

Diffraction & Imaging Division update

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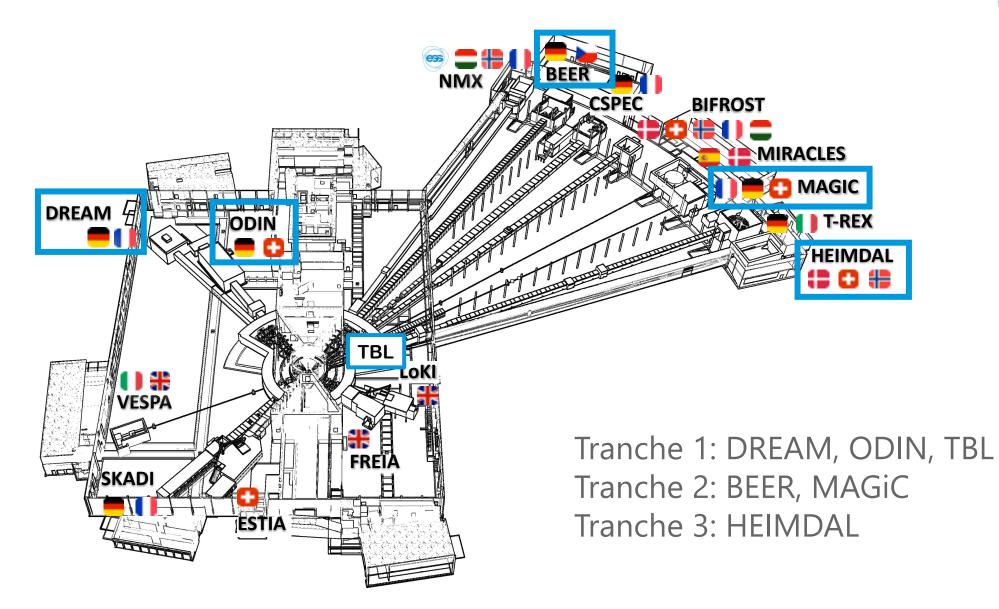
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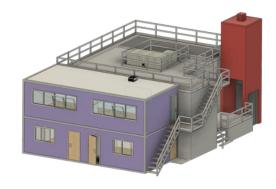
Instruments



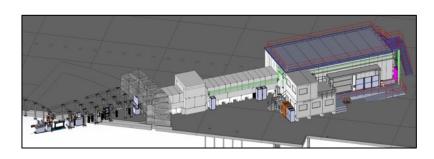


Instruments

MAGiC Denis Vasiukov^{*}



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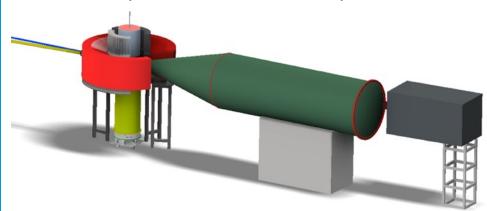


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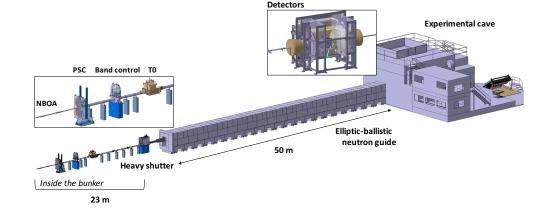


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Cold commissioning completed : Q1, 2025

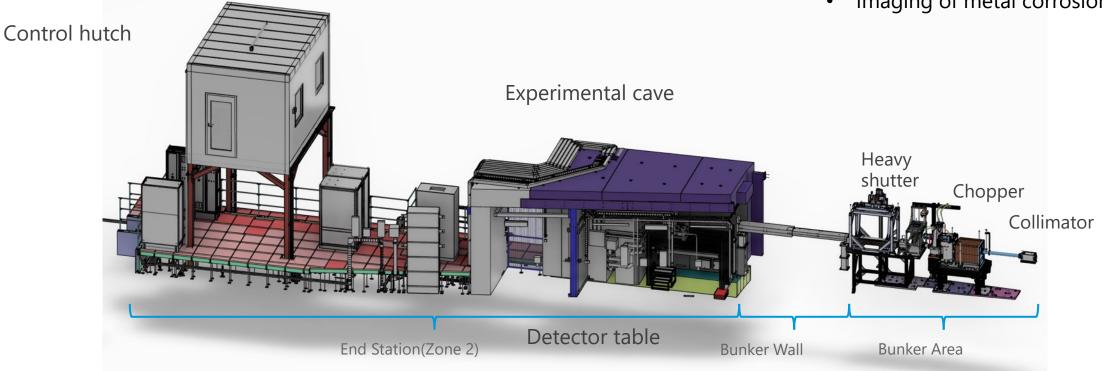
ESS Test Beamline

- Characterization of the ESS moderator • system
- Proton beam stability/Moderator ٠ stability
- Spatial distribution of neutron beam ٠
- Fast neutron flux measurements ٠
- Pulse-shape of cold-thermal neutrons ٠

- Detectors and data processing systems
- Sample (e.g. single crystal) alignment
- Simple imaging and diffraction experiments



- Low-resolution transmission • (e.g. parahydrogen)
- Operando hydrogen storage
- Imaging of metal corrosion ٠





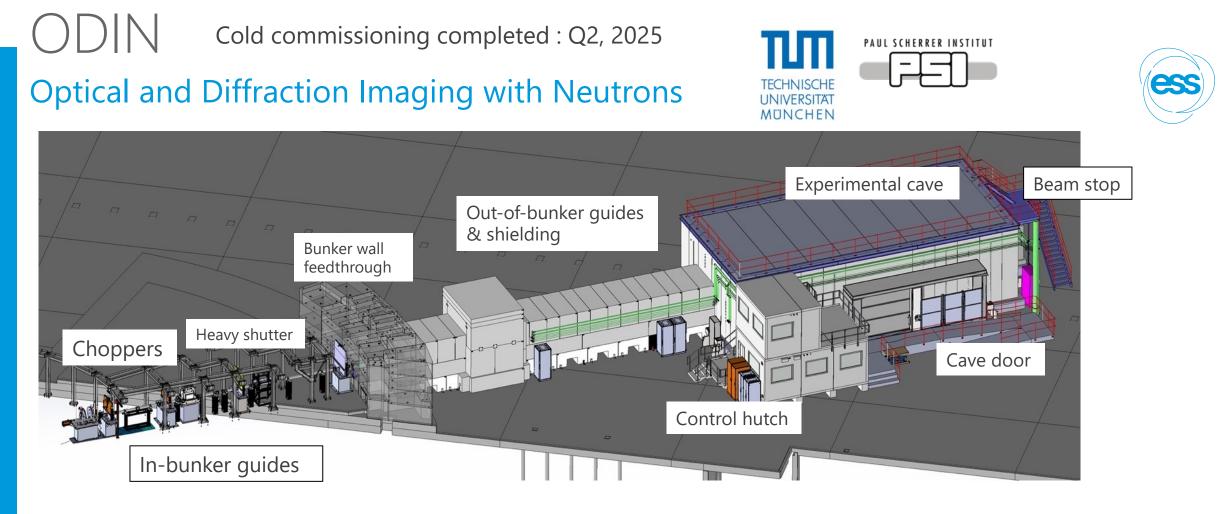
- Replacement of lead IS is ongoing
- Second IS position will be open
- IOE recruitment is ongoing
- In-bunker supports installed
- CEP infrastructure installed
- False floor installed
- All racks installed (except for Beam Monitor rack)
- Detector table installed
- All Sub-TG3s are completed

Issues

- IOE has resigned
- Limited resources (since Oct 1 mech. Eng. + 1 IS)
- Late in-house collimation system manufacturing
- All collimators are delayed until Dec. 2024
- Many parallel QG for in-bunker components
- ToF detector integration (also for ODIN)

Hutch





- Spatial resolutions down to the µm-range
- Tailored wavelength resolution
- Variety of imaging techniques, including x-rays (full scope)

Applications

- Engineering materials
- Geo- and planetary science
- Paleontology
- Cultural Heritage

- Energy materials
- In-operando fuel cells & batteries
- Magnetism
- Soft matter and biology

- IS is hired (Robin Woracek)
- Second IS is hired (Stefanos Athanasopoulos)
- IOE is hired (Richard Ammer)
- Internal & external doors installed
- Slits and fast shutter inside the cave installed
- Cave interior & sample stages are being installed
- Re-installation of choppers will be completed in January
- Installation readiness review (IRR) for PSS completed

Challenges

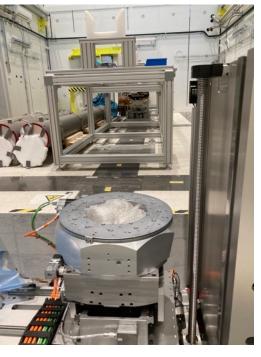
- Neutron guides & chopper system interfaces
- Beam stop misalignment
- Integration of ToF detector into ESS pipeline
- Data analysis is key for success of imaging
 - data reduction not yet implemented in scipp
 - data analysis resources are limited
- Lead engineer coming back to BEER this year

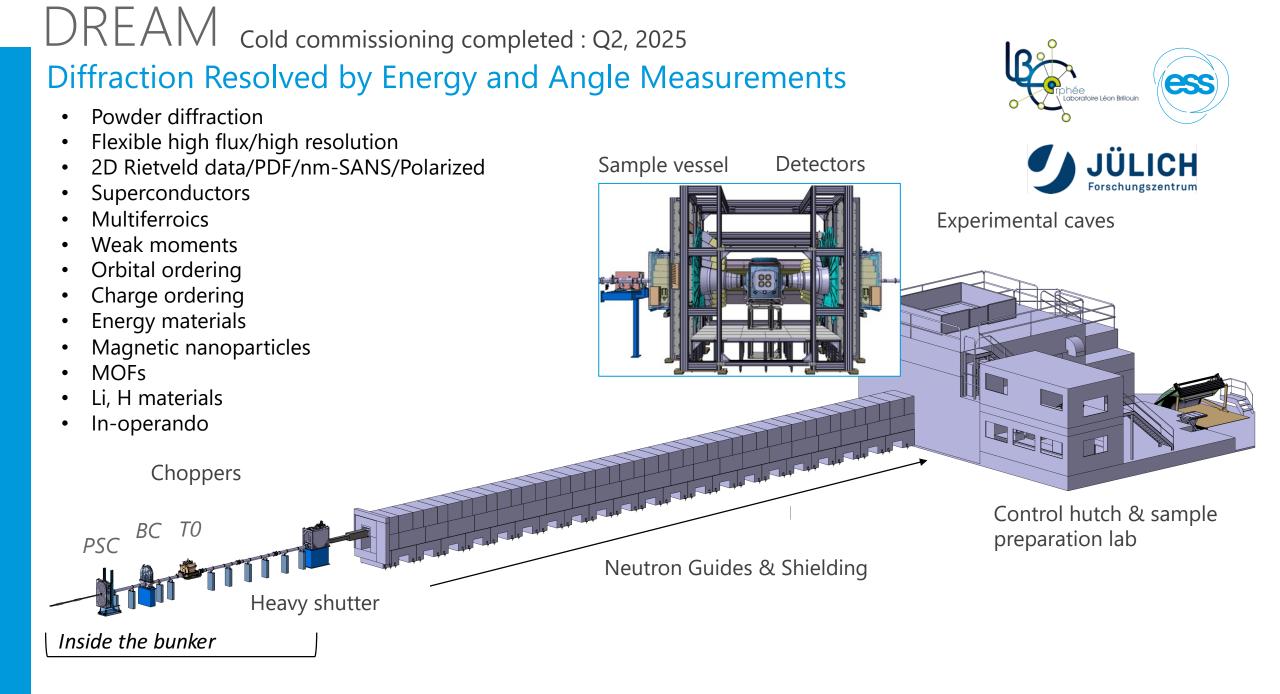




Sample stage







- New lead IS (Florence Porcher)
- Second IS recruitment is ongoing
- IOE recruitment is ongoing
- All choppers are delivered and installed (SAT tests in Nov 2024)
- CUP & CEP installations completed
- PSS & ICS installations ongoing
- Beam monitors tested with neutrons and delivered to ESS

Issues

- Cave energization
- Delay in mantle detector delivery
- Firmware re-installation for installed detectors
- Gas mixing solution for detection gas
- Problems with cryofurnace sample changer procurement







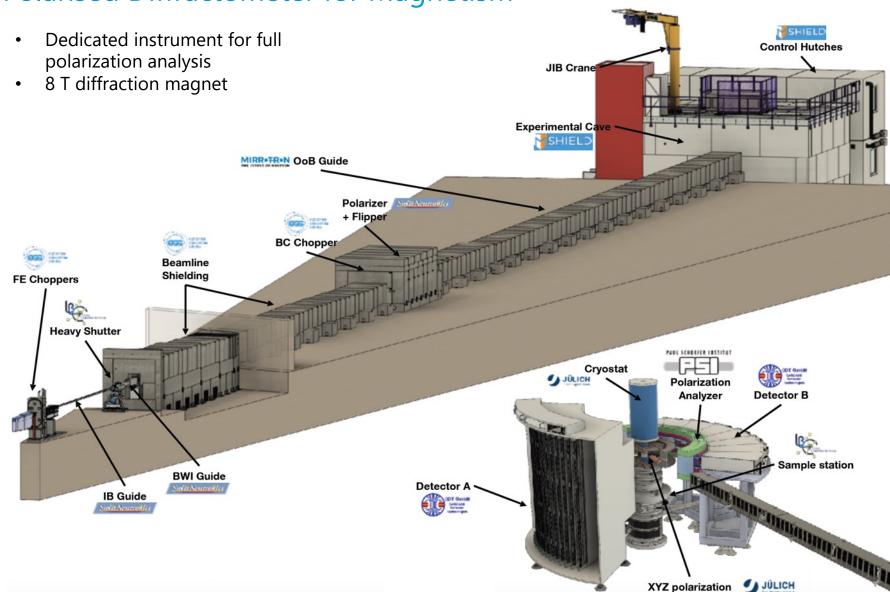


Motion racks



$MAGiC \ \ Cold \ commissioning \ completed: Q1, 2027$

Polarised Diffractometer for Magnetism





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- Local susceptibility and spin densities
- Exotic magnetic structure (long range, non-collinear, anisotropic Hamiltonian)
- Multifunctional materials
- Superconductivity
- Frustrated magnets and quantum spin liquids
- Magnetism in thin films and at interfaces

- New lead IS (Denis Vasiukov, Dec. 1st)
- New engineer started at ESS (Moritz Braun)
- Engineering support (Daniele Erbi)
- Cave & hutch installed
- Replanning is completed
- CEP/CUP requirements agreed
- New hub for PSC is manufactured
- Beam Monitors are successfully tested with neutrons (for MAGiC & DREAM)

Cave and control hutch

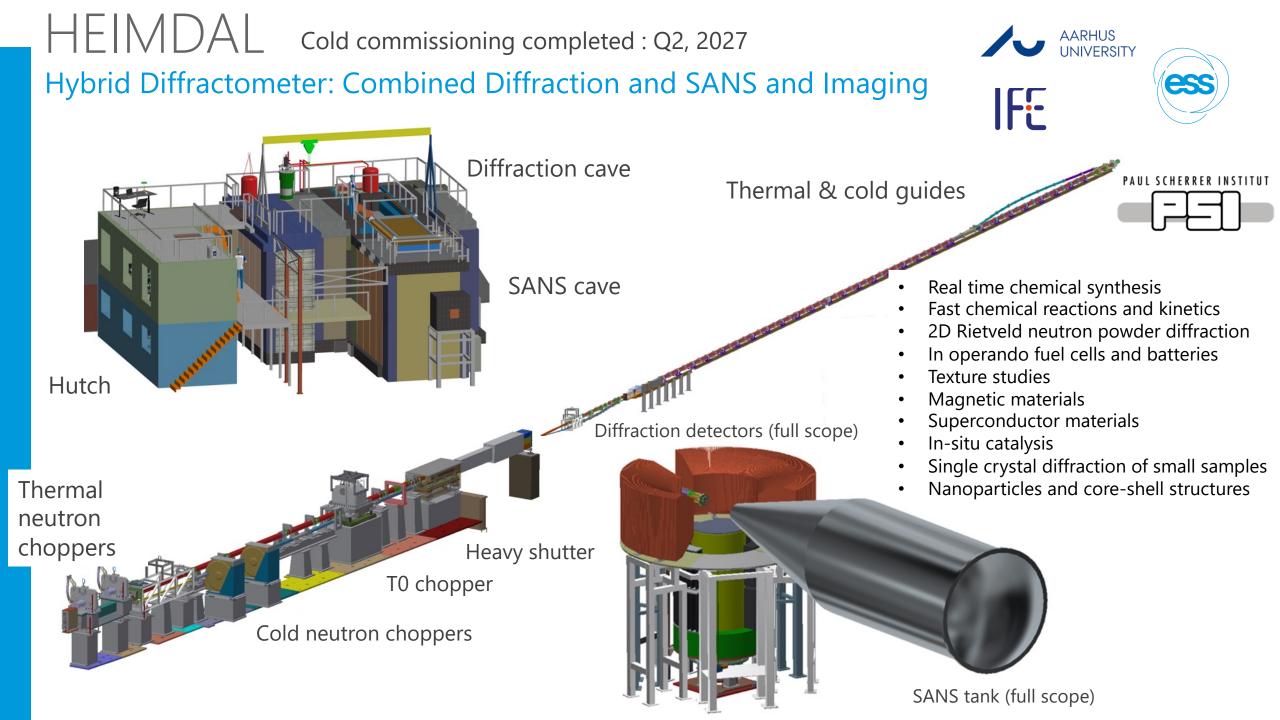


New PSC hub

Issues

- Solid state bender delivery delayed to Dec 2024 (long lead time for missing motor)
- Vacuum housing redesign to be agreed with quality at ESS



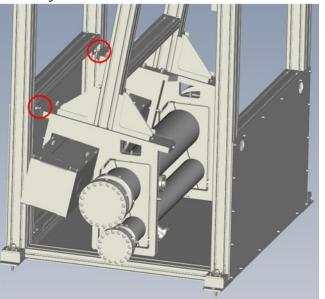


- New lead engineer at ESS (Siamak Kianzad)
- Technical writer to be provided by a partner
- Cave structure PDR in November 2024
- Detector procurement completed
- IDR of detector completed
- IDR of heavy shutter completed
- Replanning to be completed in Nov 2024
- New design of the cold guide accepted
- BWFI installed

Issues

- Still limited engineering resources
- Interfaces for final detector design have to be provided by partners and ESS
- Delay in SubTG3 of the detectors
- No offers yet from CUP, CEP, MCA, BM

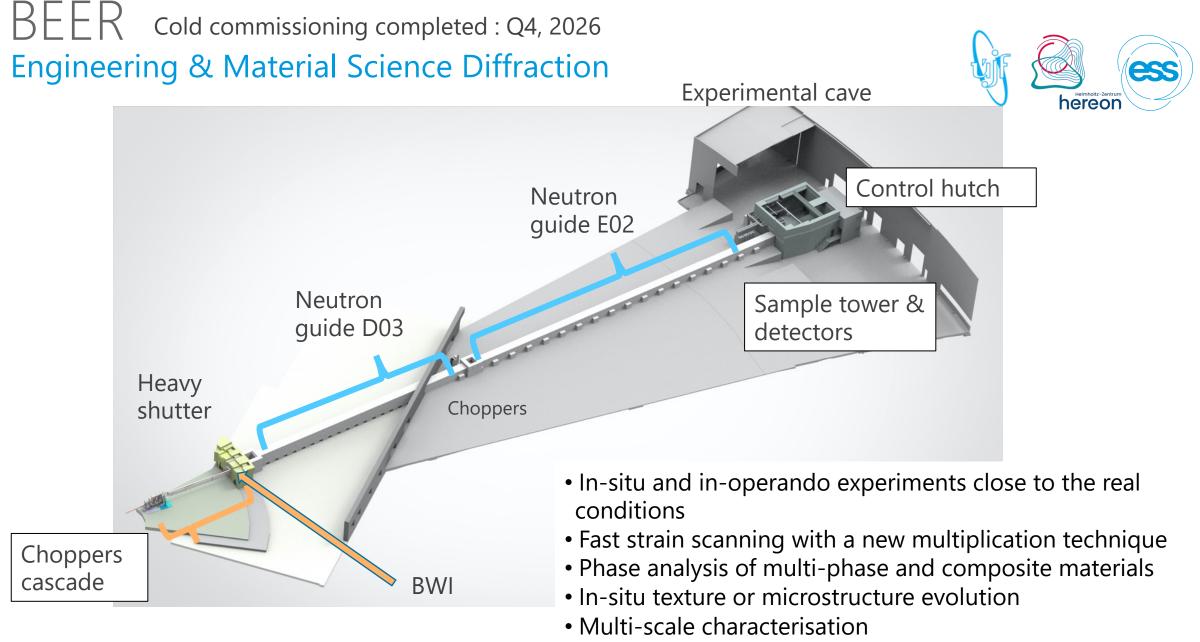
Heavy shutter



Bunker wall feedthrough insert is installed





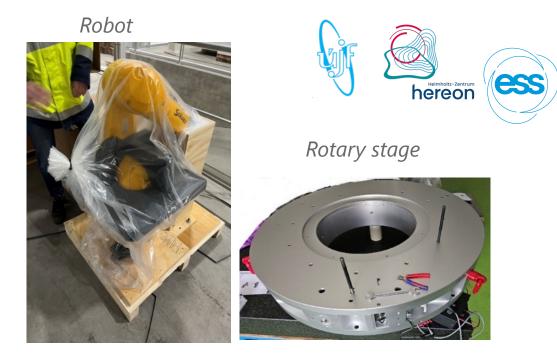


• Long term experiments

- Second IS recruitment will start soon
- SubTG3 for Robot/Hexapod/Stage completed
- Hexapod & Rotary Stage delivered to ESS
- 6-axis Robot Arm and BBG delivered to ESS
- Replanning completed
- BWI & Choppers in manufacturing
- Bi-spectral switch neutron tests completed
- Cave IDR completed
- CEP requirements are being finalized

Issues

- Temporary loss of the lead engineer
- Risk of delaying in-bunker installation due to limited resources
- Design of chopper section guides delayed due to lack of resources at supplier
- Not enough information from CUP
- Current PSS design interferes with user operation



Bridge beam guide (BBG)

Hexapod





Other updates



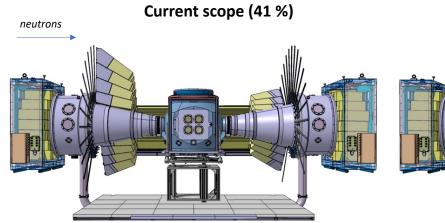
- Re-planning exercises provided more realistic end-of-completion dates
- Two division-relevant conferences in Lund (NEUWAVE-12, IUCr high pressure workshop)
- Visit to JPARC and interactions with tests and imaging beamlines
- Three instruments to be completed next year: practical and day-to-day challenges
- Regular meetings with NSS, DetG and SSD heads to address short-term challenges
- External funding proposals: more careful selection with SSD and DMSC
- Good experience in developing the DREAM first science paper with STAP (detailed science cases, planning of samples synthesis, preliminarily studies)

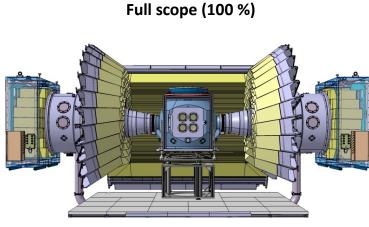


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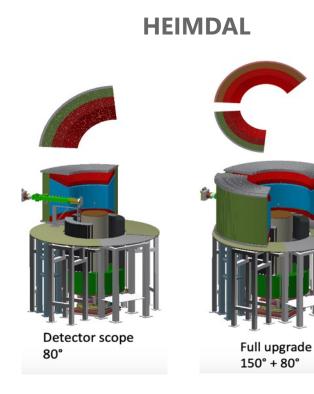
1. Complete detector coverage for diffraction suite

DREAM

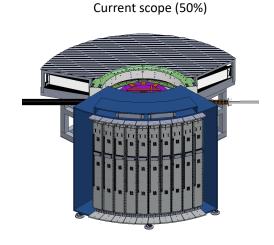




neutrons



MAGiC



Full scope (100%)

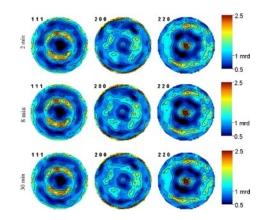
- To be competitive on day 1
- Low risk: same technology
- Experience with DREAM & MAGiC units
- Careful considerations of manufacturer resources

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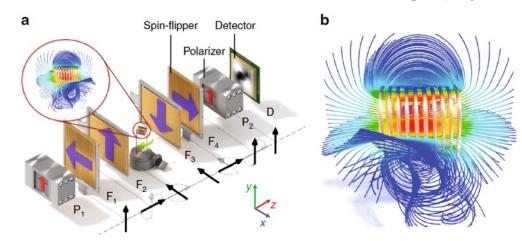
2. Recovering capabilities in engineering diffraction and imaging



BEER texture detectors & choppers

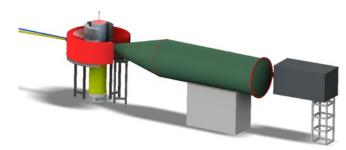


ODIN 3D Polarimetric Neutron Tomography



3. Recovering SANS options for HEIMDAL and BEER

HEIMDAL

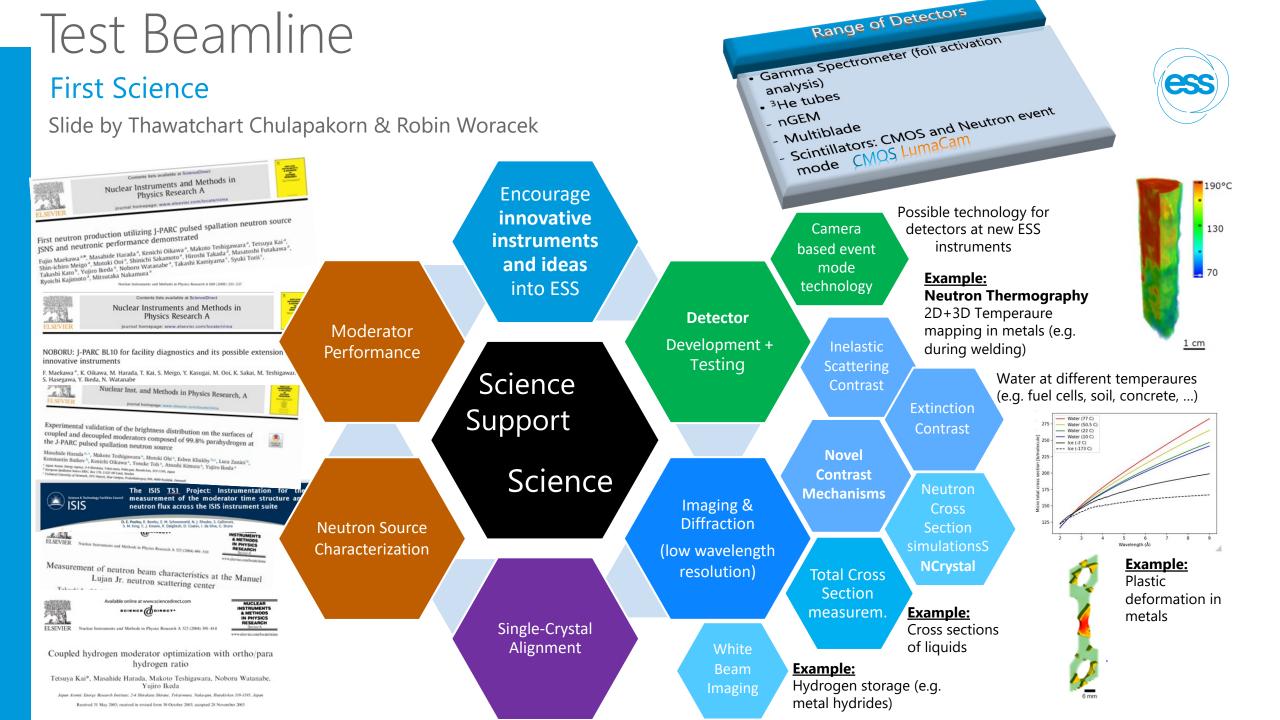




4. Remaining scope: MAGiC spectroscopy chopper, BEER SEE handling, HEIMDAL imaging option, ODIN: diffraction detectors, SEMSANS and high-resol. setups



First Science ideas for DREAM, ODIN and TBL

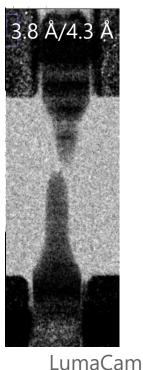


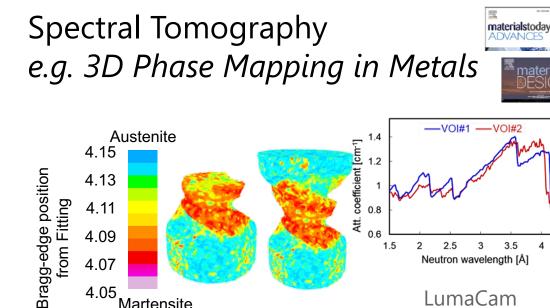
First Science

Slide Robin Woracek

In-situ tensile testing of AM materials:

Texture, Strain, Phase





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Martensite

state batteries

3D Lithium distribution

Lithium concentration

low

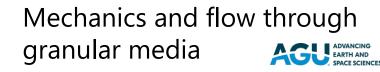
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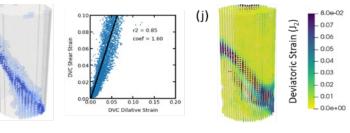
Anode

high

Solid-state electrolyte

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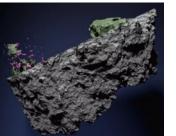












ScienceAdvances

X+N LumaCam CMOS



X + N

LumaCam

CMOS



Neutron wavelength [Å]

LumaCam

X + N

LumaCam CMOS

DREAM

First Science

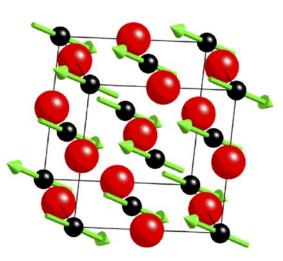
- Pulse-shaping (flux vs ΔQ resolution)
- The highest resolution in backscattering
- Pair-distribution function with $Q_{max} = 25A^{-1}$
- nm-SANS down to 0.01A⁻¹ + cold neutron polarization

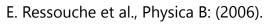
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Mix of new science and "classic diffraction" materials

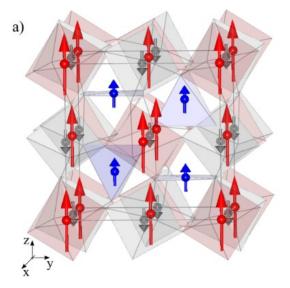
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Transition metal oxides NiO





Double-double perovskites CaCuFeReO₆



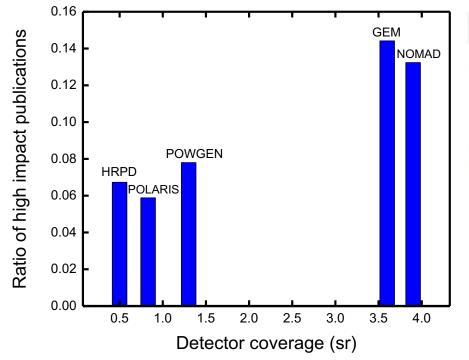


E. Solana-Madruga et al. Angew. Chem., 61 9497 (2022)

More detector coverage isn't about faster measurements; it's about enabling new science!



DOE high-impact journals list (2011-2016)



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Nuclear Instruments and Methods in Physics Research Section B: Beam

Aerodynamic levitator setup at NOMAD (SNS)

