

A neutron source to unlock quantum materials for the post silicon era

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1. Beyond Moore's law: Quantum materials
2. Quantum materials for energy and information
3. Quantum coherence and entanglement
4. Intertwined electronic orders
5. Driven quantum materials and devices
6. Your feedback!

The speedy evolution of AI & ML



In healthcare:

- Medical image analysis
- Predictive analytics
- Robot-assisted surgery
- Clinical decision support
- Remote monitoring
- etc.

**Increased
Automation**

**Improved
Personalization**

Natural language AI

- Language translation
- Virtual assistants
- Chatbots
- Social media monitoring
- Document analysis
- etc.

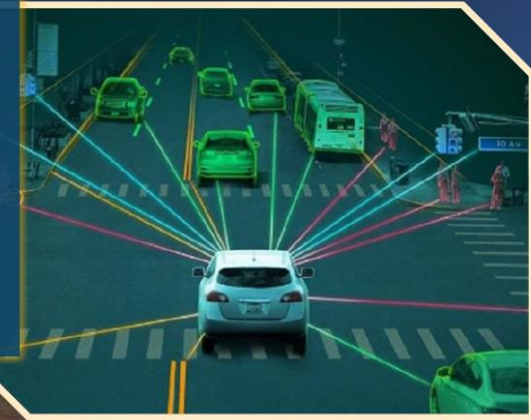


in finance:

- Risk assessment
- Fraud detection
- Algorithmic trading
- Personalized financial advice
- etc.

AI in transportation:

- Self-driving vehicles
- Pedestrian detection
- Traffic optimization
- Road condition monitoring
- Parking management
- etc.



AI has numerous applications in various industries. As AI continues to advance, it has the potential to revolutionize many aspects of society and our daily lives.

Beyond Moore come quantum materials!

Moore's Law: The number of transistors on microchips doubles every two years

Moore's law describes the empirical regularity that the number of transistors on integrated circuits doubles approximately every two years. This advancement is important for other aspects of technological progress in computing – such as processing speed or the price of computers.

Transistor count

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Gordon Moore
1929-2023

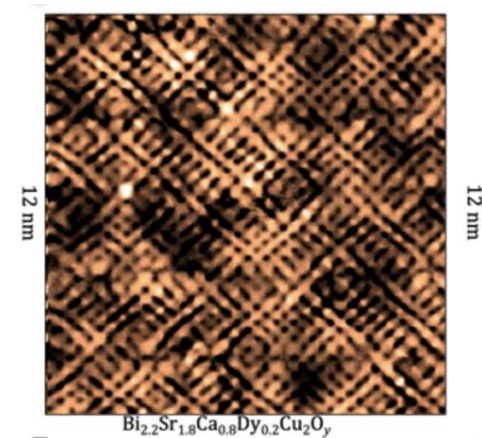


“There’s
plenty of
room at the
bottom”

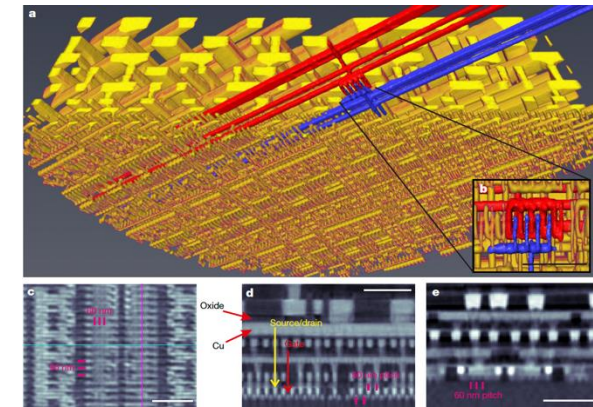
Data source: Wikipedia (wikipedia.org/wiki/Transistor_count)

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Davis STM imaging



Holler et al. 2017



Bell Laboratories 1947

Challenges in developing AI & ML

Slide from Satoru Nakatsuji, U.Tokyo Trans Scale Quantum Institute

Opportunities

Future
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Bottlenecks

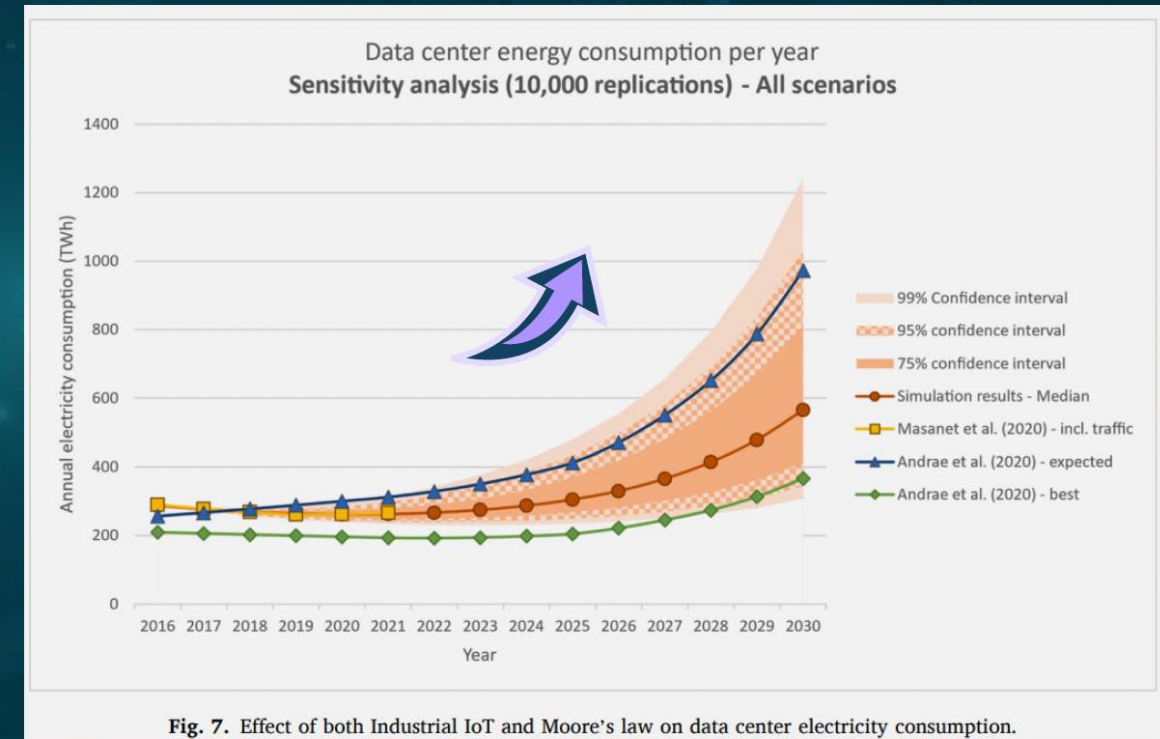
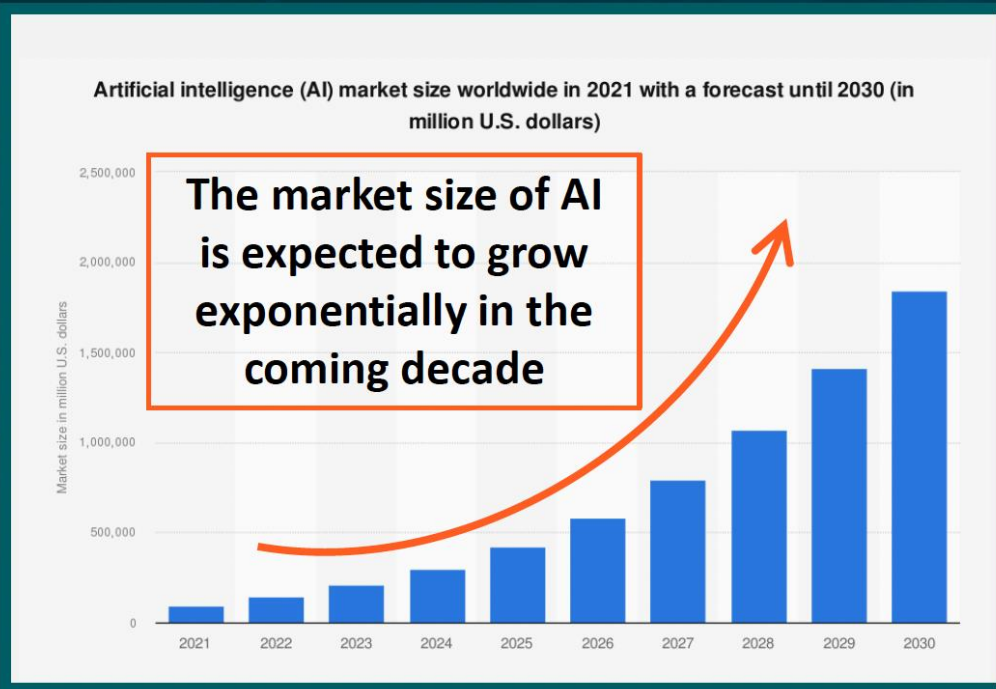


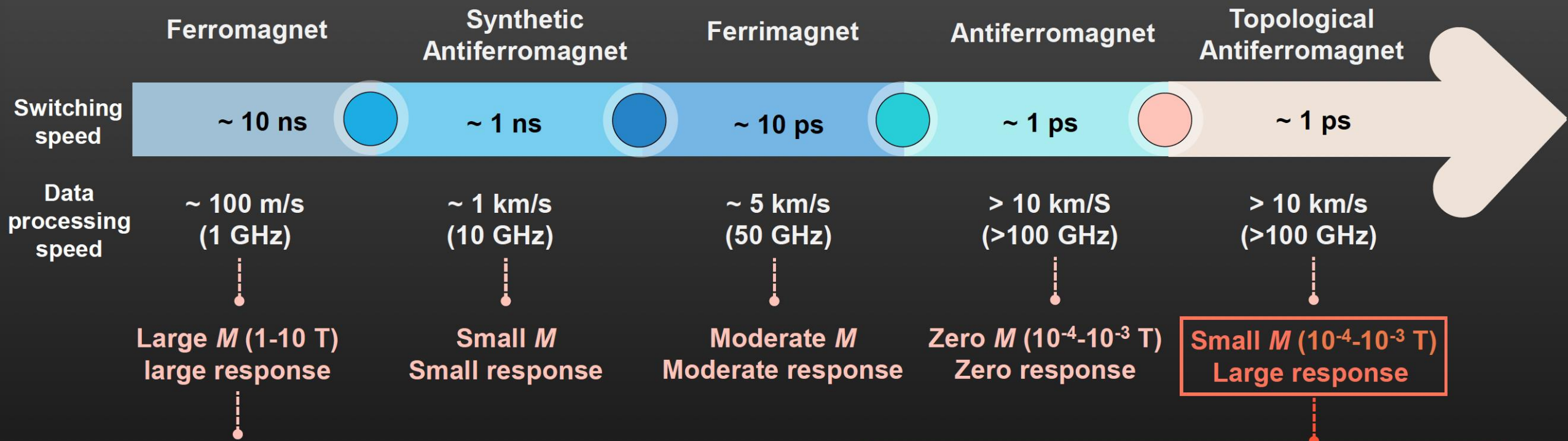
Fig. 7. Effect of both Industrial IoT and Moore's law on data center electricity consumption.

AI and ML put significantly increasing demands on computing resources, leading to the exponential growth in the data center energy consumption.

Source: J. Sevilla et al., "Compute Trends Across Three Eras of Machine Learning," 2022 International Joint Conference on Neural Networks (IJCNN)
M. Koot and F. Wijnhoven, "Usage impact on data center electricity needs: A system dynamic forecasting model," Applied Energy (2021)

Achieving ultrafast magnetic memory with topological antiferromagnets

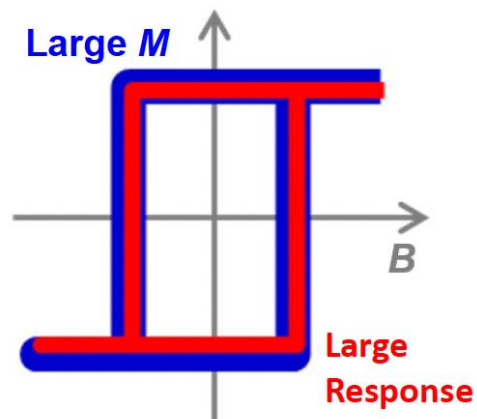
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The traditional focus of nonvolatile magnetic memory

Major bottlenecks:

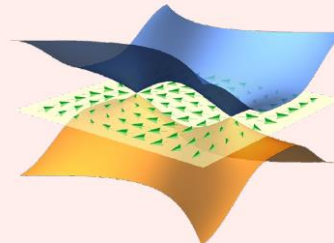
- Stray field
- Slow processing speed



VS.

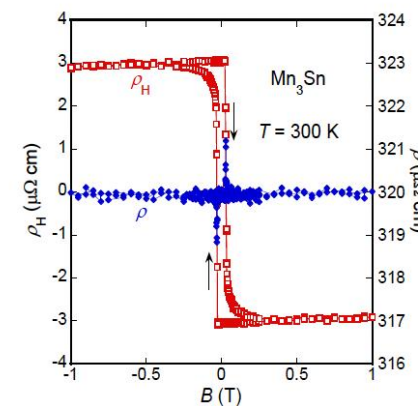
Topological Weyl antiferromagnet Mn_3Sn

Weyl nodes give a giant fictitious magnetic field of ~ 100 T



Vanishing M but large response as in ferromagnets!

S. Nakatsuji *et al.*, Nature 527,212 (2015)



The STS will be key to sustainable information technologies
and to ensuring US scientific and technological
competitiveness in the post Moore era

Accelerated discovery of new quantum materials functionality

■ **Motivation**

- CMP and technology is built on exploration of materials space
- Must optimize quantum collective properties that can defy modelling

■ **Unique role of STS**

- Collective dynamics and magnetic structure for powder, crystal, films
- Enable science at new extremes of external fields and pressure
- Data quality and volume to benchmark dynamic modelling and train AI

■ **Transformative Science**

- Discover solid state spin liquids supporting coherent quasi-particles
- Realize interface functionality
- Discover non-linear responses for neuromorphic AI

Imaging entanglement and coherence in solids

- **Motivation**

- Device realizable solid state quantum sensing
- Topologically protected quantum computing

- **Unique role of STS**

- High fidelity Q-resolved spectral analysis
- Unprecedented coherence, resolution, and polarization

- **Transformative Science**

- Accessing the quantum classical cross over in spin liquid compounds
- Model-independent solid state entanglement witnesses
- Noise spectroscopy with coherent neutrons to probe higher order correlations

Harnessing intertwined states of matter

- **Motivation**

- Intertwined orders are pervasive in quantum materials
- Key to developing novel electronic functionalities

- **Unique role of STS**

- Access to low energy excitations associated with intertwined orders
- Structural probes of magnetism in thin film forms
- Map phase space versus extreme conditions of field and pressure

- **Transformative Science**

- Magnetic order in nickelates that can only be synthesized in thin films
- Expose Intertwined order at high pressure or high fields

Driven quantum materials

- **Motivation**

- Time periodic driven systems can realize new functionality
- Interface materials where functionality is driven by hetero-structuring

- **Unique role of STS**

- Momentum resolved dynamics over 9 orders of magnitude of energy
- Structure and dynamics at buried interfaces in engineered structures

- **Transformative Science**

- Probing the THz dynamics of switching AFM domains
- Probing idealized spin liquid induced by time periodic drive

Priority Research Directions in Quantum Materials at the Second Target Station

1. Discover quantum materials that approach fundamental limits for information and energy technologies
2. Advance fundamental understanding of quantum coherent and incoherent dynamics in materials platforms
3. Unveil intertwined electronic orders in quantum materials
4. Harness coupling between transport and mesoscopic structures and dynamics in driven quantum materials and devices

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Seeking your feedback:

- What science was missed
- Questions to clarify proposed science
- Questions to clarify proposed experiments
- What areas are unrealistic or not compelling
- What technical development work is needed

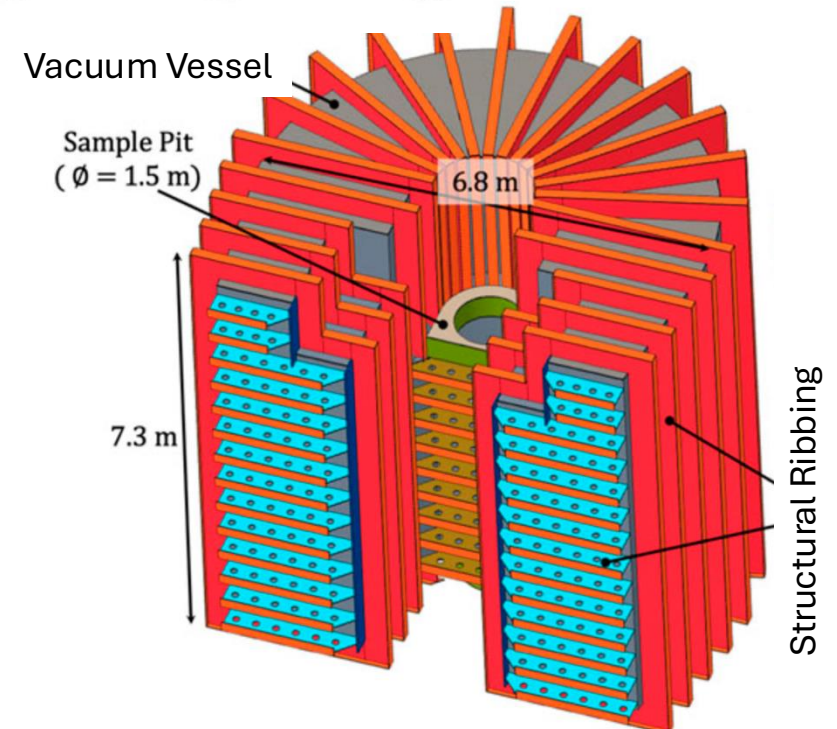
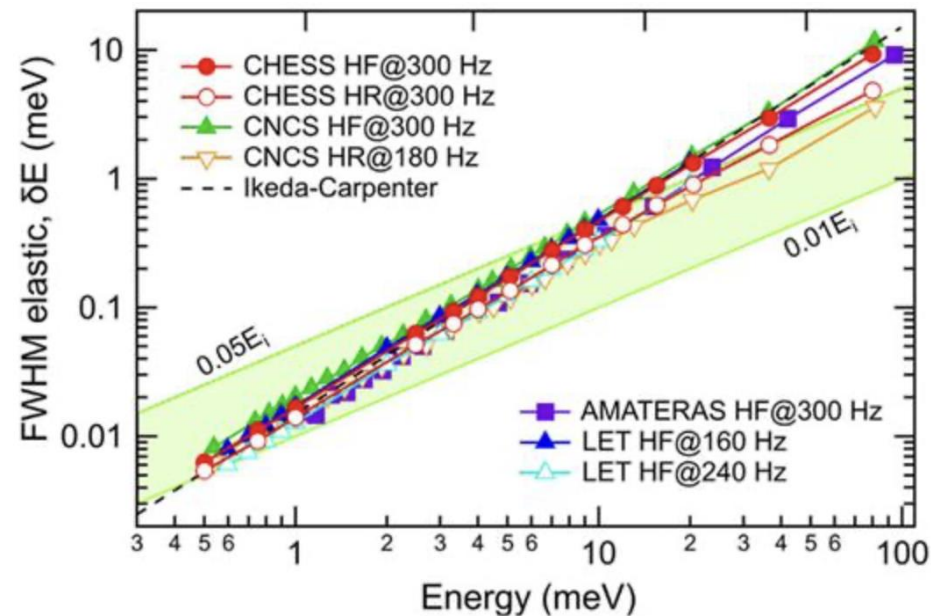
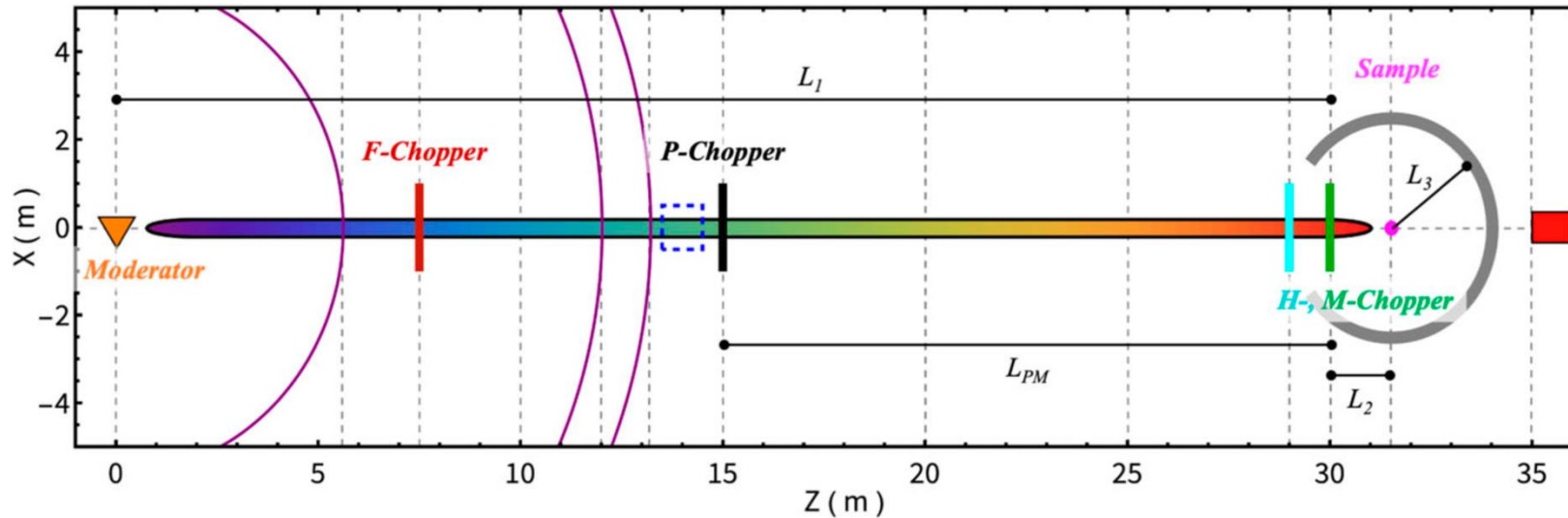
New Science Opportunities at the SNS STS

AIP Review of Scientific Instruments

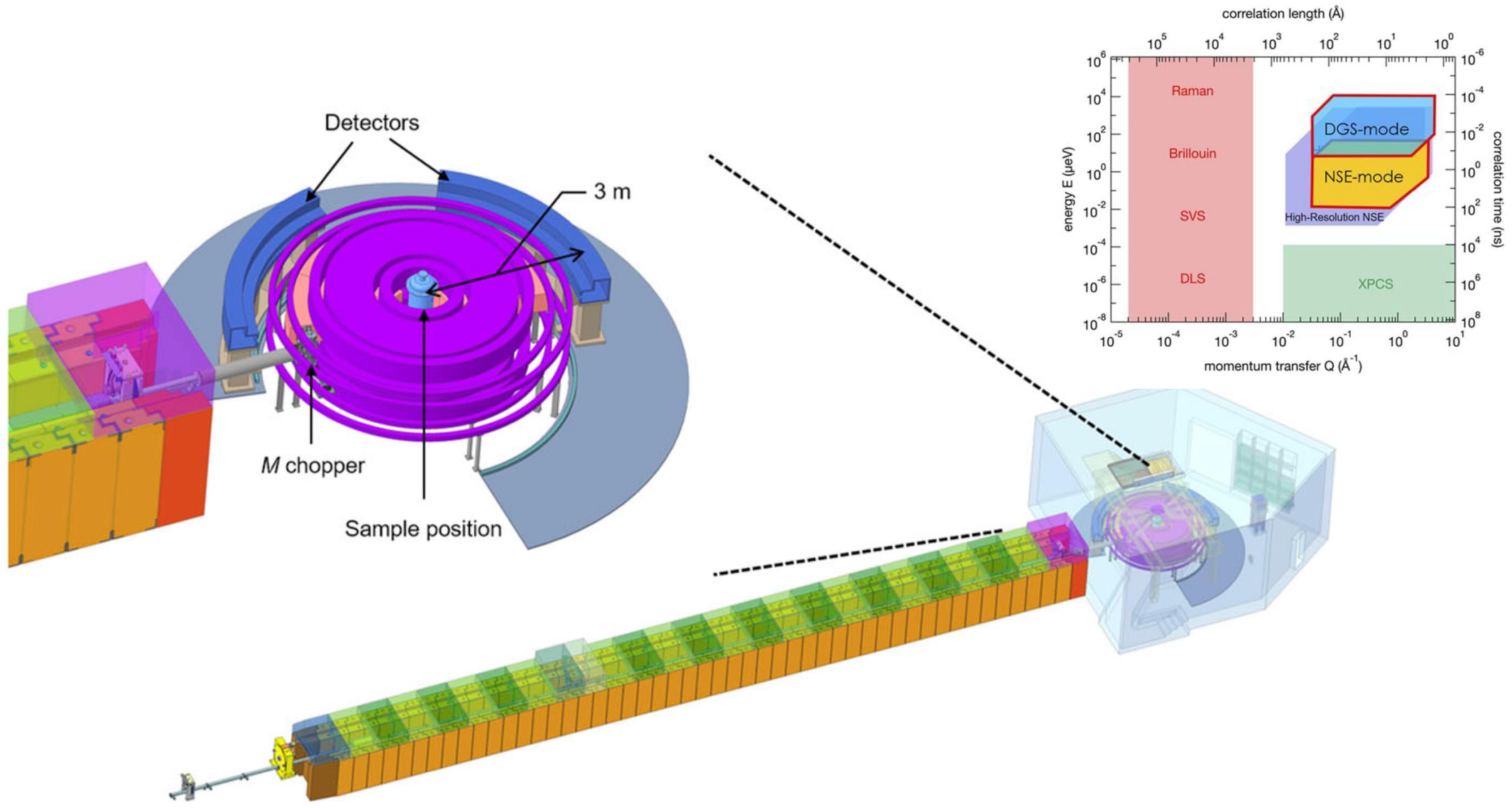
- BWAVES – broadband spectrometer
- CENTAUR – SANS/WANS
- CHESSE – cold neutron spectrometer
- CUPID – neutron imaging
- EXPANSE – wide-angle neutron spin echo
- EWALD – macromolecular single-crystal Diffractometer
- MENUS – Multi-modal engineering materials beamline for complex materials
- M-STAR – Polarized reflectometer optimized for magnetism
- PIONEER – single-crystal diffractometer
- TITAN – Extreme environments multi-modal instrument
- QIKR – kinetics reflectometer
- VERDI – polarized diffractometer

<https://pubs.aip.org/rsi/collection/1617/New-Science-Opportunities-at-the-Spallation>

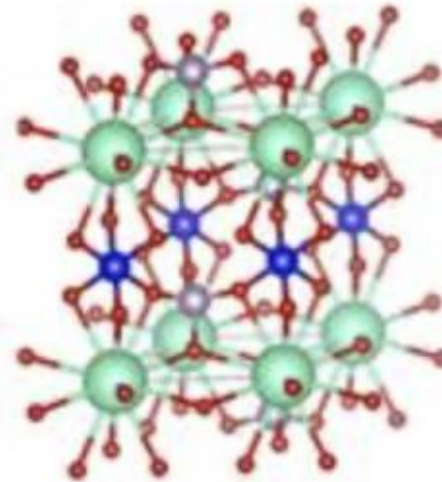
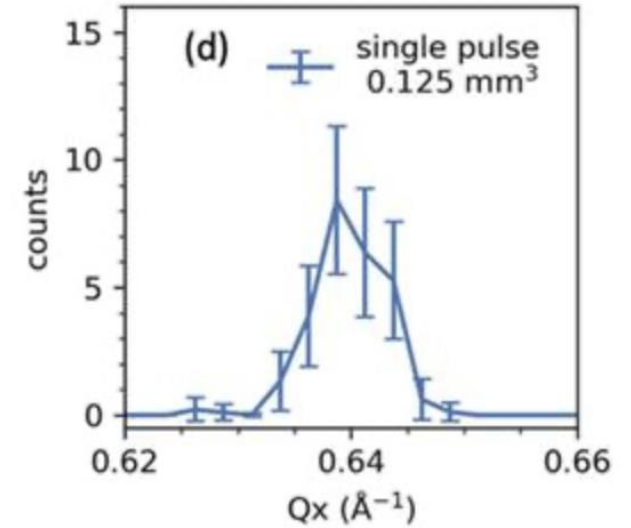
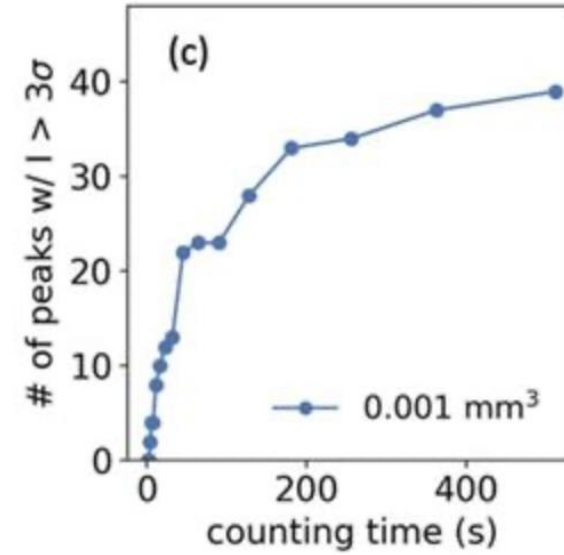
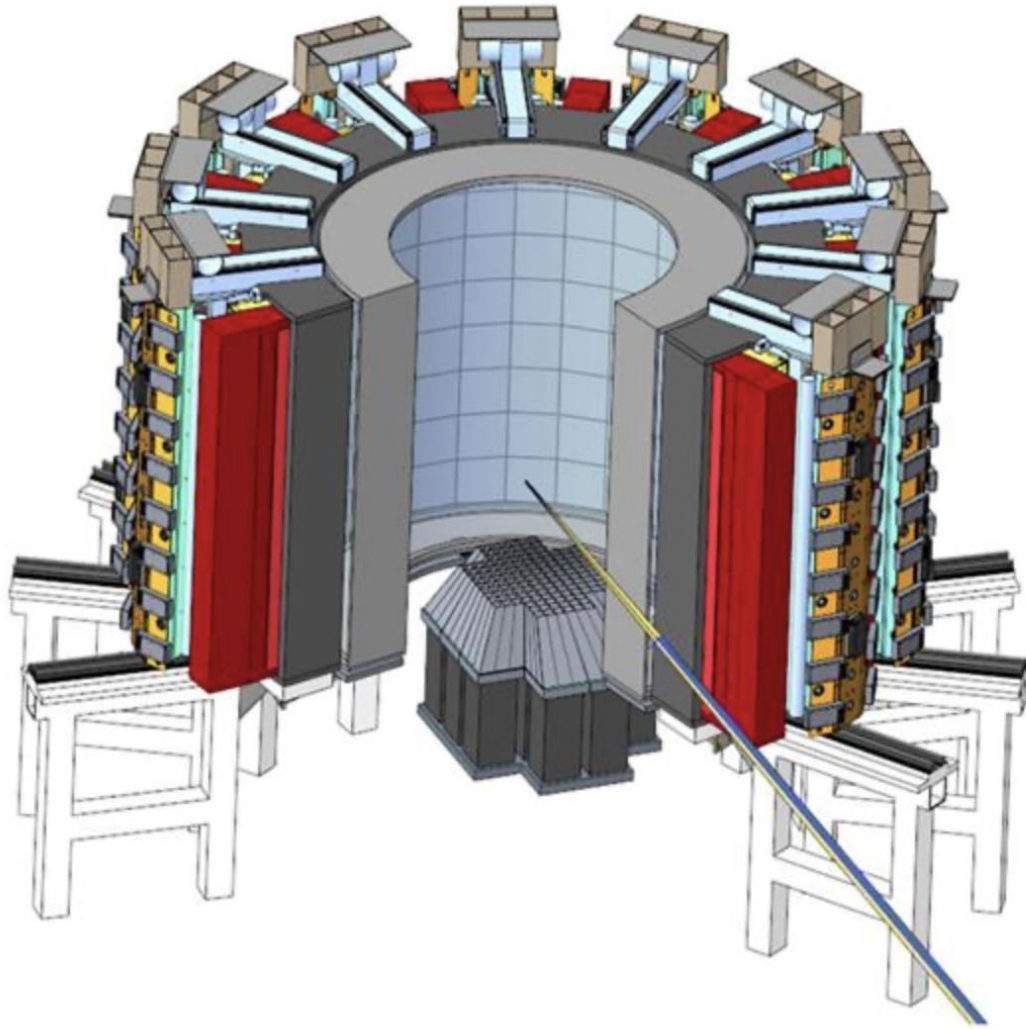
CHESS: New era of quantum materials spectroscopy



EXPANSE: The extreme quantum regime

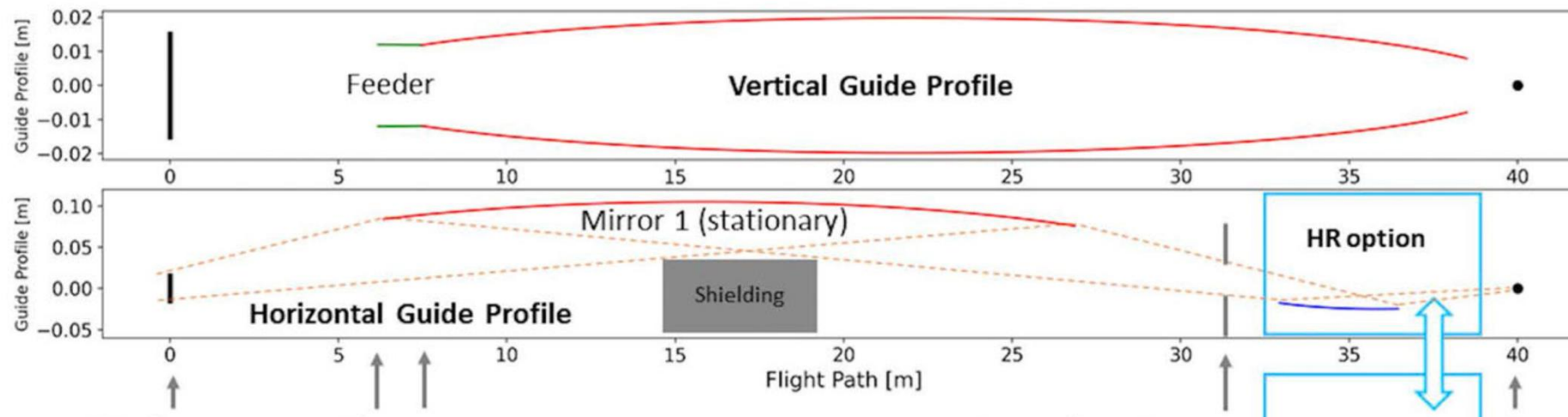
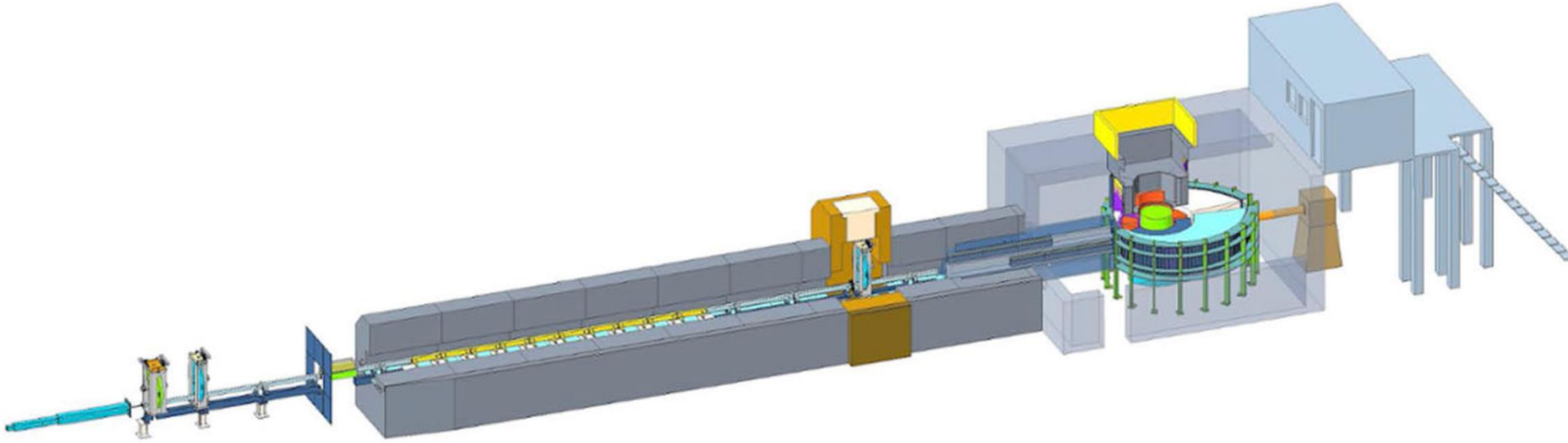


Pioneer: Magnetic structures in crystals and thin films

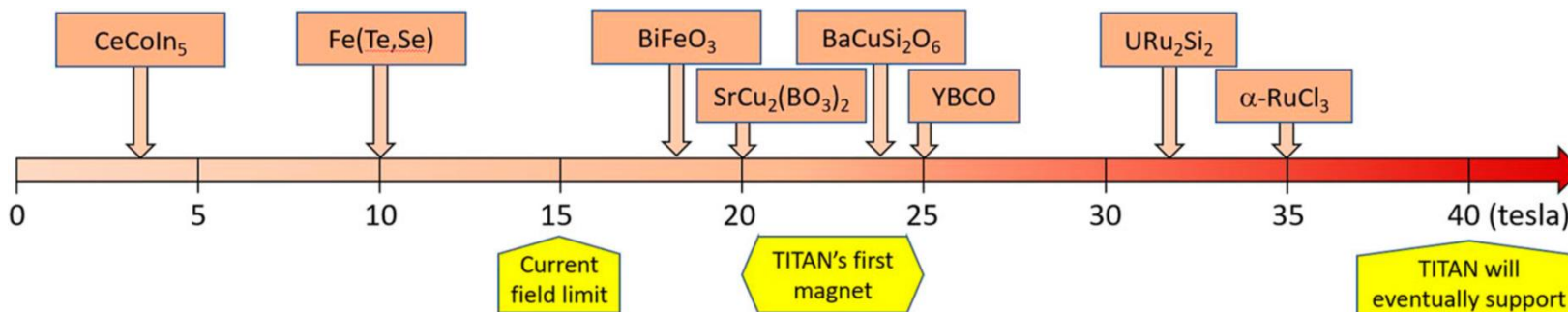
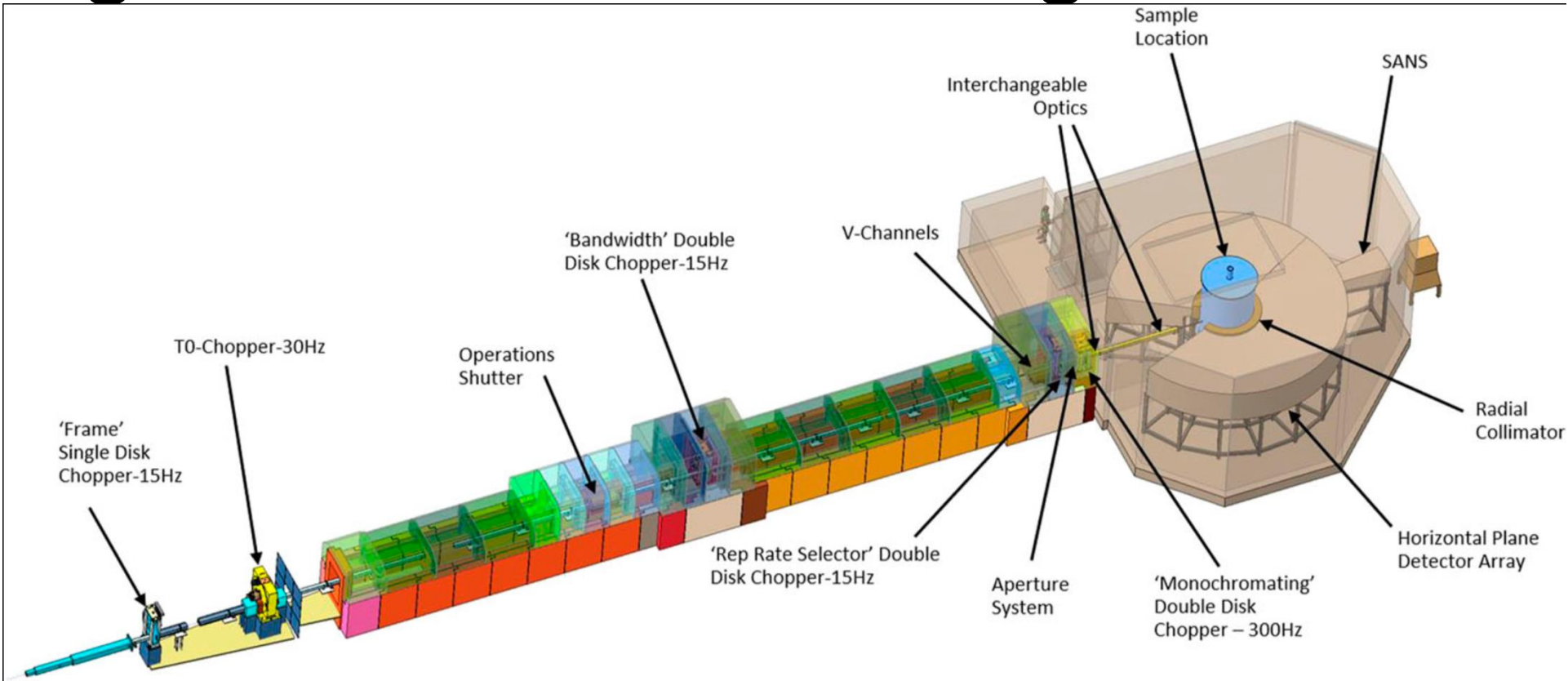


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VERDI: Magnetic structures in powders



Transforming quantum materials science through high field neutron scattering



Key Recommendation 6: The United States must establish its leading role in the combination of high-magnetic-field studies with X-ray free lasers (XFELs), synchrotrons, and neutron sources. This could best be accomplished by a National Science Foundation-supported science and technology center focused on the development of novel technology and cutting-edge science applications for quantum and atomic, molecular, and optical high-magnetic-field studies at XFELs, synchrotrons, and neutron sources.

MSTAR: Probing driven quantum materials

