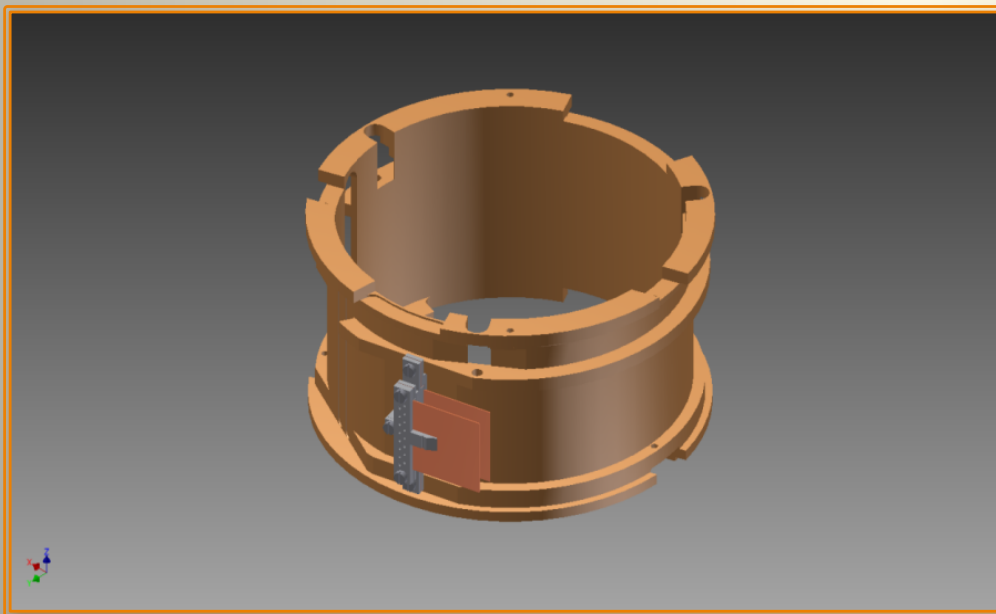
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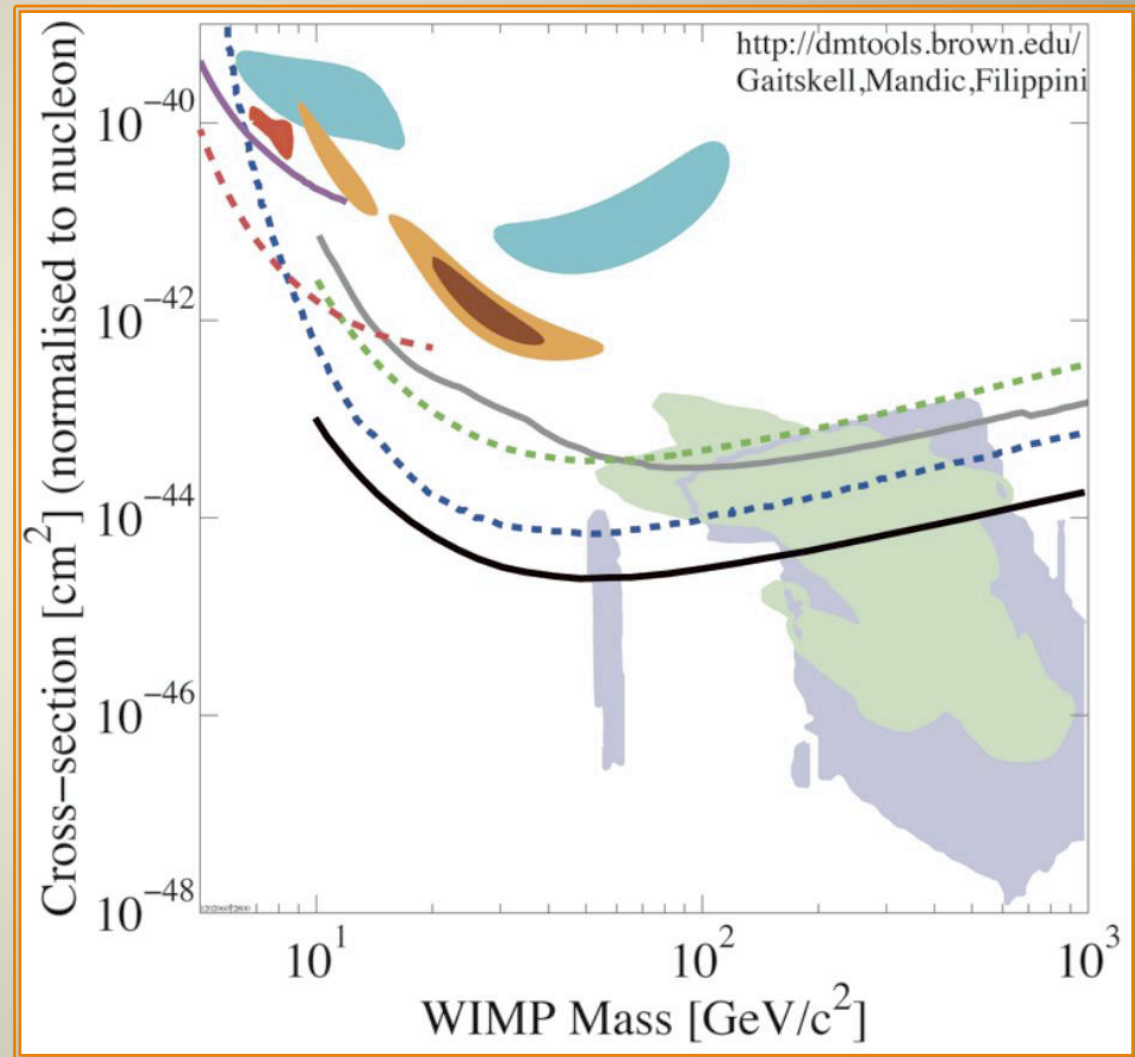
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# EDELWEISS III

## 3) perspective

- Now:
  - New cryogenics
  - ~10 FID 800 detectors
  - BBV2 readout electronics
  - New support structure
- September 2012
  - New Cu shielding
  - Inner PE-shield
  - Kapton cabling
- 2013
  - Fully equipped cryostat 48 FID 800g detectors



# Conclusion

- New limit for low mass WIMP for EDELWEISS ID data
  - $\sigma_{SI} < 1.10^{-5}$  pb at 90%C.L. for  $M_{WIMP} = 10$  GeV/c<sup>2</sup>
- New FID detector with increased fiducial volume and better gamma rejection.
- Preparing EDELWEISS III with 40kg Ge array.