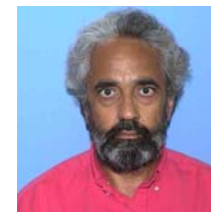




Remote Handling



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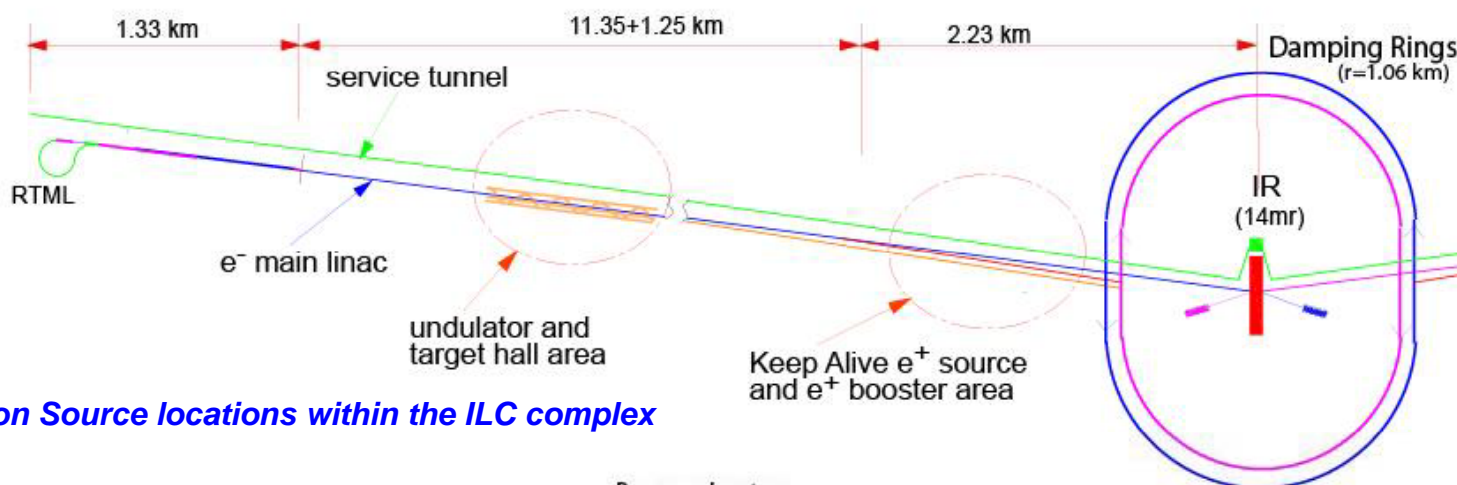
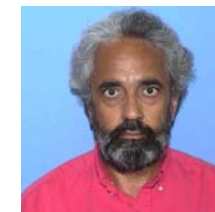
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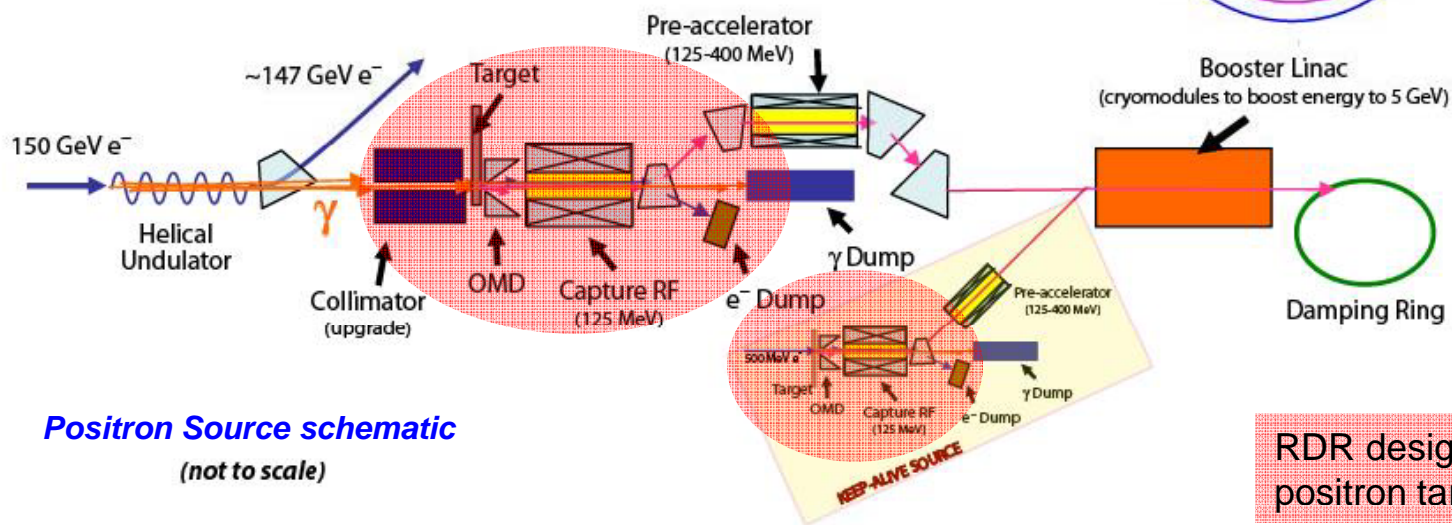




Positron Source Layout



Positron Source locations within the ILC complex

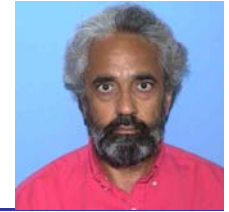


Positron Source schematic
(not to scale)

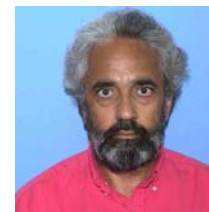
RDR design has two positron target halls



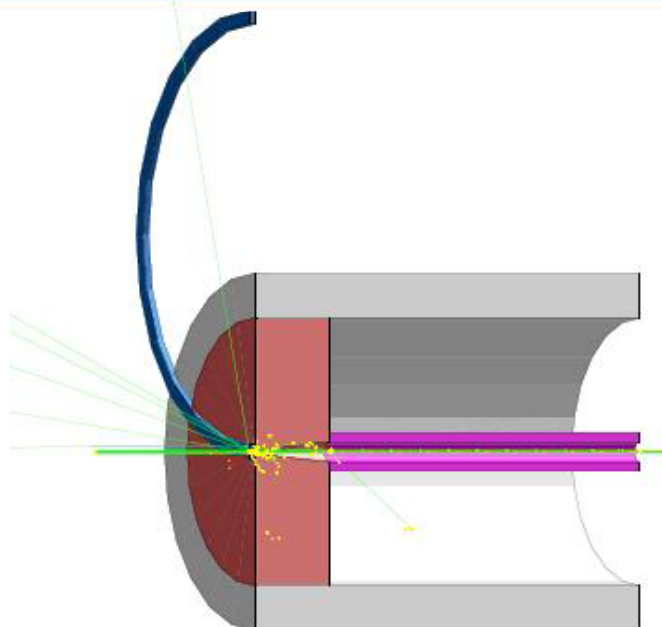
Target Hall / Remote Handling



- Projected ILC running mode
 - 9 month run + 3 month shutdowns
- Target stations designed with 2 year lifetime
 - Replace target station every shutdown
 - If target fails then
 - EITHER a “hot” spare
 - OR fast replacement
- Radiation levels ~ 100 rem/hour immediately after beam shutoff
 - Remote handling needed
- Target hall deep underground
 - Vertical target extraction/replacement



Positron Source Model



Helical Undulator

e^- drive beam energy, GeV	150
Undulator K-value	0.92
Undulator period, cm	1.15
Undulator-target distance, m	500

Target

Material	Ti6Al4V
Thickness	$0.4 X_0$

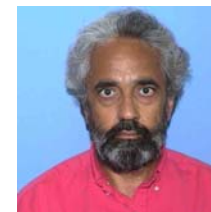
AMD

B_0 (z = 0)	6 T
B_0 (z = 20 cm)	0.5 T
\varnothing (z = 0)	$1 \div 24$ mm
\varnothing (z = 20 cm)	46 mm

SW Structure

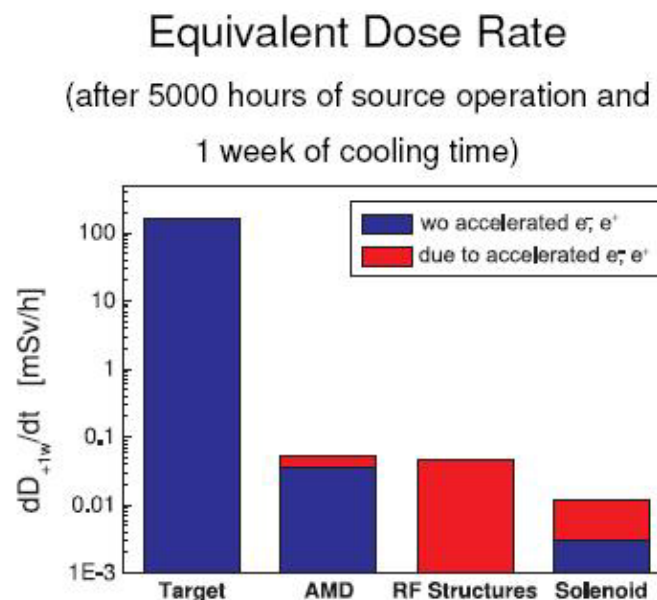
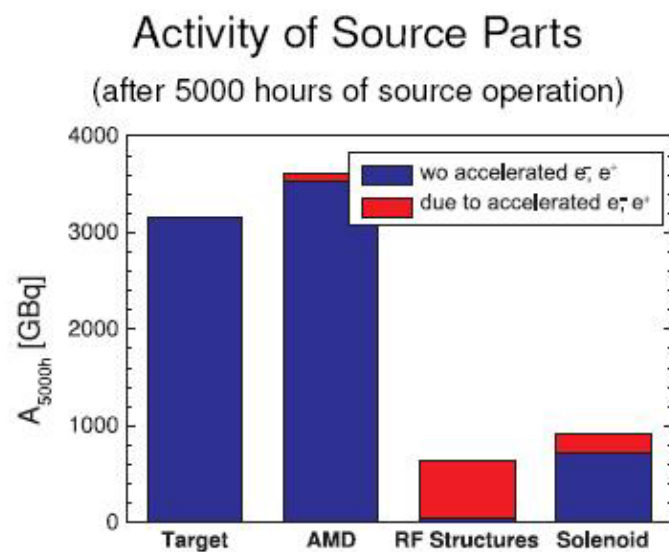
Aperture	46 mm
Number of cells	11
Ave. gradient	14.5 MeV/m

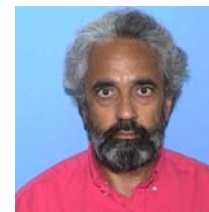
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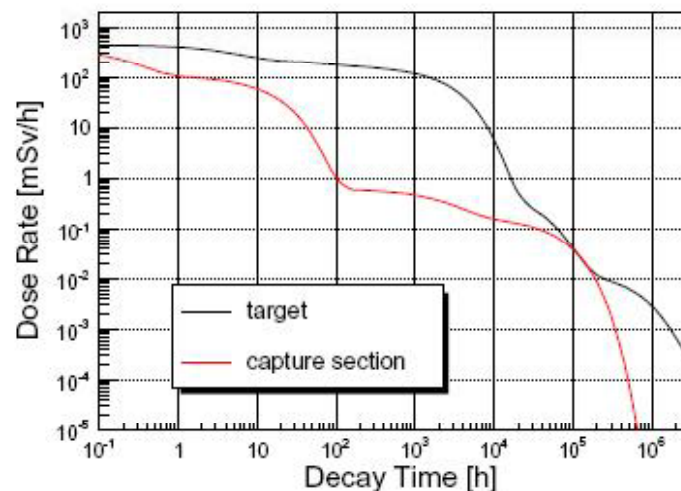
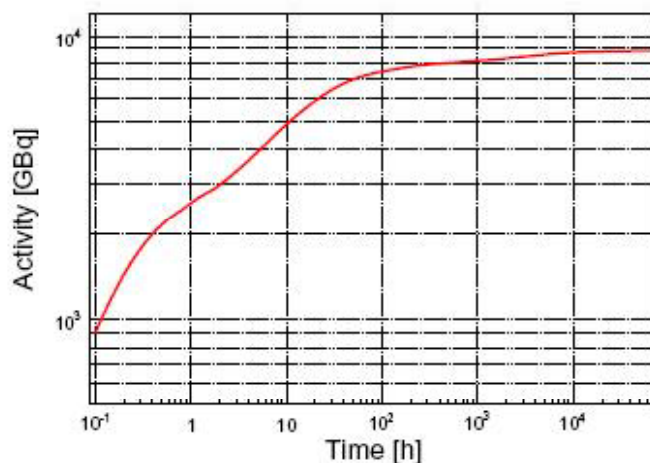
88 kW Photon Beam. $K = 1$. $\lambda = 1$ cm





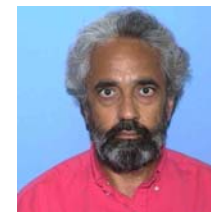
Time Evolution of Activity and Equivalent Dose Rate at 1 m from the Source

88 kW Photon Beam. $K = 1$. $\lambda = 1$ cm



Nuclei	A	$T_{1/2}$, h	A_{5000h} , GBq	E_{γ} , keV (Intensity, %)
Sc	47	80.4	1416.4	159.4 (68.3)
Ti	45	3.1	961.2	719.6 (0.15)
Sc	46	2011.9	544.5	1120.5 (99.99)
Sc	44	3.9	198.3	1157.0 (99.9)

Nuclei	A	$T_{1/2}$, h	D_{+1w} , mSv/h
Sc	46	2011.9	153.7
Sc	47	80.4	5.7
Sc	48	43.7	2.6
V	48	389.7	2.1



Simplified Target Model

- Assume all the secondary beam (e^+ and e^-) from the target traveling in Z-direction (50 MeV average) are lost into a Cu cube
- The target is a $10 \times 10 \times 10$ [cm] cube, all decay particles through an observing sphere are registered.

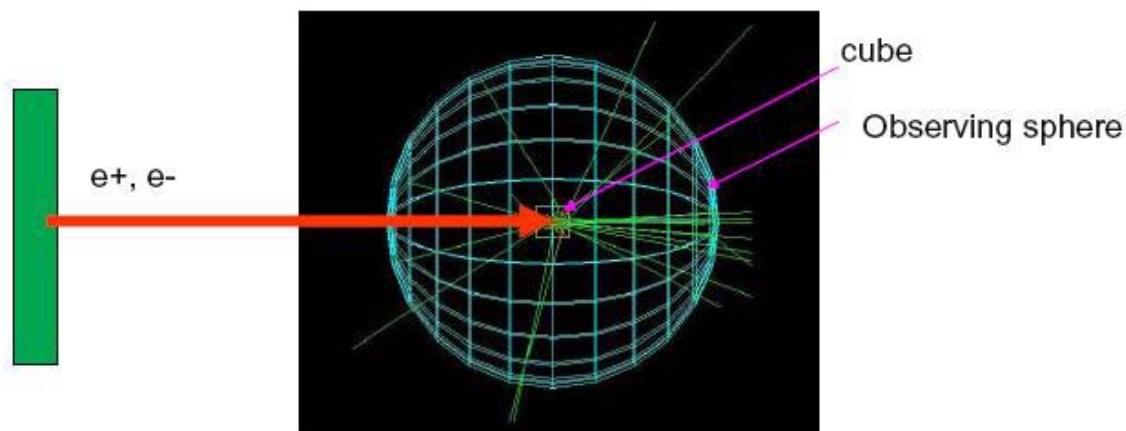
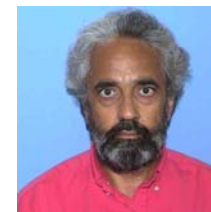


Fig.1 the layout of the simulation



Cu/Fe Activations



Comparison Copper and Iron

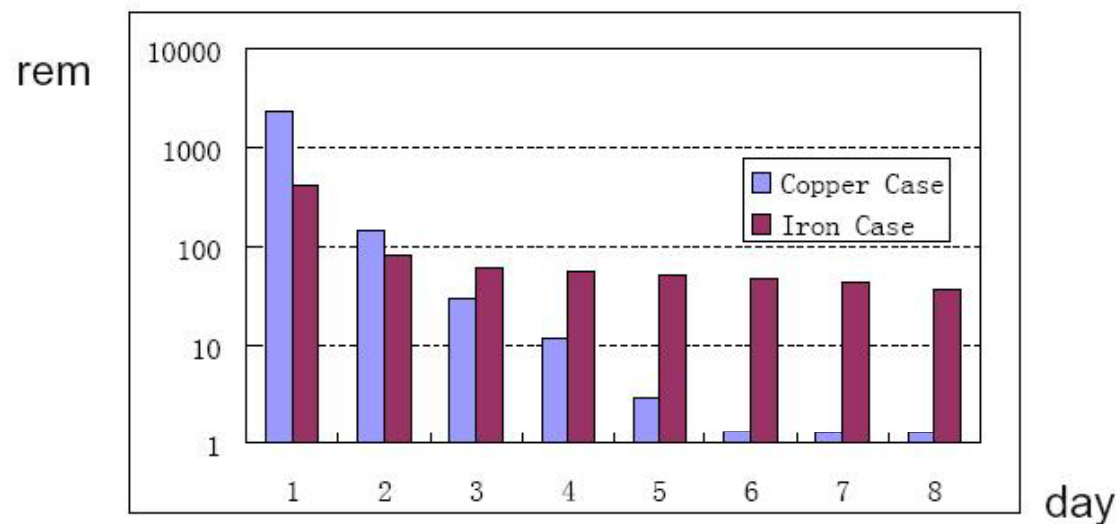
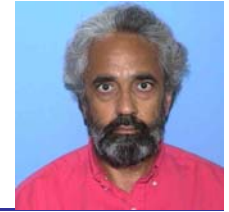


Fig.6 total dose (short life+ long life) drop trend in a week

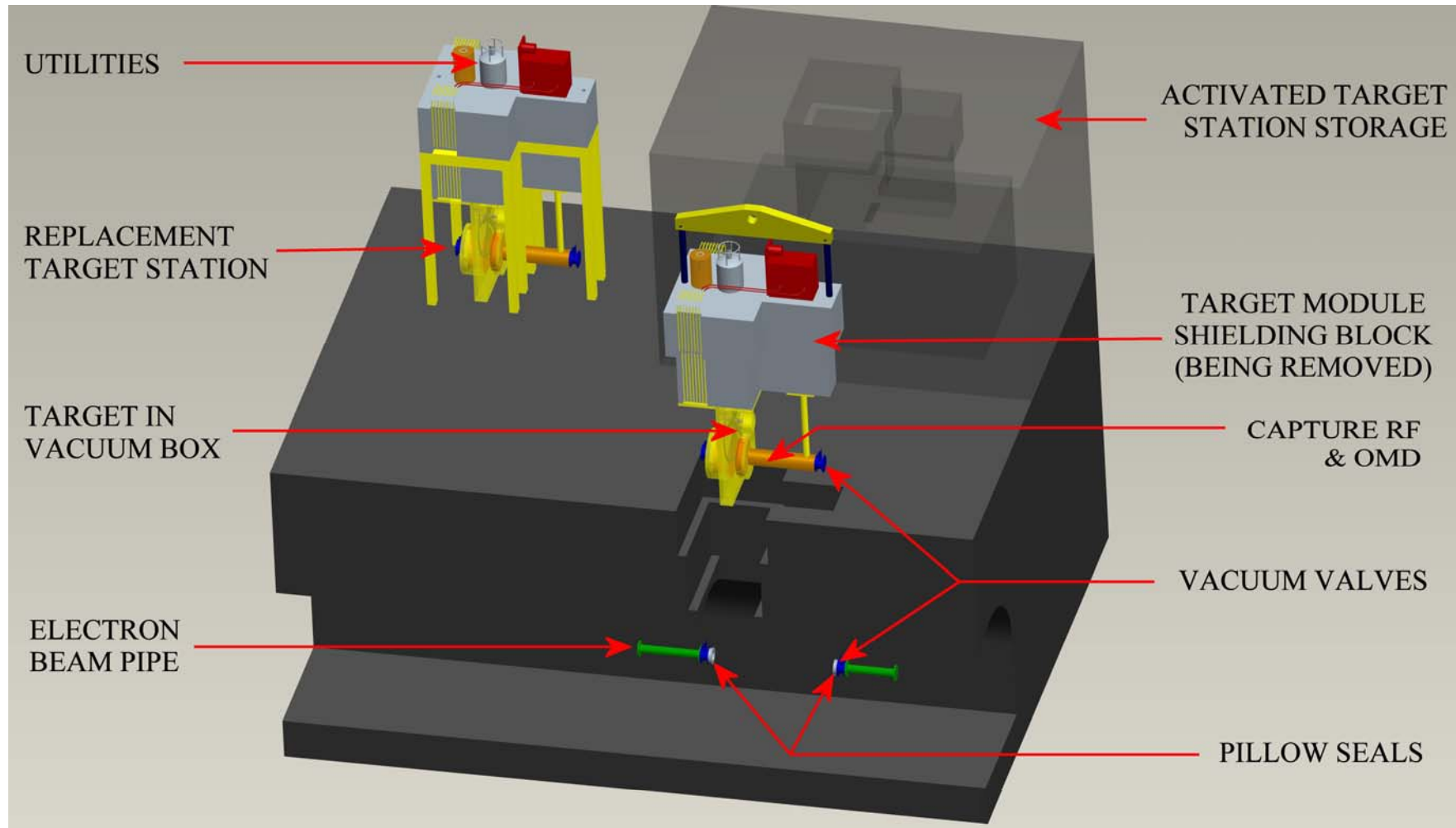


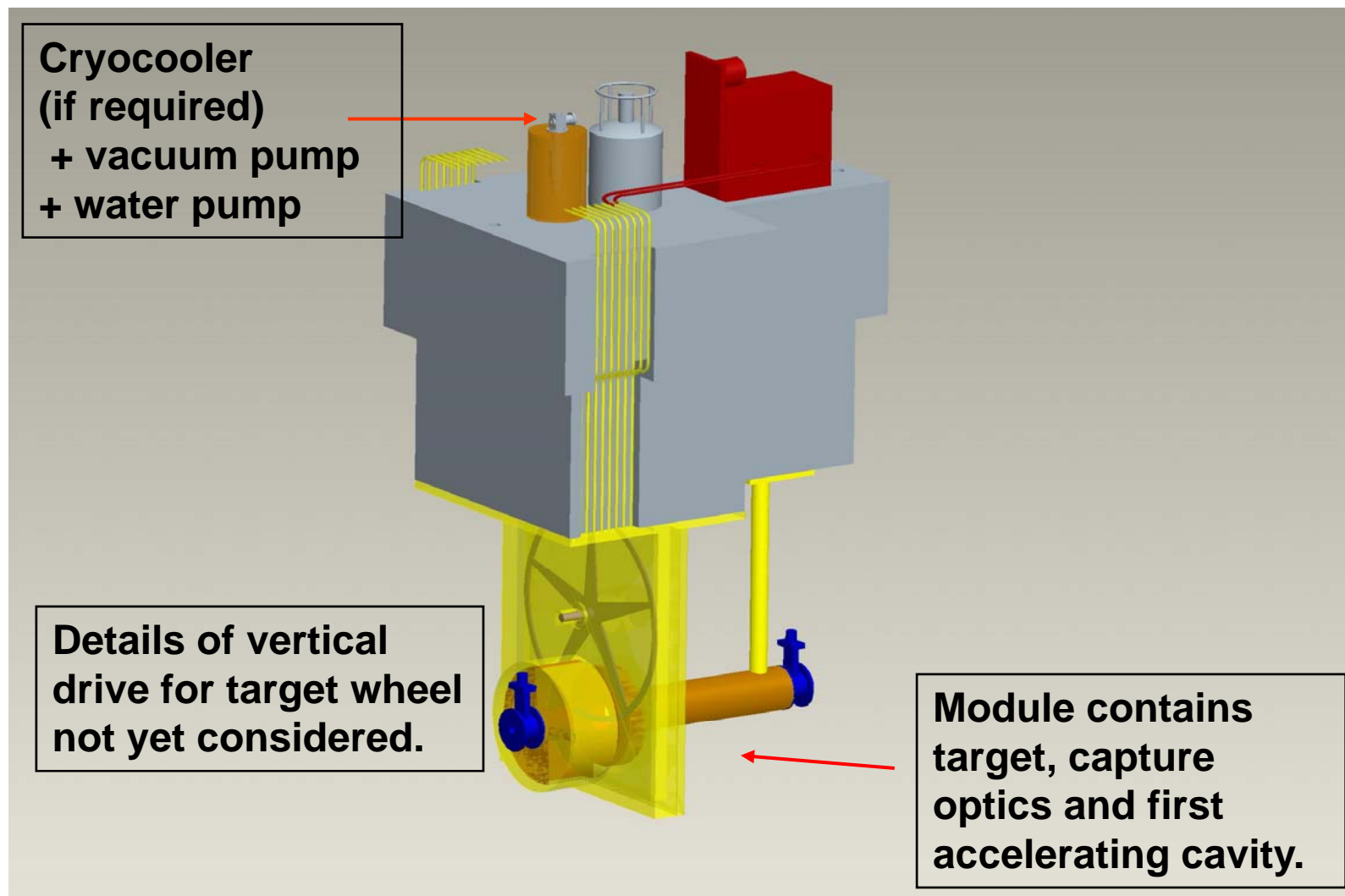
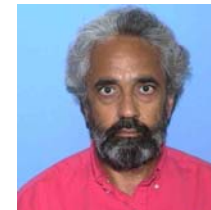


Target Remote Handling



Estimated 53 hour replacement time

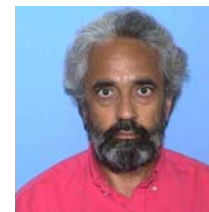




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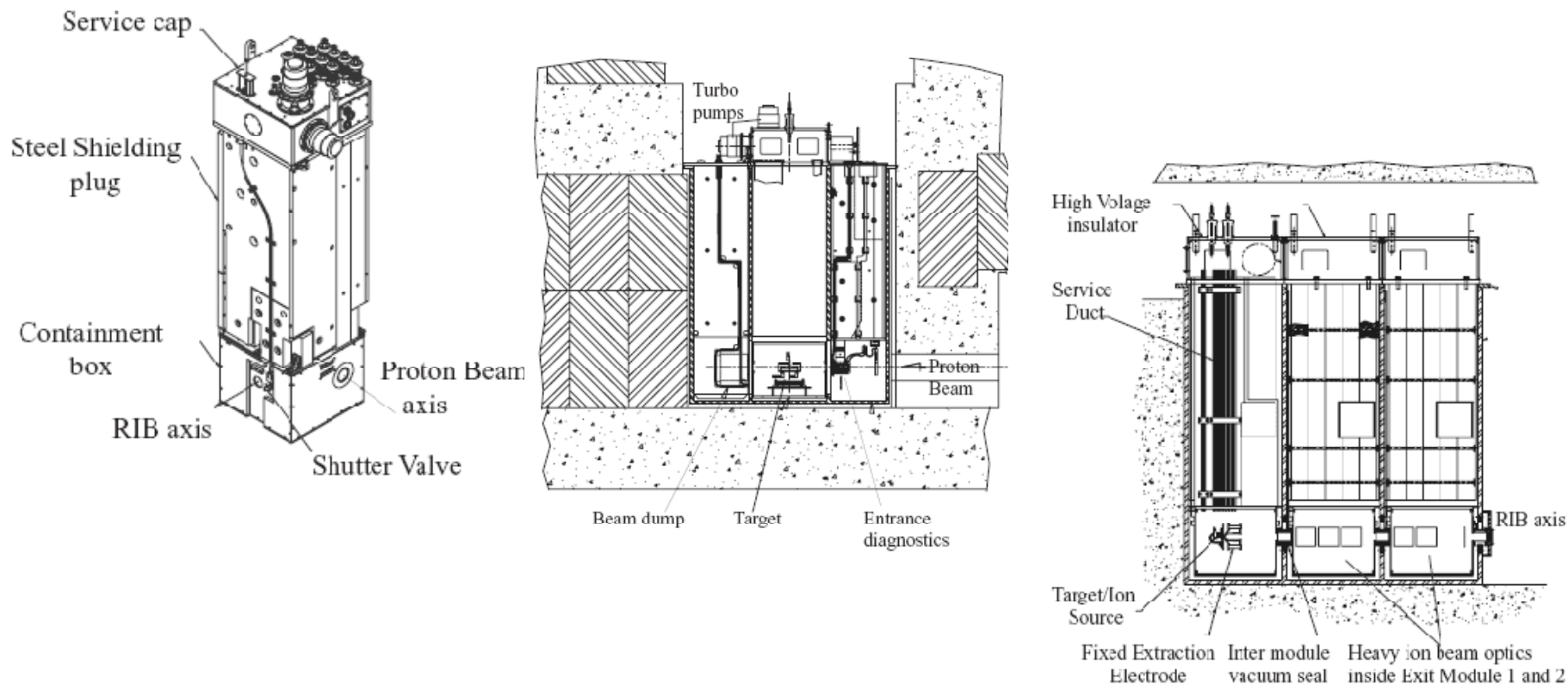


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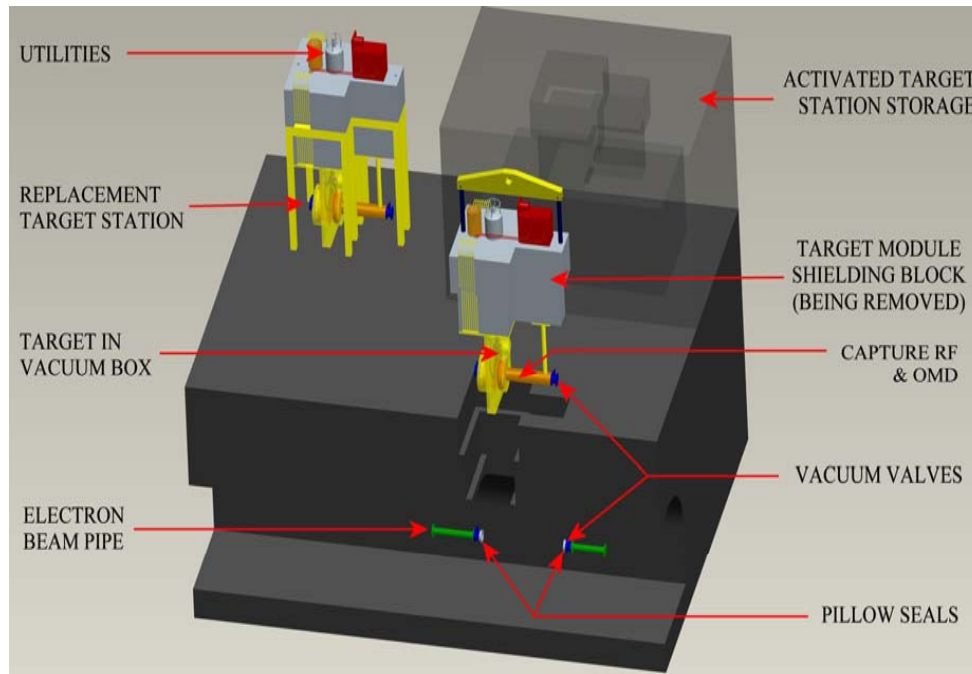
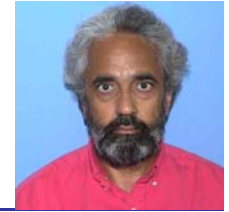
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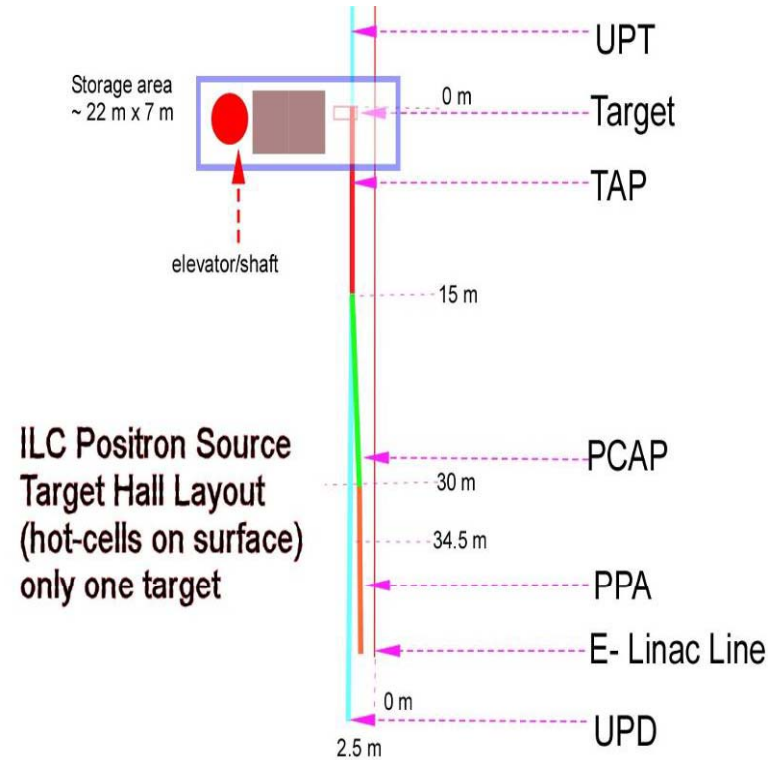




Target Hall/Remote Handling



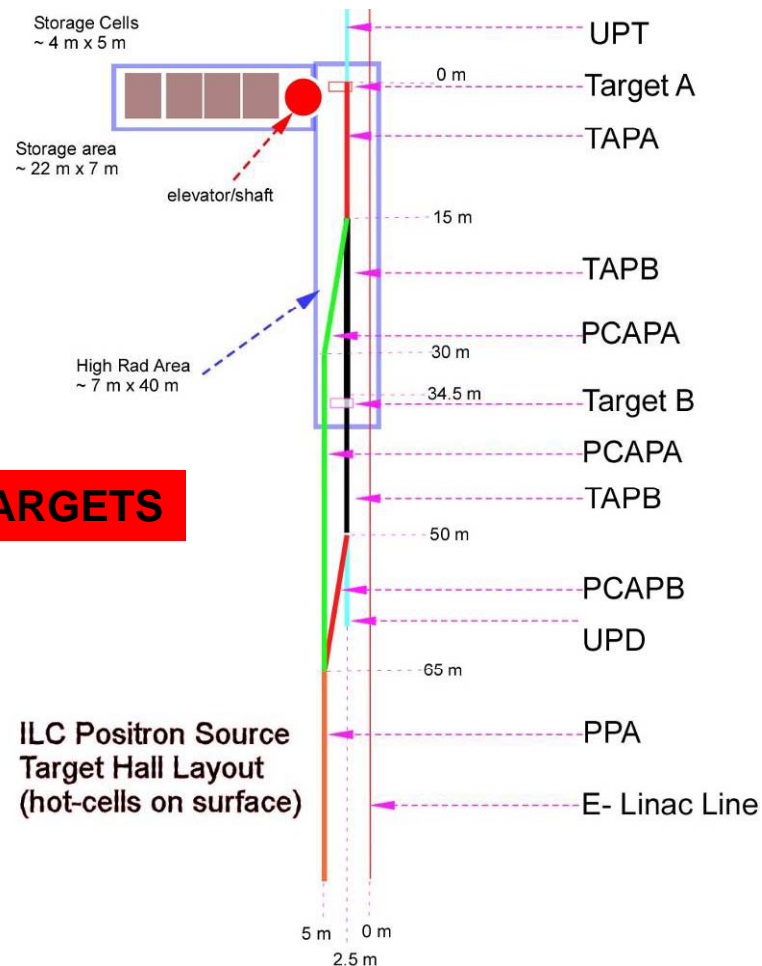
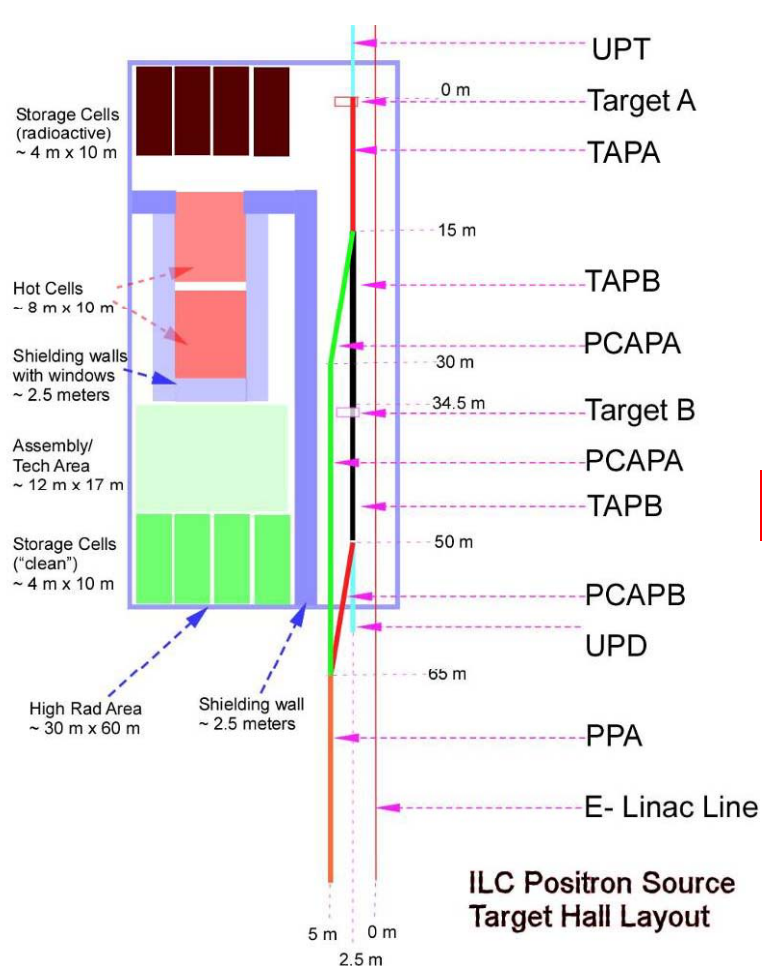
Target station deep underground
Excavation costs volume dependent



Mini-hall concept



Target Hall/Remote Handling

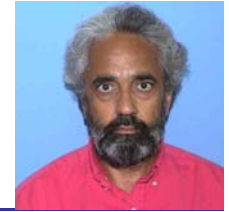


TWO TARGETS

Maybe we will need more area underground



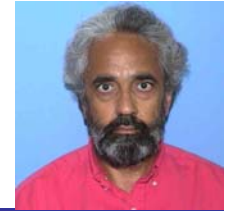
ORNL – RH Expertise



- Remote handling concept developed by RAL with input from SLAC. RAL stopped working on RH due to lack of money
- Approached ORNL to see if they could help
 - Yes, they have the expertise, probably as good as anywhere
 - Yes, they would like to help
 - Just have to arrange for funding, in the works but not final
- [Nuclear Science and Technology Division](#) (Tom Burgess – Fuels, Isotopes, and Nuclear Materials/Remote System Group)

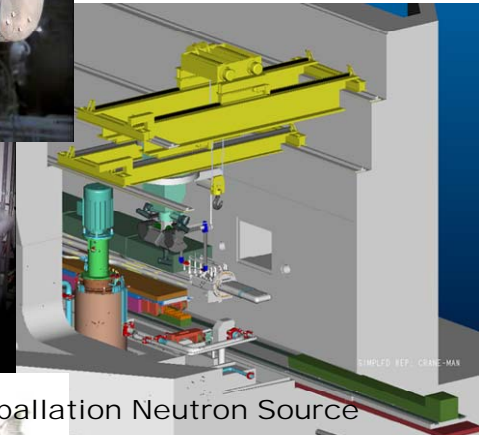
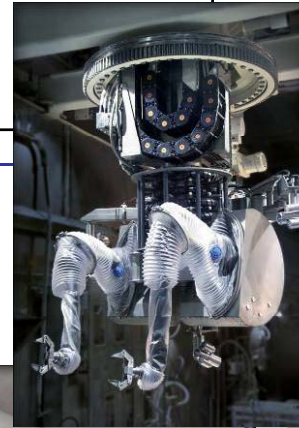
- Help from JPARC?

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Spallation Neutron Source

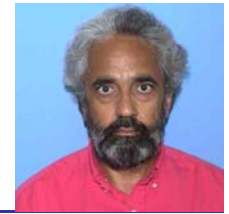


Future Armor Rearm System

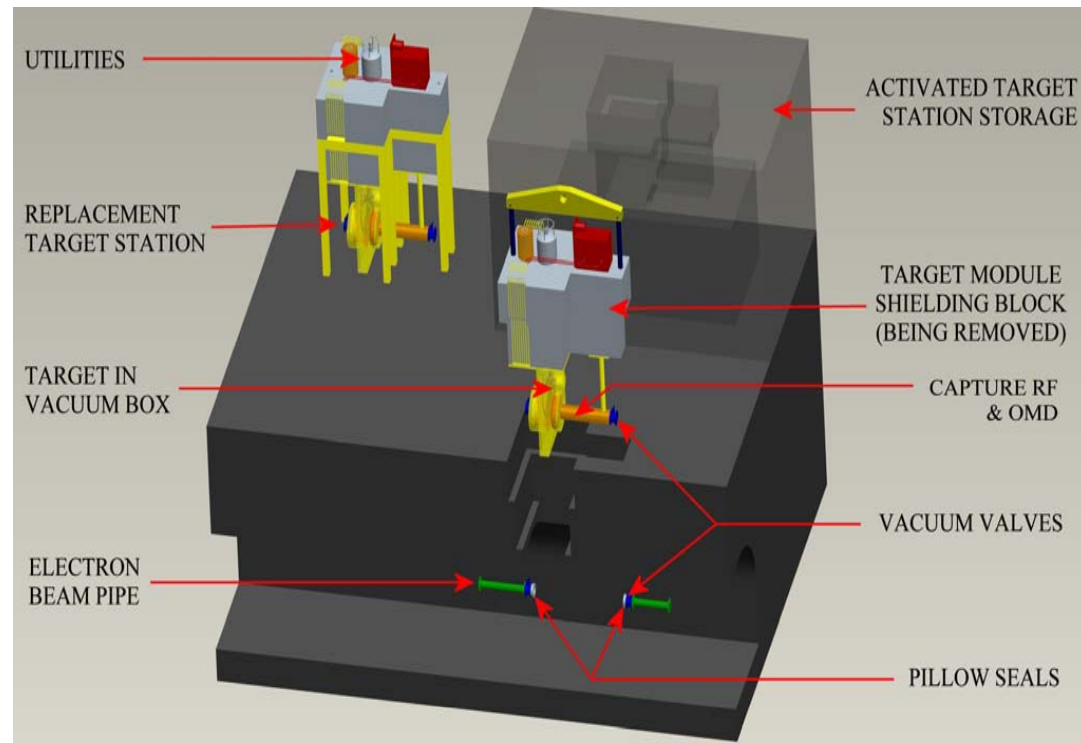




Target Remote Handling Design Comments (by Tom Burgess, ORNL)

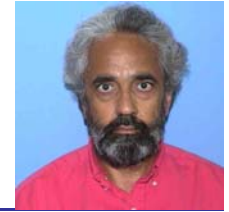


- Maximize hands-on access, minimize remote handling
 - Are utility and seal connections at top hands-on accessible?
 - What are shutdown rad levels?
- Shield rad-sensitive components to extent possible
- Assess lifetime of irradiated components (e.g., fluid seals, insulation, and other organics good to $\sim 10^8$ rad TID at best)
- Identify all remote maintenance / replacement / adjustment tasks and assess viability
- Modularize target module design based on component lifetimes, maintenance requirements and capabilities
- Any rad contamination expected?

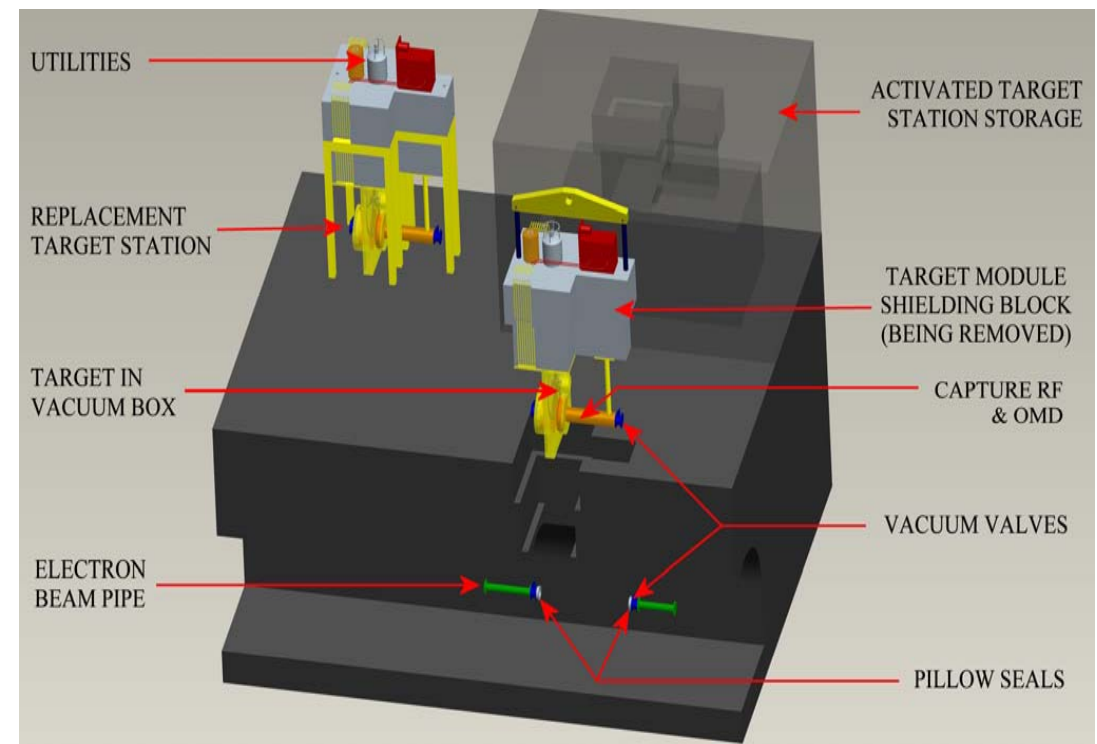


ilc Target Remote Handling Design Comments

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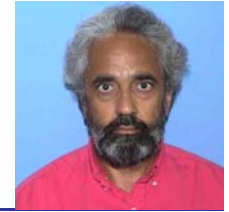
- Develop conceptual target design including remote handling equipment and facility support features
- Transferring target module to a cask and moving it to a hot cell on the surface may be cost effective
- Remote handling R&D, mock-ups, required will be more evident once a concept is further developed
- R&D items ?
 - Ferro-fluidic shaft seal is a potential issue – shaft speed, mag fields, radiation
 - Rotating water seal life another possible issue





Target Remote Handling Design Comments

(cont'd)



- Pillow vacuum seal proven? Full atmosphere dp or secondary vacuum? remotely replaceable?
- What are radiation / activation levels downstream and upstream beam line and components?
- Beam line vacuum valves replaceable / necessary?

