

Overview ODIN – Status and Plans

STAP – April 2026

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AGENDA



Updates since last STAP

TG5 experience

Previous STAP report – Comment on suggested actions

Update x-ray setup

First Science Strategy

Summary

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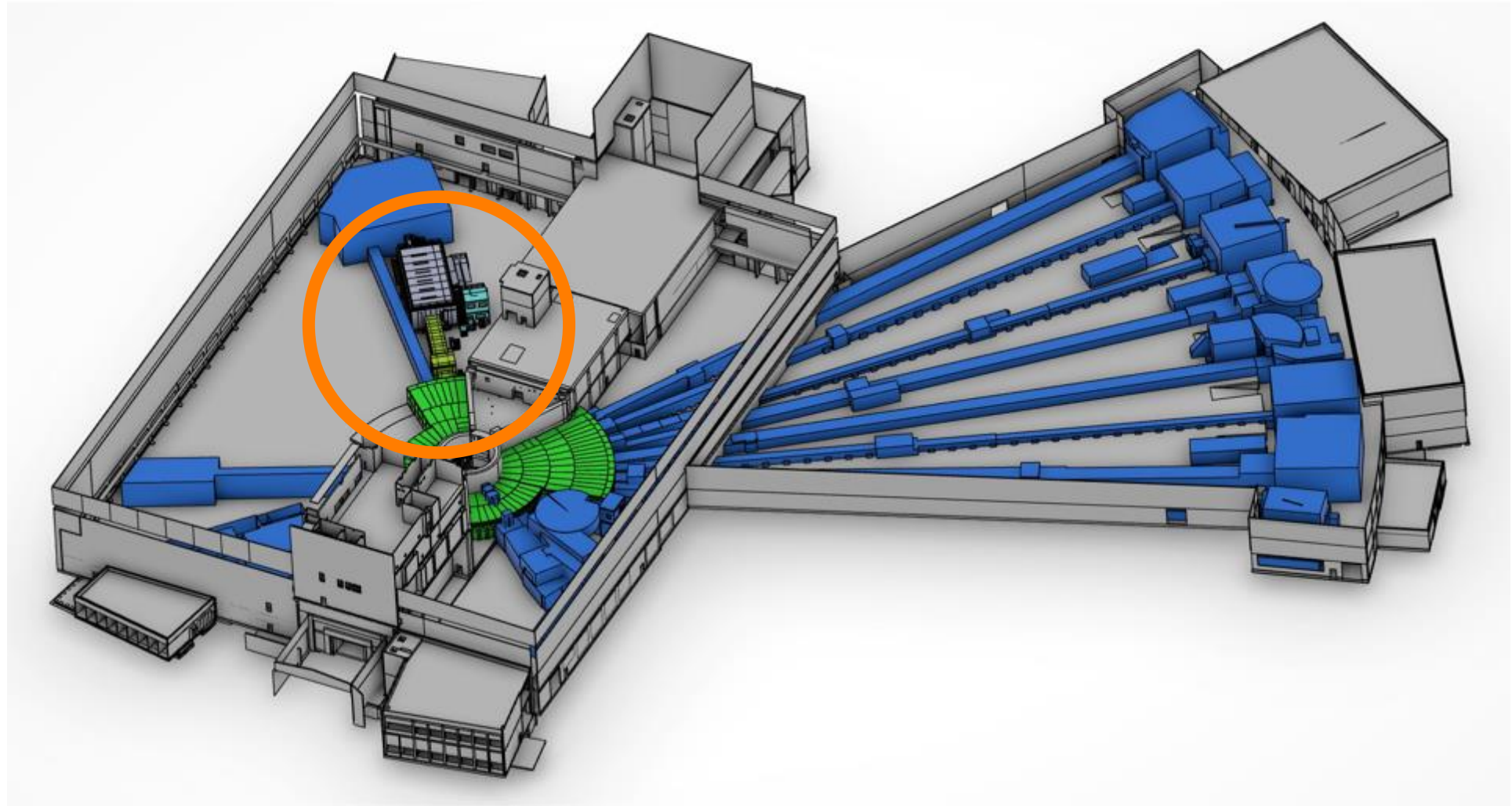
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ODIN

Location in Facility: S02 (South Sector)



ODIN

Status Update



Other components/activities:

- CUP (ESS): Installation complete
- CEP (ESS): Installation complete
- PSS (ESS): Installation complete
- Fire detectors and fire sprinklers: Installation complete

*Installed,
In installation/storage,
In manufacturing*

Choppers:

Disc choppers: Installed

T0 chopper:

bottom housing installed, upper part in manufacturing, expected March 2027

Common shielding:
Installed

Cave walls:
Installed

Cave interior components:
Installed
MCA SAT ongoing

Cave roof, beam stop ,stairs
and railing:
Installed

NBOA:
installed

Remote handling area
guides
BBG with BBGOA installed

In bunker guides: Installed

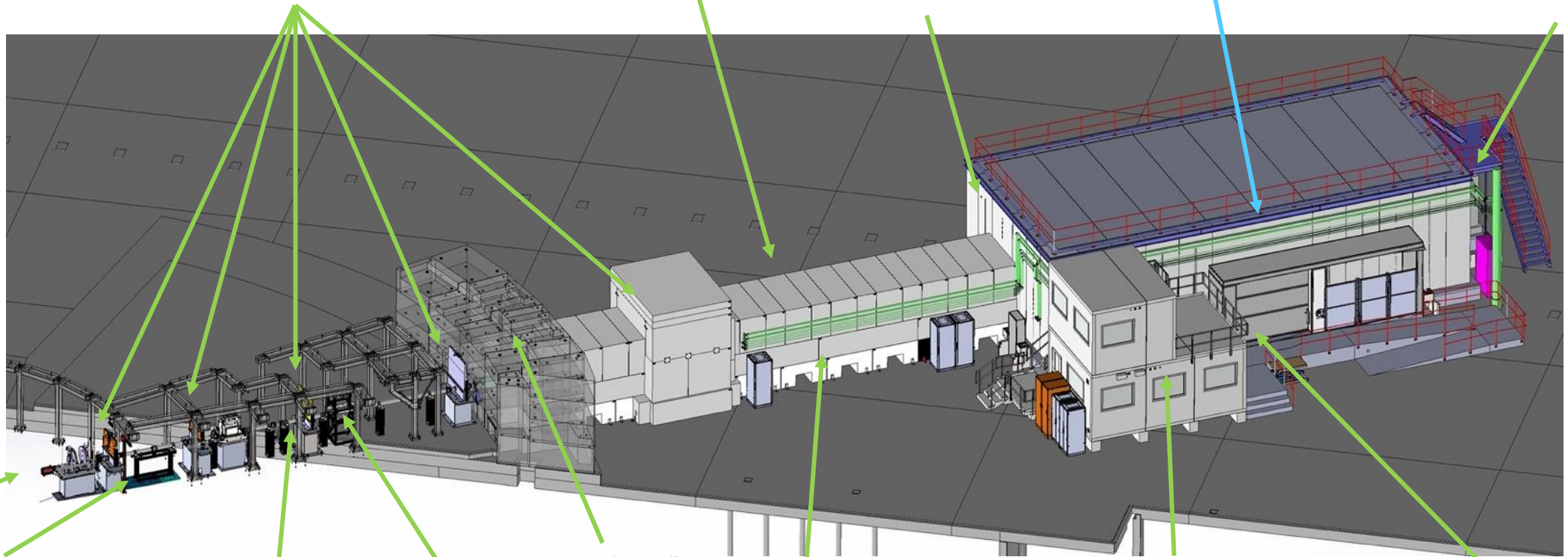
Heavy
shutter:
Installed

Bunker wall
feedthrough:
Installed

Out-of-bunker
guides Installed

Control hatch:
Installed

Cave internal door: Installed
External door: installed



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Status Update: SAR and ISRR

ODIN System Acceptance Review and Instrument Safety Readiness Review Meetings

 17 Dec 2025, 08:45 → 18 Dec 2025, 16:30 Europe/Stockholm

 ESS D01, Tycho-Brahe and LINXS

 Mikhail Feygenson (European Spallation Source ERIC)

Status Update: SAR and ISRR – Reminder about types of documentation

Green documents ODIN (docs from TG3 that have been reviewed and released as part of final TG3)

- Concept of Operations
- Requirements Specification
- Architecture description (e.g. P&ID)
- Design descriptions (as designed state)

Green: TG3 documents

Orange documents ODIN (docs that were in draft at TG3 that must be finalized for TG5)

- Operation and maintenance documents
- Verification & Validation Plan (includes Hot Commissioning Plan, RP survey plan)
- Risk assessment (IHA) (Radiological, Conventional, Motion, Equipment Protection)
- Radiation Safety Report (IHA + H1/H2 + Shielding Report + Inventory)

Orange: Operation and maintenance Manuals, Verification & Validation Plans

Red documents ODIN (documentation resulting from verification and validation (testing) activities)

- All Verification report/-s (or equivalent from FAT/SSAR/SAT/Local testing) for sub-systems (safety systems and supporting systems)
- All Validation report/-s (or equivalent from SSAR/SAT/Local testing) for sub-systems (safety systems and supporting systems)
- **Integrated System Verification Report (full instrument cold commissioned including controls)**
- CIDL – “As Verified” Baseline
- CE marking and/or Declaration of Conformity (need clarification from Quality on how this is issued)

Red: FAT & SAT documents, Integrated test reports

Status Update: SAR and ISRR – Reminder about types of documentation

organized and tracked in three Confluence pages with tables and FBS labels

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> > 2023_Instrument Monthly Progress Reports > 2022-2020_Instrument Monthly Progress Rep... > Instrument Monthly Progress Reports and Risk... > Integration topics > Issues, questions from partners > Monthly Instrument Update Meeting Minutes > NSS Infrastructure > Phase 2 and TG3 > Phase 3, TG4 and Phase 4 > IKON21 Programme Organizing Committee > IKON22 Programme Organizing Committee > IKON24 Programme Organizing Committee > IKON25 Programme Organizing Committee > Building permits-task force (hutches) > T2T3 replanning campaign Spring 2024 > Old, not maintained pages > Tollgate 5/System Acceptance Review, & Instr... > TG5 squad meeting notes > BIFROST: System Acceptance Review/Tollga... > DREAM TG5/SAR > LoKI TG5/SAR > NMX TG5/SAR ▼ ODIN TG5/SAR <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▼ TG5 documentation ODIN <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Green documents ODIN • Orange documents ODIN • Red documents ODIN • Action list- ODIN SAR documentation > Archived pages-ODIN documentation > ESS Test Beamline- SAR and I-SRR > Bunker TG5/SAR > ESTIA TG5/SAR > TG5 and PSS SIT Dates > TG5 squad Ad-hoc meeting notes > TG5 squad -Technical writers meeting notes > Shielding and Safety System SAR > NSS: System SAR 				<p>ESS-5090204. ODIN - Small sample stage metrology report</p> <p>ESS-5090194. ODIN - Large sample stage FAT.</p> <p>ESS-5090205. ODIN - Large sample stage metrology report</p> <p>ESS-5090195. ODIN - Ancillary stages FAT.</p> <p>ESS-5090203. ODIN - Ancillary stages metrology report</p> <p>ESS MCA DAT reports for sample manipulators</p> <p>ESS-5590716. DAT Report For ODIN Ancillary Stage: Rotary.</p> <p>ESS-5581819. DAT for ODIN Ancillary stages:Linear.</p> <p>ESS-5589842. DAT for ODIN Ancillary Stage: Goniometer.</p> <p>ESS-5118683. DAT of ODIN Large Sample Stage 1a.</p>	<p>ESS-5090204 CHESS RELEASED Rev. 1</p> <p>ESS-5090194. CHESS RELEASED Rev. 1</p> <p>ESS-5090205 CHESS RELEASED Rev. 1</p> <p>ESS-5090195 CHESS RELEASED Rev. 1</p> <p>ESS-5090203 CHESS RELEASED Rev. 1</p> <p>ESS-5590716 CHESS RELEASED Rev. 2</p> <p>ESS-5581819 CHESS RELEASED Rev 1</p> <p>ESS-5589842 CHESS RELEASED Rev 2</p> <p>ESS-5589842. CHESS RELEASED Rev. 2</p> <p>ESS-5118683. CHESS RELEASED Rev 1</p>	<p>MCC1) listed below</p> <p>ESS-5688779 (ODIN Safety shutter Local test 2)</p> <p>Included in ESS-5768834 (MCA Local Testing (SAT1) Plan for ODIN MCC5) listed below</p> <p>ESS-5841787. ODIN Optical bench - SAM work request. Review</p> <p>ESS-4812810. Site Acceptance Test of ODIN Control Hutch and Sample preparation & storage area. Released</p> <p>ESS-5510167. Electrical inspection ib1054. Released</p> <p>ESS-5572438. Electrical inspection ODIN Hutch Distribution Board. Released</p>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▼ ODIN TG5/SAR <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▼ TG5 documentation ODIN <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Green documents ODIN • Orange documents ODIN • Red documents ODIN • Action list- ODIN SAR documentation > Archived pages-ODIN documentation 	2	=ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.A02.W02	Support & Rail System	Positioning System	To be checked with Axilon	under prep	ESS-5841787. ODIN Optical bench - SAM work request. Review
	1	=ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.A04	Support Systems	Infrastructure System	NA	NA	NA
	2	=ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.A04.A01	Control Hutch	Control Hutch	<p>ESS-5840239. ODIN - Precast Concrete FAT.</p> <p>ESS-5840240. ODIN - Steel FAT</p>	<p>ESS-5840239 CHESS RELEASED Rev. 1</p> <p>ESS-5840240 CHESS RELEASED Rev. 1</p>	<p>ESS-4812810. Site Acceptance Test of ODIN Control Hutch and Sample preparation & storage area. Released</p> <p>ESS-5510167. Electrical inspection ib1054. Released</p> <p>ESS-5572438. Electrical inspection ODIN Hutch Distribution Board. Released</p>

Example: part of red documents table...

Status Update: SAR and ISRR



ODIN TOTAL DOCUMENTATION				
CHESS RELEASED	CHESS REVIEW	CHESS PRELIMINARY	UNDER PREPARATION	TOTAL
168	1	4	0	173



STATUS AS ON 09 DEC 2025

ODIN GREEN DOCUMENTATION (SDD)				
CHESS RELEASED	CHESS REVIEW	CHESS PRELIMINARY	UNDER PREPARATION	TOTAL
16	0	0	0	16

ODIN ORANGE DOCUMENTATION				
CHESS RELEASED	CHESS REVIEW	CHESS PRELIMINARY	UNDER PREPARATION	TOTAL
41	0	2	0	43

ODIN RED DOCUMENTATION				
CHESS RELEASED	CHESS REVIEW	CHESS PRELIMINARY	UNDER PREPARATION	TOTAL
111	1	2	0	114

ORANGE DOCUMENTATION(HAZ +RADSAF)				
CHESS RELEASED	CHESS REVIEW	CHESS PRELIMINARY	UNDER PREPARATION	TOTAL
6	0	1	0	7

ORANGE DOCUMENTATION(O&M manuals)				
CHESS RELEASED	CHESS REVIEW	CHESS PRELIMINARY	UNDER PREPARATION	TOTAL
27	0	1	0	28

ORANGE DOCUMENTATION(V&V plans)				
CHESS RELEASED	CHESS REVIEW	CHESS PRELIMINARY	UNDER PREPARATION	TOTAL
8	0	0	0	8

RED DOCUMENTATION (FAT reports)				
CHESS RELEASED	CHESS REVIEW	CHESS PRELIMINARY	UNDER PREPARATION	TOTAL
61	0	0	0	61

RED DOCUMENTATION (SAT reports)				
CHESS RELEASED	CHESS REVIEW	CHESS PRELIMINARY	UNDER PREPARATION	TOTAL
43	0	2	0	45

RED DOCUMENTATION (INTEGRATED test reports)				
CHESS RELEASED	CHESS REVIEW	CHESS PRELIMINARY	UNDER PREPARATION	TOTAL
7	1	0	0	8

Status Update: SAR

WEDNESDAY 17 DECEMBER		
08:45 → 11:30	ODIN Site Visit and Safety Systems Demonstration to the Review Committee	D01
08:45	Transfer to ODIN	15m
	Meet at Iceberg, B01 in PPE (high-vi vest). Speaker: Review Committee	
09:00	Presentation of Installed Components, Including Safety Systems	1h
	Speaker: Robin Woracek (European Spallation Source ERIC)	
10:00	Operation Procedures: PSS and Motion Safety Demonstration	30m
	Speaker: Richard Ammer (European Spallation Source ERIC)	
10:30	Operation Procedures: Team Installing Sample, Closes Cave, Remove Activated Sample	1h
	Speaker: ODIN Team	
12:44 → 12:45	ODIN System Acceptance Review Meeting	1m Tycho-Brahe
12:45 → 13:00	CLOSED SESSION for Review Committee / Presentation of charge	15m Tycho-Brahe
13:00 → 13:05	Welcome / Meeting Rules	5m Tycho-Brahe
	Speaker: Mikhail Feygenson (European Spallation Source ERIC) SAR_ISR_intro_r...	
13:05 → 13:25	Scientific Overview of Instrument - High Level Requirements	20m Tycho-Brahe
	Speaker: Robin Woracek (European Spallation Source ERIC) ODIN-TG5_01_Sci...	
13:25 → 14:05	Instrument Components Overview	40m Tycho-Brahe
	Including deferred scope Speaker: Aureliano Tartaglione (TUM) ODIN-TG5_02_Ins...	
14:05 → 14:10	CIDL and Interfaces / FBS	5m Tycho-Brahe
	Speakers: Joakim Meyer (European Spallation Source ERIC), & Team ODIN SAR_CIDL-J...	
14:10 → 14:30	NIT / NCR Status	20m Tycho-Brahe
	Speaker: Robin Woracek (European Spallation Source ERIC) ODIN-TG5_04_NIT...	
14:30 → 14:45	COFFEE BREAK	15m

14:30 → 14:45	COFFEE BREAK	15m
14:45 → 14:55	Choppers	10m Tycho-Brahe
	Speaker: Nikolaos Tsapatsaris (European Spallation Source ERIC) SAR_ODIN_Chopp...	
14:55 → 15:05	Motion Control and Automatization	10m Tycho-Brahe
	Speaker: Thomas Gahl (European Spallation Source ERIC) MCA-SAR-ODIN-T...	
15:05 → 15:20	Detectors & Beam Monitors	15m Tycho-Brahe
	Speakers: Robin Woracek (European Spallation Source ERIC), Ioannis Katsioulas (European Spallation Source ERIC) ODIN-TG5_07_Det... sar_odin_monitor...	
15:20 → 15:25	ICS	5m
	Speaker: Johan Christensson (European Spallation Source ERIC) SAR ODIN ICS-IT...	
15:25 → 15:35	ECDC	10m Tycho-Brahe
	Speaker: George Nicolas Kontogiorgos (European Spallation Source ERIC) SAR presentation ...	
15:35 → 15:45	DMSC: Data Visualization / Reduction Software	10m Tycho-Brahe
	Speaker: Søren Schmidt (European Spallation Source ERIC) ODIN-TG5_DMSC...	
15:45 → 16:05	Integrated Test Results	20m Tycho-Brahe
	Speaker: Robin Woracek (European Spallation Source ERIC) ODIN-TG5_11_Int...	
16:05 → 16:35	Scientific Hot Commissioning Plan	30m Tycho-Brahe
	Overview Speaker: Robin Woracek (European Spallation Source ERIC) ODIN-TG5_12_Ho...	
16:35 → 17:30	CLOSED SESSION: Finalize the SAR Part of the Report	55m Tycho-Brahe
	Speaker: Review Committee	

TG5/SAR Meeting

ODIN: Scientific Overview of Instrument – High Level Requirements

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Calzada
+ support groups

High Level Requirements

2.2. Top-level requirements for ODIN

Corresponding to 2.1.1 above, the top-level requirements for the **basic scope** are¹:

- 1) ODIN shall be capable of a direct spatial resolution down to 10 μm (3D).
- 2) ODIN shall allow for time resolutions below 70 ms in kinetic measurements, with a spatial resolution down to 50 μm .
- 3) ODIN shall allow time resolutions of the order of 1 μs in quasi-stroboscopic mode, with a spatial resolution down to 55 μm .
- 4) ODIN shall allow measurements of sample areas of up to 20 \times 20 cm_2 at once.
- 5) ODIN shall allow the detection of contrast equivalent to 10 ppm H_2 in steel, with a spatial resolution down 100 μm .
- 6) ODIN shall be able to detect relative lattice distortions of the order of 10^{-5} .
- 7) ODIN shall be capable of visualising crystalline phases with a 3D resolution of at least 100 μm .
- 8) ODIN shall be able to observe structural phase transitions with a 2D resolution down to 300 μm with a time resolution of 10 s of seconds.
- 9) ODIN shall be able to observe grains and their orientations with a 3D resolution of at least 100 μm .
- 10) The System's design shall provide the space and flexibility necessary to host and drive future developments in the Neutron Imaging field, including the potential upgrade with diffraction detectors.
- 11) ODIN should serve the user and science community without interruptions during source operation; all components' service-cycles should be adaptable to the ESS maintenance cycle.

System Requirement Specification (ESS-0129650)

2.2.1 Beam Transport and Conditioning System (BTCS)– PBS 13.6.5.1

Id	Text	Trace up to
25	<p>High ToF Resolution Imaging (HtoFR, <1% wavelength resolution) – Maximum Field of View</p> <p>The BTCS shall allow HtoFR imaging using a maximum field of view of at least 5x5 cm² with high spatial resolution or using the full range of sizes of FOV with a spatial resolution relaxed to the mm range.</p>	<p>ConOps</p> <p>2.1.: II</p> <p>2.2.: 6,9</p> <p>3.2. & 3.4.9</p>
26	<p>High ToF Resolution Imaging (HtoFR, <1% wavelength resolution) – Bandwidth, shortest wavelength</p> <p>The BTCS shall allow HtoFR Imaging shall be possible using the natural bandwidth starting between 1 Å and 3 Å.</p>	<p>ConOps</p> <p>2.1.: II</p> <p>2.2.: 6,9</p> <p>3.2. & 3.4.5</p>
27	<p>High ToF Resolution Imaging (HtoFR, <1% wavelength resolution) – Spatial Resolution</p> <p>The BTCS shall allow HtoFR Imaging with spatial resolution at least 100µm on a limited field of view (approximately 5x5 cm²).</p>	<p>ConOps</p> <p>2.1.: II</p> <p>2.2.: 6,9</p> <p>3.2. & 3.4.9</p>
28	<p>Beam Monitoring</p> <p>The BTCS shall allow for monitoring the beam flux with a wavelength resolution of <0.3% at 9, 33 and 50 m downstream the moderator under any operation condition.</p>	<p>ConOps</p> <p>2.1.: I, II</p> <p>2.2.: 2,3,5,8, 10,11</p> <p>3.2.</p>
29	<p>Background</p> <p>The fast neutron and gamma background shall not exceed signal to background values in the white beam mode and shall not exceed a 1% level in any time channel for the best HtoFR with an MCP detector from UC Berkeley. The latter can be relaxed if reliable background correction is possible. Background level refers to measured background assuming current state of the art detectors.</p>	<p>ConOps</p> <p>2.1.: I, II</p> <p>2.2.: 2,3,5,6, 8-10</p> <p>3.4.3.</p> <p>5.3.3</p>

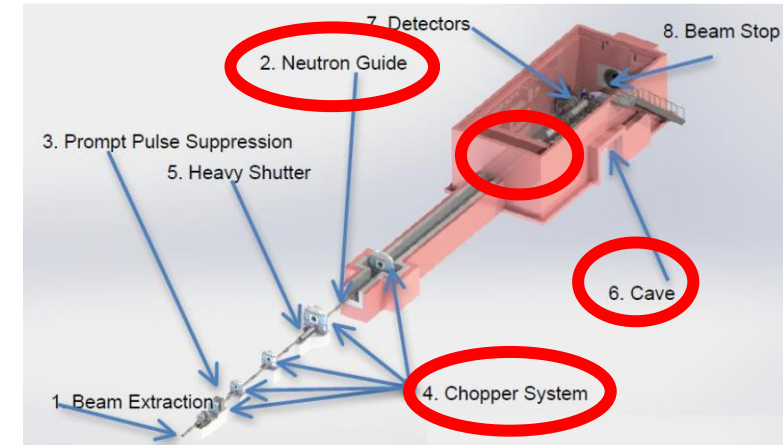


Figure 2 - ODIN conceptual layout

+ Cave Interior

System Requirement Specification (ESS-0129650)

2.3 Constraint Requirements

2.3.1 Operational constraint requirements

Id	Text	Trace up to
84	Operation Mode Changes – Mode Redundancy Maintenance or failure issues of one mode shall have a minimum impact on other modes (That choppers are removable or can be set to an open position is more important than repair and maintenance times that still should be kept to a minimum).	ConOps 5.3.3 6.1.2
85	Operation mode changes – BTSC access, configuration time No configuration mode change requiring access in the area downstream the pinhole shall take longer than 8 hours (including alignment).	ConOps 3.& 5.
86	BTCS Ergonomics The beam and BTCS components downstream of the pinhole shall be accessible at a comfortable height. (125±10 cm)	ConOps 3.& 5.
87	Detector exchange – As the SCS shall include a number of detectors, any change of detector configuration and system shall be a smooth standard operation carried out within 15 min (not including hot alignment, i.e. requiring beam).	ConOps 3.& 5.

Ok for 'ODIN standard detectors', not for others however: ESS systems are inherently not designed for the flexibility typically required at imaging beamlines at operating facilities



SAR Meeting

Instrument Components Overview

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17 December 2025



Support system

ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.A04

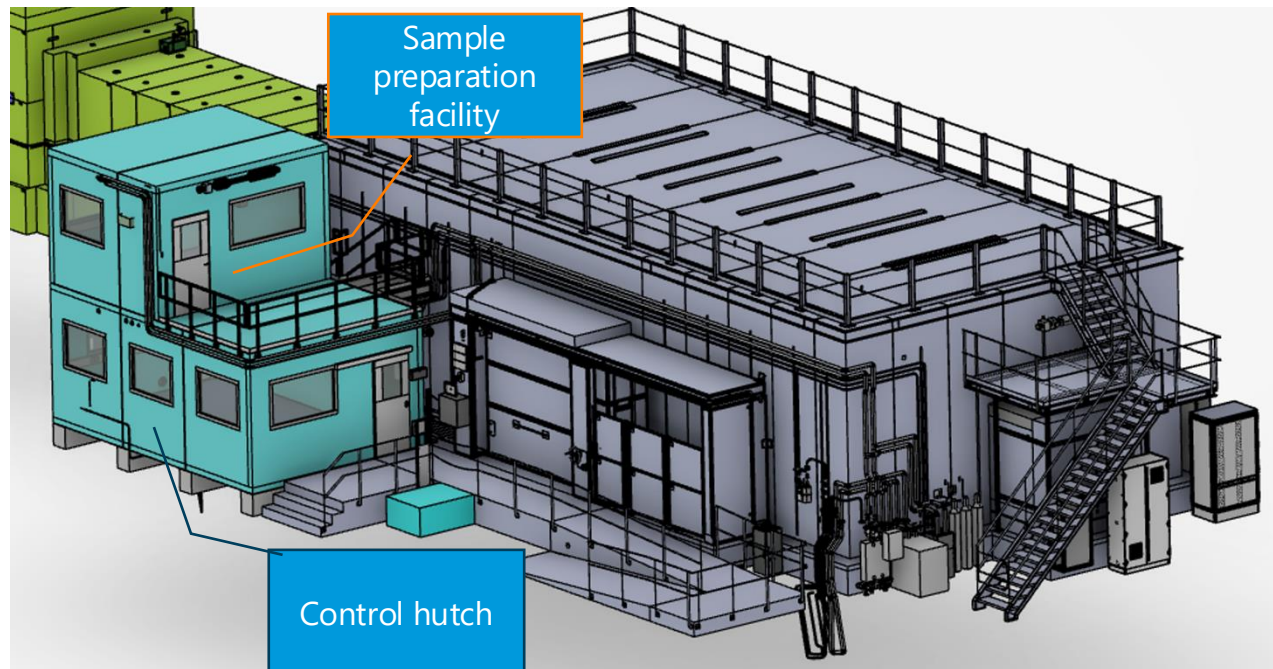
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=ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.A04.A01 Control Hutch

=ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.A04.A02 Sample Preparation Facility

=ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.A04.F01 Fire Protection



Scattering Characterization system

EXAMPLE



ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.B01 (Neutron Detector System)

=ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.B01.B01.B01 TimePix3 Camera

=ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.B01.B01.B02 Orca Flash v3 CMOS Camera

=ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.B01.B01.B02 Large Camera Box

=ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.B01.B01.B01.W01: Small Camera Positioning System

=ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.B01.B01.B02 Large Camera Box

=ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.B01.B01.B02.W01: Large Camera Positioning System



Instrument Automation Control system

ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.K01 (Motion Control System)

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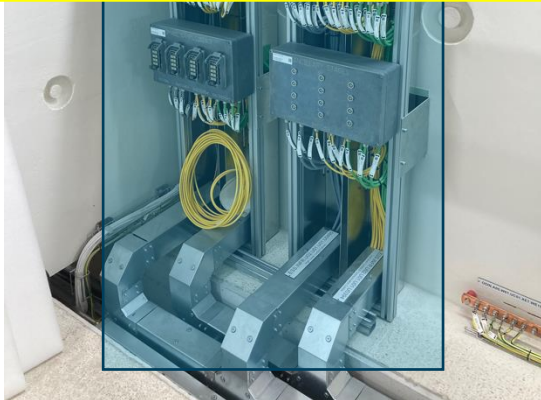


=ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.K01.U01 Frame for Connection Boxes

=ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.K01.K03 ODIN Motion Control 3 (Spare)

=ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.K01.K04 ODIN Motion Control 4 (Beam Limiter and Camera Boxes)

=ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.K01.K05 ODIN Motion Control 5 (Sample Stages)

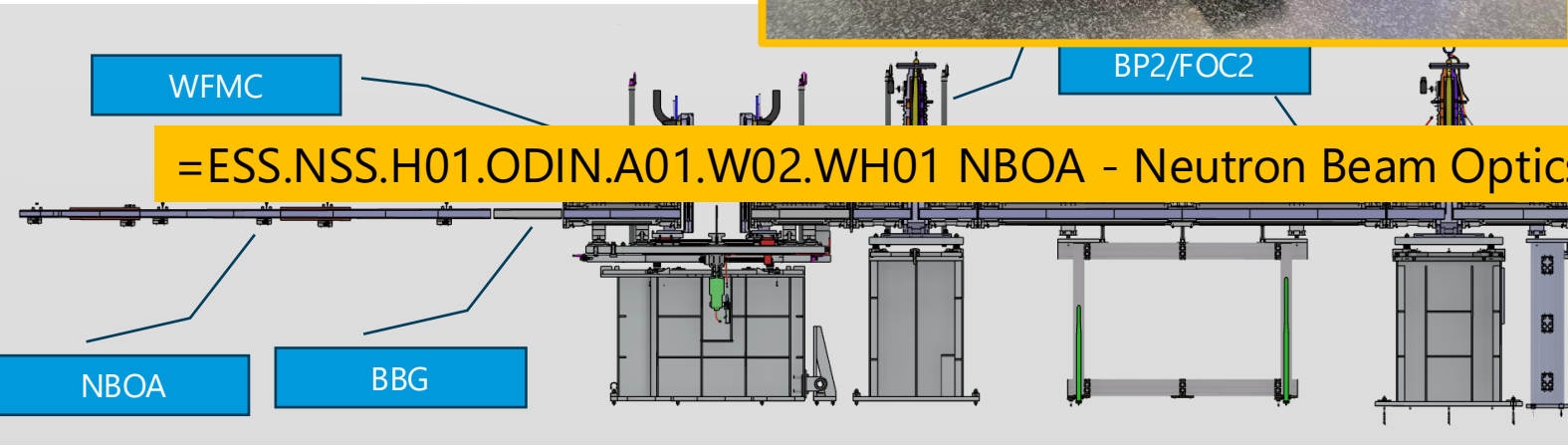
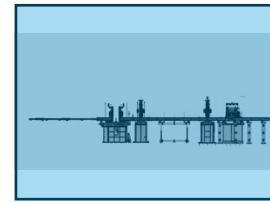


Beam transport and Conditioning ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.A01

EXAMPLE



=ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.A01.W01 Beam Delivery System



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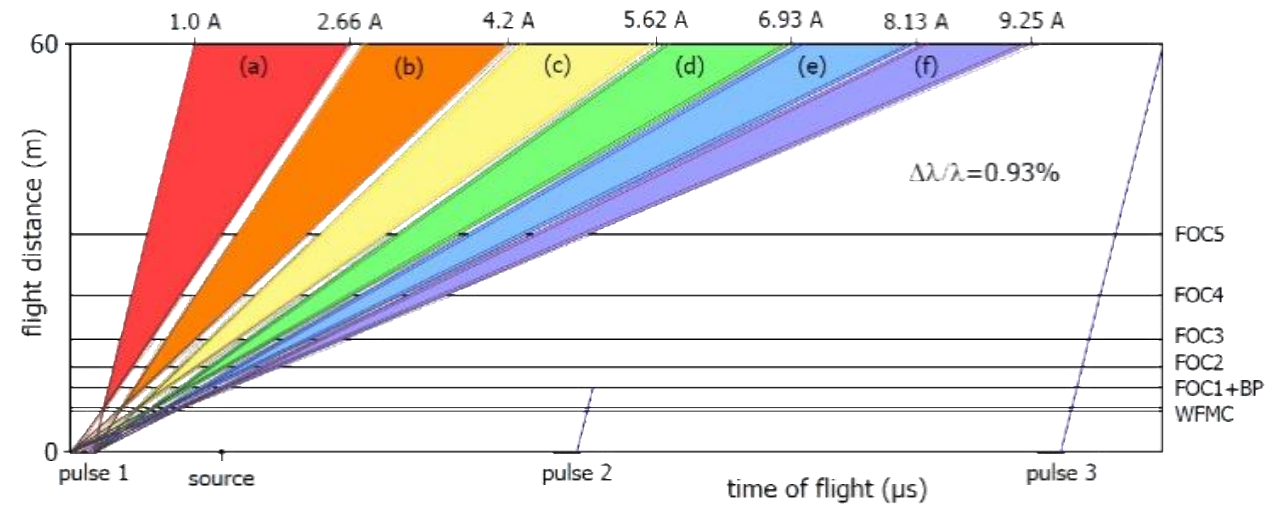
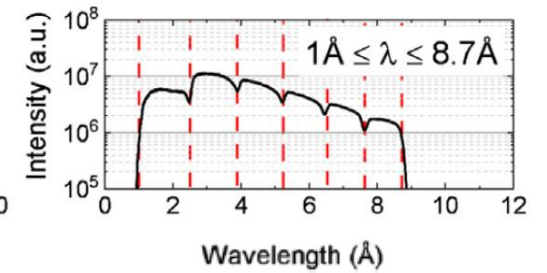
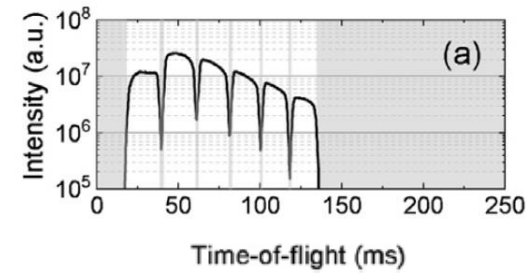
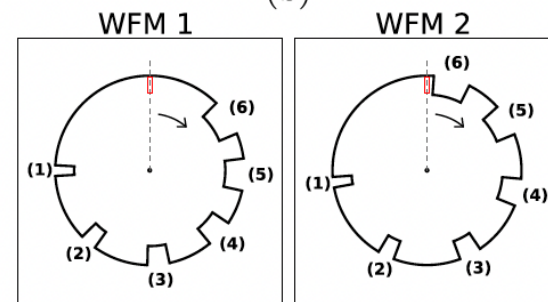
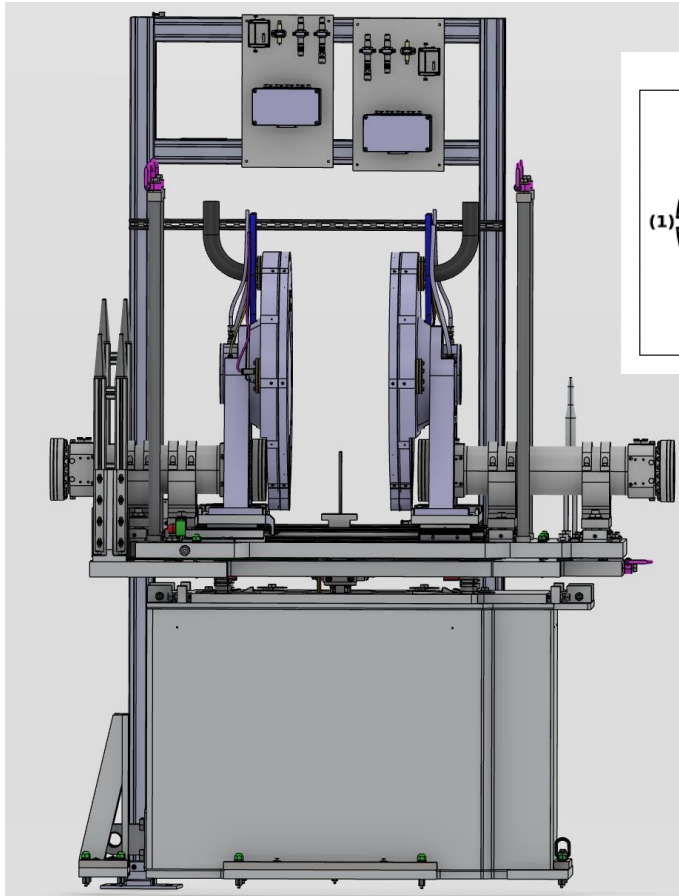
Beam transport and Conditioning

ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.A01

EXAMPLE



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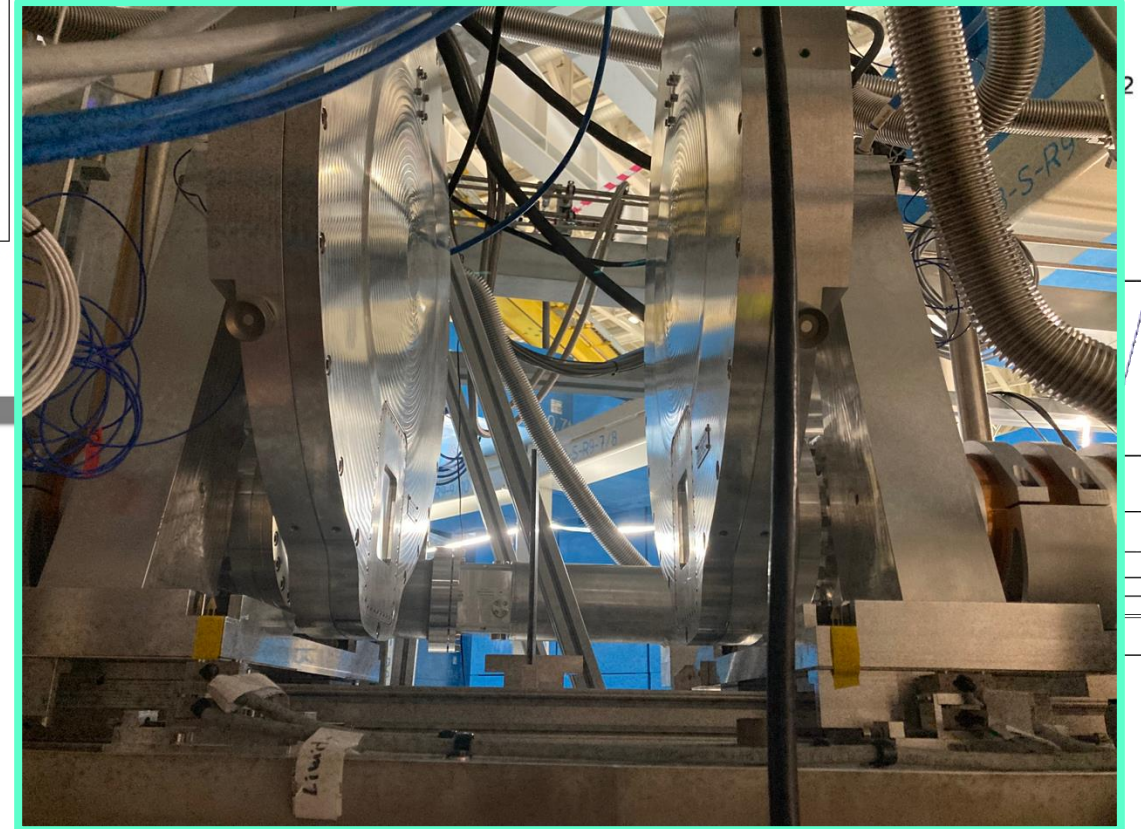
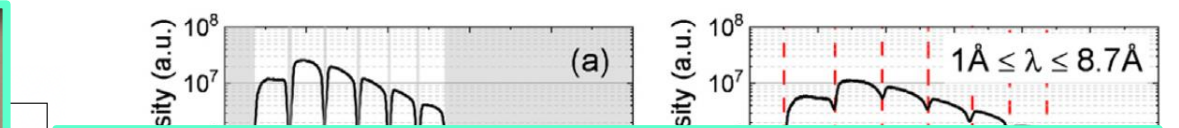
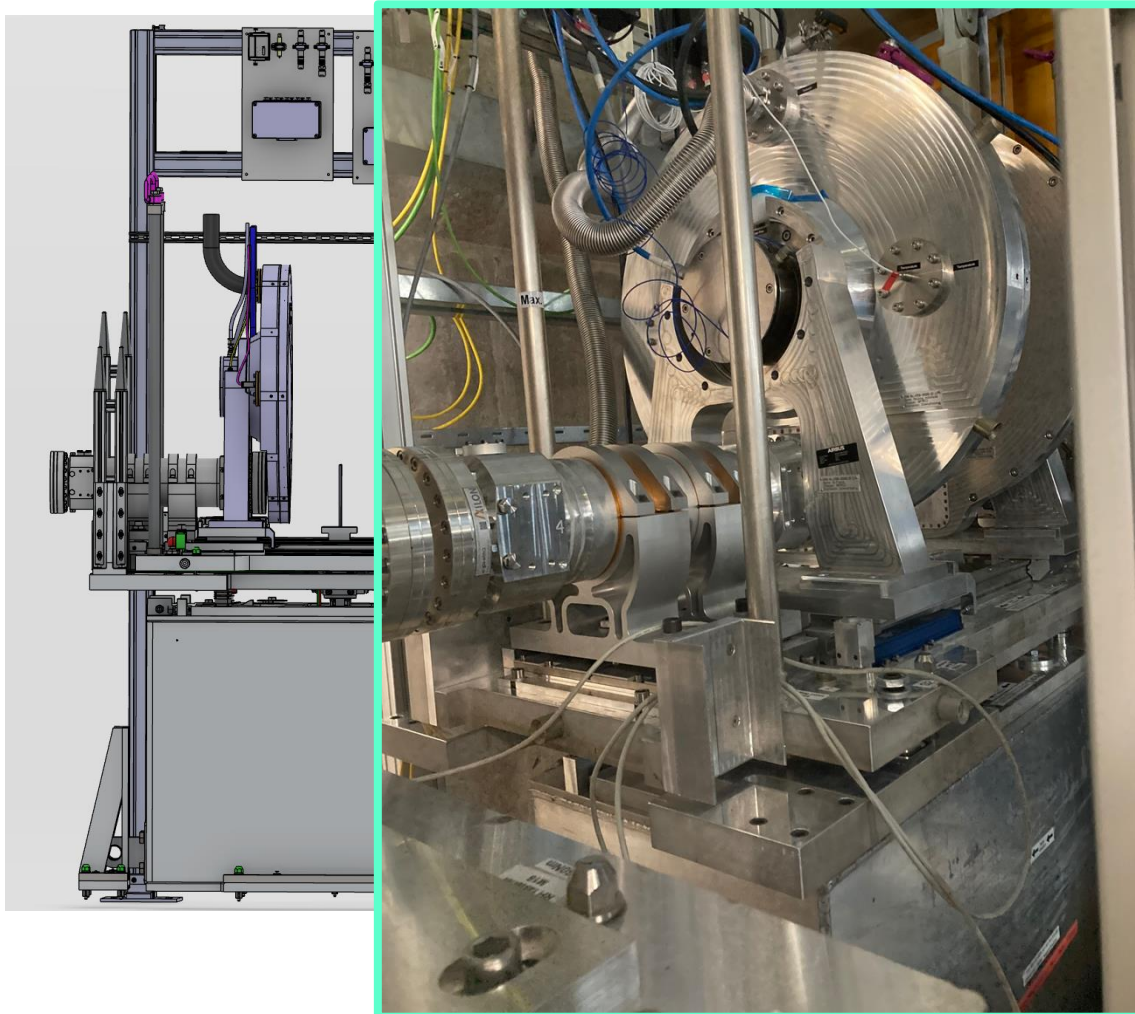
Beam transport and Conditioning

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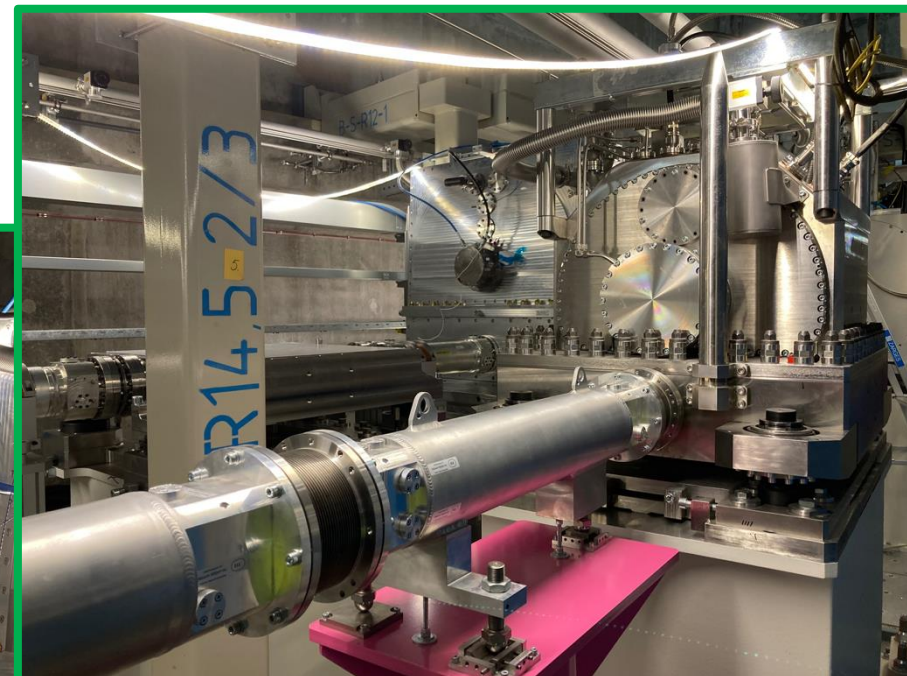
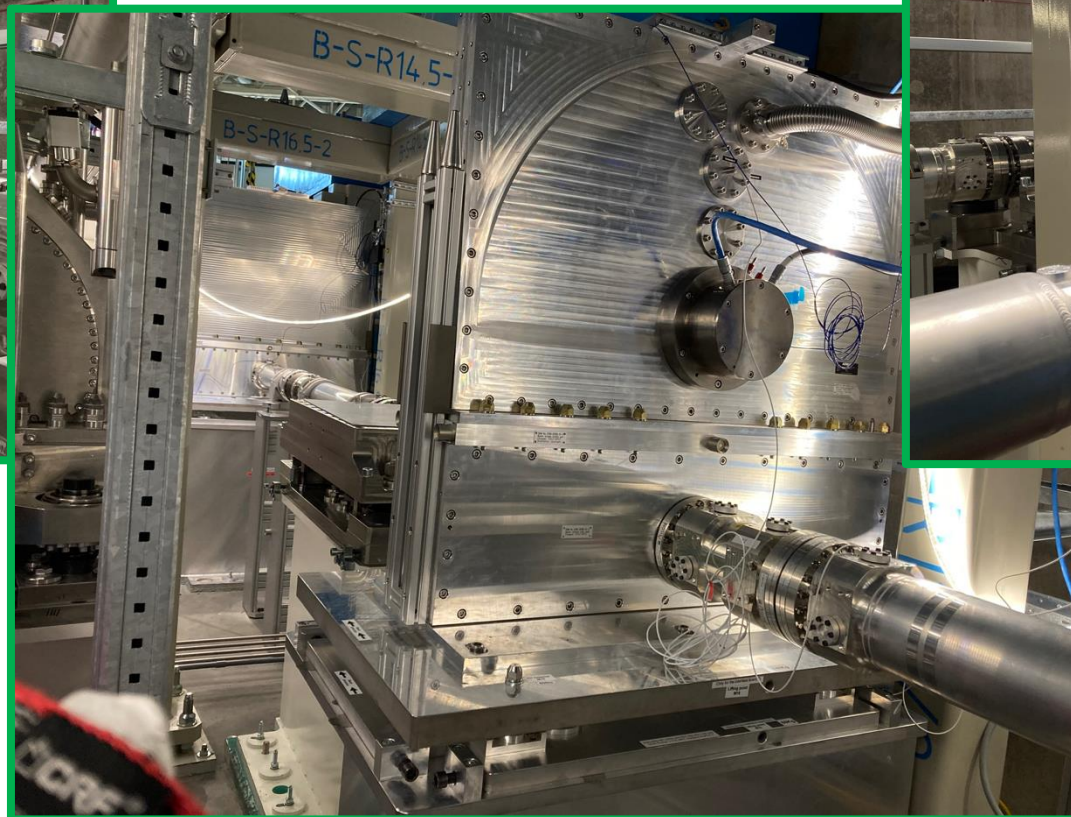
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ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.A01

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EXAMPLE

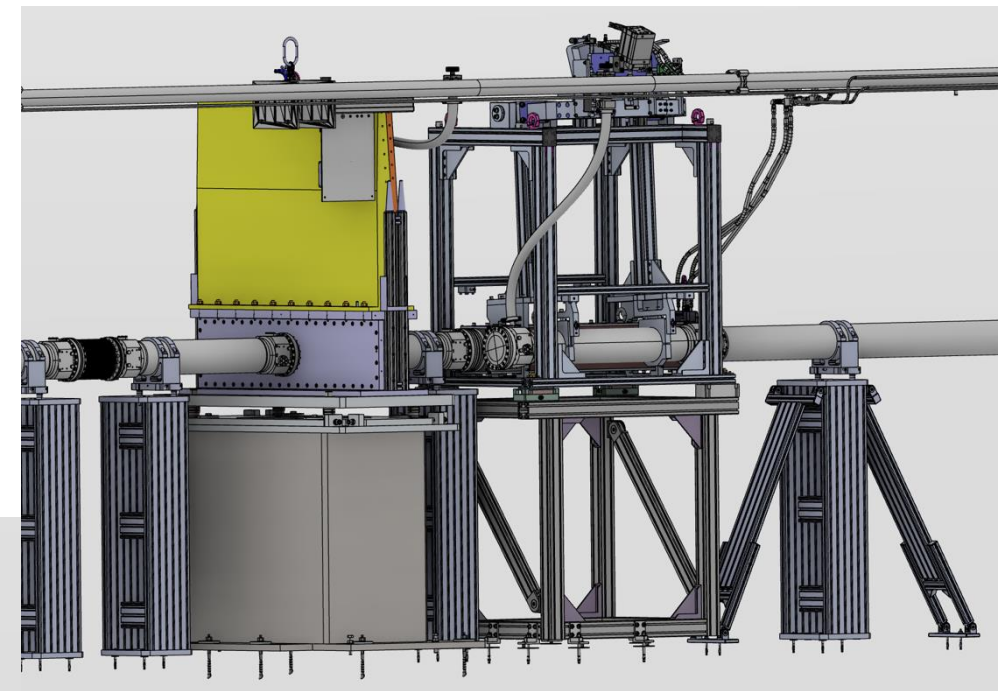
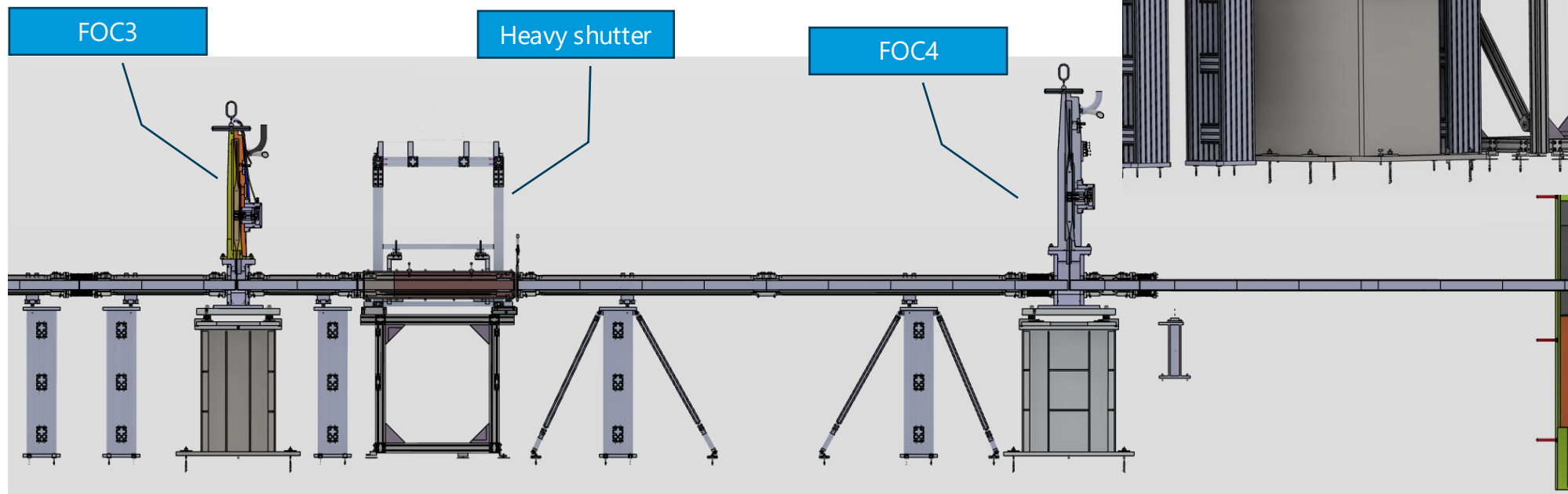
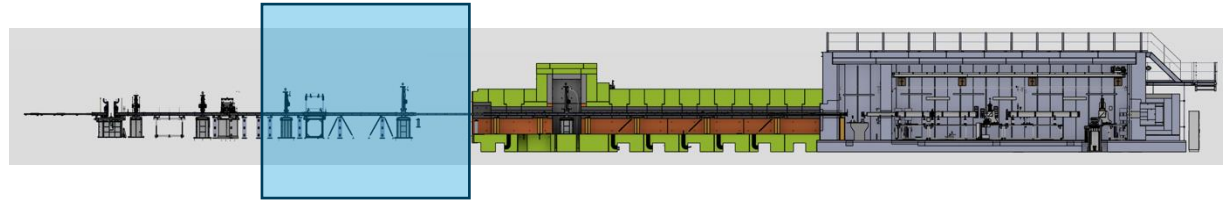


Beam transport and Conditioning ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.A01

EXAMPLE



- =ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.A01.R01 Neutron Chopper System
- =ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.A01.R03 Beam Cut off





Status of ODIN

Configuration Management

PRESENTED BY JOAKIM MEYER

2025-12-15

Configuration Management

In a Nutshell

1. Purpose

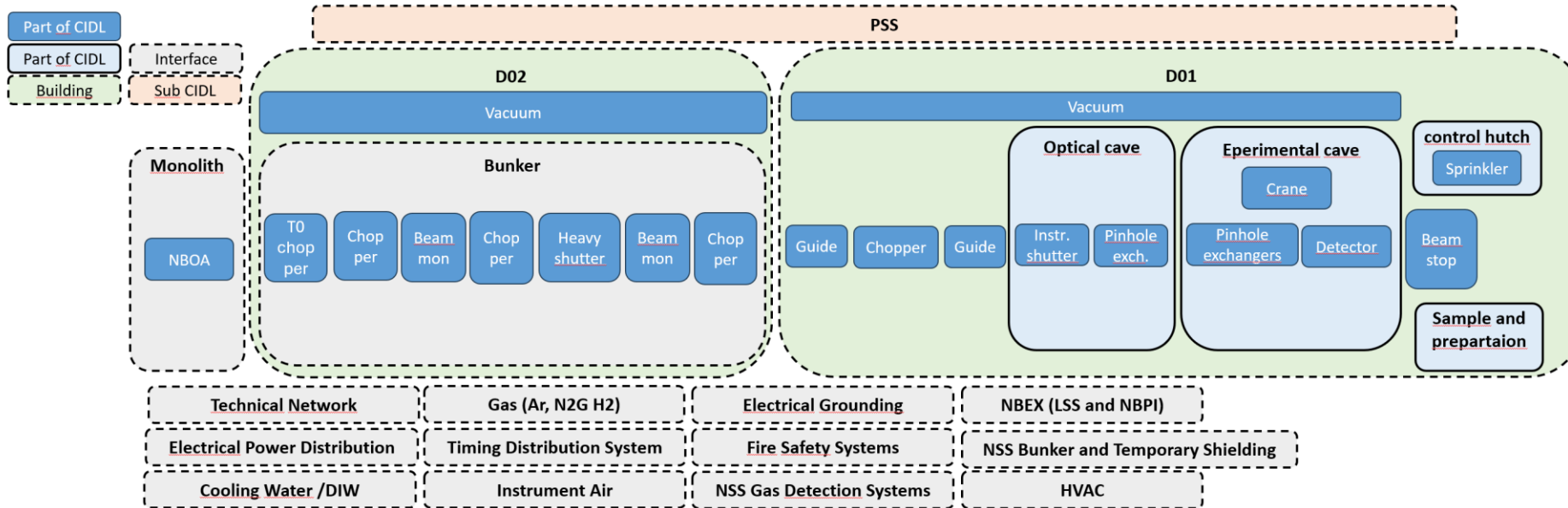
To ensure that, throughout the lifecycle, **information and configuration status** are:

- ✓ known at all times
- ✓ agreed upon by related parties
- ✓ complete
- ✓ correct
- ✓ consistent



For information how ESS works: What is the CIDL?

Configuration Item Data List



Actions	FBS/LBS Tag	Name	#	Title	CI Type	Description	SSC I2	Revision	Version	State	Released Dat
	☐	=ESS NSS H01.ODIN	16	ESS-0004875	Sub-Item	ODIN		2		Released	Dec 12, 2025
	☐	=ESS NSS H01.ODIN.A01	17	ESS-3887114	Sub-Item	Beam Transport and Conditioning		2		Released	Dec 12, 2025
	☐	=ESS NSS H01.ODIN.A01.B01	18	ESS-3887115	Sub-Item	Beam Validation		2		Released	Dec 12, 2025
	☐	=ESS NSS H01.ODIN.A01.B01.C01	19	ESS-3887124	Sub-Item	Beam Monitor DAQ System in Bunker Zone		1		Released	Dec 15, 2025
	☐	=ESS NSS H01.ODIN.A01.B01.C01.UH01	20	ESS-3887125	Sub-Item	Beam Monitor DAQ Rack 1		1		Released	Dec 15, 2025
	☐	=ESS NSS H01.ODIN.A01.F01	21	ESS-3887128	Sub-Item	Shielding	Worker Radiation Safety	2		Released	Nov 10, 2025
	☐	=ESS NSS H01.ODIN.A01.F01.F01	22	ESS-3185334	Sub-Item	In Bunker Shielding		1		Released	Dec 15, 2025
	☐	=ESS NSS H01.ODIN.A01.F01.F01.F01	23	ESS-3234190	Sub-Item	Bunker Wall Feedthrough		1		Released	Dec 15, 2025
	☐	=ESS NSS H01.ODIN.A01.F01.F02	24	ESS-3234330	Sub-Item	Neutron Guide Shielding		1		Released	Apr 10, 2025
	☐	=ESS NSS H01.ODIN.A01.R01	25	ESS-3887129	Sub-Item	Neutron Chopper System		2		Released	Dec 12, 2025
	☐	=ESS NSS H01.ODIN.A01.R01.R04	26	ESS-3999018	Sub-Item	FOC-500 Chopper System		1		Released	Apr 10, 2025
	☐	=ESS NSS H01.ODIN.A01.R02	27	ESS-3887130	Sub-Item	Beam Geometry Conditioning		2		Released	Dec 12, 2025
	☐	=ESS NSS H01.ODIN.A01.R03	28	ESS-3887132	Sub-Item	Beam Cut off		2		Released	Dec 12, 2025
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	☐	=ESS NSS H01.ODIN.A01.R05	32	ESS-3887139	Sub-Item	Beam Polarising System		1		Released	Apr 10, 2025
	☐	=ESS NSS H01.ODIN.A01.U01	33	ESS-4069015	Sub-Item	In Bunker Mechanical support system		2		Released	Dec 15, 2025

- Every component has its FBS tag
- CIDL describes the current configuration
- **ESS has invested large resources** into this type of **engineering management system(s)**

-> It has to be discussed how to handle CIDL when the instrument configuration changes



TG5/SAR Meeting

ODIN: Integrated Tests

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Components that require Integrated Testing

3.4. System overview

3.4.1. General

The conceptual ODIN instrument, see Figure 2, is subdivided into the following generic main functional blocks:

- Neutron guide
- Prompt pulse suppression
- Shielding
- Chopper system
- Shutters
- Cave interior
- Beam manipulation and analysis equipment
- Detectors
- Beam stop
- Personnel Safety System, PSS
- Control hutch
- Instrument control

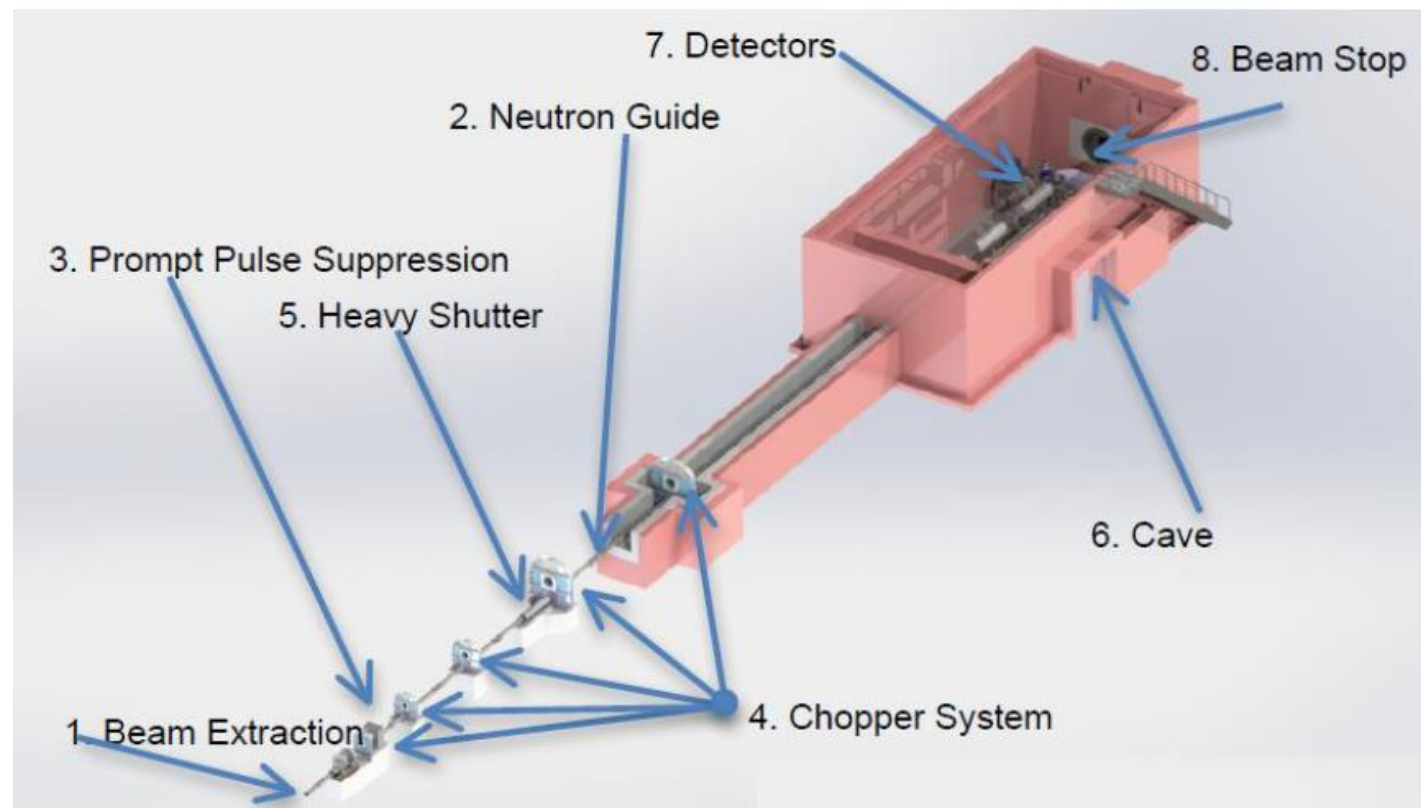


Figure 2 - ODIN conceptual layout



2	=ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.A01.R01	Neutron Chopper System	Chopper System	Included in ESS-1075657, O&M listed above. ESS-4123348: Datasheets for maintenance ESS-5456760: Operation Manual prepared by supplier (AIRBUS) ESS-4962591: BOM for maintenance	ESS-4123348: CHESS RELEASED REV 1 ESS-5456760: CHESS RELEASED REV 1 ESS-4962591: CHESS RELEASED REV 1	ESS-5815722. INTEGRATED SYSTEM	CHASS RELEASED REV 1
2	=ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.A01.R02	Beam Geometry Conditioning	Beam Geometry Conditioning System	ESS-5200993, Supplier Manuals (JXRray)	CHESS RELEASED REV 1	ESS-5860915. INTEGRATED TEST PLAN FOR ODIN – BEAM GEOMETRY CONDITIONING	CHASS RELEASED REV 1
2	=ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.A01.R03	Beam Cut off	Beam Cut Off System	ESS-3049036: NSS Instrument safety Shutter Operation and Maintenance Manual	CHESS RELEASED REV 3	NA	
2	=ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.A01.R04	Beam Filtering System	Beam Filtering System	Included in ESS-1075657, O&M listed above. ESS-3762735: Motion Control design description	ESS-3762735: CHESS RELEASED REV 2	ESS-5866584 INTEGRATED TEST PLAN FOR ODIN – BEAM FILTERING SYSTEM	CHASS RELEASED REV 1
2	=ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.A01.W01	Beam Delivery System	Beam Transport System	Included in ESS-1075657, O&M listed above.		NA	
2	=ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.A01.W02	Beam Extraction System	Beam Transport System	Included in ESS-1075657, O&M listed above.		NA	
3	=ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.A01.W02.WH01	NBOA - Neutron Beam Optics Assembly	Neutron Guide System	N/A		NA	
3	=ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.A01.W02.WH02	BBG- Bridge Beam Guide	Neutron Guide System	ESS-5227353: NSS BBGOA Maintenance Manual	ESS-5227353 : CHESS RELEASED REV 1	NA	
2	=ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.A01.U01	In Bunker Mechanical support system	Mechanical Support	Included in ESS-1075657, O&M listed above.		NA	
2	=ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.A01.W03	Flight Tube System	Beam Transport System	Included in ESS-1075657, O&M listed above.		NA	
1	=ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.B01	Scattering Characterization System	Neutron Detector System	Covered in the nodes below			
3	=ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.B01.B01.B01	TimePix3 CMOS Camera	Neutron Detector System	ESS-5066842: (SoPhy user Manual and TPX3CAM Manual) ESS-5512704: (Image intensifier manual) ESS-5283134: (TimePix3 camera manuals) ESS-5066841: Datasheets for cameras, lenses and scintillators ESS-5091491: Datasheets for camera box and Instructive/Manual to mount the mirror	ESS-5066842: CHESS RELEASED REV 1 ESS-5066841: CHESS RELEASED REV 1 ESS-5091491: CHESS RELEASED REV 1 ESS-5512704: CHESS RELEASED REV 3 ESS-5283134: CHESS RELEASED REV 3	ESS-5820246. INTEGRATED TEST PLAN FOR ODIN – TIMEPIX3 DETECTOR	CHASS RELEASED REV 1
3	=ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.B01.B01.B02	Orca Flash v3 CMOS Camera	Neutron Detector System	Included in ESS-5066842: (CMOS camera Manual) listed above		ESS-5754643. LOCAL AND SYSTEM INTEGRATED TEST PLAN FOR ODIN – CMOS DETECTOR	ESS-5754643 CHESS RELEASED REV 1
1	=ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.K01	Instrument Automation Control System	Motion Control System	ESS-5483415 (generic service & maintenance document) the operation manual (generic for each type of controller) is coming separately	CHESS RELEASED REV 2	NA	
1	=ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.U01	Experimental Cave	Structural System	Included in ESS-1075657, O&M listed above. ESS-5551590 (Mirrotron O&M)	ESS-5551590 : CHESS RELEASED REV 1	NA	

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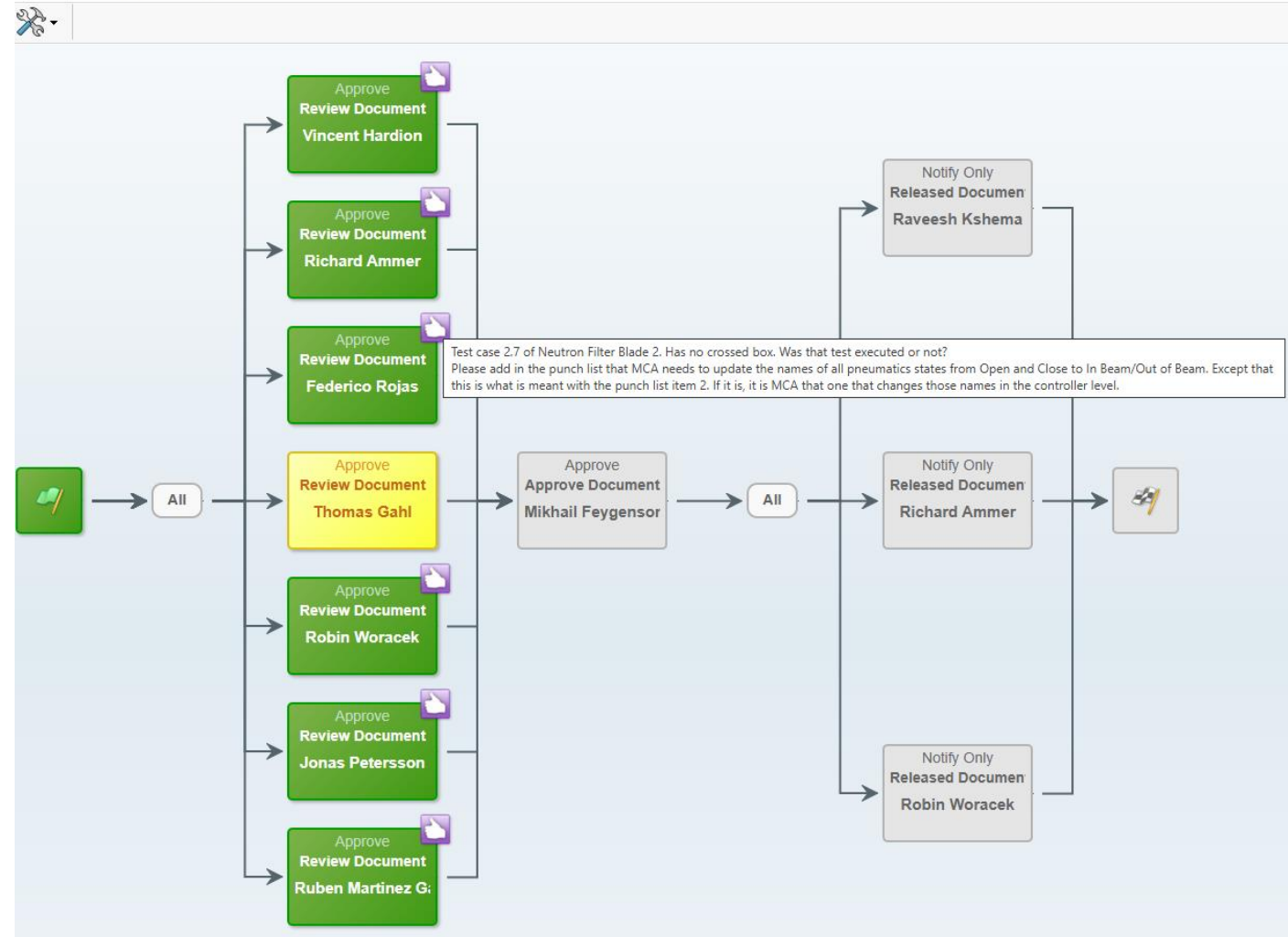
Example CHES workflow of Integrated test report

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Routes

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2.	R-0203532		Review Document		new version of document. Software version added in Section 2. Please review and leave your comments if any. Thanks!	Archive
3.	R-0203550		Review Document		new version of document. Software version added in Section 2. Please review and leave your comments if any. Thanks!	In Process

R-0203550 : Tasks (Graphical)



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TEST CASE(S) TO BE PERFORMED	SUMMARY FINDINGS				
	Pass	Fail	NA	Signature	Date
1. Band Pass Choppers	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Robin Woracek	29.10.2025
Comments:					
2. Wavelength Frame Multiplication Choppers 1 and 2 (WFMC1 and WFMC2)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Robin Woracek	29.10.2025
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3. FOC1 – FOC 5 chopper	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Robin Woracek	29.10.2025
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4. Operate all nine choppers simultaneously	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Robin Woracek	29.10.2025
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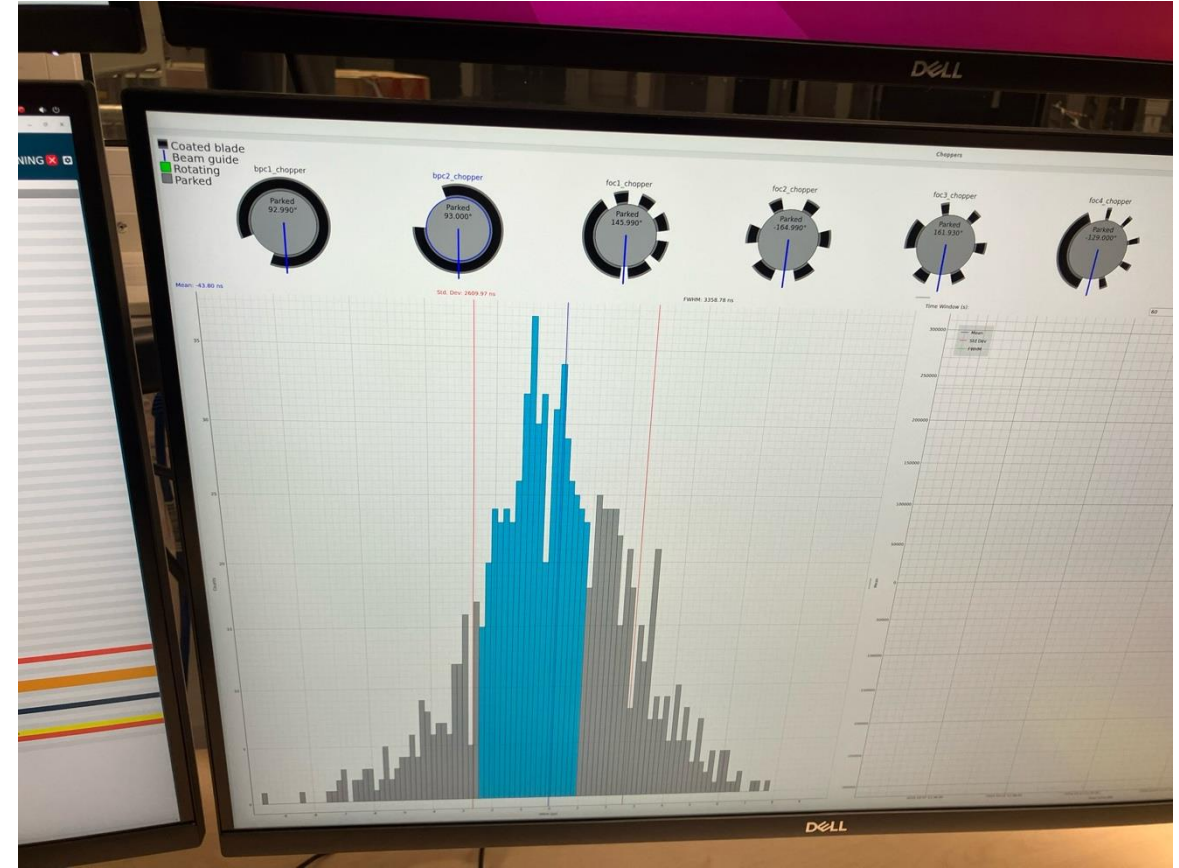
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LIST OF EQUIPMENT TO BE TESTED
SIGNATURE:
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1. =ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.A01.R01 – Chopper System
2. =ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.A01.R01.R01 – Chopper System – Bunker 1 Chopper System
3. =ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.A01.R01.R01.K01 – Control System – Bunker 1 Chopper Control System
4. =ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.A01.R01.R01 – Chopper System – Bunker 1 Chopper System
5. =ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.A01.R01.R01.K01 – Control System – Bunker 1 Chopper Control System
6. =ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.A01.R01.R01.R01 – Chopper System – Bunker 1 WFMC Mechanical Assembly
7. =ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.A01.R01.R01.R02 – Chopper System – Bunker 1 FOC-BPC-100 Mechanical Assembly
8. =ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.A01.R01.R01.UH01 – Instrumentation and Control Cabinet – Bunker 1 Chopper System Control Cabinet
9. =ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.A01.R01.R02 – Chopper System – Bunker 2 Chopper System
10. =ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.A01.R01.R02.K01 – Control System – Bunker 2 Chopper Control System
11. =ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.A01.R01.R02.R01 – Chopper System – Bunker 2 FOC-BPC-200 Mechanical Assembly
12. =ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.A01.R01.R02.R02 – Chopper System – Bunker 2 FOC-300 Mechanical Assembly
13. =ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.A01.R01.R02.R03 – Chopper System – Bunker 2 FOC-400 Mechanical Assembly
14. =ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.A01.R01.R02.UH01 – Instrumentation and Control Cabinet – Bunker 2 Chopper System Control Cabinet

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EXAMPLE



ITEM	DESCRIPTION	CATEGORY	RESPONSIBLE	COMPLETION DATE
2.5	Fact that choppers sometimes did not respond from NICOS and needed to repeat command to be stress-tested: This was fixed during the test and seemed to work. No real impact on mots pressing functionality for HC, should be tracked by NIT.	d	Markus Olsen	Nov 2025
0	Chopper direction and phase to be agreed between McStas and NICOS: Cannot be tested in this plan. A meeting has been held and discussions ongoing.	d	Robin Woracek	Nov 2025

-> tracked via NIT

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SAMPLE AND CAMERAS POSITIONING SYSTEM



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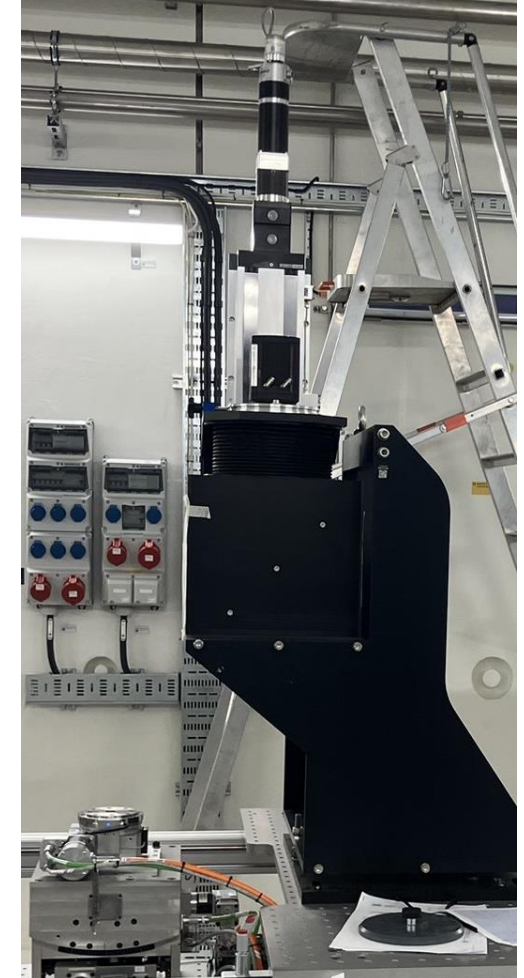
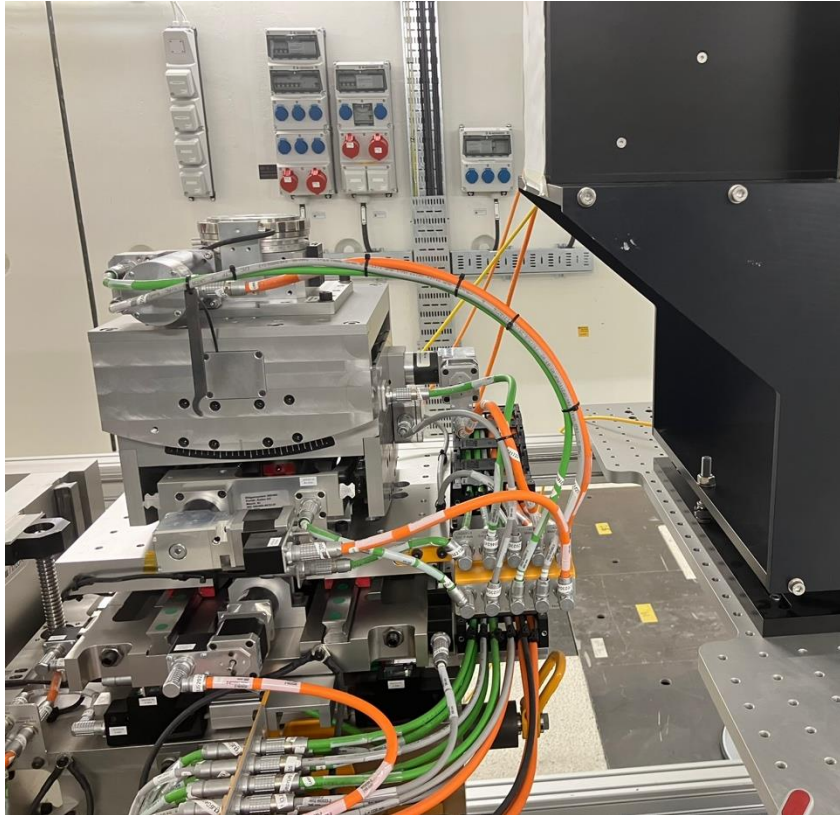
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Approver	Mikhail Feygenson	Head of Diffraction and Imaging Division

1.	ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.A02.W01.W01: Large Sample Stage
2.	ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.A02.W01.W02: Small Sample Stage
3.	ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.A02.W01.W03.W01: Ancillary Stage 1 (Linear stage 1)
4.	ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.A02.W01.W03.W02: Ancillary Stages 2 (Linear stage 2)
5.	ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.A02.W01.W03.W03: Ancillary Stages 3 (Goniometer)
6.	ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.A02.W01.W03.W04: Ancillary Stages 4 (Rotary stage)
7.	ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.B01.B01.B01.W01: Small Camera Positioning System
8.	ESS.NSS.H01.ODIN.B01.B01.B02.W01: Large Camera Positioning System

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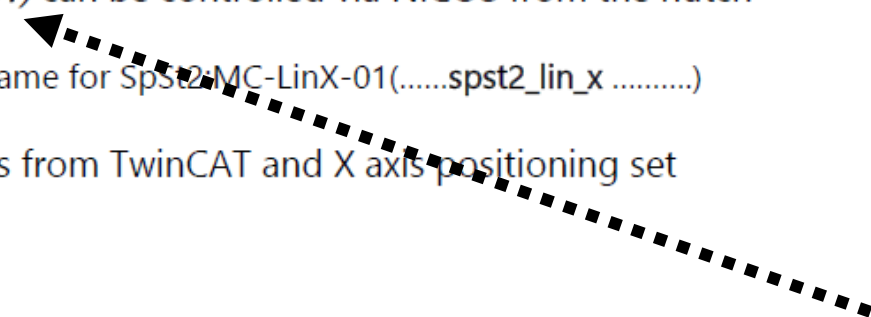
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Small Sample Stage

2.31 Test that the X axis movement (*SpSt2:MC-LinX-01*) can be controlled via NICOS from the hutch

N/A Pass Fail Remark: write here the NICOS name for SpSt2:MC-LinX-01(.....spst2_lin_x) 

2.32 Test that both X axis positioning readback values from TwinCAT and X axis positioning set values can be monitored in NICOS

N/A Pass Fail Remark:

2.33 Confirm that all motor readout values are timestamped and broadcast to Kafka.

N/A Pass Fail Remark:

2.34 Confirm that the motor timestamp is synchronized with the global ESS clock to within a time zone

We attached stickers to all axis, match axis and direction to NICOS. The naming convention will need to be improved.

- > several issues were observed during initial testing
- > all of them were fixed within the duration of the test
- > re-assuring for becoming a functional facility (*however the control system 'chain' overall appears a bit fragile and should be stress-tested now*)

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PUNCH LIST

Any incomplete work or non-conformities shall be recorded in the SAT2 punch list and categorized as follows:

- a) To be cleared on the spot, test to be continue after rectification
- b) Ongoing rectification during test
- c) Test to be repeated (motivate why)
- d) Modifications to be made after test, before the system is shipped to its final location on site
- e) Remaining work to be rectified once in its final location on site

Non-conformities need to be registered in the Enterprise Asset Management (EAM) system.

ITEM	DESCRIPTION	CATEGORY	RESPONSIBLE	COMPLETION DATE
1	3.2 Models still "preliminary" in EPL. Process of being "Released" by the moment of the Integrated Test is "Ongoing".	d	NSS Technical Projects Group	Dec 15 th 2025
2				

-> tracked via NIT

Hot commissioning - overview



1. Shielding (steered by RP)
2. Hot commissioning of beam monitors
3. White beam profile with an imaging detector
4. Flight path calibration
5. Beam spectrum
6. Gold foil measurement
7. Choppers phases verification
8. Beam limiters and pinhole
9. WFM
10. Characterization of background (incl. T0 chopper)
11. Gamma strikes
12. Characterization of position and tilt of detectors
13. Resolution (TOF and spatial), including potential spatial dependencies.
14. Tomography and Bragg edge (first science).
15. Commissioning of SE

Status Update: ISRR

THURSDAY 18 DECEMBER

12:45 → 12:54	Transfer to LINXS	9m
12:54 → 12:55	ODIN Instrument Safety Readiness Review Meeting	1m
12:55 → 13:00	Welcome / Meeting Rules Speaker: Mikhail Feygenson (European Spallation Source ERIC) SAR_iSRR_intro_r...	5m LINXS
13:00 → 13:15	Short Summary of ODIN and General Safety Speaker: Richard Ammer (European Spallation Source ERIC) ODIN-iSRR_01_Su...	15m LINXS
13:15 → 13:30	Operations and Maintenance Documents Status Speaker: Aureliano Tartaglione (TUM) ODIN-iSRR_02_Op...	15m LINXS
13:30 → 14:00	Shielding Calculations and Overview of Radiation Safety Assessment Speaker: Aureliano Tartaglione (TUM) ODIN-iSRR_03+04...	30m LINXS
14:00 → 14:30	Overview of Instrument Hazard Analysis Speakers: Aureliano Tartaglione (TUM), Richard Ammer (European Spallation Source ERIC) ODIN-iSRR_05_Ov...	30m LINXS

14:30 → 14:45	COFFEE BREAK	15m
14:45 → 14:55	Personnel Safety System Speaker: Morteza Mansouri (European Spallation Source ERIC) ODIN iSRR_PSS_V...	10m LINXS
14:55 → 15:05	Motion Safety System Speaker: Thomas Gahl (European Spallation Source ERIC) Motion Safety at ...	10m LINXS
15:05 → 15:10	REMS Presentation Speaker: Ana Cintas (European Spallation Source ERIC) iSRR ODIN-REMS...	5m LINXS
15:10 → 15:15	Fire Suppression System Speaker: Irina Pavelic (European Spallation Source ERIC) Fire suppression s...	5m LINXS
15:15 → 16:30	CLOSED SESSION: Finalize the SAR/ISRR Report Speaker: Review Committee	1h 15m LINXS

- Main open tasks were missing updated Activation Analysis and release of report
- Some open documentation tasks

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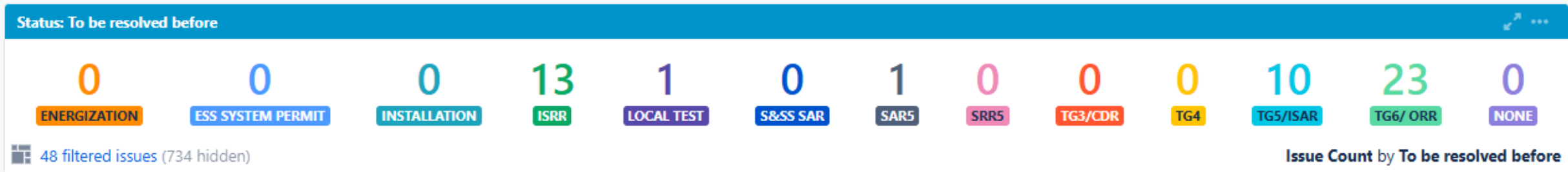
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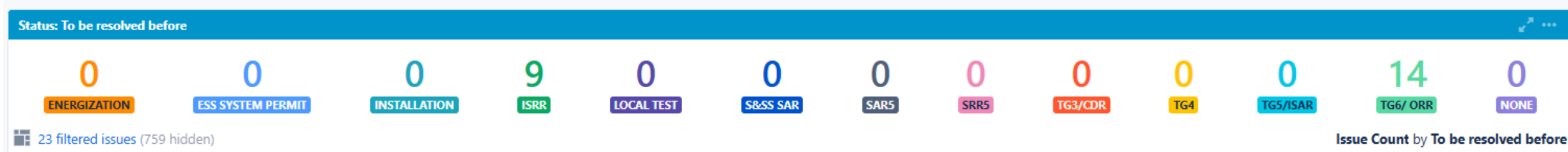
ESS works with ticket systems

48 tickets in total



- Many of tickets resulted from Integrated Testing
- Many are small simple fixes or 'nice to haves' that are simply tracked this way (as personell will change again)
- Many are not intended to be fixed until much later ('none')

23 open tickets



What's left to do from SAR and ISRR?

0 open tickets related to SAR

9 open tickets related to ISRR (all of them rely on technical teams of ESS to be closed; e.g. proper integration into the engineering management system)

NSS Issue Tracker Tickets / Rich Filter Results									
Key	Status	Summary	Instrument	Issue source	To be resolved before	Assignee	Reporter	P	Labels
NIT-647	IN PROGRESS	Fe-powder calibrant handling	ODIN	TG5/SAR	iSRR	Richard Ammer	Richard Ammer	=	None
NIT-644	IN PROGRESS	update ODIN operational manual	ODIN	TG5/SAR	iSRR	Richard Ammer	Richard Ammer	=	None
NIT-613	IN REVIEW	ODIN - Pressurised systems risk assessment	ODIN	TG5/SAR	iSRR	Tomas Nylander	Giuseppe Aprigliano	=	Global Monitored
NIT-612	IN PROGRESS	ODIN EPL integration issues	ODIN	Other	iSRR	Talal Osman	Alejandro Tobias Quispe Mamani	=	EPL Global Monitored integration
NIT-592	IN PROGRESS	ODIN CUP: SAT documentation not released	ODIN	Other	iSRR	Jesper Ringnér	Aureliano Tartaglione	>	Documentation Global Monitored
NIT-536	IN PROGRESS	BM Gas panels for ODIN	ODIN	Other	iSRR	Jesper Ringnér	Jesper Ringnér	=	CBMP CBMP-Gas CUP Global Monitored odin
NIT-535	IN REVIEW	Link to NCR 10682 ODIN beam stop -fence	ODIN	TG5/SAR	iSRR	Richard Ammer	Robin Woracek	=	Global Monitored
NIT-443	IN REVIEW	ODIN In-bunker EPL issues	ODIN	CDR/TG3	iSRR	Gabor Laszlo	Gabor Laszlo	=	Global Monitored design integration
NIT-378	IN PROGRESS	NCR 10454 - ODIN isolation issue	ODIN	Other	iSRR	Richard Ammer	Giuseppe Aprigliano	=	Global Monitored

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What's left to do from SAR and ISRR?

14 unrelated tickets

Some of these are of actual relevance to the instrument performance!

NSS Issue Tracker Tickets / Rich Filter Results										
Key	Status	Summary	Instrument	Issue source	To be resolved before	Assignee	Reporter	P	Labels	
NIT-630	TO DO	Cave Door Document update	ODIN	TG5/SAR	TG6/ ORR	Unassigned	Gabor Laszlo	=	documentation	
NIT-611	TO DO	Remote Control via NICOS in ODIN cave	ODIN	TG5/SAR	TG6/ ORR	Vincent Hardion	Robin Woracek	=	ODIN	
NIT-593	IN PROGRESS	ODIN MCA Local Testing for ODIN MCC3	ODIN	Other	TG6/ ORR	Ruben Martinez Garcia	Aureliano Tartaglione	=	None	
NIT-585	IN PROGRESS	ODIN Slits labeling	ODIN	Installation/SAT	TG6/ ORR	Safaa Zaki	Ruben Martinez Garcia	=	None	
NIT-564	TO DO	ODIN BEAM FILTERING SYSTEM: Naming convention in NICOS (from ESS-5849592)	ODIN	TG5/SAR	TG6/ ORR	Vincent Hardion	Robin Woracek	=	None	
NIT-561	IN PROGRESS	ODIN Choppers: direction and phase controls (from ESS-5849588)	ODIN	TG5/SAR	TG6/ ORR	Robin Woracek	Robin Woracek	=	None	
NIT-559	IN PROGRESS	CMOS detector: MTF calculation (from ESS-5849591)	ODIN	TG5/SAR	TG6/ ORR	Søren Schmidt	Robin Woracek	=	None	
NIT-503	IN PROGRESS	Effective pixel size - decide place for metadata (from ESS-5849590)	ODIN	Other	TG6/ ORR	Søren Schmidt	Robin Woracek	=	None	
NIT-502	IN PROGRESS	Normalize by Open Beam in Live View (from ESS-5849590)	ODIN	TG5/SAR	TG6/ ORR	Søren Schmidt	Robin Woracek	=	None	
NIT-500	IN PROGRESS	# of neutron pulses to control detector. (from Test Report ESS-5849590)	ODIN	TG5/SAR	TG6/ ORR	Jonas Petersson	Robin Woracek	=	ecdc	
NIT-478	IN PROGRESS	ODIN - Chopper - cooling water tests	ODIN	Other	TG6/ ORR	Jesper Ringnér	Giuseppe Aprigliano	=	None	
NIT-463	TO DO	ODIN FOC-500 inspection incomplete	ODIN	Installation/SAT	TG6/ ORR	Erik Nilsson	Erik Nilsson	=	None	
NIT-462	TO DO	ODIN Chopper System alignment reports missing	ODIN	Installation/SAT	TG6/ ORR	Gabor Laszlo	Erik Nilsson	=	Documentation	
NIT-433	TO DO	ODIN: As built Eplan drawings	ODIN	TG5/SAR	TG6/ ORR	Safaa Zaki	Hussein Al-Sallami	=	None	

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TG5 celebration on 3rd March at ESS



TG5 Ceremony - Reception Flow -

When		Duration	Who/What	Screen background
	Slideshow	all day	Iceberg	Slideshow of the 4 Instruments
16:45-	Grab your glasses and plates	At arrival	People arriving	
17:00	Welcome and introduction	3'	RC (Master of Ceremony) - All Partner speakers in a group around a standing	ESS/NSS



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Dry-runs & user workflows

- Perform realistic dry-runs (e.g. artifact tomography) **NOT DONE**
- Define procedures for:
 - Sample reception / storage / shipment **NOT DONE**
 - Handling activated samples **NOT DONE** **Some PROGRESS**
 - Hazard scenarios (sprinkler, laser alignment) **PROGRESS**
- Test user-provided sample environments (load frames) **NOT DONE**
- Include masking materials (Cd, Gd₂O₃) in dry-runs **NOT DONE**
- DIC integration with beamline data (DMSC/ECDC support) **NOT DONE**

STAP suggestions



Infrastructure / operations

- Improve procedures for:
 - User equipment import/export **NOT DONE**
 - Integration of external sample environments **NOT DONE**
- Address lack of support from ESS labs for instrument science prep **NOT DONE**
- Review safety / bureaucracy vs usability (too restrictive) **PROGRESS**
- Fix practical issues (e.g. unsafe lifting platform) **DONE**
- Ensure support labs are close to beamline (<10 min access) **NOT DONE**

STAP suggestions



Instrument / hardware

- MCP TOF detector purchase → good (risk reduction) **DONE**
- Explore Lumacam for diffraction/scattering applications **NOT DONE (by ESS)**
- X-ray CT:
 - Needs faster integration (PSS + license) **PROGRESS**
 - Should be supported despite being outside TG5 **DONE**
- Flux discrepancy ($\sim 10\times$ lower than expected):
 - Investigate cause **DONE**

STAP suggestions



Software & data

- TOF data integration into DMSC → good progress
- Shuqi / NCrystal → critical for quantitative analysis
- Need:
 - Stress-testing with real data
 - Use data from external beamtimes
- Ensure full workflow (acquisition → reduction → analysis)

Lacking integration/intrinsic motivation from DMSC counterparts

NOT DONE

NOT DONE

NOT DONE (for any relevant data)

DMSC pushback on real data due to format differences and uniqueness; multiple datasets already provided for stress testing as suggested by STAP

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The source: Hamamatsu 300kV Microfocus L12721

SPECIFICATIONS

Parameter		Description / Value
Maximum tube voltage ^①		308 kV
X-ray tube voltage setting range		20 kV to 300 kV
X-ray tube current setting range	at 20 kV to 230 kV	0 μ A to 1000 μ A
	at 231 kV to 300 kV	0 μ A to 500 μ A
Cathode material		Tungsten
Minimum resolution		4 μ m ^②
Maximum target power		Approx. 200 W
Target type		Reflection type
X-ray beam angle		40 degrees to 60 degrees
Target material		Tungsten
X-ray output window material / Thickness		Aluminum / 0.5 mm
Focus to object distance (FOD)		4.6 mm \pm 0.4 mm
Protection		External short-circuit method (Normally closed)
Interlock 1 / Interlock 2		DC24 V / DC12 V
Input voltage (AC)	X-ray control unit	100 V to 240 V (50 Hz / 60 Hz) ^③
	Power supply for turbo pump controller	100 V to 240 V (50 Hz / 60 Hz) ^③
	Power supply for vacuum pump	100 V to 240 V (50 Hz / 60 Hz) ^③
Power consumption (Max.)	X-ray control unit	700 VA
	Turbo pump set	300 VA
Rated output		Continuous operation
Weight	X-ray tube unit / X-ray control unit	Approx. 111 kg / Approx. 11 kg
	Power supply for turbo pump controller	Approx. 1 kg
	Vacuum pump (diaphragm pump)	Approx. 4.3 kg
Operating ambient temperature	X-ray tube unit / X-ray control unit	+15 °C to +35 °C
Storage temperature	X-ray tube unit / X-ray control unit	+5 °C to +50 °C
Operating and storage humidity	X-ray tube unit / X-ray control unit	20 % to 85 % (No condensation)

NOTE: ①Maximum tube voltage during the warm-up period.

②X-ray chart use

③Auto switching



X-ray setup update

The detector: Varex PaxScan 2530HE (CT grade)

Technical Specifications

Receptor Type Amorphous Silicon
Conversion Screen DRZ Plus, CsI
Pixel Area Total 24.9 x 30.2 cm (9.8 x 11.9 in.)
Pixel Matrix Total 1792 x 2176
Pixel Pitch 139 μm^2
Energy Range 20 kV - 16 MV
Fill Factor 64.3%
Data Output Gigabit Ethernet
Scan Method Progressive
A/D Conversion 16-bit
Frame Rate 9 fps (1x1), 30 fps (2 x 2)
Exposure Control User Sync input, Expose OK output

Power

Power Dissipation 16.5 Watts nominal power consumption
12 to 32 V DC input range, 15 V typical
3A inrush current at power up with 15 V supply
Power Supply/Mains 100 - 240 VAC, 47 - 63 Hz

Mechanical

Weight 14.4 lbs \pm 0.25 lbs
Housing Material Aluminum
Input Filtration Carbon fiber plate (2.0 mm thick)
and aluminum (0.05mm thick)

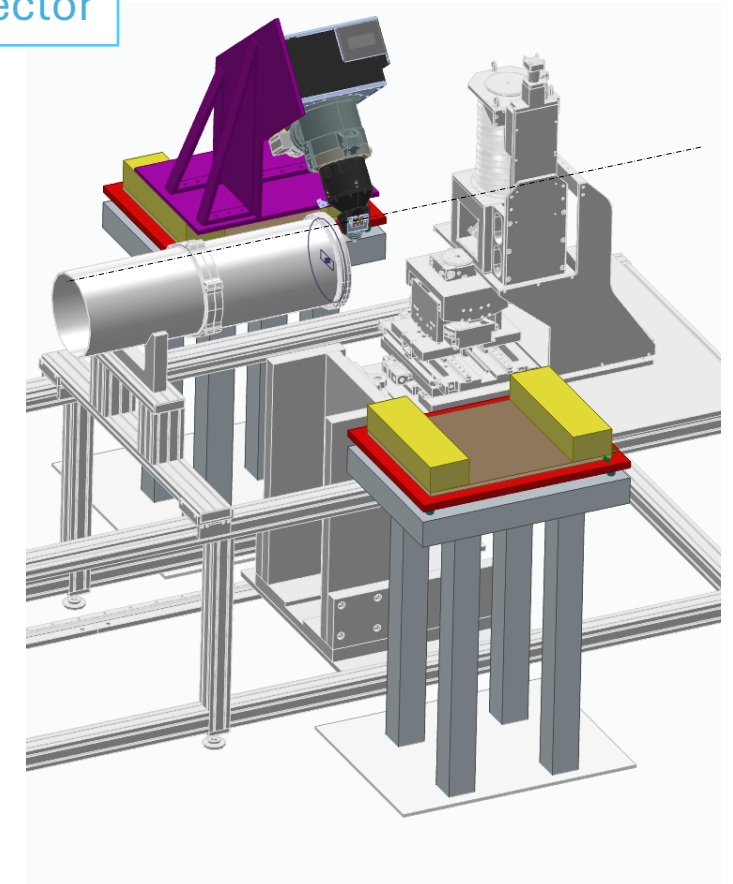
Environmental

Temperature Range - Operating -10°C to +40°C (max.)
(Ambient) - Storage -15°C to +50°C
Humidity - Operating & Storage (non-condensing) 10 to 95%
Shock IEC 60068-27
Vibration IEC 60068-6



X-ray setup update

Layout inside the cave



In red, the area where the X-ray source with its pedestal should be placed

X-ray setup update

Documentation and licensing status



Document Type: Review Report
Document Number: ESS-6031883
Date: Mar 19, 2026
Revision: 1 (1/1)
State: Preliminary
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DONE

- Concepts of Operations for PSS

PSR OF ODIN X-RAY SOURCE

ALMOST THERE!

- Interface Control Document for PSS
- X-ray Source Dose Rate Calculations
- Primary Safety Review of X-ray Source

	Name	Role/Title
Owner	Stefanos Athanasopoulos	
Reviewer	Esko Oksanen	
Approver	Mikhail Feygenson	



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- Independent Safety Review of X-ray Source

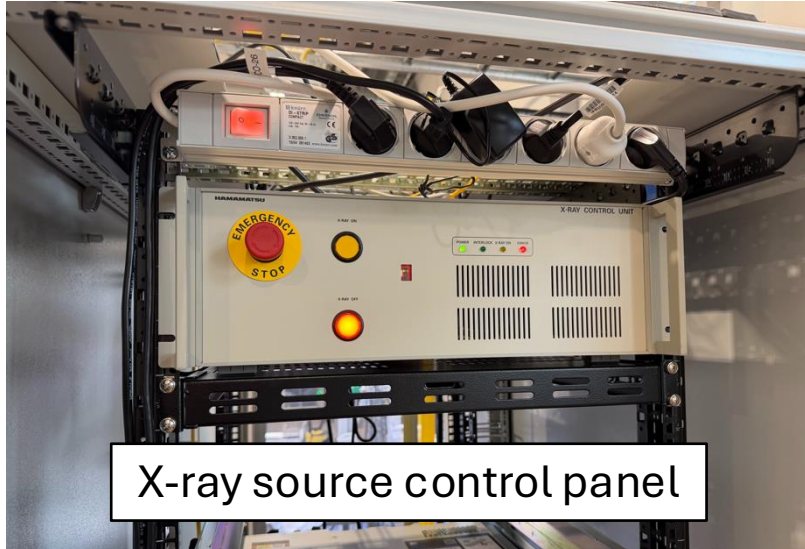
ODIN X-RAY SOURCE DOSE RATE CALCULATIONS

	Name	Role/Title
Owner	Stefanos Athanasopoulos	ODIN Commissioning Scientist
Reviewer	Alan Takibayev	Scientist
Approver	Mikhail Feygenson	Head of Diffraction and Imaging Division

Inclusion of X-ray source in ODIN license

X-ray setup update

Integration status



X-ray source control panel

```
$ telnet 172.30.38.75 4001
Trying 172.30.38.75...
Connected to 172.30.38.75.
Escape character is '^]'.
sts
STS 5
```



Command	Name	Description
		Status
		Returns the X-ray tube status. Parameter and priority are as follows:
		"5": NOT READY!
		"4": OVER
		"1": WARMUP
		"3": XON
		"0": WARMUP YET
		"2": STANDBY

Model: L12721

Setpoint	SP Readback	Actual
Voltage 0 kV	0 kV	0 kV
Current 0 uA	0 uA	0 uA

System State & Execution

System Status: **NOT READY** Interlock: ●

X-Ray OFF Start Warmup Reset Overload Expert Options ⚙

Focus Tuning

Focus Val: 0 RB: 0

Beam Alignment

Align State: Not in Progress

Align X: 0 Align Y: 0

Align Beam Align Overall! STOP/AUSE

Environment

Vacuum: 8 Temp: 90 C

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- **ESS team** leads commissioning and first science activities
- **TUM & PSI** → Strong in-kind partners, deeply involved since design phase – **Will play key role!**
- Build and maintain a **trusted collaborative network**
 - **In-house projects** with collaborators
 - **HypersPIN consortium** – Swedish initiative for first science at ODIN
 - **Lighthouse consortium** – Danish long-term initiative for biological cases (?)
 - More upcoming **new projects!**

Technical outlook

- **Early flux** → $\sim 1 \times 10^6$ n/cm²/s @200 kW, scaling to $\sim 3 \times 10^7$ @2 MW. (sample position; L/D=350)
- **300 kV X-ray source** available in commissioning phase.

First science strategy



Process & principles

- **Commissioning is first priority** – First Science begins as subsystems come online
- Initial steps using “**white-beam**” radiography/tomography:
 - **No SE involved**, to showcase **baseline capability & workflows**
 - **Simple SEs involved** (e.g., loading rig) to transition to more **advanced instrument controls & data analysis** (e.g., strain)
- “Natural” transition to simple **wavelength-resolved measurements** – Our primary goal is to demonstrate reproducible performance
- Collaboration on **advanced modalities** (e.g., NGI) with leading partners (e.g., TUM & PSI)
- Maintain & update list of **candidate experiments** – Review with in-kind partners & STAP
- Planning & documentation:
 - **Goal definition** – Link to instrument capability to be demonstrated
 - **Integration into hot commissioning** – Early challenges must be contextualised
- Exploit **existing tools** and (build new) collaborations for **advanced data analysis** (e.g., CIL & SPAM)

First science strategy



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Hydrogen embrittlement

- ReHeart (2 Postdocs, KTH+LU/ESS)
- ISOTOPE (1PhD, KTH, recently defended)
- ILL-ESS-KTH PhD (starting 2026)

Solid state batteries

- ANISSA (1 Postdoc, 3PhDs, UU, LTH, HZB, UM)

Freezing cement mortar

- MaU, LTH (ongoing, TEMP dedicated resource)

Thermography / Sand heating

- LTH (ongoing, TEMP dedicated resource)

Wolter optics (1st step towards a neutron microscope)

- 1 PhD, 1 postdoc at DTU (starting 2026)

Improving quantitative neutron transmission interpretation

- Collaboration with ESS Spallation Physics Group & DMSC

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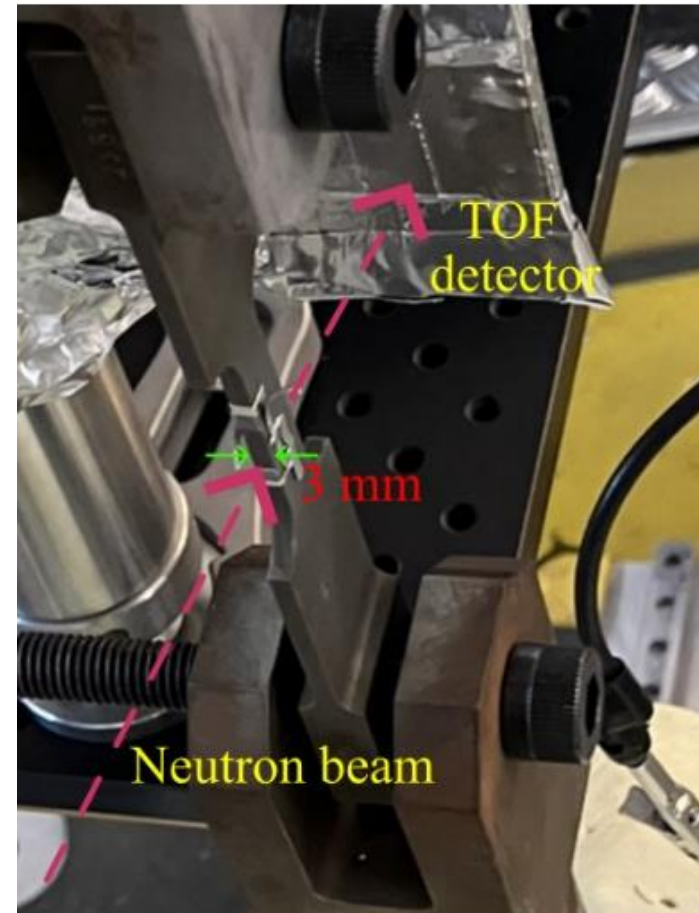
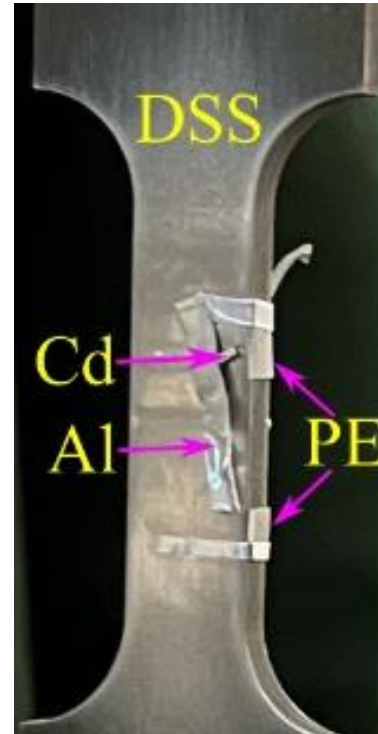
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In-house projects: Hydrogen Embrittlement -> Improved TOF quantification

- Establish Reference Measurements: Mimic H by PE sheets



8mm
Duplex-Stainless Steel



Grade	C	Si	Mn	Cr	Ni	Mo	N	Ti	V	Al	Fe
DSS	≤0.03	≤0.8	≤1.2	25	7	4	0.3	-	-	-	balance
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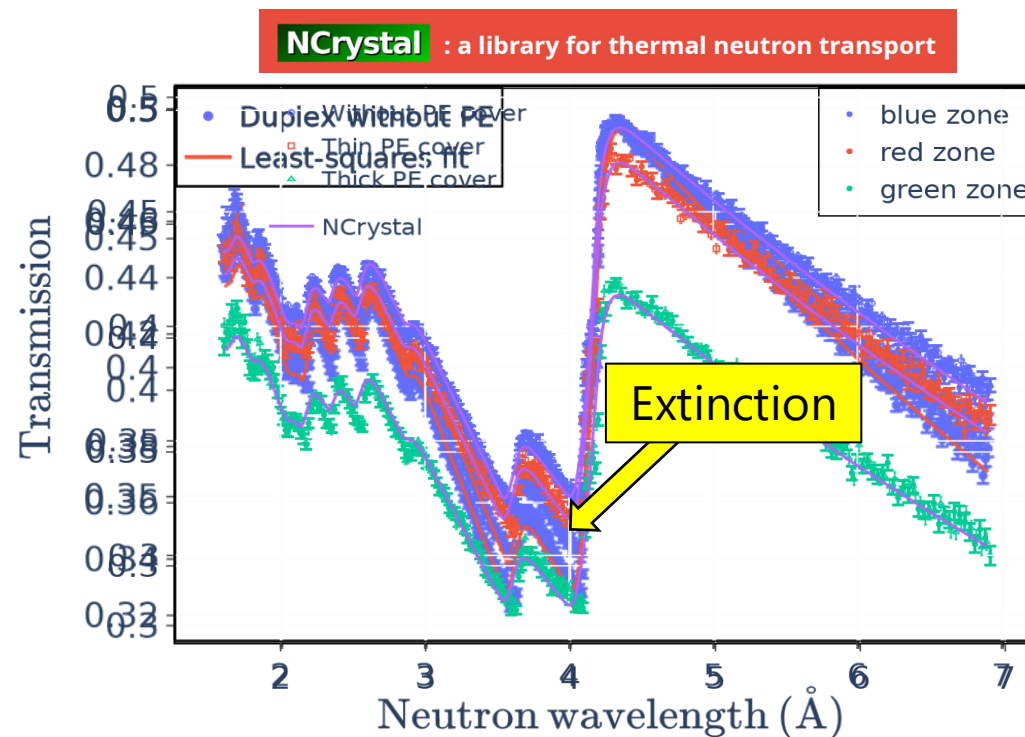
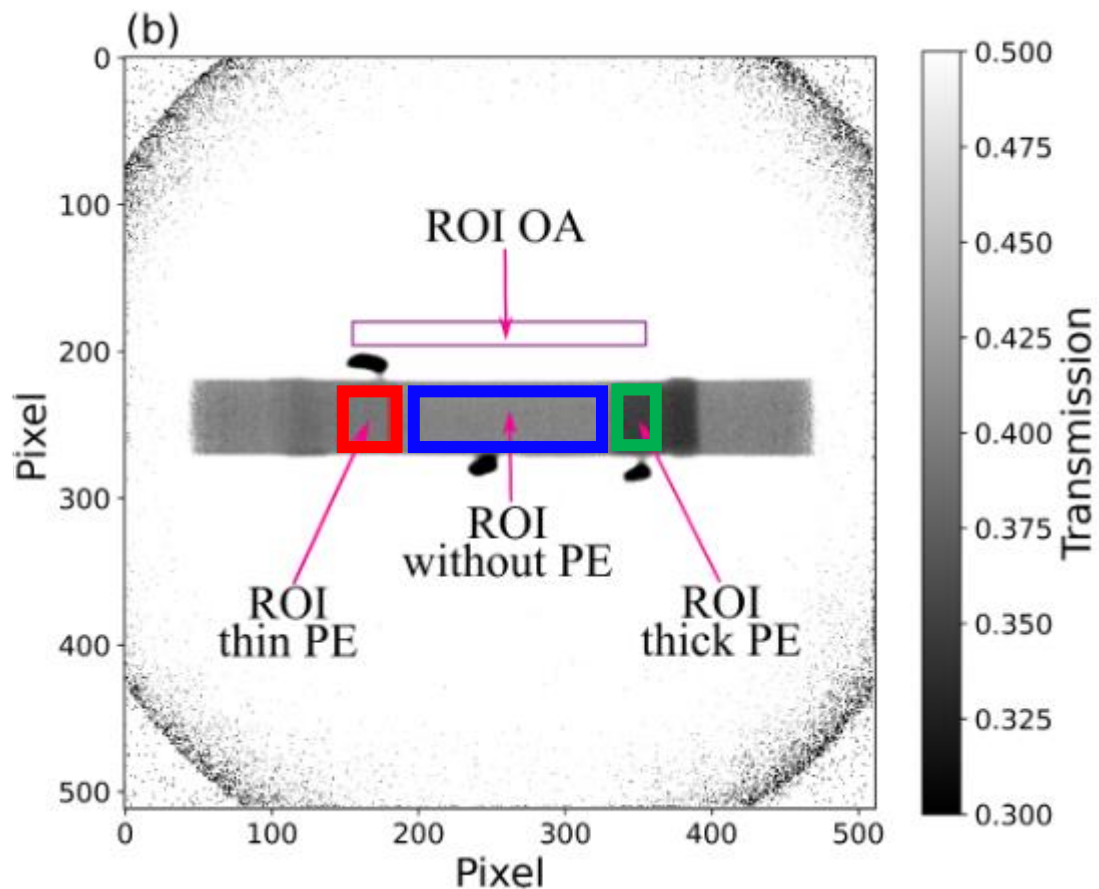
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Shuqi Xu

In-house projects: Hydrogen Embrittlement -> Improved TOF quantification

- 1) Establish Fit for **Sample Composition**
- 2) Mimic H with **PE sheets**
- 3) Derive PE thickness from Fit



Fitted thickness:

thin PE: $44 \pm 2 \mu\text{m}$

thick PE: $230 \pm 2 \mu\text{m}$

$\approx 98 \text{ wt.ppm H}$

$\approx 495 \text{ wt.ppm H}$

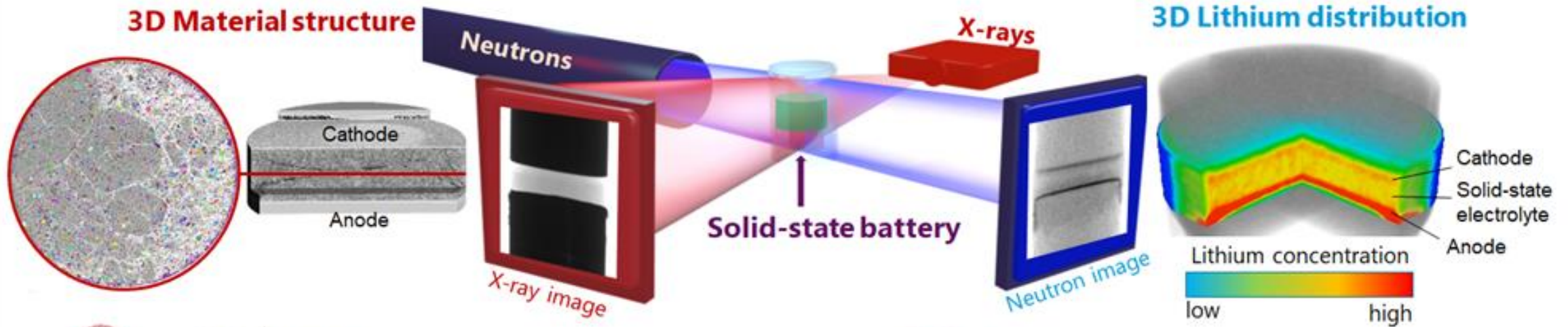
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In-house projects: Solid state batteries



Research project grant: Röntgen-Ångström Cluster

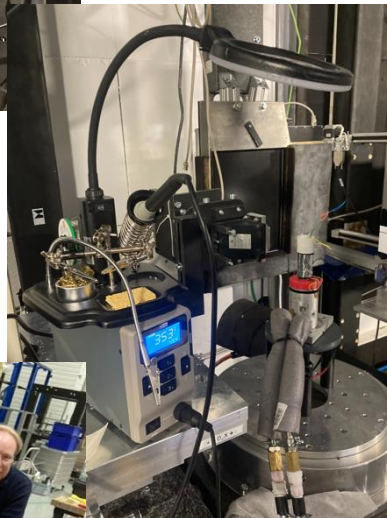
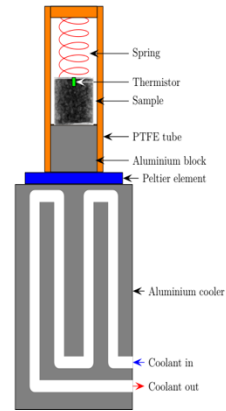
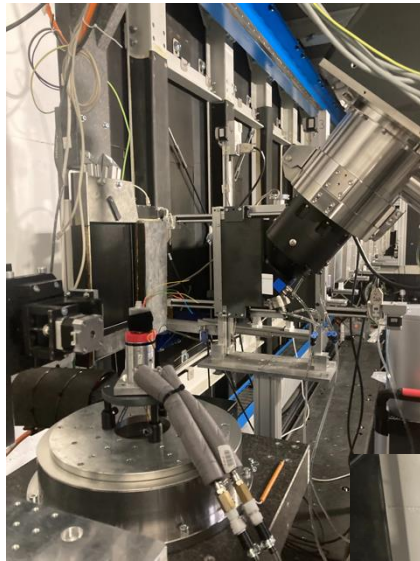
ANISSA: Advanced Neutron Imaging for Solid-State Batteries in Action



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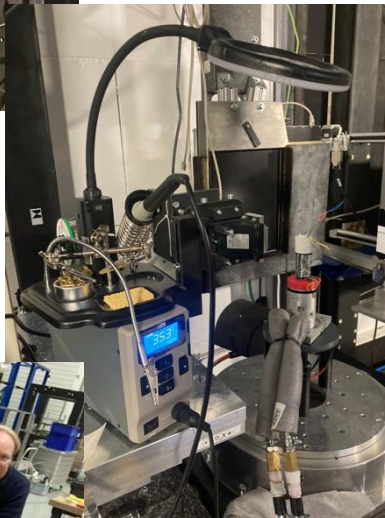
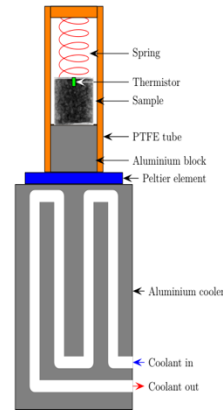
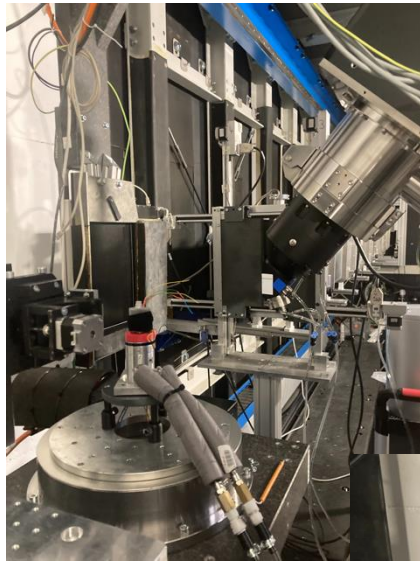
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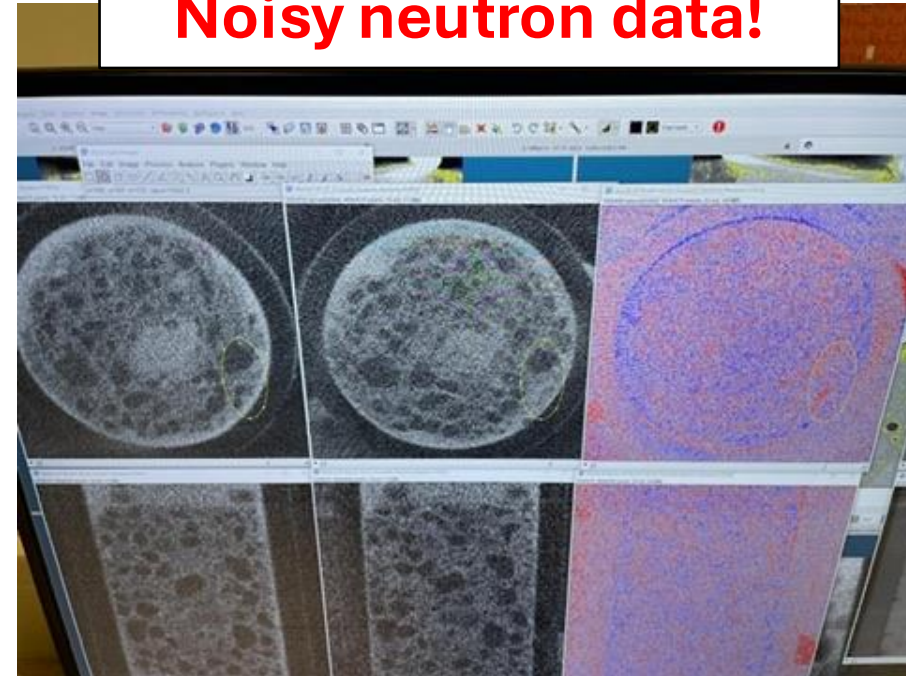
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Noisy neutron data!



VISA

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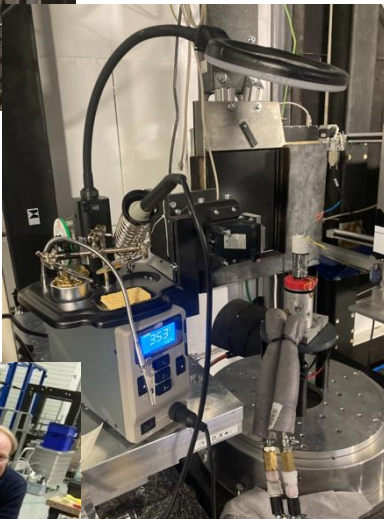
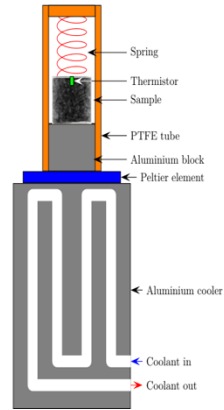
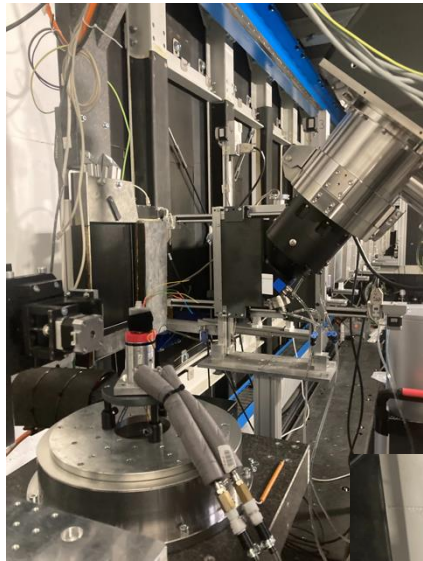
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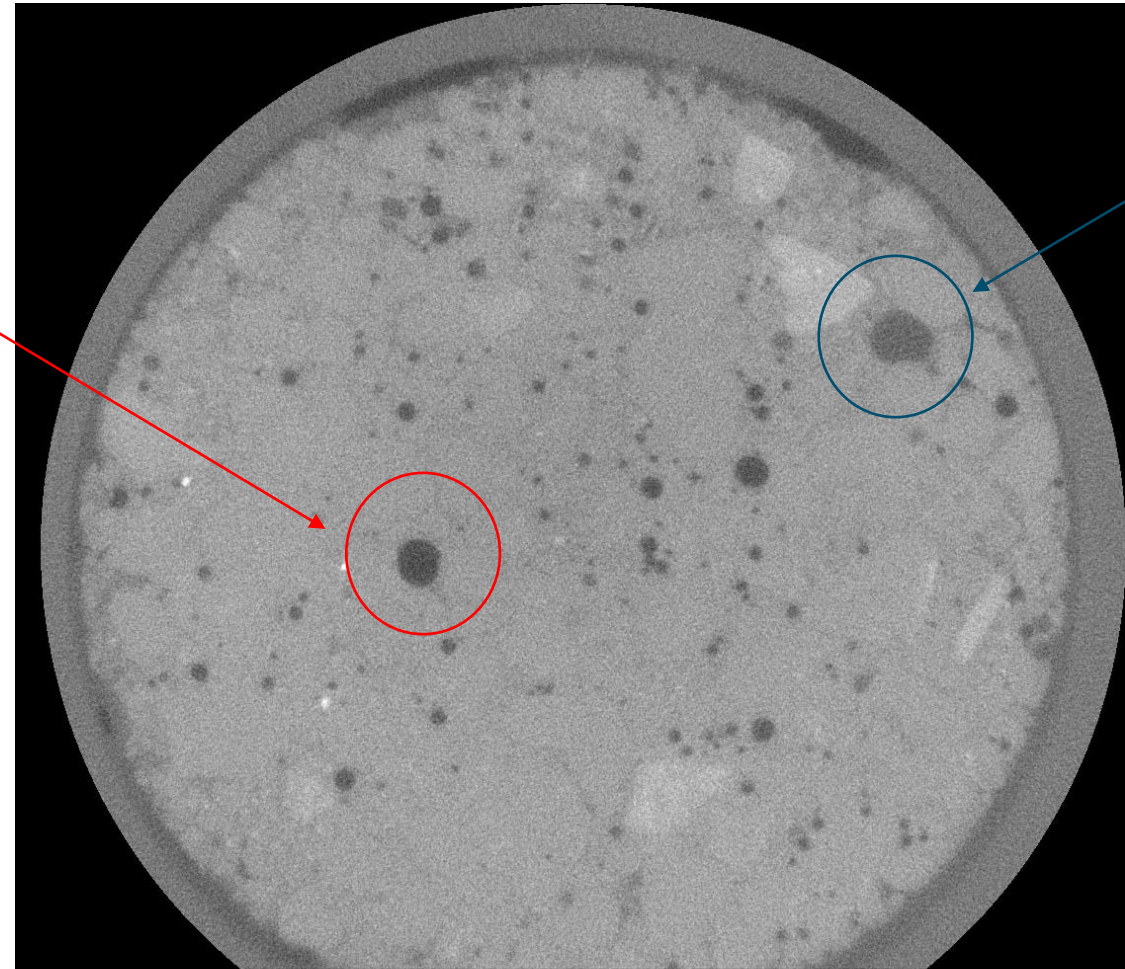
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Reference dataset

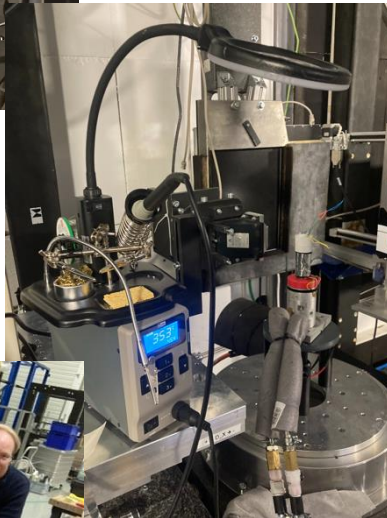
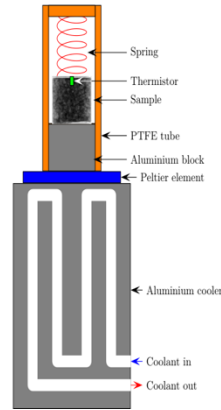
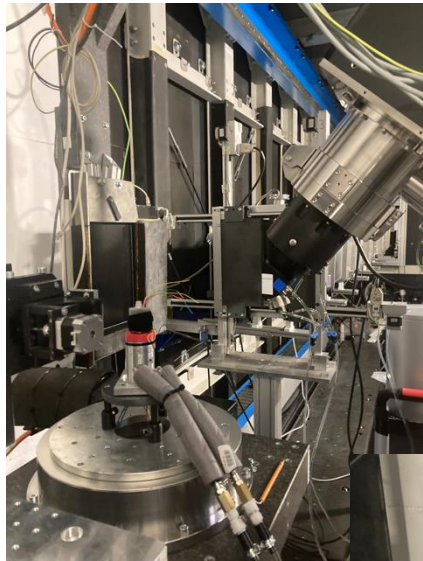


Started with the x-ray data...

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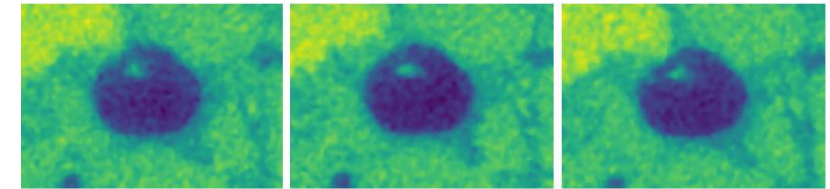
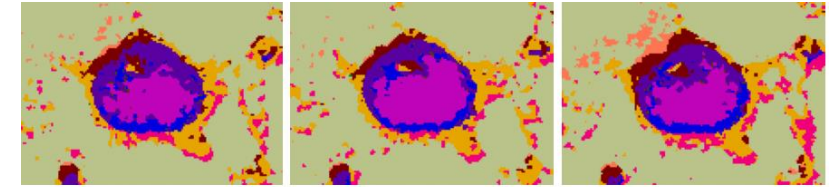


Outer pore

Frozen 2

Thawed 2

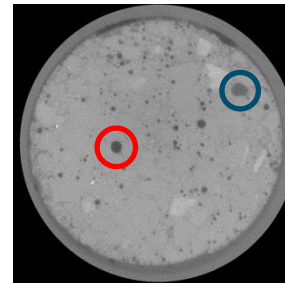
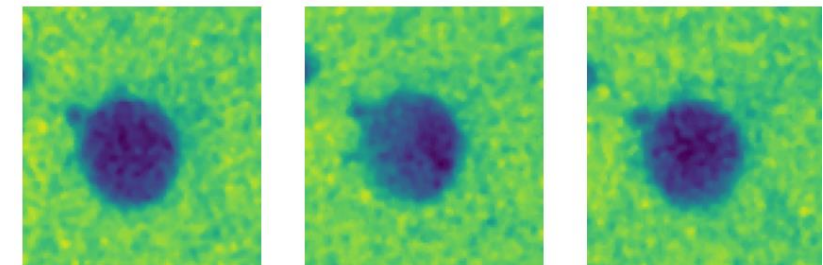
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Inner pore

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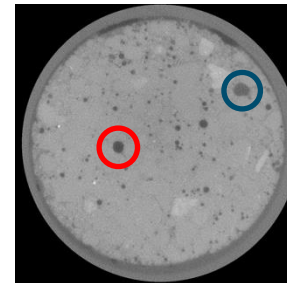
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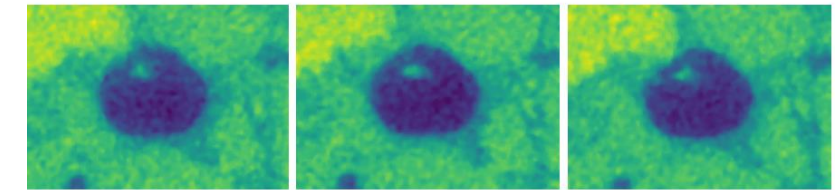
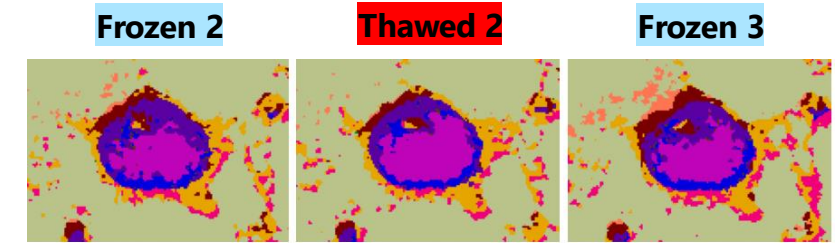
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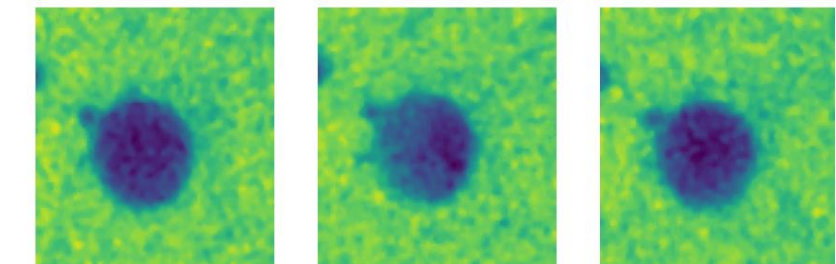
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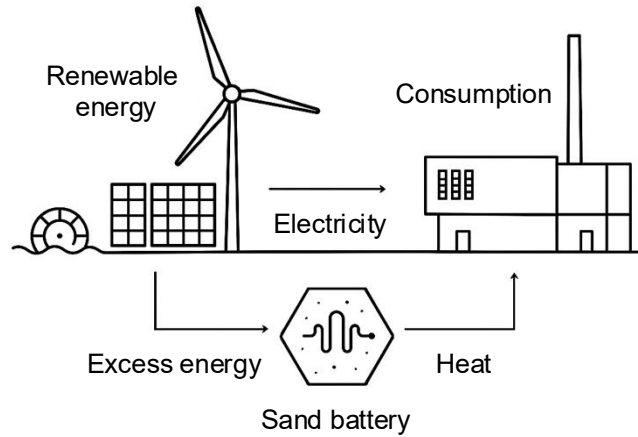
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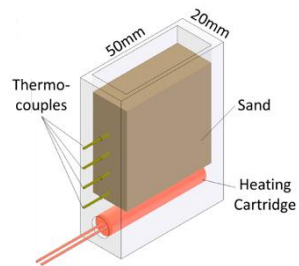
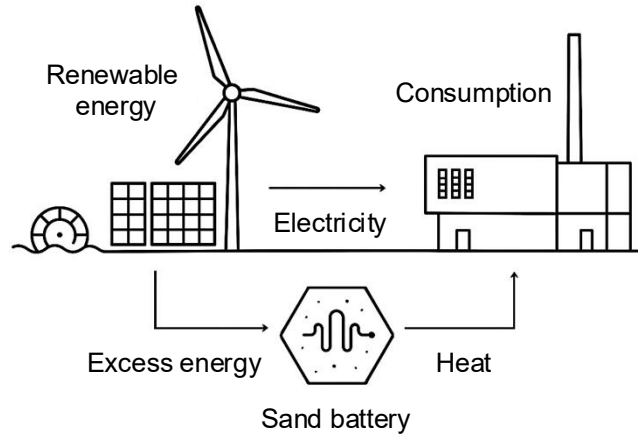
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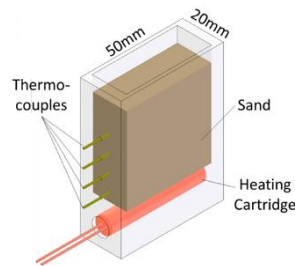
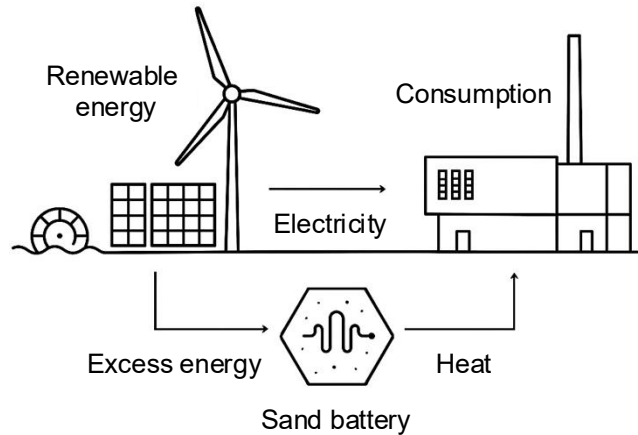
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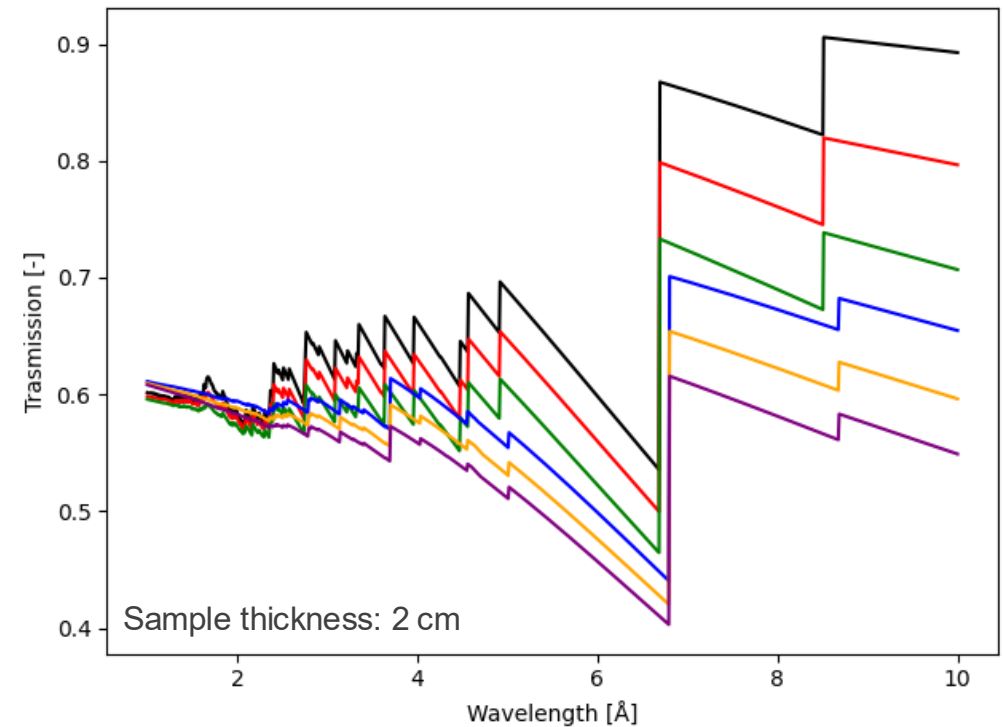
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NCrystal simulations



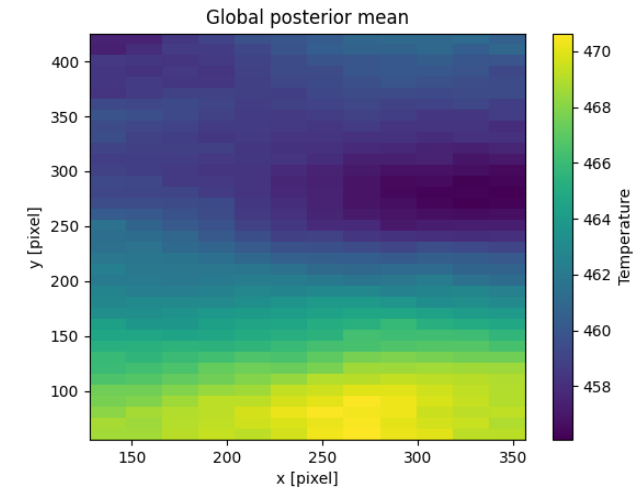
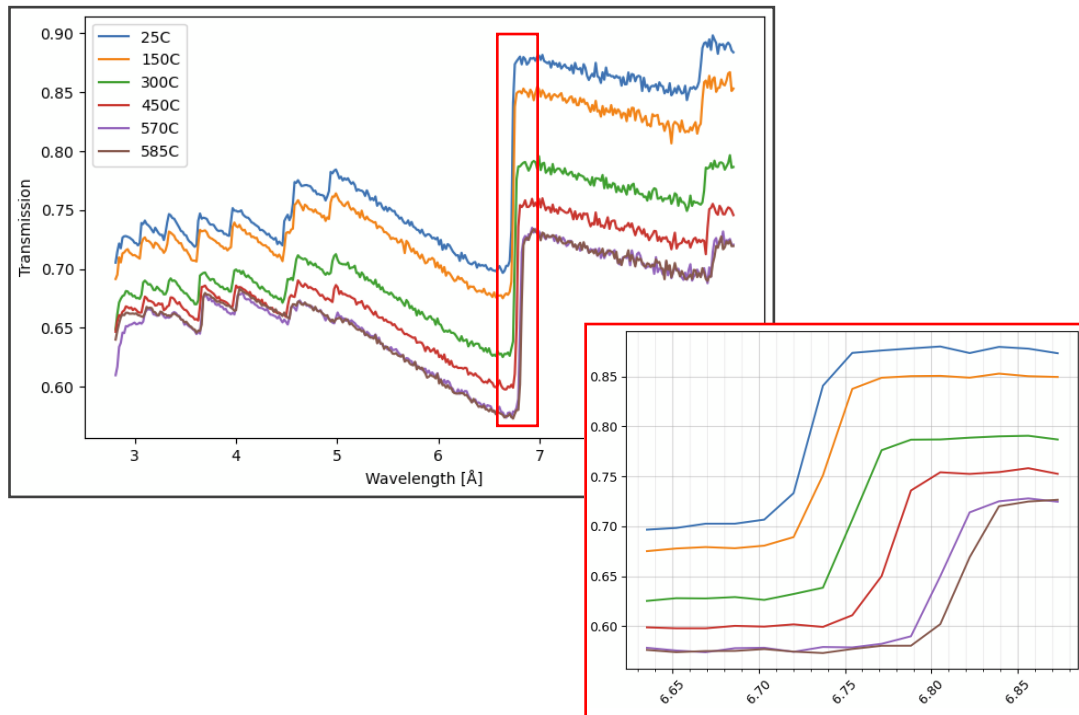
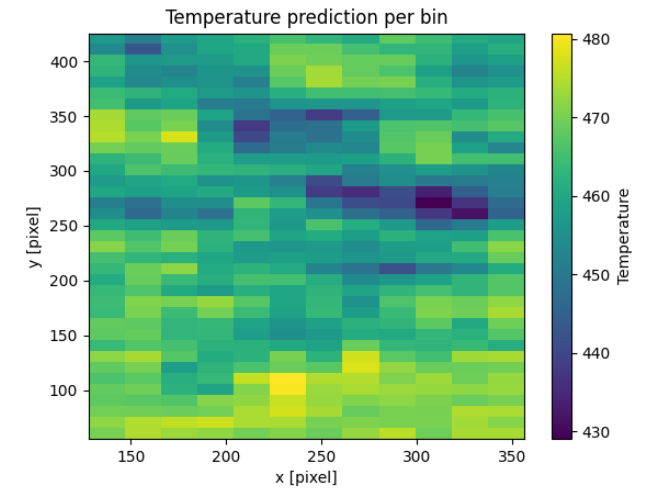
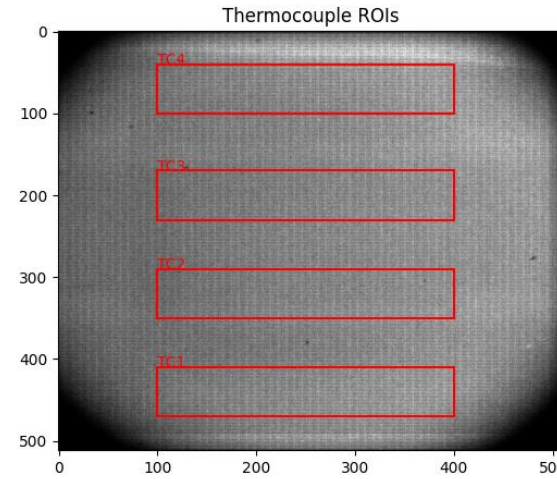
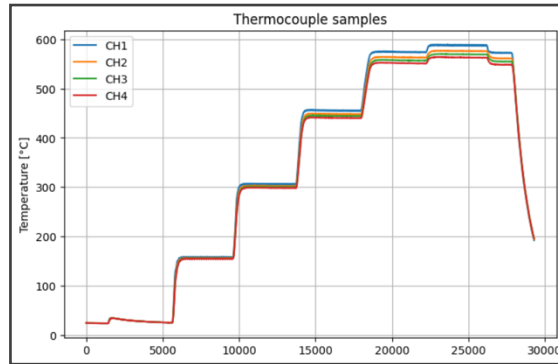
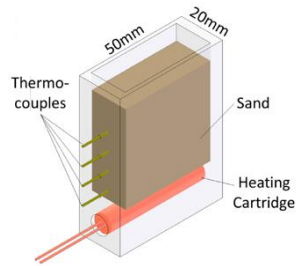
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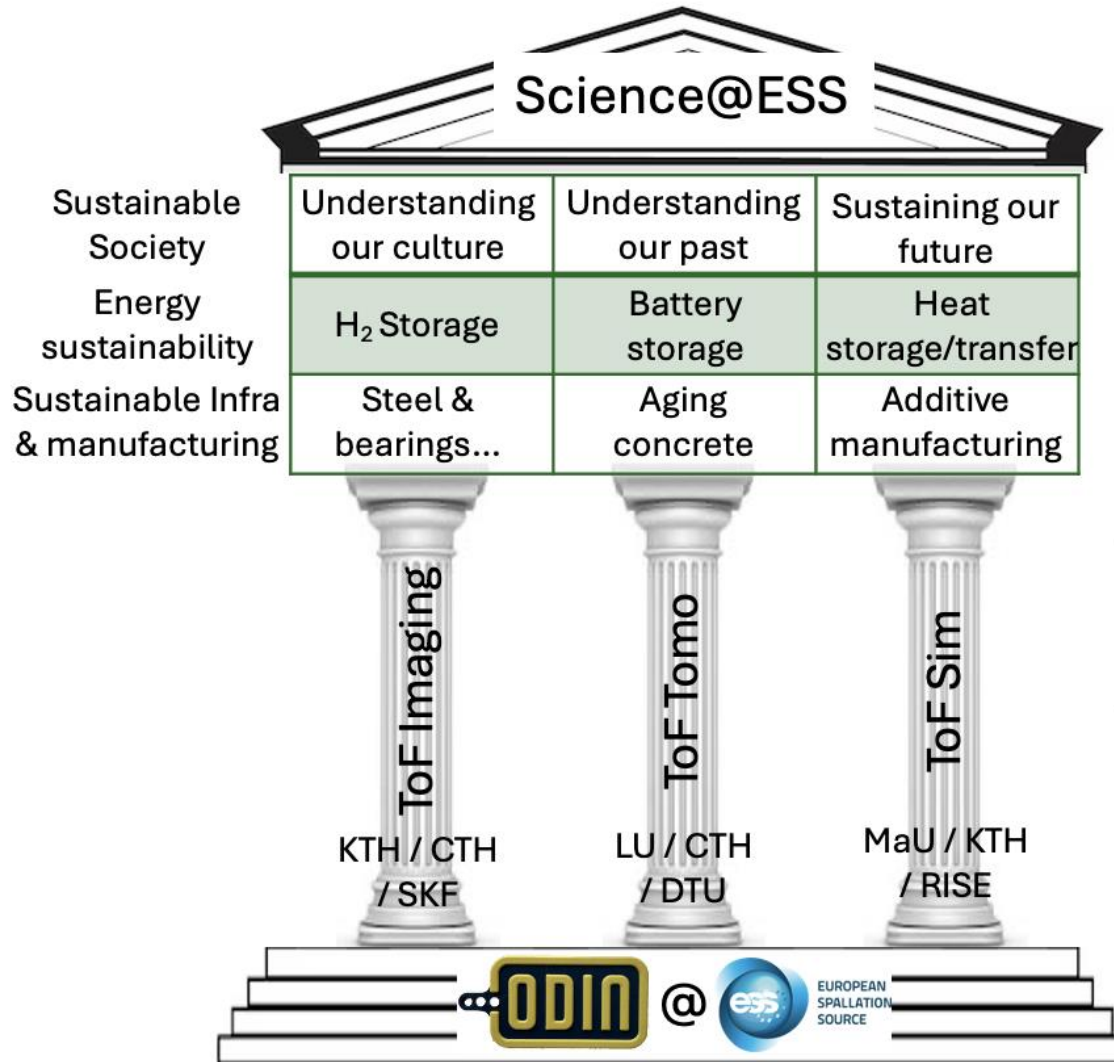


First science strategy

HypersplN – Swedish initiative for first science at ODIN



GRANTED



1. ToF-Imaging: Crystalline Insights with hyperspectral Imaging
 - Lead: Dahlberg, KTH
 - Associated: CTH?, UU?, SKF?
2. ToF-Tomo: Decoding Materials and processes in 3D with ToF Tomography
 - Lead: Hall, LU
 - Associated: Dijkstra (CTH), Jørgensen (DTU)
3. ToF-Sim: Pioneering ToF Imaging for new challenges and materials
 - Lead: Hektor, MaU
 - Associated: Söderberg (KTH), RISE

AGENDA



Updates since last STAP

TG5 experience

Previous STAP report – Comment on suggested actions

Update x-ray setup

First Science Strategy

Summary

Summary



Lessons from integrated tests

Stress-test full system

Stress test detector data (mimic LumaCam data stream -> via nexus stream using data from JPARC/ISIS)

Align chopper conventions

Improve coordinate system for instrument control

User workflows & dry-runs (STAP recommendations)

Sample handling, logistics, activation

Realistic dry-runs incl. user equipment

Software & data readiness (STAP recommendations)

Validate full workflow with real data

Improve coordination with DMSC (clearer deliverables, closer integration)

Converter sripts from 'standalone' data to ESS nexus type data (so DMSC tools can also be used)

Improve decision-making & reduce overhead

Strengthen trust in instrument expertise for faster decisions

Minor fixes and operational improvements have become easier already, build upon that...

Reduce administrative burden from unclear documentation requests

First science prep

Include calibration experiments and standard samples

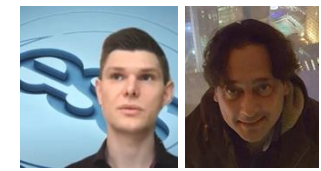
Ensure sufficient resources (HW+MP) for full TOF imaging data analysis by the instrument team

THANK YOU!

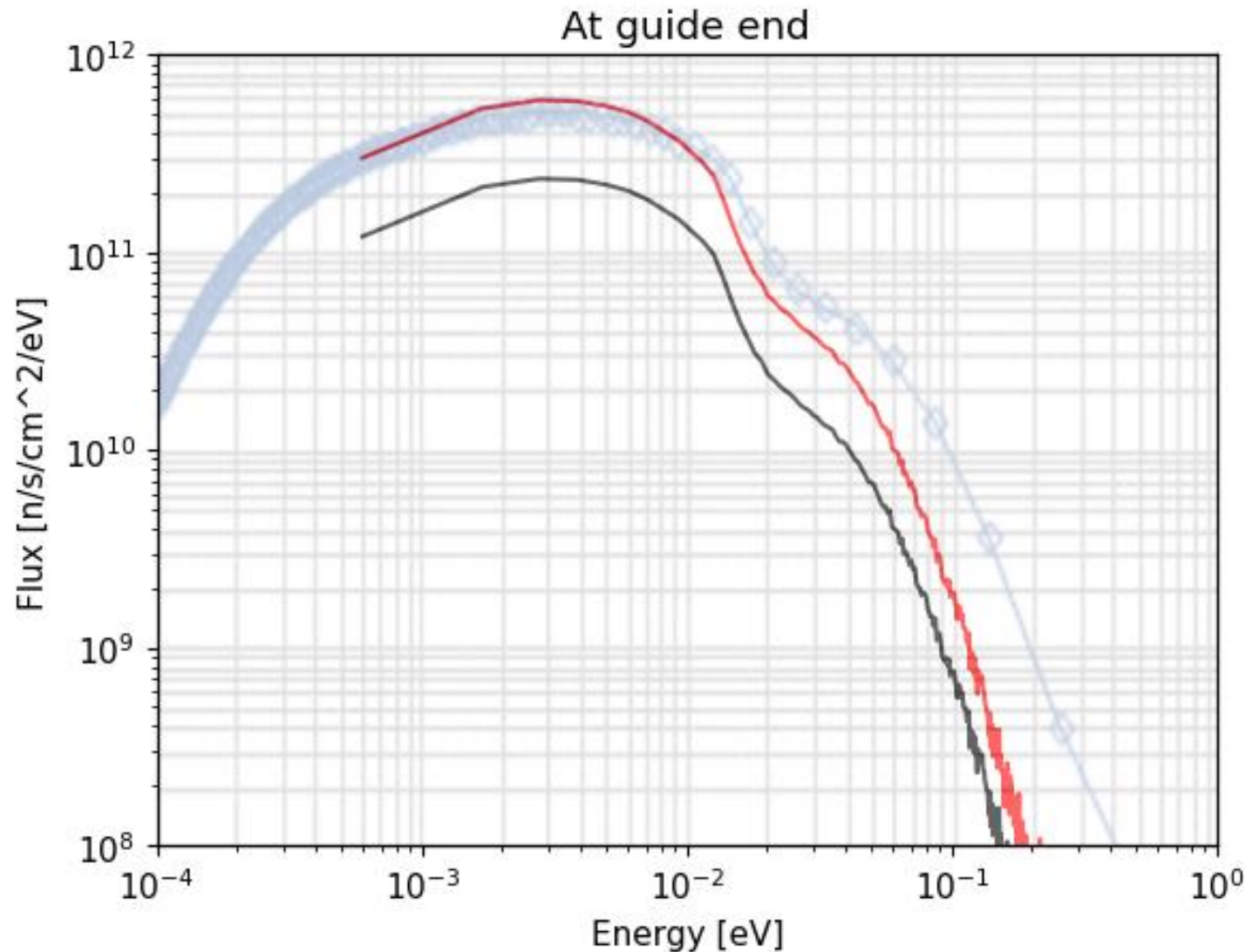


ODIN

New McStas results



Mads Bertelsen
Søren Schmidt



Results for white beam, no choppers

End of guide (4.27 cm x 2.24 cm²):

- Total intensity 2.98E10 n/s
- Average flux **3.31E9 n/s/cm²**
- See figure with comparison to earlier results, black curve is 2 MW (red is 5 MW for comparison)

Yes, it matches closely (at relevant energies accessible with McStas)



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Summary:

- NBOA geometry updated using CAD drawings
- Distance from ISCS coordinate center to NBOA match almost perfectly, at most a 0.18 mm offset horizontally
- Supermirror reflectivity model in entire guide updated from using McStas default (which are quite pessimistic) to something that looks a lot more like what Swiss Neutronic advertises on their webpage

Known issues

- Model does not support gravity
- Custom component for bi spectral extraction does not support different m values for the different sides, so the first 30 cm have $m=4$ on top and bottom simulated, while only $m=2$ is installed

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 - Total intensity 2.98E10 n/s
 - Average flux **3.31E9 n/s/cm²**
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- **Pinhole** 3.0 x 3.0 cm²
 - Total intensity 2.40E10 n/s
 - Average flux 2.67E9 n/s/cm²
- **Sample** (center, **L/D 350** with the 3.0x3.0 cm pinhole and 10.5 m distance)
 - Peak flux in center 1x1 cm²: **2.92E7 n/s/cm²** (L/D 300 approx.: 4E7 n/s/cm²)
 - Average flux over 30x30 cm²: 1.49E7 n/s/cm²
 - Instrument suite paper claims 1.2E9 n/s/cm² at L/D 300 and 2 MW (unknown if peak or detector average)

New McStas results

New MCNP simulations for ODIN from our spallation physics group for Activation Analysis:

Let's quickly compare.

McStas at 2WM:

McStas: $2.92E7$ n/s/cm² n/s/cm² (L/D 350)

MCNP at 5MW:

Pos 1: 64m (L/D = 233): $4.0E+08$ n/s/cm²

Pos 2: 64m (L/D = 466): $1.4E+08$ n/s/cm²

If we scale McStas to 5WM and L/D=233, we get $2.64E+08$ n/s/cm² . That's pretty close!?