

High Power Hg Target Conceptual Design Review

Equipment Installation at CERN

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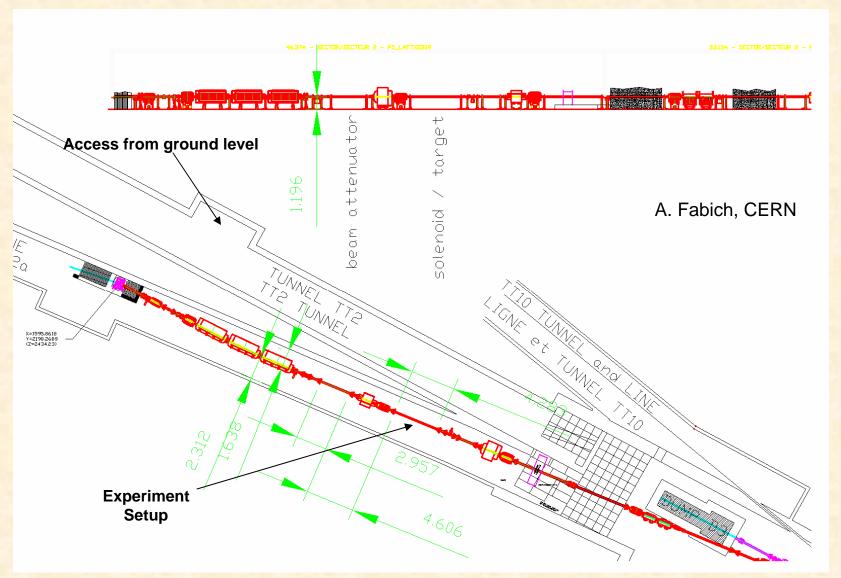
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Outline

- Facility layout & constraints
- Modularity
- Assembly sequence
- Post-experiment operations

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CERN Tunnel Plan View



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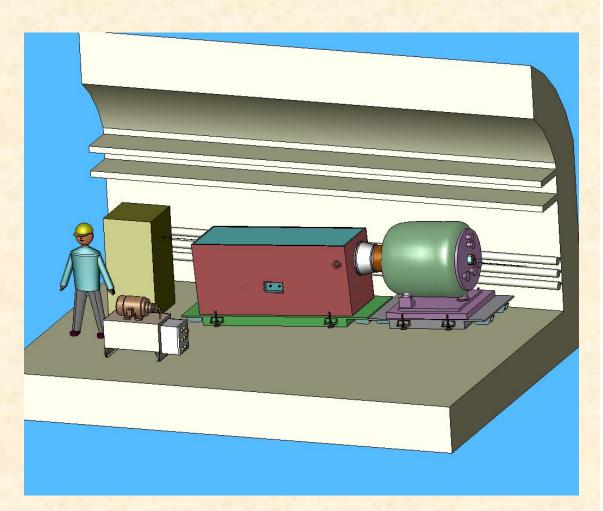
Facility Constraints

- No overhead lifting capability within tunnel
- Mobile crane used to lower equipment from ground level to tunnel floor
 - All components must have lifting points
- Components moved manually
- Modularity required
 - Component footprint size limitation is 1.3m x 3m



System Modules

- Solenoid
- Target module (inside solenoid)
- Hg delivery system
- Hydraulic pump
 & controls



Assembly Sequence

- Align solenoid to beam, set elevation and tilt
 - Fiducials assumed to be on solenoid
- Manually insert target module into bore of solenoid
 - Beam windows on primary & secondary containment can be used as fiducials to insure proper insertion depth
- Position Hg delivery system
- Align Hg delivery system as required, set elevation and tilt
 - Alignment precision dictated by size of downbeam window on secondary containment
- Connect flexible hoses
- Leak check primary containment
- Load Hg if not already in sump tank
- Position hydraulic reservoir
- Connect hydraulics & instruments



Post-Experiment Operations

- Minimize operator time near equipment
- Prefer to leave target module and delivery system intact for this operation
 - Lower Hg system and solenoid together
 - Retract Hg system, adding support for target module as it exits solenoid
 - Must have adequate clearance in front of beam stop
 - Move solenoid and Hg system out of beam line
- May need to operate Hg system one last time to move majority of Hg into sump tank (depends on type of sump drain valve used)
- System isolated for radiation decay

