

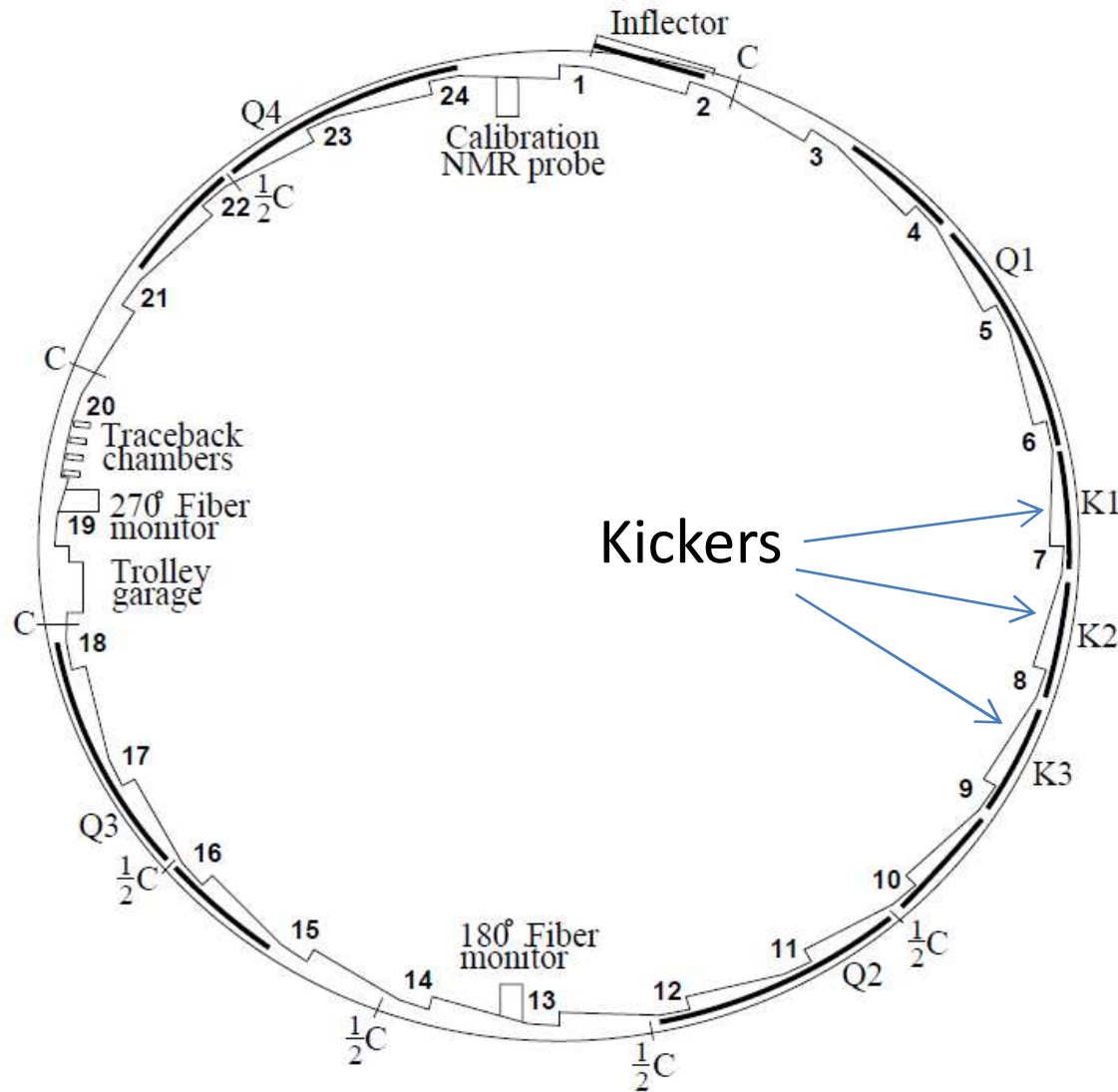
Storage Ring Kicker Update

D. Rubin and A. Mikhailichenko

Cornell University

January 11, 2012

- Status of E821 kicker prototype
 - Concept
 - Components
 - Configuration
 - Hardware
- Injection dynamics
 - Trajectories
 - Energy and angular acceptance
 - Time dependence
- Kick amplitude and width
 - Pulse forming network
 - Implementations
- Muon beam
 - Bunch length
 - Energy and angular spread



Kickers are 90° in betatron phase from the inflector exit

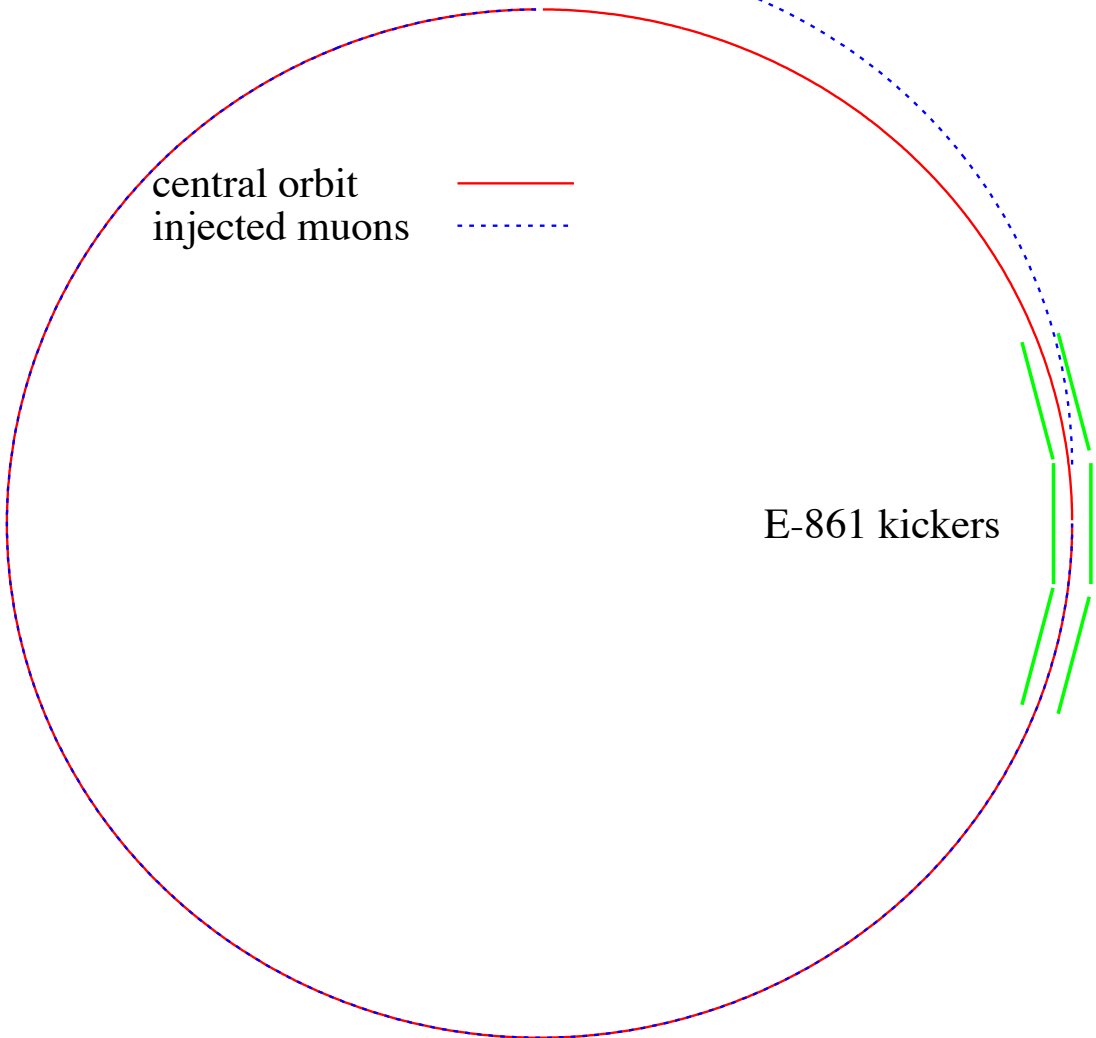
Injected muons are crossing the central trajectory inside the kickers

Kick directs muons onto central orbit

Inflector



central orbit ———
injected muons ·····

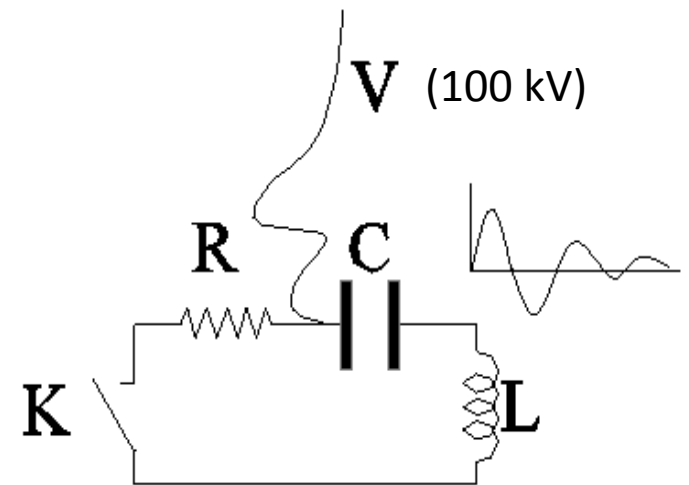


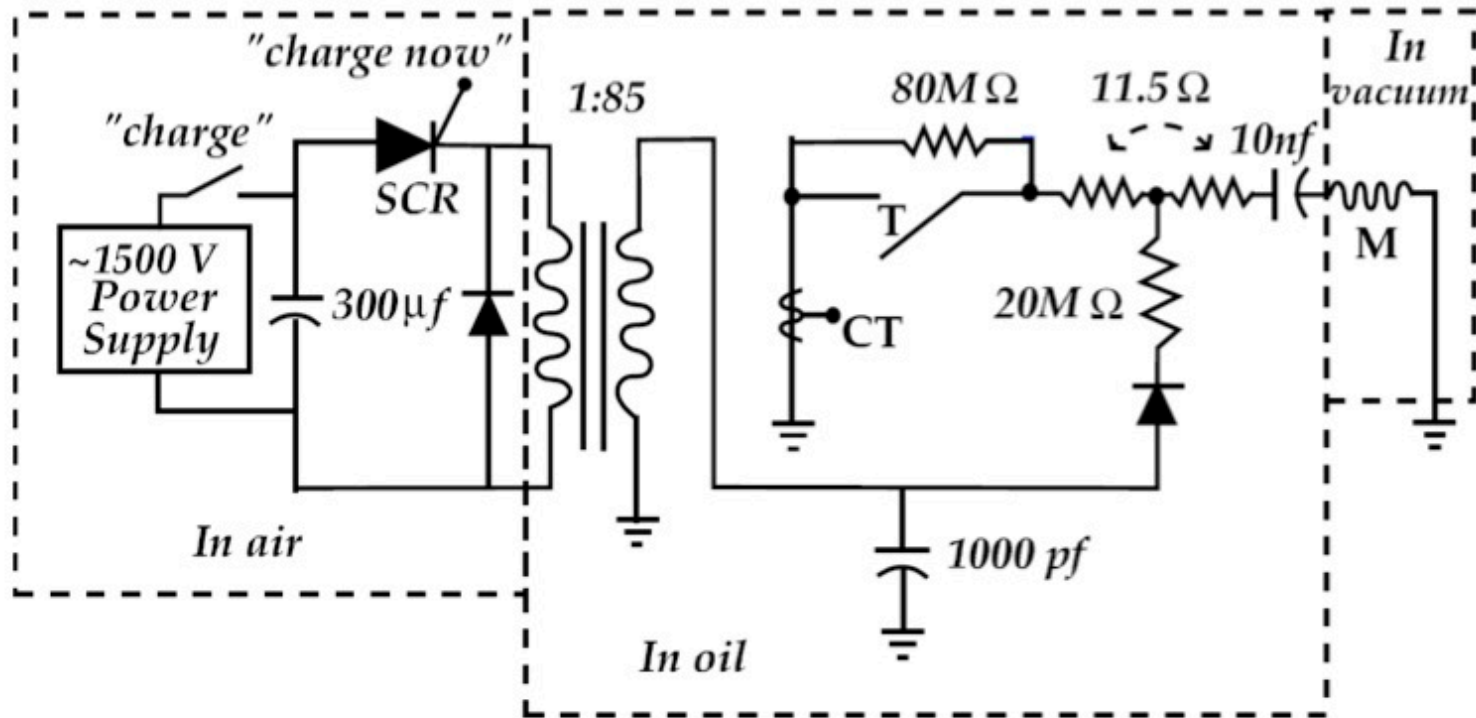
End of inflector is displaced 7.7cm radially outward from the central orbit

Radius of central orbit = 7.112 m

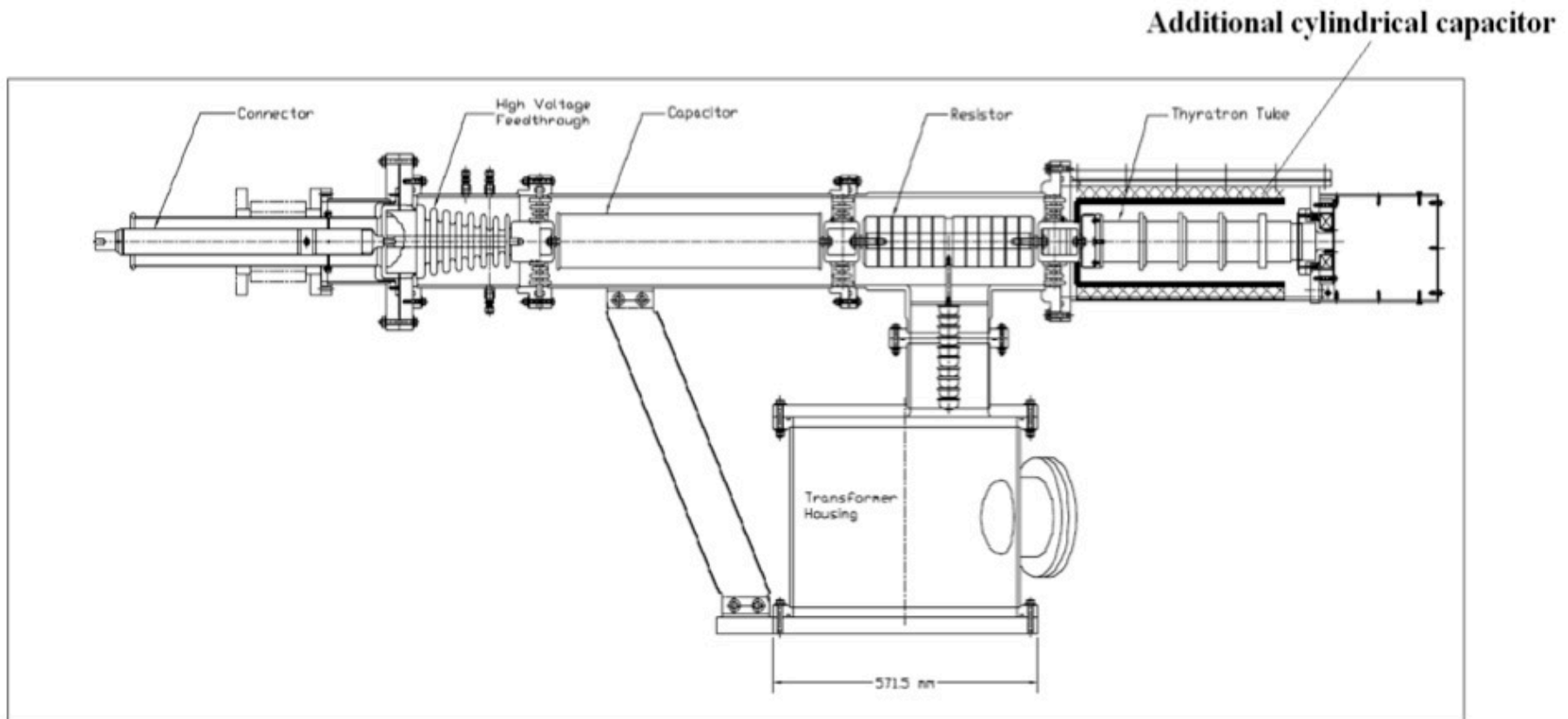
Kick ~ 10 mrad on first pass and 0 on next turn

E-861 kickers

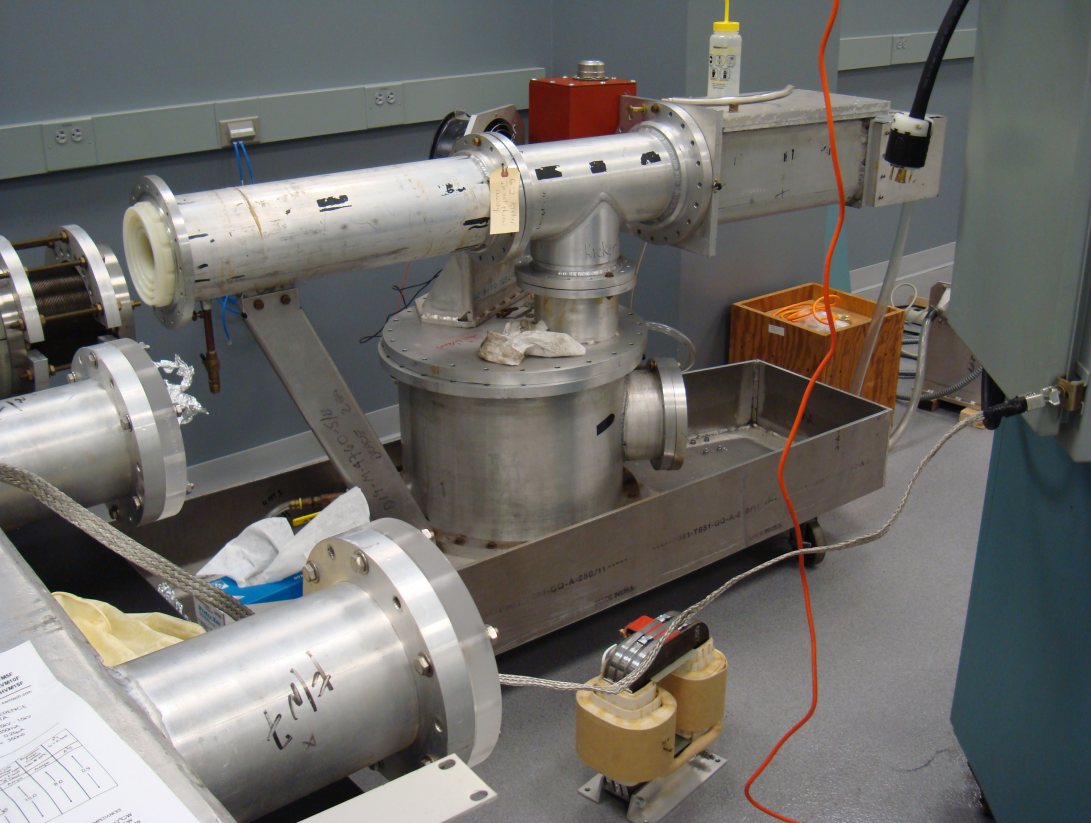




E821 – Pulser schematic



E-821 Pulser

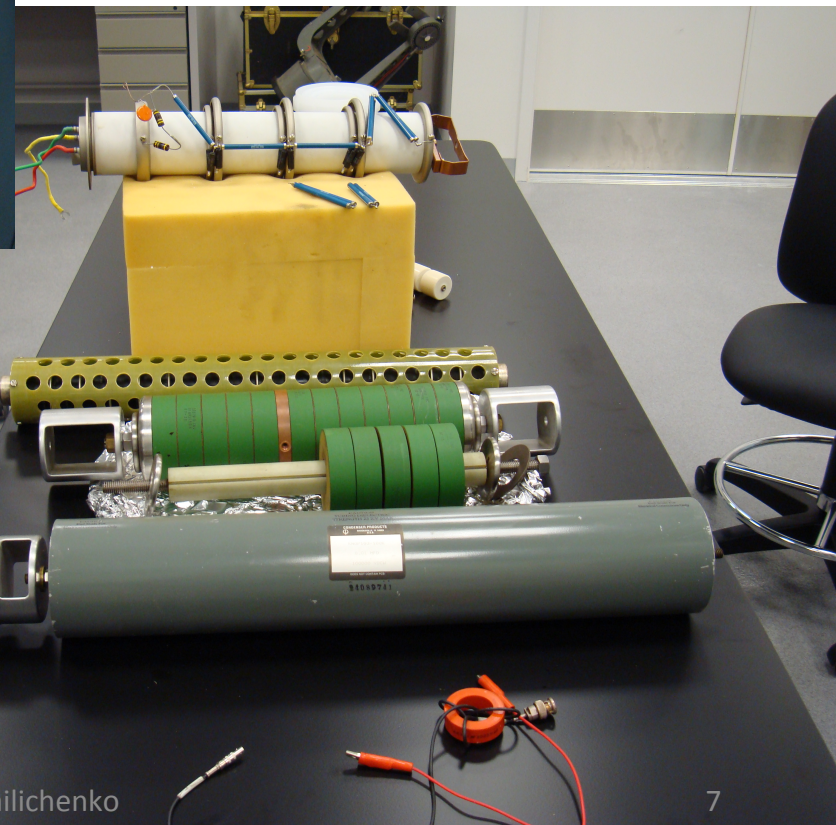


Pulser housing

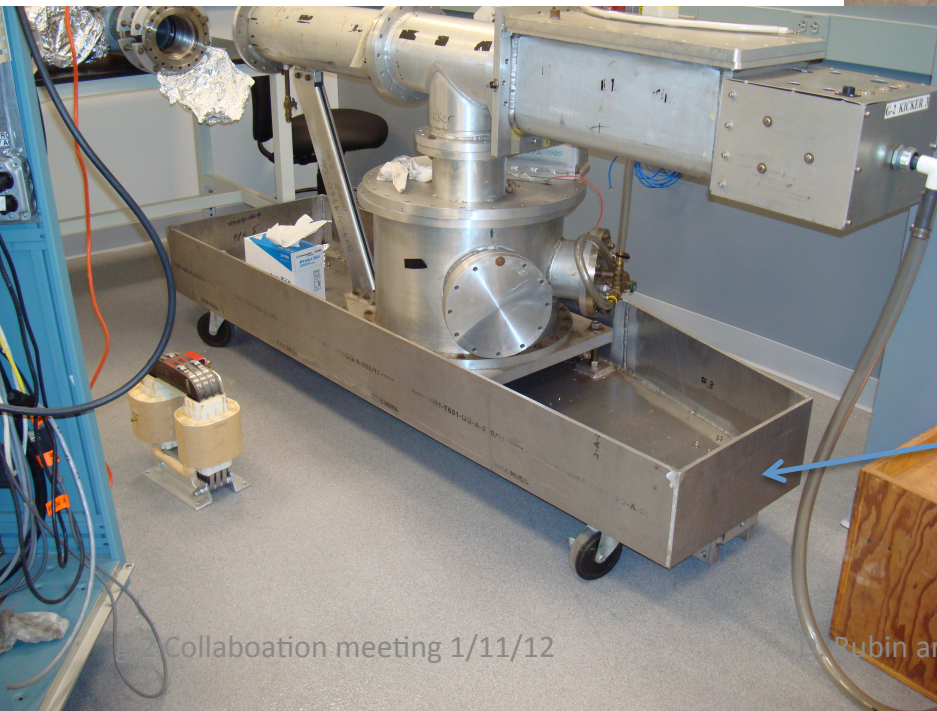
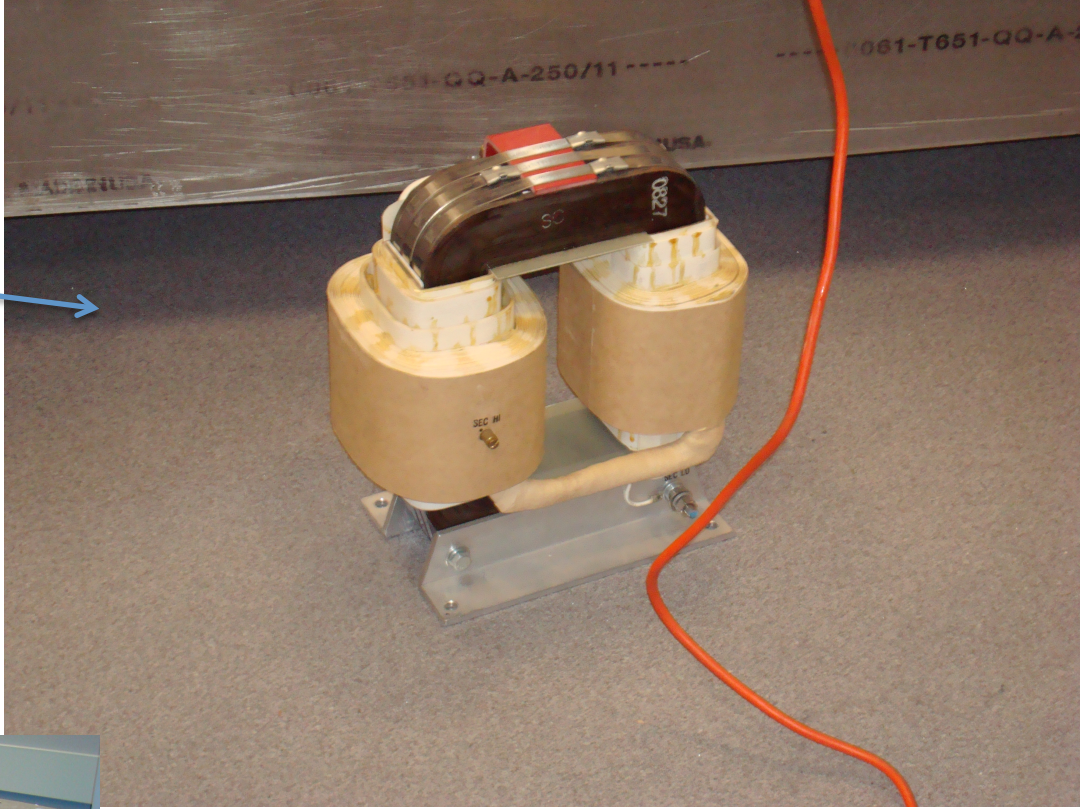
HV Transformer



- Thyratron
- Charging Diodes
- Charging resistors
- Capacitor



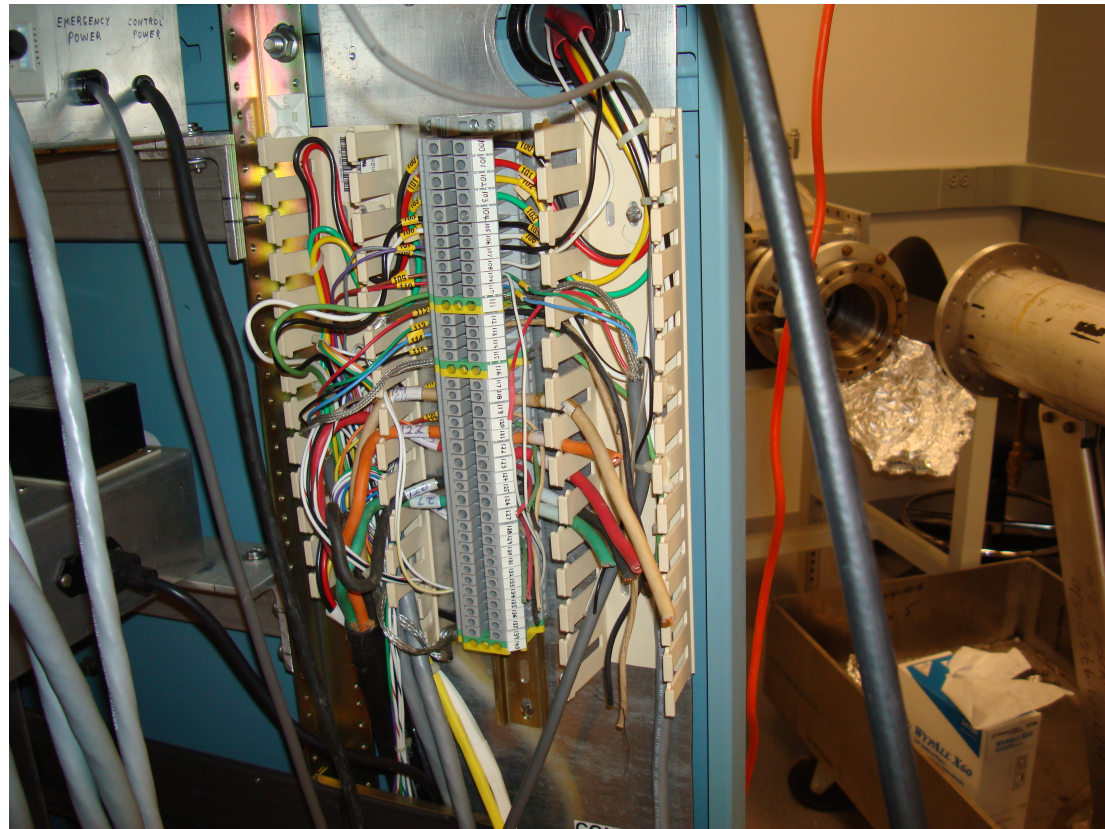
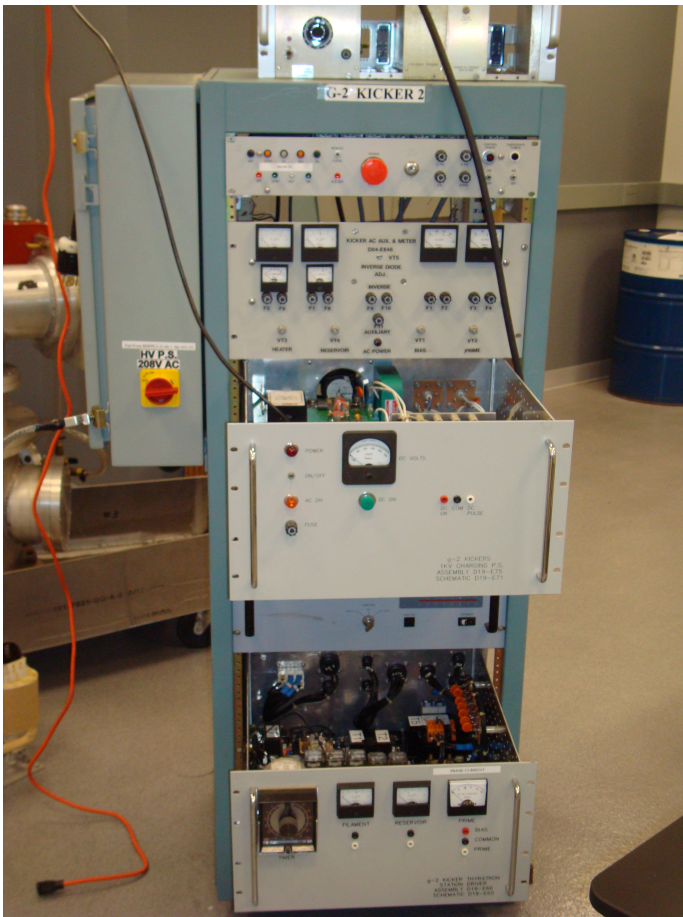
HV transformer



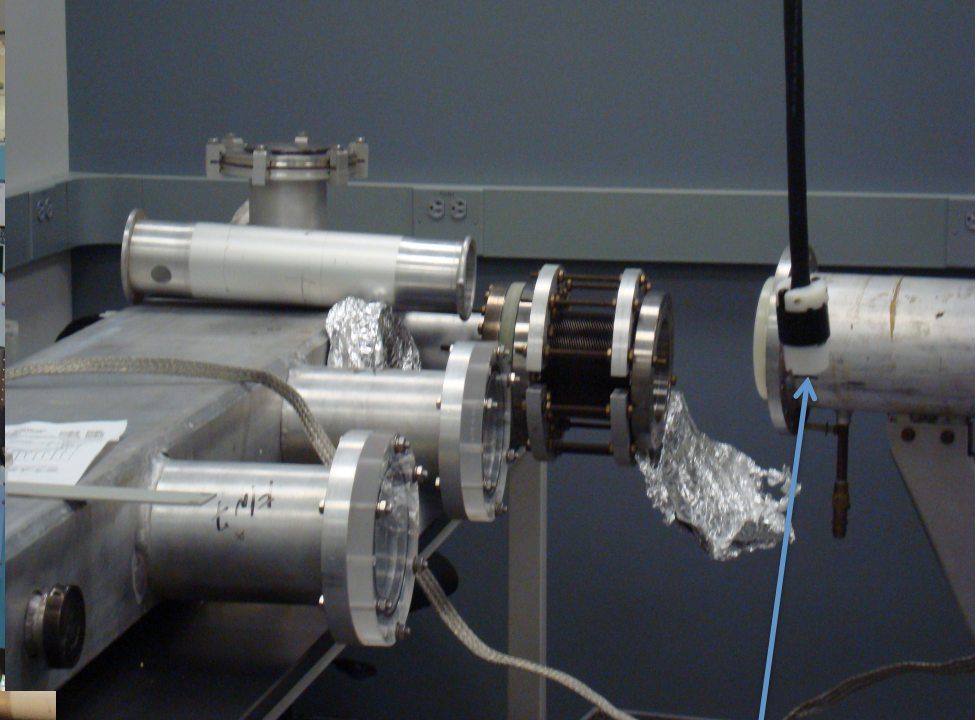
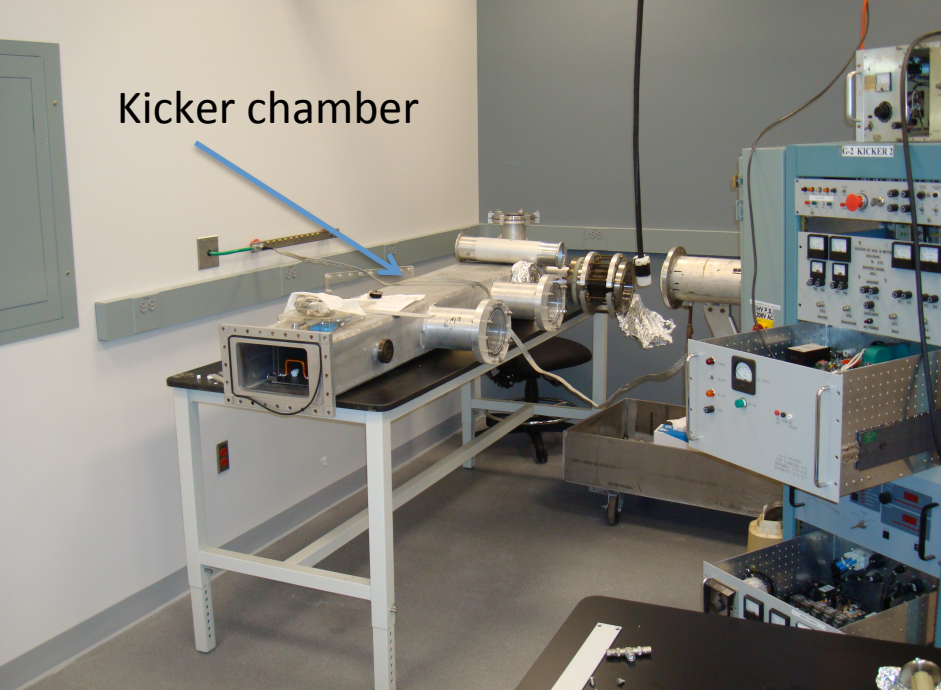
Overflow oil pool



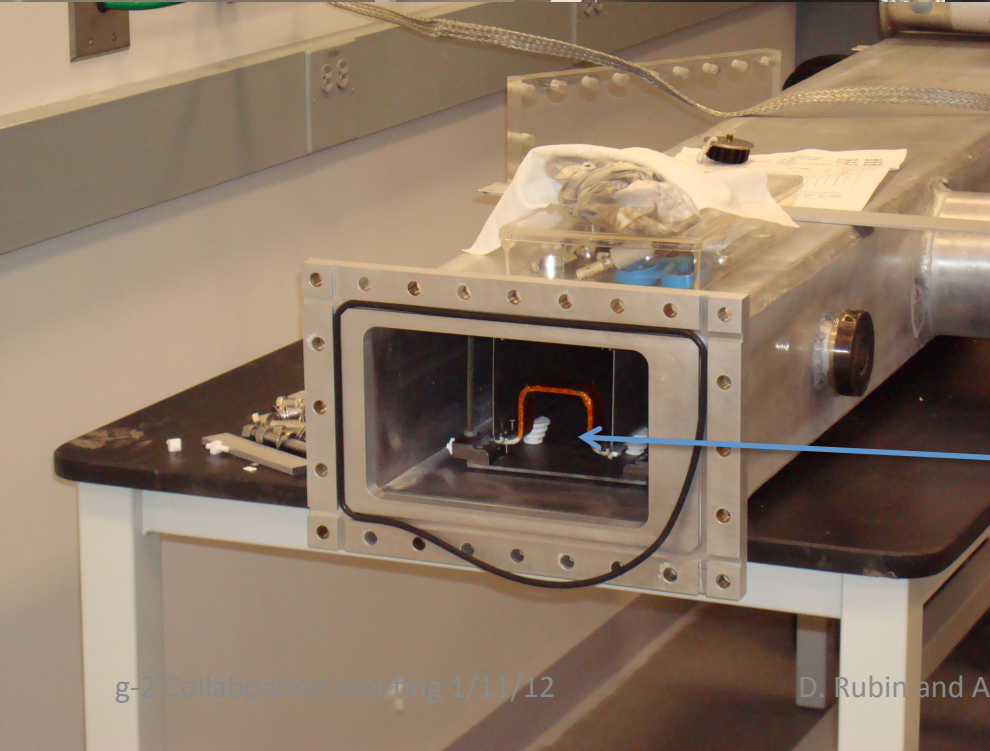
Pulser electronics



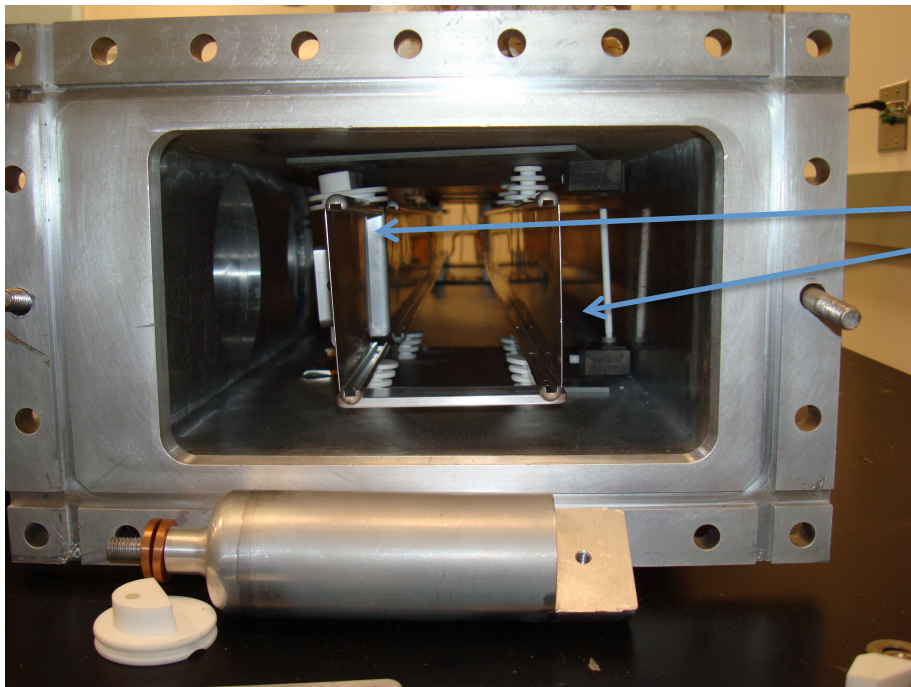
Kicker chamber



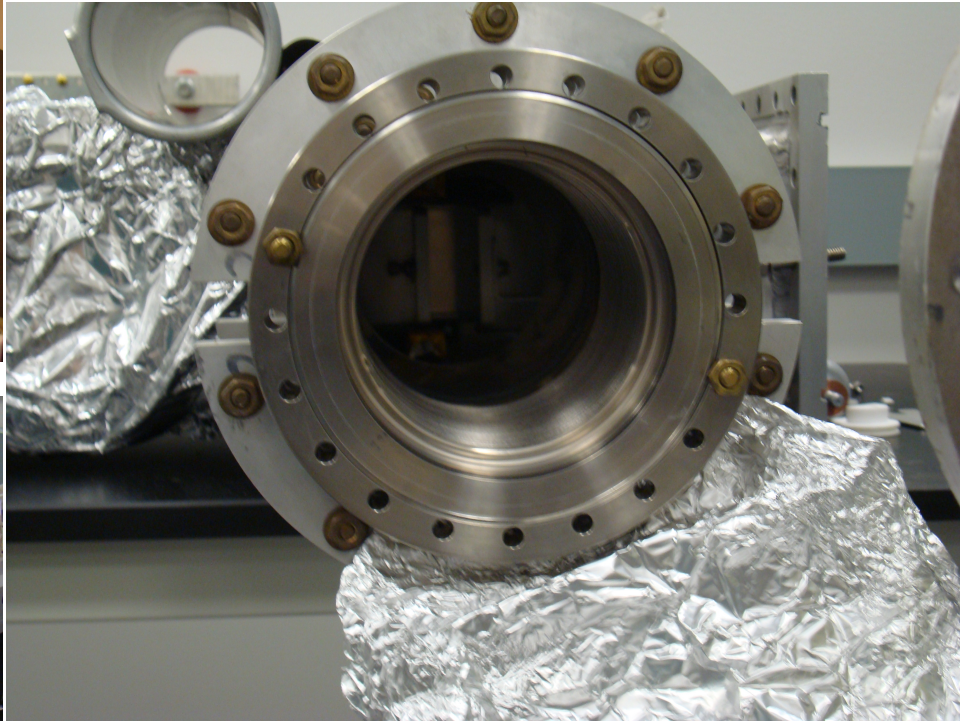
Power



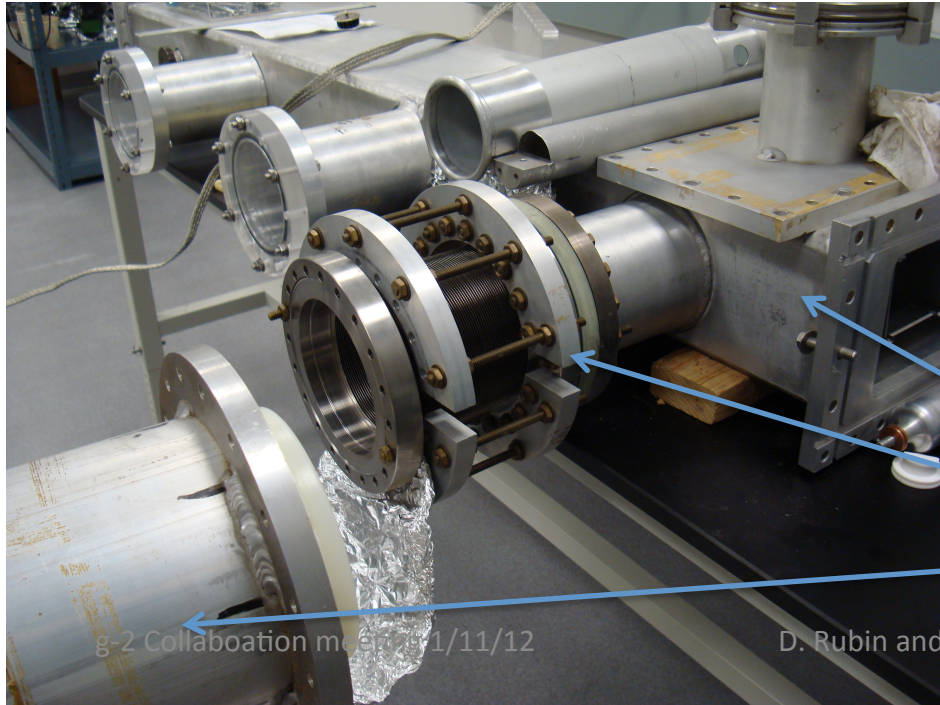
Downstream end of kicker

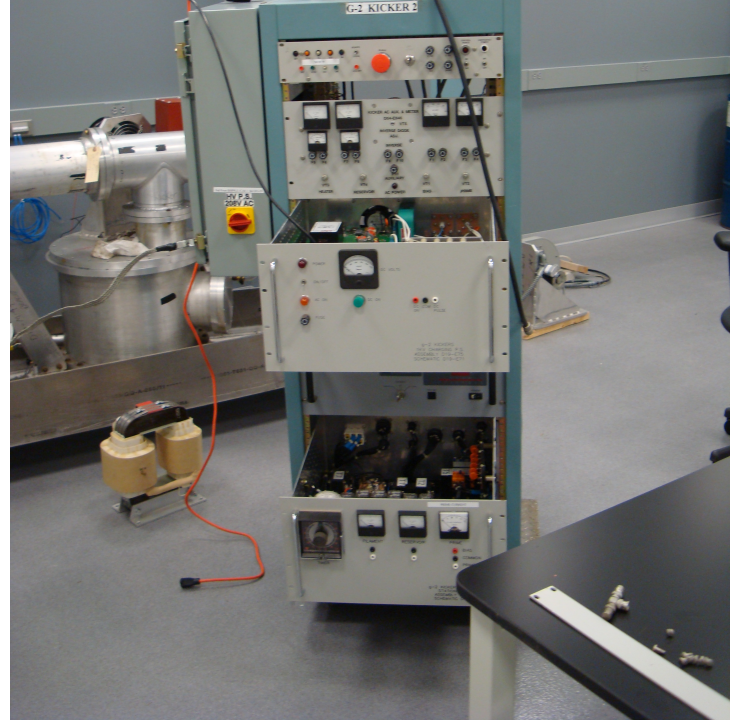
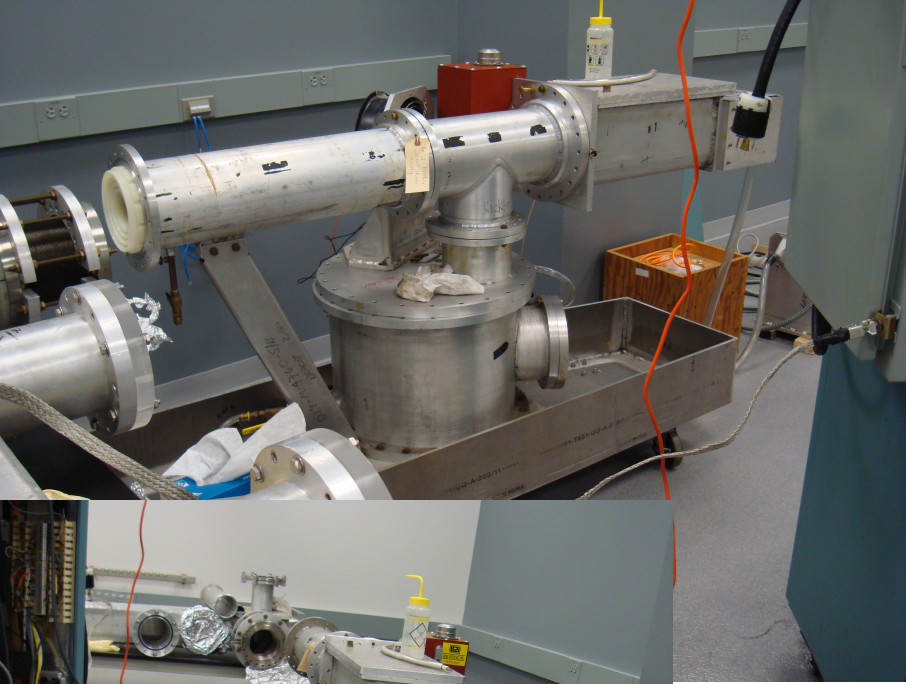


Kicker plates



Kicker chamber
Pulser feed
Pulser housing





High voltage feedthrough



Plan for E-821 prototype kicker /pulser test

Reassemble

Test at low voltage (no oil) and measure field with single turn coil

Test at 100kV with high voltage components in oil

Injected Beam dynamics

Weak focusing – with vertical focusing from electrostatic quadrupoles
approximately uniformly distributed around ring

Field index $n \approx 0.139$

$$\beta_x = \frac{R}{\sqrt{1-n}} = 7.67 \text{ m}$$

$$Q_x = \frac{R}{\beta_x} = 0.927$$

$$\eta = \frac{R}{1-n} = 8.26 \text{ m}$$

$$x_{\text{inf}} = 7.7 \text{ cm}$$

$$x(s) = x_{\text{inf}} \cos \phi_x + \beta x'_{\text{inf}} \sin \phi_x$$

$$x'(s) = -\frac{x_{\text{inf}}}{\beta} \sin \phi_x + x'_{\text{inf}} \cos \phi_x$$

At $\phi_x = \pi/2$, $x(s) = 0$, and $x'(s) = -x_{\text{inf}}/\beta$

Kicker changes angle by $\theta = x_{\text{inf}}/\beta \cong 10$ mrad to put injected muons on central orbit

Now suppose the injected muon has fractional energy error $\Delta E/E = \delta$

$$x_{\text{inf}} = x_\beta + \eta\delta$$

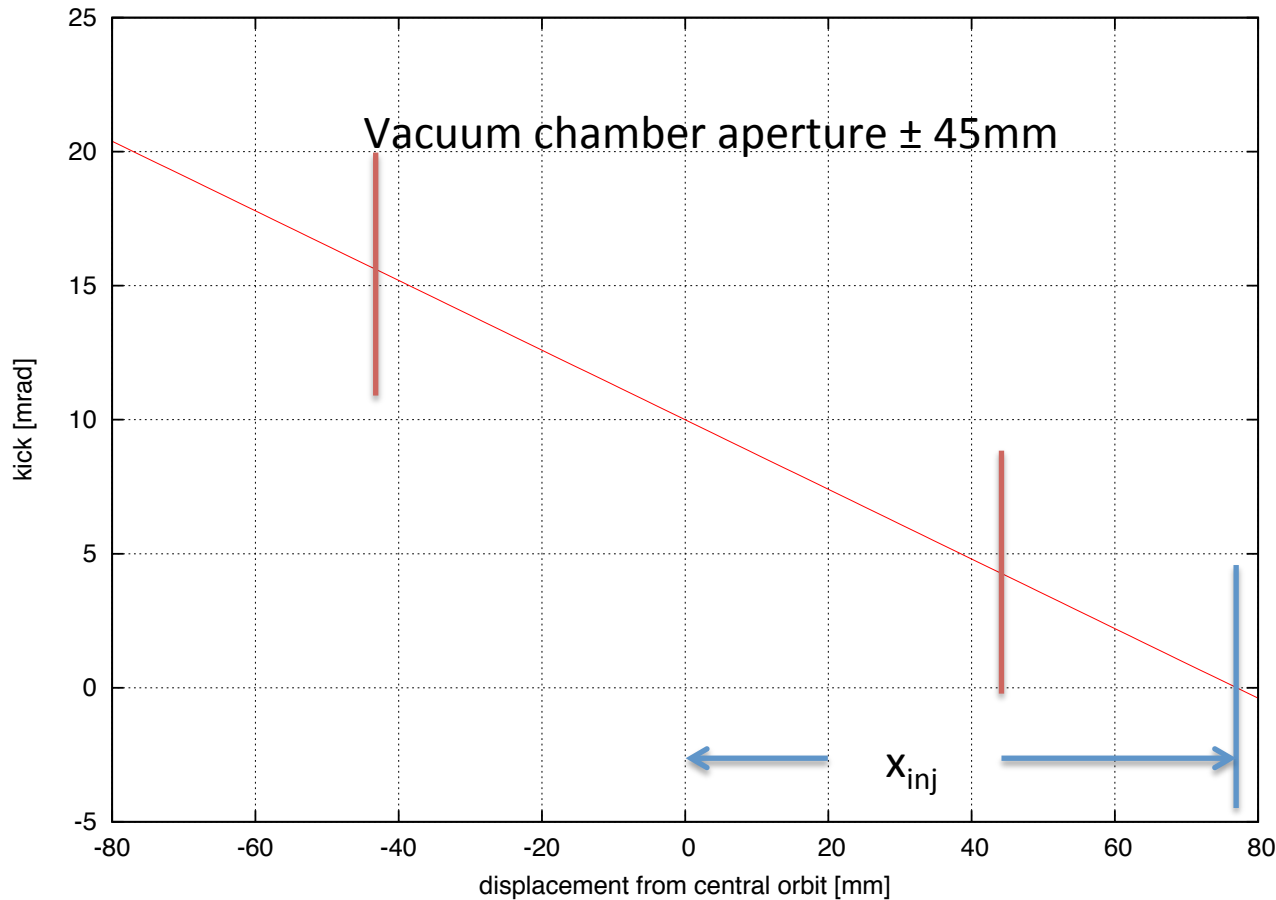
$$\rightarrow x_\beta = x_{\text{inf}} - \eta\delta$$

$$x(s) = (x_{\text{inf}} - \eta\delta) \cos \phi + \eta\delta$$

$$\rightarrow x\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) = \eta\delta$$

$$\rightarrow x'\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) = -\frac{x_{\text{inf}} - \eta\delta}{\beta}$$

The ideal kick for off energy muons is
 $\theta = (x_{\text{inf}} - x)/\beta$



Energy dependence

If the kicker field depends on displacement from central orbit according to
 $\text{kick [mrad]} \approx 10(1-x/x_{inj})$ then all energies kicked onto corresponding closed orbit

Dependence on angular distribution of injected muons

$$\begin{aligned}x(s) &= x_{\text{inf}} \cos \phi_x + \beta x'_{\text{inf}} \sin \phi_x \\x'(s) &= -\frac{x_{\text{inf}}}{\beta} \sin \phi_x + x'_{\text{inf}} \cos \phi_x\end{aligned}$$

Then at $\Phi = \pi/2$

$$\begin{aligned}x\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) &= \beta x'_{\text{inf}} \\x'\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) &= -\frac{x_{\text{inf}}}{\beta}\end{aligned}$$

There is no kick that puts the muon onto the central orbit
The best we can do is to minimize the invariant amplitude

Invariant amplitude
$$a = \frac{x^2}{\beta} + \beta x'^2$$

The best we can do with the kicker is to set angle to zero.

Then
$$a_{min} = \frac{x^2}{\beta} = \beta x'_{inj}{}^2$$

If the kick is not uniform but has radial dependence to match energy offset then

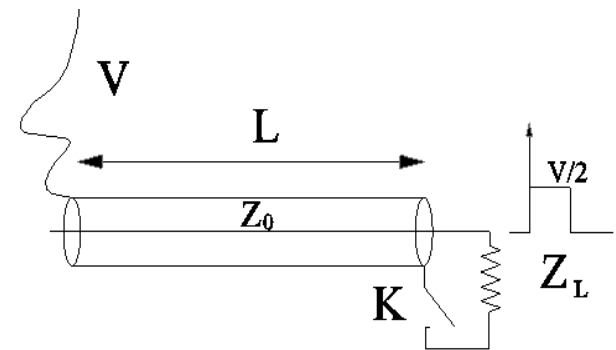
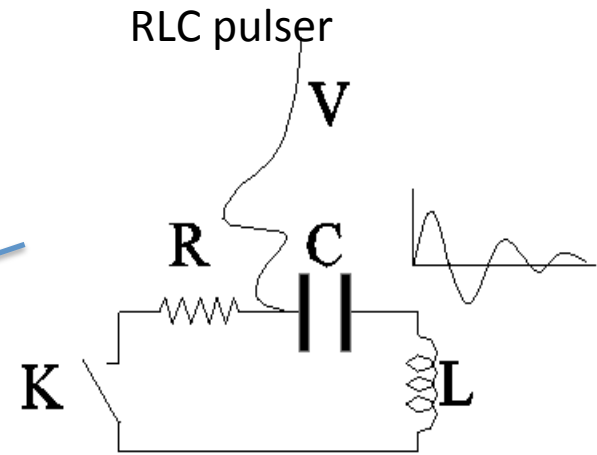
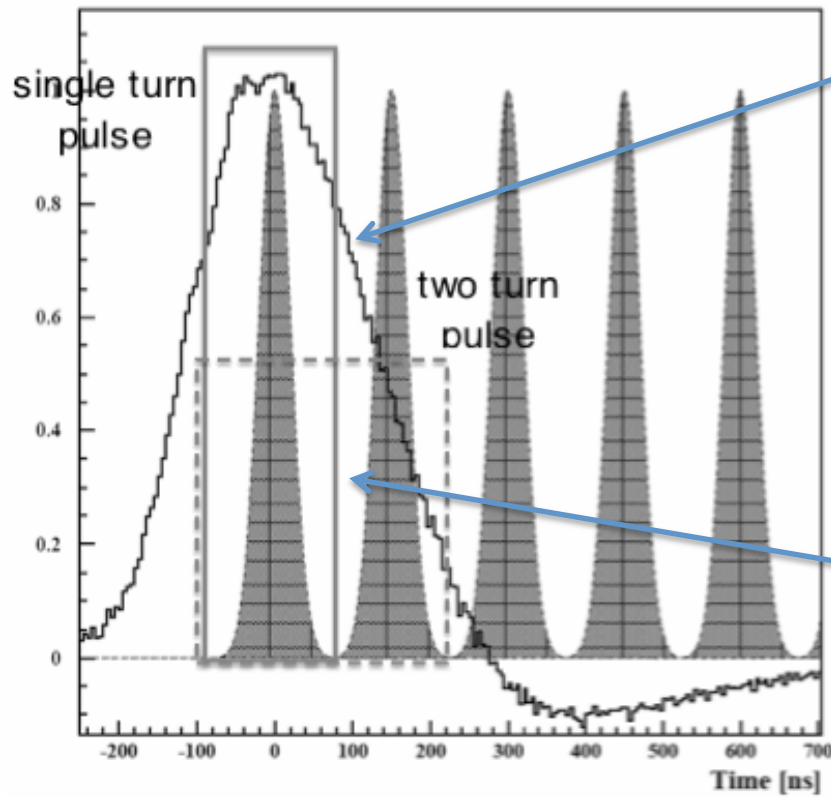
$$a = 2\beta x'_{inj}{}^2 = 2a_{min}$$

We find that the kick that minimizes the betatron amplitude of off energy muons will increase the amplitude for on energy particles with finite injection angle

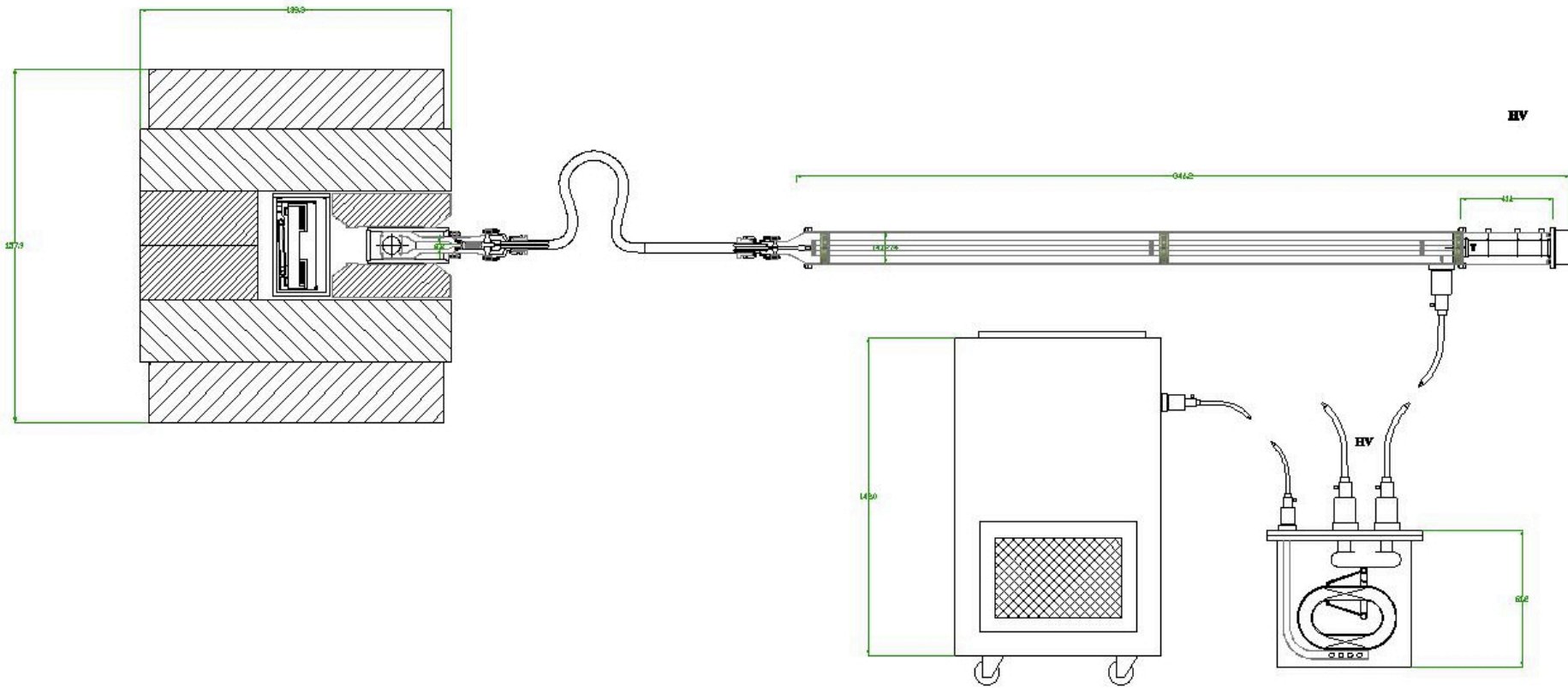
Optimal kicker field profile depends on energy and angular distribution of muons exiting the inflector

Time Dependence

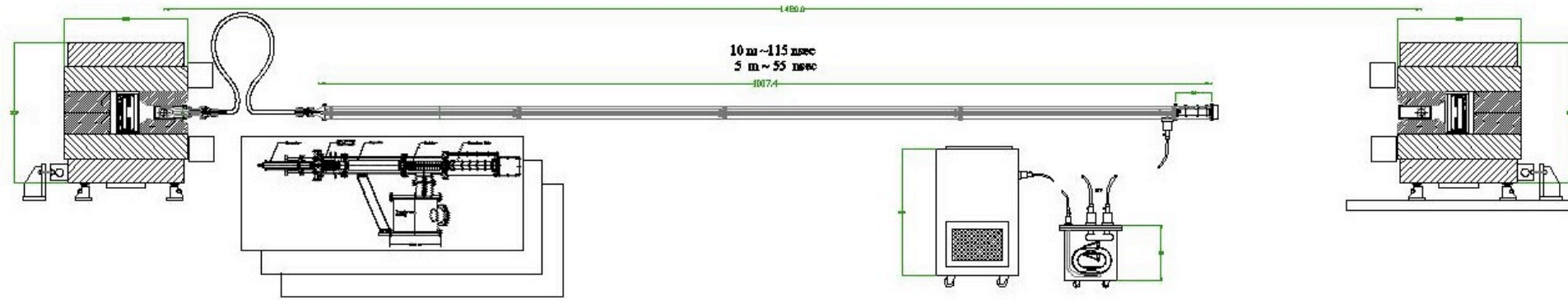
Kicker Pulse width



Matched line ($Z_0 = Z_L$)
 $\tau = 2L/c \sqrt{\mu_r \epsilon_r}$

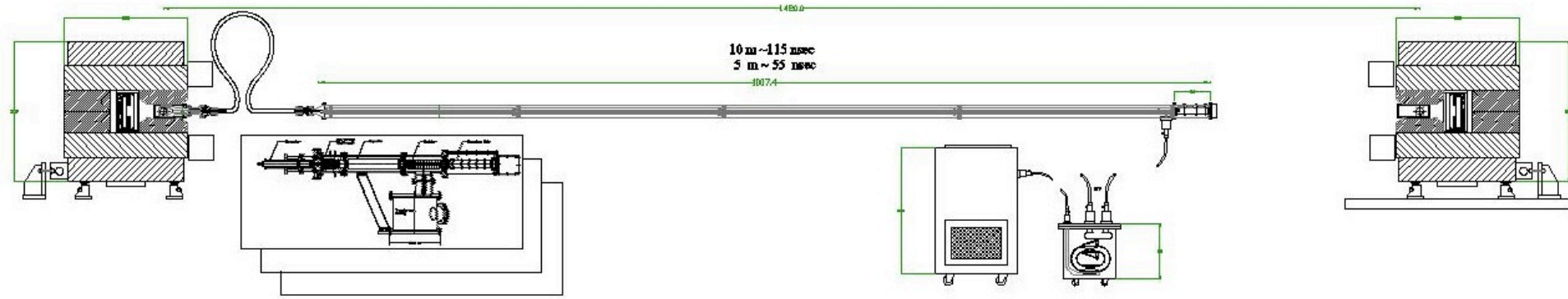


$$L=10\text{m} \Rightarrow \tau = 115 \text{ ms}$$

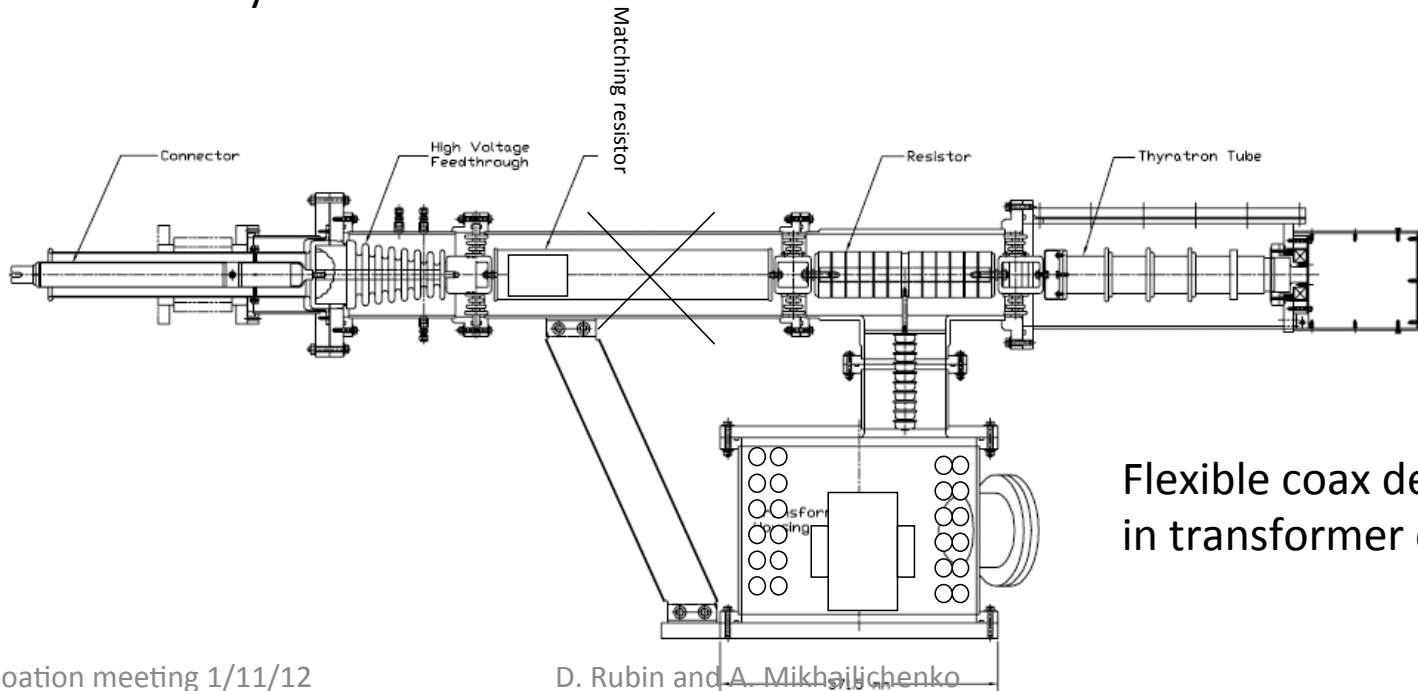


Rigid coaxial delay line

$L=10\text{m} \Rightarrow \tau = 115 \text{ ms}$



Rigid coaxial delay line



Flexible coax delay line
in transformer oil tank

Matched line PFN issues

1. Current $I = V/Z$ and the impedance of the kicker magnet is relatively high ($Z > 100\Omega$),
implying a high charging voltage. (Require $I \approx 4\text{kA}$)
2. If muon bunch is long, then so is the coax
3. Mismatch of impedance of line and load gives reflections. Quantify ?
4. Voltage on kicker is half the charging voltage implying an even higher charging voltage (Blumlein ?)

We will test sensitivity to impedance match at low voltage

1. With flexible coax delay line
2. Rigid line

Conclusion

- Reconstruction and test of E-821 prototype kicker and pulser is underway
- Low voltage tests of delay line pulse forming network
- Explore alternative kicker plate geometry for
 - lower impedance
 - optimal field profile
- Investigate in simulation sensitivity to muon energy and angular distribution and bunch length

Bunch length – shorter is easier to deal with

We can achieve good acceptance for energy spread or angular spread but not both

